1894-02 Southampton County - Chancery - Edwards, Martha R. Vs Edwards, Wm. E. Admr.

"Creditors Suit"

To sell real estate to pay debts

Edwards, A. W. Estate
Edwards Wm. E.
Edwards, Sarah
Edwards Priscilla
Speight, J. O.
Speight, Mary E. his wife
Edwards Wm. B.
Edwards Sallie W. his wife
Griffin J. H.
Griffin, Marguerite his wife

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Edwards
vs. Bill and
Exhibits
Edwards' Admr. et als.

McLemore. p.q.

To. The Honorable E. W. Hill
Judge of the Circuit Court for Southampton County.

Complaining, showeth unto the Court, your Complainant Martha R. Edwards, who sues for the benefit of herself and all the other creditors of Aurelius W. Edwards dec'd who will come in and bear their share of the costs of this suit; that in the early part of the year 1891. Aurelius W. Edwards departed this life intestate, seized and possessed of considerable real and personal property in the County of Southampton, and leaving as his distributees and heirs at law the following parties; Wm. E. Edwards, Sarah Edwards, Priscilla Edwards, Mary E. Speight wife of J. O. Speight who was formerly Edwards, Sallie M. Edwards wife of Wm. G. Edwards, & Margaretta Griffin wife of J. H. Griffin, who was formerly Edwards; that at the April Term of the County Court, Wm. E. Edwards qualified as administrator of the goods and chattels of Aurelius W. Edwards dec'd, A certified copy of which qualification is herewith filed, marked "A." and asked to be made a part of this bill.

Your Orator, further states, that at the time of the death of the said decedent, he was largely indebted to him for divers goods wares mer-

chandise, money and other things furnished to him by her. all of which is yet due and unpaid. and will further appear by reference to an account of the said several items of indebtedness, filed herewith as Exhibit "B" and prayed to be considered as a part of this bill. that said account amounts to $, Your Complainant further states that the personal estate of the decedent is not sufficient to pay the debts, that it will be necessary in order to fully pay them, that a large portion of the said decedents real estate be subjected.

In tender Consideration whereof and for as much as your Oratrix is without remedy in the premises, save in this Court where all such matters are properly cognizable to the end, thereforе that justice may be done, your Oratrix prays that Wm. E. Edwards Administrator of the goods and chattels of A. H. Edwards, dec'd the same Wm. E. Edwards in his own right, Sarah Edwards Priscilla Edwards, J. A. Speight & Mary E. Speight his wife Wm G. Edwards and Sallie M. Edwards his wife, J. H. Griffin & Margarette Griffin his wife be made parties defendant to this bill, and required to answer the same. that all proper accounts be taken and settled, that proof of the debts outstanding against the

aforesaid decedent be taken and the property belonging to his estate both real and personal if necessary, or so much as is required to extinguish the debt against the same, be sold and the funds thereby arising employed in payment of the said debts according to their priorities and dignities. and that all such further and other and general relief may be given your Complainant as the nature of her case may require or to equity shall seem meet. And your Complainant will ever pray &c.

Jas. L. McLemore S.G.

To
B1 21 #7

One day after date with interest from date I promise to pay wilout offset Mrs Margret E Edwards one hundred and twenty one dollars and fourty seven cents A W Edwards
June 1. 1888

15 45
26 76 on day after date with interest
from date I promis to pay
Mary E Speight twenty-six
dollars and seventy six cents
for value received
July A W Edwards
15. 1889

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(B (4 a.s.d)

November 21, 1887

One day after date with interest from date I promis to pay Sattie M Edwards one hundred and fourty six dollers & fifty cents for value received

A W Edwards

One day after date with
interest from date I promise
to pay Priscilla Edwards
the sum of one hundred and
fifty five dollars for
value received

Nov 1st

A W Edwards

1889

1890-

Albert Taylor Dr.

2/1 - J. J. Pulliam M.D.

July 22nd 2/0 Visit & prescription $3.00

" 27th " " " $3.00

1890 — Anselmo Edwards Dr.

To — H. J. Pullen M.D.

Sept. 29th	To	visit & prescription to Wm Blow	$3.00
Oct 1st	"	" " "	$3.00
Oct 15th	"	" " for negro girl	$3.00
" 15th	"	prescription " boy	$2.00
" 17th	"	visit & prescription "	$3.00
" 17th	"	" "	$2.00
" 22nd	"	" "	$3.00
" 22nd	"	" "	$2.00
" 27th	"	" " negro woman	$3.00
" 27th	"	" " boy	$2.00
Dec. 3rd	"	" " Self	$3.00

Credit $11.00

Form No. 309.

W. E. Edwards

to } COMMISSIONER'S BOND.

Commonwealth.

1892. Nov 17. filed.

Everett Waddey Co., Stationers and Printers, Richmond, Va. } Form No. 309.

Know all men by these Presents, That we, Wm E. Edwards and J B. Prince are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the sum of Four Thousand Dollars, to the payment whereof, well and truly to be made to the said Commonwealth of Virginia, we bind ourselves and each of us, our and each of our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, hereby waiving the benefit of our Homestead Exemptions as to this obligation, and any claim or right to discharge any liability to the Commonwealth arising under this bond, or by virtue of said office, post or trust, with coupons detached from bonds of this State. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 17" day of November one thousand eight hundred and ninety two.

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That if the above bound Wm. E. Edwards shall faithfully perform the duties of his office or trust, as Special Commissioner under a decree of the Circuit Court of the County of Southampton pronounced on the 11" day of November, 1892, in the suit therein depending under the name and style of Edwards & Edwards' Adm'r & als:

then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in the presence of

W. E. Edwards SEAL.

J. B. Prince SEAL.

SEAL.

In the Clerk's Offite of the Circuit Court of the County of Southampton.

This day J. B. Prince

surety on the above bond, made oath before me, B. F. McLemore Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Southampton

that his estate, after the payment of all his just debts, and those for which he is bound as security for others and expect to have to pay, is worth the sum of Four Thousand dollars.

Given under my hand this 17 day of November, 1892.

Teste: B. F. McLemore Clerk.

Franklin, Va., Oct 23 1897

Mr. C. W. Edwards

BOUGHT OF M. T. VAUGHAN & CO.,

Dealers in

Groceries, Canned Goods, Tobacco, Cigars, Etc.

1897					
Jan	1	To Amt of acct	$	95	60

Cheapest
FLOUR & HOUSE
IN THE COUNTRY.

Favorite Brands.
"DIADEM,"
"STOCK'S PATENT,"
"PATAPSCO SUPERLATIVE."

PEANUT BUYERS.

Franklin, Va., 189

M: A. W. Edwards

Bought of **PRETLOW & CO.,**

Clothing & Men's Furnishing Goods.

Dealers in

Fertilizers, Peanuts, Flour, Meats, Lime, Plaster, Hay, Grain, Feed, Bags, Coal &c.

1890

Terms:.....

June	28	To 1 Bag Bran Food	1	60	
July	19	1 " "		70	
Oct	4	1 " "		70	
Nov	4	294 lbs Rye 2.94 2 Bags 24	3	18	
	7	1 Coal	6	00	
Dec	22	1/2 bbl Flour 3.00 1 Sack Salt 90	3	90	
91 Mch	26	1 " Cement	2	25	
		Cr			17 23
Feby	27	By Amt of Louis Parker			10 79
		Bal. due P & Co.			6 64

One bond due Portland Fed. dated April 12th 1889 for $366.00 due on demand, with interest from date.

One bond due Portland Fed dated Jany 1st 1890, for $249.27 due on demand, with interest from date.

Wm Edwards

to 3 cash

Priscilla Edwards

1890. Wm A. McEdwards

To Priscilla Edwards Dr.

Sept 1. To amt due on sale of my timber received by Jno not paid to me. $109.00

Aurelius Edwards, Dec.d,

1890. To W. H. Daughtry.

Dec.r 29. To one second hand

Engine and Boiler. $20.00

Int. from Jany. 1. 91.

