

1858-008

Chancery Causes

Isle of Wight County

Jonathan Lockum, Mills Lockum v John B. Pruden, by & c. vs
Joseph B. Whitehead, John Urquhart & al

Other SURNAMES: Lightfoot
Jordan, Shivers, Milbey,
Newman

Godwin Sal.

vs: 3 Bill H.

Merchant Sal.

Godwin v. Bill
Merchant O

Feb. Rules 1837 Bill
H. filed.

March Rules 1837. Sum.
executed & decrees nisi.

Ch. Rules, Bill & Rem for
confessed debt for term.

May 15. 1837 Decree
for act. l. R. B. p. 105.

Sept. 7. 1837 - Capt. of
Comm. White Sal. filed.

Octo. 1837 Decree p. 115.

May 1838 - Decree to
collect bond & p. 131.

Octo. Ct. 1838. final
decree.

An agreement

Mills Godwin's
acct. sale

filed with the
census of 1850.
Hull st. 11. 1000
of Hannah
Urquhart acc?

To the Hon: Rich^d. H. Baker judge of the Circuit Court of W. of
Wight County, in Chancery, Humbly complaining sheweth unto
your honor, your orator, Jonathan Godwin, Mills Godwin, & John B. Pender
the last an infant who sues by his next friend (his father) Geo. T. Pender, that one
Hannah Carghart, the wife of one John Carghart, departed this life, on
the 1st July 1855, her husband surviving her. The said Hannah
left the following children - viz. your orator, Jonathan & Mills Godwin
the children by a former marriage, and the said John B. Pender the child of
a deceased daughter Sarah A. Godwin who married one Geo. T. Pender;
and Hannah, William J. & Victoria Carghart, children of the marriage with
John Carghart. the two last named, viz. William J. and Victoria are minors,
under the age of twenty one years. The said Hannah Carghart, (the mother)
was entitled, at the time of her marriage with John Carghart, to a tract of
Land in fee, in the said County of Isle of Wight, containing by estimation
250 acres, and bounded by the Land lately belonging to Jeremiah Pomeroy's heirs,
Nat. Pender's &c heirs, Armstrongs & others. That sometime after her intermarriage
with the said John Carghart, the latter as tenant by the Curtesy, conveyed
all of his interest in the said Land to one Robt. Lightfoot trustee to secure
Miller Wilson & other Creditors the debts therein mentioned as due to them; and
on the 10th of Nov. 1841, the said Lightfoot as trustee sold in due form, the
life of the said Geo. Carghart at Auction, of which interest the said
one Joseph B. Whitehead became the purchaser - as will appear
by a deed of the said Lightfoot to him bearing date the 15th Nov. 1841.
That thereafter, to wit. on the 15th day of Nov. 1841, the said Joseph B. White-
head, by a deed of that date, herewith filed as a part of this Bill, sold
& conveyed to one Nancy Jordan as trustee, all of the interest in the
said tract of Land, which he (Whitehead) had as aforesaid purchased

to the several parties equally - and in case the said
real estate be indivisible in kind, that the same
be sold and the proceeds thereof be distributed among the
parties entitled thereto: That proper process may issue, that
the said Whitehead be made to state the nature of the
indentures aforesaid - and if any is now due - how much &
that the said John Whitehead be enjoined and prohibited
from further cutting down & selling the Gum Trees on
the said Land - that he render an account of the quantity
cut & sold: That proper process may issue, &
that such other, further and general relief may be
afforded your Orators, as the Nature of their Case may
require, or to Equity shall seem meet. And your Orators
will ever pray &c

Jonathan Gordon

Mills Gordon

Geo. B. Pruden Jr

Geo. T. Pruden his next of kin

Wm
N. Hathorne &


Judge of my County to wit:

This day

personally appeared before me a
Justice of the Peace for the County aforesaid, and made
oath that the allegations in the foregoing bill, they believe to
be true to the best of their knowledge and information
& give under my hand this the day of Jan'y 1857 -

Jb

The Joint and Separate answers of Joseph B. Whitehead and Albert G. Shivers to a Bill in Chancery filed in the Circuit Court of Isle of Wight County by Mills Godwin & others against John Ursubart & others —

These Respondents say — That Mills Godwin did die ~~about twenty~~ ^{near thirty} years ago, as stated in the Bill and left a small estate, but how much they cannot say — that he also left a widow named Hannah (who afterwards married Geo. Ursubart) & the three children named in said Bill —

That they had always supposed the said Hannah was the adm^r of her said husband Mills Godwin dec^d, and as such consumed the small estate in paying debts & advancements to the plaintiffs for their support &c, and that ^{so far as they know} she never settled any administration account ~~she~~ & never received any estate as the guardian of said plaintiffs. ~~as far as they know~~ — That it is true these Respondents became her security as such guardian as stated in the Bill, but they are not to believe she never received any estate as guardian aforesaid, because the estate of said Mills Godwin was never settled or divided, but as they have understood was consumed by said Hannah while she was such adm^r in payment of debts of the dec^d, & in supporting the plaintiffs —

These Respondents claim the benefit of the act of limitation however, should the plaintiffs have any claim against them on account of their securityship as aforesaid, and also claim the benefit of all offsets against the plaintiffs for board, & maintenance justly due by them to said Hannah —

These Respondents demand in all matters affecting them injuriously, in the premises strict proof — and now having answered pray to be dismissed &c.

Whitehead
Albert G. Shivers

Judge of Wright County to wit.

This day Joseph B. Whithead and Albert
G. Shivers personally came before me a
Justice of the peace in and for said County
and made oath that the facts set forth in the
 foregoing answer, so far as they depend on their
 own knowledge, are true, and that so far as
 they depend on information derived from
 others, they believe the same to be true.
 Given under my hand this 18th day
 of October 1835.

W. H. Rogers J.P.

Godwin tal;

or,

Marguhart tal

answer of
Joseph B. Whithead.
+
Albert G. Shivers

The Answer of Joseph B Whithead one of the defendants to a Bill filed in the Circuit Court for Isle of Wight against him and others, by Jonathan Godwin and others.

