

1843-025 SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY
CHANCERY PAPERS

PETTAWAY and Wife VS. PETERS et al

2/1843

Plat

other sur names: Bilbo,
Moss, Pettway

Petway

v. Bell & Co.

Peters

1842 Dec. as filed &c.

1843 Jan. Report
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Petway

B. &

Peters -

Decem

To the worshipping County Court of Southampton
in Chancery sitting -

Humbly complaining shew unto your worships
your complainants. Henry Pettaway & Elizabeth
A. his wife, that at the death of Alfred Mops
he left lands in the County of Southampton that
descended to his heirs at law, that your Compt
is entitled to $\frac{1}{2}$ in right of his wife and also to $\frac{1}{2}$
in right of purchase of Mrs. S. Bilbo & wife -
the other half belonging to Jas. E. Peters children
in right of their mother & Jas. E. Peters purchaser
of Jas. E. Mops. They are advised it can only
be divided by the Court sitting in Chancery
they therefore pray the Court to grant this
their prayer and also grant such general
relief as may be convenient to justice
and the Rules of the Court & they will
ever pray -

The answer of Jas. E. Peters in his own right
and as Executor ad litem to the heirs of Mrs. Peters.

They Respondents for answer say They have
no objection to the decree prayed for -

Pettanuy & wife
vs
Peters & - } *decur*

This day this cause was docketed by leave of Court & consent of parties and came on to be heard on the bill & answer and was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof the Court doth order, adjudge and decree that Charles F. Verghast Jesse Little and Samuel James be appointed Commissioners any two of whom may act. that they attended by a competent surveyor, divide the lands whereof ~~it~~ *the* ~~elops~~ *elops* ~~did~~ *did* ~~seized~~ *seized* into moieties, and allot one moiety to Henry Pettanuy & wife, and the other moiety to James E. Peters in his own right and as next friend to his children and report to the Court in order to enforce decree

Pellway

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Peters

Southampton County December Court 1842.
Henry Pettway and Elizabeth A his wife

against

Plffs.

In Chancery

James E Peters in his own right and guardian ad litem to the
heirs of Mrs. Peters

Defrs.

This day this cause was docketed by leave of Court and consent of parties and came on to be heard on the bill and answer and was argued by counsel: On consideration whereof the Court doth order adjudge and decree that Charles F. Urquhart, Jesse Little and Samuel James be appointed Commissioners, any two of whom may act, that they attended by a competent Surveyor, divide the lands whereof Alfred A. Hops died seized into moieties, and allot one moiety to Henry Pettway and wife, and the other moiety to James E. Peters in his own right and as next friend to his children and make report to the Court in order to a final decree

Attest. Teste. I R Edwards Secy

Pettway

v. }

Report

Peters

1845 January Term

Southampton County Va Jan^y. 11th 1843

In obedience to the accompanying order, of the Court at last Decr. term, the undersign Commissioner, on 26th day of Decr, with Wm D Hood Surveyor, divided the lands whereof Alfred Mose died seized, into two parts of equal valuation; by a line starting at a white oak, 96 $\frac{3}{100}$ poles from the corner pine between H. M. Butts & Mose in C. F. Urquhart's line, & running S 79° E to the Appamunock swamp; giving to the Southern Division 171 $\frac{1}{4}$ acres & to the northern Division 217 $\frac{1}{4}$ acres together with the Dwelling & Smoke houses.

By ballot the Southern Division was allotted to Henry Pittway & his Wife & the Southern Division, to Jas. C Peters in his own right & as next friend to his children all of which is respectfully reported.

C. F. Urquhart
Jesse Little
Saml. J. Adams

Commissioners

Original Survey
 433 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres
 W. J. Subdiv 45 acres
 388 $\frac{1}{2}$
 794 $\frac{1}{4}$
 23
 217 $\frac{1}{4}$ 12° div.
 171 $\frac{1}{4}$ 5° div.
 388 $\frac{1}{2}$



Above is a plat of a survey made several years since, by Mr. John Watkins of Sussex, and by which I was requested, by the heirs of Alfred Mosey dec'd to run a dividing line, which, upon the direction of Commissioners appointed by the Court, December 19. 1842. I proceeded to perform, and ran in the old line, S 6° E, 96 poles $3\frac{1}{4}$ to the White Oak a new corner, and thence parallel with the outer line E 79° to the Aspensuck Swamp, allotting to the South Division 17 $\frac{1}{4}$ acres, & to the North division together with the Dwelling and Smoke Houses 21 $\frac{1}{4}$ acres. - Done December 26th 1842. -

Wm. H. Hood Sur.
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