

1909-039

Nansemond Co (Suffolk)

Chancery Causes: James S. Holland vs G A Holland et al

Wyatt, Bosselman, Layton, Aston, Beines

James Butler

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Martha 5 H

Dec 12. 17-185-

Esther S. Butler

Le

James

19-5-80

Elizabeth Winborne, Mch 1/4
88 acres

Robert
(Gauguin)

S E Everett atty

1908

To R. R. SMITH, Clerk Circuit Court of Nansemond County, Dr.

apl
2nd

Tax and ~~Clerk Fees~~ in Suit *in Chancery J A Holland*

vs G A Holland & others \$ *1.50*

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....., Clerk.

NO PROTEST
TAKE THIS OFF BEFORE PRESENTING IT.

\$ 250

Dynkins 1st Seph 9th 1908

of Seight

Pay to the
Bank

Order of Meherrin Valley
Two

50
100 Dollars

In Service 5 Notices.

Value received and charge to account of

To J. E. Ervett

Suffolk ga.

B. E. Feltz

No

1

Presented in Person
and Notice left

Pay Mableton Valley Bank
Pay to the Order
Knight & Earnes.

PAY TO THE ORDER OF
ANY BANK OR BANKER
Mableton Valley Bank
BOYKINS, VA.
J. W. FLEETWOOD, - Cashier.

Boykins, Va, June 9 1908

At Sight Pay to the

Order of Knight & Barnes

Two & no 100

CASH

100 Dollars

N. B. C.
NORFOLK, VA

Value received and charge to account of

To S. E. Everett,

B. E. Fells

No

1

Suffolk, Va.

Pay any Bank, Banker or Trust Co.

—OR ORDER—

JUN 12 1903

The National Bank of Commerce

OF NORFOLK, VA.

H. M. KERR, Cashier.

PAID BY THE BANK OF
NORFOLK, VA.
JUN 12 1903
Knight & Barnes

PAY TO THE ORDER OF

ANY BANK OR BANKER,

ALL PRIOR ENDORSEMENTS GUARANTEED

BANK OF BOYKINS, INC.

BOYKINS, VA.

W. M. KABLER, - CASHIER,

1908	Mr. J. E. Everett atty at Law	Dr.
Apr. 16	To W. A. Edwards Shff of Suffolk Co.	
Sept. 8	" Ex. process vs. Luther & Evalina Howard,	\$ 1.00
	" Serving Notice to Take Accts. Do. Do.	<u>1.00</u>
		\$ 2.00

CUSTOMERS' DRAFT

Smithfield, Va., Sept. 10th 1908

25

At Sight Pay to the
Order of W. A. Edwards Chff of Soperight Sec.
Two _____ Dollars,
100

Value received and charge same to account of

To J. E. Everett Esq at Law

No. Suffolk 75

W. A. Edwards

1909 Sept. 27, Received of S. E. Everett
fifteen dollars in full of Commissioner's fee
in suit of James S. Holland v. G. A. Holland
et als.

Bradford Kilby, Comr.

Sept. 29 1909

Received from H. J. Overton Spe. Comm.
James S. Holliman & S. A. Holliman et al.
Seven

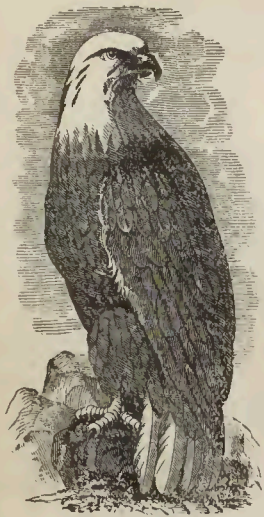
100 Dollars

\$700

A. H. Baker Sheriff
By G. C. Gaffney Df

\$5.⁰⁰ Received of McEwen's Special Comm.
in suit of James S Holland vs J. A. Hollands
and Thos J. Holland for selling
land in said suit.

Sept. 29-1909- J. McEwen
Dech



Received of

Suffolk, Va September 3rd 1909

Mr. L. E. Everett

Ten ————— Dollars.

Bond James S. Hallat via J. E. Hallat

Wesley H. Hines

B -

\$10.00

LINEN

W. J. KENDRICK, President and Editor
J. C. Holladay, Secretary and Treasurer.

Suffolk, Va., Sept 28 1909

M. S. E. Everett Spec Com

J. S. Hallowell vs. G. A. Hallowell 100th

To SUFFOLK HERALD CORPORATION, Dr.
NEWSPAPER AND JOB PRINTING

No. 912 Washington Street.

TERMS OF THIS BILL—NET CASH

Both Phones

Oct 15 100 Bills Paid Sept 28 09 \$ 150
Suffolk Herald Corp
By J. C. H

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County.

James S. Holland.....Complainant.

vs.

In Chancery.

G.A. Holland, Sallie Holland, his wife,

Margaret A. Holland, Mills H. Holland,

her husband, Luther Holland, Evelina

Holland, his wife, Evelina May Wyatt,

Will Wyatt, her husband, Virginia Bell

Bosselman, Charles Bosselman, her husband,

Eatie Layton, Rome Layton, her husband,

and J. Sam Holland. *Josephine Holland, and John W. Holland*.....Defendants.

Issue summons to Second Rules (Third Monday)

in April, 1908.

J. E. Reveren

P. C.

All money paid Tax 1.50

Wages of the Holland family

Wages of the Holland family

Wages of the Holland family

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF NANSEMOND COUNTY—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON G. A. Holland, Sallie Holland,
his wife, Margaret A. Holland, Mills H. Holland, her husband, Luther Hol-
land, Evelina Holland, his wife, Evelina May Wyatt, Will Wyatt, her husband
Virginia Bell Bosselman, Charles Bosselman, her husband, Katie Layton,
Rome Layton, her husband and J. Sam Holland,

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 April, 1908, to answer
a Bill in Chancery, exhibited against them
in the said Court by James S. Holland

And have then and there this summons.

Witness, R. R. SMITH, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this 2nd day of
April, 1908, in the 132nd year of the Commonwealth.

A copy. Teste :

R R Smith, CLERK.

Teste :

R R Smith, CLERK.

By A. B. Gomez D.C.

By A. B. Gomez D.C.