This respondent now and at all times hereafter saving &c. for answer &c. answers and says that as to the transactions between him & the said Hannah and John ^{Marguhart}, mentioned in said Bill he as a friend and at the request of the said Hannah Marguhart shortly after the trust sale alluded to in the said Bill, purchased of the late James Milby of the county of Nansemond the life estate of the said John Marguhart in the lands in the Bill named for the sum of \$150.00 and thereupon the said trustee conveyed the said life interest directly to your respondent, that by agreement between the said Hannah & your respondent with the consent of the said John Marguhart your respondent conveyed this interest in said land to one Nancy Jordan in trust for the said Hannah Marguhart & her children &c and the said Hannah Marguhart conveyed to your respondent by deed of Mortgage 100 acres part of said land in fee to secure him the said sum of \$150.00, all of which will appear by reference to the several deeds filed by the plaintiffs in this cause and prayed to be regarded as part of this answer, Your respondent farther says that there is now due him on said Mortgage the sum one hundred & forty five dollars forty seven cents with interest thereon from the fourth of February 1836 till paid that he has no objection to your honours granting the prayer of the complainants with respect to the mortgaged premises as asked in said Bill

And as the credit of 5 years under said mortgage has long since expired and your respondent has now other use for his money he ~~prays~~ your honour will grant a decree authorizing a sale of said mortgage premises and the payment of such sum as may be now due your respondent ^{with the legal interest thereon accrued}.

That this respondent having answered so far as his knowledge enables him hopes to be dismissed with his reasonable costs &c.

J. B. Whitehead
April 14th 1857

Jede of Wight County to wit:

This day Jos. B. Whitehead personally appeared before me a justice of the peace for the County aforesaid and made oath that the facts in his answer above contained are true so far as he knows & believes.

Given under my hand this 14th of Apr^l 1857 ~~1857~~.

M. H. Watkins, J. P. (Seal)

Godwin + ally

As



Answer

Whitbread + others

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Godwin & al.
v

Burgess & al.

The joint and separate answer of William J. and Victoria Burgess by Nat. P. Young their guardian ad litem appointed to defend them in this suit, to a Bill filed against them & al. by Jonathan Godwin & al. in the Circuit Court of the District of Columbia.

These respondents, by their said guardian ad litem N. P. Young for ^{them} answer to so much of said Bill as they are advised it is proper for them answer, answering, say that as they are infants under the age of merely one year, they beg leave to submit their interests in the premises to the protection of this hon: the Court. and having assumed prayer to be dismissed &c.

N. P. Young gov.
ad litem

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Infants
abnormal

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON *John Urquhart, Joseph B. Whithead
and John M. Shivers Administrators of Nancy Jordan decd. - Hannah
Urquhart, William J. Urquhart and Victoria Urquhart (the last two
being infants.)*

to appear before the *Circuit* Court of Isle of Wight county, at the Court-House of said County, on
at rules to be held in the Clerk's office on the first Monday
in March next, to answer a Bill in Chancery to be filed
against them by Jonathan Godwin, Mills Godwin and John
B. Prudden, an infant suing by John T. Prudden his next
friend.

: and have then and there this
Summons. Witness, NATHANIEL P. YOUNG, Clerk of our said Court, at his Office, this *5th*
day of *February*, 1857, in the *81st* year of the Commonwealth.

N. P. Young cl.

On the 13th day of July 1857 I delivered a
true copy of the letter to Joseph B. Matthews
Senat of Ky Stt

On the 18th day of July 1857 I delivered five copies
of the letter on to the Honorable Secy to W. Virginia
and to W. Virginia Secy to W. V. Virginia and also
to J. M. Shivers

Wm. J. Matthews
Senat of Ky Stt

Jonathan Goddard Esq.

vs: 3/3 Sund. in
clay.

Jos. Venghart Esq.

To March sess 57
cir. Ct.

Whitfield Co.

We the Commissioners appointed to
View the Land of Ureghart and others
after a due consideration ~~of~~ regard to
the Division of Said Land have come
to the honest Conclusion that the
Infant Children of Said Ureghart
would be far more benefited by
the Sale of the land and a division
of the proceeds arising therefrom than
by a division of the land.

Signed by ^{all} three of
the Commissioners.

the 7th day of August. 1857.

Robert Whit-
Lucian E. M. Will-
William. V. Gray
Henry Ruden

Godwin talr.

v. 3 Cont. rept.

Wright talr.

Sept. 7. 1857
filed.

Jonathan & Mills Godwin & Pruden

~~of~~

Arguents, Whitehead & Co.

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County Court of Isle of Wight  
County.

The undersigned who was appointed a Commissioner, by a decree of the County Court of Isle of Wight County, entered on the 19<sup>th</sup> Octo. 1857 on the case, therein depending, of Jonathan Godwin & Co. vs. Arguents & Co. - to carry out the requirements of said decree, begs leave to report - that the sum of One hundred and forty five dollars & fifty cents, decreed to be paid to Joseph B. Whitehead, having been paid with interest <sup>last</sup> amounting to the sum of \$177 -

to the said Whitehead, by Jno. J. Pruden, Jonathan Godwin & Co. -  
Wm -

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The said undersigned, after advertising the tracts of Land in the decree mentioned for more than three weeks successively at several ~~places~~ public places, near the premises, and at the door of the Court House of the said County and also at other public places, in the said and other Counties, did expose at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the terms prescribed in said decree, before the door of the Court House of Isle of Wight County on the first Monday in January 1858, being Court day, the tracts of Land aforesaid: and at the sale so made, William B. Whitehead of Suffolk, became the purchaser at the price of \$2000.00 for which, the Bond of the said Whitehead with Jno. R. Kilby his security was taken, and is herewith returned for the future order of the Court: and a lien also retained on the premises all of which is respectfully submitted -

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Robt H. Whitefield Comr

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Jan'y. 30. 1858

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St. Report & Co.

Wynham & Co.

Read filed in the report. The whole head
of the bill - was used by me Sept. 1858

R. A. Whitefield

At a Circuit Court continued, and held for Isle of Wight County
On the 18th day of May 1858.

