1877-18 Southampton County Chancery - Ponds, Hawkins vs Burgess, R. U. (admin)

Widow's 1/3 Then
sell other land to settle debts.

Underwood, Wm (admin)
Edwards, Henry

Burgess, A. S. H.
", Louisa
Bristow, Samuel
(infant)

+55 [illegible]

Bonds adm

as 3 Bills
exhibited
Burgess Adm[illegible]

1873 Jun[illegible] Rules

To the Honorable Geo. Blow judge of the circuit court of Southampton County in chancery sitting

Humbly complaining your orator Wm Underwood administrator of Hawkins Pope ~~dec'd with the will annexed of~~ A.S.H. Burgess ~~in his lifetime~~ dec'd who sues for himself and all the other creditors of A.S.H. Burgess dec'd who will come in and bear their share of the costs of this suit. That A.S.H. Burgess was indebted in his lifetime to Hawkins Pope by bond (which is herewith filed and prayed to be taken as a part of this bill marked exhibit A) dated the 1st of February 1859 in the sum of $145- part thereof to wit the sum of $40 pds the same day and that this said bond is still due and unpaid

Your Orator shews further that in the year 1864 A.S.H. Burgess departed this life having first duly made his last will and testament which was duly proved in the county court of Southampton as will appear by a copy of the said will herewith filed marked B and prayed to be taken as a part of this bill and that Richard H. Burgess qualified as his administrator

with the will annexed, That by the said will he gave his wife all his estate, for life and at her death to his surviving children. Your Orator states further that he left his widow Louisa Burgess and Richard H Burgess, Clay Burgess since dead infants, children and intestate and his interest in the estate survives to the other children and Louisa Burgess who marries Richard Bristow and also leaving one infant child Sammie Bristow his devisees and legatees

Your Orator states that he has applied to the administrator R. H. Burgess for the payment of this debt and he has declined doing so as he does not know the condition of the estate not knowing whether the estate will pay in part or the whole of the testators debts Thompson he has found it necessary to file this creditors bill for the portion of his demand

In Tender consideration whereof and inasmuch as your orator is without relief at law and only entitled to such relief in a court of equity where such matters are peculiarly cognizable he Thompson prays that Richard H Burgess both in his own right and as Admr with the will annexed of A. S. H. Burgess dec'd, Louisa Burgess and Sammie Bristow an infant by some fit and proper person his guardian ad litem appointed for that purpose may be made parties defendant to this bill and that the court would compel them to full and perfect answer make to the allegations herein contained as if they had been fully and specially interrogated that the court would direct a commissioner to settle Richard H Burgess administration account of A. S. H Burgess' estate and also to ascertain all the debts outstanding against the said estate and to take an account of all the real estate whereof the said A. H. Burgess died seized and possessed its actual and annual value

And that if it should appear that the personal estate will not pay the debts then that your orator may be paid out of the real estate, And that the court would grant such other and general relief the premises considered as equity may dictate and the nature of his case may require and as in duty bound your orator will ever pray &c

Thompson p.q.

On demand this 1st day of February 1859, I promise to pay to ~~John~~ Hawkins Pond, for Value recieved One Hundred and forty five dollars: In which payment I bind myself, my heirs, administrators &c. Witness my hand and seal, this the day and date above named.

A. S. H. Burges Seal

Received on the within note $40.00

July 1, 1859

Cash paid

Co

$145.00

40.00

$105.00

John H. Pond

John H. Pond

A. J. H. Burgess

to

Pond

$145.00

due 1st Feb 59

Ponds adm
v } Ex. with bill
Burgés adr

Will

——"——

In the name of God, Amen. I A. S. H. Burges of the County of Southampton do make and ordain this as my last Will and Testament.

After my death I give and bequeath to my wife Louisa Burges, the use and benefit of all the estate belonging to me – the power to dispose of any portion thereof, as she may think for her interest and the interest of our children, desiring that after her death it may go, that is such estate as she may leave; may go to the benefit of our dear children who may then be living. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this March 17th 1861.

A. S. H. Burges (Seal)

May 30th 1863. That there may be no misunderstanding in respect to the nature of the foregoing Bequest, I here distinctly state that I desire all of my property in the hands of my wife, at her death, to be divided among her children; that is to say no portion or held by this bequest, or otherwise. My wife Louisa Burges formerly Louisa Wellons.

A. S. H. Burges (Seal)

At a Court held for the County of Southampton on the 18th day of September 1865. This writing bearing date the 17th March 1861 purporting to be the last Will and testament of A. S. H. Burges dec'd together with a codicil thereto bearing date the 30th May 1863, was this day produced to the Court and there being no subscribing witness thereto, James B. Urquhart being sworn and examined as a witness the Court after hearing the testimony are of opinion that the said writing bearing date the 17th March 1861. and the signature thereto and the codicil bearing date the 30th May 1863. and the signature thereto are wholly in the hand writing of the said A. S. H. Burges dec'd. Therefore it is ordered that the said writings be recorded as the last Will and testament and codicil thereto of the said A. S. H. Burges dec'd. And on the motion of Richard H. Burges (no executor being named in the Will or codicil thereto) who made oath and together with Samuel B. Wells and M. D. Butler his securities (who

justified on oath as to their sufficiency) entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of five thousand dollars conditioned according to law. Certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration with the Will and codicil annexed in due forma.

Test,

L.R. Edwards CC.

A Copy

Teste L.R. Edwards CC

Bonds admn

To } Comt. Bond

Burgess admn

Know all men by these presents that we R. W. Burges ~~& Wm H. Poston~~ & Stephen Urquhart are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia in the just & full sum of thirty five hundred dollars. To the payment whereof well and truly to be made we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 16 day of Nov A.D. 1874.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the Circuit Court of Southampton County, by a decree rendered ~~at its Nov~~ term at its Nov term 1874, in a suit in Chancery therein pending between Underwood admr. of Pond plaintiff & R W Burges in his own right and as admr. of A. L. Burgess dec'd & others Defendants, did appoint the above bound R. W Burges ~~& Wm H. Poston~~ Special Commissioners for purposes therein mentioned. Now if the said R W Burges ~~& Wm H. Poston~~ shall faithfully discharge their duties under said decree or any other decree which may be rendered in the said suit then the above obligation to be void or else to remain in full force & virtue.

