

1840 Hall found and the estate.

William D Pope is appointed commissioner in process W. H. in charge of James Powell caused

Richard E Powell, John Clark and Margaret A his wife, Benjamin W Powell,

Joseph W Powell, James J and John H and William A Powell infants by Benjamin

Powell their next friend

against

James Powell

Deft

Deft

In Chancery

This day this cause was docketed by leave of Court and causes of parties and answer to be filed in this bill and answer and was argued by Powell. On consideration whereof the Court doth order, adjudge and decree that Nathaniel S. Durham, Benjamin E. Pope and William D. Clarke, be appointed Commissioners, any two of whom may act, that they after a dentance the time and place of sale for twenty days sell to the highest bidder, the tract of land known as the Newton tract, for cash enough to pay the costs of this decree, the balance in a credit of six months, for which they will take bonds with good security, first, one bond for one seventh part of the whole, which they will assign to James Powell in his own right the balance of the money they will divide into seven equal sums, take bonds with security and assign out to each of the adults and the others assign to the qualified guardian of the infants and report their proceedings to the Court in order to a final decree.

John Thomas Davis and Elizabeth Jane Davis infants of tender years by

L R Edwards their next friend

against

Eli W Davis

Deft

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In Chancery

This day the Commissioners appointed by the intervening made in this cause at Alamogordo last made the following report. "Agreeable to a decree of the County Court of Southampton Co. William Harris, Patrick Rowe and Matthew Mills Commissioners after giving twenty days notice did to the highest bidder the 55 acres of land be the same more or less, for forty six dollars in a credit of six months as the decree directs, and after taking out the necessary expenses, for the decree two dollars and Clarke costs \$9.32 etc and Commissioners \$2.38 cents, we took an eighth part in a note and assigned the same to Eli W Davis in his own right, and two bonds of equal amount of the residue for John Thomas Davis & one for Elizabeth J Davis and have assigned them to Eli W Davis their guardian. This 25th day of June 1850. Patrick Rowe, Matthew Mills & Whorwath it is ordered that the said report be entered on the term for exceptions.

William D Gurley, John D Gurley, James J Wells and Anne R Wells infants

being by William J Sebell their next friend

against

Edwards Wells and Rebecca his wife

Deft

Deft

In Chancery

The Commissioners appointed by the intervening decree made in this cause at Alamogordo 1850 to make division of the Slaves therein mentioned this day made report in the following words to wit. "By virtue of a decree of the County Court of Southampton County dated November Term 1850 and to the undersigned Commissioners directed, which was then answered on the 27th day of November 1850 found to divide the Slaves in the decree mentioned in the following manner. Valuation of the