Jonathan Godwin, Mills Godwin & John B. Pruden an
infant suing by John T. Pruden his next friend. Plffs:

(Against) $\frac{2}{3}$ In Chy. —
John Urquhart, Jos. B. Whitehead and John M. Shivers admrs. of Nancy
Jordan decd: Hannah Urquhart, William I. Urquhart and Victoria
Urquhart (the last two being infants. Defts

This Cause came on to be heard on the papers formerly read,
and the report of Commissioner R. H. Whitfield to which no exceptions
has been filed, and was argued by Counsel: On consideration
whereof the Court confirming said report, doth adjudge—order
and decree—that the said Commissioner R. H. Whitfield—on his
leaving a receipt therefor with the Clerk of this Court, receive
the said bond of Two Thousand Dollars in the proceedings mentioned
executed on the 4th day of January 1858. by the said William B.
Whitehead and John R. Killy, and the same collect, and out of
the proceeds thereof, pay first—the Costs & expenses of of this suit
& the sale of the land aforesaid, including of a fee of thirty ^{one} dollars
and fifty cents—to the Plaintiffs Counsel, then the sum of One
Hundred and seventy seven Dollars—with interest—from the 4th
day of January 1858. to John T. Pruden, Mills Godwin and
Jonathan Godwin—being the amount paid by him to Joseph
B. Whitehead—in the proceedings mentioned: And the balance
divide into Six equal parts: One of which parts—he will pay
over to Jonathan Godwin, One part to Mills Godwin—One part
to the legal guardian of John B. Pruden—One part to Hannah
Urquhart: One part to the legal guardian of William I. Urquhart
and One part to the legal guardian of Victoria Urquhart.
Which several sums—the said Guardians are directed to invest
by Lending out. to individuals on sufficient security—real or
personal—Or in State Stock, & make report to Court. But this
Decree is to be suspended until the said R. H. Whitfield enter
into bond before the Clerk of this Court—in the Clerk's office of
the same with sufficient security—payable to the Commonwealth
of Virginia in the penalty of four Thousand Dollars—Conditioned
for the faithful discharge of his duties as Commissioner

And as to the payment of the several sums aforesaid to the several guardians of the said parties, this decree will be suspended until the guardians severally shall enter into bond in the Clerk's office of this Court - before the Clerk thereof in the penalty of Seven hundred Dollars with sufficient security - pay able to the Commonwealth of Virginia - Conditioned to invest the proceeds according to the requirements of this decree - & for the faithful discharge of their duties as such Guardians, And the Court doth direct that the said R. H. Whitfield Commissioner as aforesaid, execute a deed to William B. Whitehead - the purchaser of the Land referred to - in the usual form - With Special Warranty. -

A Copy

Teste.

J. C. Latimer Clk.

Godwin & als:
vs. Copy Decree
Urgent &c

Recd of R. Whitfield Commr, the sum of three hundred & 84 - \$301.84. being in cash of the bond mentioned in the above decree
Ms. 11 Oct. 1858

Recd of R. Whitfield Commr \$301.84 amt. of the proceeds

Johathan Godwin

\$3.00

Jonathan Grover

1887

July 13

To Josiah O. Gay Off of J.S.W. Co

To summoning Joseph B. Whitehead. Inc.

urguhat and other (5) at 50¢ 3 00
Wm. W. D.

J. Godwin, M. Godwin &

Jno. B. Pruden

#3.97

Alfred
Smith
Account

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1857 Jonathan Godwin, Mills Godwin and
bro. B. Prudden Jr. bro. T. Prudden mgt. bro. S.

Feb. Sund. 8. m. Maguehat 8. 25 coffee 75

mtg. 18. a to. 10.

1 28

Mar. Filg: bill 15. exp. 25. entry. return of

com. 35. Vash 50. dock 18.

1 43

Apr. another rule

50

May Deere & coffee

76

A. S. Young & Co.

\$ 3 97

6 81

10 88

Gordon Jonathan

g.c

Feb. 91

Jonathan Godwin, Mills Godwin & Mo. B. Pruden

1857 To Col. Gen. Sec. of Isle of Wight Dr

Sept. fily. Acpt. of Com. White Tals: 15

Octo. Decree 68. 2 copies 88. Com. Bond P. 65. 2 21

Estimated for acpt. to be made 45. decrees 72. cpy. 50

taxy. 8 cpy. cts. 30. fily. pas. 20. 1 87

taking & fily. bond of Gen. At in No. @ 65. 2 68

A. P. Younger \$ 691

Oct. 7. 1838.

Jonathan Godwin & als.

or.

$\frac{3}{4}$

In lch: Bill of costs.

Mrs. Miquhart, J. B. Whithead, J. M. Pharis & als.

Attos: fees & writ tax

clks. fees

Shff.

\$31.50

10.80

3.00

\$45.30

Test

A. J. Young & Co.

Mrs. Miquhart has not yet given her bond or g^od
M. P. G.

Newbury
Mass

Recd of Mr. Whitfield Cummings, the sum of three
hundred and one dollars & 84 cts (\$301. 84) being the
share, ($\frac{1}{5}$) of the net proceeds, of the sale of the largest
tracts of land decreed to be sold by the Circuit Court
of the County of Wayne in Case of Godwin & Lutzbaugh, and distributed
by a decree of the 18th May 1858, to which my wife, Hannah F.,
formerly Hannah F. Lutzbaugh, is entitled - whereof my
share was 116 cts: 1858 -
J. B. Newman
A. Borden -

Wm. Godwin

Receipt

Red of Robt Whelpley Commissioner, The sum of
Three hundred and one dollars & 84 cents (\$301.84)-
being the portion $\frac{1}{16}$ of the net proceeds of sale of the
Virginia tract of land, sold by a decree of Circuit Court
of the District of Columbia, in the case of Godwin v. Virginia -
of Octo. 1857, and distributed by a decree of the 18th May
1858, among say Lewis & Sons then 11. Octo. 1858
J. P. Moore

J. Godwin

Pro Ruden
est

Part of Northfield Common, the sum of Three hundred
& one dollar, & 84 cents. \$301. 84: being the portion to which
John J. B. Pender, the name of the undersigned, was entitled
being one sixth of the net proceeds of the tract of land
called "the Ligonhart tract" decreed to be sold by a decree
of the Circuit Court of Isle of Wight, in the case of Godwin
& al. vs. Ligonhart & al. and the proceeds distributed
by a decree of 18th of May 1858 - this the 11th Octo: 1858

H. Pender Esq.

Mills Godwin
MGT

Recd of N^o H Whitfield Cunningham, the sum of
three hundred & one dollar & 84 cents (\$301.84) being
my portion, 1/5 of the nett proceeds of sale of the largest
tracts of land, into & a decree of the Circuit Court
of Ga. of Aug 14, in the case of Godwin & H. Legabots
and distributed by a decree of 18. May 1858. entered my
leave this 11 Octo: 1858—

J. P. Under-

Will Godwin

W. C. C. C.
Godwin,
S. M. C.

We have received of Northwellfield Camp. the
sum of one hundred & eighty five dollars, and
fifty cents (\$185.50) the amount (\$177.00, with interest)
decreed to be paid us, by a decree of the 18th of
May 1858, in the case of Godwin. O. being about
presently in the current custody here of our at work
this 11. Oct: 1858-

note.

