

On motion of Peter J. Holmes. Ordered that one of the Commissioners of this Court examine state and settle and settle an account of Richard B. Smith's guardianship of said Peter J. Holmes and make report thereof to Court with any and all bills specially stated demand pertinent by himself or which he may be required to state.

On motion of Edwin Harrison. Ordered that William W. Sims who is newly appointed Special Commissioner for the purpose, do state settle and adjust an account of said Harrison's executorial proceedings in William H. Harrison's estate and make report thereof to Court.

Elizabeth V. Harris, Martha M. Harris and Harriet Harris
 against

William Harris Executor of John Harris dec^d and Mary Harris

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In Chancery

The Commissioners in this cause this day made the following report: "Agreeable to a decree of the Court of Appeals November Court 1854, we John V. B. Smith & Griffith and William A. Harrison did value and allot to Mary Harris widow of John Harris as her share in the lands of said John Harris one third part in value, that is to say, seventy five acres with the house and outbuildings valued at three hundred dollars, and bounded as follows on the South west by William A. Harris' land, on the North by the mill pond of said Harris, on the N. W. by the gravelly road to a white oak, a corner newly made between the heirs and widow, N. West, thence a line of 70 ft, to a black gum in said Harris' line, the widow also is granted the privilege of getting rail timber on any part of the children's land where most convenient, to keep up the fences on said land. All of which is submitted to the Court. Given under our hands this 29th day of January 1855. John V. B. Smith & Griffith, William A. Harrison Commissioners."

An Inventory and Appraisement of the estate of Zachariah Turner dec^d was this day returned and ordered to be recorded.

An account current and Commissioners report of Benjamin Griffiths executorial proceedings in Robert Adams' estate was returned and ordered to lie on the table for exceptions.

Benjamin Morrell and Nancy his wife, Daughters Daines executor of Joseph S. Ward dec^d, who was assignee of Anthony Woodard, John Simmons and Mary his wife, Maria Pope, heirs of John Woodard by Maria Pope their next friends
 heirs of John Woodard by Maria Pope their next friends, William B. Clarke trustee for the creditors of Daniel Wells

against

Samuel Bryant executor of Samuel B. Woodard dec^d

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In Chancery

This day this cause was debated by leave of the Court and consent of parties, and came on to be heard on the bill and answer and was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof the Court did order, adjudge and decree that Samuel Bryant be appointed Commissioner, that he attend by a competent lawyer, allot to the widow for life, one third of the lands whereof Samuel B. Woodard died seized and possessed, also allot to her one half of the negro slaves (neg and living and to value) for life - that said Commissioner sell to the highest bidder, after advertising the time and place of sale for twenty days the remainder of said land and slaves upon the following terms to wit: the land upon a credit of nine months, the slaves for cash, and that the funds be disposed of as follows, after paying the costs of this