

1875-016 Chancery Causes: John A. Hall vs Robert A. Hall & al

Isle of Wight County

Petition of George T. Whitley, assignee of Elisha Whitley

Know all Men by these Presents, That we

Thomas J. Clements, M. P. Young & John C. Thomas
are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of *fifteen 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 *2nd* day of *December 1842* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and *seventy two*

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 *11th* day of *November 1842* in a cause depending in the said Court, in which *John A. Hall* is

Plaintiff, and

Robert A. Hall latter, are
Defendant, the
above bound *Thomas J. Clements* was appointed a special

Commissioner to *sell the land of which Robert A. Hall*
did seized & possessed, in Isle of Wight County,
on a credit of one and two years, with bond &
good security for the deferred payments, bearing
interest from day of sale & till returned & and
make report to court

Now, if the above bound *Thomas J. Clements* shall faithfully discharge, *and all other duties he may be required to perform in said Court* 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 }

T. J. Clements



M. P. Young



J. C. Thomas



Hall Jno. & T.

2. $\frac{1}{2}$ Ann. Bond

Hall R. A. & Son

Recd. 2. 1842.

Eyd. Hild.

For value received, I Elisha Whitley ad-
ministrator of Rose Ann Hall decd: do
hereby assign, transfer & pay over to George
T. Whitley all my right title to the bal-
ance due me on the settlement of my
transactions as administrator of said Rose
Ann Hall decd; which said balance, on
the 4th. day of December 1866, amounted to
One hundred and fifty six dollars & thirty
cents, as will be seen by my administration
account on said estate recorded in the
Clerks office of Ish. Wright County Court.
And I hereby authorize & empower the said
George T. Whitley, my assignee as aforesaid, to
proceed to collect the said balance in
any legal manner that I might do
had the said balance not been so
assigned.

Witness my hand & seal this 2^d day. 1867.

Witness
A. J. Jones

Elisha Whitley



The Estate of Rose Ann Hall dec'd
In acct, with Elisha Whitley her Adm'r,

1866

Feb'y,	To paid Rouse for Coffin &c,	42 50	
	" " So. B. Edwards auctioneer	3 25	
	" " Revenue stamps & tax	3 00	
	" " Tax & Clerk's fees for 1865	4 45	
Octo.	" " E. Whitley bal. on settlement of acct,)		
	for board of dec'd & rent of land by him)	38 00	
	" " Taxes & Clerk's fees for 1866,	3 60	
" 21,	" " E. Whitley on Bond	201 40	
Dec'r 4	" Comm'r on \$152.22 receipts	7 61	
	" retained to pay bond & Clerk for this acct,	4 00	
1866			
June	By amt of acct. sales of Chattel estate	36 32	
	" amt, rec'd of Geo. H. Jordan in part)	115 90	
	of bond held by intestate vs. him		
Dec'r 4 th	" Balance due the Adm'r	156 30	
		\$308.30	\$308 30

Commissioner's office, Isle
of Wight Co. Va. May 10th 1867,
To the County Court of Isle of Wight County,
Your Commissioner reports to the Court
that on the 15th day of Feb'y, 1867, Elisha Whitley
Adm'r, of Rose Ann Hall dec'd, exhibited
before him a statement of all the money's
he had received become chargeable with

or had disbursed during the periods embraced in the foregoing account, together with the vouchers for the disbursements, That your Comm^r embraced the said Adm^r in the list of fiduciaries whose accounts were before him for settlement, which was posted at the Courthouse door on the first day of March Court last, & on the date of this report, made up and completed the foregoing account, & on the 4th day of Dec^r 1866, finds a balance of \$156.30 due from the estate of said Rose Ann Hall to the said Adm^r. Given under my hand as a Com^r of the said Court the day & year first aforesaid,

W. D. Young Com^r

In the Clerk's office of Salem County Court, May 22nd 1867. The foregoing account with report have been filed in this office for one month & no exceptions being filed thereto, was confirmed. & ordered to be admitted to record,

Teste W. D. Young Clerk

Attest, Teste,

W. H. Hart, D. C.

Rev. Amos A. Phelps

file
in
and
the House
for

Dec. 10, 30 cts

Mr. A. Hall

12.

Mr. Hall vs

This cause came on this day to be again heard on the paper formerly read in the Report of Mr. J. Clements, Comr. made pursuant to the decree of this Court in this case, on the 29th May 1874, 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 same be confirmed, and that the proceedings had in this cause be confirmed, and made final & binding between the parties; and nothing further remaining to be done in this cause, the same is adjourned to be removed from the docket

Mrs. A. Hall

W.