Ch. Richards

J. Godwin
J. J. Godwin
Mills Godwin

Recd of Bro. Lutz
\$10. to Mr. J. Lutz
of Victoria a receipt
for money paid by
the - in case of Godwin
and P. Lutz

Recd of H. H. Whitfield Commissioners - the following sum
of money - viz: the sum of three hundred & one dollars & 84 cts
being the amt, or sum to which my ward, W. S. Lygubart
and the further or like sum of three hundred & one dollar &
84 cts. to ~~the~~ being the amt, to which my said Victoria
Lygubart are entitled, out of the note proceeds of
the sale of the largest part of lands of said, as ordered to be sold
by the Circuit Court of the County of Wash, at the Octo-Term 1857 and
distributed by a decree of 18th May 1858, in the case of Godwin
& alr. v. Lygubart & alr. - then depending - entered my
hand this 18 Octo: 1858

Witness
John R. Kilby

John Maguire

Receipts

Statement of Acct. of W. B. Whitehead.

Am't.

\$200.00

Int. from 4. Aug. 1858, to 11 Octo: '58 - 9 mos. 16 d.

92.33
\$2092.33

Dr. costs of Suit.

\$45.30

" Am't. to be paid. \$177. Int. \$8.15 to
to Prudden & Solomon -

185.15

" Commission & Conf -

50.84
\$281.29

Divided in 6 part, -

\$281.29
6 \$1211.04
\$501.84

6 1/2

88.00
786
818

177.

Godwin & Co
as
Elizabeth's Exr -

Special Statement Made
at the bar by James Hayden
by Consent of Court -

Balance due on Whithead's Mortgage

debt on Feb 4th 1836 of Principal - \$ 145.50

C. B. Hayden

Godunov

&

Argonaut

up to

Inv. Argonaut & Co

to Mr. J. O. Kistner

Argonaut

Godwin & als
vs.

Deceit

Arguehart & als

The undersigned ~~the~~ guardian of William S. Arguehart: and the guardian of Victoria Arguehart begs leave to report: that he has received the sum of \$301.84 being the share of William S. Arguehart in the net proceeds of the sale of the Arguehart tract of land, decreed to be sold by a decree of this Court, in the case of Godwin & als vs Argueharts & als - & also the like sum of \$301.84 to which his other ward Victoria Arguehart is entitled per No. Hithfield Commission: and after deducting ^{according to the requirements of said decree of Dec. 1858,} his commissions - has loaned out the balance \$573.00 the better to take care both of his said ward, the Robertson Trust with Est. M. Todd & his family - bearing date the

1858

Wm.

John R. Kelly

John Arguehart

Required by the said Secy to be executed by the
said guardians having been done, and hereunto
filed —
Octo. 12. 1858

Goodwin & als

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Very what was

Reput. of N. H. Whitfield

with results for money
paid out under order
of May. 1858

Goodwin's
vs.
Urguhart's

Deed Report-

The undersigned a Commissioner appointed, under an order entered in this cause on the 18th of May 1858, begs leave to report that he collected the proceeds of the fund in the said order mentioned executed by W. B. Whitehead & Geo. R. Kelly for \$20,000 with interest - \$92.33. And thereon - and the proceeds distributed as follows - to Mills Goodwin he paid the sum of \$301.84: to Jonathan Goodwin a like sum; to Geo. T. Pruden Guardian to Geo. T. B. Pruden ^{a like sum of \$301.84}; to Mrs. Anna a like sum, the husband of Hannah Urguhart, the sum of \$301.84: to Mrs. Urguhart as guardian of William Urguhart, the sum of \$301.84: & the like sum of \$301.84 to him as guardian to Victoria Urguhart - that the said sum of \$301.84, being the share to which each of the said parties were entitled, after the payment of the costs of the suit & sale aforesaid, and the payment of the sum of \$177.00 with interest - as will more fully appear by the statement below - and the receipts of the several parties so paid as aforesaid here with enclosed - & that he has executed & delivered to W. B. Whitehead & Geo. R. Kelly a deed for the land in the said order mentioned.

Statement.

R. H. Whitfield Esq

Bund. W. B. Whitehead & Geo. R. Kelly. Paid \$20,000.00

Int. from 4th Aug 1858, to 11 Oct. '58 - 9. mos. 7.67 - 92.33
\$2092.33

Dr: Cost of suits. Receipts of clerk & staff filed \$45.30

Amount to be paid to Mills Goodwin, Jonathan

Goodwin & Geo. T. Pruden. Receipt filed 185.15

Commissioners' Charge -

50.84

2092.33

\$2181.29

281.29

Which divided - in to four parts -

1/4 \$2181.29

Leaves the sum of \$301.84 to be paid -

\$301.84

to each of the said parties aforesaid - & which has been paid over to each of the said parties, or their guardians as their receipts, here with filed will show. The bond register

proceedings under this order to the Court

Goodness m

m

Perquimans

To be Entered

May Term 1857

R. H. Baskin

11th

Good.

11.

Uxbridge. This cause came on to be heard on bill taken for
compelled as to the defendants, Mrs. M. Shivers as to the sons of Nancy
Jordan &c. When Uxbridge, and Hannah Uxbridge, on whom process had been duly
served, they still failed to appear & plead, answer and answer to the said bill.
On the answer of John B. Whitehead filed this day by leave of Court, and
the answer of the infant defendants, William & Victoria Uxbridge, by Nat
P. Young their guardian ad litem appointed to defend to them in the
suit, with various applications thereto, on the examination of exhibits
& was argued by counsel; On consideration whereof the Court with advice
order and decree, that partition be made of the ~~same~~ ^{land} it be referred
to a Commissioner of the Court, to take an account of the debt due
to the said defendant John B. Whitehead stating the amount thereof due
of any; and the Court doth further adjudge order & decree ^X that partition
be made of the tract of land in the bill mentioned, ~~whereof the land~~
~~Hannah Uxbridge & her heirs & assigns, into six equal parts, and~~
~~that Lucian Mills, Robert White, Henry Pruden & Wm Gray, any three~~
~~where who are hereby appointed Commissioners for such purpose~~
~~do proceed to divide the said land into six equal parts: one of~~
~~which part they will sell to Jonathan Pruden, one to Charles Pruden - one~~
~~to John B. Pruden - one to Betty Pruden - one to Hannah Uxbridge, &~~
~~the other to John B. Pruden & the other to Victoria Uxbridge having proper guar-~~
~~antee of the same and make partition thereof but if in the opinion of~~
the said Commissioner, the best interest of the parties will be promoted
by a sale of the said land in lieu of the partition thereof or if said
they are required to report such fact, with their reasons for such
opinion: and make report to Court of their proceedings, &

X Lucian Mills Robert White Henry Pruden & Wm Gray any three
of whom may act be and they are hereby appointed Comrs who
being first duly sworn enquire and report to the Court whether
in their opinion the interest of the infant defts
would be more promoted by a sale of the real Est
aforesaid rather than by a partition of the same
among the parties entitled to the same, and the reason
upon which their opinion is founded with the fee
simple & unencumbered value of the same and report thereon

Godwin tal.

