

Mills C. Lawrence assignee of John A. Turner William S. Rochelle
John R. Rochelle and Mary J. and Martha C. Rochelle infants
of Nathaniel Rochelle d. by Wm S. Rochelle their guardian next friend

against

Mary A. Day

In Chancery
Deft

The Commissioner appointed to sell the slave in the proceedings mentioned this day made the following report "In Obedience to a Decree of the County Court of Southampton pronounced at its November Term 1886 appointing me a Special Commissioner to sell privately the negro slave born a Slave Negro of Mrs. Mary A. Day upon such terms as might to me seem just and proper, and out of the amount pay to Mrs. Henry late Mrs. Day, the widow one seventh part of the whole in lieu of her life estate, of the remainder pay to Mills C. Lawrence assignee of John A. Turner one third, and the other two thirds pay to the heirs of Nathaniel Rochelle d. as reported his doing to the Court in order to a final decree." They have to make the following report.

"Report" The negro Tom at the time of the decree was confined in Jail in Portsmouth, and had been so confined for a considerable time, was considered unmanageable, having been runaway for near two years and with all being untried from him, I found great difficulty and could not succeed in selling him under which circumstances I shipped him to Charleston S.C. and obtained for him after deducting Suits fees, Passage and all other expenses in effecting sale the sum of \$302 1/6 From which sum deduct 5 per cent commission or \$15.10

and 2 per cent on the balance of

3.16

.06

Clerks fees

238 \$ 17.44

\$ 285.72

The widow one seventh part is

40.81

\$ 244.91

Mills C. Lawrence one third of the remainder paid

to him as per his receipt annexed is

\$ 81.63 3/4

The heirs of Nathaniel Rochelle two thirds part of

the remainder paid to Wm S. Rochelle in right of himself

and as guardian to John R. Mary J. & Martha C. Rochelle

as per his receipt here annexed

\$ 163.27 3/4 \$ 244.91

All of which is most respectfully submitted "Wm S. Whitehead Spd Commr"

On motion of James Barnes who made oath and together with Alonzo Myrick (and) Jacob Barnes his sureties entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of three thousand Dollars conditioned as the law directs. Certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration on the Estate of Samuel Barrett d. in due form

Ordered that Alonzo Myrick, William A. Hill, Bennett Barnes & Henry K. Blaw or any three of them first being duly sworn for that purpose do appraise all the personal estate of Samuel Barrett d. and return said Appraisement under their hands to Court.