Legal and sufficient notice is hereby accepted.

J. A. Hollander

Jessie Hollander

By S. E. Bennett, Clerk
Atty.

J. E. Green, p. q.

A copy for

VS. } IN CHANCERY.

J. A. Hollander

1908

April Rules.

April Monday.

NANSEMOND CIRCUIT COURT.

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF NANSEMOND COUNTY—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON *G. A. Holland,*
Sallie Holland, his wife, Margaret A
Holland, Mills W. Holland her husband
Luther Holland, Evelina Holland, his
wife, Evelina May Wyatt Will Wyatt
her husband, Virginia Bell Boselman,
Charles Boselman her husband, Katie
Layton, Rome Layton her husband and
J Sam Holland

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 *April 1908*, to answer
 a Bill in Chancery, exhibited against *them*
 in the said Court by *James S. Holland*

And have then and there this summons.

Witness, R. R. SMITH, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this *2nd* day of
April, 1908, in the *32nd* year of the Commonwealth.

A copy—Teste:

Teste:

CLERK. }

CLERK.

R. R. Smith
By J. G. Gomez

Executed this 10th day of
April 1908 by delivering a
True copy of the within process
to Mr W. Halland Margaret
Halland & Sam Halland ~~and~~
Wyatt Will Wyatt ~~and~~ Basil
and Charles Basselman ~~and~~

Attest my hand & seal

D. C. Everett, p. q.

James J. Halland

VS. } IN CHANCERY.

G. J. Halland
and others

1908--

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CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

Southampton

TO THE SHERIFF OF NANSEMOND COUNTY—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON

G. A. Holland, Sallie Holland his wife Margaret Holland, Mills K Holland her husband Luther Holland Evelina Holland his wife, Evelina May Wyatt, Will Wyatt her husband Virginia Bell Bosselman, Charles Bosselman her husband Katie Layton Rome Layton her husband and J Sam Holland

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 *April 1908*, to answer

a Bill in Chancery, exhibited against *them* in the said Court by *James S Holland*

And have then and there this summons.

Witness, R. R. SMITH, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this *2nd* day of *April*, 1908, in the 132nd year of the Commonwealth.

A copy—Teste :

Teste :

_____, CLERK. }

R. R. Smith, CLERK.

By J. C. Gomer, C.

S E Everett, p. q.

James J Holland

VS. } IN CHANCERY.

G A Holland

and others

1908

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Third Monday.

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I have this day
delivered to ^{the} summoned
Katie Layton and
Rome Layton
to appear at date
mentioned in writ
in, at 3 o'clock P.M.
April 16/1908

B. E. Keith

Deft J. H. H.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF ~~NANSEMOND~~ ^{Isle of Wright} COUNTY—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON

G. A. Holland
Sallie Holland his wife *Margaret A*
Holland, *Mills A Holland* her husband
Luther Holland, *Evelina Holland* his wife
Evelina May Wyatt, *Will Wyatt* her
husband, *Virginia Bell Bosselman*
Charles Bosselman her husband *Ratie*
Layton Rome Layton her husband and
J Sam Holland.

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 *April 1908*, to answer

a Bill in Chancery, exhibited against *them*
in the said Court by *James S Holland*

And have then and there this summons.

Witness, R. R. SMITH, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this *3rd* day of *April*, 1908, in the 13^{*th*} year of the Commonwealth.

A copy—Teste :

Teste :

CLERK. }

CLERK.

R. R. Smith
By A. B. Jones, S.C.

Executed April 17th 1908, by delivering a
true copy of the within process to Sister Howard
& Caroline Whorwood in person in the County
of Dorsetshire.

W. A. Edwards Clerk
By J. M. Barnes Esqy

S. E. Everett, p. q.

James J. Holland

VS.

IN CHANCERY.

G. A. Holland
and others

1908

April Rules.

Third Monday.

NANSEMOND CIRCUIT COURT.

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Sole agent

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

TO THE SHERIFF OF ^{Southampton}~~NANSEMOND~~ COUNTY—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON G. A. Holland, Sallie Holland,
his wife, Margaret A. Holland, Mills H. Holland, her husband, Luther
Holland, Evelina Holland, his wife, Evelina May Wyatt, Will Wyatt, her
husband, Virginia Bell Bosselman, Charles Bosselman, her husband,
Katie Layton, Rome Layton, her husband, and J. Sam Holland, Josephine
Holland and John W. Holland

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, 1908, to answer
a Bill in Chancery, exhibited against them
in the said Court by James S. Holland

And have then and there this summons.

Witness, R. R. SMITH, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this 29th day of
May, 1908, in the 13 2nd year of the Commonwealth.

A copy—Teste :

Teste :

CLERK. }

CLERK.

R. R. Smith
R. R. Gomez, Jr.

S E Everett, p. q.

James S Holland

VS. } IN CHANCERY.

G S Holland
And Others

1908--

June Rules.

Third Monday..

NANSEMOND CIRCUIT COURT.

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Executed by serving
Copy on J. H. Holland
& Josephine Holland
This the 9th day of
June 1908 at
5 O'clock P.M.

O. E. Felts
Deft Sheriff

James S. Holland

vs.

G. A. Holland and others.

\$ 40.18 6/8

October 16, 1909.

Received of S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner in the above styled case, Forty Dollars and Eighteen and Six eighths cents, my share in the said suit after the cost and the commuted life interest of James S. Holland have been deducted.

Maggie A. Holland

\$ 40.19 ~~5/8~~

October 16, 1909.

Received of S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner in the above styled case, Forty Dollars and Eighteen and Six eighths cents, my share in the said suit after the cost and the commuted life interest of James S. Holland have been deducted.

Lucy Holland
by C. E. Hargrove
DEPT Oct 23-1909 to her credit
in Bank of Suffolk
October 16, 1909.

\$ 40.19 ~~5/8~~

Received of S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner in the above styled case, Forty Dollars and Eighteen and Six eighths cents, my share in the said suit after the cost and the commuted life interest of James S. Holland have been deducted.

G. A. Holland
by C. E. Hargrove
DEPT to his credit in
Bank of Suffolk
October 16, 1909.

\$ 40.19 6/8

Received of S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner in the above styled case, Forty Dollars and Eighteen and Six eighths cents, my share in the said suit after the cost and the commuted life interest of James S. Holland have been deducted.

