

1906-017

Nansemond Co (Suffolk)

Chancery Causes: Edward R. Harrell et al vs Emily O Parker, Admx et al

Yates

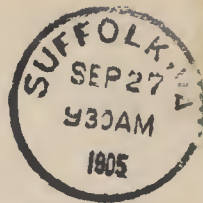
Sept 27th 1905-

Mr E. E. Holland

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find
the F. E. Parker note
for \$27.00 due Dec 1st
1902.

J. L. Yates



Mr E. E. Hollan
Suffolk Va

\$8.15

Accepted: Mch 27. 1906.

Received of E. E. Holland, special commissioner in the chancery cause of Edward R. Harrell and others vs. Emily O. Parker, administratrix, and others, the sum of Eight Dollars and fifteen cents (\$8.15), being the amount of Clerk's fees in said suit.

*R R Smith Clerk
By M Lawrence, DC.*

\$2.00

Received of E. E. Holland, special commissioner in the chancery cause of Edward. R. Harrell and others vs. Emily O. Parker, administratrix, and others, the sum of Two Dollars (\$2.00) in payment of fees as Sheriff in said cause.

A. M. B. H.
Shuff

\$10.00

Received of E. E. Holland, special commissioner in the chancery cause of Edward R. Harrell and others vs. Emily O. Parker, administratrix, and others, the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00), in payment of fee as commissioner in chancery in said cause.

Wilbur J. Kilby.
Cour. in Chy.
26 March 1906.

\$5.00

Received of E. E. Holland, special commissioner in the chancery cause of Edward R. Harrell and others vs. Emily C. Parker, administratrix, and others, the sum of Five Dollars (\$5.00), being amount of fee as auctioneer in said cause.

C. Wall Stoney
Clerk

ESTABLISHED 1873.

Suffolk, Va., April 18 1906

M. E. E. Holland

TO SUFFOLK HERALD, DR.
NEWSPAPER AND JOB PRINTING ESTABLISHMENT.
NO. 912 WASHINGTON STREET.

TERMS OF THIS BILL, NET CASH.

Dec	2	50	Bills Harrell vs Parker	100
Jan	23	100	" " "	100
				200

Paid 4/18/06.
Suffolk Herald

\$74.75.

Suffolk, Va., April 11, 1906 .

Received of E. E. Holland, special commissioner in the chancery cause of Edward R. Harrell, who sues, etc., vs. Emily O. Parker, administratrix, and others, the sum of Seventy-four Dollars and seventy-five cents (\$74.75) in full settlement, satisfaction and discharge of amount reported by commissioner Kilby in said cause as due to Miles Parker.

The said Miles Parker departed this life some years ago. His estate has been settled without the appointment of an administratrix, and Henry K. Parker and Roxanna Pierce are his only heirs at law.

Henry K. Parker
Roxanna Pierce
J. J. Pierce

~~\$94~~¹²

Rec'd of E. E. Hall and McConno in suit
of E. R. Harrell vs. Ewing O. Parker Adm^r
and others the sum of Nine, four
dollars & twelve cents (~~\$94~~¹²) the amount
reported in my favor in said suit
April 7, 1906 Ewing O. Parker.

Received of E. & Howard, Adm^r
Hance & Parker, Adm^r F. E. Parker the sum
of Fifty one ⁹⁹/₁₀₀ dollars in full of
deb^t reported by Com^r William J. Kelly in
said debt in my favor.

J. H. Yates

\$300.00

Suffolk, Va., April 28, 1906.

Received of E. E. Holland, special commissioner in the chancery cause of Harrell vs. Parker's administrator and others, the sum of Three Hundred Dollars in payment of debt reported in said suit in favor of said Harrell against said estate.

~~Witness:~~
E. F. Vinty.

E. R. Holland

\$100.00 -

on demand I promise to ^{pay to} E. R.
Harrell \$100⁰⁰ for Value Received
with Interest from date.

And I bind myself my heirs
Executors and administrators
firmly by these witnesses. and
I hereby wave the benefit of
my homestead exemption as to
this debt or obligation. Given
this. in the year of our lord
September 20th 1900.

Y. E. Parker (Seal)

Witness

Charles C. Harrell.

Recd of J.E. Parker \$4 dollars (\$600)
& having the interest paid on the
within up to September 20th
1901
E. R. Farrell

J.E. Parker

note

Int up to March 21 1904 \$15.00

\$50.00

On demand I promise to pay
unto E. R. Harell Fifty Dollars
(\$50.00) for Value Received with
Interest from date. And I bind
myself my heirs Executors and
administrators. Truly by these
present, and I hereby waive the
benefit of my homestead exemption
as to this debt or obligation.
Given this, in the year of our
~~Lord~~ October 29th 1900.

F. E. Parker (Seal)

Witness

Charles C. Harell

Recd of J E Parker Three dollars 30¢
It being the interest paid on the
within up to October 29th 1901

E. R. Harrell

Int on the within up to March 21 1902
(9741)

\$100.00,

On demand I promise to pay
unto Ed R. Harrell his heirs, Exec-
utors, Administrators or assigns
the just and full sum of
one Hundred Dollars, current
money of the United States
for value Recd, with interest
from date, for the payment
of which I bind myself
my heirs, Executors and Adminis-
trators firmly by these presents
and I hereby waive the benefit
of my homestead exemption
as to this debt, obligation or contract
A witness my hand and seal this
13th day of December, in the year
of our Lord one thousand nine
-teen Hundred

Witness my hand and seal this 13th day of December, 1913
F. E. Parker (Seal)

Rec'd of J.E. Parker \$4 dollars
\$6.00 wth being the interest paid
on the within up to December
13th 1901 E.R. Harrell

J.E. Parker
Note
\$100.00

29816
21362
2nd on the within wth March 2nd 1904

\$ 27.30 On the 1st day of Dec 1902 I promise to pay unto
..... J. L. Yates Heirs, Executors, Administrators or Assigns,
the just and full sum of Twenty Seven DOLLARS and ... 30 ... CENTS,
current money of the United States, for value received, with interest from date; for the payment of which I bind
..... my self , my Heirs, Executors and Administrators firmly by these presents; and I hereby
waive the benefit of my exemption as to this debt, obligation or contract.

As witness. my hand and seal this day of Mar , in the
year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred. and

F. E. Parker



WITNESS

F. O. Parker

1854

June 1st

Dear Mr. Parker

I have just received your letter of the 28th

and am glad to hear from you. I am well and hope this finds you the same.

~~5948~~ \$ 59 48.

