

1868-001 Chancery Causes: Joseph C. Nossworthy & al vs Nathaniel W. Nossworthy's admr & Joseph
Isle of Wight County Nossworthy's admr, & Lauretta Nossworthy's admr & al

Other surnames: Parker
Newman, Whitfield, Veasey,
Goodwin, Jordan, Pitt,
Bunkly, Peebles

oversized box 2

(2) NC confederate bonds

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

To the Sheriff of Isle of Wight County, Greeting:

WHEREAS _____ by the judgment of a Justice
of the Peace for the County of Isle of Wight, ha _____ lately recovered against

with interest thereon, to be computed after the rate of six per centum per annum, from the
day of _____ 18 _____, till payment, and also _____ costs by _____ in that behalf
expended; and the Constable to whom execution upon the said judgment was directed by a Justice of
the Peace, not being able to find goods and chattels to satisfy the same, has made return thereof to the
Clerk of our said County, who has docketed the same according to law: Therefore, at the instance of
the said _____ we command you that you take the said

_____ if _____ be found within your bailiwick, and
safely keep, so that you have _____ bod _____ before the Justices of our said County
at the Courthouse, on _____ Monday in _____ to satisfy the said

_____ the sum of
with interest thereon as aforesaid, and _____ for _____ costs
aforesaid; and also _____ dollars and _____ cents, the costs of this execution. And have then there
this Writ. Witness, NATHANIEL P. YOUNG, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this
day of _____ 18 _____, and in the _____ year of the Commonwealth.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

To the Sheriff of Isle of Wight County, Greeting:

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day of _____ 18 _____, and in the _____ year of the Commonwealth.

Blow & Goode p. q.

Foreworthy & also:

44 } Clug. peps.
23:

Foreworthy's admw.
& also.

1866.

Sept. Reels - Bill & filed.

Surv. exp. d. & decree nisi.
g. dw. addition to inst. to u. l. p. p.

Octo. Reels - Bill taken
for conf. & set for hearing.

Octo: term 1866. Decree for
accounts.

May 1867, cond.

Sept. 16. 1867 Report filed

Octo. 1867. Exception filed &
Report recommitted.

May 1868 - Decree for
receiv. p.

Octo. 1868 final decree

political troubles of the Country the said Ro. H.
 Whitfield has ^{been} not enabled to settle up and
 administer the said estates confided to his
 hands. They desire to state in this connexion
 that they fully appreciate the difficulties
 which the said Whitfield has been obliged
 to encounter in the discharge of his duties
 as Fiduciary and Agent. That they repose
 now as they have always done the utmost
 confidence in his prudence and integrity
 of character and that this suit has been insti-
 tuted at his special instance and request in
 order that all the parties concerned might
 have the aid of this Honorable Court in
 adjusting and settling the transactions
 hereinbefore referred to according to the
 laws of the land and the principles of equi-
 ty and justice. To the end therefore that
 Justice may be done and inasmuch as
 your Orators and Co-Defendants are without com-
 edy in a Court of Law and relievable only
 in a Court of Equity where such matters are
 properly cognizable they pray that the
 said Ro. H. Whitfield as adm of A. W.
 Barnworthy dead, as adm de bonis non with
 the will annexed of Joseph Barnworthy dead
 as adm of E. L. Barnworthy dead and as agent
 and attorney in fact of the plaintiffs as afore

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Sarah Sumner, Catharine Goodwin, Wil-
liam J. Veasey, Mipouri A. Veasey and Mary
A. Karsworthy, formerly Mary A. Veasey may
by proper process be made parties defendant
to this Bill and required to answer its alle-
gations ^{the adults in proper person & the infant by Guardian ad} as fully as if they were here repre-
sented and they thereupon specially interroga-
ted - That your Honor will make a decree
directing accounts to be taken showing
what is due and owing to your Orators and
Oratrices from the said R. H. Whitefield as
admin of A. W. Karsworthy decd, as adm de
bonis non with the will annexed of the
said Joseph Karsworthy decd, as adm of
the said B. L. Karsworthy and as agent
and attorney in fact as aforesaid & Grant
the Commaners the writ of subpoena
compulsory & and all such other
aid and relief as equity and good
conscience may dictate and the
nature of their case require and
as in duty bound they will ever pray.

Blom & Gould

P. G.

* also an account of the transactions
of A. W. Karsworthy as Exor of Joseph
Karsworthy decd - also an account

Of the transactions of A. W. Barnworthy
as Guardian of Catherine Goodwin
and also an account showing the
legacies of Joseph Barnworthy dead

Blond & Ger de py.

Jos. C. Norcross & Co.
tals.

v. 3 Bill

Re. H. Whitfield adm.
of Jos. Norcross & Co.

J. C. Norcross & Co.
v.

R. H. Whitfield &
others.

Bill

To The Hon R. H. Baker, Judge of the Circuit Court of
Ile of Wight.

Humbly complaining shew unto
your Honor, your Orators and Oratrices Joseph
C. Harsworthy, A. W. Harsworthy, James R
Harsworthy, Henry R. Parker and S. F. Parker
his wife formerly S. F. Harsworthy and Otelia
C. Harsworthy. That Joseph Harsworthy late
of the said County departed this life on the
day of March A.D 1859 having first made
and published his last will and Testa-
ment a duly authenticated copy of which
is herewith exhibited marked "A" and prayed
to be taken as a part of this Bill. That by
his said last will and Testament. The said
Testator among other bequests devised and
bequeathed with certain limitations and
conditions his two farms known as the
"Plainfield" farm and the "Ragged Island"
farm Together with all the chattel estate
consisting of stock hogs, cattle, sheep, mules
corn, fodder, Crops of all kinds, farming
utensils, Carts, house hold and kitchen
furniture on the "Plainfield" farm To
his son A. W. Harsworthy as Trustee for
the support and maintenance of the said
A. W. Harsworthy and the support maintenance
and education of his children, That the

said testator by his said last will and testament in the 5th item thereof directed all the residue of his estate not before mentioned or disposed of including all the personal property then in his possession on his "Ragged Island" farm and all bonds, accounts, claims and money due to or owned by him and all other property not before disposed of to be divided into two equal parts one of which he gave and bequeathed to his daughter Sarah Sherman and the other to the said A. W. Starnworthy as Trustee for the support of himself and the support, education and maintenance of his children.

That the said A. W. Starnworthy having been appointed sole executor of the said last will and testament of the said Joseph Starnworthy qualified as such in the County Court of Jersey Night County on the 4th of April A.D. 1855 and took into his possession the estate and effects of the said Decedent. That all the property mentioned and described in the 5th clause of the said last will and testament except the bonds (as your Orators and Oratrices have been informed) was equally divided between the said Sarah Sherman and the said A. W. Starnworthy as Trustee for his children. That

before the estate of the said Joseph Hareworthy
 had been fully settled up and administered
 the said N. W. Hareworthy his Executor depon-
 ted this life and shortly thereafter Robert
 H. Whitfield qualified as administrator
 of the said N. W. Hareworthy and as admin-
 istrator de bonis non with the will annexed
 of the said Joseph Hareworthy that the
 said N. W. Hareworthy left surviving him
 at his death the following children, your
 orators and oratrices, B. L. Hareworthy who
 has since died ^{intestate} of us reaching the age of
 21 years unmarried and without issue
 and H. A. Hareworthy who has since died
^{intestate} before reaching the age of 21 years unmar-
 ried and without issue and that the said
 Rob. H. Whitfield has also qualified as the
 administrator of the estate of the said B. L.
 Hareworthy. Your orators and oratrices fur-
 ther represent that upon the death of their
 father, the said N. W. Hareworthy all the property
 devised and bequeathed to him in trust as
 aforesaid was liable according to the terms
 and provisions of the said last will and tes-
 tament to be equally divided between all his
 children and concerning that their interests
 would be promoted by a sale of the said
 property or a portion thereof they constituted

and appointed by deed bearing date 22nd day
 of November A.D. 1880 an authenticated copy
 of which is herewith exhibited marked "B" The said
 Rev. H. Whitfield their agent and attorney in
 fact to make sale of the "Ragged Island"
 farm and certain personal property con-
 sisting of stock, cattle & to take the bonds
 of the purchasers for the purchase money and
 to collect the same as they fell due re-
 spectively. Your Orators and Oratrices are
 informed that a portion of the said bonds
 have been collected by the said Whitfield
 but they believe that much the larger
 portion of them are yet outstanding and
 unpaid. Your Orators and Oratrices for
 this represent that by the last will and
 testament of the said Joseph Parsworthy
 certain legacies were made to his Grand-
 children William J. Peasey, ^{Miss} M. A. Peasey
 and Mary A. Peasey who has since intermar-
 ried with your Orator Joseph C. Parsworthy
 and also to his Grand daughter Catherine
 and that said J. W. Parsworthy has qualified as Guardian of
 Goodwill but they are informed and be-
 lieve that said legacies have not been
 wholly paid and satisfied. Your Orators
 and Oratrices are advised that they are
 entitled to receive the estate bequeathed
 to them as aforesaid, but owing to the

informant under the eye of 21 years
 Catherine Goodwin

The answer of ^{Mifflin} Vasey an Infant by
N. P. Goringher guardian ad litem to a
Bills in chancery filed in the circuit
Court of Sale of Wright County by Dr. C. Norrworthy
to them against Ro. H. Whitfield widow & al.

This Respondent says that being
Infant and ignorant of her just rights in the
premises, she submits the same to the Court
and prays that no order or decree may
be made in the case, inconsistent with her
rights

Signed

N. P. Goringher
ad litem

Monthly sal.

v.

Monthly sal.

