1897~ 23 Southampton County Chancery - Pope's Mother vs Pope's Infants

Timber sale to educate her children.

Pope, Bettie T.

Musgrave, R. N.
" Hattie S. (wife)
" Joseph S.
" , Lalla M. (wife)
Minors { " , Thomas J.
" , Nannie Low
" , Virginia A.

Minors { Pope, Harrison P.
" , Newit H.
" , Mary J.
" , Abner S.

McLemore, J. L. (G. A. L.)

answered pray Leave to be dismissed.

Jas. L. McLemore
Solicitor

This bill has been sworn to before me this 18 day of Oct 1890.

B F Knight C.C.

Potts' number
vs Bill V.
Potts Chickasaw V.

2 Cases Cited

Demurrer Sustained

To the Honorable A. Moffett Judge of the Circuit Court of Southampton. In Chancery.
Complaining sheweth unto your Honor your complainant Bettie T. Pope as follows. That she is the widow of R.P. Pope and by him has the following children viz: Virginia A. Pope, a minor over 14 years old. H.P. Pope, Nevitt H. Pope and Mary J. Pope all minors under 14 years of age. That she & her children own a tract of land in Southampton County containing acres of land, and upon which there is a good quantity of standing timber. That your complainant has a dower interest in said land and her children own the balance as heirs of their deceased father. That they have no personal of any consequence and it is to their interest to have the timber sold and the money arising therefrom expended in the education of the children because they are now getting to that age when they can receive an education and they are not able to pay for the same unless they can get aid in the direction above indicated. That the interest of no one will be prejudiced by selling said timber. That in the event there

children whose ages are this under age
and without issue, Hattie S. Mingone
formerly Pope, wife of R.N. Mingone, Lalla
M. Mingone, formerly Pope, wife of Jos S.
Mingone. are adults, Thos J. Pope and
Nannie Lou Pope, minors over 14 years
of age and Abner S. Pope a minor
under 14 years of age would be their
heirs at law. In consideration
whereof, and inasmuch as your com-
plainant is without remedy in the
premises except in a Court of Equity
where such matters are properly
cognizable. to the end &c. your complain-
ant prays that R.N. Mingone & Hattie S. his
wife, Jos S. Mingone & Lalla M. his wife.
are adults, Thos J. Pope, Nannie Lou Pope
and Virginia A Pope, minors over 14
years of age. Neil H. H.P. Mary J. and
Abner S. Pope minors under 14 years of
age may be made parties defendants
to this bill and compelled to answer the
allegations thereof under oath. That
a proper guardian ad litem may be
assigned to the minors, who together
with them shall answer this bill under
oath. That an order may be entered

decreeing an inquiry whether it would be to the interests of the parties to have the timber referred to sold, and its probable value - and that the money arising from the sale may be expended in the education and support of the said children of complainant, as to the Court may seem judicious - and that your Honor will grant such other further, general and special relief as to Equity may seem meet in the nature of their case may require - and as in duty bound &c. May it please the Court &c.

B. T. Pope

Prince Sebert p.q.

The Joint and Several answer of H.P. Pope Newit H. Pope Mary J. Pope & Abner S. Pope Nannie Lou Pope & Thos J. Pope all minors by J.L. McLemore their Gdn ad litem to a bill of complaint exhibited in the Circuit Court of Southampton Co against themselves & others by Billie T. Pope.

These respondents, saving reserving &c. for answer to said bill say. That they are infants & being such submit their rights to the protection of the Court and having

answered pray hence to be dismissed.

Jas. L. McLemore
Solr as bills

This bill has been sworn to before me this
18 day of Oct 1890.

B F Knight J.P.

Popkins' Nuntas
vs Bill &c
Popkins Chancery &c.

Filed Oct 18 1890

Pinson & Richardson p.q.

Pope's Machine 159

" " Stat: Rules

Pope's Children

1 Oct

Bettie T. Pope — Pltff

against

R. N. Musgrave + Hattie S., his wife -
~~Jno. S. Musgrave~~ + Lalla. M., his wife
Thos. J. Pope - Nannie Lou Pope -
Virginia A. Pope - last three minors
over 14 years of age - Harrison P.
Pope - Newit H. Pope - Mary J. Pope
and Abner S. Pope - last four minors
under 14 years of age - all by J. L.
McLemore their Gdn ad litem. — Defts

In Chancery

1890. Oct. 1. Precp isd. to 1st Oct. Rules:
" 1st Oct. Rules: Precp rtd. Executed.
Bill filed - J. L. McLemore
apptd. Gdn ad litem. demurrer
r adults.
" 2nd " " Bill taken for confessed as to
adults - answer of Virginia
A. Pope, over 14 years of age,
filed - answer of Gdn ad
litem filed - genl resp:
and cause set for hearing.

Pope's Mother
vs. Answer of Edw. ad litem
Pope's Children

Joint and Several

The ~~separate~~ answer of Virginia A. Pope, & Thos J & Lula Pope minors over 14 years of age by Jas. L. McLemore their guardian ad litem to a certain bill of complaint exhibited against them and others in the Circuit Court of Southampton County by Bettie I. Pope.

