

1857-009

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY
CHANCERY PAPERS

MODRE

VS.

SMITH

et al

sl 1857

other surnames: Manny,
HARRISON

26 # 10.76

Moore

v. } Papers

Smith Jr.

Moore

to } State Rules

Smith &c

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	\$ 57.06

Harrison D Moore

against
Hemming T. Smith. Josiah Manry & Anna J Harrison

1852 Dec. 28 Inj. awarded

" " 29 Bond Security given. Sum. issued &c

1853 Feb. R. Sum. &c ret. Executed on Smith. there no inhabitants - Deere Nisi v.
Dft. Smith

" Mar. R. Bill taken for confessed as to Dft. Smith.

" Apr. " L R Edwards signed gov. ad litem to Dft. Anna J Harrison - Ans. of Dft.
" Manry & infant. Gen. Rep. to ans. infant. and cause set for hearing as all
the Dfts

" May. T. Ans. of Dft. Smith gen. rep. - Deere for account.

" Aug. 15 Report.

" Nov. 7. Rule & Dft Smith returnable on Thursday next.

1854 May T. Pet. of H D Moore gr Order for bonds to be collected &c

" Aug. 25. Sci. fa. issued to revive v. Hemming M Smith Exor. Hemming T. Smith.

" Nov. T. Order for account.

1855 Mar. 31 Report

" May. T. Deere &c

1857 " " Inj. perpetuated &c

To The Hon. Richard H Baker Judge of the Circuit
Court for the County of Southampton.

In Chancery

Humbly complaining sheweth unto your
Honor your Orator Harrison & Moore, That at the
February Term 1847 of the County Court of South-
ampton, Henning J Smith of the said County, qual-
ified as the guardian of Martha and Anna J Harrison
orphan children of James C Harrison and did execute
bond according to law in the penalty of Two Thou-
sand dollars with your Orator and one Josiah Man-
ny as his securities. That by virtue of said qualifica-
tion, and in his capacity of guardian as aforesaid
he received a considerable amount of money and
a large number of valuable slaves the property of
his wards the said orphans - That one of the said
wards Martha Harrison has intermarried with
Henry Fader and your Orator is informed that the said
Smith has settled his guardian transactions with the
said Fader, paid over to him the balance due him in
right of his wife and delivered to him her slave; but
that the property of the other ward Anna J Harrison who
is still an infant and unmarried is yet in the posses-
sion of and under the control of the said Henning J
Smith as her guardian as aforesaid: That he has now
in possession the following slaves belonging to the
said Anna J Harrison to wit: Charles, Lucie,

Winny and three children. That at the time of the qual-
ification of the said Henning J Smith in the year
1847, he was possessed of a large estate both real and
personal and of good credit; but that he is now
greatly indebted, his property mortgaged for large
amounts, and it is believed he is hopelessly insol-
vent. The co-sureties of your Orator, the said Josiah
Manny and three children. That at the time of the qual-
ification of the said Henning J Smith in the year
1847, he was possessed of a large estate both real and
personal and of good credit; but that he is now
greatly indebted, his property mortgaged for large
amounts, and it is believed he is hopelessly insol-
vent. The co-sureties of your Orator, the said Josiah
Manny and three children.

B Copies of said bond and order of qualification are herewith filed marked (A) and
prayed to be taken as parts of this bill

Manny is also insolvent. Your Orator is unable to say whether the said Henning & Smith has as yet wasted or made away with any of the property of his ward the said Anna I Harrison he never having returned any account of his guardianship transactions. But your Orator charges that the said Henning & Smith is about and now actually preparing to move the slaves of the said Anna I Harrison out of the limits of this Commonwealth to the state of Florida, beyond the jurisdiction of this court, where they may be sold and the proceeds misapplied greatly to the damage of your Orator, and he confidently believes it is the purpose of the said Smith so to dispose of them. That the fact of the said intended removal having been known to him but a few days, he has had no opportunity to move against the said Smith for Counter security, and as said removal will be effected (if not otherwise prevented) before the next term of the County Court for the County of Southampton such proceeding will then be unavailing. Your Orator is advised that under these circumstances a Court of Chancery will interfere to prevent the perpetration of a wrong which would be irreparable.