Courtland, Va., Oct 13 1892

Mr A. W. Edwards

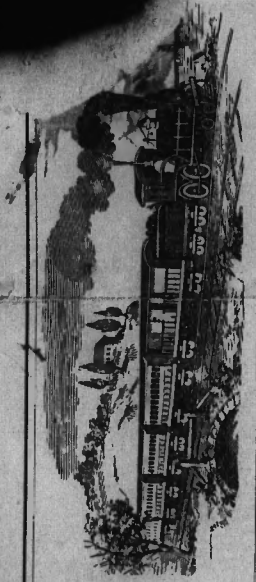
Bought of Bain & Co.

Dealers in

Peanuts, Feed, Fertilizers, Lime, Plaster, &c.

1892						
Apl	30	Lo	10 Bu Corn	@	70	700
May	9	"	12½ "	"	65	813
"	20	"	7½ "	"	"	488
"	28	"	50 "	"	"	3250
July	28	"	6 Bags O.B. Guano	"	29 00	1740
Aug	7	"	10 Bu Corn	@	80	800
"	"	"	4 Bags	"	11	44
						87 35

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Delavan Va. Jany 17 1898.

Mr A W Edwards

To Seaboard & Roanoke Railroad Company, Dr.

For Freights from _____ *to* _____

1 Pipe Rifle	25
	25

Shipper, _____

Received payment, D. L. Webb *For Agent.*

1825

Dec 2 D. T. Webb
Fifteen Dollars on Demand for Value
Rec'd.

A W Edwards

Delaware Co
Dec 2 " 1890

March 18
Rec'd 23d
March 24 "
2½ Days

William C. Edwards Admr. A. M. C. Edwards dec'd

1886		To Martha R. Edwards	Dr.		
Dec	5.	To Cash pd to Banks for discount	9.50	+	
	"	" " " " Thos. Jeffrey	.30	−	
	10	" " " " Wm Watford	5.30	+	
	"	" " " " Felix	2.85	−	
	15	" " " " "	1.00	−	
	"	" " " " Banks	4.00	−	
	"	" " " " M. Jeffrey	10.00	−	
	17	" " " " Felix	1.00	−	
	"	" " " " Wm. Watford.	5.00	+	
	"	" " " " Self to Jerusalem	1.00	−	
	"	" " " " M. Jeffries	10.00	−	
1887 May	2.	" 265# Bacon.	26.50	−	
Oct 26	24	" Cash borrowed to go to Franklin Fair	7.60	−	
	26	" " " " " " Attorney	1.00	−	
	"	" paid Jos. Williams for dec'd.	1.00	−	
	"	" " Banks " "	5.00	−	50
1888 Febry	7	" " " Council " "	1.50	−	
	5	" " " Tom Jeffrey	10.00	−	
	"	" to pay Bond on at Sidwells sale.	25.00	−	
Mch	10	" " " paid Ad. Jeffreys for dec'd	10.00	−	
	"	" " " Jos Williams " "	1.50	−	
	"	" " " Banks " "	5.00	−	
	"	274½# Bacon " "	27.45	−	
Sept	5	" Cash pd. for repairing Gun " "	3.00	−	
1888 Janu	25	To Cash pd. G. T. Watford " "	4.91	−	
Mch	20.	" " " Major " "	3.00	−	
	"	" " " Jas. Williams " "	.67	−	
	"	" " " J. L. Gillette " "	.50	+	
Octo	5	" Amt. recd. from W. M. Cobb (Hogs) belonging to me.	14.00	+	in cash
	"	" " " Wm. C. Edwards (Cattle) " "	32.00	+	
	25	" Cash to pay for Guano. for dec'd	125.00	−	
	"	" " " debt due Allaire	46.50	−	

		Amts brought forward.	$ 401 08			
1890 Apl.	5	To Amt. rec'd from sale of my peanuts 37 bags	175 75			
"	15	" Cash for Shells. for Ded.	23 50	−		
		" " pd. Doz for Ded.	9 47	+		
May	3	" " " G. T. Watford	2 50	+		
July	15	" " " for Plaster	12 00	−		
Sept	25	" " " Ded's to gate Duffell Alliance	7 00	−		
Dec.	20	" " " " to buy peanut bags.	30 00	−		
1891 Febry	6	" " " G. T. Watford's for Ded.	30 00	+		
Mch	15	" Meat for Hands during lark-				
		ishness 54 lbs. 3	5 40	+		
		" Board washing of the debtor. A.				
		W. Edwards 5 yrs next pre-				
		ceding this date @ $ 120 pr Co	600 00	−		
			$ 1296 78			
1890 Febry		By 25 bush Corn put me @ 50 −			875	
		" Chemicals " "			1800	
June		" 6 bushels Corn " @ 60			3600	
		" 37 P/n. bags @ 10			370	
		" Fertilizer fur. me.			1600	
			82 45		$ 82 45	
1891 Mch.		To bal. due me with interest from this day till payment.	$ 1214 25			

Edwards

vs

Sum

Edwards' Admr's.

1892. 1 Feb: Rules

Lein: Let.

Wm Lenard - Dft.

Executed Jan. 21st
1892 by delivering a
copy of this Sum's to
Each of the within
named Defts.

J. H. Williams
Shff.

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON Wm. E. Edwards, Administrator of Aurelius N. Edwards, dec'd, the same Wm. E. Edwards, in his own right, Sarah Edwards, Priscilla Edwards, J. A. Speight & Mary E. Speight, his wife, N. G. Edwards & Sallie M. Edwards, his wife, J. H. Griffin and Margaretta Griffin, his wife.

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 1st Monday in February 1892, next, to answer a Bill in Chancery exhibited against them in our said Court by Martha R. Edwards, who sues for the benefit of herself and all the other creditors of Aurelius N. Edwards, dec'd, who will come in and bear their share of the costs of this suit.

And this they shall in no wise omit under penalty of law. And have then there this writ.

WITNESS, B. F. McLEMORE, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this 9th day of January, 1892, in the 116th year of the Commonwealth.

Test: B. F. McLemore C. C.

The Estate of D. W. Edwards deceased
In account with W. E. Edwards his Admr.

1892	Received of			Paid out but not reported to Commissioner
Oct 18	J. O Speight on note	17	72	
" 21	Jarvis Stevens " "	28	40	
Nov 21	R. H. Edwards " "	70	13	
" 23	Joshua Cobb " "	34	25	
		194	52	
		345	02	
Dec 2	J. O. Speight on note	25	00	This is money in hand not yet to Cr.
" 16	Ella Beal " "	45	84	
1893 Feb 20	G. A. Bradsham " "	21	25	
" 24	R. A. B. Cobb " "	108	75	
" "	Joel. P. Holland " "	21	29	
" "	Joshua Prettow " "	11	35	
" "	+ G. G. Walford " "	~~28~~	~~61~~	
		34	85	
		28	81	ought

All above bear interest from 1891. April 23.

70.13 / 63.17

28.40 / 4.55.10

34.25 / 30.8.25

10.18.25 / 91.4.6 / 1.59.4.8

24.05 / 6.01 / 30.06

1892	Sold since day of Sale.			1892	Paid out		
Jan 1			Paid out but	Nov 19	W. H. Sprouse. for printing	3.	25 ✓
	James Seremo. for rent	25. 00	not reported	21.	J. J. Darden. Pay roll 1892	21.	10 ✓
	" " old account	18. 75	to Commissioner	Dec 16	J. C. Parker. Commissioner	35.	00 ✓
Nov 19, 892	Ida Peacock, Interest from time sold.	24. 76		"	J. L. Beale. for work.	20.	77 ✓
Dec 2	W. E. Edmond Collars on Land. two interest	124. 21		28	J. L. McLamore.	14.	50 ✓
		194. 72		"	J. L. McLamore.	5.	00 ✓
				"	J. L. McLamore	7.	25 ✓
				"	J. W. Williams	5	00 ✓ 68.75
				1893 Jan 20	J. L. Bellette selling Land	3	00 ✓
1891							
Aug 27	J. C. Speight Interest from date	21. 20		1891 Appeal 28.			
Dec 18 92	Wilkerson House on Land.	49. 19	This is now in hands of Court		G. G. Watford. Labor	24.	05 ✓
15	Alice Council on Land.	8. 00		Apl. 24	D. B. Perkins Atty Decree	122.	00 ✓
1893 March 20.	John Pretlow Int on Interest	27 90	paid out.				
Apl. 15	W. L. Beale Rent & Int	182 97					

1071.54
68.75
1140.34
1135.34
5

21.20
148.40

195
93.75

The Estate of A. W. Edwards decd.