Virginia Lee Dosselman
Bank of Suffolk by C. E. Hargrove DEPT to her credit

James S. Holland,

vs.

G. A. Holland and others.

\$ 40.18 6/8

October 16, 1909.

Received of S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner in the above styled case, Forty Dollars and Eighteen and Six eighths cents, my share in the said suit after the cost and the commuted life interest of James S. Holland have been deducted.

Josephine Holland

\$ 40.18 6/8

October 16, 1909.

Received of S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner in the above styled case, Forty Dollars and Eighteen and Six eighths cents, my share in the said suit after the cost and the commuted life interest of James S. Holland have been deducted.

Corlina May Wyatt

\$ 40.18 6/8

October 16, 1909.

Received of S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner in the above styled case, Forty Dollars and Eighteen and Six eighths cents, my share in the said suit after the cost and the commuted life interest of James S. Holland have been deducted.

Katie Layton

\$ 40.18 6/8

October 16, 1909.

Received of S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner in the above styled case, Forty Dollars and Eighteen and Six eighths cents, my share in the said suit after the cost and the commuted life interest of James S. Holland have been deducted.

J. Sanderson

James S. L. Holland,

vs.

G. A. Holland and others.

\$ 277.00

October 16, 1909.

Received of S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner in the
above styled case, Two Hundred and Seventy-seven (\$277.00)
Dollars with interest on the purchase price from October 31st
1908, to this date. It being my commuted life interest
in the land of my wife, Martha S. Holland.

J. S. Holland

TO THE HONORABLE JAMES L. McLEMORE, JUDGE OF THE
CIRCUIT COURT OF NANSEMOND COUNTY.

James S. Holland.....Complainant.

vs.

G. A. Holland, and others.....Defendants.

Your undersigned Commissioner, S. E. Everett, respectively
makes the following report:

By sale of land heretofore reported.....\$ 750.00

Paid cost as follows:

1909.

Oct. 20th,	Writ tax,	\$ 1.50
" 20th,	Clerk's Cost,	6.00
" 16th,	Atty's fee taxed in suit,	15.00
" 15th,	Writing Deed,	10.00
" 16th,	Fee allowed S. E. Everett, Atty.	50.00
" 16th,	Commissions on \$ 750.00,	24.00
Sep. 30th,	West & Withers bond,	10.00
" 28th,	Suffolk Herald, Inc., Ad.,	1.50
" 29th,	J. Walter Hosier, auctioneer,	5.00
" 29th,	Sheriff of Nansemond County,	7.00
" 27th,	Bradford Kilby,	15.00

1908.

Sep. 10th,	Sheriff of Isle of Wight County,	2.00
" 9th,	Sheriff of Southampton County,	2.50
Jun. 9th,	Sheriff of Southampton County,	2.00

By balance due heirs,

598.50	
<u>\$ 750.00</u>	<u>\$ 750.00</u>

1909.

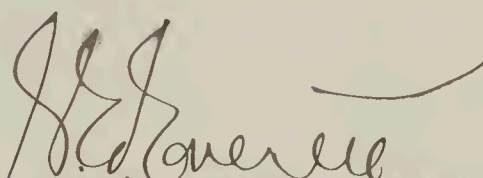
Oct. 16th,	By balance due heirs,	\$ 598.50
" "	paid heirs as follows:	
" "	Commuted life right to James S. Holland,	\$ 277.00
" "	Josephine Holland,	40.18 5/8

1909.

Oct. 16th,	Evelina Mae Wyatt	\$	40.18 6/8	
" "	Katie Layton,		40.18 6/8	
" "	J. Sam Holland,		40.18 6/8	
" "	G. A. Holland,		40.18 6/8	✓
" "	Margarett A. Holland,		40.18 6/8	
" "	Luther Holland,		40.18 6/8	✓
" "	Virginia Bell Bosselman,		40.18 6/8	✓
		\$	598.50	\$ 598.50

Respectfully submitted.

Oct. 22. 1909


Special Commissioner.

James S. Holland

vs.

G. A. Holland and others.

FINAL REPORT.

1909. Octo. 22. filed.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

—OF—

Valuable Real Estate

NEAR BUCKHORN, VA.

In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County on the 12th day of October, 1908 in a chancery cause of James S. Holland vs. G. A. Holland and others, pending in said court, I shall, as Special Commissioner appointed thereby, proceed to sell at public auction,

IN FRONT OF THE POSTOFFICE DOOR IN SUFFOLK, VA.

ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31, '08

AT 12 O'CLOCK M., THE FOLLOWING REAL ESTATE, TO WIT:

All that certain tract of land, containing 80 acres, more or less, situated in Nansemond County, Virginia, and bounded on the east by the land of M. H. Holland, on the south by the land of W. R. Copeland, on the west by the land of E. R. Winborne, and on the north by the land of the Seaboard Air Line Railway Co.

TERMS - One-half cash, and the residue payable in twelve months from the day of sale, with interest from the day of sale, or if the purchaser or purchasers elect to do so, he or they may pay the whole of the purchase money in cash.

S. E. EVERETT,

Special Commissioner.

I, R. R. Smith, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, Va., do certify that the bond required of S. E. Everett, a Special Commissioner under the decree of said court made on the 12th day of May, 1908, in the chancery cause pending in said court between James S. Holland and G. A. Holland and others, has been executed with security deemed sufficient by me.

Given under my hand this 15th day of October, 1908.

R. R. SHITH, Clerk.

By A. P. GOMER, D. C.

OCTOBER 15th, 1908

*Sold to M. W. Holland
\$750.00*

S. E. EVERETT,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
SUFFOLK, VA.

October 1, 1909.

Mr. James S. Holland,
Buckhorn, Va.

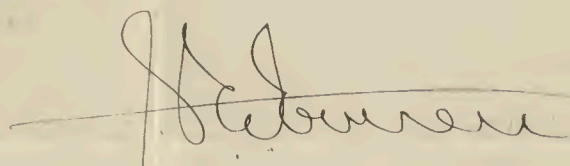
Dear Sir:

Please come in to see me at once.