Suffolk, Va., ~~June~~ 8th ~~May~~ 1901

Two _____ days after date. I promise to pay unto
Miles Parker _____, or order, negotiable and payable

without offset, at the *FARMERS BANK OF NANSEMOND* Suffolk, Virginia,
Fifty Nines Forty Eight _____ Dollars,

for value received; and it is agreed upon by the parties that the interest on this Note
shall be payable in advance; and we, principal and endorsers, hereby waive the benefit
of our Homestead Exemption as to this debt.

Witness Credit the Maker:

Henry S. Parker

H. E. Parker

Received Jan 26th 1898

Ten Dollars on the within
note.

Received June 29th 1899

Twenty Five Dollars on
the within note.

Thilo^{his} Carter
marks

900 + 1901

F. E. Parker. Dr To O. L. Baker.

¹⁹⁰⁰	June 5	To mdee for John	\$2.00
	Oct 23	" 1 Bbl flour	4.50
	Dec 1	" 1 Bbl flour	4.50
¹⁹⁰¹	Aug 3	" 1 Bag meal	1.60
	" 17	" Sugar	25-
	" 24	" 1 Bbl flour	4.25-
	" "	" 1 # Lob	30
	Oct 9	" 1 Bbl flour	4.25-
	" "	" 2 Gal Oil	24
	" 18	" Sugar By daughter	25-
	" 19	" 1 Pair Shoes	1.00
	" 30	" 1 molasses Bbl & mdee	80
	Nov 2	" 6 Peanut Bags	57
	" 7	" 5 1/4 # fish	32
	" 9	" Lob	05-
Total			\$24.88

TO THE CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HANDELMOND COUNTY:

EDWARD R. HARRELL, who sues on behalf of himself and such other creditors of the late Frank E. Parker as shall come in and contribute to the costs of this suit,

v.

EMILY O. PARKER, Administratrix of Frank E. Parker, deceased, and the said EMILY O. PARKER, widow of the said Frank E. Parker, deceased, CORA HARRELL, and J. E. HARRELL, her husband, IOLA PARKER, MARY C. PARKER, EDNA M. PARKER, LILY B. PARKER, VIRGINIA PARKER, EDNA LEE PARKER, ROBERT ELLIOTT PARKER, and ALVIN FRANCIS PARKER, the last eight of whom are infants under the age of twenty-one years.

Issue summons in chancery, to rules on the third Monday in June, 1905.

Pay \$1.50

E. E. Holland
R.S.

E E Holland & Co
Edward R. Wallace &
vs. Inchausti.
Emily O. Parker Adm'r & Co

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

TO THE SHERIFF OF NANSEMOND COUNTY—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON

*Emily O Parker Admin-
istratrix of Frank E Parker deceased
and the said Emily O Parker widow of the
said Frank E Parker deceased Cora Har-
rell and J E Harrell her husband Lola
Parker Mary C Parker Lena E Parker
Lily B Parker Virginia Parker Edna Lee
Parker Robert Elliott Parker and Alvin
Francis Parker the last eight of whom
are infants under the age of twenty-
one years*

to appear at the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, at the Rules to be held
for the said Court, on the *Third* Monday in *June 1905*, to answer

a Bill in Chancery, exhibited against *them*
in the said Court by *Edwarda R Harrell who sues
on behalf of himself and such other
creditors of the late Frank E Parker
as shall come in and contribute
to the costs of this suit*

and have then and there this summons.

Witness, R. R. SMITH, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this *17th* day of
June, 190*5*, in the 12*9*th year of the Commonwealth.

A copy—Teste:

Teste:

A. H. Gomer, Jr. CLERK.

A. H. Gomer, Jr. CLERK.

E. E. Holland p. q.

A copy for
Edna Lee Parker

vs.

In Chancery.

Infant

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June *Rules.*

Third *Monday.*

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The Commonwealth of Virginia,

TO THE SHERIFF OF NANSEMOND COUNTY—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON

*Emily O Parker Admin-
istratrix of Frank E Parker deceased and
the said Emily O Parker widow of the said
Frank E Parker deceased bora Harrell and
J E Harrell her husband Lola Parker
Mary E Parker Lena E Parker, Lily
B Parker Virginia Parker Edna Lee Parker
Robert-Elliott Parker and Alvin Francis
Parker the last eight of whom are
infants under the age of twenty-one
years*

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for the said Court, on the *Third* Monday in *June 1905*, to answer

a Bill in Chancery, exhibited against *them*
in the said Court by *Edward R Harrell who sues
on behalf of himself and such
other Creditors of the late Frank E
Parker as shall come in and contribute
the costs of this suit.*

and have then and there this summons.

Witness, R. R. SMITH, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this *17th* day of
June, 190*5*, in the 1*29*th year of the Commonwealth.

Attest—Teste:

Teste:

R. R. Smith, CLERK.

R. R. Smith, CLERK.

E E Holland p. q.

*A copy for
Mary E Parker*

vs.

In Chancery.

Infant-

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The Commonwealth of Virginia,

TO THE SHERIFF OF NANSEMOND COUNTY—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON

*Emily Q Parker Admin-
istratrix of Frank E Parker deceased and
the said Emily Q Parker widow of the
said Frank E Parker deceased Cora
Harrell and J E Harrell her husband
Jola Parker Mary C Parker Lena E Parker
Lily B Parker Virginia Parker Edna
Lee Parker Robert Elliott Parker and
Alvin Francis Parker the last eight
of whom are infants under the age
of twenty-one years*

to appear at the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, at the Rules to be held
for the said Court, on the *Third* Monday in *June 1905*, to answer

a Bill in Chancery, exhibited against *them*

in the said Court by *Edward R Harrell who sues on
behalf of himself and such other
Creditors of the late Frank E Parker
as shall come in and contribute
to the costs of this suit.*

and have then and there this summons.

Witness, R. R. SMITH, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this *17th* day of
June, 190*5*, in the 12*9*th year of the Commonwealth.

A copy—Teste;

Teste:

A. L. Gomez D.C.
CLERK.

A. L. Gomez D.C.
CLERK.

E. E. Holland p. q.

A copy for
Lena E. Parker

vs.

In Chancery.

Infant

1905

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The Commonwealth of Virginia,

TO THE SHERIFF OF NANSEMOND COUNTY—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON

Emily O Parker Administratrix of Frank E Parker deceased and the said Emily O Parker widow of the said Frank E Parker deceased Cora Narreel and J E Narreel her husband Iola Parker Mary C Parker Lena E Parker Lily B Parker Virginia Parker Edna Lee Parker Robert Elliott Parker and Arin Francis Parker the last eight of whom are infants under the age of twenty-one years,

to appear at the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, at the Rules to be held for the said Court, on the *Third* Monday in *June 1905*, to answer

a Bill in Chancery, exhibited against *them*

in the said Court by *Edward R Narreel who sues on behalf of himself and such other Creditors of the late Frank E Parker as shall come in and contribute to the costs of this suit,*

and have then and there this summons.

