

to be made and sealed by the said jurors together with the said writ, be returned by the said Sheriff to the next Court.

Absent Jeremiah Cobb. Present Alexander J. Peters Clerk.

Ordered that Master Commissioner Cobb do examine State and settle an account current of William Phillips's administration on Nathaniel Melvin's est. & make report thereof to Court.

Ordered that Master Commissioner Cobb do examine State and settle an account current of Jacob Barnes's administration on Mary Whitfield's est. and make report thereof to Court.

The Exceptions filed to the Master Commissioner's report & of Robert Goodenough's Administration on William Ellsworth's estate came on to be argued. Whereupon the Court sustaining the said exceptions did order that the said report & account be quashed and that Isaac Wendall pay the costs by him in this behalf expended.

On the motion of George Davis Sheriff of this County & committee of the estate of Samuel Wash-
ington it is ordered that Master Commissioner Cobb do examine State and settle an account of
Goodman Brunches Admin on the said decedent's estate and make report thereof to the Court.

Absent William E. Daughtry Present James Myrick. Clerk.

Fanny Clapper formerly by Barrett. Peggy Barrett an infant by Robert
Rawlings her next friend. Plaintiff
against

James Jones & Arthur Bowers Exors of Presley Barrett dec. Defendants.

This cause came on to be heard upon the papers formerly read and the report of the
Commissioner made in pursuance of the order of the day of November 1819 and was argued
by counsel. Whereupon it is decreed and ordered that the said report be made firm and
stable and forever binding between the parties and that the plaintiffs recover against the said
defendants their costs by them about this suit in this behalf expended. To be paid of the goods and
chattels of the said Presley Barrett in the hands of the defendants to be administered.

Present William E. Daughtry Clerk.

Ordered that Clements Rochelle, William L. Everett, Miles Howles and Henry J. Magot
or any three of them being first duly sworn before a Justice of the Peace for that purpose
do appraise all the personal estate of Arthur A. Carr dec. and return the appraisement
under their hands to Court.

Ordered that Mellic Francis, Benjamin Turner, Benjamin Whit Jr. and Samuel
Turner or any three of them being first duly sworn before a Justice of the Peace for that purpose
do appraise all the personal estate of Thomas Mason dec. and return the appraisement
under their hands to the Court.

Ed. Cooker and Susan his wife, formerly by Susan Gilliam and daughter of Arthur
Gilliam dec. John Clapper and Lucy his wife formerly by Lucy Gilliam also a daughter
of Arthur Gilliam dec. Plaintiff
against

Martha Davis formerly by Martha Gilliam widow & Adm of Arthur Gilliam dec.
and Henry Briggs Adm or co Adm of John Jones dec. Defendants.

This day this cause was heard by consent of parties and adjourned of the Court upon the bill
answer, exhibits filed and the depositions taken in the cause read by consent of parties and after
mature deliberation had the Court doth adjudge, order, and decree that the complainants do
recover of the defendant Henry Briggs Administrator co Adm of John Jones dec. the slaves
mentioned in the bill except Greasy one of the slaves aforesaid who is now dead, the Court being
of opinion that such the slave from whom the others have descended was given by the said John
Jones in his lifetime to Arthur Gilliam the father of the female complainants at the time he