This respondent, Saving and reserving &c. for answer to said bill says:- That he is acquainted with the parties to the suit and knows the financial status of the infants, defendants, in the bill; that the facts as set forth in the bill he believes to be true; that he believes the sale of the timber will be highly advantageous to his wards Virginia A. Pope, and all others interested: Therefore he most respectfully recommends that the prayers of the bill may be granted, and having fully answered, he prays hence to be dismissed.

Jas. L. McLemore
Gdn. ad litem.

Sworn to before me this 27 day of Octo. 1890.

B. F. McLemore
Comm in Chancy.

Pope Mother

vs Decree

Pope Heirs &c.

This day this cause came on to be fur. heard on the bill of the complainants taken for confessed as to Ammonpone and Hallie his wife, Jos S. Musgrove & Sallie his wife, the answer of J.L. McLemore Gdn. ad litem of the minors Thos J. Lula, and Virginia Pope, minors over 14 years of age, the answers of the said Thos J. Lula and Virginia Pope, and the formal answers of the infant defendants under 14 years of age, with general replication thereto and now argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge order and decree that one of the Commissioners of this Court make the following Enquiries viz- 1st whether it is to the interest of the parties interested that the timber in the bill mentioned should be sold and the proceeds expended in the education maintenance of the heirs of R.P. Pope dec'd- 2nd whether the rights of any person will be violated thereby and 3rd what is the value of said timber- The result of said enquiries the said Comr. will report to Court together with the evidence upon which he bases his report.. And by consent of parties it is ordered

that the said upset may be returned ~~to the Court~~ and a decree rendered therein in accordance.

Norfolk Division
In Chancery
Motion Heard &c

Nov Term 1890

To be Entered.
C.M.D.
Nov 7, 1890

Clerk's comment to this effect
Permission Withdrawn
for Petts.

Clerk

and the said Commissioner will report his proceedings to this Court.

Potts Mountain 141
vs 3 Shares
Potts Heirs

In Equity
Feby 24 1891
To be sealed.
Opinion

Poker mother

vs 3 Decree.

Poker Heirs.

This day this cause came on to be further heard with papers formerly read, the report of Comr. McLennan filed Jany 20. 1891 to which there is no exception and now argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof, and the Court being of opinion that it is to the best interest to the parties interested to adopt said report, doth adjudge and decree that the same be confirmed. And in order to effectually carry out the said report, It is ordered that J. D. Dawson be and he is hereby appointed a special Commissioner to receive the purchase money for ~~said~~ the timber sold as per the memorandum of sale filed with the report of Comr. McLennan, marked Exhibit "A". That he receive the said sum of $210.00, as per said memorandum. and when the same shall be paid that he together with Bettie T. Pope, widow of R. T. Pope deceased to F. P. Howell a deed with special warranty as to himself and with a warranty from Bettie T. Pope to convey such interest as she possesses in said timber. But before the said J. D. Dawson shall act under this decree he must execute before the clerk of this Court a bond in the penalty of $300.00 with security to be approved by said Clerk, conditioned to faithfully execute this and any ~~other~~ decree in this cause.

Southampton Circuit Court- Nov Term 1890.

Popes Mather.

vs } Decree

Popes Heirs &c

This day this cause came on to be heard, on the bill of the complainants taken for confessed as to R. N. Musgrave and Hattie his wife, Jas. L. Musgrove & Sallie his wife, the answer of J. L. McLemore G'dn ad litem of the Minors Thos. J. Luter and Virginia Pope minors over 14 years of age the answer of the said Thos J. Luter and Virginia Pope, and the formal answers of the infant defendants under 14 years of age, with general replication thereto and was argued by Counsel, On consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge order and decree that one of the Commissioners of this Court make the following Enquiries Viz: 1st. Whether it is to the interest of the parties interested that the timber in the bill mentioned should be sued and the proceeds expended in the education & maintenance of the heirs of R O Pope decd. 2nd Whether the rights of any person will be violated thereby and 3, What is the value of said timber, The result of said enquiries the said Com will report to Court, together with the evidence upon which he bases his report. And by consent of parties it is ordered that the said report may be returned and a decree rendered thereon in vacation.

A Copy Test B. L. McLemore C.C.

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COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

COURTLAND, VA., Jany 9th 1891

To Bettie T. Pope.

R. H. Musgrave & Hattie his wife. Jos. S. Musgrave & Lalla his wife. Thos. J. Pope. Nannie L. Pope, Virginia A. Pope. Harrison P. Nesbit & Mary J. Pope.

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon the 19th day of Jany next, if fair, if not, the next fair day thereafter (Sunday excepted), to take and settle, at my office, the following accounts, to wit:

1st. Whether it is to the interest of the parties interested that the timber in the bill mentioned should be sold and the proceeds expended in the Education & maintenance of the Heirs of R. P. Pope dec'd. —

2d. Whether the rights of any person will be violated by such sale.

3d. What is the value of said timber.

required to be taken by a decree of Southampton Circuit Court, rendered at the November term, 1890, 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.

B. F. McLemore Commissioner.

To the Sheriff of Southampton county to execute.

We acknowledge legal service of the within Notice.
Jany 10. 1891.

Purcell & Sibree atto
for aca parties.

Popes Mother
vs Report.
Popes Heirs
1891. Jany 20. filed

The depositions of J. L. Barham, H. P. Gillette, R. E. Darden, and J. L. Bishop - taken before B. F. McLemore, Commissioner in Chancery of the Circuit Court for the County of Southampton, State of Virginia, to be used by said Commissioner as a basis for a report, in the Chancery Cause of "Pope's Mother vs Pope's Heirs" - January 19. 1891.