Witness, R. R. SMITH, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this *17th* day of *June*, 190*5*, in the 12*9*th year of the Commonwealth.

A copy—Teste;

Teste:

R R Smith CLERK.

R R Smith CLERK.

E E Hallaud p. q.

*A copy for
Lily B Parker*

vs.

In Chancery.

Infant.

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YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON

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istratrix of Frank E Parker deceased and
the said Emily O Parker widow of the
said Frank E Parker deceased Cora Nar-
rell and J E Narrell her husband Lola
Parker Mary C Parker Lena E Parker Lily
B Parker Virginia Parker Edna Lee Parker
Robert Elliott Parker and Alvin Francis
Parker the last eight of whom are
infants under the age of twenty-one
years*

to appear at the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, at the Rules to be held
for the said Court, on the *third* Monday in *June 1905*, to answer

a Bill in Chancery, exhibited against *them*
in the said Court by *Edward R Narrell who sues
on behalf of himself and such other
creditors of the late Frank E Parker
as shall come in and contribute to
the costs of this suit*

and have then and there this summons.

Witness, R. R. SMITH, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this *17th* day of
June, 190*5*, in the 1*29*th year of the Commonwealth.

A copy Teste;

Teste:

R R Smith
CLERK.

R R Smith
CLERK.

E E Holland p. q.

A copy for
Virginia Parker

vs.

In Chancery.

Infant

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The Commonwealth of Virginia,

TO THE SHERIFF OF NANSEMOND COUNTY—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON *Emily O Parker Admin-*
istratrix of Frank E Parker deceased and
the said Emily O Parker widow of the said
Frank E Parker deceased Cora Narrell and
J E Narrell her husband Iola Parker Mary
C Parker Lena E Parker Lily B Parker
Virginia Parker Edna Lee Parker Robert
Elliott Parker and Alvin Francis Parker
the last-eight of whom are infants under
the age of twenty-one years

to appear at the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, at the Rules to be held
 for the said Court, on the *Third* Monday in *June 1905*, to answer

a Bill in Chancery, exhibited against *them*
 in the said Court by *Edward R Narrell who sues in*
behalf of himself and such other
Creditors of the late Frank E Parker
as shall come in and contribute to
the costs of this suit.

and have then and there this summons.

Witness, R. R. SMITH, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this *17th* day of
June, 190*5*, in the *129*th year of the Commonwealth.

Copy—Teste: *A. B. Gomez D.C.* } Teste: *A. B. Gomez D.C.*
 CLERK. } CLERK.

E E Holland p. q.

A copy for
Sola Parker

vs.

In Chancery.

Infant

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The Commonwealth of Virginia,

TO THE SHERIFF OF NANSEMOND COUNTY—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON *Emily O Parker Admin-*
istratrix of Frank E Parker deceased, and
the said Emily O Parker widow of the said
Frank E Parker, deceased, Cora Narell and
J E Narell her husband, Lola Parker
Mary E Parker, Lena E Parker, Lilly
B Parker, Virginia Parker, Edna Lee Parker
Robert Elliott Parker and Alvin Francis
Parker, the last eight of whom are infants
under the age of twenty-one years.

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 for the said Court, on the *Third* Monday in *June 1905*, to answer

A Bill in Chancery, exhibited against *them*
 in the said Court by *Edward R Narell, who sues on*
behalf of himself and such others
Creditors of the late Frank E Parker
as shall come in and contribute to
the Costs of this suit.

and have then and there this summons.

Witness, R. R. SMITH, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this *17th* day of
June, 190*5*, in the 1*29*th year of the Commonwealth.

A copy—Teste:

Teste:

CLERK.

CLERK.

Executed this the 19th day of June 1905 by delivering a true
copy of the within process, to Emily O Parker, Administratrix
of Frank E Parker deceased, Emily O Parker widow of the
said Frank E Parker deceased, and Cora Harrell and
J E Harrell her husband, in person.

J. H. Berry Clerk
Hon. A. H. Baldwin Sheriff

E E Holland p. q.

Edward R Harrell
and others

vs.

In Chancery.

Emily O Parker
Admrx & others

1905

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Know All Men by These Presents, That we, E. E. Holland
and Wm H Jones Jr

are held and firmly bound unto the COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA in the just and full sum of
One Thousand DOLLARS,

to the payment whereof, well and truly to be made to the Commonwealth of Virginia, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

And we waive the benefit of our exemption as to this obligation, and also waive any claim or right to discharge any liability to the Commonwealth arising under this bond, or by virtue of the office, post or trust herein mentioned, with coupons detached from bonds of said State.

Sealed with our seals, and dated this 1st day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five, and in the 130th year of the Commonwealth.

~~In Testimony Whereof, the said~~ ~~has~~
~~hereto set his hand and seal, and the said~~

~~has caused its corporate name to be hereto signed, and its~~
~~corporate seal to be hereto affixed, this~~ ~~day of~~ ~~in the year of our~~
~~Lord, one thousand nine hundred and~~ ~~, and in the~~ ~~year of the Commonwealth~~

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That ~~if the above bound~~
whereas by
a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Nanse-
mond, pronounced on the 10th day of October 1905 in the
Chancery cause pending in said Court between Edward
R. Narrell & others Complainants and Emily O. Parker ad min-
istratrix & others defendants it was adjudged ordered
and decreed that the residue of the one hundred acre
tract of real estate in the proceedings mentioned after
the assignment of the dower therein mentioned should
be sold and E. E. Holland was appointed by said decree
Commissioner for that purpose,

Now therefore if the said E. E. Holland as Commissioner
aforsaid shall faithfully discharge and perform his duties
under said decree and ^{and} other decrees he may be required
to execute in said cause then the above obligation to be
void otherwise to remain in full force and effect

E. E. Holland

SEAL

Wm H Jones Jr

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VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, on the 1st day
of December, 1905:

The above bond was executed and acknowledged before me by the obligors to the same
(the security justifying), and ordered to be recorded.

Teste:

A copy
Teste, A. L. Homer D.C.

A. L. Homer D.C.

E E Halland
To } Spec. Comrs
Bond
The Commonwealth.

1905

Decr 1st

Recorded in Official
Bond Book No Page
448.