R. W. Burges (Seal)

Stephen R. Urquhart (Seal)

(Seal)

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Pounds admr
vs
Burgess admrs

Report of Commissioners

The undersigned commissioners who were appointed by a decree of the circuit Court of Southampton entered at the February term 1875 - to allot Louisa Burgess dower in the lands of her late husband A. S. B. Burgess beg leave to report that after notice to all parties interested they proceeded to act under the said decree and having due regard to quality and quantity they allotted to Louisa Burgess as dower in the lands of her late husband A. S. B. Burgess and the following parcels or tracts of land in lieu one third in value of the same having regard to quality and quantity, situation and boundaries as follows, all the land lying between the Black creek and Tucker swamp roads on the west and north, Sarah's Branch and the lines of T. J. Baxter on the south and east, containing by estimate 60 acres 2nd all the land lying on the North side of the Jerusalem road, after leaving the land of Louisa Burgess in fee simple down to the old pona branch bridge road and containing by estimate 7.5 acres 3rd all the land lying south and west of the Jerusalem and Black creek roads, respectively to a line designated as follows, beginning

at the ice house on the Jerusalem road and running South to the west of the Ice house to the old Ridley pine tree, thence nearly due East, down an old fence ridge row across the path to Powers out to the line on the Black creek road which divides the lands of John T Wells and those belonging to the estate of A. S. H. Burgess

Given under our hands this 1st day of June 1875

R M Stephenson
S. B. Kello
D L Doley
Commissioners

Ponds adm
vs } Report of Com
Burgess adm &c } of S

1875 Oct. 18

Powe adm'r.
vs.
Burges adm'r.

Commissioners Report

The undersigned commissioner begs leave to report that in obedience to a decree of the Circuit Court of Southampton County entered at the November term of this court, that after having advertised for the time and at the places directed by the said decree, he proceeded to sell at Jerusalem at public auction on December court day the lands directed to be sold by him, and that he was not offered a sufficient amount and he withdrew them lands and gave notice that he would offer them again on January court day 1875, and that he offered them again on January court day and the bids not being sufficient, he withdrew them again and advertised to sell at March court; and on that day he again offered them at Jerusalem at public auction to the highest bidder and sold the following tracts of land to the following purchasers at the following prices:

Tract known as Powers's 110½ acres to William Joyner for $350.00/100; tract known as Powe 189 acres to John C. Griffin for $255.00/100; tract known as Weston Wellons tract 165 acres to John C. Griffin for $165.00/100; tract known as the dec'd Riley Wellons tract 150 acres for $120.00/100. The whole of this tract

(Wiley Wellons trock) was the widows dower and the reversion only sold. Tract known as Kitchens 55 acres to George W. Raiford for $100.00 (100), and after paying the costs of the suit, & viz: Clerks fee $10.25, Sheriffs fee $4.50, Commissions fee $25; attorney fee $50.00; Auctioneer fee $10-; Commissions $28.80; he took bond from the purchasers, with approved security of one, two and three years equal annual instalments carrying interest from the day of sale; which are here- with returned. Your Commissioner, who is also heir at law of A.S.H. Burges, advises the confirmation of these sales as he is satisfied these lands will bring no more - he having offered them three times at public sale, though only one brought three fourths of its assessed value -

R. H. Burges, Commissioner

1876 Nov. 20th -

Request of the Clerk of the Court the bonds of T. J. Patton and John C. Griffin - and R. H. Burges, purchasers for the purchase of land at Commissioners sale of Est. A. S. H. Burges

R. H. Burges

Ponds adm
v } Copy decree

Burges' adm ff

Copy for Defts
Feby 17th 1874

Southampton Circuit Court November Term 18[illegible]

Wm Underwood administrator of Hawkins Pond dec'd who sues for himself and all other creditors of A.S.H. Burgess dec'd who will come in and bear their share of the costs of this suit. Plaintiff

In Chancery

against

Richard U. Burgess in his own right and as administrator with the will annexed of A.S.H. Burgess dec'd, Louisa Burgess & Samuel Brister an infant. Defendants

This day this cause came on to be heard on the plaintiffs bill taken for confessed as to the defendants Richard U. Burgess both in his own right and as administrator with the will annexed of A.S.H. Burgess dec'd Louisa Burgess, and the answer of the infant defendant Samuel Brister by his guardian ad litem general replication thereto the exhibit filed and was argued by Counsel On consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge order and decree that Richard U. Burgess settle an account of his administration of the estate of A.S.H. Burgess dec'd before one of the Commissioners of this Court who will also take an account of all the debts outstanding against the said estate and also an account of all the real estate whereof the said A.S.H. Burgess died seized and possessed its actual and annual value and report the said accounts together with any other matter specially stated deemed pertinent by himself or which he may be required to so state by any of the parties interested.

A Copy.

Test. J. R. Edwards Clk

Pond adm
v
Burgess com } Com. Notice

Executed by delivering
Lonnia Burgess a copy
of this Notice on the
20th January 1874.
A F Cobb D.Y. for
W H Briggs Shff

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

Jerusalem, Va., 14 Jany 1874

To Wm Underwood administrator of Hawkins Pond dec'd who sues for himself & all other creditors of A S H Burges dec'd who will come in and bear their share of the costs of this suit

Plff

against

Richard H. Burges in his own right and as administrator with the will annexed of A. S. H Burges dec'd Louisa Burges & Samuel Briter and infant

Defts

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon the 17th day of February next, if fair; if not, the next fair day thereafter (Sunday excepted), to take and settle, at my office, the following accounts, to-wit: That Richard H Burges settle an account of his ~~transactions~~ administration of the estate of A S H Burges dec'd before one of the commissioners of this Court who will also take an account of all the debts outstanding against the said estate and also an account of all the real estate whereof the said A S H Burges died seized and possessed its actual and annual value and report the said account together with any other matter specially stated &c.

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required to be taken by a decree of Southampton ~~County~~ Court, rendered on the _____ day of November Term 1873, 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 in Chancery of the said Court, the day and year first aforesaid.

JAMES R. TYLER, COMMISSIONER.

To the Sheriff of Southampton county to execute.

Pond adm
To
Burgs adm

Commissaries
Police

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

Jerusalem, Va., Jany 14th 1874

To Wm Underwood administrator of Hawkins Pond decd
who sues for himself & all other creditors of A. S. H. Burges decd
who will come in and bear their share of the costs of this suit

Against Plff

Richard N Burges in his own right and as administrator
with the will annexed of A. S. H. Burges decd. Louisa Burges
and Samuel Bister and infant. Defts

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon the 17th day of February next, if fair; if not, the next fair day thereafter (Sunday excepted), to take and settle, at my office, the following accounts, to-wit:

That Richd N. Burges settle an account of his administration of the estate of A. S. H. Burges decd. before one of the Commissioners of this court, who will also take an account of all the debts outstanding against the said estate and also an account of all the real estate whereof the said A. S. H. Burges died seized & possessed, its actual and annual value, and report the said account together with any other matter specially stated &c. &c.

required to be taken by a decree of Southampton Circuit Court, rendered on the _____ day of November Term 1873, 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 in Chancery of the said Court, the day and year first aforesaid.

JAMES R. TYLER, COMMISSIONER.

To the ~~Sheriff of Southampton county~~ Sergeant of Norfolk City to execute.

Powds ad.