Present: Prince & Sebrell, Attys for parties
" J. L. McLemore, Gdn ad litem.

The witness J. L. Barham, being duly sworn, deposes as follows:

Q: What is your age, residence and occupation, and do you know the parties to this suit, and the Timber in the bill and proceedings mentioned?

A: My age is 43 years - reside at Newsoms - am a Merchant and Farmer by occupation - know all the parties to the suit and the Timber mentioned in the bill.

Q: State whether or not, it is, in your

opinion, to the interest of the parties interested, that the timber in the bill mentioned should be sold. and the proceeds expended in the Education and maintenance of the heirs of R. F. Pope dec.? -?

A: I think it would promote the interest of the parties to sell the timber and apply the proceeds as above suggested. the children of R. F. Pope are now at the age when they should be sent to School, and are prevented for want of means.

Q: Will the rights of any person be violated by such sale?

A: I think not.

Q: What is the value of said timber?

A: I Consider $1500. a fair price for it.

Q: Then you Consider $2110.00, the amount offered by F. P. Howell, for the timber, a good price, do you?

A: Yes I do. I Consider it the best sold body of Timber that has been sold in this County for many years. And further this deponent sayeth not.

J. L. Barham

over

The Witnesses, R. E. Darden, W. P. Gillette and J. L. Bishop - being duly sworn, say: We have read the foregoing deposition of J. L. Barham.

R. E. Darden
J. L. Bishop
W. P. Gillette

Taken and subscribed before me the day and date herein before said.

B. F. McLemore
Com'r in Chancery

Commissioner's Office
Courtland, Va.
January 19. 1891.

To the Circuit Court of Southampton Co.

The undersigned Commissioner, reports to Court: that in obedience to a decree of said Court, entered on the 7th day of Nov 1890 in the Chancery Cause of Pope's Mother &c Pope's Heirs. he issued Notice against the parties to said suit on the 9th day of Jany 1891. legal service of which has been acknowledged, and is herewith filed. Whereupon your Commissioner proceeded, this day, to take the depositions of J.L. Barham, W.F. Gillette & others. from which it will be seen:

1st. That it will be to the interest of the parties to this suit to sell the timber in the bill mentioned. and expend the proceeds thereof in the education and maintenance of the children of R.P. Pope dec'd.

2d. That the rights of no party will be violated by such sale.

3d, And that $1500.00 is considered the fair cash value of said timber.

The Commissioner reports further: that

F. P. Howell has, conditionally, purchased the timber for $2110.00, which is, according to the depositions of Witnesses, herein before referred to, six hundred and ten dollars more than its actual value. The Commissioner, therefore, respectfully recommends the confirmation of said sale. Special reference is hereby made to the depositions of Witnesses, herewith filed. The Witnesses examined are well and favorably known to the Commissioner. and are gentlemen of sound judgment and worthy of confidence; they live in the immediate vicinity of the body of timber, and are familiar with it.

Respectfully Submitted.
B. F. McLemore
Comr in Chancery

Comr's fee $5.00
charge to Plff

P. S. The Commissioner specially calls the attention of the Court to the Articles of Agreement filed herewith. showing the conditional purchase herein before referred to. Marked Exhibit "A".

Respectfully Submitted.
B. F. McLemore

Mrs. R. D. Pope, Orphans

To B. F. McLemore, Clerk of Southampton County Court, Dr.

1893

Nov	To Filing report of R. N. Musgrave Admr. of R. D. Pope showing Money deposite in Bank of Portsmouth conforming report	25 66	.91

Rec'd pay for this & my B. F. Pope

Jas. J. Darden Treasurer

Nov 30th 1894

51.04
1.63
16.87
17.85
42.30
8.80

M. Dancy Pope

1896 To J D Dandeu

Augt — To Board 4½ Months 6.50 $ 29.25

Paid

J D Dandeu

TERMS: Bills are made off for the entire session, and, unless otherwise agreed upon, are payable one-third at time of entrance, one-third the 10th of December, and the remainder the 10th of March.

(Rev.) C. F. JAMES, President.

☞ THIS BILL IS FOR REFERENCE ONLY.

Danville, Va., Sept. 9th 1896

Mrs. B. T. Pope

To Roanoke Female College, Dr.

1896					
Sept.	9	To Board, Washing, Tuition, Instrumental Music, & Physical Culture & Dairy, for first half session	102 50		
		Off R. R. fare	5 25	97	25

Sept 1896 Received Payment of Jas. D. Davidson

C. F. James, Pres.

Received Augt 22/96 of Jas D. Darden
twelve 75/100 Dollars for Tuition 1896 for
M. Daisy Pope

C. N. Steele

Oct 2nd 1896.

Newit A Pope

1895. To J D Dandson for G W Price

Jan. " Tuition for Session 1894 & 1895 17.00

" Boots 2.25

Paid Jas D Dandson

Bedford City, Va., Nov. 1st 1895.

Mr. Neville N. Pope.

Bought of J. G. SMITH,

Dealer in Text-Books, Stationery and Students' Supplies.

TERMS CASH. STORE ON COLLEGE AVENUE.

BEDFORD INDEX PRINT.