In Under Consideration of all which, and in as much as your Orator is without remedy save in a Court of Equity where matters of this and like nature are properly cognizable. To the end therefore that justice may be done; He prays your Honor that Henning & Smith Josiah Manny, and Anna I Harrison may be made Defendants to this bill and answer the allegations thereof, that some fit & proper persons may be appointed guardian ad litem to the infant defendants that the said Henning & Smith may be enjoined and restrained by the proper process from moving the said slaves to wit,

Charles Jacob Winney and three children belonging to his ward Anna I Harrison out of the Commonwealth of Virginia and from selling or making away with the same; and that the said Henning & Smith may be removed from the guardianship aforesaid. And that your Honor will grant such other and general relief in the premises as equity may dictate, and as in duty bound they will ever pray &c, May it please your Honor &c.

Harrison & Moore
By his Atty
Chambly Mapenbury

Southampton County to wit:
This day Harrison & Moore personally appeared before me a justice of the peace in and for the said County and made oath that the allegations of the above bill are true. Given under my hand this 2nd day of December 1852
William Bowers J. P.

On the Comp^t or some person for him entering into
 bond with sufficient security in the penalty of \$200
 payable to the def^t conditioned to pay all such costs and
 damages as may be awarded or recovered against him
 for suing out this injon in case the same be dissolved.
 Let an injon issue to injoin and inhibit the def^t
 his agents and all others concerned from removing or
 permitting to be removed or sent out of the limits of this
 Comth the slaves Charles, Jacob and Winney and her
 three children in the Bill mentioned until the
 further order of the court: and unless the said
 def^t shall enter into bond with sufficient security,
 before the clerk of the circuit court of S^camptom County
 in the penalty of \$3000 conditioned to have the said
 slaves forthcoming to abide any future order or decree
 of the court in relation thereto, then the sheriff of the
 said County of S^camptom is directed to take possession

Moore & Bill
 vs
 Smith &c

1852 Dec. 29. Bond returned
 from S^camptom & injoin: paid

of them and hire them out monthly or otherwise as
 to him may seem right, taking bond with sufficient
 security for the hire and return the same to be
 filed with the record in this case

Rich^d. H. Baker
 Dec^r. 28th. 1852.

To the Clerk of the circuit
 Court of S^camptom County

Moore
as
Smith. } Petition

1854 May Term

To the Hon. Richard H Baker judge of the Circuit Court for the County
of Southampton - May Term 1854 - In Chancery

Your Petitioners Harrison & Moore respectfully
represent to your Honor that since the filing of the bill
of complaint in this cause, the said H S Smith has been re-
moved by an order of the January term 1853 of the County Court
of Southampton from the guardianship of the said Anne S Har-
rison and your Petitioners appointed guardian in his stead - That
your Petitioners qualified as guardians as aforesaid at the said
term of the said Court and gave bond and security according
to law, all of which will appear from copies of the said order
and bond herewith filed marked (A) and prayed to be taken
as a part of this petition - That no property has come to
the possession of your Petitioners belonging to his said
ward since his qualification, and that except the amount
which may be due her if any from her former guardian
she has no property except the said slaves taken possession
of by the Sheriff of Southampton under the restraining order
entered in this cause, and the bonds given for the fines of
the same since that time, which have been returned by the
said Sheriff to Court - That the fines of the said slaves are
necessary for the support and maintenance of his said ward

Your Petitioners therefore pray your Honor to make an order
authorizing your Petitioners to receive the said bonds and
slaves, and all such other orders as the nature of the case
may require, and as in and to be bound to.

Harrison & Moore
by Charles H Moser /
attys

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Moon

Answer of H. T. Smith

To the Hon. Richd B Baten judge of the
ancient court of Southampton

The answer of H. T. Smith to a bill of injunction
filed by Harrison T. Moore as him and others

