1892-007
Nansemond Co. (Suffolk)

Chancery Causes: Alexander Orten vs Trsts of Liberty Lodge No 78 of Good Samaritans

Berry, White, Gibson

Petition for
Appointment of
Trustees of Lewis
Sage Est Isaacs

Mr C & P Gomer
Clerk of Circuit Court of Nansemond Co.
Suffolk Va

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Nansemond County Va oct 6 1890 Mr A P Gomer Sir we send the ~~Abo~~ infamation about our Land ~~Alexonton~~ At a Rigular Meeting held March 11 1875 Alexonton Bought one acre of Land for $50 from Zibity Lodge ~~no 75~~ and Joseph S Gibson and Tully Ward Bought feb 7 1890 from Said Lodge ~~75~~ a 1 quater acre of Land at $21 per quarter acre one and a half acres is the amount Sold on Pray ~~to~~ the order of Court to Be Sold (one half acre of Land is all we want for the Lodge Dear Sir you fit Papers for ous to Sell the Land if more you want ~~to~~ infamation needed write to Joseph S Gibson Box 36 Churchland Sir Please Keep ous Posted if you want money Let ous Know As Soon as you get the Papers fit Send them to ous and we we will Singn and Seal them

and Send Them To you Sir Please find in close the Petition
To Judge C r Hill Please Sir attend To This for our

James trotter W C
W H Washington R S

Write To Joseph S Gibson churchland Va Box 36

At a hue put in the meeting Whether a Court or Special Regular of Liberty Lodge No 78 of Good Samaritans held in their Hall in Sleepy Hole Magisterial District of Nansemond County State of Virginia on hue put in the case January 10th 1891 the following preamble and resolutions was adopted: Whereas this Lodge did on the 11th day of march 1875 sell unto Alexander Orlon the following piece of land to wit: The piece of land in the East side of the ~~Lodge~~ Hunting on the Main road leading from Belleville to Churchland and running back ~~between parallel lines~~ 225 ft & 100 ft ~~292 feet~~ Situated in Sleepy Hole Magisterial District in the County of Nansemond State of Virginia and whereas the said Alexander Orlon has ever since had possession of the same and improved the same with buildings, but has never received a deed therefor and this Lodge is anxious that he should ~~have~~ receive such Deed; Be it therefore Resolved; that the Trustees of this Lodge be and they are hereby directed and authorized to apply to Court for authority to make such deed or to answer any proceedings that be instituted in Court by the said Alexander Orlon and to give their consent to the

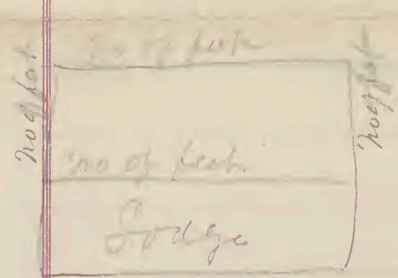
granting, and making such deed and to do all other things that are necessary in the premises.

Given under our hands and seal of the Judge in Nansemond County Virginia the

W H Washington C C

Joseph S Gibson R S

Seal



At a regular Meeting of Liberty Lodge No. 78 of Good Samaritans in Sleepy Hole District, Nansemond County August 5th 1890 Moses Gibson and Joseph S. Gibson were elected as Trustees of said Lodge in place of C. A. Wright and Rafael Wright who were removed by expulsion from said Lodge.

And the Lodge respectfully recommend to the Hon. C. H. Hill the appointment of Joseph S. Gibson and Moses Gibson as trustees of said Lodge

James Trotter U. C.

Wm H Washington R. S.

seal

Moses Gibson
Joseph S Gibson
Isaac Berry
Jerry White
Alexander Allen

Appointment of
Trustees for Liberty
Lodge No 78. Good Samaritans.

Recorded in Cir. Law
Order Book No 1 Pg. 626
Cir. Ct.

At a Regular meeting of Liberty Lodge No. 78 of Good Samaritans held in their Hall in Sleepy Hole Magisterial District of Nansemond County State of Virginia on January 10th 1891. the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:
Whereas this Lodge did on the 11th day of March 1875 Sell unto Alexander Orlin the following piece of land to wit: The piece of land on the East side of the Lodge fronting on the main road two hundred and twenty five (225) feet said road leading from Belleville to Churchland and running back between parallel lines two hundred and ninety two (292) feet Situated in Sleepy Hole Magisterial District in the County of Nansemond State of Virginia and Whereas the said Alexander Orlin has ever since had possession of the same and improved the same with buildings, but has never received a deed therefor and this Lodge is anxious that he should receive such Deed: Be it therefore Resolved: that the Trustees of this Lodge be and they are hereby directed and authorized to apply to Court for authority to make such deed or to answer any proceedings that be instituted in Court by the said Alexander

Orlin, and to give their Consent to the granting and making such deed and to do all other things that are necessary in the premises.

