Monday April the 10th 1843

Present The Hon. Richard H Batton Judge

Samuel Drury Executor of Joseph Drury } Plff
against
John T Sudthus and Martha Sh his wife & Frances H Drury } Defts

This day came the Plaintiff by his Attorney and the subpoena awarded in this cause being returned executed on the Defendants Sudthus and wife, and they still failing to file their answer, altho two months have elapsed as well since the Plaintiff filed his bill as since the service of the subpoena on the said Defendants: On Motion of the Plaintiff, their bill is taken for confessed as to the said defendants whereupon this cause came on this day to be heard on the bill and exhibits and argument of the Plaintiffs Counsel - On consideration whereof, the Court doth order that a Commissioner of this Court take an account of all monies and property received by Martha T Drury from the estate of Joseph Drury deceased and not paid over or returned to the Executor of the said Joseph since her intermarriage with the defendant Sudthus - that the said Commissioner ascertain the value of any property not so returned, at the date of the said marriage, and the said Commissioner is also directed to state an account of any proper charges of the said Martha against the said Frances H Drury and make report to Court with any matter specially stated deemed pertinent by himself or which may be required by any of the parties to be so stated

Thomas Dutton Sheriff and as such Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of Lewis N Branch deceased } Plff
against
John H Booth Administrator with the will annexed of Lewis N. Branch J K H Bond & H H Allen. John A Hill Marmaduke A Branch. Samuel M Bond and William B Bond administrator W M Hewitt deceased } Defts

Bch. $9.07
Off 11.40
Cons. 10.00
Dep. 17.41
$48.20
To pay off

This cause this day came on again to be heard on the papers formerly read and the report of the Commissioner made in obedience to the order of October Term 1842 recommitting the report formerly made to which last report there is no excepting and was argued by counsel - On consideration whereof the Court confirming the said report, doth adjudge order and decree, that the defendant John H Booth pay to the Plaintiff Thomas Dutton Sheriff, and as such administrator de bonis non with the Will annexed of Lewis N Branch deceased the sum of $880.09 with interest thereon from 21st February 1842 till paid and that he pay to the said Plaintiff his costs - And liberty is reserved to the plaintiff to apply hereafter to the Court for further relief against the other defendants in the event that this decree is not satisfied by the said Defendant Booth.