

Tuesday April the 18th 1871

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Present,

The Hon. Joseph W. Waples, Judge

William E. Myrick
against
St. J. Balle

Plff. J. W. Chapman
Def. J. W. Chapman

66k \$8.81
\$ 1.50
Com. J. 4.00
Law 16.00
\$ 30.31

This Cause came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read and on the answer of said Defendant, this day filed and general replication thereto, and was argued by Counsel, on consideration whereof the Court deciding that the said Defendant is not entitled to the Homestead as claimed in his said answer, doth adjudge, order, and decree, that W. H. Briggs Sheriff of said County, who is hereby appointed Commissioner for that purpose, proceed to sell at public sale before the Court House door of Southampton County, on some Court day, the Land referred to in the proceedings; described as two tracts of Land in Southampton County, one parcel containing one hundred and forty eight acres, more or less, and also a tract of 109 1/2 acres, more or less, and adjoining the North Carolina State line. The said Sheriff will advertise the time of selling of said Land for thirty days previous thereto, by notice at the Court House door of said County and at Minors's Depot in said County and other public places, near the premises, and will take from the parties to selling Bonds with good personal Security, and return the same to Court. The selling shall be for two years at a time, and make Report to Court annually; This Decree is on the Motion of the Defendant by Counsel, suspended for sixty days to allow him to apply for Superseding.

Samuel Ferguson and wife

against
R. F. Gillard, Wm. St. Mitchell personal representatives
of Jas St. Mangano dec. and Henry L. Myler

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This Cause came on to be heard on the Bill of the Complainant taken for Complaint as to Wm. St. Mitchell, Personal Representative of James St. Mangano dec. and Henry L. Myler, in return process had been duly executed; and they still failing to appear and make defense, and on the answer of Richmond F. Gillard, this day filed, and on general replication to said answer, and on exhibits filed with said Bill and answer, and was argued by Counsel, on consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge, order and decree,