I have an order of the Court and am ready
to pay out the money in your case.

Very truly yours,

SEE/D



Buckhorn Va
Oct 12 1909

Mr S E Everett

Dear Sir

It is so that I cannot
come down now so if any
of the heirs come at them have
what is coming to them that will
all right then apart of them that will
themselves so you at them have theirs
yours truly J S Holland

To the Honorable James L. McLeMore, Judge of the Circuit
County of Hanson and County.

James S. Holland Plaintiff,
vs. In Chancery,
G. A. Holland and others.....Defendants.

Your undersigned Commissioner makes the follow-
ing report to your honor:

That in accordance with the decree entered the 12th
day of October, 1908, your commissioner sold in front of
the post office Suffolk, Virginia, at Public Auction, on
October 31st, 1908, the tract of land mentioned in the bill
and proceedings in this cause, at which sale H. W. Holland
became the purchaser at the sum of Seven Hundred and Fifty
Dollars, it being the highest bid for the same.

The said H. W. Holland desires to pay the whole
in cash, and as he wishes to borrow some money to make
the payment, he desires the title to be conveyed to him
so that he can raise the entire amount and pay the same
to your commissioner. Said property was sold allowing the
purchaser the option to pay the whole in cash if he
desired to do so. *I recommend that the sale of*
\$75.00 be confirmed.
Respectfully submitted,

H. J. Turner
Special Commr.

October 31st, 1908.

Purchase price paid Sept. 28-1909.
and interest to that date - S. E. Turner

Special
Commissioner's
Report.

Filed February 1st, 1909
L.M.

Commissioner's Office,
Suffolk, Va.

To James S. Holland

Complainant.

and

G. A. Holland, Sallie Holland, his wife,
Margaret A. Holland, Mills H. Holland,
her husband, Luther Holland, Evalina Hol-
land, his wife, Evalina May Wyatt, Will
Wyatt, her husband, Virginia Bell Bos-
selman, Charles Bosselman, her husband,
Katie Layton, Rome Layton, her husband,
J. Sam Holland, Josephine Holland, and
John W. Holland, her husband.

Defendants.

You are hereby notified that on the 10th. day of September 1908 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 on the 17th. day of July 1908, in the suit in chancery pending in said court to which you are parties plaintiff and defendant, to-wit:

1. Who are the persons interested in the said land and whether all parties in interest are properly before the court.
2. Whether it would be to the interest of all parties concerned to have the property sold and the proceeds of the sale invested for the benefit of the parties interested in said land.
3. Whether there are delinquent taxes due on said land and any liens thereon which several inquiries, I shall make to court, together with any matter deemed pertinent in the cause.
4. Whether the said land can be conveniently divided in kind in any of the modes prescribed by the statute.

Given under my hand as Commissioner in Chancery of said Court the 27th. day of August 1908.


Commissioner in Chancery.

Sept 8
Holland

W } notice to
take assets

Holland et al

Sept. 8th 1908. Luther
Holland not being
found at his usual
place of abode, I
executed the within
notice by delivering a
true copy thereof to
Mrs. Evolina Holland
wife of said Luther
Holland, ^{for said Luther Holland.} & a copy
thereof to Mrs. Evolina
Holland for the said
Evolina Holland.
all in person at their
residence in the County
of Isadore Wagon.

W. H. Edwards

Subscribed
By, R. Augustus Edwards
Sgt. for fee 1.00 D.S.

Commissioner's Office,
Suffolk, Va.

To James S. Holland

Complainant.

and

G. A. Holland,¹ Sallie Holland,²
his wife, Margaret A. Holland,³ Mills H.
Holland,⁴ her husband, Luther Holland,⁵ Evalina Holland,⁶ his wife, Evalina May Wyatt,⁷ Will Wyatt,⁸ her husband, Virginia Bell Bosselman,⁹ Charles Bosselman,¹⁰ her husband, Katie Layton,¹¹ Rome Layton,¹² her husband, J. Sam Holland,¹³ Josephine Holland,¹⁴ and John W. Holland,¹⁵ her husband.

Defendants.

You are hereby notified that on the 10th. day of September 1908, 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 17th. day of July, 1908, in the suit in chancery pending in said court to which you are parties plaintiff and defendant, to-wit:

1. Who are the persons interested in said land and whether all parties in interest are properly before the court.
2. Whether it would be to the interest of all parties concerned to have the property sold and the proceeds of sale invested for the benefit of the parties interested in said land.
3. Whether there are delinquent taxes due on said land and any liens thereon which several inquiries, I shall make to the court, together with any matter deemed pertinent in the cause.
4. Whether the said land can be conveniently partitioned in kind in any of the modes prescribed by the statute.

Given under my hand as Commissioner in Chancery of said Court the 27th. day of August 1908.

Bradford Kilby
Commissioner in Chancery.

Executed this the 9th day of Sept. 1908
by delivering a true copy of the within
Notice to Margaret A. Hallond, Mills W.
Hallond, Eviline May Wyatt, Will Wyatt,
Virginia Bell Bosselman. Chas Bosselman,
J. Sam Hallond, in person

George A. Hallond, Sallie Hallond
Luther Hallond, Eviline Hallond,
John W. Hallond Josephine Hallond
Not found in my county.

A. H. Baker Sheriff
By W. S. Johnson Deputy.

Sh H Fees 350
A H B

Commissioner's Office,

To

James S. Holland

Complainant

and

G. A. Holland, Sallie Holland, his wife, Margaret
A. Holland, Mills H. Holland, her husband, Luther Holland
Evalina Holland, his wife, Evalina May Wyatt, Will Wyatt,
her husband, Virginia Bell Bosselman, Charles Bosselman,
her husband, Katie Layton, Rome Layton, her husband, J. Sam Holland,
Josephine Holland, and John W. Holland, her husband.

You are hereby notified that on the 10th day of September 1908,

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 Hansemond County

Va., rendered the 17th day of July, 1908, in the suit in chancery

pending in said Court to which you are parties plaintiff and defendant, to-wit:

- (1) Who are the persons interested in said land and whether all parties in interest are properly before the court.
- (2) Whether it would be to the interest of all parties concerned to have the property sold and the proceeds of sale invested for the benefit of the parties interested in said land.
- (3) Whether there are delinquent taxes due on said land and any liens thereon, which several inquiries the said Commissioner shall make and to the court, together with any matter deemed pertinent in this cause.
- (4) Whether the said land can be conveniently partitioned in kind in any of the modes prescribed by the statute.

