

1879-15

Seventhampton County - Chancery

Rawlings, Samuel vs
Admr.

Griggard, Martha W. et al

"To Settle Judgment"
and Estate

Samuel Rawlings admr
John Rawlings

Martha W. Griggard lat +
Admr Est com. Griggard
decd

Susan N. Harris
Admr of
com. O. Harris -

Geo. W. Richardson,
Admr. John Richardson

Rawlings

m. { day.

Grizzard & al

Final decree

May Term 1876

Cir. Ct. Southern Co.

Rawlins

or 3 Bill &
3 exhibits.

Grozzards Adams

— " —

1841 April Rules

Co. A.

To the Hon. Joseph W. Ingraham, Judge of the County
Court of Southampton County. In Chancery.

Humbly Complaining, I sheweth unto your Honor,
your orator Samuel Rawlings, both in his own
right and as Administrator of John Rawlings, died that
sometime during the year 1862, ~~Wm~~ Grizzard
departed this life, after having made & published
his last will & testament, which was duly
admitted to probate at the September Term
1862 of the County Court of Southampton County,
& Thomas the Exor therein named, having
refused to qualify, administration with
the will annexed was granted to Martha W.
Grizzard, the widow of ~~Wm~~ Grizzard, and ~~Wm~~
P. Davis & John Richardson became her sureties,
all of which will more fully appear from
certified copies herewith filed & prayed to be
taken as parts of this bill. That at the
December Term 1862 of the County Court of said
County, the said Martha W. Grizzard renounced
the provisions of her said husband's will &
dower was accordingly assigned her, as
will appear from a copy of her renunciation
& the report of Commissioners assigning dower,
herewith filed. That the said ~~Wm~~ Grizzard, was
at the time of his death, seized of considerable real
& personal estate, much more than sufficient
to pay all his just debts. That the said Martha
W. Grizzard, by virtue of her office, possessed herself
of all the Chattel Estate, and sold the same for
a considerable amount, as will appear from a copy

of the acct. of sales, herewith filed, & prayed to be taken as part of this bill. That W. Harris John Richardson, the executor of M. W. Grizzard on her administration bond, have both since died, & Susan W. Harris has qualified as Adm^{or} of W. Harris & George Richardson, as Adm^{or} of John Richardson. That the said Martha W. Grizzard has never returned any account of her administration on the estate of her husband. That at the Nov Term 1870 of the Circuit Court of Southampton County, your orator obtained a judgment against the said M. W. Grizzard, as Adm^{or} with the will annexed of W. Grizzard in his own right & ^{one} judgment against some party as Adm^{or} of John Rawlings. ^{as appeared from copies herewith filed} That Executions of ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~same~~ ^{same} ~~judgments~~ ^{judgments} have been issued upon said judgments and returned, endorsed "no effect" as will appear from copies of the ~~same~~ ^{same} ~~judgments~~ ^{judgments} filed. That your orator is unable to ascertain the state of the assets of the said M. W. Grizzard and also of the indebtedness of his estate without the aid of this Court.

In tender consideration of all which, and inasmuch as your orator is without remedy in the premises save in a Court of Equity, where matters of this kind are peculiarly cognizable, to the end therefore that justice may be done, he prays that Martha W. Grizzard, both in her own right as an Adm^{or} with the will annexed of W. Grizzard, Susan W. Harris, in her own right and as Adm^{or} of W. Harris & Geo. Richardson, & John Richardson, may be made parties defendant to this bill & compelled to answer the allegations

thereof. That Martha W. Grizzard, Adm^{or} with the will annexed of W. Grizzard may be compelled to settle an account of her transactions, Adm^{or} with the will annexed of the said Grizzard; that all other accounts necessary may be ordered, & that your Honor will grant such other, further & general relief as Equity may dictate & the nature of this case may require, and as in duty bound, your orator will ever pray &c. May it please the Court &c.

Prised p.g.

Kelly p. 8

Grizzard

n. } Bill of
Review

Rawlings Sal.

1876 Nov. Bill of review files.

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Cis. of Southern Co

(1272 1400)

To the Hon. Geo. Blow, Circuit Court Judge
for the County of Southampton, State of Virginia.

Complaining shew unto the Court, Your Com-
plainant, Martha W. Griggard of said County.

Your Complainant respectfully represents to the
Court and says: That on the 9th. day of March
1871, Samuel Rawlings in his own right and as Ad-
ministrator of John Rawlings deceased, instituted a
suit in Chancery in the County Court of Southampton
County, Virginia, against Your Complainant (Martha
W. Griggard) both in her own right and as Admini-
stratrix with the will annexed of Wm Griggard
deceased, Susan A. Harris in her own right and
as Administratrix of Wm P. Harris deceased, and
Geo. A. Richardson, Administrator of John Richardson
deceased and at April rules 1871 filed his Bill
in said cause.

That the cause was set for hearing at June Rules
1871 and at June County Court 1871 a decree was
made in said cause requiring Your Complainant
(Martha W. Griggard) to render an account of
her administration of the estate of Wm Griggard
deceased before a Commissioner of said County Court.
That she rendered an account as such Adminis-
tratrix before Commissioner, J. A. Sebrice, which
was duly filed in said cause 21st. August
1871, by which she was found indebted to her said
Testator's estate in the sum of \$528.80.

That there were filed with said Bill, copies of

two judgments, one in favor of said Samuel Rawlings, for \$31.57 with interest from 12 January 1859 and \$6.90 costs against Your Complainant as Administratrix of Wm Grizzard deceased, to be levied of the goods and chattels of her Testator (Wm Grizzard) in her hands as said Administratrix with the will annexed, and the other in favor of said Samuel Rawlings as Administrator of John Rawlings deceased also against Your Complainant as Administratrix of Wm Grizzard deceased to be levied of the goods and chattels of said deceased in her hands to be administered, for \$94.03 with interest on \$50 part thereof from 20th. December 1860 and on \$44.03 from 1st. January 1861 till paid and \$6.90 costs - on which judgments, executions were issued and returned by the Sheriff "no effects".

That at the August Term 1871 a further decree was made in said cause against Your Complainant in her own right for said sums, to wit. \$31.57 with interest from 12th. January 1859 and \$6.90 costs, and for \$94.03 with interest on \$50 part thereof from 20th. December 1860 and on \$44.03 the residue thereof from 1 January 1861 and \$6.90 costs, and a Commissioner of this Court by said decree of August Term 1871 of said County Court directed to take an account of the annual value of the dower interest of your Complainant in the estate of her husband, the said Wm Grizzard deceased and in which no direction is given to ascertain the

fee-simple value of your Complainant's said dower.

That under said decree of August Term 1871 of said Court, Commissioner, Geo. H. Seabee ascertained the value of her said dower to be \$850. in absolute value and the annual value \$50.

That at December Term 1871 of said County Court the said Court granted a decree directing W. W. Briggs Sheriff and as Commissioner to sell your Complainant's dower land on the following terms: Expenses of suit and sale including a fee of \$25 to J. B. Prince Plaintiff's Attorney, in cash and balance on a credit of one, two and three years the purchaser to give bond with approved security carrying interest from day of sale &c. That said W. W. Briggs, Sheriff and Commissioner sold your Complainant's dower which was purchased by Wm. Prince for \$175.

That by operation of law the said cause was transferred to this Court (the Circuit Court of Southampton County), and a final decree entered therein at the May Term 1876 of said Circuit Court.

That other proceedings were had in said cause as to other parties, all of which will appear by the record of said cause.

Now, your Complainant further says that her dower was duly assigned to her by a decree of said County Court in the suit of Franklin Gray-zard an infant &c against your Complainant &c and contains 267 acres of land with suitable

buildings (see Exhibits in said above cause).

Your Complainant says that there is error on the face of said proceedings in said Chancery suit and in consequence of which she has been greatly injured and damaged; and that she is advised this Court of Equity can and ought to review and correct - and grant proper relief.

That she states the following errors in said case: 1. No direction was given to ascertain the fee-simple value of her land.

2. No direction was given to ascertain the liens on her land.

3. No execution was issued against her under the personal decree made against her at the August Term of said County Court 1871 and that because the judgments against her as administratrix of her husband, Wm. Griggard deceased were returned "to effects" it does not follow that she was unable to pay the personal decree against her.