To } Com. Tylers Resp

Burgis. adm ff

1674 May 1st.

The Estate of A. S. N. Burges
In account with Richd U. Burges his administrator

1871			Dr		Cr	
Dec	31	To Balance due adm'r per last report	℔1709	30 ℔		
	"	" Interest on bal. to 1st May 1874.. 2 yrs 5 m	247	88		
1873						
Sep	10	By Cash from P. J. Holmes			5	00
"	11	" " per Land			44	40
Nov	8	" " " Sales of Cattle			18	40
1874						
Jany	16	" " from " Cotton			98	01
1868						
Mar	28	To paid B. E. Pope a/c per Firm Bigg	32	30		
	"	" " Geo Spivey	6	60		
1869						
Jany	5	" " D. L. Doles. Watkins bill	20	00		
1870						
Sep	12	" paid Mrs Jane H. Prettow	490	83		
1872						
Mar	1	" pd Bal. on R Bigg bill	11	08		
Aug	5	" pd Bain & Drew	11	99		
June	4	" pd Salesbury for Coffin	90	00		
Sep	22	" pd W H Mahood bill	17	50		
1873						
Jany		" pd D. L. Doles	17	00		
Mar		" Medicines furnished	19	65		
April	21	" pd W H Prettow atty. fee	25	00		
	"	" pd Jas R. Kello a/c	8	61		
	22	" pd Wm Bradshaw for arching grave	5	00		
	23	" pd Billups bill Castings &c	8	45		
"	"	" pd E. W. Millhado bill of Peas	5	30		
"	"	" pd for sugar	3	55		
Nov	17	" pd Jno B Neal & Co	45	58		
	"	pd Hands	11	55		
	"	pd for articles in Norfolk	15	75		
"	"	" " Hand hire	3	45		
"	19	" " Cash to Hands	6	20		
"	"	" pd articles for family	11	75		
"	"	" pd Hauling	6	06		
"	"	" money sent by Dr Kello	10	00		
Dec	16 & 25	pd Servants	3	15		
	26	" pd Mons Willems	25	00		
"	"	" pd Taxes	47	16		
		over	2715	81	℔125	81

1873			Dr		Cr	
Dec		To amts brot over	₰2915	81	₰125	81
	27	" paid Wm Brand	20	00		
	"	" " " for farming Expenses	7	50		
1874						
Jany	16	" pd Biddle Holt & Brittle for Lumber	13	00		
"	"	" pd for Wm Slade	5	50		
Feby	10	" pd for Hireling		75		
Mar	4	" pd for Bag Guano	6	47		
"	"	" pd Wm Slade	5	00		
"	16	" pd EW Raiford	10	00		
"	"	" pd Ell Branch	60	00		
May	1	To Commissions on ₰125 81 @ 5%	6	29		
"	"	" Balance due adm.			2924	51
			₰3050	32	₰3050	32
"	"					
"	"	To Balance due adm brot down	₰2924	51		
		with interest on ₰2076.63 part thereof from 1st				
		May 1874 till paid				

Respectfully Submitted
James R Tyler
Com;

An Account of all the outstanding debts against the Est. of Dr. A.S.H. Burges. decd. proved before me. James R. Tyler one of the Commissioners in Chancery and classified as follows

3rd Class

Debt to R A Brister. in right of his wife Mary Lew: Burges. bequeathed thereby Mrs Wellons due 28 Feby 1844 ₰35.00
Comp: Int on same to 28 Feby 1862. 18 yrs ₰99 76
Simp: Int on ₰35.00 to 1st May 1874 (12 yrs 2 m 25 55
12531

Debt due to same. in right of Raiford &c. for ₰116.25
dated 13 Jany 1845.
Comp: Int: to 13 Jany 1862. 17 yrs ₰812 84
Simp: Int on ₰116.25 to 1 May 1874. (12 yrs 2 m 18 85 66
398 50
₰523 81

Respfly Submitted
James R Tyler
Com:

4th Class

a debt due to John R Kelby & WH Pretlow for 60 00 — 60 00
Int. to 1st May 1874

a debt due to Richard Darden est. as pr of WR Stephens on the 21st May 1833 for 200 00
Int thereon to 21st May 1868. 156 00
Paid 21st May 1868 ₰50.00 356 00
Int. on ₰200. to 15 Feby 1869 8 80
364 80
Paid Feby 15/69 250.00 300 00
64 80
Int thereon to 1st May 1874 20 25
85 05

a note to Samuel Kello due 8 Oct 1855 for 172 94
Int. thereon to 1st May 1874 192 62
365 56
over
₰951 61

Is also not one
A Note due to Saml Kells by W. H. Burges. A.S.H. Burges & S.B. Kells 21st day of November 833 for
Int. thereon to 1st May 1874

		$ 510	61
150	00		
180	75		
330	75		
42	00	288	75

Paid 27th Feby 1868

A Note due to W.L. Doles assn R.M. Doles $51.50 scald @ 5% to May 1.
Int frm 21 March 1863 to 1 May 1874
Paid 21 March 1867

10	30		
6	87		
17	17		
16	95		22

Open account due to C.C. Chalmers
due 1 Novr. 1861. for
Int thereon to 1st May 1874

8	94		
4	45	10	39

Debt due to Dr W.H. Daughtry assn S.W. Lobb - for
Int. to 1 May 1874. 10yrs

23	56		
15	13	38	69
		$ 848	76

Respectfully Submitted
James R. Tyler
Com:

A Note due Hawkins Pond 1st February 1839. for
Paid 1 Feby 1839
Int to 1st May 1874. . .

145	00		
40	00		
105	00		
96	07	201	07
		$ 1049	83
		2924	51
		$ 3974	34

A. Debt due to Dr R.H. Burges asn

Respfly Submitted
James R. Tyler
Com:

An Account of actual and annual value of the real Est: of which Dr A.S.H. Burges died siezed & possessed

	Actual Value	Annual Value
one tract on Round Hill 150 acres . . .	$ 1800 00	$ 120 00
" " " Bee Creek 110½ "	331 50	25 00
" " " Round Hill 150 " . . .	600 00	40 00
" " " " " 165 "	495 00	30 00
	$ 3226 50	$ 225 00

Subject to widows dower

Respectfully Submitted
James R. Tyler
Com:

Commissioners Office
Jerusalem May 1st 1874

To The Circuit Court of Southampton County.

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Southampton County rendered at the November Term 1873 in a suit in Chancery pending in the said Court between Wm Underwood adm of Hawkins Pond dec'd &c and all other creditors of A S H Burges dec'd and R. H. Burges in his own right and as administrator with the will annexed of A S H Burges dec'd & others. The undersigned one of the Commissioners of the said Court to whom was referred for settlement the following accounts to wit.