Given under my hand, as Commissioner in Chancery of said Court, the 27 day of

August, 1908

Bradford Kilby,
Commissioner in Chancery.

vs. }

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

Executed by Scriving
 Copy's on Katie
 Layton, Romie Layton,
 Josephine Holland, John,
 W Holland, and
 J Sam Holland.
 This 9th day Seph-1908
 at 7 o'clock A.M.

D. E. Zello
 Wpsh Sheriff

Legal and sufficient service is
 hereby accepted
 J A Holland
 Galois Holland

Commissioner's Office,

Suffolk, Va.

To James S. Holland,

Complainant.

and

G. A. Holland, Sallie Holland, his wife, Margaret A. Holland, Mills
H. Holland, her husband, Luther Holland, Evalina Holland, his wife,
Evalina May Wyatt, Will Wyatt, her husband, Virginia Bell Bossel-
man, Charles Bosselman, her husband, Katie Layton, Rome Layton,
her husband, J. Sam Holland, Josephine Holland and John W. Hol-
land, her husband,

Defendants.

You are hereby notified that on the 10th. day of September 1908,
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 17th. day of July 1908, in the suit in Chancery pending in said
court, to which you are parties plaintiff and defendant, to-wit:

1. Who are the persons interested in said land and whether all the
parties in interest are properly before the court.
2. Whether it would be to the interest of all parties concerned to
have the property sold and the proceeds of sale invested for the ben-
efit of the parties interested in said land.
3. Whether there are any delinquent taxes due on said land and any
liens thereon, which several inquiries the said commissioner shall make
and report to the court, together with any matter deemed pertinent in
the cause.
4. Whether the said land can be conveniently partitioned in kind in
any of the modes prescribed by the statute.

Given under my hand as Commissioner in Chancery of said court the
27th. day of August, 1908.

Bradford Kilby

Commissioner in Chancery.

Commissioner's Office,
Suffolk, Va.

To James S. Holland,

Complainant.

and

G. A. Holland, Sallie Holland, his wife, Margaret A. Holland, Mills
H. Holland, her husband, Luther Holland, Evalina Holland, his wife,
Evalina May Wyatt, Will Wyatt, her husband, Virginia Bell Bossel-
man, Charles Bosselman, her husband, Katie Layton, Rome Layton,
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the cause.
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any of the modes prescribed by the statute.

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27th. day of August, 1908.

Bradford Kilby
Commissioner in Chancery.

Commissioner's Office,

Suffolk, Va.

To James S. Holland

Complainant.

and

G. A. Holland, Sallie Holland, his wife,

Margaret A. Holland, Mills ~~Holland~~ Holland, ~~and~~

her husband, Luther Holland, Evalina Hol-

land, his wife, Evalina May Wyatt, Will

Wyatt, her husband, Virginia Bell Bos-

selman, Charles Bosselman, her husband,

Katies Layton, Rome Layton, her husband,

J. Sam⁺ Holland, Josephine Holland, and

John W. Holland, her husband.

Defendants.

You are hereby notified that on the 10th. day of September 1908 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 on the 17th. day of July 1908, in the suit in chancery pending in said court to which you are parties plaintiff and defendant, to-wit:

1. Who are the persons interested in the said land and whether all parties in interest are properly before the court.
2. Whether it would be to the interest of all parties concerned to have the property sold and the proceeds of the sale invested for the benefit of the parties interested in said land.
3. Whether there are delinquent taxes due on said land and any liens thereon which several inquiries, I shall make to court, together with any matter deemed pertinent in the cause.
4. Whether the said land can be conveniently divided in kind in any of the modes prescribed by the statute.

Given under my hand as Commissioner in Chancery of said Court the 27th. day of August 1908.

Bradford Kilby
Commissioner in Chancery.

Commissioner's Office

Suffolk, Va.

To James S. Holland

Complainant.

and

G. A. Holland, Callie Holland, his wife,
Margaret A. Holland, Mills H. Holland,
her husband, Luther Holland, Eveline Holland
his wife, Eveline May Wyatt, Will Wyatt, her
husband, Virginia Bell Rosselman, Charles
Rosselman, her husband, Katie Layton, Rome
Layton, her husband, J. Sam Holland, Jose-
phine Holland and John W. Holland, her
husband.

Defendants.

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at my office in Suffolk, Va. (at which time and place you are requir-
ed 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 on the 17th. day of July, 1908, in the suit in chancery pend-
ing in said court to which you are parties plaintiff and defendant,
to-wit:

- 1/ Tho are the persons interested in said land and whether all the
parties in interest are properly before the court.
2. Whether it would be to the interest of all parties concerned to
have the property sold and the proceeds of sale invested for the
benefit of the parties interested in said land.
3. Whether there are any delinquent taxes due on said land and any
liens thereon which severall inquiries I shall make to the court
together with any matter deemed pertinent in said cause.
4. Whether the said land can be conveniently divided in kind in
any of the modes prescribed by statute.

Given under my hand as Commissioner in Chancery of said court
the 27th. day of August 1908.

Bradford Kilby.
Commissioner in Chancery.

James S. Holland.....Plaintiff.
vs. In Chancery.
G. A. Holland and others.....Defendants.

This cause came on this day again to be heard on the papers formerly read and on the report of S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner, filed ^{September 28th 1909} ~~as of this date~~ showing that the said purchase-price for the property mentioned in the bill and proceedings which was Seven Hundred and Fifty (\$750.00) Dollars, with interest from the 31st day of October, 1908, to the 25th day of September, 1909, has been paid to the said S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner, and that all parties to said suit are twenty-one years of age and desire that James S. Holland's life interest be commuted and their portion paid to them respectively, to which report there is no exception and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof the Court doth approve and confirm said report and doth adjudge, order and decree that the ^{Id.} S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner, after paying to James S. Holland his commuted life interest, distribute the remainder to the parties entitled thereto, taking vouchers for all distributions and make a report to the Court of his proceedings hereunder.