4th. That there is no charge or statement in said Bill that her land would not pay the debts named in five years.

5th. That the Court directed a fee of \$25. to be paid out of the sale of the land to J. B. Prince plaintiff's attorney and that W. W. Briggs sheriff and Commissioner paid said Prince a fee of \$40 out of said sales.

6th. That no account of the debts due by

her to said Rawlings was ascertained, but that by calculation the debts and interest and costs to the date of the decree for sale only amounted to \$222.22 without abatement of the war interest as allowed by law, as will appear by statement filed herewith and marked "X"

7th. That by Commissioner Sebell's report filed 18th. December 1871, he ascertains the annual value of Your Complainant's dower land to be \$50 per year, which in five years would have fully paid said debts.

Your Complainant further says that, though her land was sold to and purchased by W^m Prince for only \$175, he has rented it out yearly for at least \$200, and that by this sale she has been turned out of her home and now has to seek a home wherever she can.

In tender consideration whereof and as this Court has power to grant all adequate relief To the end Your Complainant prays that said Samuel Rawlings in his own right and as administrator of J^{ro}. Rawlings deceased, Susan A. Harris in her own right and as Administratrix of W^m P. Harris deceased and George W. Richardson Administrator of J^{ro}. Richardson deceased, and W^m Prince (purchaser) may be made defendants hereto and be required to answer this Bill and that said W^m Prince may set forth particularly what

amount of rent he has received for said dam
land since his purchase thereof; that the
proceedings in said suit may be reviewed
and that the errors therein may be corrected
and your Complainant placed in the situ-
ation she would have been in before the decree
for the sale of her land was made as afore-
said and that such other and further relief
may be granted consistent with Equity.

signed

Martha W. Griggard

Virginia

Southampton County } to wit,

I Norbert Ridley Justice of the
Peace certify that Martha W. Griggard, whose name
is signed to the foregoing answer, personally
appeared before me and made oath that the
facts & statements therein contained are
true, to the best of her knowledge & belief

Given under my hand this 16th

day of Oct. 1896

A. B. Ridley J.P.

Account Sales

Rawlings

2 } Exhibit with bill

Groggards admt 80

An account of Sales of the estate of William Gizzard dec^d made
this 19th day of Dec^r 1862.

1 Lot grub hoes &c	3 00	L. E. Mason
1 Lot of Winding hoes	3 40	Same
1 Hammer	80	Gregory Fuller.
1 Lot of Chirney irons	2 50	Dr. Powell
1 Lot of C tools chisels &c	3 00	Alfred Gandy
1 Spade	1 75	Jas H Hardy
1 Lot of hoes, Spade &c	25	Jas Flowers
1 pr. Milliards	2 35	Jas H Mangum
1 Lot of hammers, traces &c	3 10	Alfred Gandy
1 Lot of plow Castings, hoes &c	4 25	Thos. H. Applewhite
1 Lot of Iron &c	50	Same
2 trace plows	1 00	Robt. E. Wendall
3 Axes.	1 25	L. E. Mason
1 Lot of plows	7 00	Thos. H. Moore
2 Axes	5 00	JR Richardson
1 Lot of plows sharrow	1 00	Same
3 plows & hoes	30	Henry Gizzard
1 Lot of Richardson plows	1 40	Same
1 Axe & Rake	75	Wm Prince
1 Lot of Shucks	17 00	AS Westbrook
1 Ox Cart & Wheels	16 25	L. E. Mason
5 Barrels Corn at \$10.25 pr bl	51 25	Margaret Wynn
10 ditto do at 10.30	103 00	Same
5 ditto ditto at 10.25	51 25	Gregory Fuller
10 ditto ditto at 10.00	100 00	Thos. H. Applewhite
10 ditto ditto at 10.00	100 00	Same
5 ditto ditto 10.25	50 75	Jas Flowers
5 ditto ditto 10.35	51 75	Ma ^r Le Gedge
10 ditto ditto 10.10	101 00	Thos H Applewhite
5 ditto ditto 7 50	36 50	AS Westbrook
3 1/4 ditto 7.30	23 72.	Thos Applewhite

10 Barrels Corn at the old place \$10.25
 8 1/2 ditto ditto 10.25
 7 1/2 ditto ditto 5.36

1 Blk Mare Fanny
 1 Bay ditto Polly
 1 young bay mule
 1 Bay mare
 1 Sorrel male
 2 Sons in pen No 1
 1 Sor & barrer 2
 3 Sons in pen No 3
 12 Shoats

10 first choice fat hogs
 10 second " ditto
 9 third " ditto

1 Red & White Cow Faller

1 Red ditto ditto

1 Black & White Cow

1 Red " ditto

1 Brindle " ditto

1 Blk & White ditto

1 Brindle Cow Rose

1 Bull Cow

2 Heffers red & green

1 Cow Victoria

1 Steer & Calf

1 Yoke of Oxen

5760 lbs Seed Cotton \$4.02

112 Bushels Cotton Seed 17 1/2

Stack of Fodder at the old place No 1 400 at 1.65

" " " " " 2 400 1.90

" " " " " 3 230 2.00

" " " " " 4 300 2.02

\$	¢	
102	50	Henry Grizzard
87	12 1/2	Same
40	12 1/2	Same
		Same
150	00	Fortunatus Dunn
168	00	J.R. Richardson
135	00	J.H. Mangum
239	00	Same
5	00	Thos R Applewhite
54	50	L.E. Mason
20	75	J.C. Cloud
36	00	J.C. Simmons
117	00	Same
329	00	L.E. Mason
196	00	J.H. Mangum
151	50	Thos R Grigg
15	25	J.C. Cloud
14	50	Same
13	50	Same
15	00	Same
19	75	Same
15	00	Same
18	50	Same
27	50	Same
35	00	Same
16	00	Same
28	00	Same
72	00	L.E. Mason
231	55	J.H. Mangum
19	50	Same
6	00	Eld. Hogwood
7	00	Same
5	00	J.C. Simmons
6	00	Same

Stack No 5 150 at 1.60
 East house No 1 700 at 1.80
 " " " 2 600 " 2.00
 " " " 3 600 " 1.75
 " " " 4 500 " 1.99 1/2
 " " " 5 1.25 " 2.01
 " " " 6 1.50 " 1.82
 " " " 7 500 " 1.25
 " " " 8 500 " 1.38
 " " " 9 330 " 1.87 1/2
 " " " 10 1.75 " 1.56
 " " " 11 500 " 1.90
 " " " 12 500 " 1.90
 " " " 13 300 " 1.88
 " " " 14 1.50 " 1.53
 " " " 15 1.00 " 1.51
 " " " 16 500 " 1.70

5 Pick Choice Sheep at \$4.25
 5 sh. " " 2.25

1 Lot Shucks in granary

15 Bn Peas at \$2.25

3 Bn Rye

1 Brindle Saddle

Top Stack of Potatoe plantings

22 Cider Casks

Apple mill Wheel & y

Still Tub & Worm

2 Cider Casks

1 Waggon

1 Pot No 1

1 half bushel measure

1 large pot & shovels

1 Frying pan

1 Oven & lid

6	30	Eld. Hogwood
12	60	Jos Grizzard
12	00	J.H. Mangum
10	50	Same
9	77	Fortunatus Dunn
8	54	J.H. Mangum
8	19	Same
6	55	Belting Baps
6	90	A.S. Westbrook
10	31	Fortunatus Dunn
8	83	Same
9	50	J.H. Mangum
9	50	Same
5	64	Same
6	88	Fortunatus Dunn
6	02	Same
8	50	J.H. Mangum
21	25	Robt E. Bondall
12	00	Thos R Applewhite
"	50	Same
33	75	J.H. Mangum
2	05	Eld. Hogwood
21	75	Belting Baps
9	75	A.S. Westbrook
30	25	Mr G. Clements
17	50	Robt F. Parker
17	00	L.W. Mason
3	75	Henry Grizzard
63	00	J.R. Richardson
1	00	R.H. Mason
2	10	Geo. Nickell
19	75	Bn. Pinner
1	25	J.R. Richardson
1	90	J.C. Cloud