Answer of Infant
Deft. by John
ad Titum

To the Hon. Rich^d H. Baker Judge of the
Circuit Ct. of Isle of Wight Co. In the setting

The answer of Robert Whelpley as
administrator of Joseph Norworthy decd: administrator of
N. W. Norworthy & E. Lauretta Norworthy ad & as agent and
attorney in fact of Jos. C. Norworthy & others, the children of N. W.
Norworthy decd: To a Bill filed against them & als: by Joseph
C. Norworthy, Jas. R. Otwell & Nat. Norworthy, Parker & wife & als:
for his answer to so much of said Bill as relates to him, in his
said several Capacities aforesaid, answers & says, that the material
allegations made in said Bill are in the main true. That he
qualified on the several estates mentioned as is alleged. That he
received a small amt, in bond belonging to the estate of Jos. Norworthy
decd: unadministered, ~~by his~~ previous representative, which amt
will appear by reference to an inventory of the same, herewith filed
as a part of this Bill. That acting under the said Decd & power
of Atty, he sold at Public Auction, Nov^r. 1860 the personal
estate which had been bequeathed by Jos. Norworthy decd, to
N. W. Norworthy trustee for the benefit of his children &c. and
also the farm called the "Raggs Island", and for the proceeds
of sale took bond, which with the exception of a few collected
by him as here after mentioned, he has now in his possession. He will
here state that the Commissioner who stated by our Respondent's
account, treated all the personal property so sold by him, as the
unadministered assets of Norworthy (Joseph) decd - & our Respondent
is not satisfied of the accuracy of this view of the case, for a portion
of this property was a ^{part} of that bequeathed to Sarah New-mond

and N. W. Norwouth trustee for his children, which
had been divided between them as the "will" had directed;
And the other part the said N. W. Norwouth as trustee, had de-
- clared to regard as belonging to him in that capacity - This matter
however is left to the judgment of the Court. That after, soon after
the bonds for the proceeds of sale became due, he advertised for
creditors of the parties under or referred to, in the said deed, or pow-
er of atty, to present their claims, in order to ascertain the amounts,
with the view of settling or blowing up that trust. For this object, he
collected in ~~the latter part of 1861, and the early~~ ^{part} ~~portion~~ of 1862,
(as he believes) the following claims. $\$61.50$ of W. H. Jordan $\$147.48$
of Geo. W. & Henry B. Parker. $\$272.78$ of Sarah Newman $\$276.05$
of Edmund Pile. $\$229.20$ of Augustus Bently; and $\$600.00$ of
Sarah Newman on acct of land bought by her - the larger
portion of which was bank notes of S. & N.C. - the balance in
Confederate money. Having this money, (part of which was used
in the payment of claims against the estates & parties referred to, which
can be ascertained by reference to his acct. reported as aforesaid)
he felt much perplexed what to do with, as may be well sup-
- posed, by reason of the political troubles of the country. Your respon-
- dent was arrested on 17 May 1862, by the Federal forces, on their first
visit to Smithfield, and ^{they} had taken him to the wharf to be carried
to "Old Point", where he was ~~arrest~~ discharged by a superior officer
(who had more recently come up - but was threatened with an arrest
again, the next day after. He sent most of his valuable papers, with
the money on hand, including the sums, unpensured as aforesaid, to
N. Carolina whither his family had gone - He was greatly embarrassed

to make
What disposition of this money. Your respondent had an
interview with a broker in Petersburg, - a very intelligent man - and
solicited his advice as to the manner of investing it - He declined
or seemed unwilling to assume the responsibility of advising him, but
finally concurred in the opinion advanced by your respondent, that
probably, the most profitable investment of the money, would be in the 8 per cent
N. C. stock new issue. Your ^{respondent's} reason for this opinion was, that as Virginia
was, (this was in the latter part of 1862) and obviously would be the theatre
of a devastating war, her stocks would prove, in any event, a very questionable
investment, in as much as her debt before the war was very great - and
daily increasing, and as he could not believe that any body of Southern
men could be expected who would repudiate States debts, he determined
to invest in this 8 per cent N. C. Bonds. The sums thus collected, or what
remained after not paid out on acct. of the parties interested, at
least $\$1200.00$: together, with other trust funds, together with about $\$2500.00$
of your respondent's individual money, were invested as above stated. He
acted with this fund, as he did with his own. If our cause had triumphed,
and he ^{had} kept the money by him, unpensured he would have been cen-
sured for not investing it in some interest bearing funds: and in such
a result, it would be obvious that the 8 per cent stock would be more vantage-
ble, than any other. The Convention of that State which opened
soon after our fall, repudiated these debts, but as the action of that
body, has not been ratified by the People, there is some slight hope
that the stock will ultimately be of some value. Your respondent
first took Coupons, but afterwards, deeming it more safe, changed them
into Registered Bonds, and he is under the impression, that he gave
instructions, to a friend, in N. C., to have them invested in several

or differing Capacities, - but he had them all invested in
my name - This respondent further states, that in all human proba-
bility, ~~that~~ if he had retained the ^{in Bank notes} money, in his possession, it would
have been lost. For the same reason, that induced him, as every one
else, to secure their valuable papers, he would have placed, with
such papers, these Bank Notes. In August 1863, my family
were staying with the brother of Mrs. Whitfield, near Jackson, N. C.
On hearing of the approach of the Enemy, on a raid, Mr. Peck
my wife's brother, made what he supposed a water proof box in which
he deposited his own and my papers, bonds &c. and buried in the
same in the stable situated on a high ^{hill} & generally very dry -
In a short time the Enemy appeared, and though they searched &
stole as usual, did not find the box. It had been very rainy for many
days before, and so continued for some time after. The Box remained
thus from Tuesday, until the following Saturday, when Mr. Peck
was persuaded to take it up - and then ascertained, that by the persua-
- sion of the horse buried, every, or nearly every paper, bond &c. were as wet as
if they had been dipped in water - perfectly saturated - Nearly
every pocket ^{in which the papers of this estate, as of others were kept,} book, came to pieces. What would have been the fate of
bank notes it is easy to imagine. For two days, therefore, fortunately calm & hot
was Mrs. Whitfield engaged in drying them, by placing them in the porches & porches -
If your ~~respondent~~ had taken this money on his person, he was in dan-
- ger of losing it, on his return to a prison, as he was captured on two or more
occasions, and had to run generally. If he had left them, or the money,
as he was compelled to leave very many important papers, receipts &c. - for or
one occasion, they would probably have been lost - for on one occasion, the Enemy entered
his residence, broken open Secretaries bureau &c. scattered & threw away the papers they
found, and according to his ^{which state the fact} instincts state generally. In the your response
ent. was, no little embarrassed, ~~and was in part the cause of most of~~
~~the money not having paid out,~~ by a written order of one of the parties -

vii: Henry R. Parker one of the plaintiffs, forbidding this
Respondent from acting under the said deed or power of ^{Attys.}
as will appear by the said Order herewith filed as a part of this ~~case~~ ^{Ans-} -
which is much deferred, having been buried with the other papers, as aforesaid.
Your Respondent will further state, that he offered and desired that
the parties interested could take this ^{or other} money he had on hand, or they could
need it, this also was declined - In the fall of 1863 ^{he} it being it may
this Respondent received of the said Henry R. Parker ^{on the rent of Dearfield,} \$300 in Confederate
note money, after refusing so to do, until he promised to take it
back from your Respondent if there was a probability of his losing it -
This same party had spoken very harshly of this Respondent, before, in
May 1862, and in 1863, for refusing to take from him Confederate
money in payment of a debt due by him, to the estate of Novumty,
and even threatened this Respondent with a prosecution for so refusing
under some Law of Congress. ^{your order} I had then a small lost load of this
sort of currency - Having under the above named circumstances
and during the General confusion that prevailed, ~~he~~ ^{he} invested the
amount aforesaid, as ~~he~~ ^{he} did ~~his~~ ^{his} own, he does not feel in ^{his} any business
that the loss should be borne by ~~him~~ ^{him} if your Respondent prefer to be relieved
from the duty of the trust arising under the deed, as the administration
aforesaid. He has solicited this deed, and therefore desires a speedy settle-
ment. & having assumed my honor

Rolph Whitfield in the
Several Characters above set
for the



State of Virginia. All of right to:

Robert Whitfield personally appeared before me a justice of
the peace for the County aforesaid, made oath that the facts, as set
forth in his answer, are true to the best of his belief - Given under my
hand this 18th Octo: 1866. (J. D.)

Sworn to before this 18 Octo: 1866 -

J. S. Herring Clerk

Norworthys & als
H. Sumner of-

Norworthys adner & as

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

City of Norfolk

To the Sheriff of the County of Isle of Wight, Greeting:

We command you to summon ~~John A. Whitfield as administrator of~~ ~~the estate of Joseph Kersworthy dec'd.~~
~~as administrator of Joseph Kersworthy dec'd de bonis suis with the Will annexed of Joseph Kersworthy~~
~~dec'd as administrator of E. S. Kersworthy dec'd as Agent & Attorney in fact for the plaintiffs, Sarah Kersworthy~~
~~Catherine Goodwin, Wm. J. Massey, Mafuri A. Massey, & Mary A. Kersworthy, formerly Mary A. Massey~~
to appear on the first Monday in September
next, (being Rule day), at the Clerk's office, of the Circuit Court for
the County of Isle of Wight, directed to be holden at the Courthouse thereof,
to answer the Bill in Chancery of Joseph Kersworthy, N.
W. Kersworthy, James R. Kersworthy, Henry R. Parker and
J. H. Parker his wife, formerly S. H. Kersworthy and
Othello C. Kersworthy.

and have then and there this writ.

Witness, Nathaniel P. Young, Clerk of our said Court, this 11th
day of August 1866, and in the 91st
year of the Commonwealth.

N. P. Young, Clerk.

[A copy to be delivered to each defendant.]

a copy,

We acknowledge legal service of me. within
any 20th 1866.

1866. A. Kinsworthy
W. J. Vasey
Missouri. Perry



The Commonwealth of Virginia,

To the Sheriff of the County of Isle of Wight, Greeting:

We command you to summon *Robert H. Whitfield* as administrator ^{with the will annexed} of *A. W. Norworthy decd.*; as administrator ^{de bono non} of *Joseph Norworthy decd.*; as administrator of *E. S. Norworthy decd.* and as agent & attorney in fact for the plaintiffs - *Sarah Newman, Catherine Goodwin, William J. Tress, Missouri A. Tress & Mary A. Norworthy formerly Mary A. Tress* to appear on the first Monday in September next, (being Rule day), at the Clerk's office, of the Circuit Court for the County of Isle of Wight, directed to be holden at the Courthouse thereof, to answer the Bill in Chancery of *Joseph C. Norworthy, A. W. Norworthy, James R. Norworthy, Henry R. Parker & S. F. Parker his wife, formerly S. F. Norworthy and Oletia C. Norworthy.*

and have them and there this writ.

Witness, *Nathaniel D. Young*, Clerk of our said Court, this *11th* day of *August* 186*6*, and in the *91st* year of the Commonwealth.

N. D. Young

[A copy to be delivered to each defendant.]

Completed by delivering a true copy of the letter
to the wife of R H Whitwell She being sixteen years
of age said R H Whitwell not being at home another
2^d August 1866 is in Mrs Sarah Newman and
Catharine Green in the 28th August 1866 Mary
Vere Mason & Mary A. Woodley were initiated.
E D Clay Shff

For worthy tol.
 2 Quarts in
 45 Chy.
 2.
 For worthy. adw.
 tol.
 To Sept. 22nd / 1844.
 Cur. est.
 2000 & 1000
 By.

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF ISLE OF WIGHT,—GREETING:

We command you to summon *Thomas H. P. Cooper and Josiah J. Wail* to appear before *N. P. Young* a Commissioner in chancery of the Circuit Court of Isle of Wight County to appear before the _____ of the _____ Court of the County of Isle of Wight, at the Courthouse, on the *7th* day of *January* 1868, to testify and the truth to say in behalf of *Ro. H. Whitfield admor. &c.* in a certain matter of controversy in said Court pending and undetermined, between *J. C. Norment & others* Plaintiff, and *said Whitfield & others* Defendant, and this *they* shall in no wise omit under the penalty of the law. And have then there this writ.

