

family read, was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that a Commissioner of this Court inquire, and report an account of the transactions of Ann & Smith dec'd, as guardian of Anna J. Harrison with any matters especially stated, deemed pertinent by himself or which he may be required so to state by either of the parties.

Verdict against an infant of tender years who dies by John M. Dwyer her next friend

against
Martha Ann Ellsworth, Albert Bryant, Elbert Davis and
Richard Thomas Davis

Plff.

Def'ts

This day the cause came on to be heard in the bill of the complainant, against the infant Defendants, Albert Bryant and Richard Thomas Davis by L. P. Edwards their guardian and attorney, answer of Elbert Davis & Martha Ann Ellsworth this day filed by answer of Court you please shew exhibits and was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof, the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that a Commissioner of this Court inquire into and report to this Court whether or not the interest of the infant Defendants would be promoted by award of the land in the proceedings mentioned or by a division thereof in kind; and the Court doth further adjudge order and decree that the same Commissioner take an account of the absolute value of the slaves interest of Martha Ann Ellsworth in the cause in the proceedings mentioned and report to Court.

Samuel Wells Plff. & answer of Joanna F. Pope.

Plff.

against
Taney, Harrison, Martin, Oswald, Ann F. Ellery, Isaac F.
Richard Pope, Richard Barrett, Rebecca Jane & Susan Ann
Jeynes & Nathan Fisher

Def'ts

The Defendant Taney Pope having died since the commencement of this suit, it has abated as to her, and the bill of the complainant having been taken for confessed as to the rules as to the Defendants Ellery, Ann F. & Harrison Pope and Richard Barrett and it appearing that the cause prosecuted by law has been pursued against the absent defendants Oswald Martin, Isaac F. & Richard Pope and all the defendants still failing to appear and answer the said bill, the cause came on to be heard on the bill of the complainant, and exhibits therewith filed, the answer of the infant Defendants Susan Ann Jeynes & Nathan Fisher by L. P. Edwards their guardian and attorney and the answer of the defendant Rebecca Jane this day filed by leave of the Court & replications thereto and was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof, the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that a Commissioner of this Court take an account of the transactions of Oswald Pope as guardian of Joanna F. Pope and report the same to Court with any matters especially stated deemed pertinent by himself or which he may be required so to report by any of the parties, and that the said Commissioner also report the value of the slaves belonging to the said Joanna F. Pope removed to the State of Tennessee of the said Oswald Pope.