James S. Holland,

vs.

G. A. Holland et als.

Enter 15th day of
October, 1909.

James S. Holland

Entered in Chancery Order

Book No. 4, Page 374.

To the Honorable James L. McLeMore, Judge of the Circuit
Court of Hansemond County.

James S. Holland,

vs. Bill.

G. A. Holland and others.

Complaining sheweth unto the Court your complainant,
James S. Holland, the following case:

Your Commissioner made a report in this cause on the first
day of February, 1909, stating the land had been sold for the
amount of \$750.00 to one, H. W. Holland, and that he desired
to pay the whole purchase price in cash, but after the decree
was entered confirming said report the said purchaser failed to
comply with the said decree, and on September 25th, 1909,
came in and paid your Commissioner the full amount of \$750.00
and interest from the date of sale which was October 31st, 1908,
until the 25th day of September, 1909.

This suit was instituted to have sold a certain tract of
land mentioned in a bill in the proceeding in which James S.
Holland had a life interest in and the proceeds of sale be
invested for the benefit of James S. Holland.

All of the heirs are now twenty-one years of age and are willing
and anxious to have their father's interest commuted and have his
interest paid to him and theirs equally divided. Your Commissioner
ask that he be allowed to pay this money as desired by the parties
to the suit and as stated above.

Respectively submitted.

Sept. 27, 1909

J. C. McLeMore
Special Commissioner

James S. Holland,

vs.

G. A. Holland and others.

Filed 28th September, 1909.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HANSEBOND COUNTY, IN VACATION,

THE 28th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1909.

James S. Holland.....Plaintiff.

vs. In Chancery,

G. A. Holland and others.....Defendants.

This cause came on this day by consent of both Plaintiff and Defendants, in vacation, again to be heard on the papers formerly read and on the report of S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner, filed this 28th day of September, 1909, showing that the said purchase price for the property mentioned in the bill and proceedings which was \$750.00 with interest from the 31st day of October, 1908, until this date, has been paid to the said S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner, and that all parties to said suit are twenty-one years of age and desire that James S. Holland's life interest be commuted and their portion paid to them respectively, to which report there is no exception, and was argued by counsel: *and by consent of all parties given in writing*
On consideration whereof the Court doth approve and confirm said report and doth adjudge, order and decree that the said S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner, after paying to James S. Holland his commuted life interest, distribute the remainder to the parties entitled thereto, taking vouchers for all distributions and make a report to Court of his proceedings hereunder.

All which is hereby certified to the Clerk of this Court to be entered in the Chancery order book.

James S. Everett

James S. Holland,

vs.

G. A. Holland et als.

Enter _____ day of
_____, 1909.

Entered in Chancery Order

Book No. _____, page _____.

We consent.

James A. Holland
H. A. Holland
Fannie Holland
Margaret A. Holland
Miss H. Holland
Luther Holland
Evelina Holland
Evelina May Wyatt
Will Wyatt
Virginia Belle Bosselman
Chas. Bosselman
Josephine Holland
Katie Lee
John W. Holland
Rene Lee
Sam Holland
By the Reverend Mr. Allen

Enter Sept. 28. 1909
James S. Holland

James S. Holland.....Plaintiff
vs. In Chancery,
G. A. Holland and others.....Defendants.

This cause came on this day again to be heard on the papers formerly read and on the report of S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner, filed this 1st day of February, 1909, showing that said property in the bill and proceedings mentioned was sold on the 31st day of October, 1908, to M. W. Holland, for the sum of \$750.00, to which report there is no exception, and was argued by counsel:

On consideration whereof the court doth approve, and confirm said report, and doth adjudge, order and decree that when and as soon as M. W. Holland shall have paid in full the \$750.00, the amount for which the said property sold, to the said S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner, the said S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner, shall convey by good and sufficient deed, with special warranty, unto the said M. W. Holland the property purchased by him as follows: All that certain tract of land situated near Buckhorn, Hansemond County, Virginia, containing fifty acres, more or less, and bounded on the east by the lands of M. H. Holland, on the south by the land of W. R. Copeland, on the west by the land of E. R. Winborne, and on the north by the land of the Seaboard Air Line Railway Company.

The court doth further adjudge, order and decree that the said Special Commissioner, S. E. Everett, after deducting from the \$750.00, the amount for which the land sold, the expenses of sale, including his commissions, and a fee for the attorney who instituted this suit of \$50, deposit the remainder in one of the banks of Suffolk, Virginia, taking a receipt therefor and make a report to court of his proceedings hereunder.

James S. Holland,

vs.

C. A. Holland et als.

Enter 1st day of
February, 1909.

James S. Holland

Entered in Chancery Order

Book No. 4, page 316.

In the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, Virginia.

James S. Holland.....Plaintiff,
vs. In Chancery.
G. A. Holland and others.....Defendants.

This cause came on this day again to be heard on the papers formerly read and on the report of Bradford Wilby, Commissioner in Chancery, ~~to which report~~ filed on the 1st day of October, 1908, in the Clerk's Office of the said court, ^{to which report} there is no exception, ^{taken} and on the examination of witnesses returned with the said report, and was argued by counsel:

On consideration whereof the court doth approve and confirm said report, and doth adjudge, order and decree that S. E. Everett, who is appointed Special Commissioner for the purpose, do after having advertised the time, place and terms of sale for fifteen days, by posting notices in numerous places in said county, proceed to sell before the post office door in Suffolk, Nansemond County, Virginia, the said land in the bill and proceedings mentioned on the following terms, to-wit: One half cash and the residue payable in twelve months from the day of sale, with interest from said date, the title to the property to be retained until the purchase money is paid in full and a conveyance directed by the court, or if the purchaser or purchasers elect to do so, he or they may pay the whole of the purchase money in cash, subject to confirmation of the sale by the court.

The said S. E. Everett, is directed to make a report of his proceedings to court, and also take the purchaser's bond for the credit instalment, carrying interest from the date of sale and to return the bond taken for the credit instalment with his report to court, but the said

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S. E. Everett shall not proceed to act under 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 ~~Amount~~^{Penalty} of \$1500.00, and conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duty hereunder and under any further decree in this cause.