That Richard H. Burges settle an account of his ~~transaction~~ administration of the estate of A S H Burges dec'd before one of the Commissioners of this Court who will also take an account of all the debts outstanding against the said estate, and also an account of all the real estate whereof the said A S H Burges died seized & possessed its actual and annual value and report to court &c reports to the court that on the 14 day of January last he issued Notices against the several parties aforesaid requiring them to attend the settlement of said accounts before him at his said office on the 17 day of February last. which were returned to your Commissioner duly executed. That the parties aforesaid appeared by attys &c before the Commissioner in obedience to said Notices and he there upon examined, Stated and settled the foregoing accounts up to the 1st day of May 1874. and on that day finds the amount due to the administrator to be $2924.57 with interest til paid on $2676.63/100 til paid. and the outstanding debts to be $523.81 of the 3rd class, and the 4th class debts to be $ ~~3974.34~~ 3974.34 and the actual value of the real est. to be $3226.52 annual value to be $225.00 "with the widows dower." The Commissioner has nothing of a special matter to report. The Commissioner further reports to the court that after the completion of the said accounts, he retained the same in his office ten days for the examination of the parties which with the decree and notices are herewith returned Given Under My hand as Commissioner aforesaid the day and year first aforesaid

James R. Tyler
Com.

Com. fee $25.00

Powers admx

vs 3

Burgess admx &c

Answer of infant

Same & Bristow &c

1873 June Rules

The answer of Samuel Bristo an infant by Richd Bristo his guardian ad litem to a bill in chancery by Wm Underwood adm of Hawkins Pond against him & 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 knows nothing about the debt of plaintiffs claimed in the bill or of the indebtedness of A. S. Bl. Burgess, but submits the interest of his ward & the case of this court wherein guardian duty it is to protect the rights of infants and having fully answered prays hence to be dismissed with his costs &c

Rd by consent
Thomas J.C.

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Bonds advn

Cr. 3 Com Tyler's Rept.

Burgis adv &c

1876 Oct 18th

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Executed on Def Laura Burgess.

C. W. Burgess Sheriff

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

Jerusalem, Va., March 1st 1875

To William Underwood Admr of Hawkins Ford dec'd who sues for the benefit of himself and all other Creditors of A.S.H. Burges dec'd who may come in and bear their share of the costs of this suit Plaintiffs

against

Richard W. Burges in his own right and as Administrator with the will annexed of A.S.H. Burges dec'd Louisa Burges and Samuel Brister an Infant

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon the 1st day of May next, if fair; if not, the next fair day thereafter (Sunday excepted), to take and settle, at my office, the following accounts, to-wit:

A further account of all debts outstanding against the Estate of Do. A.S.H. Burges dec'd.

required to be taken by a decree of Southampton ~~County~~ Circuit Court, rendered ~~on~~ at the February Term ~~day~~ of _____ 1875, 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 in Chancery of the said Court, the day and year first aforesaid.

JAMES R. TYLER, COMMISSIONER.

To the Sheriff of Southampton county to execute.

The Estate of A. S. H. Burges dec'd.
In account with Richard W. Burges his administrator.

1874			$	¢	$	¢
May	1	To Balance due admin per last Report	2924	51		
		" Int on $2676.63 part thereof from 1st May 1874, to 1st Oct 1875 (1 year and 5 Months)	224	49		
"	"	To paid Misp. Council for Estate	2	15		
"	18	" " to Ross "	5	00		
"	28	" " Mr. Slade "	5	00		
June	8	" " to Ross "	2	75		
"	26	" " for the farm "	1	00		
July	24	" " Mr. Slade "	5	00		
Aug	7	" " to Ross "	2	35		
"	"	" " Mrs. Wellons for Moses	5	00		
Sept	12	" " " bal for Moses	15	50		
"	"	" " Cash for farm	7	00		
"	"	By one barrel of Long Corn				5 00
Nov.	1	To Cash for farm	1	75		
"	23	" " "	3	25		
Dec.	1st	" paid for 2 Sacks of Liverpool Salt	5	20		
"	"	" Cash for farm	2	00		
"	21	" " paid Mr. Slade	5	00		
"	"	" " " William Wellons	5	00		
"	24	" " " bal on Elbert Branch's				
1875		Salary for the year 1873.	53	00		
Feby	14	To paid Mr. Slade for Estate	10	00		
"	"	" " for Stove " Mr. Slade	3	00		
"	"	" " " farm in Cash	10	00		
"	"	" " Geo. W. Raiford, for work	26	24		
"	"	By Cash from Sale of Cotton			142	25
"	"	" " " " " Tow Cotton			46	00
"	"	To paid for Flour, Sugar, & Coffee purchased in Norfolk	22	40		
March	9	" paid Cash for farm	10	00		
"	"	" " Taxes on dwg & Estate	69	75		
"	"	" " for 5 Bush Seed Oats @ 80¢	4	00		
"	"	" " " Slow Cuttings	3	00		
"	"	" " Freight on above		75		
"	"	" " for one Ton of Guano, for farm	52	20		
"	"	" " Freight on ds.	2	40		
"	"	" " for 1/2 Bush of Seed Pea Nuts	3	00		
"	29	" Cash paid for farm	5	00		
April	1st	" " " Brittle, Holt & Brittle	7	29		
		Account Carried forward	$335	66	$193	25

1875		Amount Brought forward		$3506 98	$193 25	
April	1	To Cash paid Geo. Shands atty's fee		50 00		
"	"	" " " for Clothes for Dick Edwards		6 00		
"	"	By rec'd of Geo. W. Raiford for Kitchen Land			100 00	
May	22	To Cash paid for farm		5 50		
"	27	" " " F. Vick for Ploting Cotton &c		26 50		
"	4	" " " Mr. Slade		22 00		
"	"	" " " Eli W. Davis		5 00		
"	"	" " " for farm		2 75		
"	29	" " " Sand		1 25		
June	4	" " " Misp. Cason		60		
"	14	" " " Mr. Slade		5 00		
"	"	" " " for farm		5 00		
July	10	" " " " Western Barrow		15 75		
"	"	" " " Freight on Same		25		
"	"	" " " for Bbl flour		7 00		
"	"	" " " 3½ yards for Miss Council		2 20		
"	14	" " " Mr. Slade (watch)		3 00		
"	"	" " " bal in Mr. Slades Wages for 1874.		33 49		
"	"	" " " for farm		5 00		
"	"	By 400lbs fodder Sold Mr. Bell @ $1.75			7 00	
"	"	To Commissions on ($300.25) @ 5 p.c.t.		15 00		
Oct	1	By Bal due Admin			3418 02	
				$3718 27	$3718 27	
1875 Oct.	1	To Bal. due admin brought down, With interest on $3190.5 p. Year thereof, from 1st day of Oct. 1875, till paid.		$3418 02		

Respectfully Submitted,
James R Tyler,
Commissioner

A further account of debts outstanding against the Estate of A. S. H. Burges dec'd. proved before me, James R Tyler, one of the Commissioners in Chancery, for the Circuit Court of Southampton County, pursuant to the annexed Notice.

