

1848-041

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY
CHANCERY PAPERS

WORRELL

vs.

WORRELL

et al

6/1848

other SURNAMES: BRISTER,
Joiner, WOAREL, JOYNER

Worrell { Decree
Worrell

1848 Febry: decree as filed.
" May. Report.
" June Rept. copy?

C & M

To The worshipful County Court of Southampton
in chancery sitting

Humbly complaining shew
unto your worships your orator Shadrach
Worrell, that sometime since his father Cary
Worrell of the said county died intestate poss-
essed of a small tract of land lying in said
county containing about ^{an} acre. That the
said Cary Worrell left a widow Sally Worrell
who is entitled to dower in the said land.
Your orator and his brothers & sisters Benjamin
Martha, Margaret, & Thomas C Worrell, Sarah
who married James Bristle & Elizabeth A who
intemarried with Thomas E Joines are the
sole heirs at law of their father the said Cary
Worrell. The said tract of land is worth much
less than three hundred dollars to the share
and your orator is advised that he can come
into this worshipping ^{Court} & pray a sale thereof and
distribution of the proceeds among those en-
titled. In tender consideration of the premi-
ses and in as much as your orator is
without remedy save in a Court of equity,
he prays that Benjamin, Martha, & Sally Worrell
James Bristle & Sarah his wife, Thomas E Joines
& Elizabeth his wife, Thomas C & Margaret Worrell
may be made Defendants to this bill with
apt & proper words to charge them, The two
last who are infants of tender years by some
fit & proper persons as their guardians ad litem,
and that they answer this bill: That the
Court will decree a sale of the said land
subject to the widows dower & a proper dis-
tribution of the proceeds, and such other &
general relief as equity may dictate, and

that the usual writ of subp^a may issue &c and
as in duty bound he will ever pray &c &c

Chambliss Maysenburg pro Comps

Answer of Benja, Martha, & Sally Wornell, James
Briston & Sarah his wife, Thos & Joine & Elizabeth
his wife, and Margaret, & Thos & Wornell infants
by L R Edwards their guardian ad litem—

These Defendants saying & reserving &c, for
answer to the said above bill of complaint,
say that they believe the facts therein stated
are true, and that it would be to the interest
of those entitled to sell the said land & divide
the proceeds, and having answered they pray
leave to be dismissed the cause &c

Wornell
 { Deere
Wornell

This day this cause came on to be
heard by consent on the bill & answer, and
was argued by counsel, on consideration
whereof the court doth adjudge order & decree
that Goodwyn Griffin, who is hereby appointed
a special commissioner of the court, after
giving reasonable notice by advertising at two
or more public places in the vicinity, shall
proceed to sell the said land described in the bill
subject to the widow's dower to the highest bidder,
and that he reserve so much in cash as will
pay the expenses of this decree, and for the balance
of the proceeds of sale, he take seven equal bonds with
good security payable in nine months, and assign

one to Shadrach, one to Benjamin & one to Martha
Wornell, one to James Briston in right of his wife
Sarah, one to Thomas & Joine in right of his wife
Elizabeth, and the other two to the guardians at law
of Margaret & Thomas Wornell, and report to this
court in order for a final decree

Worrell

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Worrell

1848 May

Southampton February Court 1848
Shadrack Worrell

against

Benjamin, Martha & Sally Worrell & others

Deft

In Chancery

Dfts

This day this cause came on to be heard on the bill & answer and was argued by counsel. On consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that Edwin H Griffin who is hereby appointed a Special Commissioner of this Court after giving reasonable notice of his advertising at two or more public places in the vicinity, shall proceed to sell the land described in the bill subject to the widows dower to the highest bidder and that he reserve so much in cash as will pay the expenses of this decree and for the balance of the proceeds of sale he take seven equal bonds with good security payable in nine months, and assign one to Shadrack, one to Benjamin & one to Martha Worrell, one to James Brister in right of his wife Sarah, one to Thomas O'Joyne in right of his wife Elizabeth and the other two to the guardian at Law of Margaret & Thomas O'Worrell and report to this Court in order to a final decree.
Ctks for \$2.38

(Copy)

Testo

J R Edwards Jls

In accordance with the annexed Decree of the County Court of Southampton pronounced at the Febry Term ¹⁸⁴⁸ I have sold the Land of which Carey Worrell died seized containing 135 acres (subject to the widows dower) for \$392.50

Commissions on the above \$17.31

Expenses of decree

12.38

29.69

362.81

Taxe accts, for said Land for 2 years

1.08

361.73

Amount of each Share

\$51.67-

Respectfully Submitted.

Ed Griffin Spec Comm