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Urquhart tal

1857

Octo 26

Deerue

To be entered

R. H. Baker

Whitehead, that Ro. H. Whitfield who
is hereby appointed a special Com.
for that purpose, do, after having
advertised the time & place of sale
for three weeks successively at two or
more public places near the premises,
and at the Court house door of Isle of
Wight County on some Court day, ~~proceed~~
expose to sale before the Court house
door of Isle of Wight County, on some
Court day, as public auction to the
highest bidder the said above described
parcel of land, conveyed by said mortgage
on the following terms, to wit for cash enough
to pay to said Whitehead the said sum
of money & interest as aforesaid & the
costs of suit & expenses of sale, and the
balance on a credit of six months with
interest from date, taking from the
purchaser Bond, ^{payable to said Com.} & good security for the
deferred payment.

And the Court doth further adjudge
order & decree that the said ~~Whitehead~~
~~who is~~ appointed a Com. for that purpose
do proceed, Commt. do proceed after
having advertised the time, terms
(and place of sale as above
specified to sell at the same
time & place the remainder of the Land,
named in the lise, to wit. one hundred
(and fifty acres, more or less, bounded
as aforesaid, on six months credit
with interest from date, taking

from the purchaser ^{payable to himself} bond with sufficient
security, payable to said Com., and
retain the title till the further order
of the Court - and make report of his
proceedings under this decree to Court
(and file with him report the Bond
of the purchaser for the deferred payment)

~~But this decree is & is~~

But the said Com. is not to
proceed to act as such Com. under
this decree, until he shall have
entered into Bond with sufficient
security in the hands of this
Court payable to the Comtee. of Va.
in the penalty of \$1000, conditioned
for the faithful discharge by him of
his duties as such Com.

Exordium Sal.

or

Urguhart Sal.

This cause came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read and on the report of Ro. J. White, Lincoln E. M. Coles, Wm. A. Gray & Henry Prudden made pursuant to the decree of May Term 1857 to which there is no exception, and was argued by counsel; On Consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge order & decree that unless the ^{owners of the land named in the proceedings} ~~defendants~~ ^{& conveyed to the mortgage} or some one of them or some one for them, shall within 60 days from the date hereof pay to the Debentant J. B. Whitehead the sum of \$145⁵⁰/₁₀₀ with interest thereon from the 4th day of February 1856 till paid,

Then the said owner of said Land & all persons claiming under them be from thenceforth forever barred & foreclosed of & from all equity of redemption in the piece or parcel of the said tract of Land conveyed by the Mortgage from Mrs. Urguhart & Hannah his wife to said J. B. Whitehead dated the 15 Nov. 1841 & described as a parcel of land containing by estimation 100 acre, more or less & bounded as follows - on the north by the lands of the heirs of Nathl. Prudden & on the west by the heirs of Nathl. Prudden Jr & on the South East by the main road leading to Venable Bridge, and in case of default in the payment of the said sum of \$145⁵⁰/₁₀₀ & interest aforesaid to J. B.

Case of Default in the payment of the Said Sum
of One Hundred and forty five Dollars & fifty Cents
and interest aforesaid to Joseph B. Whitehead.
That Robert N. Whitfield who is hereby appointed a
Special Commissioner for that purpose, do after
having advertised the time and place of Sale for
three weeks successively at two or more public places
near the premises. And at the Court House door of
Isle of Wight County on some Court day, Expose to
Sale before the Court House of Said County on some
Court day— at public Auction to the highest bidder
The Said above described parcel of Land conveyed by
Said Mortgage. On the following terms to wit,
for Cash enough to pay Said Whitehead the Said Sum
of Money & interest as aforesaid, And the costs of
this Suit & expenses of Sale, And the balance on
a Credit of Six Months— with interest from date—
taking from the purchaser Bond payable to Said Court
with good Security for the Def. & payment. And the
Court doth further adjudge order & decree that the Said
Commissioner do proceed after having advertised the
time, terms & place of Sale as above Specified— to Sell
at the same time & place the remainder of the Land
named in the Bill— to wit, One Hundred & fifty acres
more or less, bounded as aforesaid, On Six months
Credit— with interest from date; taking from the purchaser
Bond with Sufficient Security— payable to Said Court & retain
the title till the further order of the Court, & make report of
his proceedings under this decree to Court, & file with
his report the Bond of the purchaser for the Defered
payments. But the Said Commissioner is not to pro-
ceed to act as Such Court under this decree— until
he shall have entered into Bond with Sufficient Security

in the Clerk's office of this Court, payable to the Court
of Virginia in the penalty of \$1000; Conditioned
for the faithful discharge by him of his duties as
Such Commissioner.

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Test. J. C. Latimer S. C.

At a Circuit Court held for Isle of Wight County.

On the 19th day of Octo: 1857.

Jonathan Godwin, Mills Godwin & John B. Pruden
an infant, Suing by John J. Pruden his next friend Plfs
Against ^{3/4} In Chancery

John Urquhart, Jos. B. Whitehead (and John M. Shivers-
adm^r of Nancy Jordan dec^d), Hannah Urquhart, Wm. J.
Urquhart & Victoria Urquhart (the last 2, infants. Defs

This cause came on this day to be again heard
the papers formally read, and on the report of R. J.
White, L. E. M. Wills, William R. Gray & Henry Pruden
made pursuant to the decree of May term 1857. to
which there is no exceptions, and was argued by
Counsel; On consideration whereof, the Court doth
adjudge order & decree, that unless the covenors of the
said land named in the proceedings & conveyed by
Mortgage - or some one of them - or some one for
them - shall within Sixty days from the date hereof
pay to the defendant Joseph B. Whitehead the sum
of One Hundred & forty five Dollars & fifty cents, with
interest thereon from the 4th day of July: 1856. till
paid, Then the said covenors of said land and all
persons claiming under them - be from thenceforth
forever barred & foreclosed of & from all equity of re-
demption in the piece or parcel of the said tract of
land conveyed by the mortgage from John Urquhart
and Hannah his wife to said Joseph B. Whitehead
dated the 15th Nov^r 1841. And described as a parcel
of land containing by estimation 100 acres - more or
less. Bounded as follows, On the North by the land
of the heirs of Nath^l. Pruden Sen^r. On the West by the
heirs of Nath^l. Pruden Jr. & On the South East by the
Main Road leading to Everetts Bridge. And in

whitfield, and as aforesaid execute a deed
to Mrs B. Whitfield the purchaser of the land
referred to in the above form with specie
warranty.