Witness, NATHANIEL P. YOUNG, Clerk of our said Court, this *21* day of *Decr.* A. D., 1867, in the *92nd* year of the Commonwealth.

N. P. Young Clerk.

Whitfield adm. 4.

at. } Sent for
wits.

Now worth 100.

To 7th Jan. 1868.

To cash on 7th of P. P. Gordon
on the 3rd Jan. 1868 & 1/2
dual
Edw. M. M.

Norsworthy tal.

v. Z bly.

Norsworthy's adm. tal.

Referend to &
filed with Com.

report. Sept. 1867

A.

Dr. The Estate of Joseph Norworth decd. In account with Robert H. Whitfield
administrator de bonis non with the will annexed.

1860					
Apr. 2	To paid tax on administration	1	00		
Aug. 29	" " Dr. Purdie medical acct. w. Testator	10	00		
"	" " Clerk's fees & taxes	6	18		
1861					
Jan. 2	" " Dr. Jordan medical acct. w. Testator	19	88		
"	" " Ro. H. Whitfield admor. of W. H. Barnardall Testator bond	42	50		
Apr. 1	" Commissions on \$ receipts	26	29		
"	" Balance per contra	420	14		
		\$	525	99	
1861					
Jan. 2	By amt. collected on W. P. Jordan fr. bond	272	39		
"	" " " " Ro. H. Whitfields bond	258	60		
	(Edmund Pitt held off to full amt. of his bond)				
		\$	525	99	
1862					
Apr. 1	To paid Commr. Hayden fee	4	00		
"	" Commissions on receipts	1	26		
"	" Balance due the estate per contra	414	88	25	20
		\$	420	14	\$ 25 20
1861					
Apr. 1	By balance due the estate as per above act.	420	14		
1862					
Apr. 1	" one year interest on same			25	20
		\$	420	14	\$ 25 20
1862					
Dec. 12	To this amount invested by the administrator in North Carolina 8 per cent coupon bonds	276	05		
1863					
Apr. 1	" Commissions on \$241.89 receipts	1	24		
"	" Balance due the estate per contra	413	64	50	09
		\$	690	93	\$ 50 09
1862					
Apr. 1	By balance due estate as per above last act.	414	88	25	20
Dec.	" this sum received on bond of Edmund Pitt	276	05		
1863					
Apr. 1	" interest last balance of \$414.88			24	89
		\$	690	93	\$ 50 09
1863					
Apr. 1	Balance due the estate of principal	413	64		
Apr.	Do. " " " interest			50	09
1864					
Oct. 15	Interest on \$413.64, from Apr. 1. 1863 to this day			118	70
"	Balance of principal & interest due estate	\$	413	64	\$ 168 79

B
 Dr. The Estate of Nathaniel W. Norworthy decd.
 In account with Robert N. Whitfield his administrator.

1862				
Apr.	To paid for coffin &c.	70 00		
"	" " fees of administration and State tax	2 45		
	By amount received of Edmund Pett on settlement		3 63	
1863			68 82	
Apr. 1	Balance due the administrator for debit	\$ 72 45	\$ 72 45	

E
 Dr. The Estate of E. Lauretta Norworthy decd.
 In account with Robert N. Whitfield her administrator.

1866				
Aug. 6	To paid for U. S. Stamp & Clks. for an admin.	4 45		
"	" " Cofer for coffin &c.	36 96		
1867			\$ 41 41	
Aug. 5	By balance due the administrator for debit	\$ 41 41	\$ 41 41	

F
 Dr. Joseph C. Norworthy, Henry R. Parker and Fannie his wife,
 Otelia C. Norworthy, N. W. Norworthy, Lauretta Norworthy
 and James R. Norworthy.
 In account with Robert N. Whitfield their agent & attorney in fact.

1860				
Nov.	To paid taxes, fees &c.	pr. receipts	47 27	
"	" " E. Seeds	" "	18 45	
Dec.	" " B. Bidgood	" "	3 77	
"	" " B. J. Gray for crying property sold under power	" "	15 00	
1861			9 27	
Jan.	" " Dr. Jordan med. act. & Norworthy twelve		194 71	
Nov. 21	" Comm. on \$2094.32 sale of Chattel, bond \$1800. sale of land		3605 75	96 00
"	Balance due for contra		\$ 3894 22	\$ 96 00
1861				
May 21	By amount of sales of Chattel property sold under and by authority of a deed executed from said J. C. Norworthy father to said Rob. N. Whitfield as agent &c.	2094 32		
	By amount of sales of Ragged Island farm to Mrs. Newman sold on credit of one, two & three years with interest from 1st. Jan., 1861.	1800 00		
Nov. 21	By interest on \$1800.00 from 1st. Jan., 1861 to date		96 00	
		\$ 3894 22	\$ 96 00	

1862				
July.	To paid taxes fees &c.	pr. receipts.	47 09	
Apr.	" " Comm. Hayden act.	" "	6 00	
			10 81	
Nov. 21	" Commission on \$216.34 receipts		3861 82	312 34
"	" Balance for contra		\$ 3925 72	\$ 312 34
1861				
Nov. 21	By balance on last act.		3605 75	96 00
1862				
Mar. 19	" this amt. from Mrs. Sarah Newman to equalize partition of personal property given jointly to N. W. Norworthy twelve for J. C. Norworthy, Otelia and herself.		319 97	
				216 34
Nov. 21	" interest on \$3605.75 one year		\$ 3925 72	\$ 312 34
1863				
Dec. 12	To this sum invested by the Trustees, as agent, in 8 per cent Coupon Bonds of the State of North Carolina		1310 96	
1863			7 44	
Nov. 21	" Commission on \$148.80 receipts		2543 42	474 01
"	" Balance for contra		\$ 3861 82	\$ 474 01
1862				
Nov. 21	By Balance on last act. to date		3861 82	312 34
1862				12 87
Dec. 12	" interest on same to date, when \$1310.96 was invested			
1863				
Nov. 21	" int. on \$2550.86 balance, left in investment, from 12 th. Dec. 1862 to date		3	148 80
			\$ 3861 82	\$ 474 01
1864				
Nov. 21	By Balance on last act. to date			
1862				12 87
Dec. 12	" interest on same to date, when \$1310.96 was invested			
1863				
Nov. 21	" int. on \$2550.86 balance, left in investment, from 12 th. Dec. 1862 to date		3	148 80
			\$ 3861 82	\$ 474 01
1864				
Dec. 12	To paid Tax on land	pr. receipt.	14 46	
Nov. 21	" Commission on \$152.60 receipts		7 63	
"	" Balance for contra		2521 33	626 61
			\$ 2543 42	\$ 626 61
1863				
Nov. 21	By balance on last act.		2543 42	474 01
1864				152 60
Nov. 21	" interest on same one year		\$ 2543 42	\$ 626 61
1864				
Nov. 21	By balance of principal brought over		2521 33	
	" " Interest			626 61
1867				437 03
Dec. 15	" interest on \$2521.33 to date			
"	" Balance of principal & interest due this day		\$ 2521 33	\$ 1063 64

H.

Dr. The Estate of Joseph Norworthy deceased.
In account with N. W. Norworthy his Executor.

1860					
Apr. 3	To disbursements to this date as per made up and reported to and confirmed by County Court of Isle of Wight County.	1321	00		
" "	Balance fr. Contra	1127	85		
" "	By amount of credits as per same act.			2448	85
		\$ 2448	85	\$ 2448	85
1860					
Apr. 3.	By amount above bal. of princ ^l . brot. down	1127	85		
1867				521	62
Octo. 15.	" interest on " " " to date	\$ 1127	85	\$ 521	62

I.

Dr. Catharine Goodwin
In account with N. W. Norworthy her guardian.

1856					
Januy.	To balance due the guardian this day as per acct. reported to & confirmed by County Court	15	30		
Dec. 31	" To Commission on \$450.00 receipts	22	50		
" "	" Balance due the ward fr. contra	332	20		
1866					
Januy.	By this amt. recd. from Jas. M. Shivers for ward sold from ward land & c.			370	00
		\$ 370	00	\$ 370	00
1866					
Dec. 31	Balance due the ward this day brot. down	332	20		
1867				257	64
Octo. 15	Interest thereon to 15. Octo. 1867			~~65~~ 64	
				\$ 583	84

K.

An account of the out standing debts and demands against the estate of Joseph Norworthy decd: designating those that are chargeable to his estate generally from those that are chargeable to that portion of his estate bequeathed to N. W. Norworthy as trustee for his children.

Of Debts chargeable to the estate generally.
Debt due to Catharine Goodwin, being balance of principal & interest, due by N. W. Norworthy her late guardian, (the testator for Norworthy being his security in his guardian bond) on 15th Octo. 1867

			583	84
"	" S. J. Wilson, for Norworthy security, bond, 25. Dec 1859	40	00	
	Interest to 15. Octo. 1867	18	43	58
	amt. of debts carried forward			642
				57

Amt. of debts brought forward		642 5 ⁷ / ₈
Debt due George F. Hall exec: of Mary Hall, on 10th. July. 1860, being balance of bond including deficiency in negro clothing, &c. Norworthy Secinity.		106 8 ³ / ₈
Interest on from 10. July. 1860 to 15. Octo. 1867		49 2 ³ / ₈
Debt due N. P. Young by bond (So. Norworthy Secinity) due 1. Jan'y. 1857		30 00
Int. on to 15. Octo. 1867.		19 42
Do. Do. (So. Norworthy Secinity) due 1. Jan'y. 1858		80 00
Interest on to 15. Octo. 1867.		47 00
Do. Jas. C. Meador exec: of Mrs. G. Whitfield N. bond (So. Norworthy Secinity, due 30. Dec. 1858		92 92
Int. on to 15. Octo. 1867		76 84
Do. Mrs. G. Whitfield (So. Norworthy Secinity) bond due 1. Jan'y. 1856		25 00
Int. on to 15. Octo. 1867.		17 93
Do. Do. Do. Do. 1. Jan'y. 1857		25 00
Int. on to 15. Octo. 1867		16 68
Do. Do. Do. Do. 1. Jan'y. 1858		20 00
Int. on to 15. Octo. 1867		11 75
Do. Do. Do. Do. 1. Jan'y. 1859		15 00
Int. on to 15. Octo. 1867		7 90
Of Debts chargeable to estate bequeathed to N. W. Norworthy in trust. &c.		1274 0 ⁷ / ₈
Debt due to Edwin Morrison, on bond due 1. Jan'y. 1861		15 00
Int. on to 15. Octo. 1867		6 10
Do. N. P. Young bond due 1. Jan'y. 1861		35 00
Int. on to 15. Octo. 1867.		14 25
Do. Do. Do. Do. 1. Jan'y. 1860		25 00
Int. on to 15. Octo. 1867		11 68
Do. due William Hall's Est. 1. Jan'y. 1861		20 00
Int. to 15. Octo. 1867		8 15
Do. due James B. Southall act. 1. Jan'y. 1861		30 00
Int. on to 15. Octo. 1867		12 22
Do. due James P. Jordan act. 1. Jan'y. 1860		39 42
Int. on to 15. Octo. 1867		13 75
Total debts now unpaid		220 5 ⁷ / ₈
Debts chargeable generally brought down		1274 0 ⁷ / ₈
Debts chargeable to trust property " "		220 5 ⁷ / ₈
Total amt. of debts		1494 64

L

Sists of Bonds now in the hands of R. N. Whitfield as admin. of Joseph Noreworthy decd: and as Agent & attorney in fact for E. C. Noreworthy & son, uncollected

Bonds held as administrator not accounted for in Act A.