A Bond due by A. S. H. Burges & James A. Kello, to A. A. Taylor, Assignee of Benjamin G. Brent, dated 11th Dec. 1844. for		$300	00
Interest to December 11th 1845. 1 year.		18	00
		318	00
Paid Dec. 11th 1845)		18	00
		300	00
Interest to Dec. 11th 1848) 3 years		54	00
		354	00
Paid 11th Dec. 1848)		54	00
		300	00
Interest to 8th Dec. 1851, 2 yrs. 11 mo. 27d.		53	85
		353	85
Paid 8th Dec. 1851		54	00
		299	85
Int to Feby 16th 1857 5 yrs. 2 mo. 8 days.		93	35
		393	20
Paid 16th February 1857		91	16
		302	04
Interest to Oct. 1st 1875, 18 yrs. 7 mo. 15 d		326	95
		628	99
Paid Sept. 12th 1867	$30.00		
Paid April 12th 1871	105.00		
	$135.00	135	00
Amount due Oct. 1st 1875)		$493	99

Respectfully Submitted,
James R Tyler,
Commissioner

A Bond due Henry Edwards, Feby 23 1858 for		$	68 50
Int to June 8th 1867			38 18
			106 68
Paid June 8th 1867			11 63
			95 06
Int from June 8th 1867 to 6th Jany 1870,			14 72
			109 77
Paid January 6th 1870			30 08
			79 69
Int from Jany 6th 1870 to Oct 1st 1875			27 47
Amount due Oct 1st 1875.		$	107 16

Commissioners Office.
Jerusalem, Va.
October the 1st 1875.

To the Circuit Court of Southampton County;

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Southampton County rendered at the February Term 1875 in a suit in Chancery pending in the said Court between Wm Underwood Admr of Hankins Dunn dec. against R. W. Burges in his own right and as Admr with the will annexed of A.S.H. Burges dec & others the Undersigned one of the Commissioners of the said Court to whom was referred for settlement the following account, to wit; That one of the Commissioners of this Court take a further account of all debts outstanding against the Estate of A.S.H. Burges dec. Reports to the Court that on the 1st day of March last he issued Notices against the several parties aforesaid, requiring them to attend the Settlement of the said account before him at his Office 1st day of May last, which were returned to your Commissioner duly executed. That R. W. Burges the Admr of A.S.H. Burges appeared before your Commissioner in obedience to the said Notices, and at his request, the Commissioner has stated and settled a further account of his transactions as said administrator up to Oct. 1st 1875, and on that day finds a balance due by said Estate to the Administrator of ($34[illegible].02) with interest on $3190.53 part thereof till paid. That one word only two debts reported to your Commissioner amounting on the 1st of Oct 1875, to ($60.15) The Commissioner further reports to the Court, that after the Completion of the said account he retained the same in his Office ten days for the Examination of the parties, which with the decree and Notices and Returns

Given Under my hand as Commissioner aforesaid, the day and year first aforesaid.

James R Tyler,
Comm.

Commissioners fee for Rept
Notices &c $ 15.00
Charge to R. W. Burges.

Bridges' Commissioners

Report—

Apl. 1877

Ponds adm.
vs.
Burges adm

Commissioners Report

The undersigned Commissioner begs leave to report that in obedience to a decree of the Circuit Court of Southampton Co. at its May term 1876, he with doer the bonds for the sale of the lands of the estate A. S. H. Burges - ordered in a previous decree, from the Clerks office - having his receipt for the same, and after having ~~paid~~ collected all the bonds, he proceeds to pay to R. A. Birch the sum of Five hundred and twenty three dollars and ~~twenty~~ eighty one cents - with interest from first day of May 1874 - it being a debt of the 3d class, and secondly, to pay the residue to all the other creditors pro-rata - who had proved their debts in the reports of Commissioner Tyler - as per apportionment of said Commissioner, giving to the purchasers Deeds with Special Warranty - in accordance with decree of November term of Circuit Court 1876.

Respectfully submitted,
R. H. Burges, Special Commissioner

Apl. 1877

Bonds admitted

" Comm'rs Report

Burges admitted

1877 April 30th

An account showing the amount paid by Commissioner R. M. Burgess to the Creditors of the Estate of Dr. A. S. H. Burgess as per Decree of May Term 1876. Southampton Circuit Court

1876		By amount received					1185	47
		3rd Class						
		To paid Richd A Bristow as Gen for sent		523	81			
		" Bal due Est		661	66			
				1185	47		1185	47
		By Bal due brought down					661	66
		4th Class						
				Amt of debt			apportioned	
		J. R. Selby + W. T. Pretlow	debt	60	00		8	70
		Richd Darden Est	"	85	03		12	33
		Samuel Kello	"	365	56	x	53	00
		Samuel Kello	"	288	75	x	41	87
		D. L. Doles agn R. M. Doles	"		22		1 x	03
		C. C. Chalmers	"	10	39	x	1	51
		Dr W. H. Daughtry agn S. W. Cobb	"	38	69	x	5	61
		Hawkins Pond	"	201	07	x	29	16
		Dr R. M. Burgis	"	2924	31	x	422	28
		Mrs A. A. Taylor. agn R. M. Drew	"	493	99	x	71	64
		Henry Edwards	"	107	16	x	15	55
				4575	39		661	66

Over

Rec.d of R. U. Burges "Special Commissioner & adm.r of Dr A. S. H. Burges the amount (as per apportionment of funds) in full this day of 1877.

Rec.d of R U Burges "Special Commissioner & admr. of A S H Burges the amount (as per apportionment of funds) in full this 5 day of April 1877
C. C. Chalkley

Received of Dr. R. U. Burges Special Commissioner & admr. of Est. A. S. H. Burges, the amount (as per apportionment of funds), in full this 12th day of Apl. 1877
W. H. Bain for
R. T. Wilson, Atty. for Mrs. A. A. Taylor
Agnes. of B. W. Drew.

Received of R. U. Burges Special Commissioner and admr. of Est. A. S. H. Burges the amount in full (as per apportionment of funds) being one half of ($8.70) in full this 19 day of Apl 1877
John R. Kelly
W. H. Vandiver $8.70

Reciv.d of R. U. Burges Special Commissioner and admr. of Est. A. S. H. Burges the amount in full, as per apportionment of funds, this 16th day of Apl. 1877-
John E. Kelly admr of S. Kelly dec.d

Reciv.d of R. U. Burges Special Commissioner and Administrator of Est. A. S. H. Burges the amount as per apportionment of funds this 19th day of February 1877 A. F. Bradshaw
Adm.r of D. L. Doles
and agt. for R. A. Bonsteel.