This defendant for answer to the said
bill or as much thereof as he is advised it is
material for him to answer answering says
That he is aware that so far as his interests
in the subject matter of the suit is concerned
it is well to answer as the negroes have been
surrendered and he has no disposition to continue
any longer as guardian for the infant Anna
Harrison, but as the Plaintiff in his bill has made
and sworn to a statement of opinion which is wholly
 untrue and false, he deems it a duty which
he owes to himself and the public to make a
plain statement of facts, he hired two of the
negroes mentioned in the bill to wit Charles and
Jacob to ^{the} Philadelphia swamp land company for
the year 1853 for the sum of one hundred
and fifty dollars each and took their bond
with ^{the} understanding that the said negroes were
to be returned at the end of the year, that it
is true the said slaves were to go to Florida to
labor but there was no danger of ^{any} ~~any~~ except from
disease which ^{the} ~~some~~ ^{he} ~~live~~ ^{live} to him) as the most
of the members of this company resided in
Virginia and were gentlemen of good standing
and large means, that this defendant to provide
for loss from against disease had directed a
member of the company to have their lives
insured upon. They left for Florida, that

he send them to this company because he was
offered a far better price than he could obtain for
them at home. That an anxious desire to benefit
his wife and not himself was the motive that
governed him. That the plaintiff's statement that
this defendant intended to sell these slaves for
his own benefit is wholly false and uncalculated for
and having fully answered Gray's plea to be
dismissed with his costs.

W. T. Smith

Shana for
the defendant

Southampton County Court

This 19th day of April 1853

Hennery T Smith personally appeared before me a
justice of the peace for the abovesaid county and
made oath that the facts alleged in the above bill
are true given under my hand and seal

William Bowers J. P. Seal

Maori
as ^{Answers of}
Smith ^{Infant}

1853 April Rules

The answer of Anna J Harrison an infant of ten
years by L R Edwards her guardian ad litem to a bill of
complaint exhibited against her by Harrison & Moore
This Defendant saying & answering so for answer to
the said bill or so much thereof as she is advised is
material or necessary she should make answer unto
answering which that she believes the allegations
of the said bill are true, and being an infant she
submits her rights and interest to the care and
protection of the Court, and having answered
she prays case to be dismissed with her costs.

Chauncy Wapenburg
Attys for Def

Moore is answer of
Smith & Jeff Manry

1853 April Rules

The answer of Josiah Mearns to the bill of complaint exhibited against him &c by Harrison & Moore -

This Defendant saying and answering &c for answer to the said bill or so much thereof as he is advised it is necessary or material he should answer, answering saith that he believes the allegations of the said bill are true, and that he has no objection to make against the proper of the complainant. And having answered &c prays leave to be dismissed with his costs &c.

Josiah Mearns
by Cha. blip M. apsebury
Atty

Moore
is } seen
Smith &

To be returned

R. H. B.

May 2/53

Moore
vs
Smith & Co

This day this cause came on to be heard on the bill of the complainant and exhibits therewith filed, and the answers of the Defendant Smith and Mary, and of the infant Defendant Anna J Harrison, and was argued by counsel, on consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge order and decree that the injunction awarded the Complainant the 28th day of December 1832 to enjoin the Defendant Smith from removing or sending out of the Commonwealth the slaves in the bill mentioned be made perpetual; and the Court doth further adjudge order and decree that a Commissioner of this Court report an account of the transactions of the Defendant Smith as guardian of Anna J Harrison with any matters specially stated deemed pertinent by himself or which he may be required so to state by any of the parties

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Moore
as } from
Smith

Moore's guardians
bond is not filed.

Is he entered

R. B. Baker

May Co. '54.

1854 May Term

Moore

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Smith &

The death of H. T. Smith is suggested

and This day this cause comes on a point to be heard on the papers formerly read, the petition of Harrison & Moore and the return of Samuel Kelso Sheriff of Southampton County for consideration where the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that the said Samuel Kelso Sheriff as aforesaid collect the said bonds of John F. Parker, Harrison & Moore, and Mary Willis, executed for the hire of the said slaves during a part of the year 1853, and after deducting the expenses of collection pay over the balance to Harrison & Moore guardians ~~of~~ of Anna J. Harrison, and that he pay over to the said Moore, guardian as aforesaid the bonds of Miles & Lumsden and H & Moore executed for the hire of the said slaves for the year 1854, and report to Court - ^{and} The Court doth further adjudge order and decree that the said Samuel Kelso Sheriff as aforesaid deliver the slaves Charles, Jacob, William & their children to Harrison & Moore guardians of Anna J. Harrison, after the expiration of the time for which they are now hired out and make report thereof to the Court -

But the decree is to be suspended until the defendant Harrison & Moore appear in the County Court of Southampton County, as guardians of Anna J. Harrison an additional bond, with sufficient security, ~~in each~~ penalty as the said County Court may deem proper conditioned according to law.