Sarella Noreworthy's bond due 21st Jan'y. 1832	100 00
Ditto Do. " " 18th. Apl. 1856	25 00
M. N. Clancy & M. J. Whiting " " 27 " " 1837	5 00
Thomas F. P. Cowper " " 16 " Dec. 1853	50 00
Alexander Moody & J. J. Mail " " 1st. Jan'y. 1837	100 00

Bonds held as agent & attorney & accounted for in foregoing Act E.

Sarah Newman Bond with int. from 1. Jan'y. 1861, for Ar. of intent and \$131.00 officially paid 19. Mar. 1862	600 00
Samuel Bond, with int. from 1. Jan'y. 1862, for same	600 00
Wiley C. Baguall & J. J. Moody Bond due 22 ^d . Nov. 1860	30 25
Henry R. Parker Bond " " " "	801 66
James B. Southall " " " " "	49 50
Joseph B. Hodsden " " " " "	53 03
T. F. P. Crocker " " " " "	78 50
Thos. W. Daniel & J. N. Catcheson " " " " "	30 50
Isaac Muzor & L. J. Mail " " " " "	21 90
Isaac and L. J. Mail " " " " "	38 37
Henry Baguall " " " " "	21 09
Olivia Noreworthy " " " " "	15 50
L. J. and Isaac R. Mail " " " " "	72 32
Joseph Goodwin " " " " "	47 50
	<u>\$3055 12</u>

Bonds held by R. N. Whitfield agent & atty. as aforesaid, for him and sons which are not accounted for in the foregoing account E.

Henry R. Parker and Isaac R. Parker, bond for him, due 1. Jan'y. 1862	105 00
Same " " " " " "	82 00
Henry R. Parker " " " " " "	150 00
	<u>\$337 00</u>
Interest on \$337.00 from 1. Jan'y. 1862 to 15. Octo. 1867	117 10
	<u>\$454 10</u>

Commissioner's Office, Isle of Wight Court House.
September 4th. 1867.

To the Circuit Court of Isle of Wight County.

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Isle of Wight County rendered on the 19th. day of October 1866, in a suit in Chancery depending in the said Court between Joseph C. Noreworthy, N. W. Noreworthy, James R. Noreworthy, Henry R. Parker and Sarah F. his wife and Olivia Noreworthy plaintiffs, against Robert N. Whitfield as administrator of N. W. Noreworthy decd, as administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of Joseph Noreworthy decd, as administrator of E. Sorella Noreworthy decd and as agent and attorney in fact for the plaintiffs, Sarah Newman, Catharine Goodwin, William J. Vesey, Mipson A. Vesey and Mary A. Noreworthy, formerly Vesey, defendants. The undersigned, one of the commissioners of the said Court, to whom were referred for settlement, by said decree, the following accounts. First. An account of the transactions of Robert N. Whitfield as administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of Joseph Noreworthy decd. Second. An account of the transactions of Robert N. Whitfield as administrator of Mattie C. Noreworthy decd. Third. An account of the transactions of Robert N. Whitfield as administrator of E. Sorella Noreworthy decd. Fourth. An account of the transactions of Robert N. Whitfield as agent and attorney in fact for Joseph C. Noreworthy and others. Fifth. An account of the transactions of N. W. Noreworthy as executor of Joseph Noreworthy decd. Sixth. An account of the transactions of A. W. Noreworthy as guardian of Catharine Goodwin, and Seventh. An account showing who are the legacies of Joseph Noreworthy decd, Report, to the Court, that on the 28th. day of Jan'y. last, he issued notices against the several parties aforesaid, requiring them to attend the settlement of the said accounts, before him, at his said office, on the 22nd. day of March 1867, the service of which were duly acknowledged or served by the Sheriff & returned to your commissioner. That none of the parties appeared before your commissioner and he was consequently compelled to continue the taking of said accounts from time to time, and day to day, until the date of this report, when the parties, except Sarah Newman, having appeared and furnished the necessary information & vouchers, your commissioner stated and settled the foregoing accounts, marked respectively, A. B. C. D. E. F. G. & L.

Account A. is of the transactions Robert N. Whitfield administrator de bonis non of Joseph Noreworthy decd. In settling this account, your commissioner has taken as prima facie correct, except when so charged & falsified, the account heretofore reported to and confirmed by the County Court of

Isle of Wight County, and has allowed the administrator the investment alleged by him, in his answer, to have been made in 8 per cent. Coupon Bonds of the state of North Carolina, amounting to the sum of \$276.05. And on the 15th day of October 1867, finds a balance of \$577.43 due from the administrator to the estate, of which \$163.79 is interest.

B. Account marked B. is of the transactions of Robert S. Whitfield as administrator of A. W. Norcross's estate and shows that on the 1st day of April 1867, there was a balance of \$89.83 due to the admin. of which \$17.83 is interest.

E. Account marked E. is of the transactions of Robert S. Whitfield as administrator of E. Sorrell Norcross's estate and shows that on the 6th day of August 1867, there was a balance of \$41.41 due the administrator,

F. Account marked F. is of the transactions of Robert S. Whitfield as agent and attorney in fact for Joseph C. Norcross and others, and shows that on the 15th day of October 1867 there will be a balance due by the said agent and attorney to the said J. C. Norcross, of \$3584.97 of which \$1063.61 is interest. In settling this account your commission has allowed to the agent & attorney the investment claimed by him, in his answer, to have been made in 8 per cent Bonds of North Carolina. which said Bonds, as well as that for the investment by him as the administrator aforesaid, are herewith filed.

III. Account marked III. is of the transactions of N. W. Norcross as executor of Joseph Norcross's estate and shows a balance of \$1649.17 due the estate on the 15th of Octo. 1867, of which \$531.62 is interest.

II. Account marked II. is of the transactions of A. W. Norcross as guardian of Catharine Goodwin, and shows that on the 15th day of October 1867, there is a balance due the said Catharine Goodwin of \$583.84 of which \$251.64 is interest.

In making the two last accounts, your commission has taken the accounts heretofore confirmed by the court, and, as prima facie evidence. Your commission reports the following as the legatees of J. Norcross's estate: Joseph C. Norcross, A. W. Norcross, James R. Norcross, Sarah F. Parker wife of Henry R. Parker, Ottilia C. Norcross and E. Sorrell Norcross, all children of N. W. Norcross (the latter being dead) - Mary A. Norcross, late Vesey, William J. Vesey and Missions V. Vesey, children of Lydia Vesey dead - Mary J. Latimer, who married Geo. F. Bunkley, but now dead - Catharine Goodwin daughter of Rhoda Goodwin, and Sarah Newman.

K. At the request of counsel for defendant Whitfield, your commission has made account marked K. of the outstanding debts against the estate of Joseph Norcross's estate which shows the amount of \$1274.07

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which is chargeable to the general assets of his estate, and the sum of \$220.57 chargeable to the estate bequeathed to R. W. Worcester's trustee and now in the hands of As. H. Whitfield agent & attorney as aforesaid.

At the request of same, your Commissioner has made account marked II. showing the bonds now in the hands of the said Whitfield as admor. & as agent & atty: ~~see collected~~. In this account are shown three bonds for him & rents due 1st Jan. 1862 which were not accounted for by the said agent until after the account II was made up & completed, and consequently do not compose a part of the balance found due in account II. but are in addition thereto, amounting to the sum of \$454.10 of which \$117.10 is interest.

After completing the foregoing account, they were retained in your Commissioner's Office for ten days.

Given under my hand as a Commissioner of the said Circuit Court the day and year first herein written.

N. J. Young Comm.

Commissioner fee \$56.00

Norworthy's tal.

2/ Comm. report
vs. 2/ under decree of
Octo. 1866.

Norworthy's adm. tal.

Sept. 16th. 1867 filed in
the cause.

Karsworthy & others

vs

In Chancery

Karsworthy & adms

The Plaintiffs by Counsel except to the report of Commissioner Young in this cause upon the following grounds-

1st, Because the Commissioner in the settlement of the account of R. H. Whitfield as administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of Joseph Karsworthy decd has allowed the said administrator a credit of \$276.05 as of December 12th 1862 on account of an investment to that amount made in 8 per cent coupon bonds of the State of North Carolina - said investment not having been legally authorized and having been made at a time when the Plaintiffs were very much in need of money and after repeated unsuccessful applications to the said Whitfield as adm for money to defray their necessary expenses-

2nd. They except to the credit of \$1310.96 the amount of investment in 8 per cent N. Carolina bonds made by the said Whitfield as agent and atty in fact of the Plaintiffs for the same reasons stated in the 1st exception

Respectfully submitted

Blow & Goode for
the Plaintiffs-

Oct 21st 1867

Exceptions to
Commissioners
Report.

In the Circuit Court of Isle of Wight
County

The undersigned Reports to Court
that pursuant to the decree of the 20th day
of May 1868 made in the case of *Morsworthy
vs. R. H. Whitfield* adm^r of
H. W. Morsworthy dec'd & others, he has
paid over the sum of \$413.64 Principal &
\$163.79 Interest as therein directed, and
that he has paid over to Joseph C. Morsworthy
the Receiver appointed by said decree, the
several Bonds referred to therein, all
of which will appear by the Statement &
Receipts annexed.

Respectfully submitted
R. H. Whitfield
By John R. Kelly his
att^y.
Aug. 12 7 568

Nesworthy &

or

Nesworthy, adw
& ac

Report of payments
by Ro. H. Whitford

plus 20 Oct 1868

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Isle of Wight On the 20th day of May 1868. at the Court house.