1895				
Sept.	17	To 1 History Eastern N. & Greece	1	25
		" 1 Carhart & Chute's Physics,	1	25
		" 1 Jennings Rhetoric	1	25
		" 1 Speller 25, Copy 10 Tablet 10		45
		" 1 pair Gymnasium Shoes		75
Nov.	1	" Cash	4.	95

Rec'd Payment from Mr. Jas. D. Darden, Com.

J. G. Smith

Nov. 20/95.

Bedford City, Va., Jan. 28th 1896.

Mr. A. A. Pope

. . . . IN ACCOUNT WITH . . . .

RANDOLPH-MACON ACADEMY.

		Dr.	Cr.
Jan 28	For Board ½ half session,	$ 67 50	
	" Tuition " half session,	45 00	
	" Med. Fee " half session,	2 50	
		$ 115 00	
	By Disct		15
	" A. A. Pope		20
			35
		$ 80	

Feby 4th Received Payment of above
of Jas S Dunton

Received Payment,

A. M. Leighlett, Sec'y and Treas.

Thanks.

Bedford City, Va., Feb. 25, 1895.

Received of Mr. Jas. D. Dardon, Commissioner, on account of schooling for Harrison Pope, $102.50, payment in full for second term of session 1894-'95. Please accept our thanks. A. M. Stinghlett, Treas.

Dick is well, and is studying very diligently. Give my love to Bess, and remember me with respect to your good wife.

A. M. S.

Bedford City, Va., Sept 16, 1895.

Received of Mr. James D. Dardent Comm for Harrison v Newell (Pope)

Two Hundred Dollars,

in full of fees for both boys, 1st term session 1894-'95. Thanks.

$200 [illegible] A. M. Leighlett, Treas.

Bedford City, Va., Nov. 1st 1895.

Mr. H. P. Pope.

Bought of J. G. SMITH,

Dealer in Text-Books, Stationery and Students' Supplies.

TERMS CASH. STORE ON COLLEGE AVENUE.

1895

BEDFORD INDEX PRINT.

Sept.	17	To 1 Spiller 25, 1 Physics 1.25 Copy 10	$	1 60
	" "	1 Genung's Rhetoric		1 25
	20 "	1 Laundry List, 10 Tablet 10, 1 exercise book 5		25
Nov.	1 "	9c.		$3.10

Rec'd payment from Mr. Jas. D. Darden, Com.

J. G. Smith

Nov. 26/95.

Norfolk, Va. Feb 5 1894

Mr. Jas. D. Darden, Com

To Norfolk College for Young Ladies, Dr.

To Tuition, &c., for Miss Virginia Cope

To 3d Quarter Session 1892-'93, Boarding Dept.	
" French, (Extra in Collegiate Dept.)	
" German " " "	
" Piano or Organ Lessons,	
" Lessons in Chorus Singing,	
" Use of Piano for Practice,	
" Private Lessons in Singing,	
" Drawing (	
" Painting in Oil and Water Colors,	
" Incidental Fee,	
" Sheet Music,	1 25
" Art Materials,	
" Laundry,	4 88
" Meals sent to room,	20
" Medicines, at Dodsons	50
" Breakage,	
	6 83

PAID
N. C. Y. L.
FEB 5 1894
J. A. I. CASSELL, Prin.

A Reduction of $1.00 will be made on this bill if paid on or before

Norfolk, Va. Apl 4 1893

Mr Jas. D Darden Room

To Norfolk College for Young Ladies, Dr.

To Tuition, &c., for Virginia Pope

To 4th Quarter Session 1892-'93, Boarding Dept.	47	50
" French, (Extra in Collegiate Dept.)		
" German " " "		
" Piano or Organ Lessons,	15	00
" Lessons in Chorus Singing,		
" Use of Piano for Practice,		
" Private Lessons in Singing		
" Drawing (		
" Painting in Oil and Water Colors,		
" Incidental Fee,		25
" Sheet Music,	2	55
" Art Materials,		
" Laundry,		26 4
" Meals sent to room,		67 94
" Medicines,		5
" Breakage,		62 94

PAID
N. C. Y. L. Class
MAY 6 1893
R. A. LACKEY, Print.

A Reduction of $5.00 will be made on this bill if paid on or before

May 5th 1893

Norfolk, Va. Feb 15, 1893

Mr. Jas. D. Darden, Comm.

To Norfolk College for Young Ladies, Dr.

To Tuition, &c., for Virginia Pope

To 3d Quarter Session 1892-'93, Boarding Dept.	47	50
" French, (Extra in Collegiate Dept.)		
" German " " "	15	
" Piano or Organ Lessons,		
" Lessons in Chorus Singing,		
" Use of Piano for Practice,		
" Private Lessons in Singing,		
" Drawing (Class)		
" Painting in Oil and Water Colors,		
" Incidental Fee, Rec'd Payt from		25
" Sheet Music, J. D. Darden Com.		75
" Art Materials, J. C. Leonard & Co.		
" Laundry,	1	64
" Meals sent to room,		10
" Medicines, Em 2 qt 2 00		14
" Breakage, Crockery	$65	38
	9	

PAID
N. C. V. L.
MAR 8 1893
M. A. J. CASSEDY, Pres.

A Reduction of $5.00 w[illegible] paid, on or before

Mch 1st 93 56 38

Norfolk, Va. Dec 5 1892

Mr. Jas D Davidson Com.