In account with W. E. Edwards his Admr.

1891			Cr	Dr.
April	23	Cash received dog & Sale	258.15	
"	"	R. H. B. Cobb on note		~~108.25~~
"	"	James Sevens " "		~~28.40~~
"	"	Jabin Gobb " "		~~34.25~~
"	"	J. C. Speight " "		~~42.72~~
"	"	Joshua Fretlow " "		~~14.35~~
"	"	Bod of G. J. Fretlow on note	40.50	
Nov	14	" John Sevens " "	19.11	
"	22	" G. G. White " "	20.90	
	28	" G. G. Wolford "	6.00	~~28.85~~
Dec	10	" J. D. Fretlow " "	33.63	
	21	" Wellborn Johnson "	29.50	
1892 Feb	23	" W. W. Webb " "	77.50	
April	23	" Joel P. Holland " "	70.46	~~21.22~~
May	16	" R. N. Bradshaw " "	10.00	~~21.15~~
June	20	" M. L. Beale	57.45	
	"	" Ella Beale	96	~~45.36~~
July	26	" R. M. Edwards	47.87	70.13
Aug	27	" J. W. Callehan	47.00	
		W. E. Edwards owes		229.33
		Gilliam Edwards Est.		144.88

due by A. W. Edwards to his mother
$250. legacy under will of Gilliam Edwards

1891			Cr		Dr.
April	23	Paid Co W.A. Shroud for Painting	- 3.00	✓	
..	..	.. J.J. Pelton Mdse acct.	- 48.60	✓	
..	..	.. Jno. Fields.	- 80	+	
..	..	.. E.B. Pelton for bookkeeping	- 5.00	✓	
..	..	.. J. and bags. 45.	- 4.50	+	
..	..	.. Waggon & horn 2 days	- 3 00	+	
..	..	.. Cart & driver one day	- 1.00	+	
..	..	.. Labor	✓ 22.94	+	
May	18	.. James Darden Taxes for 1890	✓ 31.01	✓	
Aug	17	.. J.D. Gillette erasing judgment	✓ 5.00	✓	
Sept	18	.. L.R. Edwards appraisement note	✓ 1.00	✓	
..	..	.. Williams & Jackson 600 bricks	✓ 4 80	✓	
..	21	.. J.L. McDaniel Corner	- 1.00	✓	
..	28	.. J.D. Gillette renting land	- 1.00	✓	
..	..	.. Charles Smith burial expenses	✓ 50.00	✓	
Nov	16	.. James Darden Taxes for 1891	✓ 20.59	✓	
Dec	21	.. J.C. Barber Commissioner	✓ 4 50	✓	
..	..	.. W.R. Edwards for Grove	✓ 6.00	✓	
..	..	.. J.C. Wells for surveying	✓ 5.00	✓	
1892					
Jan	2	.. Sandy Jeffries for labor	• 3.36	+	
..	30	.. Corn Jeffries rails 45 bushels	✓ 7.65	+	
..	..	.. J.C. Speight 8 spling rails	✓ 1.80	✓	
..	..	.. .. " 60 rails	✓ 10.80	✓	
March	7	.. Jesse Gilleon Children 70 3d	✓ 1.40	+	
..	..	.. J.T. Bryant Mdse acct	✓ 23.75	✓	
April	23	.. Major Falcon for labor	✓ .99	✓	
June	24	.. J.J. Edwards grandson mony	✓ 20.00	✓	
Sept	24	" D.A. Gay for renting land	✓ 1.00	✓	

1891		Property Sold Since Sale.	Cr	Dr.
Aug	4	Recd from R.W. Edwards Pmt in full	✓ 131.34	
..	19	" W.E. Edwards one M 140 lbs 6 cts	✓ 8.43	
..	26	" " " " " 72 lbs 4 cts	✓ 2.88	
Sept	18	" C.C. Williams one M 103 lbs @ 10 cts	✓ 10.35	
Oct	6	" Whitehead & Bro c.. 57 lbs @ 10 cts	✓ 5.75	
"	"	" " " " 167 lbs @ 8½ cts	✓ 14.19	
Nov	17	" Major Falcon for rent	✓ 13.50	
..	28	" Albert Taylor " "	✓ 30.00	
Dec	9	" William E. Edwards one M 84 @ 10 cts	✓ 8.40	
"	21	" Alex Connell on land sold by dec	✓ 20.00	
"	"	" Wilkerson Harris " " "	✓ 34.00	
"	"	" Mrs. J.T. Horsley land 134 lbs @ 10 cts	✓ 13.40	
"	"	" " " corn 217 @ 12½ cts	✓ 27.19	
..	24	" Nancy Taylor rent	✓ 9.00	
1892 Jan	29	" Mrs. J.R. Howard fodder 55 5-	✓ 5.55	
..	30	" J.C. Speight rent	✓ 20.00	
Feb	8	" Mrs. Jane Jeffries rent	✓ 25.00	
March	21	" John M. Smith shingles	✓ 8.16	
July	27	" 838 lbs Pounds 2¼ cts	✓ 18.85	
Aug	19	" Corn 3 bbls	✓ 9.00	
"	"	" 1½ bbls 1.50	✓ 2.25	

Edwards
vs
Report
Commissioner
Edwards Admiral

1893 May 5th.

Commissioners Office
May 5. 1893.

Edwards.
vs. Report
Edwards' Adm. et al.

Your Commissioner appointed at the Nov. Term 1892 to make sale of the real estate of W. H. Edwards dec'd and to distribute the funds arising therefrom pro rata among the creditors begs to report that out of the funds coming into his hands from time to time both from the real estate & from the personalty he has paid the creditors $71 3/3% of their indebtedness as will appear by the Distributive acct. marked "X" & "Y" and filed herewith as a part of this report & that he now has in his hands for distribution $396.38 which he is ready to distribute as soon as directed by this Court.

Wm. K. Edwards
Commissioner

Respectfully Submitted

1185.34
63.75
1071.59

791.18
345.32
1136.50

12.50
6.25

Clerk $3.25
Staff 5.00
Lawn 16.50
J. C. Parker Comm 35.00
$63.75

to Nov 30/92

Edwards
vs. Report of Comr.
Edwards Admr. &c.

Your Comr begs to report that in accordance with a decree entered in the above named cause at the May Term 1893 that he has paid out the balance at that time found to be in his hands of $296.38 pro-rata among the creditors of the said Edwards dec'd as per distributive account of Comr. J. L. McLemore filed herewith taking their receipts for the several amount due them which are herewith returned.

Respectfully submitted.

Oct. 31/93.

W. E. Edwards.
Spec. Commissioner
& Admr. &c. Edwards.

Edwards

v. Distributee acct

Edwards Adm.

"X"

An account apportioning the funds in the hands of Wm. C. Edwards Admr. A. W. Edwards dec'd among the Creditors of said Decedent. Paying 33 1/3 % $1071.59

1892 Nov. 1.		Debt. $	cts		amo received $	cts
	Due C. C. Vaughan	625	13	pd	208	37
11 35.34 791.18 344.16	Due Vaughan & Bankers.	76	30	pd	25	43
	Due J. P. Gay.	328	73	pd	109	58
	Due Henry Cobb & Co.	231	75	pd	77	25
	Due Gilliam & Pace	19	63	+	6	54
	Due Alice Council	6	75		2	25
	Due M. T. Vaughan & Co	31	48	pd	10	49
	Due Pretlow & Co.	742	69	pd	247	56
	Due Bain & Co.	86	97	paid	28	99
	Due Priscilla Edwards	302	97	pd	100	99
	Due Dr. W. D. Daughtry.	27	75	paid	9	25
					826	70

826.70

Due D. J. Webb.	14	77	Paid	4 92
Due Dr. T. J. Prettow	26	64	Paid	8 88
Due Mary E. Speight.	32	06	Paid	10 68
Due Sallie M. Edwards	189	50	Paid	63 16
Due Margaretta E. Griffin.	146	37	Paid	48 79
Due Mrs. Martha R. Edwards.	310	73	Paid	103 57

1066.70
63.75
1130.45

Comrs fee 3
$15.00 Paid to 3
Admr. 3

Respectfully Submitted.
J. L. McLemore
Comr. in Eq. Cause.