Joseph C. Korseworthy, N. W. Korseworthy, James R. Korseworthy, Mary R. Parker & Sarah F. Parker his, formerly Korseworthy And Etica C. Korseworthy

Defts

Against

Robert B. Whitfield as Admor. of N. W. Korseworthy dec'd? as Admor. de bonis non with the Will annexed of Joseph Korseworthy dec'd? as Administrator of E. L. Korseworthy dec'd? and as Agent and Attorney in fact for the Plaintiffs, Sarah Newman, Catharine Goodwin, William J. Neasey, Missouri A Neasey and Mary A. Korseworthy formerly Mary A Neasey

Defts

It appearing to the Court, that since the last term of this Court Sarah Newman, One of the defendants to this suit has died and that her estate, has by order of this Court at this term, been committed to the hands of Edmund Sley Sheriff of Isle of Wight County for Administration, Came on this day to be heard by Consent of said Edmund Sley Sheriff & Committee of Sarah Newman dec'd?, On the papers formerly read and on the Report of Commissioner (Young) made On the 4th September 1867, and On exceptions to said Report, which exceptions are by Consent of the Court withdrawn by the plaintiffs Attorney rendering the further exceptions of the Decree of October Court 1867, Unnecessary and On Statement X Agreed to by the parties, and the Cause was argued by Counsel; On consideration whereof the Court doth Confirm the said Commissioners (Young's) report, and doth uphold Order, and decree that Robert B Whitfield as Admor. of Joseph Korseworthy dec'd? pay the Sum of \$413.64 Cents of Principal and \$163.79 Cents Interest, and with Interest of \$413.64 Cents from the 15th day of October 1867. as follows, first the Cost of this suit, including a fee of \$100.00 to each of the Attorneys for the plaintiffs & the defendant to wit: John Goodwin & John R. Kilby and then

Retain \$68.82 Cents out of the said sum being balance due by N. W. Norworthy's estate, to said Robert W. Whitfield his Adm^r. as per Account B. of said Commissioner Young's report; also that he retain \$41.41 Cents out of the same being the balance due the said Whitfield from the estate E. L. Norworthy per Account C. of said Commissioner Young's report; and that whatever may remain he the said R. W. Whitfield as Adm^r. of Joseph Norworthy dec^d. will pay over to Joseph C. Norworthy, who is by the express Consent of the said Whitfield, appointed receiver for the purpose. That it appearing to the Court that Nathl. W. Norworthy the first Administrator of Joseph Norworthy dec^d. is Insolvent and having qualified without Security, no further Notice need be taken of the balance of \$1137.85 Cents of Principal and \$521.62 Cents of interest due by said N. W. Norworthy to the estate of Joseph Norworthy dec^d. as per Account B. of said Commissioner Young's report; that R. W. Whitfield Adm^r. of Joseph Norworthy dec^d. and as Attorney and Trustee also, pay over to the said Joseph C. Norworthy Receiver aforesaid all uncollected bonds or evidences of debt as named in Account D. of said Commissioner Young's report, as also any other assets uncollected in his hands, if any, and which shall be in discharge of the balance of \$5605.75 due by said Robert W. Whitfield as Attorney & Agent as per Account F. of said Commissioner Young's report; That the said Joseph C. Norworthy receiver as aforesaid, proceed to collect the bonds or other evidences of debt which may come into his hands by virtue of this decree as soon as practicable and as fast as he can collect the same and proceed to pay the same as follows, in the first place pay to Catharine Goodwin \$583.84 Cents with Interest on \$332.20 part thereof from the 15th of October 1867, till paid, and then pay to the several Creditors of Joseph Norworthy dec^d. as named in Account (K.) of Commissioner Young's

said report, the several sums due them and whatever sum may remain pay 1/5 to Joseph C. Norworthy, 1/5 to Henry R. Parker & Fanny his wife, 1/5 to Nathl. W. Norworthy, 1/5 to Oliver C. Norworthy, and 1/5 to James R. Norworthy as the parties entitled them to by Account H. of said Commissioner Young's report, No portions being assigned to Sauratta Norworthy she being dead and the other parties named in the Account H. being entitled to her share, and that the evidence of payments and proceedings under this decree, be Reported to Court; and that the said Joseph C. Norworthy before proceeding to act under this decree shall execute before the Clerk of this Court, a Bond in the Clerk's Office in the pen and ink of \$2000.00 payable to the Commonwealth of Virginia, Conditions for the faithful discharge of his duties under this decree or any other decree which he may be Required to execute in this Cause.

a copy.

Teste,

N. J. Young Clerk

Acct. D.

List of Bonds now in the hands of R. W. Whitfield as Adm^r. of Joseph Norworthy dec^d. as Agent & Attorney in fact for Joseph C. Norworthy & others uncollected

Bonds held as Administrator not accounted for in acct. A.			
Sauratta Norworthy's bond due 21 st Jan'y	1854.	✓	100 00
D ^r Do " " 18 th April	1856.	✓	25 00
W. McCluney & W. J. Whiting " " 27 th "	1859.	✓	5 00
Thos F. P. D. Casper " " 16 th Dec ^r .	1853.	✓	50 00
Alex ^r Moody & J. J. Wail " " 1 st Jan'y	1859	✓	100 00

Bonds held as agent & Attorney & accounted for in foregoing acct. B.			
Sarah Newman's bond with int. from 1 st Jan'y 1861. for		✓	600 00
Gr. of interest of \$131.00 of principal paid 19 th Mar 1862.		✓	
Same Bond with int. from 1 st Jan'y 1862 for		✓	600 00
Same Bond " " " 1 st Jan'y 1862. for		✓	600 00
Wiley G. Bagwell & J. J. Moody bond due 22 nd Nov. 1860.		✓	30 25

Henry R. Parker's Bond due 22 nd Nov. 1860.	✓	801	66
James R. Southall " " " " "	✓	49	50
Joseph B. Hodesden " " " " "	✓	53	03
T. F. P. P. Casper " " " " "	✓	73	30
Thos. H. Daniel & J. N. Cretchen " " " " "	✓	30	50
Isaac Minger & J. J. Wail " " " " "	✓	21	90
John & J. J. Wail " " " " "	✓	38	37
Henry Bagwell " " " " "	✓	21	09
Otelia Norwathy " " " " "	✓	15	50
J. J. & John D. Wail " " " " "	✓	72	32
Joseph Goodwin " " " " "	✓	47	50

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Bonds held by R. H. Whitfield agent W. H. W. as aforesaid for
hires & rents which are not accounted for in the foregoing
account.

Henry R. Parker & pro R. Parker bond for hire due 1 st Jan. 1862	✓	105	00
Same " " " " " "	✓	82	00
Henry R. Parker rent	✓	150	00
~~100 00~~			
~~337 00~~			
Put on \$337.00 from 1 st Jan. 1862 to 15 th October 1867		117	10
		~~454~~	10

a copy. Test, N. P. P. M. W.

I have read the above Bond.
J. H. Goodwin

Notary Public.
J. H. Goodwin
Notary Public.
J. H. Goodwin
Notary Public.
J. H. Goodwin

1868 Sep. 10th I, Joseph C. Norworthy
 the Receiver appointed by the decree of the
 Circuit Court of Isle of Wight County, ^{made at May Term 1868} in the
 cause therein pending wherein J. C. Norworthy
 and others are plaintiffs and Robert H.
 Whitfield adm^r of A. W. Norworthy dec'd
 & others defendants, do hereby acknowledge
 that I have received from the said R. H.
 Whitfield the several Bonds directed by said
 decree to be delivered to me as such Receiver
 to wit.

The Bond of Lauritta Norworthy due 21st Jan'y 1854 for \$100.00

Do. of same due 18th April 1856 " 25.00

M. McClenney & M. J. Whitney " 27 April 1859. " 5.00

Thos. J. P. P. Cooper. " 16 Dec. 1853. " 50.00

x Alex^r Morry & J. J. Waile " 1st Jan'y 1859. " 100.00

x Sarah Newman " 1 Jan'y 1861 " 600.00

Cr. of Int. & \$131. of Principal paid 19th Mar. 1862.

same's Bond. due 1st Jan'y 1862 " 600.00

same's do. " 1 Jan'y 1862. " 600.00

x Wiley G. Bagnall & J. J. Morry, due 22nd Nov. 1860 " 30.25

Henry R. Parker's bond due 22nd Nov. 1860 " 801.66

James B. Southall " " Do. " 49.50

Mr. B. Hodgeson " " Do. " 53.03

J. J. P. P. Cooper " " Do. " 73.50

x Mrs. H. Vance & J. N. Cutcheon Do. " 30.50

x Isaac Mingo & J. J. Waile Do. " 21.90

Geo & J. J. Waile Do. " 38.37

✓	Henry Bagnall's Bond due 22 Nov. 1860	\$ 21.09
✓	Otelia Munsouthy dr. do.	15.50
✓	J. J. & Mrs. D. Waile do. do.	72.32
✓	Joseph Gordon do. do.	47.50
✓	Henry R. Parker & Mrs. R. Parker due 1 st Jan'y 1862.	105.00
✓	same do.	82.00
✓	Henry R. Parker do.	150.00

E. C. Morsworthy Receiver

By the same decree the said Whitfield is
directed to pay over the Balance in his hands
as admr. of Mr. Munsouthy decd. - to wit. \$413.64

and Interest due on same 163.79

Int. on \$413.64 from 15th Octo. 1867 \$587.43

to 7th Sep. 1868 } 22.07

\$609.50

Is retained by said Whitfield for
Balance due by E. L. Munsouthy \$41.41
and also amts. due him by

A. W. Munsouthy's estate } 68.82 \$110.23
\$499.27

Is paid Mrs. Gore Dr. & John R.

Kelly as directed by said decree } 200.00
\$299.27

Retained to pay Cnts unpaid

can. or

16.00
\$283.27

amc. Bvt. m

\$283.27

to paid over to Mr. C. Horsworthy

Received as aforesaid, as follows.
in discharge of said Balance

Mr. C. Horsworthy's Bond \$29.90

Int. from 22 Nov 1860

to 7 Sep. 1868

\$13.27

\$43.17

and.

J. B. Southall's Bond \$250.00

Int. from 13 Sep. 1859

to 21 Jan. 1860 —

\$8.33

\$258.33

cr.

64.04

\$194.29

Int. from 21 Jan 1860

to 1 Jan 1861

\$11.10

\$205.29

cr

57.00

\$148.29

Int. from 1 Jan 1861

to 7 Sep. 1868

\$71.11 = \$225.40

\$268.57

I Cash

14.70 \$283.27

J. C. Horsworthy Receiver

also Recd. & paid & satisfied the following
Bonds not included in foregoing statements

Bond against Mrs. D. Chalmer, & C. C. Goodrich for \$102.00

or " Mrs. D. Chalmer,

for 100.00

both due 1st Jan 1863

J. C. Horsworthy Receiver

Mosunthy &
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1868
Oct. Comr.

Recd. of
J. C. Mosunthy
Receiver

to
Karsworthy & others
vs

In Chancery.

Karsworthy adm.