1 Bread Tray
 1 Spider & Small Tub
 1 Oven lid
 1 Spider
 1 pr Cotton Cards
 1 Spinning Wheel
 1 ditto ditto
 1 Iron Wedge
 1 Loom
 1 pr Cotton Cards
 1 pr ditto ditto
 1 Iron Rule
 1 Glacé No 450
 10 Bu. of Sweet potatoes at \$1.25
 18 residue " 1.35
 1 Lot of Bee hives
 4 Raw hedges
 2 Brandy barrels stands
 1 lot Irish potatoes
 1 lot of prae trees
 1 lot of Cabbage
 1 Double barrel gun
 1 Single ditto ditto
 1 Silver Watch
 1 Carpet
 1 Desk
 4 Windsor Chairs 12 1/2
 1 Walnut table
 1 Clock
 1 Table & rods
 7 Chairs
 2 Windsor Shades
 1 Map of the United States

1 40 Tho. M. Moore
 50 Jas. Flowers
 3 90 Jas. Barham
 2 00 Jo. Grizzard
 19 75 Wm. G. Clements
 3 50 Jas. Flowers
 13 J.R. Richardson
 1 00 Same
 10 25 Tho. M. Moore
 4 50 Tho. H. Applewhite
 4 25 J. C. Simmons
 " 60 L. E. Mason
 2 50 Same
 13 50 J.R. Richardson
 24 30 Same
 6 75 Wm. H. Drury
 7 50 L. E. Mason
 4 00 Wm. Prince
 1 20 L. E. Mason
 10 00 Same
 2 00 Boling Baps
 10 00 J. H. Mangum
 1 50 Alfred Lindy
 31 00 J.R. Richardson
 28 75 Same
 9 75 El. H. Hoguewood
 50 J. C. Cloud
 2 00 El. H. Hoguewood
 2 50 J. H. Mangum
 26 25 J. C. Cloud
 15 00 J.R. Richardson
 3 25 Boling Baps
 2 50 L. E. Mason



1 Bed furniture
 1 " " ditto
 1 Small table
 2 clothes baskets
 1 Bureau
 2 Windsor Curtains
 1 Wash Stand
 1 Table
 1 pr Andirons
 1 pr ditto
 1 Gallon measure funnel
 8 1/2 Pounds Tallow at 65
 1 Lot plates, dishes &c
 1 gar jug & coffee pot
 1 Coffee mill
 2 Bottles
 45 gallons Vinegar at 50
 1 Lot open stands & gar
 1 large tea tray
 20 Gal. Vinegar at 23 1/2 pr Gal
 1 lot of Open stands
 39 lb Salt at 75 1/2 lb
 5 Gal. Brandy at 19.50
 5 ditto ditto 10.00
 5 ditto ditto 10.05
 1 Lot of ducks & chickens
 4 Geese at 1.25
 1 Ground Sued
 3 Sides irons
 1 pr Cotton Cards
 1 lot of Books
 2 Gallons residue Brandy

18 00 Wm. G. Clements
 17 00 A. J. Simmons
 25 J. H. Mangum
 1 05 L. E. Mason
 4 00 J.R. Richardson
 3 00 Rosa Grizzard
 2 00 Mary Grizzard
 50 Rosa Grizzard
 30 Wm. G. Clements
 3 05 J. C. Simmons
 3 10 El. H. Hoguewood
 5 52 J.R. Richardson
 50 Same
 70 Jo. Grizzard
 50 J.R. Richardson
 05 Jo. Grizzard
 22 50 J.R. Richardson
 35 R. F. Parker
 13 Jas. Flowers
 4 60 A. T. Westbrook
 12 J.R. Richardson
 29 25 A. T. Westbrook
 47 50 J.R. Richardson
 50 00 Same
 50 25 Same
 5 00 Martha W. Grizzard
 5 00 Tho. H. Applewhite
 90 J.R. Richardson
 50 Martha W. Grizzard
 1 00 Same
 1 00 Rosa Grizzard
 19 96

Sept. 1 st 1862	In cash for brandy	1717	50
"	18 Bales Cotton	1513	00
Nov 9. 1862	From sale of tract of land	1500	00
1 Young mare L. W. Mason	due Apr. 1 st 1863	75	25
1 Young Colt Jno. R. Richardson	"	71	00
1 " Same	"	60	00
Shoe acct. due due 1 st January 1862		210	63
1 Bond against Joseph A. Rogers		35	00
Cash found in house		30	00

Martha W. Grizzard Exec.

Southampton County, In the Clerks Office the 16th day of March 1863.
This account of sales of the estate of William Grizzard dec^d was this day returned
and recorded

Teste.

J. R. Edwards Clk

Attest-

Teste, O. White Clk



G. W. Vack personally appeared before me a
Commissary in Chancery and made oath that
he did deliver to Martha Grogan, Susan &
Harris, & G. W. Richardson a true copy of
the within summons March 20th 1841

Samuel Tyler Commissary

Rawlings J^r
to David Clay

Grogan & about J^r
1841 & April Rules

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

To the Sheriff of Southampton County, Greeting:

We command you to summon *Martha W Grizzard in her own right & as adm^x of Wm Grizzard dec^d & Susan A Harris in her own right & as adm^x of Wm P. Harris dec^d & Geo. W Richardson adm^x of John Richardson dec^d*

if they be found within your bailiwick, to appear at the Clerk's Office of our County Court of Southampton County, at the Rules to be holden for the said Court, on the first Monday in *April next* to answer a bill in Chancery exhibited against them in our said Court by *Samuel Rawlings*, both in his own right & as Adm^x of *John Rawlings dec^d*

And have then there this writ. Witness, OSWIN WHITE, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this *9th* day of *March* A. D., 1871, in the *95* year of the Commonwealth.

O. White Clk

Rollings
vs Fleure vatic
Grizzard & Co

9th August.

Executed.

Wm. W. W. W.

Commissioner's Office,

JERUSALEM,

July 24th 1871

To

Saml Rollings who sues in his own right
and as Admr of John Rollings dec'd
Against

Martha M. Grizzard both in her own
right and as Admx with the will annexed
of William Grizzard, Susan C. Harris
in her own right and as Admx of Wm
P. Harris - and George A. Richard
son Admr of John Richardson -

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon the 9th day of August next,
if fair, if not, on the next fair day thereafter, (Sunday excepted,) to take and settle, at my
office, the following accounts, to-wit:

An account of the Admin-
istration of Martha M. Grizzard
On the Estate of William Grizzard
dec'd - together with any other mat-
ter specially stated deemed
pertinent by the Commissioner or
required by any party to be so stated

County
required to be taken by a decree of Southampton Circuit Court, rendered on the _____ day

of June Term 1871, 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.

J. S. Drrell

Commissioner.

To the Sheriff of Southampton County to execute.

notices against the several parties re-
 quiring them to attend the settlement of said
 accounts at his Office in Jerusalem on
 the 8th day of December, which notices were
 returned to your Commissioner "duly executed." That on
 the said 8th day of December, he proceeded to state
 that, with the above accounts, ~~from~~^{the} attendance
 of disinterested parties, together with the most
 recent assessments on the "Land Book" he fixed
 the annual value of the said Dower interest
 to be \$50⁰⁰. All of which is respectfully
 submitted.

Jas. McSherry
 Commissioner

Commission Fee
 \$5⁰⁰

Rollings

Commissioner's Report

Brigade

County Court

Fee
 \$5-

1871 Dec 18.

An Account of the Absolute and Annual
Value of the Dower interest of Mrs Martha
Griggard in the real Estate of William Griggard ^{decd}

	Absolute value.	Annual value
Life Estate in 267 Acres of Land lying in Southampton County —	\$850.00	\$50 00

Respectfully Submitted
J^r C. Sebell
Clerk in Chancery

Commissaries Office
Jerusalem Southampton Co. Va.
Dec 15th 1871.