Received of Wm. E. Edwards Admr. of A. R. Edwards said our distributive share of the amount due us by said decedent as shown by the above account, same being 33 1/3 % of the total amount due us as of October 31st 1892.

Dec. 1. 1892.

D. J. Webb Paid 4.92
W. R. Edwards
Priscilla Edwards
Mary E. Speight
M. E. Griffin

Owelow & Co -
J. R. Gay
M. D. Vaughan & Co
Henry Cobb & Co
Vaughan & Lee
C. C. Vaughan
Gilmore & Pace
Bain & Co
W. H. Daughtry.
T. L. Britton
Sellers, Mc, Edwards

Edwards

v. Distributee acct.

Edwards Admr. et al.

"Y"

An account Distributing the balance in the hands of Wm. C. Edwards Admr of A. W. Edwards dec'd from the sale of his real estate among the Creditors of said deceased.

Amount to be distributed $1252.00

		Original Debt		Share	
To. C. C. Vaughan	Paid	620	13	239	63
" J. P. Gay	Paid	328	73	126	01
" Vaughan & Co	Paid Bankers	76	30	29	24
" Henry Cobb & Co	Paid	231	75	88	83
" Gilliam & Pace	Paid	19	69	7	45
" Alice Councill		6	75	2	59
" M. T. Vaughan & Co.	Paid	31	48	12	06
" Pretlow & Co.	Paid	742	69	284	69
" Bain & Co.	Paid	86	97	33	34
" Priscilla Edwards	Paid	123	17	47	19
" Dr. W. H. Daughtry	Paid	27	75	10	64
" D. T. Webb		14	77	5	66
" Dr. T. D. Pretlow		26	64	8 2 2 10	8 9 2 1
				897	12

Amt brot forward.				$	997	54
To Mary C. Speight Paid	32	06		13 12	07 29	78
" Priscilla Edwards Paid	179	80		68	93	
" Sallie M Edwards	189	50		72	67	
" Margarette C. Griffin Paid	146	37		56	10	
" Martha R. Edwards Paid	312	73	Com Paid	11 12	19 63	11 64

38 3/4

The Commissioner would state specially that in this distribution, it would seem that there is left in the hand of the administrator a small balance of $26 3/6, but the amount stated with in this account ($1203.) was the gross amount of the sale, no expenses or commissions having been deducted, but all of the expenses together with the balance of $26 3/6, will be accounted for in the Administration account of said W. C. Edwards. hereafter to be stated.

Respectfully Submitted

J. Lide Cuyler

Comm in Eq

Rec'd March 3rd 1893 of
Wm. C. Edwards Admr. of A. W. Edwards dcd
the amounts due us under this distribu-
tion as shown by the annexed account
of J. L. McLemore Comr. in chancery -
Said being 38 1/2 % of the gross amount
reported as due to us by J. C. Parker
Commissioner in chancery in the suit of
Edwards vs. Edwards Admr. et al. -

Jas. L. McLemore atty.
for. Dr. R. C. Edwards.
W. H. Daughtry.
Henry Cobb & Co
Pruden & Co -
C C Vaughan
Vaughan & Co
Gilliam & Paul
J. P. Gay & Co
W. F. Vaughan & Co
M. E. Griffin
Priscilla Edwards
Mary E. Speight
Bain & Co
J. J. Britton
D. F. Webb 5 ¢
Sallie M. Edwards.

Est. A. W. Edwards.

In acct with

Wm C. Edwards

his Admr.

The Estate of A. W. Edwards, deceased.

1893. In a/c with

Wm. E. Edwards Exr. Admr.

May	1.	By Amo. in hand as per last report filed in the Chancery Papers of Edwards v. Edwards &c.			$ 296.38
		To paid cash to Creditors as per distributive acct. filed Nov. 1. 1893	296.38		
		" paid Comr. for making distribution acct. of Nov. 1. 1893.	5.00		
		" " costs of suit Edwards Admr. vs. Counsill	26.45		
		" Amo pd. Clerk for bill Court Court	8.70		
9th	Jany	1. By Amo. recd from Alex. Counsill on Land. from Woodcock			65.
		" Amo. recd from Hunt on land.			16.71
		To Comr on $81.71 5-o/o	4.09		
		" pd. J. L. Gillette Auctioneer	2.00		
		" Amo paid for pasture	1.00		
		" " retains to pay for this account & Copy	2.50		
		" retained to pay for recording same.	1.25		
		" " " " for Distributive a/c	5.00		
		" Balance.	25.72		
			$ 378.09	$ 378.09	
1894					
Jany	1.	By Amo. in hands of Admr. for distribution			$ 25.72

Respectfully Submitted.

J. L. McLaurine

Comr. Accounts

Cir Ct.

J. B. Lippincott Company,
Booksellers and Stationers,
Philadelphia, Pa.

An Account distributing balance in the hands of Wm. C. Edwards Admr. among the Creditors of D. W. C. Edwards decd. As per Decree entered at May Term 1893. Edwards vs. Edwards Admr.

By amo. to be distributed $296.38
Amo. of debts Proved against Estate $3200.28

		Pro rata Share	Debt.
To Paid C. C. Vaughan,	Paid	57 82	625 13
" Due Vaughan & Co. - Bankers.	Paid	7 05	76.30
" Due J. P. Gay	Paid	30 40	328 73
" Due. Henry Cobb & Co.	Paid	21.43	231.70
" Due Gilliam & Pace	Paid	181	1963
" Due. Alex. Conrad		62	675
" Due. M. J. Vaughan & Co.	Paid	291	3148
" Due. Pritton & Co.	Paid	6869	74269
" Due Dair & Co.	Paid	804	8697
" Due. Priscilla Edwards.	Paid	2801	30297
" Due. Dr. Wm. H. Daughtry		256	27.70
" Due D. J. Webb.		134	1477
" Due. Dr. J. J. Pritton		246	26.64
" Due Mary E. Speight	Paid	196	3206
		09	

Amounts Brot Forward. 2364 07

Due Sallie M. Edwards	Paid	17	53	189 50
Due Margarette E Griffin	Paid	13	57	146 37
Due Mrs. Martha R Edwards	Paid	25	74	310.73
		296	49	

Commission of 5% Chg'd. to Adm. 14833

Respectfully Submitted.
Jas L McLemore
Comm. accts Lir Ct.

Rec'd. May 12. 1893. of Wm E. Edwards adm. of A.R. Edwards dec'd. our distributive share of the amount due us by said decedent as shown by the annexed Distributee account, same being 9/24ths of the total amount due us as shown by Comm. J. McClarkin's account of Acts. 26. 1892.

bb Vaughan
Vaughan & Co
Henry Cobb & Co
William Pace by Pace
J. P. Gay for Story
M T Vaughan & Co
Pitts & Co.
Priscilla Edwards
Mary E Speight
Sallie M. Edwards
Margrette E Griffin
Bain & Co
A.R. Edwards by J.L.M. atty.
W. H. Daughtry.
J. Pitts
D. Y. Webb

Dist. Court Scott

Edwards

vs { Sep. Act

Edwards Admr etals

Report of Comr. &
Vouchers

1893 Nov. filed.
C. M. N.

JAMES L. McLEMORE,
Attorney-at-Law,
COURTLAND, VIRGINIA.

Everett Waddey Co., Stationers and Printers, Richmond, Va.