To Norfolk College for Young Ladies, Dr.

To Tuition, &c., for Virginia Pope

To 2d Quarter Session 1892-'93, Boarding Dept.	47 50
" French, (Extra in Collegiate Dept.)	
" German " " "	
" Piano or Organ Lessons,	15 00
" Lessons in Chorus Singing,	
" Use of Piano for Practice,	
" Private Lessons in Singing,	
" Drawing (Class)	
" Painting in Oil and Water Colors,	
" Incidental Fee,	25
" Sheet Music,	2 50
" Art Materials,	
" Laundry,	3 20
" Meals sent to room,	$68 45
" Medicines,	5
" Breakage,	$63 45

Rec'd Payment
Mrs Jas D Davidson Cus
Dec 16 '92
Stmt
J. A. S. Cashier

A Reduction of $2.00 will be made on this bill if paid on or before

Dec 17

Norfolk, Va. Oct 3 1892

Mr. Jas. D. Daidein Conn

To Norfolk College for Young Ladies, Dr.

To Tuition, &c., for Virginia Pope

To 1st Quarter Session 1892-'93 Pd. Dept.	47 50
" French, (Extra in Collegiate Dept.)	
" German " " "	
" Piano or Organ Lessons,	15 00
" Lessons in Chorus Singing,	
" Use of Piano for Practice,	
" Private Lessons in Singing,	
" Drawing (Class)	
" Painting in Oil and Water Colors,	
" Incidental Fee,	25
" Sheet Music,	62 75
" Art Materials Brief for Cash	5
" Laundry,	$57 75
" Meals sent to room,	
" Medicines,	Paid Oct 3 92
" Breakage,	J. A. J. Cassedy Pri

A Reduction of $1.00 will be made on this bill if paid on or before

Oct 14

Norfolk, Va. Oct 3 1892

Mr. Jas D Darden, Goldsboro N.C.

To Norfolk College for Young Ladies, Dr.

To Tuition, &c., for Virginia Pope

To 1st Quarter Session 1892-'93. Boarding Dept.	47 50
" French, (Extra in Collegiate Dept.)	
" German " " "	
" Piano or Organ Lessons,	15 00
" Lessons in Chorus Singing,	
" Use of Piano for Practice,	
" Private Lessons in Singing,	
" Drawing (Class)	
" Painting in Oil and Water Colors,	
" Incidental Fee,	20
" Sheet Music	
" Art Materials	62 75
" Laundry,	5
" Meals sent to room,	$57 75
" Medicines,	
" Breakage,	

PAID
N. C. Y. L.
OCT 3 1892
J. A. I. CASSEDY, Prin.

A Reduction of $1.00 will be made on this bill if paid on or before

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Norfolk, Va. 188

Mrs B. T. Pope

To Norfolk College for Young Ladies, Dr.

To Tuition of Miss Virginia

3d Quarter. Session 91 '92

Boarding Dept,	42 50
To French, (Extra in Collegiate Dept.)	
" German " " "	
" Piano or Organ Lessons,	15 00
" Lessons in ~~Chorus Singing~~, Harmony 2d & 3d 9D	6 00
" Use of Piano for Practice,	
" Private Lessons in Singing,	
" Drawing (Class)	
" Painting in Oil and Water Colors,	
" Incidental Fee,	25
" Sheet Music, 2 9r. 3 85 3d 9r. 2 65	6 50
" Art Materials,	
" Books, &c. See back of this sheet	25
Laundry Oct & Nov. 2 53 Dec Jan 5 Feb 189	4 42
Medicines &c	85
	$75 77

PAID
N. C. Y.
MAR 22 1892
J. A. I. CASSEDY, Prin.

This bill was paid by
Jas R Dardens check
J. A. I. Cassedy

TERMS:—Payable quarterly in advance. If not paid in 30 days 5 per cent. will be added to cover cost of collection. Pupils not allowed to commence a new quarter with preceding one unpaid or unarranged for.

Please remit at once to J. A. I. CASSEDY, Principal.

Norfolk, Va., May 12 1892

Mr. D. G. Pope

To Norfolk College for Young Ladies, Dr.

To Tuition of Miss Virginia

4th Quarter, Session 91-92		
Boarding Dept.	42	50
To French (Extra in Collegiate Dept.)		
" German " " "		
" Piano or Organ Lessons	15	00
" Lessons in Chorus Singing		
" Use of Piano for Practice		
" Private Lessons in Singing		
" Drawing (Class)		
" Painting in Oil and Water Colors		
" Incidental Fee		25
" Sheet Music for 30 days	1	35
" Art Materials		
Laundry to April 1st		98
Medicine		25
	60	33

PAID N.C.L.Y. MAY 12 1892 J. A. I. CASSEDY, PRIN.

Paid May 12 by
Mr J. D. Darden
J. A. I. Cassedy
Principal

TERMS:—Payable quarterly in advance. Please remit at once to
J. A. I. CASSEDY, Principal.

Norfolk, Va. Dec. 2 1891

Mrs B T Pope

To Norfolk College for Young Ladies, Dr.