A copy

At Rules held in the Clerk's Office
of the Circuit Court of Hanson County
on Monday June 19th 1905

Edward R. Harrell }
and others } Complainants -

vs } In Chancery

Emily O. Parker }

Administratrix of the } Defendants

On motion of the Complainants
by Counsel John P. Lee an Attorney at-
law is assigned guardian ad
litem to the infant defendants Iola
Parker Mary C. Parker Lena E. Parker
Lily B. Parker Virginia Parker Edna
Lee Parker Robert Elliott Parker
and Alvin Francis Parker who
are infants under the age of
twenty one years, to defend their
interest in this suit.

J. P. Homer D.C.

J P Lee
apptd Sdr
ad litem for
Infant Defds

TO THE HONORABLE ROBERT R. PRENTIS, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT
COURT OF THE COUNTY OF HANSEMOND.

The undersigned commissioner begs to report that since the last decree was entered in this cause he has collected of John E. Yates the sum of Five Hundred and Sixty-five Dollars (\$565.00), being the purchase price of the property sold in said suit, and has made to him a deed for the property purchased by him.

Your commissioner begs to report that he has distributed the money as follows:

To proceeds of sale		\$565.00
By amount paid R. R. Smith, Clerk,	✓ \$	8.15
By amount paid A. H. Baker, Sheriff,	✓	2.00
By amount paid W. J. Pilby, Commissioner,	✓	10.00
By writ tax and attorney's fee,		16.50
By amount paid J. W. Hosier, Crier,	✓	5.00
By amount paid Suffolk Herald, for ad- vertising,	✓	2.00
By amount paid Miles Parker's heirs at law,	✓	74.75
By amount paid Mrs. Emily O. Parker,	✓	94.12
By amount paid John E. Yates,	✓	31.90
By amount paid Edward R. Harrell,	✓	300.00
By commissions retained,		20.30
By fee for deed,		5.00
		<u>569.72</u>

Your commissioner begs to return herewith the proper receipts for each of the above amounts.

Respectfully submitted,

April 6th 1906

E. E. Halland,
Spc Comm^r

TO THE HONORABLE ROBERT R. PRENTIS, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT
COURT OF NANSEMOND COUNTY.

The undersigned commissioner begs to report that as authorized by decree entered on the 9th day of January, 1906, in the Chancery cause of Edward R. Harrell and others vs. Emily O. Parker, Administratrix, and others, he proceeded to re-sell at public auction in front of the Post-office in Suffolk, Virginia, on February 10th, 1906, at twelve o'clock, M., the following property, described in said proceedings: to-wit:

"All that certain parcel of land situated in Holy Neck Magisterial District, in Nansemond County, Virginia, on the North side of the public road leading from Liberty Spring to Leesville, containing one hundred (100) acres, more or less, and bounded on the North by the lands of James F. Turner and Betty Miller, on the East by the lands of J. Walter Duke, on the South by the said road and on the West by Charles E. Byrd, save and except about two (2) acres, heretofore assigned to Emily O. Parker as a part of her dower interest in the lands of her late husband, F. E. Parker. Also the reversionary interest of the heirs at law in and to said two (2) acres of land assigned as part of the dower of Emily O. Parker, as aforesaid."

At said sale John Z. Yates made the highest bid and became the purchaser thereof at the price of FIVE HUNDRED AND SIXTY FIVE DOLLARS (\$565.00).

I am told that since the timber has been cut and sold from the land that this is a fair price for the property, and I, therefore, recommend that the sale be confirmed.

Mr. Yates, the purchaser, is willing to pay the entire purchase price in cash as soon as the sale is confirmed and deed can be made to him.

Respectfully submitted,

July 10th 1906

E. E. Hall and
the Commⁿ

Edward R. Starnes, who runs the
15 } Report of Sale
Emily A. Parker Adams

TO THE HONORABLE R. E. PRENTIS, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT
COURT OF HANSEMOND COUNTY:

Your undersigned commissioner begs to report that pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Hansemond County, entered on the tenth day of October, 1905, in the Chancery cause of Edward R. Harrell and others vs. Emily O. Parker, administratrix, and others, he proceeded on Monday, December 18th, 1905, to sell at public auction in front of the Post-office in Suffolk, Virginia, the following property, to-wit:

"All that certain parcel of land situated in Foly Neck Magisterial District, in Hansemond County, Virginia, on the North side of the public road leading from Liberty Spring to Leesville, containing one hundred (100) acres, more or less, and bounded on the North by the lands of James F. Turner and Betty Milteer; on the East by the lands of J. Walter Duke; on the South by the County Road; and on the West by Chas. E. Byrd; save and except two (2) acres heretofore assigned to Emily O. Parker as a part of her dower interest in the lands of her late husband, F. E. Parker, and also the reversionary interest of the heirs-at-law of F. E. Parker, deceased, in and to the two (2) acres of land assigned to Emily O. Parker as a part of her dower.

At this sale A. L. Harrell made the highest bid and became the purchaser of said property at the price of Seven Hundred and Ninety-six Dollars (\$796.00). Since said sale the purchaser informs me that he is unwilling to comply therewith because he finds that since the dower, as aforesaid, was assigned to Emily O. Parker she has, without authority, sold the timber on the real-estate above described and the same has been cut and removed from said land by E. H. Hare, the purchaser thereof. Your commissioner is advised that this timber was cut and removed under an agreement with Mrs. Emily O. Parker. The purchaser informs me that at the time the land

was purchased he did not know that the timber had been cut,
and that the property, by the cutting of said timber, has
been so much depreciated in value that he does not believe
that he ought to be required to comply with the terms of his
purchase.

Your commissioner reports this matter to Court and asks
for instructions.

Your commissioner is disposed to recommend that the pro-
perty be re-sold rather than have litigation with the pur-
chaser, the result of which is uncertain.

Respectfully submitted:

E E Haggard

The Commissioner

TO THE HON. R. R. PRENTIS, Judge of the Circuit Court of Mans-
sion County.

The undersigned Commissioners appointed by this court
by a decree entered in the Chancery Cause of Edward R. Harrell,
who sues, etc. against Emily O. Parker, Adm'r. and others, on
the 10th day of July, 1905, to assign dower to the said Emily
O. Parker, in the lands in said proceedings mentioned, of which
her late husband, Frank E. Parker, was seized as of an estate
of inheritance during his marriage with her, had to report that
on the 7th day of September, 1905, after being sworn, they
assigned to the said Emily O. Parker, widow, as aforesaid, by
metes and bounds the following property, to-wit, which, in the
opinion of your Commissioners, is one equal one third part in
value of the property, and which is described as follows;

All the land lying on the South side of the county
road and adjoining the lands of Chas. Byrd, Walter Duke and Thomas
Rawles, and also about two acres on the North side of the County
road, and which two acres are described as follows: Commencing at
a branch near Chas. Byrd's line and running thence North sixty
yards to a pine, thence East a straight line to a ditch, and
thence from the ditch to the County road. The first line above men-
tioned is up the branch sixty yards and thence the Northwardly
course.