Reciv.d of R. U. Burges Commissioner and admr. of Est. A. S. H. Burges dec.d the amount (as per apportionment of funds) in full this 16th day Apl. 1877-
Wm. H. Vandiver

Reciv.d of R. U. Burges Special Commissioner and administrator of Est. A. S. H. Burges the amount (as per apportionment of funds) in full this 16th day Apl 1877
Wm. H. Vandiver
Atty for Jones Ex.r

Reciv.d of R. U. Burges Special Commissioner and administrator of Est. A. S. H. Burges the amount as per apportionment of funds in full this 16th Apl 1877 - M. R. Edwards
for Alexander Edwards
Adm.r

I hereby acknowledge receipt of amount due me (as per apportionment of funds)
R. U. Burges

Reciv.d this 23 day Apl. 1877 of R. U. Burges admr and Special Commissioner of Est. A. S. H. Burges Twelve dollars and thirty three cents ($12 33/100) in full - as per apportionment of Commissioner Tyler.
Jas J. Darden Exr of Richd Darden Dec.d

Lewis Adm^r
vs.
Burgis Adm^r
of Commissioner Tyler

Rcpt. 3

1877 May 2d

The Estate of Dr. A. S. H. Burges dec'd
In acc with Richard W. Burges, his Administrator

			Dr ℔	Dr cts	Cr ℔	Cr cts
1875						
April	1	To Cash paid Wm B. Shands, atty fee	50	00		
"	"	" " " J R Tyler, Commissioner	25	00		
1874 Feby	1	" " " Clerks fee	10	25		
"	"	" " " Commissioner Tyler,	15	00		
"	"	" " " Justices of the Peace, for taking acknowledgments of Deeds for real Estate, sold under decree of this Court	3	75		
"	"	To Commissions on ($1885.47) amt of Sales of real Estate, at 5 & 2 pr Ct.	32	70		
"	"	" paid E. W. Davis Auctioneer fee	10	00		
"	"	" " Sheriff's Tickets	4	50		
"	"	" " R. A. Ford, Clk at Sale,	1	00		
"	"	" " E. W. Davis, Auctioneer fee	2	50		
March	22	By amount of act of Sales of Chattel property, sold this day.			2	38 55
"	"	To Commissions on Same at 5 pr Ct.	11	92		
May	1	" amt retained to pay Commissioner Tyler, for this age & Copy & for apportioning funds in hands of the Admr among the Creditors &c	15	00		
"	"	To amt retained to pay Clerk for recording act of Sales & future Costs &c	12	20		
"	"	To amt retained to pay Wm B Shands, atty fee,	25	00		
"	"	" amt allowed the Admr as per Comr, in apportionments of the funds in his hands, among Creditors	71	14		
"	"	By Balance due the Administrator			51	89
			290	44	290	44
1877 May	1	To Balance due the Admr brought down,	51	89		

Visit interest thereon from this day

Respectfully Submitted,
James R Tyler,
Commissioner

Pondé admr

vs 3 Decree

Burgess admr &c

May Ter in 1876.

To be entered

Geo. F. Hoar.

Ponds admrs
vs Z Dicree
Burgess admrs

This cause this day
came on again to be
heard on the papers formerly made and was
argued by counsel On consideration whereof
the court doth adjudge order and decree
that the commissioner Richard A Burgess
withdraw such bonds from the papers
as are now due and all the other bonds as they
may hereafter fall due leaving his receipt for the same
and cause the same
and pay first to R. A. Binion the sum of
$1.23..81cts with interest thereon from May 1st 1874
it being a debt of the 3rd class and secondly
pay the residue pro rata among all those
who have proved their debts in the reports of
Commissioner Taylor returned to this court and
confirmed of May 1st 1874 and October 13th 1875-
they all being debts of the fourth class
and report his proceedings along with his
receipts to court in order to further decree

Fonds adjun

to 3 Decree

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Nov 6th 1875

To be entered

Geo. Blow.

Ponds admr
vs 3 Decree
Burgess' admrs

This day this cause came on again to be heard on the papers formerly read. The report of Commissioner Tyler made pursuant to a decree entered at the February term 1871 - of this court, the report of Commissioners R. L. Burgess of the sale of A. J. Mc. Burgess' land, and the report of Commissioners R. M. Stephenson, J. B. Kello, and D. E. Dobbs made pursuant to a decree of this court of the February term 1871 - allotting dower to Louisa Burgess widow of A. J. Mc. Burgess in her husbands lands and to which reports no exceptions have been filed and was argued by counsel on consideration whereof the court doth adjudge order and decree that the said reports be confirmed and as to all other matters this cause is continued

Ponds' adm

vs 3 decrs

Burgess' adm rs

Nov Term 1876

To be entered

Geo T Blow

Ford's admr
vs
Briggs' admr &c

Decree

This day this cause came on again to be heard on the papers formerly read and was argued by counsel on consideration whereof the court doth adjudge, order, and decree, That the decree entered at the May term 1876 of this court be amended so as to read as follows, "And after the said R. H. Briggs shall have collected all the bonds for the purchase of the lands sold by him under former decrees of this court he shall make to the purchasers deeds with special warranty and report that along with other matters directed to be reported by the decree of the May term 1876 in order to a further decree"

Powder column

of 3 Drams

Buzzy column &c

To be entered

Geo. Blood

Feb Term 1875

Ponds' adm.
vs
Decree
Burgess' adm. &c

This day this cause came on again to be heard on the papers formerly read and the petition of Henry Edwards and was argued by counsel On consideration whereof the court doth, adjudge, order and decree that, Saml B. Kells, D. L. Dols and R. M. Stephenson who are hereby appointed commissioners for that purpose shall after having given reasonable notice to the parties interested allot to Louisa Burgess as dower one third of the lands whereof her late husband A. S. H. Burgess died seized and possessed having regard to quality and quantity and report this proceedings to court and the court doth further adjudge order and decree that one of the commissioners of this court take a further account of the debts outstanding against the estate of A. S. H. Burgess dec'd and report the same together with any matter specially stated deemed pertinent by himself or which may be required to be so stated by any of the parties interested

Ponds adm

vs 3 Decm

Bingys adm vs

To be entered

Geo Blod.