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Godwin oak

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Wright oak

May 1858

to be entered

R. H. Baker

Godwin vs

vs

Argue vs

This Cause came on to be heard on the paper formerly read, and the report of Commissioner, Robert Whitefield to which no exceptions have been filed, and was argued by Counsel: On consideration whereof the Court, confirming said Report, doth adjudge, order and decree, that the said Commissioner, Robert Whitefield, on his leaving a receipt therefor, with ^{the} Clerk of this Court, receive the said Bond of \$2000.00. in the proceedings mentioned, executed on the 4th January 1858, by the said W^m B Whitehead & Esq. R. P. Kelly, and the same collect and out of the proceeds thereof, pay first the costs and expenses of this Court in the sale of the land aforesaid, including a fee of \$31.50 to the ^{Plaintiff} Counsel - then the sum of \$177.00 with int. fr. 4th day of Jan'y 1858 - to Geo. J. Pruden, duly Godwin being the amount paid by them to Joseph B. Whitehead in the proceedings mentioned, And the balance divide into six equal parts: one of which parts, he will pay over to Jonathan Godwin: one part to Mills Godwin: one part to the legal guardian of Geo. B. Pruden: one part to Hannah Argue: one part to the legal guardian of William J. Argue & the other part to Victoria the legal guardian ^{which several sums, the said guardians are directed to invest, by loaning out to individuals on sufficient security, real or personal, or in state stocks,} to Victoria Argue, ~~But this decree is to be~~ and such report to Court. But this decree is to be suspended until the said Robert Whitefield enter into Bond before the Clerk of this Court in the Clerk's Office of the same, with sufficient security, ^{payable to the Commonwealth of Virginia} on the penalty of \$4000.00, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties as Commissioner - And as to the payments of the several sums aforesaid, to the several guardians of the said parties, this decree will be suspended, until the said guardians, severally, shall enter into Bonds in the Clerk's Office of this Court, before the Clerk thereof, on the penalty of \$100.00: with sufficient security payable to the Commonwealth of Virginia ^{to invest the proceeds according to the requirement of this decree} and conditioned for the faithful discharge of their duties as such guardians - and the Court doth direct that the said Robert H

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Oct. Co. 1858

To be entered

R. H. B.

Godwin & al.
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Arguheart & al.

This cause came on again
to be heard on the papers formerly read, and the report of
Commissioner Rothwellfield, ~~made in person~~, and the
report of John Arguheart Guardian of William I
Arguheart, and of ^{made in person} Victoria Arguheart, ^{an order made here on 13th May 1858} to which
no exceptions have been filed and was argued
by counsel: On consideration whereof the Court
doth confirm said Reports—

Jo. B. Whitehead wife

to $\frac{1}{2}$ Reed

Nancy Jordan.

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and Kind what-soever - which is vested in him the said Joseph B. Whitehead by virtue of the aforesaid deed from Bartholomew Lightfoot to the said Joseph B. Whitehead by the deed bearing date the 15th day of November in the year One Thousand Eight hundred and forty one, being the interest of the said John Urquhart for life - in land owned by him before his intermarriage with said Urquhart, To have and to hold the same to the said Nancy Jordan (the trustee), her heirs, executors admors and assigns in trust for the use and benefit of the said Hannah Urquhart and her children clear and free from all title to the same on the part of her husband John Urquhart and those claiming under him - The use of the said lands to be by and for the benefit of the said Hannah Urquhart and her children independent of any claim on the part of the said Urquhart who is to have no controul over the same - and to have no benefit in the same, unless he shall be appointed by the said Nancy Jordan her agent & attorney to manage the same for the use of said Hannah and her children. The rents and profits of said land are to be paid to the said Hannah Urquhart or to her order only, And in no manner to be applied or used for the benefit of the said John Urquhart or any person claiming under him the said property or the profits thereof in no manner to be subject to the controul - manage - disposition or order of the said John Urquhart or to the payment of his debts, And if the said Hannah Urquhart shall survive the said husband, then and in that case, the said Nancy Jordan or her heirs, executors admors & assigns shall convey the said interest now conveyed to her by the said Whitehead - to the said Hannah Urquhart's children. In testimony whereof the said J. B. Whitehead and his wife Rebecca have hereunto set their hands & seals this day and year to-wit 15th of November 1841.

J. B. Whitehead 
Rebecca Whitehead 

Isle of Wight County to-wit

We Edwin Morrison and Merit Womble Justices of the peace in the County of Isle of Wight and State of Virginia, hereby certify that Joseph B. Whitehead and Rebecca his wife, parties to a certain

deed hereto annexed and bearing date the 15th day of November 1841. and hereto annexed, personally appeared before us in our said County and acknowledged the same to be their act and deed - and desired us to certify the said acknowledgment to the Clerk of the County Court of Isle of Wight, in order that the said deed may be recorded, and we further certify that Rebecca Whitehead the wife of Joseph B. Whitehead parties to a certain deed hereto annexed and bearing date the 15th day of November 1841. personally appeared before us in our said County - and being examined by us apart from her husband and having the deed fully explained to her, she the said Rebecca Whitehead acknowledged the same to be her act and deed, and declared that she had willingly signed - sealed and delivered the same and that she wished not to retract it. Given under our hands and seals this 1st day of July. 1842.

E. Morrison 
M. Womble 

In the clerks office of Isle of Wight County Court July 7th 1842
This Indenture was acknowledged by Joseph B. Whitehead to be his act and deed - and with the Certificate of the privy examination of the Home Court - and admitted to record.