James S. Holland,

vs. In Chancery.

G. A. Holland and others.

Enter 12th day of October,
1908.

James S. Holland

Entered in Chancery Order

Book No. 4, page 279.

James S. Holland.....Complainant
vs.

G. A. Holland, Sallie Holland, his wife,
Margaret A. Holland, Mills H. Holland,
her husband, Luther Holland, Evelina
Holland, his wife, Evelina May Wyatt,
Will Wyatt, her husband, Virginia Bell
Bosselman, Charles Bosselman, her husband,
Katie Layton, Rome Layton, her husband,
J. Sam Holland, Josephine Holland and
John W. Holland, her husband.....Defendants.

This cause, in which process has been duly
served on all of the defendants, and they still failing
to appear and plead, answer or demur, to the said bill
came on to be heard upon the bill taken for confessed
and was argued by counsel:

On consideration whereof the court doth
adjudge, order and decree, that the papers in this
cause be referred to one of the Commissioners of this
court, who is required to inquire into and report to
court.

1.

Who are the persons interested in said land?

And whether all parties in interest are properly before the Court.

2.

Whether it would be to the interest of all
parties concerned to have the property sold and the
proceeds of sale invested for the benefit of the parties
interested in said land.

3.

Whether there are delinquent taxes due on
said land and any liens thereon, which several inquiries
the said Commissioner shall make and to the court

report, together with any matter deemed pertinent
in this cause.

Whether the said land can be conveniently
partitioned in kind in any of the modes prescribed
by the statute.

James S. Holland,

vs.

G. A. Holland et als.

Entered 14th day of July, 1908.

James L. Moore

Entered in Chancery Order Book

No. 4, page 262.

Plymouth NC RJD #2

May 11th 1908

Lumpkin
Everett
Suffolk Va

Dear Sir I Recd Letter from my
Father J. S. Holland Concerning
the Home place being sold there are
seven acres out side of my father
he wants the place sold and I will
give my consent for it to be sold
and finally decided on Eight
Shares which will give my Father
J. S. Holland as much as any of the
rest some of them have said I
ought not to have any share
Please Look ^{up} for me and have

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The Place Sold to the Highest
Bidder and Decided between us all
I have wrote to my father to
see you and Explain to you
and you shall be well paid
Let me hear from you soon

Yours truly
G A Halland

2,000,000.

SEABOARD

FORM 107.

Written _____ M.

Filed _____ M.

AIR LINE RAILWAY

S. Davies Warfield, R. Lancaster Williams,
and E. C. Duncan, Receivers.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

Time Sent _____ M.

Rec'g Operator _____

Sending " _____

This blank to be used only in Telegraph Service. All messages should be written in ink. Messages filed for transmission when TRAIN MAIL would have served the purpose, must be referred to Supt. of Telegraph (after being sent) attached to Form 108. Messages should be worded as briefly as consistent with their perfect understanding.

Approved: W. A. GARRETT, President.

T. F. WHITTELSEY, General Manager.

C. H. HIX, Gen'l Superintendent.

W. F. WILLIAMS, Supt. Telegraph.

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Please as my child is sick I cannot
come today but take my writing and
go ahead and sell the place so I can
get my part. Truly Yours

Virginia B. Boswellman

by my husband

This is to certify the undersigned is the son of James S. Holland and a party defendant in the suit of James S. Holland against G. A. Holland and others, and that I further understand that all of the parties wish the matter closed up and the money paid to those entitled thereto, and that I am willing to this and hereby agree to the same and authorize S. E. Everett, my Attorney, to sign any order or orders, giving my consent to a quick settlement of this suit.

G. A. Holland

Sworn to, this 25th day of September, 1909. *before*
me, Bradford Kilby, a Notary Public,
My commission expires, Aug. 7. 1910,

Bradford Kilby,
Notary Public,

Virginia,

Circuit Court for the County of Nansemond, to-wit:

James S. Holland

Complainant.

vs.

In Chancery.

G. A. Holland and others

Defendants.

Commissioner's Office,

Suffolk, Va. Septem~~ber~~ 10th. 1908.

To Honorable James L. McLemore, 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 17th. day of July 1908 in the suit in chancery pending in said court between James S. Holland, Complainant and G. A. Holland and others, Defendants, the undersigned, Bradford Kilby, one of the Commissioner's in Chancery of said court, respectfully reports as follows:

That on the 27th. day of August 1908, your commissioner gave notice to the parties to the said suit that he would proceed on the 10th. day of September 1908, at his office in Suffolk, Virginia, to make the several inquiries required by said decree to be made by one of the commissioners in chancery of said court.

That sufficient and legal service of the notice was served on the parties as will appear by the endorsements made by the sheriff on the original returned herewith.

That on the 10th. day of September 1908, at his said office, your commissioner took the depositions of J. M. Aston and R. L. Baines, touching the said inquiries, which depositions are returned herewith.

That from the testimony of said witnesses and from information otherwise obtained, your commissioner reports as follows:

(1)

The parties interested in the said land are the Complainant and the Defendants to this suit, and all the parties in interest are properly before the Court.

(2)

Your commissioner is of the opinion that it would be to the interest of all parties concerned to have the property sold and the proceeds of sale invested for the benefit of the parties interested in said land.

(3)

There are no delinquent taxes due on said land nor are there any liens thereon.

(4)

Your commissioner is of the opinion that the said land can not be conveniently partitioned in kind in any of the modes prescribed by the statute because of its small size and the large number of parties interested in it.

(5)

There are no other matters to report deemed pertinent in this cause by your commissioner.

Respectfully submitted,

Bradford Kilby
Commissioner in Chancery.

Commissioner's fee \$15.

Sheriff's fees 3.50

\$ 18.50

Mr. J. M. Aston being duly sworn deposes as follows:

Q. Do you know the parties to this suit and are they all of the parties interested in this land as far as you know?

A. I do, and they are all of his children.

Q: What do you think this property worth?

A. It is near the railroad and I have been told that there are about eighty acres and I think the property would bring somewhere between \$750.00 and \$1000.00.

Q. Do you think it would be to the interest of the parties concerned to have this property sold and the proceeds invested?