To the County Court of Southampton County.
Pursuant to a Decree of
the County Court of the aforesaid County, rendered
at the August Term 1871, in a certain suit
in Chancery depending in said Court, in
which Samuel Rollings & others are ~~Plaintiffs~~,
and Martha Ch. Griggard, Susan Ch. Harris & others
are Defendants, it was ordered among other
things, that "a Commissioner of this Court
take an account of the annual value
of the Dower interest of the said Martha
Griggard in the real Estate of W^m Griggard
decd &c. and report to Court with any
matter specially stated deemed pertinent
by himself or required by any party in-
terested to be so stated". According to
which Decree, your Commissioner to whom
was referred the aforesaid accounts, issued

notices against the several parties re-
 quiring them to attend the settlement of said
 accounts at his Office in Jerusalem on
 the 5th day of December, which notices were
 returned to your Commissioner "duly executed." that on
 the said 8th day of December, he proceeded to state
 and settle the above accounts, ~~from~~^{the} attendance
 of disinterested parties, together with the most
 recent appraisements on the "Land Book" he found
 the annual value of the said Dower interest
 to be \$50⁰⁰. all of which is respectfully
 submitted.

Jno. McLaughlin
 Commissioner

Commission Fee
 \$5⁰⁰

Rollings
 100 Commissioner Report
 Wright
 County Court

Fee
 \$5-

1871 Dec 18.

Rollings
vs. Gleaner, Report
Linzgard Jr

1871 Aug. 21st

The Estate of William Grizzard dec'd

1862.		In Account with Martha Grizzard Adm'r	
Dec. 19 th	By amt of ase of sales		\$9478.43
Dec. 19.	" One years interest on \$9478.43		<u>568.70</u>
1863			
Dec 19.	By \$9478.43 scaled off 19 th for 1 st		\$498.87
	" 568.70 (Interest) 19 th for 1 st		<u>29.93</u>
	To amt to balance	528.80	
		\$528.80	\$528.80
1863			
Dec 19 th	To amt due Estate with interest on \$498.87. a part thereof till paid—		\$528.80

Respectfully submitted
J. S. Sheple

Clerk in Chancery

To The County Court of Southampton County, State of Va.
Pursuant to a Decree of the County Court of Southampton County rendered at the June Term 1871. in a certain suit in Chancery depending in said Court between Daniel Rollings Adm'r of Geo Rollings dec'd (Plff) and Martha M. Grizzard Adm'r of Wm Grizzard, Susan M. Harris Adm'r of W. P. Harris & Geo. A. Richardson Adm'r of Geo Richardson, Defts. Your Commissioner to whom was referred for settlement the following accounts, to wit: "An account of the Administration of Martha M. Grizzard on the Estate of Wm Grizzard dec'd," reports to Court that on the 24th day of July 1871 he issued notices to the several parties requiring them to attend a settlement of said account at his Office in the Town of Jerusalem on the 9th day of August 1871, which notices were returned by the said

properly executed, That the parties failed to ap-

pear before your Commissioner ^{or} the appointed and
having been furnished no ^{other} information in regard
to the Administration of said ^{upon the estate of said William Sniggard} Maucha Sniggard Admin
of William Sniggard, he referred to the Account
of Sales and finds ~~the~~ amount due Estate to
be \$9478.43. That the sale was made on the 19th
day of Decr 1862, he supposes with a credit
of twelve months, your Commissioner has there-
fore scaled the amount of Account Sales
at \$19⁰⁰ for \$1⁰⁰, the price of Gold at that time, to wit,
19th Decr 1863. The amt so scaled amounts
to \$528.80, with interest on \$498.87 a part
thereof till paid, from Dec. 19th 1863. All of
which with the notices, Decree &c is respect-
fully submitted

J. N. Schell

Clerk in Chan. cory.

Commissioner's fee

\$5⁰⁰

Grizzard

~ } Summ. Chy

Rollings adm Vj

1877 April. Rules

Kilby Hon p. q.

Execution March
31st 1877, on William
Prince by delivering
a true copy of the within
summons to Amanda
G. his wife, at the resi-
dence of said Prince,
she being over the age
of 16 years & by explain-
ing the same to her.
Wm Prince not found.

Geo. W. Oliver D.S.
for L. A. Johnston
of Petersburg Sept. 6th 1877

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

Sergeant of the City of Petersburg
TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY GREETING:

as at other time we have
WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON

Wm Price

if *he* 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 *April next* — to answer a bill of Review exhibited against himself & others in our said Court by *Martha W. Griggard*

And have then there this writ.

WITNESS, LITTLETON R. EDWARDS, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, this *5th* day of *March*, 1877, in the *10th* year of the Commonwealth.

L. R. Edwards cc



I William Grizzard of the County of Southampton in the State of Virginia, do make this my last Will and Testament in the manner following to wit.

- 1st I wish my wife to keep my estate together for the purpose of raising and educating my children she to manage it such way as she thinks best for the interest of our children and in the event of her marriage again, then I wish her to have only one third part of my estate, in addition to my woman Louisa and her future increase, the said woman and increase not to be estimated allotting her, her thirds
 - 3^d I wish the sum of eight hundred dollars to be expended in the education of my son Franklin
 - 4th I wish the sum of twelve hundred dollars to be expended in educating my son William T. D. Grizzard -
 - 5th I give to my daughter Virginia H. Richardson the sum of five hundred dollars, the said sum to be paid her either at the death or marriage of my wife -
 - 6th I give to my daughter Rosa B. the sum of four hundred dollars, to be paid at the same time mentioned ~~above~~ in the preceding clause -
 - 7th To my daughter Mary Ann four hundred dollars, to be p^d at the time in which the 5th -
 - 8 I wish my executor herein after named to sell the tract of land I own in the County of Sussex to the best advantage, either publicly or privately and to devote the proceeds of sale to the payment of tract of land of which I purchased of the estate of Joel Harris -
- At the death of my wife I wish the whole of my property to be equally divided between my children, the legacies to my children, given in this Will to be first paid -
Lastly I nominate E W Mason executor to this my last Will, with the request that he will act.

In witness of all which, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 27 day of June eighteen hundred and sixty.

William Grizzard (Seal)

Saml Drevory
John W Grizzard

At a Court held for the County of Southampton on the 15th day of September 1862. This last Will and Testament of William Grizzard ~~do~~ was this day proved

by the oath of John W Grizzard one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and Saml Drury the other subscribing witness thereto being dead, the said John W Grizzard testified that the said Saml Drury and himself signed the said Will as witnesses in his presence and in the presence of the testator and at his request and that he is well acquainted with the hand writing of the said Saml Drury and verily believes that the name of the said Saml Drury thereto subscribed is in the proper hand writing of the said Saml Drury and thereupon the said Will is ordered to be recorded And J W Mason the Executor therein named having refused to take upon himself the burthen of the Execution thereof On the motion of Martha W Grizzard, who made oath and together with John Richardson and Wm P Harris her securities (who justified on oath as to their sufficiency) entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of thirty thousand dollars conditioned according to law, Certificates granted her for obtaining a probate of the said Will in due form

Teste

J R Edwards Clk

Attest

Teste

O White Clk



To the Worshipfull the County Court of Southampton
Gent. I hereby renounce the provision made for me by the Will of my dec^d husband William Grizzard and desire to be assigned dower in his estate Dec^r 12 1862.

Martha W Grizzard

Signed and acknowledged before me a Justice of the Peace for Southampton Co. this 12 day of December 1862.

Jas. E. Peters JP

At a Court held for the County of Southampton on the 15th day of December 1862. The renunciation of Martha W Grizzard of the provision made for her in the will of her husband William Grizzard do^c acknowledged before a Justice of the Peace of this County was this day returned and ordered to be recorded

Teste

J R Edwards Clk

Attest

Teste

O White Clk

Southampton County Court April Term 1863.

Franklin Grizzard an infant &
against

Martha W Grizzard in her own right &

Plff.

Defts.

In Chancery

The Commissioners in this cause this day made their report which is as follows To wit In obedience to the above decree we James E Peters, Robert Rowland, William Prince, and Oliver M Sykes Commissioners, accompanied by Thomas B Morrell Surveyor proceeded to allot to the Widow of William Grizzard dower in the lands of her deceased husband as directed. We allotted to the widow 267 acres including the buildings as follows beginning at a point in the road West of the gate, thence N 16 1/4 E 332 1/2 poles first to a Cedar not far from the road, thence to a Sweet gum in a branch North of the orchard, thence a straight line to a point oak in Joseph A Drury line, thence J A Drury line to the Three Cracks, up said Cracks to the lands of the heirs of J A Harris, thence on Harris line to the road, thence to the beginning which we consider 1/3 of the value of all the real estate of which William Grizzard died

Respected

Respectfully Submitted

James E. Peters

Wm. Prince

Robt. Rowland

Oliver M. Sykes

Commissaries



A Copy -

Teste O. White lb

Southampton County Court. October 16th 1865.