June Term

1874

Conds adm
vs Z Decm
Burgess adm &c

This day this cause came on again to be heard on the papers formerly read and the report of Commissioner Tyler made pursuant to a decree rendered in this cause at the November term 1873 and to which report no exception has been filed and was argued by counsel On consideration whereof the court being satisfied that the rents and profits of the lands will not pay the debts in five years and it further appearing that there are no personal asets in the hands of the administrator doth adjudge order and decree that R. A. Burgess & W. H. Pitts who is hereby appointed a special commissioner for that purpose shall after having given at least twenty days notice of the time and place of sale at Jonesboro and Berlin and Ocean proceed to sell at Jonesboro at public auction on some county court day the following tracts of land belonging to D. A. L. H. Burgess' estate subject to the widow Louisa Burgess' dower viz Round Hill tract containing 150 acres

Black Creek tract 110 ½ acres, Round Hill 150 acres, Ronna Hill 115 acres on the following terms to wit sufficient cash to pay the costs of this suit and sale including a fee of fifty dollars to Wm B Shands the plaintiffs counsel and the balance of the purchase money on a credit of one two and three years equal annual instalments taking from the purchasers bonds with good and approved security carrying interest from the day of sale and retaining the title until the further order of this court and it is further ordered that no sale of these lands shall be made by said County court 1874 and the said commissioners return the sale bonds to court along with his report

But the said commissioners shall not proceed to act under this decree until they shall have executed in the clerks office of this court a bond in the penalty of $3,500 with good security conditioned for a faithful performance of this decree and any other which may be rendered in this cause

Ponds adm-
vs 3 Deeres
Burgess adm-

This day this cause came on again to be heard on the papers formerly read and was argued by counsel on consideration whereof the court by consent of parties doth adjudge order and decree that the decree entered at the June term 1874 in this cause be amended so as to read as follows "That R. H. Burgess who is hereby appointed a special commissioner for that purpose shall after having given at least twenty days notice of the time and place of sale at Jerusalem, Berlin and Snow Hill at public auction to the highest bidder on some county court day the following tracts of land belonging to D. A. S. & H. Burgess' estate subject to the widow Louisa H Burgess' dower to wit 110½ acres known as the Black creek tract, 150 acres known as the Round hill tract, 165 acres known as the Round Hill tract, 189 acres known as the Roman Hill tract and 35 acres known as the Round hill tract, on the following terms to wit sufficient cash to pay the costs of this suit and sale including a fee of fifty dollars to Wm B Shands the plaintiffs counsel and the balance of the purchase money on a credit of one two and three years equal annual installments taking from the purchaser bonds with good and approved security carrying interest from the day of

sale retaining the title to the said lands until the further order of this court and return the said bonds to court along with his report

But the said commissioner shall not proceed to act under this decree until he shall have executed a bond in the clerks office of this court in the penalty of $3500 with good security for the faithful performance of this and any other decree which may be entered in this cause

Process ordered
vs 3 Decree
Bonds ordered

Oct Term 1874
To be entered

Geo T Bliss

Ponds Adms

vs 3 Decree

Burgess Adms vas

Nov. Term 1813

to be entered

Geo Blow

Pounds admr
vs 3 Decm
Burgess' Admrs &c

This day this cause came on to be heard on the plaintiffs bill taken for confessed as to the defendants Richard K Burgess both in his own right and as administrator with the will annexed of A. S. H. Burgess dec'd, Louisa Burgess, and the answer of the infant defendant Samuel Bristow by his guardian ad litem general replication thereto and exhibit filed and was argued by counsel on consideration whereof the court doth adjudge order and decree that Richard K Burgess settle an account of his administration of the estate of A. S. H. Burgess dec'd before one of the commissioners of this court who will also take an account of all the debts outstanding against the said estate and also an account of all the real estate whereof the said A. S. H. Burgess died seized and possessed its actual and annual value and report the said accounts together with any other matter specially stated and reported by him or which he may be required to so state by any of the parties interested

Fondes adhuc

ac 3 Decem

Bing ys adhuc

1877 May

Ponds adm
vs
Dunn
Bunyp adm

This day this cause came on again to be heard on the report of James R. Tyler Commissioner on R. W. Bunyp transactions as administrator of A. L. H. Bunyp filed by consent and the report of R. W. Bunyp Commissioner to sell the lands of R. W. Bunyp with his receipts thereto filed to which reports no exceptions have been filed and was argued by counsel On consideration whereof the court doth adjudge order and decree that the said reports be confirmed and it appearing to the court that nothing further is to be done in this cause it is further ordered that the same be removed from the docket

Powell adm

vs 3

Burgess Admrs

Petition of Henry
Edwards and sons
mclous

1875 Feby Term

To the Honorable George Blow judge of the Circuit Court of Southampton in Chancery sitting

Respectfully petitioning your Petitioner Henry Edwards showeth unto your Honor that some time since Hawkins Ponds Admr filed a creditors bill against R. H. Burgess admr of C. S. H Burgess dec and his bill for the recovery of his and other debts, and that a commissioner has reported the debts against the estate that were proved before him, Your petitioner states that he has as yet been no distribution of the assets he asks that the said account of debts may be recommitted to the commissioner to take a further account of debts so that he may prove a bond of $18.30 cts due 23d Jany 1858 with a credit of $30.08 cts paid Jany 5th 1870 which he now holds against the said estate and as in duty bound he will ever pray &c

Thomas for
Petitioner

Amt of Note $68.50

Int from date of Note (23d Feby 1858) to
date of credit (June 8th 1867) is $38.18
Int & Principal — 706.68
Amt of Credit Deducted — 11.63
Bal — 95.05
Int on $95.05 from June 8th 1867 to the 6th Jany
1870 is 14.72
Total $109.77

Princ & Interest to date Jany 6th 1870 — $109.77
Rec'd on the above to day (Jany 6th 1870) 30.08
Bal. due — $79.69

On demand this February 23d. 1858 I promise to pay, for Value received, to Henry Edwards the sum of Sixty eight dollars and Fifty cents. To which payment I bind myself, my heirs, administrators &c. Witness my hand and seal this the day and date above named.

A. S. A. Bumpass [seal]

Statement Debts 3060

amount for distribution 780

A J H Burgess

H. J Bond

5-1.50

March 21st 1867

Received this day of R. H. Burgess Admr
Sixteen dollars & ninety five cents
($16.95) on the within D. F. Doles

Filed 1867
Dan'l Mc Millin
Bond to Demarcus F Doles
Robt M Doles

On demand I promise to pay Robt M Dodd
the just and full sum of fifty one dollars
and 50/00 for just value Received as-
Witness my hand and seal this 21. day of
March. 1843

A. J. A Burgy (Seal)

Burgy
to 3 acct
Chalmers

10.44

attached

Dr A. S. H. Burgess

In Acct with

C. C. Chalmers

1860			
June 16	To Mdse as per Bill Rendd		1.63
Dec 4	" 1 Drugs —		1.30
1861			
Oct 21	" Mdse as per Bill Rendd		2.81
			$5.94
	To Interest —		4.50
			$10.44

Smithfield Dec 16th 1873

Genl Shands,

Dear sir, I inclosed the above ante-bellum acct v.s Dr A. S. H. Burgess to his Son R. W. in Norfolk, who referred me to you — saying that you would hand it to the commissioner. It is of old standing & probably may be ruled out on that account — which I cannot help; for several times have I made application to parties how to collect but only rec'd the information from Mr R. W. Burgess last week. Your attention to above will truly oblige. Yr respectfully

C. C. Chalmers

K. M. Burgess to
E. M. Raiford for ten
days work done for
Mrs. Eliza Burgess at
one dollar per day.
$10.00

E. M. Raiford

March 16th '74.

