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Absent Benjamin Griffin Present Nicholas M. Lebrun Gent

On the motion of Stephen Mearns who made oath and together with William Lawrence and others as the law directs, certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of Randolph Ed-

Ordered that Jonathan W. Scott, William Lawrence, James Holmes, and Thomas Lawrence 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 Randolph Edwards dec'd and return the appraisement under their hands to Court.

Next Doro and Lucy his wife, Joel Harris, and William, David and Caroline Harris infant children of the said Joel Harris and his deceased wife Mary Harris by their father the said Joel as next friend

against Persons Turner and David Westbrook

This day came the parties by their counsel and the commissioners appointed by the interlocutory decree made in this cause at November Court 1836. to divide the negroes therein mentioned this day made a report in the following words to wit: "To the Honorable Court of Southampton. In obedience with the decree hereto attached and directed to us, we have proceeded to divide the negro slaves belonging to the estate of David Westbrook dec'd including those loaned by him in his life to his sons in law, Stuart Drew and Joel Harris, and have allotted them as stated below, which we submit to the Court for a final decree. Vg.

N ^o 1 st Negro Anthony valued at \$1600. Isaac \$375 = \$1975	To David Westbrook
Hezekiah \$250. Cain 25. Joseph 350. Lehigh & Eliza 400 = 1025	
N ^o 2 nd Hampton \$600. Allen 500. Isham 250 = 1350	To Joel Harris next friend to his children
Sammy 425. Sybby 150. Esther 275 = 850	
N ^o 3 rd Hull 550. Simon 400. Tom 225. Samy child 125 = 1300	To Persons Westbrook
Reuben 175. Edwin 175. Chancy 50 = 400	
N ^o 4 Negro Bell 350. George 425. Henry 300 = 1075	To Stuart Drew and that he shall pay for, sell to each of the other two
Ben 150. Uriah 325. Chancy 275 = 750	
N ^o 5 th Stephen 550. Sam 475. Willis 175 = 1200	To Turner Westbrook
Bell & Stark 425. Wm 250. Jedem 125 = 800	

To the Court of Southampton County. We hereby certify that the within statement contains a true copy of the division we have made by virtue of the order hereto annexed. Given under our hands this 18 day of January 1836. Jos. T. Cloud M^r. A. Jones R. T. Musgrave. Whereupon by consent of parties it is decreed and ordered the division aforesaid in manner and form as aforesaid made be held firm and binding forever between the parties.

Eliza Myrick, Linthy Powell, Sarah Mussum, Nathaniel James Mussum.

George A. W. Mussum

This day this cause came on to be heard on the bill answer and argument of learned counsel whereupon the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that George A. W. Mussum sell to the highest bidder or such terms as he may think best and make void to the purchaser the lands which Harvey Mussum had seized and possessed and divide the proceeds into six equal parts and assign one to Eliza Myrick, one to Linthy Powell, one to Sarah Mussum, one to Nathaniel Mussum, one to James Mussum and one to yourself and make