This cause in which the process had been duly executed on the adult Defendants came on to be heard on the bill of the Plaintiffs, the answer of infant Defendant Missouri & Leasey by H. P. Young her Guardian ad litem and the answer of Ro. H. Whitfield as adm. de bonis non of Joseph Karsworthy dead as adm of A. W. Karsworthy, as adm of S. Lauretta Karsworthy and as agent and attorney in fact of Joseph C. Karsworthy & others filed this day by leave of Court with general replication to said answers and on exhibits filed with said bill and answers and was argued by counsel. Upon consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that one of the Commissioners of this Court take the following accounts

1. An account of the transactions of Ro. H. Whitfield as administrator de bonis non of Joseph Karsworthy dead
2. An account of the transactions of Ro. H. Whitfield as administrator of A. W. Karsworthy dead
3. An account of the transactions of Ro. H. Whitfield as administrator of S. Lauretta Karsworthy dead
4. An account of the transactions of Ro. H. Whitfield as agent and attorney in fact of Joseph C. Karsworthy & others
5. An account of the transactions of A. W.

1 taking on acct which may have been returned to Court as prima facie correct.

Nasworthy as Exr of Joseph Nasworthy decd
6. An account of the transactions of A. W.
Nasworthy as Guardian of Catherine Good
win

7. An account showing who are the
legates of Joseph Nasworthy decd
And that he report the same to this
Court with any other matters specially
stated deemed pertinent by himself or
that any of the parties may require to
be so stated

Nasworthy decd:

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or.

Nasworthy re

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Pct. Court Decree

To be entered

R. H. B.

Decided

Nareworthy &

vs

Nareworthy adm

1867

Set Court - Decree

To be entered

R. H. Baker

Narroworthy & Others

vs

In Chancery

Narroworthy adm

x by consent of the parties

This day this cause came on to be again heard upon the papers formerly read. The report of Commissioner Young made in pursuance of the decree rendered on the 19th day of October, 1866 and the exceptions thereto which have been filed by the Plaintiff. Upon consideration whereof the Court ^{without deciding any question raised by said exceptions} doth ~~ad~~ ^{ad} judge, order and decree that the said report be recommitted to the said Commissioner with directions to take testimony and for further investigation and that he report his proceedings herein with any matter specially stated deemed pertinent by himself or required by the parties to be so stated -

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of Oct. 1867
for Oct. 1.

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Nov. 20. Notice issued
to 7th Jan. 1868

Jan. 7. 1867 in consequence
of the death of Deft. S. Newman
the taking of the evidence in
this case is deferred.

Conced of

Copy sent to
Wm. L. G. G. G.

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Isle of Wight
On the 22nd day of October 1867.

Joseph C. Norworthy, Nathl. W. Norworthy, James R. Norworthy,
Henry R. Parker and Sarah F. ~~Norworthy~~, Parker his wife, formerly
S. F. Norworthy, and Otelia C. Norworthy. Plf.

against

} In Ch.

Robert W. Whitfield as administrator of Nathl. W. Norworthy
dec'd. As administrator de bonis non with the Will annexed
of Joseph Norworthy dec'd. As administrator of S. F. Norworthy
dec'd. and as Agent and attorny in fact for the plaintiffs:

Sarah Newman, Catharine Goodwin, William J. Veasey,
Marion S. Veasey, and Mary S. Norworthy, formerly
Mary S. Veasey. Defs.

This day this Cause came on to be again heard in
the papers formerly read, The report of Commissioner
Young made in pursuance of the decree rendered
On the 19th day of 8th October 1866, and the exceptions,
therein which ~~which~~ have been filed by the plaintiffs;
upon consideration whereof, the Court, without deciding any
question raised by ~~the~~ exceptions, doth ^{by} Consent of the parties,
adjudge, Order and decree that the said report be recom-
mitted to the said Commissioner, with directions to
take testimony and for further investigation and that he
report his proceedings herein with any matters specially
stated deemed pertinent by himself or required by the
parties to be so stated.

A copy.

Teste

A. S. Young Cllr.

Norsworthy &c. Norsworthy's adm &c.

It appearing to the Court that since the last term of this Court, ~~now~~, Sarah Newman one of the Defendants to this suit has died & that her estate has by order of this Court at this term been committed to the hands of Execut. L. Eley Sheriff of Isle of County for administration, came on this day to be heard by consent of said Execut. L. Eley Sheriff & Comptroller of said Sarah Newman dead, on the papers formerly read and on the Report of Com^r. Young made on 4th of Sept. 1867 & on exceptions to said Report, which exceptions are by Consent of the Court, withdrawn by the plaintiffs attorney, rendering the further execution of the decree of Oct^r. Court 1867 unnecessary, and the cause ^{was} ~~being~~ argued by Counsel in consideration whereof the Court doth confirm the said Com^r. Young's Report, and doth adjudge order and decree that Ro. H. Whitfield as adm^r of Joseph Norsworthy dec^d, pay the sum of \$413.64 of Principal and \$163.79 of Interest ^{with interest} on \$413.64 from the 15th of Oct^r. 1867 as follows - first the costs of this suit including a fee of \$100, to each of the attorneys for the plaintiffs and the defendant to wit. John Good Jr & Geo. R. Kilby; and then retain \$68.82 out of the said sum being Balance due by Nathl. Norsworthy's estate to said Ro. H. Whitfield his adm^r as per account "B" of said Com^r. Young's report; also that he retain \$411.41 out of the same, being the Balance due the said Whitfield from the estate of E. Laurella Norsworthy as per acct. "E", of said Com^r. Young's report, and that whatever may remain

he the said Ro. H. Whitfield as admr. of
Jr. Ansuntly and will pay over to Joseph
C. Ansuntly also is by the express consent
of said Whitfield, appointed Receiver for the
purpose -

That it appearing to the Court that
A. W. Ansuntly, the first admr. of Jr. Ansuntly
decd. is insolvent & having qualified without
security, no further notice need be taken
of the balance of \$1127.85 of Principal &
\$521.62 of Interest due by said A. W. Ansuntly
to the estate of said Jr. Ansuntly
ad. as per account "H" of said Comr. Young's
report - That Ro. H. Whitfield admr.
of Jr. Ansuntly & as attorney & trustee also
pay over to the said Joseph C. Ansuntly -

Receiver as aforesaid all uncollected Bonds or
other evidences of debt as named in account
"L" of said Comr. Young's report, as also any
and whole share he in discharge of the balance of \$3605.75, due by said &
other apts. uncollected, in his hands if any.

That the said Jr. C. Ansuntly Receiver as
aforesaid proceed to collect the Bonds or other
evidences of debt which may come into his hands
by virtue of this decree, and soon as practicable
~~and that as soon~~ and fast as he can
collect the same & proceed to pay the same as
follows - in the first place pay to Catharine Goodwin
\$583.84 with Interest on \$332.20 past thereof
from the 75th Oct 1867 till paid, and then pay to the
several creditors of Jr. Ansuntly decd. as named
in account "K" of Comr. Young's said Report, the
several sums due them
and then whatever sum may remain pay
1/5 to Joseph C. Ansuntly, 1/5 to Henry R. Parker

and Fannie his wife, 1/5 to Stathel W.
Ansuntly, 1/5 to Otilia C. Ansuntly
& 1/5 to James R. Ansuntly, as the parties
entitled thereto by account "J" of said
Comr. Young's report - no portion being assigned
to Louella Ansuntly, she being dead & the
other parties named in said account "J"
being entitled to her share - and that the
evidence of payments & proceedings under
this decree be reported to Court;

and that the said Joseph C. Ansuntly
before proceeding to act under this decree
shall execute before the Clerk of this Court
a Bond in the Clerk's office, in the penalty
of \$2000. payable to the Commonwealth
of Virginia, conditioned for the faithful
discharge of his duties under this decree, or
any other decree which he may require to
execute under this decree

* Ro. H. Whitfield as attorney & agent as per
account "J" of said Comr. Young's Report.

Remanently to

or

Remanently to

1868

May Court Decree

To be entered.

R. H. Baker

1868

Entered

Munsurthy, &c.

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Munsurthy's adm & al

This cause came on to be heard on the papers formerly read on the Report of Ro. H. Whitfield, of payments made under the Decree of the 20th May 1868, - to which report there is no exception and was argued by counsel. On consideration whereof the Court doth confirm the said Report, and doth adjudge, order and decree that the proceedings had in the cause be confirmed & that the cause be removed from the docket.

Monthly

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Monthly, adm

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Final Decree

To be entered

R. H. Baker

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In the Name of God. I Joseph Norworthy. do hereby constitute and Ordain this instrument of writing to be my last will & Testament hereby revoking all others heretofore Made by me, in Manner & form as follows. Item the First; I desire, give and bequeath my two farms. Viz. the farm called "Plainfield" (Whom my son Nathl. W. Norworthy now lives, and the Farm in the Ragged Island where I live, together with all the Chattle property, Stock Hogs, Cattle, Sheep, Mules, corn, fodder - Crops of all kinds - growing, farming utensils, Carts, furniture house hold & Kitchen - Now in the possession of my said son & on the said "Plainfield" tract, to him the said Nathaniel W. Norworthy as trustee for the Support & Maintenance of himself, and the Support, education and Maintenance of his Children, Subject to limitations as herein after Mentioned: And in the same Manner: with the limitations - I also give my Negro (or Mulatto) Man Robin to him the said W. W. Norworthy trustee for himself & Children - but on the death of my said son, I give Robin to my grand son Joseph Norworthy - son of N. W. Norworthy. Item 2^d. I give and bequeath to each of my Grand Children Viz. Mary A. William J. and Missaura A. Weasey, Children of my Daughter Lydia Weasey dec'd: the sum of Three hundred dollars. Item 3^d. I give and bequeath unto my grand daughter Mary J. Latimer and her heirs forever, my Negroes Edmund and Henry. Item 4th. I give & bequeath to my Grand daughter, Catharine Goodwin, daughter of my daughter Rhoda Goodwin dec'd: the sum of Five hundred dollars, but if the said Catharine should die without leaving any Child or Children of such Child, then living - then the said sum of \$500. I desire

to be equally divided among all of my Grand Children.
Item 3th All the residue of my estate (Not herein before mentioned
or disposed of) including all the Chattle & personal property of all
sorts - Now in my possession & On My farm in the Ragged Island where
I live & have lived; and all Bonds, Accounts, Claims and Money due
or owed by Me; and also all my Negroes (except Robin, Edward &
Henry just above disposed of) & all other property, not before disposed
of hereby, I desire and so directed - be divided into two equal parts:
One of which parts - I give and bequeath to my daughter Sally (or
Sarah) Newman and her heirs forever. And the other part, I give
and bequeath Son Nathl. W. Norisworthy as trustee for the support of
himself and Education, Support & Maintenance of his Children
and I do expressly declare, that in regard to the part, or the share
of my property herein this item, just given to my son, as trustee
for himself and Children, and the two farms, and the Chattle &
other property mentioned and referred to in the first item hereof,
in a word, all of the property real and personal & of all sorts
and kinds in this Will, or in any part, or Item thereof, devised
and bequeathed to my said son N. W. Norisworthy trustee as afore-
said and for the objects, expressed - besides the limitation and
objects therein expressed, there to be my wish and intention
viz. that is - the said property real and personal of all sorts as
aforesaid, shall be under the entire Control & Management
of my said son N. W. Norisworthy as trustee during his Natural
life: and that the profits and income therefrom, shall