To Tuition of Miss Virginia

2d Quarter, Session '91'92

Boarding Dept,	42 50
To French, (Extra in Collegiate Dept.)	3
" German " " "	
" Piano or Organ Lessons,	15
" Lessons in Chorus Singing,	
" Use of Piano for Practice,	
" Private Lessons in Singing,	
" Drawing (Class)	
" Painting in Oil and Water Colors,	
" Incidental Fee,	25
" Sheet Music,	60 75
" Art Materials,	
" Books, &c. See back of this sheet.	

Paid by check
Dec. 2 1891
J. A. I. Cassedy

This bill was paid by
Jas R Pardue's check
J. A. I. Cassedy

TERMS:—Payable quarterly in advance. If not paid in 30 days 5 per cent. will be added to cover cost of collection. Pupils not allowed to commence a new quarter with preceding one unpaid or unarranged for.

Please remit at once to J. A. I. CASSEDY, Principal.

Norfolk, Va. 9/30 1891

Mrs. B. T. Pope

To Norfolk College for Young Ladies, Dr.

To Tuition of (Miss) Virginia

1 Quarter, Session 92-93	
Boarding Dept.	42 50
To French. (Extra in Collegiate Dept.)	3
" German " " "	
" Piano or Organ Lessons,	15
" Lessons in Chorus Singing.	
" Use of Piano for Practice,	2 50
" Private Lessons in Singing.	
" Drawing (Class)	
" Painting in Oil and Water Colors.	
" Incidental Fee.	2 50
" Sheet Music.	69 25
" Art Materials,	2 50
" Books, &c. See back of this sheet.	60 75

Paid 9/30/91
J. A. I. Cassedy

This bill was paid by
Jas. R. Dardens check
J. A. I. Cassedy

TERMS:—Payable quarterly in advance. If not paid in 30 days 5 per cent. will be added to cover cost of collection. Pupils not allowed to commence a new quarter with preceding one unpaid or unarranged for.

Please remit at once to

J. A. I. CASSEDY, Principal.

Form No. 309.

Pope's Mechanical Paper

J. D. Darden

to { COMMISSIONER'S BOND.

Commonwealth.

1891 May 18.

Everett Waddey, Stationer and Printer, Richmond, Va. } Form No. 309.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we J. D Darden & Richard Howard are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the sum of Three 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 obligaiton, 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 18 day of May one thousand eight hundred and Ninety one.

The condition of the above Obligation is such, That if the above bound J. D. Darden 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 12th day of Feby, 1891, in the suit therein depending under the name and style of Popes Mathers vs Popes Heirs

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

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in the presence of

Jas D. Darden SEAL.

Richard Howard SEAL.

SEAL.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Southampton:

This day ..... suret ..... on the above bond, made oath before me ....., Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Southampton, that ..... estate after the payment of all ..... just debts, and those for which ..... bound as securit ..... for others, and expect to have to pay ..... worth the sum of ..... dollars; whereupon the said bond is admitted to record according to law.

Given under my hand this ..... day of ..... 18 .....

Teste: ..... Clerk.

Pope

vs } Summ.

Musgrave & others

1890, 1st Act Rules

Cir. Ct.

Executed Oct. 4 7.30
by delivering a copy
of the Summ: to each
of the within named
parties

J. H. Williams
Shff.

X

P+S fq

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON R. N. Musgrave & Hattie S. his wife, Jos. S. Musgrave & Lalla M., his wife - Thos. J. Pope, Nannie Lou Pope, Virginia A. Pope - last three minors over 14 years of age - Harrison P. Pope. Newitt A. Pope - Mary J. Pope and Abner D. Pope, last four minors under 14 years of age - all by J. L. McLemore their Guardian ad litem.

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 October 1890 ~~next~~, to answer a Bill in Chancery exhibited against them in our said Court by Bettie F. Pope

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 1st day of October, 1890, in the 115th year of the Commonwealth.

B. F. McLemore C. C.

Pope's Mother
vs
Report

Pope's Infants.

1894 Dec. 1st. filed
Vouchers filed

Subsequent Report
annexed & filed
March 29th 1897.
with Vouchers

Statement

Timber Sold by J D Darden Spcl Commissioner in Case of Pope v Pope & c

1890

Nov	20	By Amount Sales of Timber to F. P. Howell & Co			2110	00
		To Coms on $300 @ 5%	15	00		
		" " " 1810 " 2%	36	20		
Dec	20	" paid Justice for taking acknowledgt	1	25		
		" " Taxes	52	32		
		" " "	51	04		
		" " Princi & Schell Attys	41	50		
		Balance	1912	69		
			$2110	00	$2110	00
		By balance			1912	69
		To amt paid Widow present Value of her life Estate	450	53		
		To Miss Va a Pope's Share	365	54		
		" " Mary J Pope "	365	54		
		" " Newit H Pope "	365	54		
		" Harrison P Pope "	365	54		
			$1912	69	$1912	69

Respectfully Submitted

Jas. D Darden

Spcl Com.