Rev. Hall Sal;

1875

Act. Court

Prize Money

To be entered

Geo. T. Brown

Final

Entered 5,

Geo. A. Hall & Co.

vs.

Robt. A. Hall & Co.

This cause came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read herein and on the report of Thomas J. Clements, Commissioner, made pursuant to the decree of Isle of Wight County Court of November Term 1872 and on the Petition of George T. Whitley, assignee of Elisha Whitley filed in this cause, and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof the Court doth confirm the said report to which no exception has been filed and doth adjudge order and decree that the said Thomas J. Clements, Commissioner as aforesaid, receive of the clerk of this Court, (who will deliver the same to him on his leaving a receipt therefor), the Three Bonds of John A. Hall and Henry Whitley of two hundred and twenty two dollars and twenty two cents ^{each}, and collect the same and make to the said John A. Hall a deed with special warranty in the usual form for the land purchased by him under proceedings had herein: And the Court doth further adjudge, order and decree that the said Thomas J. Clements, Commissioner afore-

said out, ^{of} the proceeds, pay any costs that
may remain unpaid and then pay
to John R. Kilby, attorney for the said
George T. Whitley assignee as aforesaid
the sum of \$156.30 with interest thereon
from the 4th day of December 1866 till
paid, and the residue, pay as follows:
to the said Emily Whitley one ~~fifth~~ ^{sixth} there-
of; to John A. Hall, & Ro. A. Hall, Ar-
mond Hall, Wm. C. Hall and Christiana
Hall likewise one other sixth thereof
respectively, — the shares of the infants,
~~if any~~, to be paid ^{to} their legally qual-
ified guardians, and make report
to court of his proceedings hereunder.

John A. Hall &c

N.

Ro. A. Hall &c

May Circuit Court 1874

Decree for collections
and payments.

To be entered.

Geo. B. Brown

Entered

2.5

Hall

Hall

This cause came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read, and on the report of commissioners E. P. Womble, Abram. Vellies, L. B. Edwards, and Geo. F. Hall, made in pursuance of a decree of this Court on the 5th, September 1872, - to which report there is no exception - and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof the Court doth confirm said report, and doth adjudge, order, and decree that Thomas L. Clements who is hereby appointed a commissioner for that purpose, proceed to sell before the Court House door of Isle of Wight County, on some Court day, the land of which Mrs. Rosa Ann Hall died seized and possessed, and described as a tract of land in Isle of Wight County, Va. containing two hundred fifty acres, more or less, and adjoining the lands of E. P. Womble & others. - the said sale to be made on a credit of ^{one and two years} ~~some months~~, the purchaser to give bond and good security for the deferred payment, bearing interest from day of

sale, and the title to be retained until further order of Court, except ~~the~~ that the costs and expenses shall be cash: — which sale shall be first advertised ^{for at least twenty days} at the Court house door of said County and at four other places near the premises, And make report to Court,

But no sale is to be made under this decree, until the said Thomas J. Clements shall have executed before the Clerk of this Court, in his office, a Bond in the penalty of fifteen hundred dollars, conditioned faithfully to execute this decree and all other decrees he may be required to execute herein.

Hall
v

Hall et al

1872

Jury, Ct. decree

To be entered

W. R. Clements

Entered

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Rosa Ann Hall who are parties
hereto, to wit; the said Emily Whitley
Sarah Hall, John A. Hall, Robert A.
Hall, Wm. Edmund Hall & Christiana
Hall, giving to each one Sixth part
thereof in value, if the said division
be practicable & convenient; or allot
the **Said** land to any one or more of
said parties who will take the same,
and pay to the other parties their por-
tion of the proceeds; or if in their
judgement the sale of said land
is best for all parties they will
so report, and their reasons
therefor, and make report to
Court. Attest, Teste,
C. A. Hall & Co.,

Wm. A. Hall

Deputy of a

W. J. J. & Co., Ct.

1872

R. A. Hall & Co.,

Hall & H

vs.

Hall & al.