Respectfully submitted

R. F. Rogers

J. S. Peel
A. J. Harrell
Commds

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY:

EDWARD R. HARRELL, who sues, etc.

v.

EMILY O. PARKER, Administratrix of Frank E. Parker, deceased, and others.

This cause came on this day to be heard on the bill taken for consenses^d as to the adult defendants, they still failing to appear, plead, answer or demur, the answer of the infant defendants by John P. Lee, an attorney at law, their guardian ad litem, duly appointed at rules, and of the said guardian ad litem, this day filed, with replications thereto, and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof, the court doth adjudge, order and decree that R. Frank Rogers, A. T. Harrell, Samuel Peel, D. P. Rawles and H. F. Bradshaw, who are hereby appointed commissioners for the purpose, any three or more of whom may act, *do* go upon the land in the proceedings mentioned of which the late Frank E. Parker was seized of an estate of inheritance during his marriage with the said Emily O. Parker, and assign and allot to the said Emily O. Parker, widow of the said Frank E. Parker, by metes and bounds one equal one third part in value of the said land as her dower therein, and if for the proper performance of their duties under this decree, it becomes necessary, in the opinion of the said commissioners who shall act hereunder, they are authorized and directed to employ a competent surveyor who shall lay off the said land or such part thereof as shall be necessary, and make a plat thereof, and the said Commissioners are directed to report their proceedings hereunder to the court.

VIRGINIA, NANSEMOND COUNTY, To-wit;

I, Joshua B. Harrell, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the County of Nansemond, in the State of Virginia, do certify that R. Frank Rodgers, *A. J. Harrell* and *Samuel Peel* Commissioners appointed by a decree entered in the Chancery Cause of Edward R. Harrell, who sues, etc. against Emily O. Parker, Admx. on July 16, 1905, this day personally appeared before me in my Con ty aforesaid and made oath that they would discharge the duties imposed upon them by said decree to the best of their ability.

Given under my hand this the *7th* day of *September*, 1905.

J. B. Harrell J.P.

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124 Report Assigning Dances
Parker Admin only

Filed Sept 15th 1905
A.P.G.D.C.

Virginia,

County of Nansemond, to-wit:

Edward R. Harrell who sues, etc., Complainant.

vs.

In Chancery.

Emily O. Parker, Administratrix, and others. Defendants.

Commissioner's Office.

Suffolk, Va. September 7th. 1905.

To Honorable Robert R. Prentis, Judge of the Circuit Court
for the County of Nansemond.

In pursuance of the decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Nansemond, pronounced on the 10th. day of July 1905, in the suit in chancery pending in said court between Edward R. Harrell, who sues, etc. Complainant, and Emily O. Parker, Administratrix of Frank E. Parker, deceased, and others, Defendants, the undersigned, Wilbur J. Kilby, one of the Commissioners in Chancery of said court, respectfully reports as follows:

That, on the 16th. day of August, 1905, your Commissioner gave notice to the parties to said suit that he would proceed on the 7th. day of September 1905, at his office in Suffolk, Virginia, to take, state and settle the several accounts required by said decree to be taken, stated, settled and reported to court.

That sufficient and legal service of said notice was duly accepted by the parties to said suit, as will appear by the endorsements on the notice herewith returned.

That the result of the proceedings before your commissioner is as follows:

ACCOUNT NO. I.

An account of the transactions of said Emily O Parker, Administratrix of Frank E. Parker, deceased, showing what balance, if any, is now in her hands for the payment of the debts against the estate of said deceased.

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June 9	The Administratrix qualified.	
	To paid Thomas W. Savage for coffin, per rec't.	\$25.00
"	" R.W. Baker and Co. and Thos.W. Savage and Son for burial clothes, per vouchers.	5.00
"	" Dr. D.L. Harrell for services rendered the deceased during his last illness, per voucher.	24.00
"	" Sydney T. Ellis, Treasurer, State and county taxes for the years 1902, 1903, and 1904, per vouchers.	24.62
"	" A.J. Raby's bill for fodder, per voucher.	2.00
"	" Farmers Bank of Nansemond, per note.	11.00
"	" Robert R. Smith, Clerk of Court, fees due him on qualification of the Administratrix, per voucher.	2.50
		<u>94.12</u>

The said Frank E. Parker left no personal estate of any kind, save and except a small chattel estate, which, being exempt from levy or distress under section 3650 of the Code of Virginia, became vested in pursuance of section 3653 in the said Emily O Parker, widow of said Frank E. Parker, and his and her nine infant children. The value of such estate did not exceed \$100. or \$150. It thus appears that the Administratrix has never had any estate, or balance thereof, in her hands for the payment of the debts against the estate of said deceased. On the other hand, she has paid burial expenses, doctor's bills, taxes and debts to the amount of \$94.12,

as shown by the foregoing statement.

ACCOUNT NO.2.

An account of the debts due and owing by the said Frank E. Parker at the time of his death, together with their dignities and priorities, and especially the debts due to said complainant.

Under this head the following debts due by said Frank E. Parker at the time of his death, are reported, to-wit:

1. A debt due the Complainant, Edward R. Harrell, as evidenced by a note made by said Frank E. Parker, dated September 20th. 1900 and payable on demand, the interest thereon having been paid to 20th. March 1904.

100.

Interest from 20 March 1904 to 20 September 1905, - 1 year, 6 months,

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2. A debt due the Complainant, Edward R. Harrell, as evidenced by a note made by said Frank E. Parker, dated October 29, 1900 and payable on demand, the interest thereon having been paid to 20 March 1904.

50.

Interest from 20 March 1904 to September 20, 1905, - 1 year, 6 months.

4.50

54.50

3. A debt due the complainant, Edward R. Harrell, as evidenced by said Frank E. Parker's bond, dated 13 December 1900 and payable on demand, the interest thereon having been paid to 20 March 1904.

100

Interest from 20th. March 1904 to 20 September 1905, - 1 year, 6 months.

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4. A debt due Miles Parker, as evidenced by said Frank E. Parker's negotiable promissory note, dated 8 June 1901 and payable two days after its date.

59.48

Interest from 10 June 1901 to 20

59 48

272 50

Brought on	59.48	272.50
September 1905,- 4 years,3 months,10 days.	15.27	74.75
5. A debt due to J.Z. Yates,as evidenced by said Frank E. Parker's bond dated March ,and payable I December 1902.	27.30	
Interest from I December 1902 to 20 September,1905,2 years,9 months,20 days,	4.60	31.90
Total debts		379.15

A retail store account for \$24.88 was presented by O.L. Baker, but it has not been allowed, inasmuch as it was barred by the statute of limitations for more than a year before the institution of said suit.