Est. of A. N. Edwards dec'd
Inv & c with
Wm. E. Edwards Admr

Comrs Report of Personal
alty coming to his hands.
filed May 1. 1893

J. B. LIPPINCOTT COMPANY,
Booksellers and Stationers,
Philadelphia, Pa.

The Estate of A. W. Edwards decd

In a/c with W. C. Edwards his administrator

1892					
Aug 27	1	By Amo. due as per last a/c of Comit J. C. Parker			$791 18
" "	3	" " rec'd from J. A. Speight acct.			22.68
Octo 18	4	" " " " " " Note & Int.			19.24
" 21.	5	" " " " Jas Screws " "			30.95
Nov. 21.	6	" " " J. M. Edwards			76.44
" 23	7	" " " " Julia Cobb " "			37.33
	8	" " " " Jas. Screws Rent			26.25
	9	" " " " Jas Screws Old acct.			19.69
Nov 1.	10	" " " Sales of 892 # p/nuts			26.76
	11	" " " W. C. Edwards bal. on land			124.21
	12	To Comis. on $383.55 5%	19	17	
	13	" Amo. pd. Creditors as per Distributee a/c	1066	70	
" 19	14	" pd. W. H. Stroud for posters	3	25	
21	15	" " Taxes for 1892.	21	10	
Dec. 16	16	" " J. C. Parker Comit's fee.	36	00	
	17	" " W. L. Beale for work	20	77	
	18	" " cost of Suit to Nov. 30/92	28	75	
	19	" " J. L. W. Lemore Comr.	5	00	
	20	By Amo. rec'd from G. T. Watford			28 85
	21	To Comis. on $28.85 5%	1	44	
	22	By Amo. rec'd from J. A. Speight note			25.
	23	" " " " Ella Beale			45.34
	24	" " " " T. H. Bradsher			21 25
	25	" " " " R. H. B. Cobb			108.75
	26	" " " " Jos. F. Holland			21.29
	27	" " " " Joshua Prettau			11.35
	28	By Int. on $232.98 2 yrs to May 1/93.			27 95
	29	To Comis. on $260.93 5%	13	00	
" 18	30	By Amo. from Heirs on land.			49.19
	31	" " " Alex. Councie on land.			8.00
	32	By Int. on $57.19 4 mos.			1.14
	33	To Comis. on $58.33 5%	2	91	
		Carried Forward	$1217	14	$1522.84

1892 Decr. 93		Amounts brot. forward	$1217.14		$1522.84
Febry 20	1	To paid D. L. Gillette Cries land	5 00		
Mch 20	2	By Amo. from J Pretlow Sr. Sp. Mstr			279 90
April 15	3	" " " M. L. Beale Rent & Int.			152 97
	4	To Comrs. on $210.87 5%	10.54		
" 24	5	" paid J. B. Prince Atty. in full	122.50		
	6	" Comrs on $1253.00 Sale of real Est.	62 65		
May 1.	7	" Amo. retained to pay future Costs	7 00		
	8	" " " " " for stating this a/c	10.00		
	9	" " " to pay for recording same	2.50		
	10	Balance	296.38		
	11		$1733 71		$1733 71
1893	12				
May 1.	13	By bal. due estate brot down.			$296.38
	14				
	15				

Respectfully Submitted.
Jas. L. McLemore
Comr. acct. Sir Ct.

The Commissioner would state specially that the Admr who was also the Special Comr. to sell the real estate distributed the total amount arising from the sale of the land to wit: $1253.00 as will appear by reference to the Distributer account filed in the papers; which accounts for the item of $62.65 charged against the estate in this account as Commission on the funds arising from real estate.

Respectfully Submitted.
Jas. L. McLemore
Comr. acct.

Southampton County Court: April Term 1891.

On motion of Wm E. Edwards - who made oath according to law - and together with J. B. Prince and R. M. Edwards as his securities - who justified on oath as to their sufficiency - entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of two thousand dollars - conditioned as the law directs - which bond is ordered to be recorded - Certificate is granted the said W. E. Edwards for obtaining letters of Administration on the chattel estate of Aurelius W. Edwards dec'd - in due form.

And on the further motion of said Administrator Joshua Bellow - J. L. Gillette - G. W. Miller and L. T. Joyner are hereby appointed appraisers - any three of whom may act, who being duly sworn will appraise the chattel Estate of said decedent - and return the same under their hands as the law directs

A Copy

Teste: B. F. McLemore C.C.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

Franklin, Va., Aug 15th 1892

To the creditors of the estate of A. W. Edwards *deceased, and all others concerned.*

You are hereby notified, that, ~~at the request of~~ pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Southampton entered at the May Term 1892 thereof ~~administrator of the estate of the said~~ ~~deceased~~, in the Chancery suit therein pending styled Edwards vs. Edwards admr &c. Courtland I have appointed the 27th day of September next, at my office, at ~~Franklin~~, Va., for receiving proof of debts or demands, against the said decedent or his estate, at which time and place you are required to attend.

Given under my hand as commissioner in Chancery ~~of accounts~~ of the Circuit ~~County~~ Court of Southampton County, the day and year last aforesaid.

J. C. Parker

Comm'r in Chancery
Circuit Ct. Southampton Co

West, Johnston & Co., Print., Richmond, Va.—1128-c.

Edwards,
os. } Notice to take accounts
Edwards. Adms.

We acknowledge legal service of this Notice.
J. L. McLemore atty for Pltff.

L. B. Prince atty for defdts.

Commissioner's Office,

Franklin, ~~Jerusalem~~, Va., September 27th, 1892

To Martha R.Edwards,Wm.E.Edwards,Administrator of A.W.Edwards,decd,and in the same in his own right,Sarah Edwards,Priscilla Edwards,J.O.Speight and Mary E.Speight his wife,Wm.G.Edwards and Sallie M.Edwards his wife,J.H.Griffin and Margarette Griffin his wife,

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon the 13th *day of* October *next, if fair, if not, the next fair day thereafter (Sunday excepted), to take and settle, at my office,* in Courtland, Va. *the following accounts, to wit:*

1'st An account of Wm.E.Edwrds' transactions as administrator of A.W. Edwards,deceased.

2'nd,An account of the debts outstanding against the estate of the said decedent,with their dignities and priorities.

3'rd,An account of the feesimple and annual value of the real estate of the said A.W.Edwards,deceased.

4'th,Any other matter deemed pertinent by me,or required to be stated by any party in interest.

required to be taken by a decree of Southampton Circuit Court, rendered at the May *term, 1892, 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 said Court, the day and year first aforesaid.

J. C. Pope

Commissioner.

To the Sheriff of Southampton County to execute

The estate of A. W. Edwards, deceased, in account with Wm. E. Edwards, his admr.

1891					
April	23	By cash received at sale			258,15 ✓
"	"	" " received of T. J. Pattan on note,			40,50 ✓
"	"	To said W. H. Strand for hauling		3 00	
"	"	" " T. J. Pattan dues act in last illness		48 00	
"	"	" " for 100 brick		80	
"	"	" " T. B. Pattan for clerk at sale		5 00	
"	"	" " for Peanut bags		48-0	
"	"	" " wagon & team two days		3 00	
"	"	" " cart & driver one day		1 00	
"	"	" " Labor		22 96	
May	18	" " Taxes for 1890		31 01	
Aug	17	" " J. L. Gillette, auctioneer,		5 00	
Sept.	18	" " L. R. Edwards for appraiser's oath		1 00	
"	"	" " Williams & Jackson for brick		4 80	
"	21	" " J. L. McLemore for writing bonds		1 00	
"	28	" " J. L. Gillette for writing land		1 00	
"	"	" " Chas. Smith for coffin		5 00	
Nov.	14	By received of Jno. Lowers on note			19 11 ✓
"	22	" " " " T. T. White " "			20 90 ✓
"	28	" " " " T. T. Watford " "			6 00 ✓
Aug	4	" " from R. M. Edwards for funds in hand			131,34 ✓
"	19	" " " W. E. Edwards for meal			8 43 ✓
"	26	" " " " " "			2,88 ✓
Sept.	18	" " " C. C. Williams " "			10 38 ✓
Oct.	6	" " " Whitehead Bros. " "			5 75 ✓
"	"	" " " " " "			14 19 ✓
Nov.	17	" " " Malcom Folsom for meal			13 50 ✓
"	28	" " " Albert Taylor " "			30 00 ✓
"	16	To said taxes for 1891		20 69	
Dec	9	By meal from W. E. Edwards for meal			8 40 ✓
"	21	" " " " Alice Council land sold by Adm'r			200 ✓
"	"	" " " " Wilberson Hulse " " "			34 00 ✓
"	"	" " " " Mrs. J. F. Howard for Land			13 40 ✓
"	"	" " " " " " " " loans			27 19 ✓
		Amounts carried Forward.		202 66	664 09