This cause came on this day to be heard on the Complainant's Bill taken for confessed as to the adult defendants on whom process had been duly executed & they still failing to appear and make defence, and on the answer of the infant defendants by their guardian ad litem with general replication thereto & was argued by counsel. On consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge, order, & decree that E. P. Womble, Abraham Vellins, Linemus B. Edwards and Geo. H. Hall (any three of whom may act), proceed to divide the land of which Mrs. Rosa Ann Hall died seized and possessed, to-wit: - a tract of land in the County of Isle of Wight containing by estimation two hundred and fifty acres, more or less, and adjoining the lands of E. P. Womble & al., among the children of said Rosa Ann Hall, who are parties hereto, to-wit, the said Emily Whitley, Sarah Hall, John A. Hall, Robert A. Hall, Wm. Edmund Hall, & Christiana Hall,

Hall

vs.

Hall & al.

1872

Sept. Court. - Decree

To be entered

J. H. Robinson

Entered

giving to each one, one sixth part thereof in value, if the said division be practicable and convenient, or allot the said land to any one or more of said parties who will take the same and pay to the other parties their portion of the proceeds; Or if in their judgment the sale of said land is best for all parties they will so report and their reasons therefor, And make report to Court.

In Isle of Wight County Court, November 4th 1842

John A. Hall

Plffs:

vs. Z. Enchry:
Robert A. Hall & others,

Defts.

This Cause Came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read, and on the report of Commissioners E. P. Womble, Abram, Vellines, L. P. Edwards and Geo. F. Hall made in pursuance of a decree of this Court on the 5th of September 1842, to which report there is no exception, and was argued by Counsel: On consideration whereof the Court doth confirm said report, and doth adjudge, order & decree that Thomas J. Clements who is hereby appointed a Commissioner for that purpose proceed to sell before the courthouse door of Isle of Wight County on some Court day, the land of which Rosa Ann Hall died seized & possessed, & described as a tract of land in Isle of Wight County, Virginia, containing two hundred & fifty acres, more or less, and adjoining the lands of E. P. Womble & others, the said sale to be made on a credit of one and two years, the purchaser to give bond and good security for the deferred payment, bearing interest from day of sale, and the title to be retained until further order of Court, except that the costs & expenses shall be cash; which sale shall be first advertised for at least Twenty days at

the courthouse door of said county, and at four other places near the premises, and make report to court. But no sale is to be made under this decree until the said Thomas J. Clements shall have executed before the clerk of this court, in his office a bond in the penalty of \$1500.⁰⁰, conditioned faithfully to execute this decree, and all other decrees he may be required to execute herein,

A Copy, Teste,

C. H. Hart, D. C.

Attos. fees May 31. 00

all. " 5. 84

Sh. J. A. W. 2. 00

Do. Nausem? 1. 03

Costs to Nov. ct. 1872 \$ 39. 87

John A. Hall

Copy Decree
Nov. Co. Ct.
Nov. 28th 72,

Rich. A. Hall, dals.

Jan 6 1873

5104
J. A. Hance

To the County Court of Lee of Wright County.

The undersigned reports to the Court, that pursuant to the decree of the 4th Nov. 1872 made in the cause of Mrs. A. Hall against Ro. A. Hall & others, he proceeded to advertise the Land of which Rosa Ann Hall died seized & possessed, containing 250 acres more or less & described in said decree & did on the 6th day of January 1873, when the same was purchased by Mrs. A. Hall for \$570.00 of which there was paid in cash as follows.

For	5 per cent Com. on \$300	\$15.00
For	" 2 " " " \$210	4.20
For	" Mrs. R. Kelly atty.	31.00
For	" Clerk	5.82 1/2
For	" Shff. J. of Wright.	2.00
For	" Dr. Stans.	1.03
For	" Crier	5.00
For	" printing hand bills	1.50 = \$65.57

For which Balance the said

Mrs. A. Hall has executed his
two Bonds with Henry Whitlog
as security, payable at one & two

years, after date, with interest from date,
which are filed herewith.

The title to the Land is reserved.

D. J. Clements } Com

1873 Jan. 6. Recd. on beg in
above case.

John R. Kilby \$31.00

Dr for clerk 5.84

Dr for staff 3 03

John A. Hall

1 Comm. report
2 of sale &c.
205,

Rec'd A. Hall, & also
March 3rd 1873, re-
turned & filed.

The 1st Bond of Geo. A. Hall for \$222.22. due 6th
Jan, 1874. I have rec'd. John R. Kilby for Com

The 2^d Bond is also in my hands,
John R. Kilby for Com

No. 546
Mrs. Rosana Hall

HARDY TOWNSHIP,

1873.

To M. L. WATKINS, Isle of Wight County Treasurer.