All the debts reported above are of the same dignity, no one having any priority over the other.

ACCOUNT NO.3.

An account of the fee-simple and annual value of the property in the proceedings in said suit mentioned.

The said Frank E. Parker died, intestate, seised and possessed of the following real estate, to-wit:

(1) All that certain parcel of land situated in Cypress Magisterial District in Nansemond County on the South side of the public road leading from Liberty Spring to Leesville, containing fifty-eight acres, more or less, and bounded on the North by said road; on the East by the land of J. Walter Duke; on the South by the land of John Thomas Rawls; and on the West by the land of Charles E. Byrd.

(2) All that certain parcel of land situated in Holy Neck Magisterial District in said County, on the North side of said road, containing one hundred acres, more or less, and bounded on the North by the lands of James Frank Turner and Betty Milteer; on the East by the land of J. Walter Duke; on the South by said road; and on the West by the land of Charles E. Byrd.

The said lands were conveyed to the said Frank E. Parker by Joseph Holladay Parker and Jannette E. Parker, his wife, by deed

dated
the 30th. day of December, 1873, and recorded the next day, on page 704 in deed-book No. 3 in the office of the Clerk of the County Court for said county.

The fee-simple value of the parcel of fifty acres is 800.
and its annual value 50.

The fee-simple value the parcel of one hundred acres is 700.
and its annual value 25.

The parcel of fifty acres and two acres of the parcel of one hundred acres have been assigned to said Emily O Parker as and for her dower, as will appear from the report of the commissioners, appointed to assign the same, filed with the papers in the said suit.

ACCOUNT NO. 4

An account of any taxes due on said property.

There are no taxes due on said property, save and except those for the year 1905, amounting to the sum of 7.91

ACCOUNT NO. 5.

An account of any matters specially stated deemed pertinent by the undersigned or required by any party to be so stated.

The undersigned has no knowledge of any other matters which he might deem pertinent, or which any party might require to be stated.

Respectfully submitted this 7th. day of September, 1905.

----- *Wilbur J. Kilby* -----

Commissioner's fee \$10.

Commissioner in Chancery.

Commissioner's Office, Suffolk, Va.

To Edward R. Harrell, who sues on behalf of himself and
other creditors of Frank E. Parker, deceased, Complainant.
and

Emily O. Parker, administratrix of Frank E. Parker, de-
ceased, and the said Emily O. Parker, widow of the said
Frank E. Parker, deceased, Cora Harrell and J. E. Har-
rell, her husband, Iola Parker, Mary C. Parker, Lena
Virginia Parker, Edna Lee Parker, Robert Elliott Parker and
E. Parker, Lilly B. Parker, Alvin Francis Parker, the
last eight of whom are infants under the age of
twenty-one years, and John P. Lee guardian ad litem
of the said infants, Defendants.

You are hereby notified that on the 7th day of September 1905,
at my office, in Suffolk, Va., (at which time and place you are required to attend), I
shall take, state and settle the following accounts which are to be taken, stated and settled and
reported to Court in pursuance of the decree of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County,
Va., rendered the 10th day of July, 1905, in the suit in chancery
pending in said Court to which you are parties plaintiff and defendants, to-wit:

1. An account of the transactions of said Emily O. Parker, Admin-
istratrix of Frank E. Parker, deceased, showing what balance, if any
is now in her hands for the payment of the debts against the estate
of said deceased.
2. An account of the debts due and owing by the said Frank E. Park-
er at the time of his death, together with their dignities and prior-
ities, and especially of the debts due to said Complainant.
3. An account of the fee-simple and annual value of the property
in the proceedings in said suit mentioned.
4. An account of any taxes due on said property.
5. An account of any matters specially stated deemed pertinent by
the undersigned or required by any party to be so stated.

Given under my hand, as Commissioner in Chancery of said Court, the 16th day of
August, 1905.

Wilbur J. Kilby
Commissioner in Chancery.

The undersigned, parties to the within named suit, hereby accept
sufficient and legal service of this notice.

John H. Hill Guardian ad litem for the infant defendants,
Dola C. Parker, Mary C. Parker, Lena E. Parker,
Lilly B. Parker, Virginia Parker, Edna Lee Parker,
Robert Elliott Parker and Alvin Frances Parker.

Edward R. Harrell

Corra Harrell

J. E. Harrell

Emily C. Parker

Emily C. Parker

Administratrix of Frank E. Parker

Hamrell etc.

vs. } In Chy.

Parker & als.

Report of Comr.
Wilbur J. Kilby,
under decree of
10 July 1905.

1905, Sept 15th Filed
A.G. S.C.

WILBUR J. KILBY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
SUFFOLK, VIRGINIA.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HANSEMOND COUNTY:

EDWARD R. HARRELL, who sues etc.,

v.

PARKER'S ADMINISTRATRIX.

This cause came on this day to be again heard upon the papers formerly read, and the report of R. Frank Rodgers, Samuel Peel and A. T. Harrell, the Commissioners heretofore appointed by a decree in this suit to assign dower to *Emily O.* Parker, widow of F. E. Parker, deceased, filed herein on the *15th* day of September, 1905, and also upon the report of Wilbur J. Kilby, Commissioner in Chancery, to whom the papers in this cause were referred for an account of debts due by the estate of the said F. E. Parker, together with their respective priorities, filed herein on the *15th* day of September, 1905, to which reports no exceptions have been filed, and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof, the court doth ratify and approve the reports of said Commissioners as aforesaid assigning dower as aforesaid, and also the report of Commissioner W. J. Kilby as aforesaid, and doth adjudge, order and decree that E. E. Holland, who is hereby appointed a Special Commissioner for the purpose, shall proceed to sell the residue of the *100 acre tract of* real estate in these proceedings mentioned, after the assignment of dower therein as aforesaid, and also the reversionary interests of the parties to this suit in the *tract* said ~~land~~ assigned as *part of the* dower as aforesaid, at public auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the postoffice in Suffolk, Virginia, after first having advertised the time, place and terms of sale for two weeks, by hand bills duly posted, at two or more public places in this County, and otherwise, as said Commissioner may deem best, upon the following terms, to-wit; one half of the purchase price to be paid in cash and the residue in twelve months from the day of sale, the credit installment carrying interest from the day of sale, and the purchaser giving bond therefor and the title to the property to be retained until the full purchase money is paid and the con-

veyance directed by the court. And the said Commissioner is directed to report his proceedings hereunder to the court. But the said Commissioner shall not proceed to execute this decree until he shall enter into bond with sufficient security in the Clerk's Office of this court, payable to the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the penalty of *One thousand* dollars (\$*1000.*), and conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties as such Commissioner under this or any other decree entered in this cause.