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Teste,

N. P. Young 

J. L. Latimer 

Whereas Hannah Urganhart the wife of John Urganhart of Isle of Wight is entitled in fee Simple to a tract of land in the County of Isle of Wight - and whereas she with her husband John Urganhart has by deed bearing even date with these presents conveyed to Joseph B. Whitehead a part of the said lands - that is to say one hundred acres be the same more or less, and bounded as described in the said deed - in consideration whereof the said Joseph B. Whitehead has agreed to convey to one Nancy Jordan the sister of said Hannah Urganhart - all the right - title interest and claim which One Bartholomew Lightfoot trustee in a deed from John Urganhart to him for Willis Wilson (and others) has conveyed to the said Whitehead as purchaser of the life estate of John Urganhart in the lands of the said Hannah his wife which estate for his life - The said Urganhart acquired by intermarriage with her - and the subsequent birth of a child of the said John Urganhart and wife, but the said conveyance to be made to the said Nancy Jordan - is to be the exclusive and separate use of the said Hannah Urganhart, and of her children during the life of the said Hannah Urganhart so as not to give to the said John Urganhart any right title interest or controul whatsoever no to subject the same to payment of any of his debts - either now due, or hereafter to be contracted - Therefore this Indenture made this 15th day of November 1841, between the said Joseph B. Whitehead and Nancy Jordan who has agreed to act as trustee for the use and benefit of the said Hannah Urganhart for the purpose hereinafter mentioned, Witnesseth; That the said Joseph B. Whitehead and his wife Rebecca Whitehead for and in consideration of the premises aforesaid and the further sum of five dollars to the said Whitehead in hand paid before the sealing and delivery of this indenture, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have granted bargained and sold - and by these presents do grant bargain - sell and convey to the said Nancy Jordan her heirs - executors admors. and assigns all the right - title - claim and interest and demand of every nature

same to be her act and deed and declared that she had willingly
signed - sealed and delivered the same - And that she wished not to
retract it - Given under ^{our} hands and seals this 11th day of July:
1842.

Mills W. Darden *JP Seal*
E. Morrison *JP Seal*

In the Clerk's office of Sale of Wight County Court May 10th 1842
This Indenture was acknowledged by John Argusheart and
Jo^s. B. Whitehead parties thereto, and with the Certificate of the
jury examination of the same Court annexed & admitted
to record.

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F. C. Latimer D.C.

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for J. B. Whitehead

to my Secy.

John Argusheart Secy

in consideration of the ~~three~~ premises aforesaid - and in consideration of the further sum of five dollars this day paid to them by the said Joseph B. Whitehead - the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have bargained and sold - and by these presents do grant - bargain sell and convey unto the said Joseph B. Whitehead his heirs and assigns forever - One certain piece or parcel of land - Containing by estimation One hundred acres - (And bounded as follows - that is to say - on the North by the land of the heirs Nathl. Pruden Senr. On the West by the heirs of Nathl. Pruden Jr. And on the South East by the main road leading to Everett's Bridge - Known by the name of Jonas tract - which land is a part of the tract of land in said County belonging to the said Hannah in fee simple - being her property & which she acquired by purchase from the heirs of William Shivers Senr. sold by a Commissioner by virtue of a legal decree, and as heir of Sarah Shivers - in which her said husband has been entitled for a life estate as tenant by Courtesy - but which interest of the said husband has been sold & conveyed to the said J. B. Whitehead by Bartholomew Lightfoot aforesaid - and which interest so conveyed by said Lightfoot has been sold and conveyed by the said J. B. Whitehead to one Nancy Jordan in trust for the use and benefit of said Hannah Urquhart and her children - for life only of John Urquhart. To have and to hold the afore said ——— acres of land herein before described - to the only use and behoof of the said Joseph B. Whitehead his heirs and assigns forever - And the said Hannah warrants the title in said land to the said Joseph B. Whitehead his heirs - against all persons except that the life estate of said Urquhart has vested in the J. Creditors of John Urquhart - for whose use it has been conveyed for the life of said Urquhart - but this conveyance is made upon the trust and confidence to which the said J. B. Whitehead assents by being a party hereto - and by affixing his name and seal to this deed - And upon the following Conditions to wit, that if she the said Hannah Urquhart or her heirs or any of them or any other person for her benefit - shall within five years

from the first day of January next - pay and satisfy to the said Joseph B. Whitehead his heirs executors administrators or assigns the sum of One hundred and fifty dollars with legal interest - On the same from the first day of January 1842 till paid - the interest to be paid Annually in that event - upon the payment to him or to his heirs &c. - he the said Joseph B. Whitehead or his heirs - executors &c. shall and will convey to the said Hannah Urquhart or to her heirs or assigns or unto any person who shall pay the same - all the right - title - interest and claim - which he the said Joseph B. Whitehead shall have acquired by virtue of this deed - so as to vest the title in said land - in the said Hannah Urquhart or her heirs or such of them as she may direct - as far as he the said Whitehead shall be authorized to do under this conveyance - but it is to be a part of this deed - that the interest is to be paid Annually upon the said one hundred and fifty dollars. In testimony whereof the said John Urquhart wife Hannah and Joseph B. Whitehead have set their hands and seals this 15th day of November 1841. Signed Sealed & delivered

in presence of

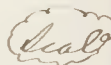
John R. Urquhart

Christian Urquhart

— Godwin

John Urquhart 

Hannah E. Urquhart 

J. B. Whitehead 

Isle of Wight County to wit:

We Mills W. Darden and E. Monahan Justices of the peace in the County aforesaid & State of Virginia, do hereby certify that Hannah Urquhart parties to a certain deed bearing date the 15th day of Novr. 1841. and hereto annexed personally appeared before us in our said County - and acknowledged the same to be their act and deed - and desired us to certify the said acknowledgment to the Clerk of the County Court of Isle of Wight - in order that the said deed may be recorded - We also certify that Hannah - wife of John Urquhart - two of the parties to said deed hereto conveyed - personally appeared before us in said County - and she being examined by us privately and apart from her husband - and having the deed aforesaid fully explained to her, she the said Hannah Urquhart acknowledged the