On the motion of Susan A. Harris who made oath and together with John Williams, Fortunatus Dunn, Wm. W. Briggs & Henry V. Cobb her sureties (who justified on oath as to their sufficiency) entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of six thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs, Certificate is granted her for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of Wm. P. Harris dec'd in due form.

A Copy -

Teste

O. White lb

U. S.	Rec. St.	93	Prod.
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In Registry and
Communication of the
Clerk of Court

Rawlings

vs.

Gizzard

Affidavit of
J. B. Ponce

Rawlings

vs.

Grizzard & Co

This day personally appeared before me L. R. Edwards Clerk of the County Court of Southampton County, Va. Joseph B. Prince Attorney for the defendant ^{Wm Prince} to the Bill of Review filed in the above-named cause and made oath that all the claims and matters of dispute raised ~~and~~ alleged by said Bill, have been settled by payment of the sum of \$250.⁰⁰ to Martha W. Grizzard, the Plaintiff in full satisfaction of all her claims, receipt for said sum of money having been given by her ~~to~~ ~~to~~ to said Prince to my certain knowledge
J. B. Prince

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 7th. day of November 1879.

L. R. Edwards Clerk

Rec^d May 13th 1873 of the clerk
of the County Court of Southampton
Three Bonds against Wm Driggs & Son
for twenty five dollars
each

W W Driggs Shff

W W Driggs.
w { Report
Brigg and

1872 Mar. 18

In Obedience to a Decree of the County Court
of Southampton in the Chancery Suit of Rawlings
against Grizzard & Adams rendered at December
Term 1831. I sold in the Town of Jerusalem
on the 15th day of January 1832. To the highest
bidder, The Power Interest of Martha W Grizzard
in the real Estate of her husband William
Grizzard dec., on a Credit of one two & three
years, And at the Sale so made William
Prince became the Purchaser by bidding there
for the sum of One Hundred & Seventy five
dollars; And the said Wm Prince paid
in Cash One Hundred dollars; and
executed his three bonds payable one two
& three years after date, carrying interest
from date, with Robert Rowland as his
Security for twenty five dollars each; which
said bonds are herewith returned as a part
of this Report; I distributed the \$100
Cash Payment as follows. Jos B Prince Attorney
\$40- Geo N Seville Comr. \$10- W W Briggs Taxes for
yr 1830 \$13. 48 Taxes for year 1831 \$16. 73 Ely Davis
Auctioneer \$2- My Commissions for selling \$8. 75 Making
in \$95. 00 which leaves a balance in my hands of
\$5- which amount is not sufficient to pay
future Costs.

March 15th 1832

W W Briggs Comr

Griggard Marshall

17.48

4

21.48

4 20

30.68

M Martha W. Giggard

To W. W. BRIGGS, Sheriff of Southampton.

TAXES FOR 1870.

To Tax on

267

Acres of Land,.....\$

8 74

" " "

Male persons over 21 years,.....

County Levies,.....

Personal Property,.....

Land and Personal Property levied by County, ..

8 74

~~\$~~ 17. 48

Received.....*day of*.....*187*.....

.....*Dollars in full.*

Deputy,

For W. W. BRIGGS, Sheriff.

M Martha M. Grizzard

Taxes for 1871.

To JAS. M. CORBITT, Treasurer of Southampton.

To Tax on	267	Acres of Land,.....	\$	6	68
"	"	Male persons over 21 years of age,.....			
"	"	Personal Property,.....			
"	"	County Levies,.....			
"	"	Land and Personal Property levied by County,		8	02
Tickets,.....			\$	14	70
Received Payment, Jan 15 th 1872				1	54
of Wm Briggs & R Perini				1	34
				16	77

Recd Jan'y 15th 1872 of Wm W. Briggs, Comptroller in suit of
Ravelling & Higginbotham Adams, Forty dollars in full of
att'y's fee -

J. B. Pierce

Rec'd this 16th day Jan'y 1892 of W.W.
Briggs Shiff Ten dollars \$10— fee for
making up report in case of Rollings
vs Maynard &c—

J. M. Abell Com'r

Martha W. Gizzard

To Jas. M. Corbitt Treasr. of Southampton Co—

For Dist. school tax 1871. \$1.34



Southampton Circuit Court November 12th 1870
 Samuel Rawlings

against
 Martha Groggard adm^x of W^m Groggard

Plff. } In Debt
 Dft.

The judgment claimed at the Rules not having been set aside and the plaintiff being now entitled to a final judgment it is therefore considered that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant thirty one dollars fifty seven Cents, the debt in the declaration mentioned, with legal interest thereon from the 12th day of January 1859 till paid and his costs by him in this behalf expended. To be levied of the goods and chattels of the decedent in or which may come to the hands of the Defendant to be administered -

Plffs Costs \$6.90

M. J. J.

Teste White Ck

The Commonwealth of Virginia: To the Sheriff of Southampton County
 Greeting We command you that of the goods and chattels of W^m Groggard dec^d in the
 hands of Martha Groggard to be administered late in your bailwick, you cause to be made
 V



Southampton Circuit Court November 12th 1870.
 Samuel Rawlings adm^r of John Rawlings

against
 Martha Grizzard adm^r of Wm Grizzard

Plff } In Debt
 Deft }

The judgment obtained at the Rules not having been set aside and the Plaintiff being now entitled to a final judgment it is therefore considered that the Plaintiff recover against the defendant Ninety four dollars and three cents the debt in the declaration with legal interest thereon on \$50. part thereof from the 20th December 1860, and on \$44.⁰³ the residue thereof from January 1st 1861 till paid and his costs by him in this behalf expended To be levied of the goods and chattels in or which may come to the hands of the defendant to be administered

Plff's costs \$6.90

A Copy

Teste O White Clk

The Commonwealth of Virginia To the Sheriff of Southampton County Greeting. We command you that of the goods and chattels of Wm Grizzard due in the hands of Martha Grizzard to be administered late in your bailiwick you cause to be made ninety four dollars and three cents with legal interest on \$50 part thereof from the 20th December 1860 & on \$44.⁰³ the residue thereof from January 1st 1861 till paid which Samuel Rawlings adm^r of John Rawlings lately in our Circuit Court of Southampton County has recovered against her as well for a certain debt as for interest thereon also six dollars and 90 cents which to the said Samuel Rawlings adm^r in the same Court were adjudged for his costs in that suit expended, whereof the said Martha Grizzard adm^r is convict as appears to us of record: and how you shall have executed this writ make known at the Clerk's Office at the Rules to be holden for the said Court on the first Monday in February next and have them there this Writ. Witness Omin White Clerk of our said Court at the Courthouse this 25th day of November 1870, in the 95th year of the Commonwealth

O White Clk

Sheriff Endorsement & Return: " Came to hand Nov 29 1870 at 10 o'clock
 A M

W. W. Briggs Shff

To properly W. W. Briggs Shff

A Copy

Teste O White Shff

Executed by delivering Susan H. Harris & George
W. Richardson each a copy of this summons on
the 2^d day of March 1879: Saml Hollings & W^m
Price ~~being~~ not residents of my County

W. W. Gregg shff

King and
{ Sumner City
Hollings adm &
1879 March 18th

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON

Samuel Rawlings in his own right and as administrator of Jno. Rawlings dec'd. Susan N. Harris in her own right and as administratrix of Wm. P. Harris dec'd. George W. Richardson administrator of Jno. Richardson dec'd and Wm. Prince

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 *March* next — to answer a bill

of Review exhibited against them in our said Court by Martha W. Grizzard

And have then there this writ.

WITNESS, LITTLETON R. EDWARDS, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, this *24th*
day of *January*, 1877, in the *10th* year of the Commonwealth.