1891		Amounts brought forward	202 66	664 09
Dec	24	By account from Nancy Taylor's estate		9 00 ✓
"	10	" " " J. D. Pollard		33 63 ✓
"	21	" " " Wm Johnson		29 50 ✓
"	"	To said J. C. Parker, Exec's	4 50	
"	"	" " " M. R. Edwards	6 00	
"	"	" " " I. C. Wills for surveying	5 00	
1892				
Jany	2	To said Sandy Jeffries for labor	3 36	
"	30	" " Tom " " hauling rails	7 65	
"	"	" " J. D. Speight " splitting rails	1 80	
"	"	" " " " hauling "	10 80	
"	29	By received from Mrs J. T. Howard for fodder	5 51	5 51 ✓
"	"	" " " J. D. Speight estate	20 00	20 00 ✓
Feb	8	" " " Mrs Jane Simms "	28 00	28 00 ✓
"	23	" " " W. W. Webb	77 0	77 50 ✓
Mch	7	To said Jno Gillam (ditching)	1 40	
"	"	" " " J. T. Bryant Mill. a/c	23 78	
"	21	By received from Jno. M. Lynch for shingles		8 76 ✓
April	23	" " " Joel P. Holland		70 46 ✓
"	"	To said Maj Falkener for labor	93	
May	16	By recd from R. M. Broadhead		10 00 ✓
June	20	" " " M. L. Beale		57 45 ✓
"	"	" " " " Ella Beale		96 ✓
"	26	To said J. A. Edwards guardian mason	20 00	
July	26	By recd from R. M. Edwards		47 87 ✓
"	27	" " " Peanuts		18 88 ✓
Aug	19	" " " Corn		9 00 ✓
"	"	" " " "		2 25 ✓
Sept	24	To said L. A. Gay cutting cord	1 00	
Aug	27	By recd from J. W. Cutlar		47 00 ✓
"	"	" 5% Commission & Admr's on $1136.87 receipts,	56 84	
		Balance	791 18	
			$1136 87	$1136.87
1892				
Aug	27	By Balance due estate		$791.18

Respectfully submitted
J. C. Parker
Exec's in Chancery

An account of the annual assessable value of the real estate of A. W. Edwards deceased.

Fee simple value

1 Tract of land containing 500 acres, bought of W. B. Riggs Exrs., lying on Tallaway River, valued at	$2250.
1 Tract of 50 acres of land bought of Wm Lloyd Smith adjoining the first tract	165
Total - - - - - - - - -	$2420.00

Annual value

Tract 1 & 2 combined the Annual value is	$175.00

Respectfully submitted.

J. C. Parker
Exam'r in Chancery

An account of the debts outstanding against the estate of A. W. Edwards deceased, with their Order of Priority & dignity, with interest due on each to October 3 5th 1892.

4th Class

An open account due C. C. Vaughan	87.21	
Interest thereon from Jany 1st 1891	9.69	9680
A bond due C. C. Vaughan. dated Oct 1st 1886. payable on demand	185.88	
Interest thereon from April 1st 1889 up to which time it was paid by deed	39.96	22584
a bond due C. C. Vaughan. dated Jany 1st 1890. payable on demand	97.44	
Interest thereon from Jany 1st 1890	16.56	11400
a bond due C. C Vaughan. dated Jany 1st 1889. payable on demand	163.25	
Interest thereon from Jany 1st 1889	25.24	188.49
a bond due J. P. Gay, dated Nov. 18th 1890. payable Dec. 1st 1890	81.58	
Interest thereon from Dec 1st 1890	9.38	9096
a bond due J. P. Gay. dated aug. 6th 1887. payable on demand	33.29	
Interest thereon from aug. 6th 1887	10.48	4377
An open account due J. P. Gay	174.78	
Interest thereon from Jany 1st 1891	19.22	19400
A negotiable note. due April 29th 1891. made to Henry Cobb. & indorsed by Chas C Vaughan & Co. Bankers. the present holders thereof	70.00	
Interest thereon from April 29th 1891	6.30	7630
An open account due Henry Cobb & Co	208.79	
Interest thereon from Jany. 1st 1891	22.96	231.75
Amount carried forward - - - - -		$1261.91

Amount brought forward		$1261.91
An open account due Gilliam & Pace	17.81	
Interest thereon from Mch. 1st 1891	1 78	1969
An open account due Alice Bamick	6 41	
Interest from Dec. 18th 1891	34	6751
An open account due M. T. Vaughan Tho	25 60	
Interest thereon from Jany 1st 1889	5 88	3148
An open account due Pritlow Bro	6 54	
Interest thereon from Jany 1st 1891	71	7251
A bond due Pritlow Bro. dated April 12th 1889. due on demand	366.	
Interest thereon from Ap. 12th 1889	77.77	443.77
A bond due Pritlow Bro. dated Jany. 1st 1890. due on demand	249.29	
Interest thereon from Jany 1st 1890	4238	29167
An open account due Bain Tho	78 351	
Interest thereon from Jany 1st 1891	862	8697
An open account due Priscilla Edwards.	109.	
Interest thereon from Sep. 1st 1890	1417	12317
An open account due W.H. Daughtry	28.	
Interest thereon from Jany 1st 1891	2751	27751
A due bill due D. T. Webb	13251	
Interest thereon from Dec. 2nd 1890	1 52	1477
An open account due D. T. J. Pritlow	24.00	
Interest thereon from Jany 1st 1891	264	2664
Amount carried forward		$2341.82

Amount brought forward		$2841.82
A note due Mary E. Speight	26 76	
Interest thereon from July 15th 1889	5 30	3206
A note due Priscilla Edwards	146	
Interest thereon from Nov. 1st 1888	34 80	179 80
A note due Sallie M. Edwards	146 50	
Interest thereon from Nov. 21st 1887	43 00	189 50
A note due Mrs Margaret E. Griffin	121 47	
Interest thereon from June 1st 1889	24 90	146 37
An open account due Martha R. Edwards		
Int. on $19.50 thereof from Jany 1st 1887	273.17	
Int " $46. " " " " 1890		
" " $207.37 " " " " 1891	37.56	310 73
Total principal & interest to Oct. 31st 1892.		$3200.28

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. Parker

Comm'r in Chancery

Edwards

vs.

Edwards' Admin. et als

Report of Commissioner

1892 Oct 26th filed

J. C. PARKER,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Main St., Franklin, Va.

Commissioner's Office, Courtland, Va., Oct. 25'92

To the Circuit Court of Southampton County:-

Pursuant to a decree of the said court, entered 6'th day of May 1892, in a suit in chancery depending in said court under style of Edwards vs. Edwards' Admr., etc., the undersigned, to whom was refered for settlement, by said decree, the following accounts, to wit:-An account of the transactions of Wm.E.Edwards as administrator of A.W.Edwards, deceased; An account of the debts outstanding against the estate of the said decedent, with their dignities and priorities. An account of the feesimple and annual value of the real estate of the said A.W.Edwards, deceased.; reports to Court that on the fifteenth day of Aug. 1892, he posted a notice at the Courthouse door of this county as required by law, to the creditors of A.W.Edwards, deceased, requiring all parties holding claims against the said decedent or his estate, to present the same to your commissioner on or before the 27'th day of September 1892, that said notice remained at the said front door of the Courthouse until said day and is herewith filed. That on the said 27'th of September 1892, the taking of said account was postponed for good reasons to the 13'th day of Oct. 1892; On the said 27'th day of Sept. 1892, notice was given all the parties to the suit that the accounts directed by the decree would be taken on the 13'th day of Oct. 1892, as is shown by their acknowledgement on the back of said notice herewith filed. That on the 13'th day of Oct. 1892, the taking of the said account was continued, and has been continued from day to day to the present date of this report In obedience to the notices aforesaid, the parties appeared, some in person and others by counsel. And thereupon your commissioner examined the vouchers, stated and settled an account of the transactions of Wm.E.Edwards, Amdr. of the said A.W.Edwards' deceased, and finds a balance in the hands of the said Admr. of $791.18, with legal interest on the same from the 27'th day of Aug. 1892 until paid. Your commissioner has also taken an account of the annual and feesimple value of the real estate belonging to the said decedent, and finds that the annual value of said estate is $175. and that the feesimple value of said estate is $2420. Your commissioner has also taken an account of the outstanding debts against the estate of the said A.W.Edwards, deceased, which he has arranged in classes according to their respective legal dignities, and reports no debts proved of the first, second, or third class, but that debts of the fourth class were proved against the said decedent amounting to $3200.28 , inclusive of interest to October 31'st 1892. That the several accounts mentioned, and the notices of the time and place of taking the same are filed with this report, to which the attention of the court is specially directed.