be applied, in his discretion, for the support of himself and
the support education & Maintenance of his Children: but
if he choose to make any advancement to any of his Children,
during his life time; those so advanced, shall on the
division of the property hereinafter provided, being the
same into "Hock pot" but Nothing herein contained is to
be construed, as to entitle any one of his said Children
(or more than one or all) to Compel, or call for a division
or distribution of the said property, or of the profits or income
thereof. during the lifetime of my said son N. W. Norisworthy,
as I desire all of the said property be kept together, undivided &
under the Control of my said son during his life time, if he
so desire, under the limitations & for the objects aforesaid; And
I do further declare, that none of the said property (herein given
as aforesaid to my said son N. W. Norisworthy trustee & for the ob-
jects above referred to, shall be in any way or manner, liable
or be made subject to any debt or claim of any sort owing
by, or existing against the said N. W. Norisworthy, nor for
any debt which he may hereafter contract, except it be one
connected with his duties as trustee & for the support or carry-
ing on or preserving the trust property, or for the education
or support of himself and his Children - but such debt must
be contracted by himself directly & by him only - or by his
express authority - so, as to be paid out of the property. And
upon the death of my said son Nathl. W. Norisworthy - I direct

that all of the property of all kinds real and personal or mixed
(except Robin who is then to go to my Grand son Joseph New-
worthy) in this will - given to my said son as trustee for the
support of himself and children as aforesaid - shall be equally
divided between all the children which my said son now has,
or may hereafter have, and if any of his said children should
die (before him, leaving descendants, such descendants or
children shall take the share which the deceased Parent would
have taken if living: and should any of his children die before
he does - leaving no such children or descendants, then such
child or children's share so dying shall go to the surviving
brothers and sisters; and if there shall be any surplus from the
income or profits of said property, ^{or increase thereof} after the support and main-
tenance of my said son and his children as herein before
provided, the same is to be deemed as a part of the principal
of said property & to be divided on his death as above mentioned.
And I will further direct - that it is my particular desire
that in the division of my Negroes herein directed to be
made between - Daughter Sally Newman & N.W. Newworthy
trustee as aforesaid, I hope that no sale be made of any, but
that a sum of money if necessary, be paid to equalize the
Division, and that a Division of the said Negroes & Other
property made by them signed and recorded shall be as bind-
ing and effectual as if it were by Commissioners in
Chancery or by my self. Item 6th. It is at the discretion

of my Executor to place a Head, tomb Stone over the remains of my Wife and my Self with such inscription as may be deemed proper.

Lastly. As I have Made an entire disposition of my estate, I request that there be no Sale of the same - Unless as to such Articles as may not be wanting, And as I owe no debts. I desire that the Court of Islesworth County will permit my Son Nathl. W. Norworthy to qualify as my Executor & trustee aforesaid, under this will, Whome I do hereby Appoint as such, without requiring him to give any security. Witness My Signature and Seal this the 30th day of June 1857. Signed Sealed and Acknowledged in our joint presence and in presence of the testator,

Watson P. Jordan Jr.

Joseph Norworthy (Seal)

Josiah S. Gray

In Islesworth County Court April 4th 1859. The last Will and Testament of Joseph Norworthy decd. was proved in Court by the Oaths of Watson P. Jordan Jr. & Josiah S. Gray the witnesses thereto, & ordered to be recorded, and on the Motion of Nathl. W. Norworthy, the executor therein named, who made Oath & entered into & Acknowledged his bond in the penalty of \$2500.00 with Conditions according to Law, Certificate of Probate is granted him on said Will in due form. No Security was required of said Executor as directed by the said Will, Ordered that the said bond be recorded.

Teste

A. J. Young Clk.

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Teste

A. J. Young Clk.

Jos. Horncroft's
Will.

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Whereas the late Joseph Norworthy died, by his last will and testament, of record in the clerk's of the county of Isle of Wight, ... besides other things, devised and bequeathed unto Natl. W. Norworthy trustee, for his life certain real estate "Painfield tract" and the land whereon ^{lived} he and died, and also certain chattle estate on the Painfield farm, and likewise certain interest in his negro & other property, as the said will and testament will show, for the mutual benefit, support & maintenance, of him the said N. W. Norworthy & his children, who, with the exception of Lauretta H. Norworthy, - who has died since her father, are the undersigned that have survived their said father; and whereas the said will further directed that on the death of their said father, the above named property & estate should be equally divided between him, the said N. W. Norworthy & children; and the said N. W. Norworthy having departed this life, his children the said undersigned, conceiving their interest would be promoted by a sale of the said property, or a portion thereof, did come to be sold, publicly on the 21st & 22nd Nov. 1860, the farm called the Ragged Island, & certain chattle property, stock, cattle &c, as will appear by an acct. of the sales then made. And for the purpose of conducting & closing the said sales, & for other objects hereinafter mentioned, the undersigned, including Henry R. Parker - the husband

of Tommie (formerly Tommie Horsworth) did appoint
N. H. Whitfield their attorney & agent and they do hereby
constitute, ordain and appoint the said N. H. Whitfield
their lawful attorney & agent for them individually
& collectively with full and absolute authority to close
up said sales; that he is hereby authorized to take the bonds
of the purchasers at said sales, in his own name, and
the same collect, & with the proceeds, pay all legal & proper
claims against the said bonds, or proceeds, or property arising
under the will of the said Joseph Horsworth decd: then
all debts contracted for the use - benefit of the under-
signed & for the family, or about the farm or property
by the said N. W. Horsworth, since the death of the said
Joseph Horsworth, including of course such as concern
the said Horsworth himself - his support - medical
bills &c: And the said Whitfield is hereby also fully au-
thorized & directed, afterwards to pay such debts as he is
satisfied were contracted by the said N. W. Horsworth,
after the removal of his family to live at "Plainfield"
(which was about Feb. 1848) for the use, benefit & support
of his family, since said removal: And all papers &
evidences of payment as aforesaid, taken in & paid
by him - duly receipted, shall be allowed in settlement
of his transactions as agent or attorney as aforesaid, and
he is hereby fully authorized & empowered to sign our

names to any papers necessary to carry out the objects of
this paper writing: And all of his said acts & doings in per-
formance of the aforesaid objects & purposes, we do & will ratify
& adopt as fully & completely as if the same were done by us.

Witness our signatures & seals this the 22nd day of November
1860

Teste
Josiah J. Wail
Augustus Bankley

Henry K. Parker seal
Jas C. Horsworth seal
Otelia C. Horsworth seal
N. W. Horsworth seal
Lauretta Horsworth seal
Tommie Parker seal
James K. Horsworth seal

In the clerk's office of the County Court of Isle of
Wight County, May 16th. 1861, this deed from
N. R. Parker, J. C. Horsworth & G. to R. H.
Whitfield, their attorney, was proved by the
oaths of Josiah J. Wail and Augustus Bankley
the witnesses, thereto and admitted to record
Teste A. P. Youngblood

A copy.

Teste A. P. Youngblood

Parker & Co.

to 3 Dec 20

Whitfield

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Copy.

Nonsworthy Jr. v. Nonsworthy's adm'r &c

The following facts are agreed to be correct and to be used as evidence in this cause.

1st That Laurella Nonsworthy, ~~deceased~~ named in account "J" of Com^r. Young's report ~~is~~ dead and that Joseph C. Nonsworthy, Fannie, wife of Henry R. Parker, Eliza C. Nonsworthy, and ~~J. W. Nonsworthy~~ & James R. Nonsworthy, are entitled to the Balance ~~found~~ in Ro. H. Whitfield's hands as per said account "J".

2nd. That the uncollected Bonds &c named in account "L" of said Com^r. Young's report are entered in the Balance reported due by said Whitfield as per account "J" of said Com^r. Young's report.

3rd. That the Balance of \$413.64 & \$163.79 as appear in said Whitfield's hands as adm'r of M. Nonsworthy dec'd, is liable to the debts of said ~~deceased~~ (J. Nonsworthy dec'd), so that until they are paid the Legacies referred to in said Decedent's will, cannot be paid, and that the debts vice about the same.

4 th . That A. W. Nonsworthy late	} John Goode for Atty for P. & F. John R. Kelly Atty for R. H. Whitfield
Adm'r of J. Nonsworthy dec'd	
and Insolvent, & that the	
Balance due by him cannot be collected (see acct. "H")	

Manitly Jr.

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Manitly, now

" Statement of
facts agreed to."

(X)

P ₂	413.64
M	163.79
	<u>\$587.43</u>

Intfu 15 Oct 1867 on \$413.64
to 7 Sep 1868

atly per,

	22.07
	<u>\$605.50</u>
	200.00
	<u>\$405.50</u>

Inty ———

Retained

68.82

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\$283.27

atly per:

200.00

to Sep 1868 \$483.27

In C. W. W. B. B. \$29.70

Intfu 22nd Mar 1860

to 7 Sep 1868

73m 9m 190 13.27

\$43.17

J B. F. W. \$250.

Intfu 13 Sep 1859

to 21 Jan 1860 - 4m 8.33

\$258.33

or 64.02

\$194.29

Intfu 1 Jan 1861

11m 9.87

11.00

\$105.29

or -

57.00

\$154.29

Intfu 7 Sep 1868

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\$225.40

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J B. Southard's Bm 200.

Dr 1/2 m. 13 June 1861

to Jan 1862

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7 Sep 1868

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from ~~1861~~ 1862

Dr. 1862

In the Circuit Court held for the County of Schoffwigt
October the 19th 1866.

Joseph C. Norworthy, N. W. Norworthy James R. Norworthy,
Henry R. Parker & Sarah F. Parker, his wife, formerly Sarah F. Norworthy
and Oliver C. Norworthy Comps. vs.

Against

In Chancery

Robert H. Whitfield as Administrator of Nathl. W. Norworthy
dec'd. as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of Joseph
Norworthy dec'd. Administrator of E. L. Norworthy dec'd. and as
Agent & Attorney in fact for the Plaintiff Sarah Newman,
Catharine Goodwin, William J. Veasey, Mifurid A. Veasey
Mary A. Norworthy, formerly Mary A. Veasey Defts

This Cause in which the process has been duly executed, on
the adult defendants came on to be heard on the Bill
of the Plaintiffs, the answer of infants defendants Mifurid
A. Veasey by N. P. Young her guardian ad litem & the
answer of Robert H. Whitfield as Administrator de bonis non of
Joseph Norworthy dec'd. as Administrator of N. W. Norworthy
as Adm. of E. L. Norworthy & as Agent & Attorney in fact of Joseph
C. Norworthy & Others filed this day by leave of Court with
general replications to said answers and an exhibit filed with
said bill & answers and was argued by Counsel; upon Consideration
whereof the Court doth adjudge, Order and decree that One
of the Commissioners of this Court take the following accounts,
first An account of the transactions of Robert H. Whitfield as Adm.
de bonis non of Joseph Norworthy dec'd. taking any account of his
transactions, which may have been returned to Court as prima facie
Correct.