Moore

to } copy down

Smith &c

Southampton Circuit Court May 3^d 1854.

Harrison D Moore

Plff

against

Henning T Smith, Josiah Mary & Anna J Harrison

Defts

The death of Henning T Smith is suggested and this day this cause came on again to be heard on the papers formerly read, the petition of Harrison D Moore and the returns of Samuel Kello Sheriff of Southampton County. On consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that the said Samuel Kello Sheriff as aforesaid collect the said bonds of John F Parker, Harrison D Moore and Mary Wells executed for the hires of the said slaves during a part of the year 1853 and after deducting the expenses of collection pay over the balance to Harrison D Moore guardian to Anna J Harrison, and that he pay over to the said Moore guardian as aforesaid the bonds of Mills D Sumner and H. D. Moore executed for the hires of the said slaves for the year 1854 and report to Court. And the Court doth further adjudge, order and decree that the said Samuel Kello Sheriff as aforesaid deliver the slaves Charles Jacob, Minny & three children to Harrison D Moore guardian of Anna J Harrison after the expiration of the time for which they are now hired out and make report thereof to the Court. But this decree is to be suspended until the plaintiff Harrison D Moore execute in the County Court of Southampton County as guardian of Anna J Harrison an additional bond with sufficient security in such penalty as the said County Court may deem proper conditioned according to law

A Copy

Teste.

L. R. Edwards Clk

Moore
vs. Scarce
Smith & Co.

To be entered

R. H. B.

Nov. co. '54

Moore

vs

Smith &c

This case having abated by the death of the def^t ^{H. T. Smith} and the same having been revived by sei: fac of ^{H. M. Smith} ^{exr^t of the said H. T. Smith} de^d the

Decree ^{sent} is now proceeded in of the said H. M. Smith as adm^r or off^r

and the

~~This day this cause came on~~ again to be heard on the papers formerly read ~~and~~ was argued by counsel, on considerations whereof the Court doth ~~adjudge~~ order and decree that a commissioner of this ~~audit~~ state and report an account of the transactions of Henning T Smith ad^d as guardian of Anna J Harrison with any matters specially stated deemed pertinent by him self or which he may be required so to state by either of the parties

Moore

r. } Co. Doves

Smith R

Southampton Circuit Court, November Term, 1852,
Harrison D. Moore. S. C. J.

^{against}
H. S. Smith, Josiah Manly & Anna J. Harrison Defts

This case having abated by the death of the defendant H. S. Smith (and the same having been revived by John Davies against H. M. Smith Executor of the said H. S. Smith, dec'd) this suit is now proceeded in against the said H. M. Smith as executor as aforesaid, and the cause coming on again to be heard in the papers formerly read, was argued by counsel. On consideration whereof, the Court doth judge, order and decree that a Commissioner of this Court audit, state and report an account of the transactions of Henning S. Smith dec'd as Guardian of Anna J. Harrison with any matter specially stated or moved pertinent by himself, or which he may be required so to state by either of the parties.

Teste,

Nancy S. Howard S. C. J.

Moore }
as }
Smith } Doane

To be entered
R. H. Baker
May Co. '55.

1855 May Term

Moore

Smith 21

This day this cause came on again
to be heard on the papers formerly read and on the
report of Commissioner Cobb to which there is no
exception and was argued & considered on con-
sideration whereof the Court confirming the
said report doth adjudge order and decree
that Herman ^{of his executor} Smith & ^{or his lawful guardians} Herman
pay to ~~the guardian of said~~ Maria J. Harrison
the sum of \$295.94 with interest from the 31st of Decr.
1857 and there is awarded to the said Maria J. Harrison
to proceed against the securities of the said Herman
Smith on his guardian bond should this de-
cree prove unsatisfactory

Moore & Son
Smith

May Court '57

To be entered

R. H. B.

Moore

is

Smith



This day this cause came on again to be
heard on the papers formally read on the report of
Commissioner Cobb made pursuant to the order of Novem-
ber term 1834 to which report there is no exception
on considerations whereby the court doth adjudge
order on appeal that the injunction awarded in
this cause be perpetuated and that the Plaintiff recover
his costs of the last term to be paid by the goods and
chattel of his testator in his hands to be administered

Moore

& } Rule.

