

Virginia

May Williams widow and next of kin
of John Williams deceased

Complainant

against

Matthew Williams an infant son of John Williams
deceased by his next friend Benjamin Griffin
defendant by the Court to defend him in this behalf. D. C.

In Chancery

The person heretofore appointed, to assign the widow's dower
in the land of John Williams deceased. This day made their report in the
County Court of Southampton so as directed, bearing date February Court
1818 we the Subscribers have this 23rd day of February 1818 gone on
the land of John Williams deceased attended with the County Surveyor
by the order we were required and Surveyed the same and find
there to be 157 acres in the whole and have allotted and assigned
over to Mary Williams widow and next of kin of John Williams deceased
one third part of the said lands having regard to quality as well as
quantity which assignment amounts to 49 acres including the mansion
house and other improvements, by proper rules and bounds as
follows, to wit. Beginning at a Pine a new Corner made in
the widow Mary Williams's line and in the widow Hambley's
line standing in a small branch, thence South 80 E. 50 Pole to a
peach tree a Corner made in the orchard corner in the owner's line
thence N. 65 E. 92 pole to a small crooked bay tree a new Corner made
in the widow's dower in the branch called the Brown branch, thence
along that branch the various courses thereof to the black Spruce a
Corner in Ely Drapers line standing in a small branch, thence
along Ely Drapers line S. 76. N. 112 Pole to a Poplar a Corner of
Ely Drapers in a small branch, thence along the said branch
the various courses thereof to the first Station, being the full proper
part of all the land of John Williams deceased, divided and
allotted and assigned to her by virtue of the decree aforesaid equally
to quality as well as quantity, and the remaining - one hundred
and eight acres, to Matthew Williams, given under our hands this 23rd
day of February 1818 - Jeremiah Tupper, Micajah Griffin and Lemuel
Griffin. Whereupon, it is considered by the Court, that the same be
firm stable and binding between the parties and that the costs be
proportionably borne between them.

Moses Spence

against
Joseph Reeves

Plt.

In lease

Def.

On the motion of the Plaintiff by his attorney and for good
offered to the Court it is ordered that this case be continued unless
the Court be otherwise advised.