Given under our hands and Seal of the Lodge in Nansemond County the day and year aforesaid

Wm H Washington W.C
Seal Joseph S Gibson R.S.

Petition

The answer of Moses Gibson, Joseph S Gibson, Isaac Berry, Jerry White and Alexander Orton Trustees of Sibley Lodge No 78 of Good Samaritans situated in Sleepy Hole Magisterial District of Nansemond County to a bill of Complaint exhibited in the Circuit Court of Nansemond County by Alexander Orton.

These defendants by virtue of, and pursuant to the resolutions of said Lodge adopted on the 11th day of March 1875 in answer to the said bill of Complaint, say that the matters alleged in said bill are true and that they and their Lodge desire a deed for the land in the said bill mentioned be granted to the said Alexander Orton and hope the Court will grant the prayer of the said Complainant.

Trustees

× Isaac his mark Berry
× Jerry his mark White
× Moses his mark Gibson
× Joseph S Gibson
Alex Orton

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Alexander Orlen

vs

Trustees of Liberty Lodge

No 78.

answer of Trustes

Alexander Orlon
vs }
Moses Gibson Joseph Gibson, Isaac Berry
Jerry White and Alexander Orlon trustees
of Libaty Lodge No 78 of Good Samaritans

This day came before me Bowstill
Judge of the Circuit Court of Nansemond
County in ~~vacation~~ term time Alexander Orlon
and exhibited his bill of Complaint,
and also came Moses Gibson Joseph S
Gibson, Isaac Berry, Jerry White and
Alexander Orlon trustees of Lodge No 78
of Good Samaritans situated in Sleepy
Hole Magisterial District in said County
and filed their answer to said bill
together with the exhibit therewith filed
to which answer the plaintiff replied
generally, and this cause came on
to be heard upon the said bill, answers
replication and exhibits was argued
by Counsel. On Consideration whereof
the Court doth adjudge order and decree
that Moses Gibson Joseph Gibson
Isaac Berry Jerry White and Alexan-
der Orlon trustees as aforesaid of Lodge
No 78 of Good Samaritans do Convey
with Special Warranty unto Alex-
ander Orlon the piece of land in the

said bill mentioned and described,

~~To the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Hancock County~~

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Alexander Allen
vs
Trustees of Liberty Lodge
No 78. Good Samaritans

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1892
April 16th.

To Hon. L.W. Hill Judge of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County.

Your Complainant Alexander Orbon respectfully shews:

That on the 11th day of March 1875 he purchased of Liberty Lodge No 78 of Good Samaritans a piece of land situated in Sleepy Hole Magisterial District of Nansemond County and bounded as follows: On the East side of their Lodge fronting two hundred and twenty five feet on the Main road leading from Belleville to Churchland and running back between parallel lines two hundred and ninety two feet and bounded on the east by the land of E E Ridgood situated in Sleepy Hole District of Nansemond County & being a part of the land that was conveyed to the said Lodge by Deed from L E Ridgood and that he has paid the price thereof, and took possession thereof and built a dwelling thereon and has ever held possession of it. The said sale was made under a resolution of the said Lodge on the 11th day of March 1875, but he has never received a deed for said land. He desires a deed to be made to him, and the said Lodge and the

and the Trustees of said Lodge desire to have the said land conveyed to him; but find the want of authority to give it without an order of the Court.
The present legal Trustees of said Lodge are Moses Gibson, Joseph S Gibson, Isaac Berry Jerry White and Alexander Orten.
In Consideration of said premises, Your Complainant prays that Moses Gibson, Joseph S Gibson Isaac Berry, Jerry White and Alexander Orten Trustees of Lodge No 78 of Good Samaritans may be made parties defendant to this bill and be required to answer the same that the said Trustees may be directed to convey the aforesaid land to your Complainant and that all further and general relief be granted your Complainant that the nature of his case may require or to equity shall seem meet to grant and he will ever pray &c.

J. Q.

Alexander Orlew

By Bill

Trustees of Liberty
Soaye No 78

Isaac his x Berry mark

Berry his x White mark

Moses his x Gibson mark

Joseph S Gibson

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