Harrell, who made
a Deed for Sale
Parties Admrs

Dec. 10, 1900

To be entered.

Robert H. Harrell

Entered in Chy. Order
Book No. 4. Page 4.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE COUNTY OF MANSEMOND:

EDWARD R. HARRELL AND OTHERS,

vs.

EMILY O. PARKER, ADMINISTRATRIX, AND OTHERS.

This cause came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read and upon the report ^{this day filed} of E. E. Holland, special commissioner, reporting the sale of the property in the proceedings mentioned to John Z. Yates for FIVE HUNDRED AND SIXTY FIVE DOLLARS (\$565.00). To which report there is no exception and was argued by counsel.

ON CONSIDERATION WHEREOF, the Court doth ratify, approve and confirm said sale and said report, and doth adjudge, order and decree that upon the payment of the purchase price in full by John Z. Yates, that E. E. Holland, who is hereby appointed special commissioner for the purpose, shall convey to him by good and sufficient deed, with special warranty, the tract of land in the bill and proceedings mentioned, and upon the collection of the purchase price, the Court doth further adjudge, order and decree that the said commissioner, after deducting the costs and expenses of said suit and said sale and also the fee ^{equal to ten per cent of the} ~~amounts paid to each of the creditors to be deducted~~ to the attorney prosecuting said suit, shall proceed to pay ^{therefrom} the claims of the several creditors of the late Frank E. Parker, deceased, as shown by the report of commissioner Wilbur J. Kilby, heretofore filed in this cause, according to their respective dignities and priorities, shall take a receipt from said creditors for the amounts so paid to them, file the same in these papers, and make report to the Court of his proceedings hereunder, and the balance of the purchase price, if any, then in his hands.

And this cause is continued.

Edw. R. Starnell, Chordier
is Deceased
Emil O. Parthen Admin

March 13, 1906

To be entered
Robert P. Starnell

Entered in Chy. Order
Book No. 4. Page 44.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF NANSEMOND COUNTY:

EDWARD R. HARRELL AND OTHERS

vs.

EMILY O. PARKER, ADMINISTRATRIX, AND OTHERS.

This cause came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read and on the report of E. E. Holland, special commissioner, this day filed, reporting the sale of said property to A. E. Harrell and his subsequent refusal to comply with the terms of sale because the timber on the land had been cut and removed, to which report there is no exception and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof, the Court being of the opinion that, as recommended by the said commissioner, it is better to have a re-sale of said property than to engage in litigation, the result of which may be uncertain, doth adjudge, order and decree that E. E. Holland, who is hereby appointed a commissioner for the purpose, do proceed, after having advertised the time, place and terms of sale by hand-bills duly posted for two weeks, to re-sell the property in the bill and proceedings mentioned at public auction in front of the Post-office in Suffolk, Virginia, upon the following terms: one-half cash, and the residue on a credit of twelve months from the day of sale, the credit installments to bear interest from the day of sale and to be evidenced by the bond of the purchaser thereof, and the title to be retained until the further order of the Court.

The said special commissioner having heretofore entered into bond before the Clerk of this Court, as required by decree entered herein on the 10th day of October, 1905, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties under said decree or any other decree entered in this cause, the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that he proceed to execute this decree without entering into a new bond.

Enter Aug 9, 1906
Robert M. Milled

Entered in Chy.
Order Book No. 4. Page 33.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY:

EDWARD R. HARRELL, who sues, etc.,

v.

EMILY O. PARKER, Administratrix of Frank E. Parker, deceased,
and the said EMILY O. PARKER, widow of F. E. Parker, deceased,
CORA HARRELL and J. E. HARRELL, her husband, IOLA C. PARKER,
MARY C. PARKER, EDNA E. PARKER, LILLIE B. PARKER, VIRGINIA
PARKER, EDNA J. PARKER, ROBERT ELLIOTT PARKER, ALVIN FRAN-
CIS PARKER, *the last eight of whom are infants*
under the age of twenty-one years.

This cause came on this day to be heard on the bill
taken for confessed as to the adult defendants, they still
failing to appear, plead, answer or demur, the answer of the
infant defendants by John P. Lee, an attorney at law, their
Duly Appointed ad litem guardian ad litem, *Thuesday, filed* and of the said guardian ad litem, with
replications thereto, and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof the court doth adjudge, order
and decree that R. Frank Rodgers, A. T. Harrell, Samuel Peel,
D. P. Rawles, and M. F. Bradshaw, who are hereby appointed
commissioners for the purpose, any three or more of whom may
act, do go upon the land in the proceedings mentioned of which
the late Frank E. Parker was seized of an estate of inheritance
during his marriage with the said Emily O. Parker, and assign
and allot to the said Emily O. Parker, widow of the said Frank
E. Parker, by metes and bounds, one equal one third part in
value of the said land as her dower therein, and if for the
proper performance of their duties under this decree, it be-
comes necessary, in the opinion of the said commissioners
who shall act hereunder, they are authorized and directed to
employ a competent surveyor who shall lay off the said land
or such part thereof as shall be necessary and make a plat
thereof, and the said Commissioners are directed to report
their proceedings hereunder to the court.

And the said court doth further adjudge, order and decree
that the papers in this cause be referred to one of the Com-

missioners of this court who is directed to inquire into and report to court.

1st. An account of the transactions of Emily O. Parker, Administratrix of F. E. Parker, deceased, showing what balance, if any, is now in her hands for the payment of the debts against the estate of F. E. Parker, deceased.

2nd. An account of the debts due and owing by the said F. E. Parker, at the time of his death, together with their dignities and priorities, and especially an account of the debts to your Complainant.

3rd. An account of the fee-simple and annual value of the property in these proceedings mentioned.

4th. An account of any taxes due thereon.

Which several inquiries the said Commissioners shall make and to the court report, together with any matter specially stated, deemed pertinent by himself or required by any party to be so stated.

EDWARD R. HARRELL,

v. In Chancery

EMILY O. PARKER, Admx.

July 10, 1905.

To be entered.

Robt. E. Harrell

*Entered in Chy. Order
Book No. 3 - Page 668.*

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE COUNTY OF HANSEMOND:

EDWARD R. HARRELL AND OTHERS

VS.

EMILY O. PARKER, ADMINISTRATRIX, AND OTHERS.