Whereas Hannah Urquhart the wife of John Urquhart of the County of Isle of Wight and State of Virginia is entitled in fee simple to a tract of land in the County aforesaid as her property which tract of land is bounded by the land of Jeremiah Pinners heirs, Nathl. Pruden jun. heirs, Mr. Amstead & others. and contains by estimation two hundred and fifty acres more or less, and the said John Urquhart as her husband being entitled to the said land as tenant by marriage with her, and the subsequent birth of a child of the said marriage and having conveyed his interest in the same for the use of Creditors the rights of the said Urquhart have been sold and conveyed, so that there is now left in the said husband no interest in the said land, but the same after the termination of the life estate vests in her heirs - subject however to any conveyance that may be made by her in due form of law, and whereas the said Hannah Urquhart has agreed (by and with the consent of her husband. the same being signified by his being a party to this deed) to convey bargain sell, to Joseph B. Whitehead and his heirs such part of the said land as are herein after mentioned, and whereas the said Joseph B. Whitehead has agreed to convey and has by deed of even date with these presents granted bargain and sold and conveyed to one Nancy Jordan of the County of Isle of Wight in trust for the use of the said Hannah Urquhart and her children for and during the life of the said John Urquhart and no longer, but the same to be clear and free from any claim or title to the same on part of the said John Urquhart all the right and title to the said land which the said Whitehead acquired by virtue of his purchase of the right of the said John Urquhart at a sale made on the 10th instant by virtue of a deed of trust executed by John Urquhart to Bartholomew Lightfoots for Willis Wilson and others - which deed of the trustee to B. Lightfoots bears date the 15th Nov. 1841. therefore this Indenture made and entered into this 15th day of November 1841. between the said John Urquhart and his wife Hannah of the one part, (and Joseph B. Whitehead of the other part, all of the County of Isle of Wight Witeneth - that the said John Urquhart and his wife Hannah

Godwin &
s. J. C. B. B.
My dear Sir

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, *Robert H. Whitfield*
and *A. P. Yenny*

are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of *One thousand*
Dollars to the payment whereof, well and truly

to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by
these presents. As witness our Hands and Seals, this *2^o* day of *November*, in
the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and *fifty seven*

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That whereas by a Decree of the
Circuit Court of Isle of Wight county pronounced on the *19th* day of *October 1837*,
in a cause depending in the said Court in which *Jonathan Godwin, Mills Godwin*
John an

John Unghart, Jos. B. Whithead & al. are plaintiff, and

above bound *Robert H. Whitfield* defendant, the
missioner to *Sell certain real estate in the decree &*
proceedings mentioned, after advertising the same
according to the provisions of the said decree, and
make report, together with the money taken for the
sale, to the Court.

Now if the above bound *Robert H. Whitfield* shall faithfully discharge
his duties as Commissioner under the said Decree, then the above Obligation to be void, otherwise to
remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, and delivered }

in the presence of }

J. C. Latimer DC

Robert Whitfield



A. P. Yenny



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Wigwag to G.

Sept. 6. 1838. Wm. H. D.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Robert H. Whitfield
and A. P. Young

are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of Four Thousand
Dollars to the payment whereof, well and truly
to be made, we bind ourselves, our Heirs, Executors and Administrators, jointly and severally, firmly
by these presents. As witness our Hands and Seals, this 6th day of September
in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty eight

The Condition of the above Obligation is such, That whereas, by a Decree of
the Circuit Court of Isle of Wight County, pronounced on the 18th day of May 1858
in a cause depending in the said Court, in which Matthew Godwin, Miller
Godwin Mrs. B. Padden H. J. and

Plaintiffs and

John Miquelant, Jos. B. Whithead, Mrs. M. Shwin
and of Nancy Jordan and are Defendants, the
above bound Robert H. Whitfield was appointed a special

Commissioner to receive from the Clerk of the said Court
Whithead for \$2000.00 in the proceedings mentioned
and the same collect and out of the proceeds thereof pay
first the costs & expenses of this suit & the balance
pay out & distribute in the manner directed by the
decree aforesaid & make report to Court.

Now, if the above bound Robt. H. Whitfield shall faithfully discharge
his duties as Commissioner under the said Decree, then the above Obligation to be void, otherwise
to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered }
in the presence of }

Robert H. Whitfield
A. P. Young



Godwin & al.
vs. W. S. Pender
~~James~~ & bond.
Vigilant & al.

Oct. 4. 1838 entered
filed.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we John T. Pruden
and Edwin C. Pruden

are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of Seven
hundred Dollars to the payment whereof, well and truly
to be made, we bind ourselves, our Heirs, Executors and Administrators, jointly and severally, firmly
by these presents. As witness our Hands and Seals, this 4th day of October
in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty eight

The Condition of the above Obligation is such, That whereas, by a Decree of
the Circuit Court of Isle of Wight County, pronounced on the 18th day of May
in a cause depending in the said Court, in which Jonathan Godwin,
Milly Godwin and Mrs. B. Pruden as infants
by Mrs. T. Pruden as next friend are Plaintiffs and
John Magrath J. B. Whitehead & Mrs. M. Thayer
adm^r of Nancy Jordan & al^s. are Defendants, the
above bound John T. Pruden guardian was appointed a special
Commissioner to of Mrs. B. Pruden was authorized & directed
to receive from Re. H. Whitefield the commissions who
was directed to collect the bond in the said decree
speciously mentioned, the amount due to his word
Mrs. B. Pruden & to receive the said amount by
him or guardian by receiving the same out of dividends
or goods or any real or personal, or in State Stock.

Now, if the above bound Mrs. T. Pruden shall faithfully discharge
his duties as guardian and all other duties as guardian
under the said Decree, then the above Obligation to be void, otherwise
to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered }
in the presence of }
& publicly verified }
before me.

A. D. Young

J. Pruden

E. C. Pruden



Mrs. J. Magrath
Nancy Magrath

Godwin's Lab.
m. } No. 100000
} No. 100000

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Octo. 18. 1838 filed

Know all Men by these Presents, That we John Urquhart
and Watson S. Jordan
are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of Seven
Hundred Dollars to the payment whereof, well and truly
to be made, we bind ourselves, our Heirs, Executors and Administrators, jointly and severally, firmly
by these presents. As witness our Hands and Seals, this 4th day of October
in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty Eight.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such, That whereas, by a Decree of
the Circuit Court of Isle of Wight County, pronounced on the 18th day of May
in a cause depending in the said Court, in which Jonathan Godwin
Mills Godwin & John B. Pender and infant
by John J. Pender his next friend are Plaintiff, and
John Urquhart J. B. Whitehead & John McShivers adm^r
of Nancy Godwin & als. are Defendant, the
above bound John Urquhart Guardian of ~~was appointed a special~~
~~Commissioner to~~ William J. Urquhart and Victoria Urquhart
was authorized and directed to receive from Robert
W. Whitfield the Commissioner who was directed
to collect the Bond in the said Decree proceeding
mentioned, the amounts due to his coors William
J. & Victoria Urquhart & to invest the amount so
received by him as Guardian by loaning the same out
to individuals on good security real or personal, or in State Stock

Now, if the above bound John Urquhart shall faithfully discharge
his duties as ^{Guardian} ~~Commissioner~~ ^{and all other duties as guardian} under the said Decree, then the above Obligation to be void, otherwise
to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered }
in the presence of

W. S. Jordan

John Urquhart

W. S. Jordan