To revenue on <u>252</u> acres land, valued at \$ <u>716</u> at 50 cts. on \$100	378	
To revenue on \$..... Personal Property at 50 cts. on \$100		
To State Capitation Tax	\$700	
Total State Tax		
To County Levy on \$ <u>716</u> Real and Personal Property at 25 cts. on \$100	189	378
To County Levy on..... persons at 50 cts.		
To County School Tax at 10 cts. on \$100	76	
Total County Tax		263
Total State and County Tax		643
December 1st, 5 per cent. added		32
		675

Treasurer

169.17

Collector

1875 Feb 10 Recd. of Mrs. R. Kilby com
forty three dollars & fifty cents, my
share of 2^d. Bond for sale of land

Witness
J. H. Edwards

\$43.50
John. ^{Wm.} A. Hall
man

10 3. 46 too much

\$40.04

1875 apri 5. Recd. of Thos. J. Clements, Comr. forty three
dollars & fifty cents, from sale of Land in
suit of John A. Hall v. Hall others.

\$43.50.

Witness A. S. Binsong Ro. ^{this} X Hall
mark

W 3, 46 too much
\$ 40, 04

In the Circuit Court of Seaford Wright County the
27th day of May 1874.

John A. Hall

Pltff:

vs. } In Chancery

Robert A. Hall & als.

Defts:

This cause came on this day to be again
heard on the papers formerly read herein,
and on the Report of Thomas J. Clements Comr.
made pursuant to the decree of Seaford Wright
County Court of November 1872, and on the
petition of George T. Whitley assignee of Elisha
Whitley filed in this cause, and was ar-
gued by counsel: On consideration
whereof the Court doth confirm the said report
to which no exception has been filed, and
doth adjudge, order and decree that the said
Thomas J. Clements, Comr. as aforesaid, re-
ceive of the clerk of this Court (who will deliver
the same to him on his leaving a receipt therefor)
the three bonds of John A. Hall and Henry
Whitley of \$22.22¹⁰⁰ each, and collect the same
and make to the said John A. Hall, a deed
with special warranty in the usual form
for the land purchased by him under pro-
ceedings had herein: And the Court doth
also adjudge, order and decree that the
said Thomas J. Clements, Comr. aforesaid

Clk's fees incurred and
estimated for com. fees

Nov. 1872 - . . . \$ 8.57

E. P. Wendell Com. fees. 2.00

A. Volkmann " " 2.00

A. B. Edwards " " 2.00

G. F. Hall " " 2.00

Costs unpaid \$ 16.57

J. J. Hall

Copy of decree

May 1874

Hall's

For J. J. Hall
for addition
of the same

out of the proceeds, pay any costs that may remain unpaid, and then pay to John R. Kilby Attorney for the said George T. Whitley a figure as aforesaid the sum \$156.30 with interest thereon from the 4th day of December 1866, till paid, and the residue pay as follows, to the said Emily Whitley, one sixth thereof, to John A. Hall, Robert A. Hall, Minrod Hall, Wm E. Hall and Christiana Hall likewise one other sixth thereof respectively, the shares of the infants to be paid to their legally qualified guardians, and make report to court of his proceedings hereunder,

A copy Teste,

C. H. Hart, Clerk
W. B. Young, Clk.

To the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, V.a.

The undersigned Reports to the Court that pursuant to the annexed decree of the Circuit Court of Isle of Wight County, made on the 27th day of May 1874, in the cause therein pending wherein John A. Hall, is plaintiff & Ro. A. Hall and others defendants, he has proceeded to collect & pay out the funds therein named, as the following statement will shew.

By 1st Bond of Geo. A. Hall and
Henry Whitley of \$222.22
Int. from 6 Jan'y 1873 to
6th Aug 1873 - 1 y. 7 mo. } 21.11
\$243.33

Cash Paid, Clerk	\$8.52	
E. P. Wattle, Com.	2.00	
A. Vellins "	2.00	
L. B. Edwards "	2.00	
G. F. Hall "	2.00	
Jan'y 1873	6.25	
		\$23.27
		\$220.06

To paid Geo. A. Kelly Atty. for
Geo. J. Whitley fees &c. \$156.30
& Int. from 4th Dec 1866 to 6 Aug
1874, 7 y. 8 mo. & 20 } 74.43 = \$230.93
Bal. due Com. \$10.87

Respy submitted
Thos. C. Lewis } Comd
6 Aug. 1874

1874 Aug. 6 Rec^d of Mr. J. Clements, Cow
Two hundred & thirty dollars & ninety three cents
as stated within,

John R. Kilby atty
for Geo. J. Whitley &c.