Smith &c

Dec. 10th November 1853.

By order of the Court.

L R Edwards &c

Executed on Wednesday
the 9th of Nov: 1853

John Pethouse
Sept. for Saml. Halls Esq

The Commonwealth of Virginia. To the Sheriff of Southampton
County Breating. We command you to summon Henning J Smith to appear
before the Judge of our Circuit Court of said County at the Courthouse on Thursday
next to show cause, if any he can, why an attachment should not be issued
against him for his contempt in failing to appear before Commissioner Good-
wyn at his office in Jerusalem, with his papers and accounts so as to enable
the said Commissioner to perform the order made in the suit of Moore against
Smith & others on the 8th day of May 1853. as notified for that purpose. and
further to do and receive what our said Court shall in that part consider. And
have them there this writ. Witness Littleton R Edwards Clerk of our said
Court at the Courthouse this 17th day of November 1853 in the 7th year of
the Commonwealth

L. R. Edwards

Moore

v } Sec. Fa.

Smith & Co

1854 November Term

Presented by delivering a copy of the within

Oct 18th 1854

J. C. Edwards Esq. for J. H. Wells Esq.

The Commonwealth of Virginia. To the Sheriff of Southampton County. Greeting.
Whereas a suit in chancery has lately been depending in our Circuit Court of said County between
Harrison D Moore plaintiff and Henning T Smith, Josiah Henry and Anna J Harrison
Defendants. and before a final decree was entered therein the said Henning T Smith died, and
the plaintiff has applied for a scire facias against Henning M Smith Executor of the said
Henning T Smith. Therefore we command you that you make known to the said
Henning M Smith executor as aforesaid that he be before the Judge of our said Court at the
Courthouse on the first day of the next Term, to shew cause if any he can, why the said suit
should not be proceeded in against him - And have then there this writ Witness Littleton
R Edwards Clerk of our said Court at the Courthouse this 25th day of August 1854 in the
79th year of the Commonwealth

L R Edwards Clk

Commissioner's Office.
Jerusalem, Va. Jan'y 10th 1853.

To Harrison W. Mone, plaintiffs,
and H. M. Smith Executor of H. T. Smith and Anna I.
Harrison ^{and Josiah, Mary} defendants.

You are hereby notified, that I have fixed upon the
16th day of ~~February~~ ^{January} next, to take and settle, at my
office, the account of the transactions of H. T.
Smith dec^d as guardian to Anna I. Harrison,
required to be taken by the decree of Southampton
Circuit Court, rendered at Nov. term 1851, in a
suit in chancery depending in said Court, in which
you are parties plaintiffs and defendants. at which
time and place you are required to attend.

Given under my hand as Commissioner of the said
Court, the day and year first aforesaid.

Wm. W. Cobb Comm.

Moore

vs 3 Leominster
Smith

July 16th 1855

Executed by
^{to read} delivering a Copy
of the within notice
J. L. Edwards
Supt. for G. Kellogg
Shoff.

for acknowledgment
of the within notice
Charles W. Proctor
and for David Proctor

Moore

vs 3 Subpoena
Smith &c

Febry 20th 1888

Executed

at J. Kells deputy
for S. Kells Chff

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

To the Sheriff of Southampton County, Greeting.

You are hereby commanded to summon Elbert J. Wario to appear before the undersigned Commissioner of the Circuit Court of Southampton County, on Tuesday the 20th day of February next, to testify and the truth to say on behalf of the defendant Henning M. Smith admr. of H. T. Smith decd, in a certain matter of account referred to the said Commissioner by a decree entered in the said court pending therein wherein H. D. Moore is plaintiff and H. M. Smith admr. H. T. Smith and Anna C. Harrison are ~~defendants~~. And this he shall in no wise omit under the penalty of \$100. and have then and there this writ. Given under my hand as Commr. of the said Court this the 22nd day of January 1858.