Miss Virginia A Pope

In Act with Jas D Darden Spcl Comm

1891						
Sept	30	By Amt from Sales of Timber My part			368	54
"	"	To paid Norfolk College 1st Yr Board Tuition	60	75		
Dec 1892	2	" " " " 2nd " " "	60	75		
March	22	" " " " 3rd " "	79	77		
May	12	" " " " 4th " "	60	33		
July	24	" " for Making Dresses	13	50		
Oct	3	" " " " "	57	75		
Dec 1893	16	" " " " "	63	45		
March	3	" " " " "	56	38		
May 1894	5	" " " " "	62	94		
Feby	5	" " " "	6	83		
Nov	30	" Your part of Taxes for 1894	8	80		
		By Int on $365.54 - 1 Year			21	90
		To Com on 21.90	1	10		
		Balance			140	41
			$527	85	$527	85
		Balance due Spcl Commr	$140	41		

Harrison P. Poser a Minor

1891 In Acct with Jas D Darden Spec'l Comm'r

Sept 1890		By amt from Sale of Timber Tom Park			365 54
Dcr 1893	20	To paid Mrs R.J. Poser for Minor	83 33		
Jan 1894	20	" " " " " "	80 34		
Jan	15	" " " " " "	70 00		
"	"	" Jas D Darden Tuition & Books 93.94	13 75		
Sept	18	" Hughlett Prin. R.M.A. 1/2 Session	102 50		
		" R R fair to Bedford City	7 75		
		Balance	4 87		
			#365 54	#365	54
		Balance due Minor		4	87

Respectfully Submitted
Jas D Darden
Spec'l Comm'r

Harrison P. Poser a Minor

1894 In acct with Jas D Darden Special Commr

Sept	18	By Balance due Minor		4	87
Nov 1895	30	To paid Tom Shan Taxes for hills 1894	8 80		
Feby	25	" " Hughlett Prin of R M A Tuition &c	102 50		
Sept	16	" " " " " "	100 00		
Nov	20	" " J.G. Smith (School Book)	3 10		
	30	" " Check	20 00		
1897 Mch	1	Amt on #215 – 18 months	19 35		
		Balance		251	88
			#256 75	#256	75
1897 Mch	1	To balance Comm		#251	88

Respectfully Submitted
Jas D Darden
Spec'l Comm'r

Newit H Pope a Minor

1891 In Act with J D Darden Spcl Comr

Sept 1890		By Amt from Sale of Timber my part			365 54
Dec 1893	20	To paid Mrs B. J. Pope for Minor	83	33	
June 1894	"	" " " " " " "	83	34	
June	15	" " " " " " "	70	00	
		Balance	128	87	
			#365	54	#365 54
		By Balance due Minor			128 87

Respectfully Submitted
Jas D Darden Spcl Comr

Newit H Pope a Minor

1894 In Act with Jas D Darden Spcl Comr

June	15	By Balance as per last Act			128 87
	"	To paid Jas D Darden Tuition for 1893/94	13	50	
Nov 1895	30	" " Your part of taxes & fees 1894	8	80	
June	30	" " G W Prince Tuition & Books 94 & 95	19	25	
Sept	16	" Hughlett (R M Academy) Tuition &c 95 & 96	100	00	
Nov 1896	1	" " J. G. Smith for School books	4	95	
Feby	4	" " Hughlett R M A Tuition &c	80	00	
		By Int on 125= one Year			7 50
		To Comn on 7.50		37	
		Balance			90 50
			#226	87	#226 87
1897 Mch	1	To balance due Commissioner			# 90 50

Mary J. Pope a minor
In Acct with J D Darden Special Comr.

1891							
Sept		By amt from Sale Timber Yr part				$365	54
1890							
Dec	20	To paid Mrs B.J. Pope for Minor		83	33		
1893							
June	20	" " " B.J. Pope . .		83	34		
1894							
June	15	" " " " " "		70	00		
		Balance		128	87		
			$	365	54	$365	54
		Bal due Minor				128	87

Respectfully Submitted
Jas D Darden
Spec Comr"

Miss Mary J. Pope a Minor
In a/c with J D Darden Special Comr"

1894							
June	15	By balance due Ward as per last report				128	87
Nov	30	To paid Your Share of Taxes per bills 1894		8	80		
1896							
augst	"	" " J D Darden for board 4½ Months @ 6½		29	25		
Sept	9	" " " Roanoke F College Tuition &c		97	25		
Oct	2	" " C W Steel "		12	75		
		By Int on $120. for 2 Years & 2 Months				15	60
		To Comr on $15.60 @ 5%			78		
		Balance				4	36
			$	148	83	$148	83
1897							
Mch	15	Balance due Comr				4	36

Pope Mother
vs
Pope children
&
Answer of Virginia
A. Pope

The answer of Virginia A Pope, a minor over 14 years of age to a bill of complaint exhibited in the Circuit Court of Southampton against herself and others by Bettie T. Pope.

This respondent, saving and reserving to herself all manner of benefit and advantage to which she may be entitled under the law in answer to said bill says. That so far as she believes and knows, she is of opinion that it is to her interest that the timber in the bill mentioned should be sold and she hopes the Court will so decree. And having answered the prayer of said bill she prays to be dismissed &c.

x Virginia A. Pope.

Sworn to before me this 18 day of Oct 1890.

B. F. Knight J.P.

Pope Martha
vs
Pope Children &c.

Answer of
Thos J Pope &
Nannie Lou Pope

The Joint and Several answer of Thos J. Pope & Nannie Low Pope minors over 14 years of age to a bill of complaint exhibited in the Circuit Court of Southampton against themselves and others by Billie T. Pope.

