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William R. Thomas & Caroline Joyner infants by J. B. Mayfield
their next friend } Plaintiffs

Against } Geo. Chesney
J. P. Ferguson on behalf of Committee Joyner. Defendant
This day this Cause came on to be heard on the Complaints to Bill Lotter for confessed as to the adult defendants exhibits filed and was argued by Counsel. On Consideration whereof the Court doth, Adjudge Order and Decree that partition be made of the land by the Bill mentioned as follows, that it be assigned to J. P. Ferguson 1/4 to William R. Joyner 1/4 to Thomas Joyner and 1/4 to Caroline Joyner and for the purpose of effecting such partition having regard to quantity & quality the Court doth decree that Samuel Ferguson, O. B. Shuck and Thomas Shuck who are hereby appointed Commissioners for that purpose do apportion and allot to the aforesaid parties the respective shares by Metes and bounds or the future subject matter may be allotted to any party who will accept it and pay thereof to the other parties such shares as their interest therein may entitle them to. But if in the opinion of the Commissioners partition cannot be made in hand they will report that fact to the Court and the reasons upon which their opinion is based together with the real value of the land and the said Commissioners will report to Court.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning 10 o'clock

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