Respectfully submitted,

J.C.Parker

Comr. in Chancery.

Commissioner's fee:-

$35.

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Edwards

Ex. Stat: Rules

Edwardi Admr &c.

1 Feb

Martha R. Edwards. whose sues
for the benefit of herself and all
the other Creditors of Aurelius H.
Edwards, decd — who will come in
and bear their share of the costs - Pltffs
of this suit.
against
Wm. E. Edwards Administrator of
Aurelius H. Edwards, decd. - the same
Wm. E. Edwards in his own right.
Sarah Edwards. Priscilla Edwards.
J. O. Speight & Mary E. Speight, his wife.
W. G. Edwards & Sallie M. Edwards, his wife.
J. N. Griffin & Margaret Griffin, his wife - Defts

In Chancery.

1892. January 9. Precipe for 1st Feby Rules.
" 1st Feb: Rules: Precipe Entered. Bill & Ex:
filed. decree nisi.
" 2. " " Bill taken for Confessed
and Cause set for hearing.

Edwards

vs. 3
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Edwards A. Dun't.

Answer of

H. E. Edwards & Bro.

& Edwards

and

The answer of Wm E. Edwards Admr
of A.W. Edwards dec'd to a bill of com-
plaint Exhibited in the Circuit Court
of Southampton against himself and
others by Martha R. Edwards.
This respondent for answer to said bill
says. That it is true he has qualified as
the Admr of A.W. Edwards and taken
charge of his chattel Estate. that it is
also true his intestate at the time of his
death was indebted to some considera-
ble Extent. That he lived with the com-
plainant for a number of years, and
attended to her interests as her son
as closely as he did his own. That so
far as respondent knows and is inform-
ed, he does not believe that the said
A.W. Edwards is indebted to the com-
plainant at all. and he insists
that every item in the bill of particu-
lars shall be proved by competent
testimony. That respondent is ready to
render such accounts as the Court may
direct and to pay over the amount in
his hands as may seem proper to the
Court. And having answered, he prays
hence to be dismissed &c.

W. E. Edwards
Admr of A.W. Edwards

Virginia - Southampton Co. to-wit.

Personally appeared before the undersigned, a Comr. in Chancery for the Circuit Court of Southampton County, [redacted] E. Edwards whose name is signed to the foregoing answer and made oath that the facts set forth therein, so far as he knows thereof are true.

Given under my hand May 4. 1892.

B. F. McLemore

Comr. in Chancery for Circuit Court of Southampton Co. Va.

Final Dist. A/c

Est. A. W. Edwards.

and

Special Report

filed May 1. 1894

An account distributing balance in the hand of Wm. E. Edwards Admr Among the Creditors of A.W. Edwards dec'd. as per decree entered in the Chancery cause of Edwards Admr. vs Cannille & others, at the November Term 1873.

Amo. in the hands of Wm E. Edwards as per report filed in the above cause ~~$ 23 72 28~~

Amo. of the debts proved against the estate of A.W. Edwards dec'd. $ 3200 28

		Share	Debt
To Leb. Vaughan	+	4 75	625 13
" Vaughan & Co. - Bankers	+	58	76 30
" J.P. Gay	+	250	328 73
" Henry Cobb.	+	186	231 75
" Gilliam & Pace,	+	18	19 63
" Alex. Connell	+	06	6 75
" M.L. Vaughan & Co.	+	25	31 48
" Pretton & Co.	+	575	742 69
" Bain & Co		70	86 97
" Priscilla Edwards	+	240	302 97
" Dr. Wm H. Daughtry	+	25	27 75
" D. T. Webb	+	12	14 77

To Dr. T. J. Pretton	+		22	26.64
" Mary E. Speight	+		28	32.06
" Sallie M. Edwards	+	1	65	189.50
" Margarette E. Griffin	+	1	15	146.37
" Mrs. Martha R. Edwards	+	2	50	310.73

Pays. 3/4 of 1 %+.

Respectfully Submitted
J. L. W. Lemore
Comr Acct. Dir. Ct.

Rec'd Jany 1st 1894 of Wm. Edwards Admr of A. W. Edwards dcd one distributive share of the amount due us by said decdnt as shown by the annexed distributive account same being 3/4 of 1 % of the original amount due us as reported by Comr. J. E. Parker in his account of debt as of Octo. 26. 1892.

Margarett L. Wills Administratrix
D. T. Webb

Wm. Edwards Admr

Pleas
Pretlow & Co
Vaughan & Lee
C. C. Vaughan
W. H. Pace
W. T. Vaughan & Co
Sallie M. Edwards
Margette E. Griffin
Priscilla Edwards
Mary E. Speight
W. N. Daughtry
T. J. Pretlow

To the Hon. C. W. Hill Judge

The undersigned Admr of A. W. Edwards decd begs to report that he has pursuant to a decree entered in the Chancery Cause of Edwards Admr. vs. Edwards Admr. notice received from Wm. E. Edwards Special Comr. in the Chy cause of Edwards Admr. vs. Council certain sums of money specially set forth in his Admrs. account hereto annexed, and that he has applied the said money and to the Creditors of the late A. W. Edwards decd as per distributive account of J. L. W. Lemore Comr. - as will appear by the annexed receipts.

Respectfully submitted
Wm. E. Edwards
Admr.

May 1. 94

Edwards

vs

Report of Comr. W. E. Edwards

Edwards Admrs &c.

In this cause your Comr. begs leave to submit the following report.

That pursuant to a decree rendered at the Nov. Term 1892 of this Court, I advertised the real estate of Ann Edwards for sale at Courtland on the 19. 1892. and at the sale so made, C. C. Vaughan became the purchaser for himself, J. P. Gay, Porter & Co & Henry Cobb & Co., for the sum of $1253. The land contains about 521 acres. The terms of sale were one half cash. balance in twelve months. but the purchasers are anxious to pay all in cash and get a deed. They have paid nothing in cash. but are ready to comply as soon as the sale is confirmed. I recommend that the sale be confirmed.

July 4 1893. Respt submitted.

W. E. Edwards
Special Comr.

To Judge Cir Ct.
Southampton

We, the undersigned heirs at law of Ann Edwards hereby waive notice of vacation order and consent to confirmation of sale as reported on attention of this paper. Witness our hands and seals June 13. 1893.

Sarah R Edwards (Seal)
Priscilla Edwards (Seal)
Mary E Speight (Seal)
J. O. Speight (Seal)
Thos. Griffin (Seal)
E. H. Griffin (Seal)
Sallie M Edwards (Seal)
W. G. Edwards (Seal)
W. O. Edwards (Seal)

Edwards
vs
Edwards Admrs.
Report of sale
1893. Feb. 15. Filed.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON Richd Jeffreys

to appear before ~~the Judge of our~~ J. Charles Ames in Chancy circuit Court of Southampton County, at the Courthouse thereof, on the 11 day of Oct Term, 189 2, to testify and the truth to speak on behalf of M. R. Edwards in a certain matter of controversy in our said Court depending and undetermined between M R Edwards, plaintiff, and Wm L Edwards Adm A W Edwards dec'd, defendant. And this he shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of the law. And have then there this writ.

Witness, B. F. McLEMORE, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this 27 day of Sept, 189 2, in the 117 th year of the Commonwealth.

TESTE: B. F. McLemore, C. C.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON Wm Bankes

S. C. Parker Asst

to appear before ~~the Judge~~ of our Circuit Court of Southampton County, at the Courthouse thereof, on the 27 day of September Term, 1892, to testify and the truth to speak on behalf of Martha R. Edwards in a certain matter of controversy in our said Court depending and undetermined between Martha R. Edwards, plaintiff, and W. E. Edwards Admr of A. W. Edwards dec'd, defendants. And this he shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of the law. And have then there this writ.

Witness, B. F. McLEMORE, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this 26 day of Sept, 1892, in the 117th year of the Commonwealth.