These respondents saving & reserving &c. for answer to said bill say - That they are minors over the age of 14 - and their interest in the sale of the timber asked for in the bill of the complainants is so remote and of such little value, that they interpose no objection to the sale - And having answered they pray hence to be dismissed &c.

x Thos J. Pope.
x. Nannie Low Pope.

Sworn to before me this 18 day of Oct 1890.

B. F. Knight J. P.

Rofei Mother
vs 33 Decree
Rofei Heirs

Dec 1
1894. ~~Nov 28~~

To be entered.
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Rofei mother

vs Decree

Rofei Heirs

This day this Cause came on to be further heard on the papers formerly read, the report of Special Comm. J.P. Sanders, filed during the term, showing collection of the money for sale of timber and distribution of part thereof as shown by said report, with vouchers for disbursement and was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof, and no exceptions being filed to said report, the same is hereby confirmed.

Pope's Mother,

Vs. Decree.

Pope's Infants,

March 29th. 1897.

Enter,

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Popes Mother

Vs.

Pope's Infants.

This day this cause came on again to be heard upon the papers formerly read,and upon the report of Special Commissioner Jas. D. Dargen,filed this day,reporting disbursement of all of the funds in his hands,supported by proper vouchers,and to which no exceptions have been taken,and was argued by Counsel/ On consideration whereof,the Court doth confirm the said Report,and doth approve the disbursements as made therein,and nothing further remaining to be done in this cause it is ordered that the same be removed from the docket.

Received Jany 12th 1892.
of Jas D. Darden
Two Hundred and fifty Dollars
to pay for Tuition and
Clothing for My Children

B. T. Pope

Portsmouth, Va., Dec 11 1895 No.

Bank of Portsmouth

Pay to the order of A. P. Pope $ 23

Twenty Three Dollars

Jas D. Darden

BANK OF PORTSMOUTH PAID DEC 20 1895 PORTSMOUTH, VA.

Wm. Mann Co. Philadelphia.

Mrs Bettie J. Pope, Gdn of V. A. Pope et als:

To B. F. McLemore, Clerk of Southampton County Court, Dr.

189 3

Apl	Order to deposit Money in Bank	36	
	Copy Same	36	
	Paid to Jas J Darden Treas		72
	by Jas J Darden		

Mrs Billie T. Pope and Children Sec 332 No. 336

1894. To JAMES J. DARDEN, Treasurer of Southampton County, Va., Dr.

SUBJECTS OF TAXATION.	State Tax, 30c. on $100.	State School Tax, 10c. on $100.	County Levy, 30c. on $100.	County School Tax, 5c. on $100.	District School Tax, 5c. on $100.	TOTAL TAX.
To 154 6/10 acres Land, value $ 6379	19 14	6 38	19 14	3 19	3 19	51 04
" Personal Property, value $						
" Capitation Taxes			57 04			
" Dog Tax			1 63			
" Income $						
Total			$52.67			
Fee Bills [illegible] McLemore			1			90
5 per cent. additional						
Total						51 94

Received payment 30 day of Nov 1894 Jas J Darden Treasurer.

1889 & 1890

Received Dec 20/90 of J. D. Darden
Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars
to pay for Tuition & Clothing for
Children

B. T. Pope

Received June 20th 1893 of J. D. Danker
Two Hundred and Ten Dollars
to pay governess and for Clothing
&c for My Children

B. T. Pope

Randolph-Macon Academy,

BEDFORD CITY, VA.

A. M. HUGHLETT, A. M., } PRINCIPALS.
E. SUMTER SMITH, }

Sept. 18, 1894.

Rec'd. of J. D. Darden, Comm'r
for H. B. Pope, $102.50 in
full of all school expense
for 1st term sess. 1894-'95.
Thanks.

A. M. Hughlett, Jr.

Mrs Billie T. Pope and Children No. 313

1893. To JAMES J. DARDEN. Treasurer of Southampton County, Va., Dr.

SUBJECTS OF TAXATION.	State Tax, 30c. on $100.		School Taxes. State, 10c. on $100.		School Taxes. County, 5c. on $100.		School Taxes. District, 5c. on $100.		County Levy, 30c. on $100.		Total Tax.	
To 1 J J 6/ Acres Land, value $ 6379	19	14	6	38	3	19	3	19	19	14	57	04
" Personal Property, value $												
" Capitation Taxes												
" Income $												
Total												
Fee Bills												
5 per cent. additional												
Total												

Received payment 30 day of Nov 189 3 Jas J Darden Treasurer.

Mrs. Billie J. Pope and children No. 302

1892. To JAMES J. DARDEN, Treasurer of Southampton County, Va., Dr.

SUBJECTS OF TAXATION.	State Tax, 30c. on $100.	School Taxes. State, 10c. on $100.	School Taxes. County, 5c. on $100.	School Taxes. District, 5c. on $100.	County Levy, 32c. on $100.	Total Tax.
To 15-46½ Acres Land, value $ 6379 50	19 14	6 38	3 19	3 19	20 42	52 32
" Personal Property, value $						
" Capitation Taxes						
" Income $						
Total						52 32
Fee Bills						
5 per cent. additional						
Total						

Received payment 30 *day of* Nov. 189 2 Jas J Darden *Treasurer.*

Mrs Bettie T. Polk

To Prince Schell attor.

To bond to stay in chancery suit

to see Timber — $41.50

1894. July 19.

Paid by J. D. Darden.

Prince Schell.

J.B.P