Wm. W. Cobb Comr.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

To the Sheriff of Southampton County, Greeting:

We command you that you summon *Hemming T. Smith Joseph Manry*
& Anna J Harrison

to appear at the Clerk's Office of our Circuit ~~Superior Court of Law and Chancery~~ for the County
of Southampton, at the Rules to be holden for the said Court on the first Monday in *February*
next, to answer a Bill in Chancery exhibited against *them* in the said Court by

Harrison J Moore

~~And unless~~ shall answer the said Bill within four months thereafter, the Court will take
~~the same for confessed, and decree accordingly. And this~~ shall in no wise omit, under
the penalty of ~~£100~~. And have then there this writ. Witness, LITTLETON R. EDWARDS, Clerk
of our said Court, at the Court-house, the *29th* day of *December* 18*52*, in the
44th year of the Commonwealth.

L R Edwards

[One Copy to be delivered each Defendant.]

To my own the Deft. Smith his agents and all others concerned from removing or permitting to be removed or sent out of the limits of this Commonwealth the slaves Charles Jacob and Minny and her three children in the bill mentioned until the further order of the Court. And unless the said Deft. shall enter into bond with sufficient security before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Southampton County in the penalty of three thousand Dollars conditioned to have the said slaves forthcoming to abide any future order or decree of the Court in relation thereto then the Sheriff of the said County of Southampton is directed to take possession of them and hire them out monthly or otherwise as to him may seem right, taking bond with sufficient security for the lives and return the same to be filed with the record in this case - the pliff having entered into bond with sufficient security conditioned to pay all such costs and damages as may be awarded or recovered against him for serving out the injunction in case the same be dissolved.

Teste.

JR Edwards

More

2 } Sp^{ts} & Inj^{ns}.

Smith J^r

1853 February Rules

Executed on 18. J Smith

by delivering him a copy

D. O. 30/1852. Circuit of May

& Anna Harrison are not

residents of any County

C. J. Jones J^r

of S. Hills J^r

The Deft. Smith not having

entered into bond as required of Court.

possession of the negroes as from the

& hired them out for the year & have returned

the bond, for S. Hill, here with S. Hill's

Moore

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} Com. Reports

Smith & Co

1853 Aug. 15th

Moore &c

Commissioner's office

Aug: 15th 1853.

Smith & others

Pursuant to the decree of the Circuit Court of Dorchester County, at May Term 1853, the undersigned Commissioner has been to report that he issued notice to the parties in the above suit; appointing the 18th day of July last, at his office in Jerusalem as the time and place for taking the account in said decree required. Wherein, I Smith, guardian of one of the defendants failed to appear and produce the necessary papers, on the day specified; whereupon the said Commissioner adjourned the time to the 15th August, at which time also the said Smith failed to appear. That in consequence of the failure of said Smith to appear and produce the required papers, the Commissioner has nothing further to report.

Respectfully submitted

W. S. Goodenough Comr

Comr. fee \$2.00

cts to H. D. Attorne

Comr:

Report of Hire of
Negroes. belonging to
Anna J. Harrison.

1854 May Term

Share of the Negroes belonging to Anna J Harrison
for the year 1854. By S. Kello shff.

Charles	Harrison D. Moore	100	00
Jacob	Mills D. Sumner	100	00
Wimpy & 3 children	William H Briggs	00	00

I have taken the respective bonds & herewith
return ~~them~~ ~~with~~ this report.

Saml^l Kello shff.

I have received of the Clerk of the Circuit Court the bonds returned as stated above to be paid over to
H D Moore guardian of Anna J Harrison as by decree of May Term 1854 I am directed

Saml^l Kello shff.

Moore

& } Rep^s

Smith &

Received June 3^d 1854 of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Southampton County the bonds of John F. Parker, Harrison D. Moore & Mary Wells filed in the suit of Moore against Smith &c. to be collected & paid over as by decree of the said Court made at May Term 1854 I am directed -

Sam^l. Wells Clk.

W. H. ...
to ...
... ..

1854 Nov. 23?

1854

In H. Parker Bond due Decr 25/1853 \$ 15.00
 Int. up to June 1/1854. 38
 \$ 15.38
 H. H. Moore's Bond due Decr 25/1853. \$ 80
 Int. up to June 1/1854. 2.08
 \$ 82.08
 Mary Wells' Bond due Decr 25/1853. \$ 70.00
 Int. up to June 1/1854 1.81
 \$ 71.81

Expence of Collection share of Negroes deducted \$ 169.27
 \$ 13.45
 \$ 155.82

Recd. June 1/1854 of Samuel Wells Shff. of
 St. Auston the sum of One Hundred and
 fifty five Dollars and Eighty two Cents also
 following named bonds presented for
 the hire of the Negroes the year 1854. say
 On W. Harrison D. Moore for \$100 & on V. Mills
 H. Sumner for \$100.
 Harrison D. Moore

I have as directed by the decree of the Cir-
 cuit Court of St. Auston paid to the said Harri-
 son D. Moore the Money & Bonds as therein
 directed as the Recd above will show.

