

any trustee or committee may act to inquire into and report whether partition can be conveniently made of the tract of land mentioned and described in Complainants bill, as lying in the County of Southampton Virginia, known as the James Whitbread tract of land, and bounded by the lands of A G Pittsor, J W Williams and others and divided in kind among the parties entitled thereto, as whetherto can be allotted to any of the parties interested, who will pay therefor to the other parties such sum of money for their interest herein may entitle them, as whether the interest of all the parties will be best subserv'd as provided by a sale of the whole tract of land, and report the said facts to Court together with any matter which by them may be deemed pertinent.

Fanny Atkinson formerly Bowens & Others Plaintiffs ³

against

John Bowens

Defendants

In Chancery

At a Court of Chancery to be held in the County of Southampton on the day of January last as to the
Fanny Atkinson formerly Bowens & Others Plaintiffs ³
against

In Chancery

Bethel Council & Elizabeth Council Defendants ³

This day there causes come on to be further heard on the bill of the Complainants the names of Bethel Council & Elizabeth Council, deposition of witnesses exhibited filed and the report of Commissioner Grose Griffin reporting sale of the real estate in the proceeding mentioned returning bonds of purchasers and certificate of deposit for cash payment and was argued by Counsel. In consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge and decree that the rights of Bethel Council & Elizabeth Council to a home free of board on the farm devised by Lewis Bowens to Bartley Bowens determined with the death of Bartley Bowens and that they they no longer have any right to remain on said farm, that the conveyance of recommendation contained in the will of Lewis Bowens to Bartley Bowens in regard to Bethel Council & Elizabeth Council created a trust in their behalf only so long as said Bartley Bowens should live and no longer. The Court doth further decree that the said Bethel Council & Elizabeth Council shall quit the occupancy of said farm and deliver possession thereof to the heirs of Bartley Bowens dead and should they refuse so to do then the Sheriff of this County is authorized to eject the said Bethel Council & Elizabeth Council from the occupancy of said farm and to deliver possession thereof to the Heirs of said Bartley Bowens dead, and no exceptions being filed to the report of sale of Commissioner Grose Griffin the same is approved and confirmed and the said Commissioner is hereby authorized to exhibit the certificate of deposit and the bonds of John Pittsor, Francis J D Pittsor & Dr Lambford filed with said report, collect the bonds as they become due and pay the same together with the proceeds realized from the certificate of deposit to the parties entitled, but before the said Commissioner shall distribute the said money, he will first pay all the costs of this suit and all necessary charges incurred for furnishing a stipendiary to Bethel Council & Elizabeth Council to May 10 1881. The Court doth further decree that the said Commissioner out of the cash in her hands pay all attorney's fee of \$100 each to George Jenkins and Richard N Baker & Co & J B Prince. And should the purchasers of the real estate claim to anticipate the payments of these bonds & to pay the same in cash to said Commissioner is authorized to receive the money and when all is fully paid to account to the purchaser's credit with specific account for the same. And the said Commissioner will report his proceedings to Court.