Report continued

R₂ ann. of Mrs. A. Hall's Bond due 6 Jan'y 1878 \$ 227.22

" Int. from 6 Jan'y 1873 to 10th July 1875

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ff *zz* *ss*

Spaid No. 6. Halberd No. 1/6 \$40.04

✓ " Emily Whitey 1/6 40.04

No	to	Robert S. Hall	1/4	40.04
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~~Dead~~ " + ~~Kimber~~ ~~Wace~~ ^{Dead} 1/6

~~Wm E. Hall~~ Wm E. Hall 1/6 40.04

Deposits " Christiana Wall $\frac{1}{6}$ 40.04

Sarah Hall 1/6 40.06 / 240.26

A deed has been made to Mrs. A. Hall the purchaser of the land as directed

Respectfully submitted

Thos. J. Clements
per K

1875 May 29 Recd of Thomas J. Clements
forty dollars & six cents amount due recd
as above Emory V. Kelley \$40.06
witness. Wm E. ^{his} + Hall \$40.06
Lusk ^{mark} Hall \$40.06
John R. Kelly for Christiana Hall \$40.06

Mr. A. Hall

in

Re. Hall & Co.

1st Report of
Payments.

Clements, Conn

Recd Jan. 13th 1873. of Thomas J. Church
Cur., Secy of the Natl Socy. One
Dollar. Am. fifty Cents for Handbills.
 $\$1 \frac{50}{100}$

W. B. Wellen, Secy.

To the County Court of Isle of Wight County,

We undersigned Respectfully
~~Represent to the Court and~~ report to Court
that they have proceeded to execute
the decree of said Court, of the 5 Sept.
1872, made in the cause pending in
said Court, wherein John A. Hall is
Plaintiff and Ro. A. Hall & others, Defendants

That they have viewed, and are
well acquainted with the land named
in said decree of which Mrs Rosa Ann
Hall died possessed, to wit a tract of land
in said County of 250 acres more or less
adjoining the land of E. P. Waddle & others,
and we report that we could ~~have divided~~ ^{not divide}
the land in kind between the parties as
directed, ~~but~~, without great inconvenience and
disadvantage, That it was not practicable
to do so, nor would any one of the parties
take the same at our valuation, which
we consider \$1000, — — — Your Com-
missioners report that under the circumstances
above stated and because, if it could have
been divided, it would have given each party
a small piece of poor land, too little to be
improved & on which the parties could not
be supported, we recommend as all of the
land (and division of the proceeds as best

In the Interest of all parties,

Respectfully submitted

E. D. Warrble

Ab. Vellinich

L. B. Edwards

Geo. F. Hall

Com,

Hall

by

Hall Jr.

Report of

Com. of

Valuation

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY, Greeting:

We command you to summon Robert A. Hall, Elisha Collette & Emily his
wife, Sarah Hall, William E. Hall and Christina Hall,
(the last two infants)

to appear at the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Isle of Wight County, at Rules to be holden
for the said Court, on the first Monday in August next to answer John A. Hall
the Bill in chancery of John A. Hall.

And have then there this writ.

Witness, NATHANIEL P. YOUNG, Clerk of our said County Court, at the Courthouse, the
8th day of July 1872, in the 97th year of the Common-
wealth.

N. P. Young Clerk

On the 30th Day of July 1872
I deliver a true copy of this sum
to Sarah Isaac in person.

W. A. Harris of Mo.
J. S. J. Harris of Mo.

Mo. A. Hall

-v.s. $\frac{3}{4}$ Sum. in
Clay.

Ro. A. Hall & als.

To Acq't. Books 1872.
do. et.

Riley

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

^{Norfolk}
TO THE SHERIFF OF ~~ISLE OF WIGHT~~ COUNTY, Greeting:

We command you to summon Robert A. Hall, Elisha Whitley and
Emily his wife, Sarah Hall, William E. Hall and
Christian A. Hall (the last two infants)

to appear at the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Isle of Wight County, at Rules to be holden
for the said Court, on the first Monday in August next to answer the Bill in
Chancery of John A. Hall

And have then there this writ.

Witness, NATHANIEL P. YOUNG, Clerk of our said County Court, at the Courthouse, the
8th day of July 1872, in the 9th year of the Common-
wealth.