Sam'l Wells Shff.

Moore
vs 3 Common Report
Smith &

Filed May 31st 1858

Anna J. Harrison,

In account with Henning J. Smith decd, Guardian

			Dr.	Cr.
1846				
Decr	31	By amount recd. of Elbert J. Davis former guardian.		233 25
1847		To cash paid Chambliss & Mapenburg, acct.	10 00	
		" " " Mrs. Barnes "	1 00	
		" " " G. W. Pate, "	2 25	
		" " " for clothing	15 00	
Decr	31	By interest on \$233.25 six months		6 99
"	"	" Hires of negroes and rent of land.		38 87
"	"	" Balance due the ward	250 86	
			279 11	279 11
1848		By Balance brought down		250 86
Decr	31	" interest on \$233.25 one year		13 99
"	"	" " on \$17.61 six months		52
"	"	" Hires of negroes and rent of land,		36 87
		To cash paid for clothing,	12 50	
		" " " Mrs. Battle,	21 00	
		" " " N. Riddick, tuition	17 94	
"	"	By Balance due the ward	250 80	
			302 54	302 54
1849		By Balance due brought down		250 80
Decr	31	" interest thereon one year		15 04
"	"	" Hires of negroes and rent of land.		22 38
		To cash paid A. Riddick, tuition	17 00	
		" " " James Humbley, acct.	1 37	
		" " " G. W. Pate, "	1 50	
		" " " for clothing	15 00	
"	"	By Balance due the ward,	253 35	
			288 22	288 22
1850		By Balance due brought down		253 35
		Carried forward.		

1850		By Balance brought forward			253	35
Decr	31	" interest thereon one year,			15	20
"	"	" Hires of negroes and rent of land,			76	29
		To cash paid S. W. Pate, acct,	6	00		
		" " " B. W. Smith, "	1	00		
		" " " Miss Dunn "		50		
		" " " M. J. Davis "	15	00		
		" " " E. Joiner "	2	62		
		" " " Smith & Whithead "	12	50		
		" " " for clothing	6	00		
"	"	By Balance due the ward	301	22		
			344	84	344	84
1851		By Balance due brought down			301	22
Decr	31	" interest on \$253.35 one year			15	20
"	"	" " " on \$47.87 six months			1	43
"	"	" Hires of negroes and rent of land,			122	90
		To cash paid Smith & Davis, acct,	34	14		
		" " " R. G. Edwards, "	1	00		
		" " " M. J. Davis, "	5	00		
		" " " E. Joiner "	2	83		
		" " " Taxes and Clerk's tickets	6	97		
		" " " Ch. J. Davis, acct,	54	00		
"	"	By Balance due the ward	336	81		
			440	75	440	75
1852		By Balance due brought down			336	81
Decr	31	" interest on \$301.22 one year			18	07
"	"	" " " on \$35.69 six months			1	06
April	19	To paid Saut. Drury for board & tuition	60	00		
Decr	31	By Balance due the ward	295	94		
			355	94	355	94
"	"	By Balance due brought down with \$			295	94
		interest thereon from Decr 31 st 1851 till paid.				

Respectfully submitted
Wm. W. Cobb Comr

Commissaries Office,
March 15th 1854.

In obedience to a decree of the Circuit Court of Southampton County rendered at November term 1854, in a suit in chancery depending in said court, in which Harrison D. Moon is plaintiff, and H. M. Smith was of H. J. Smith decd? Anna J. Harrison and Josiah Manney are defendants, the undersigned a Commissioner of the said Court gave notice to the parties to the said suit that he would proceed to take, at his office, on the 16th day of January last, the account required by said decree - That the notices were returned duly executed, and that the parties appeared before him on the day mentioned in said notice, and your Commissioner has made up the foregoing account of Henning J. Smith's transactions as guardian to Anna J. Harrison, which is herewith returned with the decree and notices.

