

and decree that James Myrick, Arthur Williamson and Joseph Harris or any two of them do divide that portion of the negro slaves in the hands of the defendant Henry R. Gilliam as guardian to the orphans of Joseph Gilliam dec<sup>d</sup> to which William Gilliam dec<sup>d</sup> was entitled at the time of his death into four parcels of equal value, and allot one of the said parcels to the Compliment Annamata Gilliam mother of the said William in absolute property and the other three parcels to the said Henry as guardian to the surviving brothers and sisters of the said decedent. That the said Commissioners or those acting under this decree do divide the negro slaves held by Annamata Gilliam as her dower in her deceased husband's estate first into four parcels of equal value, and then allot her in absolute fee simple estate one fourth of one of those parcels, to which the said William Gilliam dec<sup>d</sup> was entitled subject to the said Annamata's life estate. It is further decreed and ordered that the said Commissioners or those acting under this decree do audit and settle the said Henry R. Gilliam's account of the heirs and parcels of that portion of the negro slaves held by him as aforesaid which they shall ascertain to be of the estate of the said William decedent and subject to distribution amongst his heirs and report the same with all of their actings and doings under this order to the Court in order to a final decree.

And it is remembered that Charles R. Jenkins, James Newton, John Womack, Benjamin Harwood, Jesse Newton, James Harrison, John A. Tison, Henry Battle, William Williford, Thomas Amon and Polly McLenore here in Court severally acknowledged to be indebted unto James Pleasant Governor & Chief Magistrate of this Commonwealth in the sum of three hundred and thirty three dollars thirty three and one third cents each, of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements to be levied and to our said Governor and his Successors for the use of the Commonwealth rendered. Yet upon this condition that if they and each of them shall severally make their personal appearance before the Justices of an said County Court at the courthouse on the first day of August next by Eleven O'Clock of that day and then and there give such evidence as they and each of them know on behalf of the Commonwealth against Richard Harrison who stands charged with murder and shall not depart thence without leave of the said Court then this recognizance to be void or else to remain in full force and virtue.

On the motion of Henry R. Williams who made oath and together with James Mullikin and William T. Magot his securities entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of One thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs, certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration on the Estate of George T. Williams dec<sup>d</sup> in due form.

A Copy of the Will of William Annis dec<sup>d</sup> (the original being recorded in Northampton County North Carolina) was this day produced in Court and it appearing to the Court to be authenticated in due form, it is ordered that the same be recorded. And on the motion of John W. Gordon one of the Executors therein named who made oath and together