L. R. Edwards cc

Grizzard
v } Sp. in Chy

Rawling's adm
1847 March Rules

Kilby p.g.

Executed Feb 23rd 1877 by
allowing a copy of the
written to Samuel Rawling's
L. P. Haggren
Sheriff

Superior

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

Superior
TO THE SHERIFF OF ~~SOUTHAMPTON~~ COUNTY—GREETING:

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON *Samuel Rawlings in his own right and as*
administrator of Jno. Rawlings dec'd

if *he* 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 *March next* — to answer a bill
of Review ^{*in Chancery*} filed against himself & others in our said Court ~~in our said Court~~ by
Martha W. Grizzard

And have then there this writ.

WITNESS, LITTLETON R. EDWARDS, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, this *29*
day of ~~February~~ *January*, 1877, in the *101* year of the Commonwealth.

L. R. Edwards

Rawlings
in 3
Gizzard &c.

Report of
Comm. Brigs -

May 5. / 1836

Rawlins
in Report of Court Messrs.
Guzzard & Co.

In this case, your Court
respectfully reports that he has with-
drawn the true bond of Wm. Prince
East for twenty five dollars,
collected the same, paid the funds
to I. B. Prince, atty for the plaintiffs
in this suit and executed to the said
Wm. Prince a deed with special
warranty. I herewith return receipt
of I. B. Prince for money paid him
as atty for the plffs. There is nothing
further necessary to be done in this
suit.

May 5. 1836.

Respectfully
submitted.

W. W. Briggs
to Judge Circuit Ct. } - Commissioner.
}

Received Jan'y 15. 1835 of W. W. Briggs, Court
Eighty four dollars, in full of amt
collected of Wm. Prince for bond for
purchase of Maude W. Guzzard & Co. int-
erest.

I. B. Prince
atty for plffs.

Statement

X

Field with Birds
of Review in
England
n.
Raulings

Debts n. Martha W. Gizzard
as decreed in decree of Augt Term 1871
County Court of Southampton, in the suit of
Rawlings & n. Martha W. Gizzard.

One debt in favor of Sam Rawlings \$ 30.57
Int from 12 Aug 1859 to 12 Aug.

1871 (the month the decree was made)

12 years

22.88

Cnts.

6.90

\$ 61.35

One debt to Sam Rawlings adm of
Mrs. Rawlings. \$ 94.03

Int. on \$ 50. part thereof from 20th

Dec 1860 to 12 Aug 1871 }

10 yrs. 7 mo. 22 d } 31.92

Int. on \$ 44.03 from 1 Jan 1861

to 12 Aug 1871. 10 yrs. 7 mo. 12 d } 28.02.

Cnts.

6.90

\$ 160.87

Total

\$ 222.22

81 ~~89~~ ~~74~~ 71

Rawlings

Stat. Rules.

Guzzards adm^t 1/2

1876 May. Removed from
the Docket.

1879 Nov. Removed from Docket

Received by Clerk Circuit
Court Aug. 13th 1873.

1871 Dec

blk

Shff

Com. Sebrule

Saw 1/2

18.76

3.50

10.00

48.00

72.26

12 86
1 7 6
13 76

In Southampton County Court.

Samuel Rawlings in his own right & as admor. of John Rawlings do^r

against
Martha W. Gizzard both in her own right & as administratrix with the will annexed
of Wm Gizzard. Susan N. Harris in her own right & as adm^r M^{rs} P. Harris &
Geo. A. Richardson ading. John Richardson

1871 March 9 Summons issued

" April R. Sum^r Ret^d Ex^r Bill filed D. Nisi v Defts

" May Bill taken for Confessed

" June Cause set for hearing &

" B^e Decree for acct.

" Aug Decree v Dft.

" 21 Rept

" Dec. J. Decree for Sale &

1872 Mar. " ~~Report~~ 1^o & Decree to settle admor. W. P. Harris Est

1876 May Rept. & decree removing Cause from Docket.

" Nov Bill of review filed by Martha W. Gizzard

" 77 Jan'y 24th Process to answer Bill of review issued

" Mar. R. Sum^r Ret^d Executed on Susan W. Harris. & Geo. W. Richardson &
Sam^l. Rawlings - Wm. Prince not a resident. Also Sum^r v Dft.
Prince - D. Nisi v Dfts on whom process Executed -

" Apr. " Sum^r v Prince returned Executed - D. Nisi v him - Bill
taken for Confessed as to their Dfts.

" May " Bill taken for Confessed as to Dft. Prince & Cause set for hearing as
to all the Dfts.

1879 Nov Dismissed

Received of
Wm. Briggs and
Co. \$100.00
Com. Notice

Executed

Wm Briggs Skiff

Southampton County Court, March Term 1872.

Samuel Rawlings in his own right and as adm^r of
John Rawlings dec^d— Plaintiff

Sub Chancery

against
Martha W. Griggard, both in her own right and
as adm^r with the will annexed of William
Griggard, Susan A. Harris in her own right and
as adm^r of W^m F. Harris and Geo. A. Richardson
adm^r of John Richardson dec^d. Defendants

This day this Cause came on to further hear in the papers
formerly read and the Report of Comm^r Briggs, reporting Sale of
the real Estate in the proceedings mentioned, and was argued by
Counsel, on Consideration whereof, and there being no Exceptions to
said Report, the Court doth confirm the Sale reported therein, and
doth further adjudge, Order and decree, that Susan A. Harris
render before one of the Commissioners of this Court, an
account of her transactions as adm^r of W. F. Harris dec^d.
and the said Commissioner is directed to take an account
of the outstanding debts against the said W. F. Harris,
distinguishing their priority; which account the
said Commissioner will audit and report to Court, with
any matters specially stated, deemed pertinent by himself,
or which may be required to be so stated, by any of
the parties interested. Attest

John James R. Tyler, C. C.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

Jerusalem April 2nd 1873

TO Samuel Rawling in his own right and as admr. of
John Rawling decd - Plff

Against

Minta N. Gizzard both in her own right and
as admr with the will annexed of Wm Gizzard, Susan H. Harris
in her own right and as admr of Wm P Harris and Geo A.
Richardson admr of John Richardson decd.

Defts

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon the _____ day of _____ next, if fair,
if not, on the next fair day thereafter (Sunday excepted), to take and settle, at my office, the following accounts,

to wit: That Susan N. Harris render before one of the Commissioners
of this Court, an account of her transactions as administrator
of Wm P Harris decd and the said Commissioner is directed
to take an account of the outstanding debts against the said
Wm P. Harris, distinguishing their priorities, which account
the said Commissioner will audit and report to Court D. C.

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County
required to be taken by a decree of Southampton Circuit Court, rendered on the March day
of June 1872, 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.

To the Sheriff of Southampton County to execute.

James R. Fyler Commissioner.

Rawlings
Res. 2 Rept. of
Comm. Expt.
Grigg's Adm.

1872. April 29th

The Estate of William P. Harris Deed

In account with Susan A. Harris, administratrix

1865		\$	Dr	\$	Cr
Dec 13	By amt of account of sales				3019 49
"	To paid R. H. Hammonds Cries at sale	20	00		
"	" " J. E. Peters adm Jos Prince	20	25		
1866	" " Jno S Smith for Coffin &c	72	12		
Feb 1	" " Sheriff of Super county	2	42		
Mar 28	" " J. A. Drewry for wheat	37	50		
"	" " " " Blacksmith &c	23	43		
"	" " Thos B Williams Tutor of Children	46	23		
"	" " William (Cold) for ditching &c	20	00		
Dec 13	" " Board of four Children	260	00		
"	" " for clothing for Children	26	00		
	By interest on \$2481. ⁵⁴ for Six mo				74 45
	To Commissions on \$3093. ²⁴ @ 50%	154	69		
	" Balance	2411	30		
		\$3093 94		\$3093 94	
Dec 13	By amt due Est: brot down			\$2411	30
1867	Jan 1 To paid Green Bailey labor	16	00		
"	" " Ben Bailey "	14	00		
"	" " Andrew Jackson "	18	00		
"	" " Ramsey & Nassau &c	3	52		
"	" " Barkain Turner &c	16	15		
Feb 24	" " Jno Prince Clothing for Children	10	99		
Mar 23	" " Thos Smith &c	2	30		
"	" " Mason & Mangum Indre for Children	18	01		
"	" " Board of Children Wm & Caroline	130	00		
"	" " Amt paid J. M. Rogers Board &c of Mary & Virginia	198	00		
Dec 13	" " paid for clothing for Children	49	42		
	By interest on \$1934. ²¹ one Year				116 09
	To Commissions on \$116. ⁰⁹ @ 50%	58	00		
	" Balance	2045	20		
		\$2527 39		\$2527 39	
	amt carried forward				