Received Payment

E. M. Raiford

one Note against Dr A. S. H. Burgis and belonging
to Richard Darden dec'd given to
Wm A Stephenson
Principal of the note $200.00
due the 21st Day of may 1855
Paid Dec 21st 1868 the sum of $50.00
Paid Feby 15th 1869 " " 250.00

Receivd of R. H. Burges & Wm. S. J. & W. Burgess
Three Dollars and ninety cents for Black
smith work done for use of farm
Mar. 14th 1874 B. F. Bell

Received of R. N. Burges Amt. A. S. A. Bingy
Sixty dollars in part payment of wages for work
on farm for year 1873.
Feby 16th 1874 Elbert Van Brunt

D^r A. S. H. Burges — Guardian

To A. S. H. Buston — D^r.

1844.

Feb. ~~6th~~ 11 To $35. cash bequeathed by Mrs Rhoda Wellons'

will to Mary Lou. Burges, — $35.00

Also, one half the proceed of a Tract of Land

belonging to said Mrs Wellons and bequeathed

in part to said Mary Lou. Burges. $116.95

$151.95

D^r A. S. H. Burges guardian

To A. S. H Buston D^r

In February 1844 D^r A. S. H. Burges recieves for his

daughter Mary Louisa Burges the sum of $35.- a

legacy from Mrs Rhoda Wellons, he also recieves the

sum of $116.95 cts from sale of land from Mrs Wellons

estate for his dau daughter who married R. A.

Buston and has since died leaving A. S. H. Buston

her only child and him at law

Dr. A. S. N. Burgess

To Jno. R Kelly Surv't Pattison

To ber in Cly. case of Clayton &c.

1 in suit at Law & appn. paid fee. $50.

Appn fee $10.

10

$60.

Ponds admr
v. } Sum. Chy
Burgis admr &c

1873 June Rules

Executed by
delivering Sam'l
Burgis & Sam'l
Poucher each a
copy of this Sum's
on the 22d day
of May 1873
Att'd Cobb by Wm
W. Briggs Sh'ff

May 13th 1873 Acknowledgt. entered
& Fee within Summons for N.C.
Burgis

Plaintiff's
Burgis Att'y

The Commonwealth of Virginia

To the Sheriff of Southampton County--Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU to summon Richard H. Burges in his own right & as admr of of A. S. H. Burges dec'd Louisa V. Burges & Samuel Bristow an infant -

if they be found within your bailiwick, to appear at the Clerk's Office of our Circuit — Court of Southampton county, at the Rules to be holden for the said Court on the first Monday in June next to answer a bill in Chancery exhibited against them in our said Court by Wm. Underwood admnistrator of Hawkins Pond dec'd who sues for himself & all other Creditors of A. S. H. Burges who will come in & bear their share of the costs of this suit

And have then there this writ. Witness LITTLETON R. EDWARDS, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court-house, this 10th day of May A. D. 1873, in the 97th year of the Commonwealth.

L. R. Edwards Clk

Sun Job Print, Suffolk, Va.

Commissioners Office
Jerusalem Jany 14 1874

To the Creditors of the
Estate of A S. H Burgess dec
and all others Concerned

You are hereby Notified that by a decree of Circuit Ct of Southampton I have appointed the 17th day of February next at my office for receiving proof of debts or demands against the said decendents or his estate at which time & place you are required to attend

Given under my hand as Comr in chancery the day & year first aforesaid

James R Tyler
Comr

Major Edwards will please copy A. G. 36
Burgess wire and file in the papers
Adams A.G.

Surry Co. N.C.
Oct 5th 1877.

Clerk Circuit Court
— Southampton Co.

Dear Sir —

W. H. Butler Esq. of your County, writes me that he has found a debt due to Hawkins Pond's Executors by D. A. Burgess in a creditors suit pending in your Court against said Burgess' estate, Will you do me the favor to examine the bond. and give me the date, amount. to whom payable. and the name of the principal and surety - if any - I wish to use it here in a settlement of said Ponds estate, Be pleased also to inform me of the pecuniary condition of the principal and surety - and the bill, I owe with -

Yours Truly
A. J. Edwards. Executor
of W. P. Mudgwood. who
was Exr of H. Pond, dec'd —

Ponds adm

$\tilde{v}$ Recpt

Burgés adm

1877 Febry 24

Pondé Admor

vs } Copy Decree

Burgis Admor &c

Southampton Circuit Court February Term 1875.

Ponds Admr Plaintiff
against
Burges's Admr and als Defendant } In Chancery

This day this cause came on again to be heard on the papers formerly ~~heard~~ read and the petition of Henry Edwards and was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that Saml D. Wills D. L. Doles and R. M. Stephenson (who are hereby appointed Commissioners for that purpose,) shall after having given reasonable notice to the parties intrested, allot to Louisa Burges as dower, one third of the land whereof her late husband died seized and possessed, having regard to quality and quantity and report their proceedings to Court. And the Court doth further adjudge, order and decree, that one of the Commissioners of this Court take a further account of debts outstanding against the Estate of the said A. D. H. Burges dec'd, and report the same together with any matters specially stated, deemed pertinent by himself, or which may be required to be so stated by any of the parties intrested.

A Copy—

Test, Wm H. Parker S.C.

Commissioner's Office,
March 8th 1875.

To all the Creditors of the Estate of Jerusalem, Va.
Dr. A. S. H. Burges dec'd. and
all others Concerned.

You are hereby Notified, that by a decree of Southampton Circuit Court, I was appointed the 1st day of May next, at my Office, in the Town of Jerusalem, for receiving proofs of debts & demands against the said deceased's Estate at which time & place you are required to attend.
Given under my hand as Commissioner in Chancery, the day and year first aforesaid.

Teste,

James R Ivy
Commissioner

In Southampton Circuit Court.

Wm Underwood Administrator of Hawkins Pond dec^d who sues for himself & all the other creditors of A. S. H. Burges dec^d who will come in and bear their share of the costs of this suit

against

Richard W Burges in his own right and as Admr with the will annexed of A. S. H. Burges dec^d Louisa Burges & Samuel Brister an infant

1873 May 10 Sums issued

" June Rules. Sums ret^d Ex^r Bill filed R. Brister assigned Gov. ad litem to infant Defts ans^r of infant & Rep^t D. Nisi v a dult Defts

" July " Bill taken for Confessed as to adult Defts & Cause set for hearing &c

" Nov Decree for account &c

1874 May Report

" June Decree sale &c

" Oct Decree amended

1875 Feby T. Decree to allot dower & settle further acct &c

" Nov. Report returned & confm^d.

1876 Nov Decree amended

1877 May. Dismissed

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Ponds av

" } Stat: Rules

Burgés av 4°

1877 May. Dismissed