Second An account of the transactions of Robert H. Whitfield as Administrator
of Nathaniel W. Norworthy deceased.

Third An account of the transactions of Ro. H. Whitfield as Administrator of E. Samella Norsworthy decd.

Fourth An account of the transactions of Robert B. Whitfield as Agent and Attorney in fact of Joseph C. Norsworthy & Others.

Fifth An account of the transactions of N. W. Norsworthy as Executor of Joseph Norsworthy decd.

Sixth An account of the transactions of N. W. Norsworthy as Guardian of Catharine Goodwin:-

Seventh An account showing who are the Legates of Joseph Norsworthy decd. and that he report the same to this Court with any other matters specially stated, deemed pertinent by himself or that any of the parties may require to be so stated.

Test N. P. Young Clerk.

Norsworthy & als

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Norsworthy & als

Notes issued 28th Jan.
to 22nd March 1867.

Contd. from time to time until
the 14th Aug. 1867 - when the
acts were announced & am?
for day to day till ended as

Nov. 22nd 1 hour

Dec. 14th 5 "

Jan. 22nd 4 "

" 23rd 7 "

" 24th 5 "

" 27th 5 "

" 28th 3 "

" 30th 2 "

" 31st 3 "

Commissioner's Office, Isle of Wight Court House,

July 28.

1867

To Jos. C. Norworthy, N. W. Norworthy, Jas. R. Norworthy, Ottilia C. Norworthy, Catharine Goodwin, W. J. Vesey, M. A. Vesey, and M. A. Norworthy, formerly Vesey.

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon the 29th day of March next, if fair; if not, the next fair day thereafter, (Sunday excepted), to take and settle, at my office, the following accounts:

- 1st - An account of the transactions of Rob. H. Whitfield as adm^r de bonis non of Jos. Norworthy decd; 2nd - An account which may have been returned to court as prima facie correct. 3rd - An account of the transactions of Rob. H. Whitfield as adm^r of N. W. Norworthy decd. 4th - An account of the transactions of Rob. H. Whitfield as adm^r of E. L. Norworthy decd; 5th - An account of the transactions of Rob. H. Whitfield as agent & attorney in fact for Joseph C. Norworthy & others. 6th - An account of the transactions of N. W. Norworthy as executor of Jos. Norworthy decd; 7th - An account of the transactions of N. W. Norworthy as guardian of Catharine Goodwin. 8th - An account showing who are the legatees of Joseph C. Norworthy decd;

required to be taken by decree of Isle of Wight Circuit Court, rendered on the 19th day of October 1866, in a suit in Chancery depending in said Court, between

Jos. C. Norworthy, N. W. Norworthy, James R. Norworthy, Henry R. Portman & Sarah his wife & Ottilia Norworthy plaintiffs, & Rob. H. Whitfield adm^r of N. W. Norworthy decd, as adm^r de bonis non with the will annexed of Jos. Norworthy decd as adm^r of E. L. Norworthy decd, & as agt & atty in fact for the plaintiffs & Sarah Newman, both Goodwin & others, Defendants, at which time and place you are required to attend.

Given under my hand as a Commissioner of the said Court, the day and year first aforesaid.

J. S. Young

Com'r.

I acknowledge service of this notice 5th March 1867.

I acknowledge service of this notice 5th March 1867.

John R Kelly Atty
for R. H. Whitfield

Commissioner's Office,

ISLE OF WIGHT COURT HOUSE.

To *Joseph C. Norwinty & M. A. his wife,*
N. W. Norwinty, Jas. R. Norwinty,
Henry R. Parker & Sarah F. his wife,
and Otelia Norwinty } **Plaintiffs.** *November 20th. 1867.*

and to *Es. W. Whitfield admr. of N. W.*
Norwinty decd; as admr. de bonis non of Jos.
Norwinty decd; as admr. of C. L. Norwinty
decd; & as att. in fact for the plffs. } **Defendants,**
and Sarah Newmon, Catharine Gordon,
William J. Rosey & William A. Tracy

You are hereby notified, that I have fixed upon the *27th* day of
January 186*8*, to take and settle the following accounts, to wit:
First, *"To take testimony and further*
investigation" in regard to the accounts
reported under decree of 19th Oct. 1866.

required to be taken by a Decree, of the *Chancery* Court of Isle of Wight County, rendered on
the *22^d* day of *October* 186*7*, in a suit in Chancery depending
in the said Court, in which you are parties, Plaintiffs and Defendants; at which time and place you are
required to attend. Given under my hand, as Commissioner in Chancery of said Court the day and year
aforesaid.

N. D. Young Comm.

Executed by delivering a true
copy of the will to R^d Whitford
Mrs Sarah Newman & Catharine
Gradwin on the 10th Decr 1868

E S Edgson

For worthy etc.

W Com.
of Justice

For worthy's admt.

to 3.

To wit. Janry. 1868.

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Isle of Wight
On the 22nd day of October 1867.

Joseph C. Norworthy, N. W. Norworthy, Jas. R. Norworthy,
Henry R. Parker & Sarah F. Parker his wife, formerly Sarah
F. Norworthy, & Otelia C. Norworthy. Pltfs

Against In Chancery

Re: H. Whitfield as Admor. of Nathl. W. Norworthy dec'd. as
Admor. de bonis non with the Will Annexed of Joseph
Norworthy dec'd. ^{as} Admor. of E. & Norworthy dec'd. & as Agent &
Atty. in fact for the plaintiffs: Sarah Newman, Catherine Good-
win, Wm. J. Veasey, M. J. Veasey, A. Veasey, & Mary A. Norworthy,
formerly Mary A. Veasey. Defts.

This ~~day~~ this Cause came on to be again heard on the
papers formerly read. The report of Commr. Young made in
pursuance of the decree rendered on the 19th day of Octo.
1866, and the exceptions thereto which have been filed by the
plaintiffs: upon consideration whereof, the Court, without de-
ciding any question raised by said exceptions, doth by Consent of
the parties, a Judge, Order & decree that the said report be
recommitted to the said Commr. with directions to take testi-
mony & for further investigation & that he report his proceedings
herein with any matters specially stated, deemed pertinent by
himself or required by the parties to be so stated.

A copy Teste

N. J. Young Cllk.

Commissioners Office, Isle of Wight Courthouse,
November 20th 1867.

The parties interested in the foregoing decree, are hereby
notified that, I have ascertained the 7th day of January
1868, at my office aforesaid, for taking the testimony
and further investigation required by said decree.

At which time and place, they are required to
attend. Given under my hand as a Commissioner

in Chancery of the said Court, the day and
year first aforesaid.

N. D. Youngblood.

We acknowledge legal service of the foregoing notice
given under our hands this day of 1867.

H. K. Forsworthey.

Lo. C. Norworthy

Bro. H. Newberry

Outing C. Konoherthy.

D^r. J. Norwotley
 W. Vesey
 L^d. H. Vesey

W. Vesey

L. H. Perry

Verworthy Esq.

Sam. I. notice

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For writings adw. tal.

To my dear family. 1868.

Commissioner's Office, Isle of Wight Court House,

January 28th 1867

Jos. C. Norworthy, N. W. Norworthy, Jas. R. Norworthy, N. R. Parker & Sarah F. his wife, Atelia C. Norworthy, Ro. H. Whitfield, as admr. of N. W. Norworthy, as admr. de bonis mris of Jos. Norworthy dec. with his will annexed, as admr. of E. L. Norworthy dec; as agent for ^{the} ~~the~~ Sarah Newman, Catharine Goodwin, W. J. May, M. A. May & Mary A. Norworthy formerly Vesey.

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon the 22nd day of March next, if fair, if not, the next fair day thereafter, (Sunday excepted), to take and settle, at my office, the following accounts: 1st—An account of the transactions of Ro. H. Whitfield as admr.

bonis mris of Jos. Norworthy dec; taking any account of his transactions ^{which} may have been returned to court, as prima facie correct. 2nd—An account of the transactions of Ro. H. Whitfield as admr. of N. W. Norworthy dec. 3rd—An account of the transactions of Ro. H. Whitfield as admr. of E. Lauretta Norworthy dec. 4th—An account of the transactions of Ro. H. Whitfield as agent and attorney in fact for Joseph C. Norworthy & others. 5th—An account of the transactions of N. W. Norworthy as Executor of Joseph Norworthy dec. 6th—An account of the transactions of N. W. Norworthy as guardian of Catharine Goodwin. 7th—An account showing who are the legates of Joseph Norworthy dec;

required to be taken by decree of Isle of Wight Circuit Court, rendered on the 19th day of October 1866, in a suit in Chancery depending in said Court, between

Jos. C. Norworthy, N. W. Norworthy, Jas. R. Norworthy, Henry R. Parker & Sarah his wife & Atelia Norworthy plaintiffs and Ro. H. Whitfield admr. of N. W. Norworthy dec. as admr. de bonis mris with the will annexed of Jos. Norworthy dec. as admr. of E. L. Norworthy dec. and as agt. & attorney in fact for ^{the} ~~the~~ Sarah Newman, Cath. Goodwin, & others Defendants.

at which time and place you are required to attend.

Given under my hand as a Commissioner of the said Court, the day and year first aforesaid.

A. P. Young

Com'r.

Non worthy sale.

3 Bond of
4. } J. L. L.
Non worthy
America

Non worthy's address,
Sale.

Accept. 3^d 1868

Executed & filed

J. P. Ginn, Clerk

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That *I Joseph C. Norworthy*

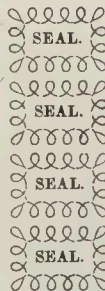
am held and firmly bound unto the COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, in the sum of *two*
Thousand Dollars to the
 payment whereof well and truly to be made to the said Commonwealth of Virginia, *I* bind
myself my heirs, executors and administrators,

do firmly by these presents. Sealed with *my* seal, and dated this
3^d day of *August* one thousand eight hundred and *sixty eight*

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That if the said
Joseph C. Norworthy does by decree of the circuit court of *Rich*
mond County, rendered on the 20th day of May 1868 in the suit
between J. C. Norworthy, Jals. p'tp; and H. H.
collyer & adm. of J. W. Norworthy decd; & as a adm. de bonis non
of J. C. Norworthy decd, & als. defendants
 shall faithfully discharge ~~the~~ ^{his} duties of his said office, then this obligation is to be void, or else to remain
 in full force.

Signed, sealed, acknowledged and }
 delivered in the presence of }

J. C. Norworthy



This bond is the property of Robert H. Whitfield
and is transferable only at this office by written
endorsement on the bond, witnessed by the Public
Treasurer.

Decr 12th 1862.

D. Macaulay
Public Treas.

[illegible]

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and is transferable only at this office by
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