1867		Dr	Cr
Dec 13	By amt due Est: brot forward		\$2045 20
1868 Mch 16	To paid Mason & Mangum clothing for Children 3	27 09	
	24 " paid Wm Prince Tuition of Mary & sus	20 95	
Aug 8	" " Weeks & Ben shoes for children	5 50	
	" " Clarks Tickets	26 47	
Dec 13	" Board of four children	260 00	
	By interest on \$1905. ²⁸ for one year		102 31
	To Commissions on \$102. ³¹ @ 5%	5 11	
	" Balance	1802 39	
		\$2147 51	\$2147 51
Dec 13	By amt due Est: brot down		\$1802 39
	22 To paid Sheriff of Super County	1 50	
	" " Southampton "	10 50	
	" " " Taxes 1866	2 48	
	" " " 1867	17 93	
	" " " 1868	23 28	
1869 Jan 6	" " Sheriff of Super Co: Taxes	9 35	
	" " Clarks Tickets	5 97	
	" " Thos Rowland Tuition 3 children	69 00	
	" " A.A Allen cap for son	1 00	
Oct 4	" " Barkham Turner & Bro	141 30	
	" " French & Camp. mdr for children	75	
Dec 13	" Board of four children	260 00	
	By interest on \$1259. ⁴⁷ for one year		75 56
	To Commissions on \$75. ⁵⁶ @ 5%	3 77	
	" Balance	1331 22	
		\$1877 95	\$1877 95
Dec 13	By Balance due est: brot down		\$1331 22
	17 To paid Thos Smith ap	1 35	
	" " G. Martin shoes for children	4 25	
	" " W H Lemoine ap	21 22	
		26 82	1331 22

1870		Dr	Cr
	To amount brot forward		\$26 82 \$1331 22
Feb 22	" paid L. G. Powell for Potatoes planting } bought by Mr P. Harris }	3 85	
	" " Taxes for 1869	17 97	
	" " Sheriff of Super Co. Taxes for 1865-7 & 8	4 27	
Apr 30	" " Annie Harris Tuition.	6 70	
June 13	" " Thos Smith ap for children	28 22	
	" " Rockwell Hats "	7 90	
	" " W.D. Clarke shoes "	18 88	
Dec 13	" Board for four children	260 00	
	" Cash advanced Mary	18 49	
	" " " Virginia	16 32	
	" " " William	5 12	
	" " " Caroline	5 38	
	By interest on \$911. ²⁰ for one year		54 67
	To Commissions on \$34. ⁶² @ 5%	2 73	
	" Balance	963 24	
		\$1363 24	\$1363 24
Dec 13	By amt due Est: brot down		\$963 24
	22 To amt paid J.B. Prince atty for Wm E		
	Prince part of claim due by Est 3	75 00	
	" paid Col. Jno Prince balance on goods for son	2 50	
1871 Jan 1	" paid Col Prince shoes for son	2 00	
Oct 16	" paid Taxes 1870	24 00	
	" " " 1871	27 60	
	" " School Tax 1871	2 39	
	" " Clarks Tickets	93	
Dec 13	" Board for three children	195 00	
	" Cash advanced William	20 10	
	By interest on \$613. ²² for one year		36 82
		\$349 52	\$1000 06
	amt carried forward		

An Account of outstanding debts or demands against
Susan A. Harris adm^r of William P. Harris dec^d. as follows

1871		Dr.	Cr.
Dec. 13	To amt brot forward	\$349.52	\$1000.06
	Commissions on \$36.82 @ 5%	1.84	
	paid J. J. Kincaid Commissions	25.00	
	Balance due Estate	623.76	
		\$1000.06	\$1000.06

1870			
Dec 13	By amt due Estate brot down	\$623.76	
	with interest from date till paid		

Respectfully Submitted
James R. Tyler
Clerk

Samuel Rawling Judgt against Martha	
Griggard adm ^r of Wm Griggard & Co for	31.57
Int. from 12 th Jan'y 1859 to 1 st May 1872	25.17
Costs	6.90
	<u>63.64</u>

Samuel Rawling, adm ^r of John Rawling	
Judgt against Martha Griggard adm ^r	
of Wm Griggard & Co for \$94.03	
Int. on \$50. from 20 Decr 1860 to 1 st	50.00
May 1872.	34.34
Int. on \$44.03 from 1 Jan'y 1861	44.03
to 1 st May 1872.	29.94
Costs	6.90

165.21

\$228.85

Respectfully
James R. Tyler
Clerk

Commissioners Office
Jerusalem Apr. 20. 1872

To the County Court of Southampton County
Pursuant to a decree of the County Court of Southampton
County rendered at the March Term 1872 in a suit in
Chancery pending in the said court between Samuel Rawling
in his own right and as admr. of John Rawlings decd and
Martha W. Grizzard both in her own right and as adm
with the will annexed of William Grizzard. Susan W
Harris in her own right and as adm of Wm P Harris
and Geo H Richardson adm of John Richardson decd
The undersigned one of the Commissioners of the said court to
whom was referred for settlement by said decree the following
account, viz That Susan W. Harris under before one of the
Commissioners of this court, an account of her transactions as adm
inistratrix of Wm P Harris decd and the said Commissioner is
directed to take an account of the outstanding debts against
the said Wm P Harris distinguishing their priorities &c reports
to the court that on the 2nd day of April last he issued notices
against the several parties aforesaid requiring them to attend
at the settlement of the said accounts before him at his said
office on the day of last, which were returned
to him duly executed. The parties aforesaid appeared
by atty, in obedience to said notices, and he thereupon settled
the foregoing accounts up to the 13th Decr 1871 and also made
up an account of the outstanding debts up to the 1st May
1872 and finds the amt to be \$228.⁸⁵ cents including inter-
est. The Commissioner has nothing to state specially.
The Commissioner further reports to the court that after the
completion of the said accounts, he retained the same in
his said 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

Jas R. Fyles
Comr.

Commissioner for \$110 -

Rollins
vs Grizzard & Deere.
Deere.

This day this cause came on to be again heard on the papers formerly read and the report of Commr. Sebrer made in pursuance of an order entered at the June Term 1891 of this Court, and was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof, the Court, confirming said report, to which no exceptions have been filed, doth adjudge order & decree that Martha Grizzard pay to Saml. Rollins the sum of \$31.57, with interest thereon from Jan'y 12. 1859 till paid, and the sum of \$6.90 as costs, and that the said Grizzard pay to Saml. Rawlin, Admr. of pro: Rawlin, the sum of \$94.03, with interest on \$50. part thereof from Decr 20. 1860, and on \$44.03, the residue thereof from Jan'y 1. 1861 till paid, and also the sum of \$6.90, cost. But liberty is reserved to the ptg, should this decree prove unavailing to proceed against any of the other parties defendant to this cause. And the Court doth further decree that a Commr. of this Court take an account of the annual value of the dower

interest of the said Martha Grizzard in
the real estate of Wm Grizzard decd.
and a Commissioner of this Court is
further ordered to audit settle
an account of the administration
of Susan H. Harris on the estate
of W. P. Harris, and report the same
to Court, together with any matters
specially stated deemed pertinent
by himself, or which may be required
to be so stated by any of the
parties interested.

Received
in my office
G. W. Grizzard's Adm'r's

Subscribed Jan 1871.
G. W. Grizzard
To be Entered.

Rawlins-

as ³/₃ Decree.

Guzgand Adm. & Co.

June Term 1871.

To be entered.

J. W. Morgan & Co. Judge

Rawlings
vs $\frac{3}{4}$ decree.
Grizzard's Admors.

