

Court by the Commissioners.

John Stephenson, and Peter Edwards Guardian ad litem to N. A. Edwards Misses
 against
 Abner H. Stephenson

Dft.

In Chancery

This day came the parties by their counsel and the commissioners appointed to act under an interlocutory, were pronounced in this cause at December Court 1836. made their Report which is ordered to be recorded and is as follows. "In virtue of the annexed order, we have made sale of the negroes belonging to the estate of Mrs. Nancy Morrell decd. and make the following report. Account of sales of negroes belonging to the estate of Nancy Morrell decd. made the 10th Jan'y 1837.

Negro man Asham - to Mr. Thomas	\$310.00	
Do boy Larry - Abner H. Stephenson	701.00	
Do woman Ashy - John Stephenson	100.00	\$1111.00
Deduct 3 for bent commissions		55.55
		<u>1055.45</u>

Resolutions of each legatee \$351.81 7/8
1055.45

Commissions

\$1055.45

55.55

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Respectfully submitted to the Court. James M. Parker. Richard Darden. Whereupon by consent of parties, it is decreed and ordered that the sale and Division aforesaid in manner and form as aforesaid be held firm and stable and forever binding between the parties.

An Inventory and appraisement of the estate of George Atkinson decd. was returned and ordered to be recorded.

An Inventory and appraisement of the estate of William Lawrence decd. was returned and ordered to be recorded.

An Inventory and appraisement of the estate of Samuel Story decd. was returned and ordered to be recorded.

On the motion of Stephen Morrough, who made oath and together with James D. Madsenbury and Robert Richs. his securities, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Two thousand dollars conditioned as the Law directs, certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of Elizabeth Senous decd. in due form.

Ordered that Henry Blow, Archer Nicks, Shadrach Tuttle and Thomas Lawrence or any three of them, being first sworn before a Justice of the peace for that purpose, do appraise all the personal estate of Elizabeth Senous decd. and return the appraisement under their hands to this Court.

William D. Hood, Foreman, John Edwards, Patrick Dole, Patrick Rowe, Elijah Joyner, Thomas Harcum, Matthew M. Naughton, Brin Naughton, Shugars Lane, Ransom B. Harwell, Darden M. Bryant, James Mason, Persons Mulbrook, John Basham, Lewis Morrell, Richard Porter, Matthew R. Pope, Thomas B. Morrell, George Williams, Robert S. Barnes and Hardy Joyner were sworn a Grand Jury of inquest for the body of this County and having received their charge withdrew and after some time returned into Court & presented Goodwin Dillett owner of the road leading from Elisha Nelsons to Vicks Store in Southampton County for not keeping the same in legal repair within the last six months, on the evidence of Patrick Dole & Shugars Lane two of their own body. When the grand Jury having nothing further to present were discharged.

The last Will and testament of Polly Coland, decd. was proved by the oath of Robert H. Masgrave a Notary Public.

An Inventory of bargain sales from Thomas and together with the certificate annexed

Ordered that John Dreyer, Williams A. Joyner first sworn before a Justice of the peace for that purpose, do appraise all the personal estate of Elizabeth Senous decd. and return the appraisement under their hands to this Court.

On the petition of John Vicks for leave to turn to refuse to Williams D. Hood and that they view & report thereon accordingly.

Abner Carr Powers

Present: James D. Madsenbury

A Decree of Trust from Edwin B. Coland, all the parties thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Abner Williams S. Conner

Present: Richard B. Madsenbury

Ordered that Shadrach Tuttle hold the estate of Henry Joyner decd. and partition by himself or which he

On the petition of William S. Conner, Scarborough decd. The Commissioners which is ordered to be recorded and for County, obtained by William S. Morrell two of the road bordering where said Conner wishes the whose land the present road is located to locate the road as marked dangerous to said Conner, as it was little disadvantage to the public. The road as marked off measures for a Road as shown the present hand this 15th day of March 1837, to alter the said road as specified do road be discontinued.

On the motion of Joshua Treason appearing to the satisfaction of the Court called but came not. Therefore it is ordered that the sum of Fifty seven dollars and paid, the amount paid by the plaintiff executed upon by him against the the plaintiff and the defendant by him in this behalf expended.

\$4.50