Respectfully submitted
Wm. W. Cobb Comr

Commiss fee \$20.00
Dr. of Pub: 2.50
Sheriff's fees -
Charged to the Plaintiff.

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Smith & P

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(P)

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 15th day of February 1847.

The Court doth assign Henning T. Smith guardian to Anna, James & Martha Harrison orphans of James C. Harrison dec^d. And thereupon the said Henning T. Smith with Harrison D. Moore and Josiah Manny his securities entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Two thousand dollars conditioned according to Law.

A Copy, Teste, Henry S. Howard, D.C.

Know all men by these presents, that we, Henning T. Smith, Harrison D. Moore & Josiah Manny are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the sum of Two thousand dollars: to the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves and each of us, our, and each of our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 15th day of February 1847.

The condition of the above obligation is, That if the above bound Henning T. Smith his executors and administrators shall well and truly pay and deliver unto Anna, James & Martha Harrison orphans of James C. Harrison deceased, all such estate or estates as now is or are or hereafter shall appear to be due to the said orphan when and as soon as they shall attain to lawful age or when thereto required by the Justices of the County Court of Southampton; and also keep harmless the said Justices and their and every of their heirs, executors and administrators from all trouble and damages which shall or may arise about the said estate; Then the above obligation to be void, or else to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of the Court

H. T. Smith

Seal

Harrison D. Moore

Seal

Jos. Manny

Seal

A Copy, Teste, Henry S. Howard, D.C.

Moore

vs

Smith & Co

Filed with petition of H D Moore
May Term 1854

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Know all men by these presents that we Harrison D. Moore, Edw. W.
Maspenburg & Lewis Warrell.
are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia in sum of Two Thousand
dollars to the payment whereof we bind ourselves our heirs executors
and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated
this 17th day of January 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Harrison D.
Moore who has this day qualified in the County Court of Southampton as guardian of
Anna J. Harrison
orphan of James B. Harrison deceased shall faithfully discharge the duties of said
office or trust according to law then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and
virtue.

Signed Sealed and acknowledged
in the presence of the Court. }

Harrison D. Moore Seal
E. W. Maspenburg Seal
Lewis Warrell Seal
Seal

At a Court held for the County of Southampton on the 17 day of January 1853
This bond was acknowledged by the obligors therein named.
Teste.

L. R. Edwards, C. C.
Alafay. Teste
Henry S. Howard, D. C.

Gov. C. D.

Moore

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Smith & Co

Filed by A. D. Moore May 20. 1854.

Southampton County Court. May 15th 1854.

Harrison D Moore with Lewis Worrell & E. W. Madsenburg his securities this day entered into an additional bond in the penalty of Eight thousand dollars conditioned according to law, as guardian of Anna J Harrison.

Know all men by these presents that we Harrison D Moore, Lewis Worrell & E. W. Madsenburg are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of Eight thousand dollars, to the payment whereof, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this 15th day of May 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Harrison D Moore as guardian of Anna J Harrison orphan of James C Harrison dec^d. shall faithfully discharge the duties of said Office or trust according to law, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed and acknowledged
in the presence of the Court }.

Harrison D Moore (Seal)
Lewis Worrell (Seal)
E. W. Madsenburg (Seal)

Copy

Teste.

J R Edwards Ck

Howe

is } Bond?

Smith

It now all men by these presents that we Harrison D Moore, Elder W
Mepherburg & Jesse S. Barham are held and firmly bound unto Henning T Smith in
the sum of two hundred dollars to the payment whereof well and truly to be made
we bind ourselves our heirs Executors & administrators jointly & severally firmly
by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 29th day of December
1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound
Harrison D Moore has obtained from the Judge of the Circuit Court of South-
ampton County an injunction to injure and inhibit the above named Henning T
Smith his agents attorneys and all others concerned from removing or permitting
to be removed or sent out of the limits of this Commonwealth the slaves Charles,
Jacob and Wmney and her three children in the bill mentioned until the further
order of the Court. Now if the said Harrison D Moore shall pay all such costs
and damages as may be awarded or recovered against him for suring out the said
injunction in case the same be dissolved then the above obligation to be void or else to
remain in full force and virtue.

Harrison D. Moore (Seal)
Elder Mepherburg (Seal)
Jesse S. Barham (Seal)