N. P. Young Clk.

Mr. A. Hall

3 Sum. in
vs. Chy.

Do. A. Hall & als.

To August rule 1842.
Co. Ct.
Kelby p.p.

Greenleaf July 23rd 1842

Wm. H. Kelby
Shelton

The Joint ~~and~~ separate answer of Wm Edmund Hall,
and Christiana Hall, Infants, to a bill in Chancery
exhibited in the County Court of Isle of Wight County
Va by Geo. A. Hall, against Ro. A. Hall & their
Respondents & others.

These Respondents say, that so
far as they know, the facts set forth in the said
Bill are true, but being Infants ~~and~~
incapable of knowing how to act, in the
premises, they submit their intent, to the
Court, and pray that no order or decree
may be made in the premises, inconsistent
with their rights.

A. S. Young *pro. ad litem*

Hall
v
Hall sal.

Answer of
Infl. Sept.

To the County Court of ~~Alle~~ Wright County

Your petitioner George J. Whitley of
of Eliza Whitley, respectfully says that
said Eliza Whitley was the adm^r of
Rosa Ann Hall & settled her estate &
that on the 4th Dec. 1866. said Estate paid
him \$156.30, which bears Interest from
that day — all of which will appear by a copy of
his adm^r acct. filed herewith — That the
said Eliza Whitley assigned said claim to
Your petitioner on the 20. Jan 1867, as may
be seen by assignment in writing filed herewith.

That the Land of Rosa Ann Hall
has been sold under decree of said Court, in a
suit in chancery wherein John A. Hall &c is
plaintiff & Ro. A. Hall &c. defendants, but
the proceeds of said sale are not yet paid &
are subject to the order of this Court —

Your Petitioner prays that the sum
of \$156.30 with Interest from the 4th Dec
1866 may be decreed to him as assignee of
said Eliza Whitley. and your petitioner

George J. Whitley
by John R. Kelly att^y
28 Mar. 1873

Mr. A. Hall &
n

Rs. A. Hall &

Petition of

George J. Whitley
agent of Elisha Whitley

Filed April, 7th 1873,

To the Hon: George R. Atkinson, Judge of the
County Court of Isle of Wight County, Va.
Complaining shew unto the Court
your Complainant John A. Hall, of
the County of Isle of Wight.

Your Complainant, respectfully
represents to the Court and says:

That his mother Mrs. Rosa Ann
Hall, the widow of Wm Hall decd, died on
the day of 1865, Intestate, in the
said County, possessed of, in fee simple, a
tract of Land in ~~Massachusetts~~ Isle of Wight County
Virginia, containing Two hundred Fifty
acres, more or less, and adjoining the Land of
E. P. Womble & others

That the said Rosa Ann Hall left as
her heirs at Law, the following Children
to wit: Emily now the wife of Elisha Whitley,
Sarah, John A. (your Complainant), Ro. A;
Timed, Wm Edmond & Christiana Hall - the
last two being Infants, under twenty one
years of age - That said Timed Hall
died since his mother, over twenty one years
of age, Intestate & not in debt, and his share
possed & went to his said Brothers & Sisters,
making six shares in said Land.

Your Complainant prays That the
said Land may be divided among the

parties entitled, if practicable and
to the Interest of all the parties to do so,
But if not, (and your Complainants say it
is ^{not} best, but that a sale thereof is best) and
a sale is deemed best for all the parties
that then a sale may be made of said
Land, or sale of part & allotment of part,
or allotment of the entire subject to such
of the parties as may be willing to accept
the same & pay to the other parties their
share of the amount ~

In consideration whereof and as
this Court has jurisdiction to grant all
adequate relief, to the end your
Complainant prays, That Rev. A. Hall,
Elisha Whittely and Emily his wife, Sarah
Hall, Wm Edmund Hall, & Christiana Hall -
(the last two Infants) may be made defendants
hereto & answer the allegations herein -

That the said Land may be divided as
prayed for, or allotted, or part allotted
and part sold, or all sold as to the Court
may seem best, and that such other
and further relief may be granted, con-
sistent with Equity &c.

John R. Kilby, p. v.

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Augt. Rules Bill t. filed &
decree nisi n. adult debts.
Edw. ad litem app. to inf. to.
his own. filed & ruled.

Sept. Rules Bill taken for
conf. as to the adult. & set
for hearing.

Sept. term, Decree for partition

Nov. term 1872, decree for sale

May, 18th/4, Dec. to collect of Augt.

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