This cause came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read and upon the report of distribution made by E. E. Holland, special commissioner, ^{this day filed} in which he reports that he has distributed the full amount of the purchase price, and returns with his report proper receipts for the several items of disbursement. To which report there is no exception, and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof, the Court doth ratify, approve and confirm said report and said distribution, and there being nothing further to dispose of in this suit, it is further adjudged, ordered and decreed that this cause be stricken from the docket.

Hurnee
25 Final Decree
Parties Adm^r

May 15, 1906,
To be Entered,
Wm. H. Hunt

Entered in Chancery
Order Book No. 4.0
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF NANSEMOND COUNTY:

EDWARD R. HARRELL, who sues, etc.,

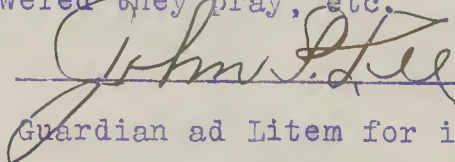
v. In Chancery.

EMILY O. PARKER, Admx. and Others.

The answer of John P. Lee, an attorney at law, Guardian ad Litem to the infant defendants, Iola Parker, Mary C. Parker, Lena E. Parker, Lilly B. Parker, Virginia Parker, Edna Lee Parker, Robert Elliott Parker, and Alvin Francis Parker, and the answer of the said infant defendants by the said John P. Lee, their guardian ad litem, to the bill in equity exhibited against them and others in the Circuit Court of Nansemond County by Edward R. Harrell, who sues for the benefit of himself etc.

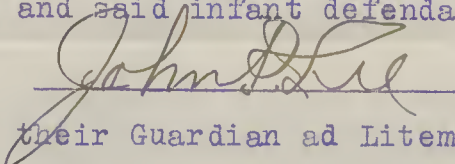
For answer to the said bill the said guardian ad litem answers and says that he does not know whether the interests of the infant defendants would be promoted by a sale or division of the property as prayed for in the said bill. And the said infant defendants, by their said guardian ad litem, answers and says that being infants under the age of twenty-one years, they commit the protection of their interests to the court.

And now having answered they pray, etc.



Guardian ad Litem for infant defendants.

and said infant defendants by



their Guardian ad Litem.

Answer of
God to letters

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HANSEMOND COUNTY:

TO THE HON. ROBERT R. PRENTIS, JUDGE OF SAID COURT.

Your Complainant EDWARD R. HARRELL, who sues on behalf of himself and all other creditors of the late Frank E. Parker who shall come in and contribute to the expenses of this suit, respectfully shows unto the court the following case :

That the said Frank E. Parker departed this life in the year 1904, and was, in his life time, and at the time of his death, justly indebted unto your Complainant in the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00), with unpaid interest thereon, evidenced by a bond made by the said Frank E. Parker and payable to your Complainant, as will appear from a copy of said bond herewith filed and marked Exhibit "A".

That your Complainant is informed that the said Frank E. Parker was also, at the time of his death, justly and truly indebted to other parties in various sums.

That the said Frank Parker was, in his life time, possessed of a very small personal estate, and that since his death Emily O. Parker, his widow, has duly qualified as his Administratrix, by giving bond as required by law, and a copy of the order showing her qualification is herewith filed marked Exhibit "B" and asked to be read as a part of this bill.

That the said Frank E. Parker was also, at the time of his death, seized and possessed of a certain tract of land in Holy Neck Magisterial District, in Hansemond County, Virginia, containing one hundred (100) acres, more or less, adjoining the lands of J. W. Duke, Charles E. Byrd, James F. Turner, Betty Milteer and the County road.

That being so possessed of said land sometime in the year 1904, he departed this life intestate, leaving a widow, Emily O. Parker and Cora Parker, Iola Parker, Mary C. Parker,

Lena E. Parker, Lily B. Parker, Virginia Parker, Edna Lee Parker, Robert Elliott Parker and Alvin Francis Parker, the last eight of whom are infants under the age of twenty-one years. The said Cora Parker has, since her father's death, married J. E. Harrell.

Your Complainant charges that the personal estate being small it is insufficient to pay the debts of the late Frank E. Parker, and that, in order to satisfy, the same, the real estate above mentioned of which he died, seized and possessed, will have to be subjected to the payment thereof.

In tender consideration whereof, and for as much as your Complainant is remediless in the premises, save by the aid of a court of equity, where matters of this kind are alone and properly cognizable, your Complainant prays that the said Emily O. Parker, Administratrix of Frank E. Parker, deceased, and Emily O. Parker, widow of Frank E. Parker, deceased, Cora Harrell, and J. E. Harrell, her husband, Iona Parker, Mary C. Parker, Lena E. Parker, Lily B. Parker, Virginia Parker, Edna Lee Parker, Robert Elliott Parker and Alvin Francis Parker may be made parties defendant to this bill and required to answer the same, but answers under oath are waived; that a proper guardian ad litem may be assigned the said infant defendants to defend their interests in this suit, who shall also answer this bill; that an account may be taken of the debts due to your Complainant and of all other debts that were owing by the said Frank E. Parker at the time of his death, and which still remain unpaid; together with proofs of same and their priorities; that an account may also be taken of the transactions of the said Emily O. Parker, Administratrix of Frank E. Parker, deceased, and also an account of his real estate with its fee-simple and annual value; *that dower may be assigned to Emily O. Parker,* that if the personal estate in the hands of the said Administratrix be insuf-

ficient to pay the indebtedness, that the real estate above described may be sold for said purpose, and the proceeds of sale thereof applied to the payment of the debts of said decedent, according to their respective priority; that proper counsel fees may be allowed; that proper process issue; that all proper orders and decrees may be made and inquiries be directed; and that all such other, farther and general relief may be given your Complainant as the nature of his case may require, or to equity may seem meet.

And your Complainant will ever pray, etc.

E. B. Hall and
H. J.

Edward R. Harrell

E E Hall and v.g.

E R Narrell &c
vs Bill
Emily O Parker &c

Edward R. Narrell vs. the
vs. In Chancery
Emily O. Parker vs. the

1905 June 17th Process issued returnable
to June Rules Third Monday

" " 19. Process returned executed
on all adult defendants.

" " " J. P. Lee Appointed guardian
ad litem to infant defts.

Bill filed and decree
nisi vs adult defts.

" July 3rd Decree nisi Confirmed and
cause set for hearing.

Chaucery Notes

E E Halland Jr. q.

Edw. R. Narrell & others

W. J. In Chancery

Emily O. Parker

Admrs & others

1906

May 15th

Final Decree

Costs
Clerk \$ 8.15
Tax 1.50
Shff. 2.00
Atty 15.00
Comm. 10.00

\$ 36.65