

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the nineteenth day of March 1821.
 Present, Benjamin W. Johnson, William W. Goodenow, William Briggs and Peter West. Justices.

The Last Will and Testament of Isaac M. Fenn was produced in Court and Elizabeth Robertson a subscribing witness thereto being read, Elizabeth Robertson being sworn deposes and swears that the name of the said Elizabeth Robertson to the said will subscribed is in the proper hand writing of the said Elizabeth Robertson as she knows and believes, and the said will having been before her prior to the death of Arthur Whitehead also a witness thereto, the same is ordered to be recorded.

John Thorpe and Elizabeth his wife late Elizabeth Howell widow and relict of Alfred Howell dec. Plaintiffs
John Channing

against
 Nathaniel S. Howell, Thomas O. Howell, William R. Howell & Elizabeth R. Howell infants by James C. B. Foster their next friends Defendants

This day came the parties by their attorney, and the persons appointed by the interlocutory decree made in this cause to make division of the lands and negroes in the proceedings mentioned this day made the following report to wit:
 Agreeable to an order of the County Court of Southampton to us directed bearing date December Court 1820 We the Commissioners appointed to divide the lands of Alfred Howell dec. have gone on the lands of the said deceased attended with the County Surveyor as by the order we were required and have run out the same upon the out boundary lines and upon a fair survey we find there to be three hundred and twelve acres in the whole land. We the Commissioners then proceeded to lay off, apportion and allot to the Widow Elizabeth Thorpe formerly Howell in right of her dower for life in the said land in manner and form following to wit Beginning at a small apple tree near the house a new or made in the dower line standing on the side of the house, thence S 70 E 85 poles to a small black gum a new or made in a small branch in the dower line & in the line of Henry Vaughan, thence S 42 West 24 poles to a poplar a cor of Henry Vaughan, thence N 59 West 30 poles variation on the line thence N 47 West 60 pole to a lightwood post a new or made in the dower line & in Mrs. Rebecca Vaughan's out boundary line, thence along a new dividing line between the Widow and the Legatee 2/3 of S. Land N 26 E 136 Pole to the beginning, being the inclusive bounds of the dower right of the widow of Alfred Howell dec. And we have left agreeable to the decree aforesaid the remaining 2/3 of the land to the Legatee to be divided in common as it appears from this decree that we are not authorized to divide the S. 2/3 among the Legatee. Which bounds of the 2/3 of S. Land will fully appear by having reference to the plat annexed to this Report. And also in further obedience to the S. decree we have proceeded to divide the Slaves belonging to the S. Estate in manner and form following to wit First we allotted and apportioned to Elizabeth Thorpe formerly Elizabeth Howell the following Slaves to wit Mungo valued at 75 dollars Moll 500 dollars Rhoda & Child George 400. Henry 150 dollars, and Murren 350. making