This day this Cause
came on to be heard on the complain-
ant's bill, which has been taken
for confessed as to the adult
defendants M. W. Grizzard, Susan
N. Harris & G. W. Richardson, Exhibits
filed and was argued by Counsel.
On consideration whereof the Court
doth adjudge order and decree
that the defendant M. W. Grizzard
do render an account of her
administration of the estate of
William Grizzard deceased, before
one of the Commissioners of this
Court, who is directed to examine,
state & settle the same, ^{& report the same to} together
with any other matters, specially
stated, deemed pertinent by him-
self, or which may be required to
be so stated by any of the
parties interested.

Rawlins

in 3/4 Sec -
Grizzly's Eye

Dec 1st 1871

To be entered.

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which he may take, under this
order to Court.

Rawlins
vs 3 decree.

Grizzard

This day this cause came on to be further heard on the papers formerly read, and the report of Commr. Sebrille, made in pursuance of an order entered at the August Term 1871, to which no exceptions have been filed, and was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof, the Court, affirming said report, doth adjudge, order & decree that W. W. Briggs, ^{Sheriff} he & he is hereby appointed a Commissioner for the purpose - that he sell at public auction, the dower interest of Martha W. Grizzard in the Estate of her husband Wm Grizzard, upon the following terms - Enough Cash to pay expenses of Suit & sale, including a fee of Twenty five dollars to J. B. Prince the balance on a credit of one, two & three years, the purchaser to give bonds with approved security carrying interest from day of sale, Equal annual instalments, and the title to be retained for the deferred payments. And the said Commr is ordered to make report & return any

Rawlins

in 3 Dec -
Gringant's Ex

Dec 11 1871

To be entered

J. W. Gringant
Judge

books he may take, under this
order to Court.

Lawless
in $\frac{1}{3}$ Secs -
Grizzards Admpt 13

March Term 1872
To be Entered
J. W. Wright Judge

Rawlins

vs $\frac{4}{3}$ Reece -
Grizzard & Abney & Co

This day this cause came on to be further heard on the papers formerly read, and the report of Commr. Biggs, respecting sale of the real estate in the proceedings mentioned, and was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof, and there being no exception to said report, the Court doth confirm the sale reported therein, and doth further adjudge order and decree, that Susan R. Harris, Render before one of the Commissioners of this Court an account of her transactions as Adm^r of W. P. Harris decd. ~~And the~~ said Commr is directed to take an account of the outstanding debts against the said W. P. Harris, distinguishing their priorities, which accounts the said Commr will audit report to Court, with any matters specially stated, deemed pertinent by himself, or which may be required to be so stated by any of the parties interested.

Rollings 2 Dec 20
Griggard 84.

Rollings
Griggard

Southampton County Court, Jan and Term 1871.

Samuel Dooling, etc. has in his own right and
as Admin^r of John Dooling dec^d -

Plaintiff

against

Maria M. Griggard, both in her own right
and as Admin^r with the will annexed of
William Griggard, Susan A. Harris in her
own right and as Admin^r of the J. F. Harris and
Geo. A. Richardson and of John Richardson -

In Chancery

Defendants

This day this Cause came on to be heard in the complainant's plea
which has been taken for Cuius as to the Admin^r Defendants M.
M. Griggard, Susan A. Harris and Geo. A. Richardson, Exhibits filed
and was argued by counsel, In consideration whereof, the Court
doth adjudge Order and decree, That the Defendant Maria
M. Griggard, do render and account of her administration
of the Estate of William Griggard dec^d before one of the
Commissioners of this Court, who is directed to examine,
State and settle the same, and report the same to Court,
together with any other Matters specially stated,
demanded previously by himself, or which may be required
to be so stated, by any of the parties interested.

A Copy

Teste

James R. Tyler, J.C.

Rawlins

vs $\frac{1}{2}$ Deane

Guzzardi Adm^r

March Term 1873

To be entered
J. W. Whitcomb Judge

Rawlings Adm'r.
vs $\frac{3}{3}$ Decree.
Griffard's Adm'r &c.

This day this cause came on to be
again heard on the papers formerly read
the report of Com'r Tyler filed April 29. 1872
and was argued by Counsel. On considera-
tion whereof, the Court, confirming said
report, to which no exceptions have been
filed, doth adjudge order & decree that
W. M. Briggs receive from the Clerk of the
County Court the bonds of W. P. Harris filed
in this cause & collect them as they
become due; that when he collects
them or either of them ^{after paying any additional} he pay, to said
^{Costs that may have accrued in this cause -} Rawlings the amount collected and
make report to Court. And it being
suggested to the Court that W. M. Briggs, Sheriff
of Southampton County has had committed
to his hands the Estate of W. P. Harris, one
of the defendants to this suit, the Court
doth further decree that the said Briggs
render before one of the Commissioners of
this Court, an account of his adminis-
tration on the said Estate, which said
account the said Comrs will audit
report to Court with any matters therein
stated deemed pertinent by himself or
which may be required to be so stated by
any interested party.

Martha W. Grizzard

m.

Raulings' adms Soc

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Order

To be entered.

Geo B. Low

Martha W. Giffard .

v.

Samuel Rawlins in his own right and
as admr of Mrs Rawlins, decd, Susan A
Harris in her own right & as admr of her
P. Harris decd, Es. W. Richardson admr of

Mrs Richardson decd & her heirs -

On the motion of the plaintiff by John
O. Kelly, her attor. leave is granted her to file
her Bill of Review, entitled as above, to Review
the decree in this Court of Samuel Rawlins in his
own right & as admr of Mrs. Rawlins, decd, plaintiff &
the said Martha W. Giffard in her own right & as admr
with the will annexed of Mrs Giffard decd, Susan A
Harris in her own right & as admr of her P. Harris, decd
& Es. W. Richardson admr of Mrs. Richardson decd
in which suit there ^{has been} ~~was~~ a final decree in this
Court at ~~the~~ ^{which} whereupon said Bill was this day
filed and ordered that process in the usual
form be issued by the clerk of this Court against
the defendants named in said Bill & as above
entitled, returnable to some rule day of this Court

Rawlings J. V. ^{2.}
Griggard's change -

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Dorchester County Court, ~~December~~ Term 1871

Plaintiff

vs.

Griggard's Adm'rs

Plaintiff

Defendants

Subsisting

This day this Cause came on to be further heard on the papers formerly read, and the Report of Commissioner Subrell, made in pursuance of an Order entered at the August Term 1871, to which no exceptions have been filed, and was argued by Counsel; be Consideration whereof the Court confirming said Report doth adjudge, Order and decree, that Wm W. Briggs, Sheriff, do and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner for the purpose, that he sell at public auction the above interest of Martha W. Griggard in the Estate of her husband, William Griggard, upon the following terms; Enough Cash to pay expenses of Suit and Sale, including a fee of Twenty five dollars to J. B. Drinn, the balance be a Credit of two, two and three years, the purchaser to give Bonds with approved Security carrying interest from the day of Sale, equal annual instalments, and the title to be retained for the deferred payments And the said Commissioner is ordered to make report and return any Bonds he may take under this Order, to Court.

Attest

Copy

James R. Tyler, J.C.

Rawlins
ms 3 Decree
Griffard & Co

May June 1876
To be entered
Geo Blow

Final

Rawlings
vs 3 Deane
Grizzard & Co

This day this cause came on to
be further heard on the papers formerly
read, & the report of Court Priests,
filed during the term and was
argued by Counsel. On consideration
whereof, no exceptions being filed to said
report, it is ordered to be confirmed,
and nothing further remaining
necessary to be done in this suit, the
Court doth adjudge order & decree that
the same be removed from the
docket.

Rawlings

vs.

Guzzard vs
Nov. Term 1879

Order

To be entered

Geo. V. Blow.

Rawlings

vs.

Grizzards Admr. &c.

~~This case~~ It appearing to
by the affidavit of Jos. B. Prince
the Court, that since the filing
of the Bill of Review in this
cause, that all matters and
questions raised and alleged
in said Bill, and all claims of the Plaintiff, Wm. Grizzard
have been
settled and that nothing more
remains to be done herein, it
is ordered that this cause be
removed from the docket,
~~and that all unpaid costs~~
~~thereof be paid by Wm. Prince~~
~~one of the defendants to said~~
~~Bill of Review.~~