TESTE: B. F. McLemore, C. C.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON Wm Banks

J. B. Baker Comr in Chy. circuit

to appear before ~~the Judge~~ of our Court of Southampton County, at the Courthouse thereof, on the 11th day of Oct Term, 1892, to testify and the truth to speak on behalf of Martha R Edwards in a certain matter of controversy in our said Court depending and undetermined between M R Edwards, plaintiff, and Wm E Edwards Admr of A W Edward, defendant. And this he shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of the law. And have then there this writ.

Witness, B. F. McLEMORE, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this 27 day of Sept, 1892, in the 117th year of the Commonwealth.

TESTE: B F McLemore, C. C.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON Jim Jeffreys

to appear before ~~the Judge of our~~ J.C. Parker Comm in chy Circuit Court of Southampton County, at the Courthouse thereof, on the 27 day of Sept ~~Term~~, 189 2, to testify and the truth to speak on behalf of Mrs Martha R Edwards in a certain matter of controversy in our said Court depending and undetermined between Martha R. Edwards, plaintiff, and Wm. E. Edwards Admr. A. W. Edwards dec'd et als, defendant. And this they shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of the law. And have then there this writ.

Witness, B. F. McLEMORE, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this 14 day of Sept, 189 2, in the 117th year of the Commonwealth.

TESTE: B. F. McLemore, C. C.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON Tom Jeffreys

J. T. Porter a Comr in Chancery

to appear before ~~the Judge~~ of our Circuit Court of Southampton County, at the Courthouse thereof, on the 12th day of October ~~Term~~, 1892, to testify and the truth to speak on behalf of M. R. Edwards

in a certain matter of controversy in our said Court depending and undetermined between M. R. Edwards, plaintiff, and Edwards Admr, defendant.

And this he shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of the law. And have then there this writ.

Witness, B. F. McLEMORE, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this 12th day of Octo, 1892, in the 117th year of the Commonwealth.

TESTE: B. F. McLemore, C. C.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON Thos Jeffreys

J. B. Porter Comr chy, Circuit

to appear before ~~the Judge of~~ our Court of Southampton County, at the Courthouse thereof, on the 11th day of Oct. ~~Term~~, 1892, to testify and the truth to speak on behalf of Martha R. Edwards in a certain matter of controversy in our said Court depending and undetermined between M. R. Edwards, plaintiff, and Wm E Edwards Admr A W Edwards decd, defendant. And this he shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of the law. And have then there this writ.

Witness, B. F. McLEMORE, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this 27 day of Sept, 1892, in the 117th year of the Commonwealth.

TESTE: B. F. McLemore, C. C.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON Richd. Jeffrey

to appear before ~~the Judge of our~~ J.C. Parker Comr in Chy Circuit Court of Southampton County, at the Courthouse thereof, on the 27 day of Sept ~~Term~~, 189 2, to testify and the truth to speak on behalf of Mrs. Martha R. Edwards in a certain matter of controversy in our said Court depending and undetermined between Martha R. Edwards, plaintiff, and Wm. Edwards Adm. A. W. Edwards dec'd tals., defendant.

And this he shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of the law. And have then there this writ.

Witness, B. F. McLEMORE, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this 24 day of Sept, 189 2, in the 117th year of the Commonwealth.

TESTE: B. F. McLemore, C. C.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON Richd. Jeffrey

J. C. Parker a Comr in chancery

to appear before the ~~Judge~~ of our Circuit Court of Southampton County, at the Courthouse thereof, on the 13" day of October ~~Term~~, 1892, to testify and the truth to speak on behalf of M. R. Edwards

in a certain matter of controversy in our said Court depending and undetermined between

M. R. Edwards, plaintiff, and

Edwards Admr, defendant.

And this he shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of the law. And have then there this writ.

Witness, B. F. McLEMORE, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this 12" day of Octo., 1892, in the 117th year of the Commonwealth.

TESTE: B. F. McLemore, C. C.

Edwards

vs. Decree

Edwards Admrx

1892 May Term

To be entered -

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May 6, 1892

Entered.

Edwards

vs. } Decree

Edwards Admr. &c.

This day this cause came on to be heard, on the bill taken for confessed, the exhibits filed, the answer of Wm. E. Edwards Admr of A. W. Edward dead filed during the term by leave of the Court, general replication thereto and was argued by Counsel On consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge order and decree that this cause be referred to one of the Commissioners of this Court who is directed to take and report to court the following accounts.

1st An account of W. E. Edwards transactions as administrator of A. W. Edward dec'd.

2nd. An account of the debts outstanding against the estate of the said deadent with their dignities and priorities. 3rd An account of the fee simple and annual value of the real estate of the said A. W. Edwards dec'd. all of which he will report together with any other matters specially stated and pertinent by himself or required to be stated by any party in interest.

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Edwards Admr. et als.

This day this cause came on again to be heard on the papers formerly read and upon the report of Commissioner J. C. Parker filed Octo. 26th 1892 to which there is no exceptions and was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge order and decree that Wm. C. Edwards Admr. out of the $791.18 now in his hands pay first the costs of this suit up to the present time & then pay pro-rata so far as the funds will go, the debts reported by Comr. Parker. And it further appearing from said report that the debts are largely in excess of the funds now in the hand of the Admr. the Court doth further adjudge order and decree that Wm. C. Edwards who is hereby appointed a special Commissioner for the purpose, after advertising the same for thirty days in three or more public places in the County. expose to sale the real estate of A. W. Edwards dec'd for cash ~~the remainder upon 12 months. title retained to all as to so much as is necessary to pay the costs and~~ the purchase money is paid the remainder of the debt against the deceased estate; and the remainder of the purchase price to be paid upon such terms as to the Comr. may seem best.

But before he shall act under this decree he shall enter into bond with approved security before the Clerk of this Court in the penalty of $4000. conditioned for the faithful performance of this or any future decree that may be herein entered.

The Court doth further adjudge ordain and decree that A. W. Edwards Admr. make a further account of his transactions as such before one of the Comrs of this Court.

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In Vacation.

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Entering P 672

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Edwards Admr. et als.

This day this cause came on in vacation by consent of parties to be heard on the papers formerly read & upon the report of Comr. W. E. Edwards of the sale of the land pursuant to a decree of Nov. 11. 1892. And was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof the Court doth confirm the said report filed. Febry 15th 1893. and doth adjudge order and decree that said Commissioner receive the purchase price for said land from the purchasers and execute to them a deed with special warranty for the same. And doth further adjudge order and decree that said funds arising from the sale of the land as aforesaid be distributed pro-rata among the creditors of said A. W. Edwards dcd as set forth in report of debts made by Comr. J. C. Parker. and said W. E. Edwards special Commissioner will report to Court.

C. M. Stice

To the Clerk of Southampton }
Circuit Court }

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This day this cause came on again to be heard upon the papers formerly read, upon the report of Com. J. L. McLemore filed May 1st, 1893. to which there is no exceptions: upon the report of Special Comr. Wm E. Edwards reporting disbursements of funds in his hands supported by proper vouchers, Except as to Alex Council and was argued by counsel. On consideration whereof, and there being no exceptions to the aforesaid report the same are hereby confirmed and the Court doth further adjudge order and decree that the said Wm. E. Edwards Adm. of A.W. Edwards proceed to distribute among the creditors of the decedent the sum of $296.35 now in his hands as appears by the report of Comr. J. L. McLemore and said Wm E. Edwards will report to Court.

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1893 Nov.

To be entered.

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This day this cause came on again to be heard upon the papers formerly read upon the report of Wm. E. Edwards Spl. Commissioner &c. filed during the term showing disbursement of fund in his hands as of May 1. 1893 supported by vouchers was argued by Counsel.

On consideration whereof and it appearing to the Court that the said fund has been distributed as reported by said Spl Comr. doth adjudge order and decree that said report be confirmed

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Edwards Admr.

1894 May

To be entered.

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Edwards' Admr &c.

This day this cause came on again to be heard upon the papers formerly read and upon the report of Wm E. Edwards Admr. reporting disbursement of funds in his hands among the Creditors of A.W. Edwards dec'd. supported by proper vouchers and was argued by Counsel. On Consideration whereof, the Court doth confirm the said report, filed May 1. 1894, and nothing further remaining to be done in this cause it is ordered that the same be removed from the docket.