A. I understand that the old man, James S. Holland, has a life right in this property and he is getting old and not able to live by himself, and lives with his children from place to place and does not attend to the rent of this place and it is left for stock to go over it and is going down every year. I would think it would be to the interest of all concerned to have it sold, because as I understand it he would get the interest on this money as long as he lives and then it could be evenly divided among the children and the land would bring more now than it would later on, unless something were to happen that I cannot see at this time.

Q. What would this land rent for?

A. It would not rent for much. It has already gone down. You could hardly rent it for anything without some improvements. If it was in good condition it might rent for from \$35.00 to \$50.00. I have been knowing this property for some time and live near there. I am farming near Buckhorn and I am now 48 years old.

And further this deponent saith not.

J. M. Aston

Mr. R. L. Baines being duly sworn deposes as follows:

Q. Give your name, age, residence, and occupation.

A. R. L. Baines, 42 years old, Suffolk, and Merchant.

Q. Do you know the parties to this suit?

A. Yes, I do.

Q. Do you know whether Mr. James S. Holland owned this land or his wife.

A. I have been told that it belongs to his wife, but I have never looked the record.

Q. What do you think that this farm is worth, or would sell for?

A. According to my judgment \$800.00 or \$1000.00 would be a big price for it.

Q. What do you think the place would rent for in the condition that it is in now?

A. \$50.00 rent would be a big price, more than I would give.

Q. Would it be to the advantage of the parties interested to have this property sold and the proceeds invested for the benefit of the parties?

A. I should think so. It will go down as there is no one to attend to it. It has always been my idea that it is best to get rid of property if you cannot keep it up. The old man is getting old and does not stay there and cannot attend to it. Mr. Holland is not getting anything from the place now and if he has it sold and the money invested he would get a little income.

And further this deponent said not.

R. L. Baines

James S. Holland
vs. } In Chancery
G. A. Holland et als.

Report of Brad-
ford Kilby, Comr.
in Chancery.

Filed 15th day of Dec. 08
A. L. Gomer DC

James S. Holland.....Plaintiff.

vs.

G. A. Holland and others.....Defendants.

This cause came on this day again to be heard on the papers formerly read and on the report of S. E. Everett, Special Commissioner,, filed as of this date, which report shows a proper distribution of the funds in his hands, the shares of G. A. Holland, Luther Holland and Virginia Bell Bosselman, which is Forty Dollars and Eighteen and six-eighths cents each, being deposited in the Bank of Suffolk, Suffolk, Virginia, to their credit, to which report there is no exception, and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof, the Court doth approve and confirm said report, and there remaining nothing further to be done in this cause it is adjudged, ordered and decreed that the same be stricken from the docket.

James S. Holland

vs.

G. A. Holland and others.

Enter Oct. 23rd, 1909.

James S. Holland

Entered in Chancery Order

Book No. 4, Page 344.

To the Honorable James L. McLeMore, Judge of the Circuit
Court of Nansemond County.

James S. Holland,
vs. Bill.
G. A. Holland and others.

Complainant sheweth unto the court your
complainant, James S. Holland, the following case:

That your complainant, James S. Holland
was the husband of Martha S. Holland, who died on the
27th day of May, 1907, leaving your complainant, James
S. Holland, and the following children and their husbands
and wives: G. A. Holland and Sallie Holland, his wife,
Margaret A. Holland and Mills H. Holland, her husband,
Luther Holland and Evelina Holland, his wife, Evelina
May Wyatt and Will Wyatt, her husband, Virginia Bell
Bosselman and Charles Bosselman, her husband, J. Sam
Holland, Kate Layton and Rome Layton, her husband,
Josephine Holland and John W. Holland, her husband.

The said Martha S. Holland died, seized
and possessed of the following real estate to-wit:
All that certain tract of land containing fifty (50)
acres, more or less, and bounded on the east by the
land of M. H. Holland, on the south by the land of W.
R. Copeland, on the west by the land of E.R. Winborne,
and on the north by the land of the Seaboard Air Line
Railway Company.

Your complainant has been advised that he
has a life right in said property and has the right to
have the same sold and the money invested for his benefit
or by consent of the parties can have his interest
commuted according to his age, and the remainder paid
to the children and only heirs of the said Martha S.

Holland, deceased, Your complainant further understands from his children that they prefer having the property sold and further your complainant states that it would be to the advantage of all parties concerned to sell the same, as all of the said children are living away from the farm and that your complainant does not now stay there, and the farm is going down and less valuable every year. Your complainant is satisfied that the interest of all parties will be promoted by a sale of the said real estate.

In consideration whereof and forasmuch 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 G. A. Holland and Sallie Holland, his wife, Margaret A. Holland and Mills H. Holland, her husband, Luther Holland and Evelina Holland, his wife, Evelina May Wyatt and Will Wyatt, her husband, Virginia Bell Bosselman and Charles Bosselman, her husband, J. Sam Holland, Kate Layton and Rome Layton, her husband, Josephine Holland and John W. Holland, her husband, may be made parties defendant to this bill, that proper process issue, that the said real estate be sold and the proceeds of said sale be invested for the benefit of your complainant, or his portion paid to him in full and the remainder distributed respectively to the parties entitled thereto, that all proper orders and decrees may be made and proper inquiries be directed, and that all such other, further and general relief may be afforded your complainant as the nature of his case may require, or to equity shall seem meet. And your complainant will ever pray.

G. S. Holland
Complainant.

J. E. Brown
Counsel.

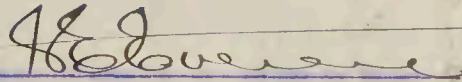
STATE OF VIRGINIA,

to-wit.

COUNTY OF NANSEMOND.

This day personally appeared before me the undersigned Notary Public, for the county aforesaid, James S. Holland, and made oath that the statements in the foregoing bill are true.

Given under my hand this 25th day of April, 1908.



Notary Public.

J.E. Emerit

James S. Holland
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J.A. Holland state

James S Holland
vs } In Chancery
G A Holland & others

1908 April Dmd. Process issued re-

turnable to April
2ules 3rd Monday

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Process returned
executed on all

home defendants

Bill filed and

decree nisi against

said defendants

" May 4.

Decree nisi as all ~~home~~

defendants except G A

Holland and Sallie

Holland

Chancery
Notes