

L848-031 SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY
CHANCERY PAPERS

WILLIAMS VS. WILLIAMS' heirs
12/1848

Plat

other SURNAMES: Peete

Williams } B & F
" } Decree
Williams }

1848 Jan'y Decree as filed
" Nov. Report.
" Dec. Report confirmed

Williams }
vs } Decree.
Williams }

This day this Cause was docketed by leave
of Court and Consent of Parties, and came on to be
heard on the bill and answer and was argued by
Counsel. On consideration whereof the Court doth
order adjudge and decree, that James Masey
Elijah Jynes, Mr D Hart John Jenkins and
William E. Myrick be appointed Commissioners
any three of whom may act. That they attended by a
Competent Surveyor, allot one third of the tract of Land
formerly the property of Henry L. Williams, which
was conveyed to his son Eldridge Williams - regard
being had to value - and ~~in the allotment of~~
~~the Commissioners are hereby directed to embrace the~~
~~Massachusetts and~~ That sd Commrs
after duly allotting as above directed
to the widow of H L. Williams - proceed to allot
one third of the remaining two thirds, as doer to
the widow of Eldridge Williams - and report
to the Court in order to a final decree.

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Southampton January Court 1848.
Mary Williams widow of Henry I Williams
against

Deft } In Chancery

Williams child of Eldridge Williams by
George W Putt his son & next friend - Deft }

This day this cause was docketed by leave of Court and consent of parties and came on to be heard on the bill and answer and was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge order and decree that James Haget Elijah Innes. Esq. D Hart. John Jenkins and William O Myrick be appointed Commissioners, any three of whom may act, that they attended by a competent Surveyor allot one third of the tract of land formerly the property of Henry I Williams, which were conveyed to his son Eldridge Williams - regard being had to value. That the said Commissioners after duly allotting do as above directed to the widow of H. I Williams proceed to allot one third of the remaining two thirds, as doer to the widow of Eldridge Williams - And report to the Court an order to a final decree -

Attest. L R Edwards Clk

1949 Nov.

Agreeably to a Decree of the County Court of Southampton, dated January term 1848. We the undersigned Commissioners expressed in said Decree, in obedience to the requisitions thereof, have laid off the Dowers of Henry L. Williams' Widow, and Eldridge Williams' Widow, in the land of said Eldridge Williams, being attended by Thomas B. Morrell Surveyor, who surveyed the same, and found there to be in the whole tract, Six hundred and eighty five acres. of which we have allotted to Henry L. Williams' Widow Two hundred and sixty seven acres, as her Dower in said lands, which is bounded as follows. Beginning at a sweet gum in Davis Bryants line, a new corner for the said Widows; thence along a new line of marked trees. West 109 poles to a post on the path, a new corner for said Eldridge Williams' Widow, thence same Course 144 poles to a Sour wood, a new corner in said Davis Bryants line, thence along his line to John Jenkins' line, thence along said Jenkins' line to said Davis Bryants (Stanly line,) thence along his line to the Beginning.

We have also allotted to Eldridge Williams' Widow, One hundred and forty acres, as her Dower ^(including the houses,) in said lands, which is bounded as follows. Beginning at the same sweet gum, in Davis Bryants line, thence along the other widows new line, West 109 poles to a post on the path, a new corner; thence S. 14° E. 247 poles to the rim of Rochells Mill Swamp. Thence down the rim of said Swamp to Davis Bryants corner. thence along his line to the beginning. we herewith return a plot of the land. — " — " —

Respectfully submitted to the Court.

James Mayes
Elijah Goyne
Wm E Myrick
John D Hart

Plot and Division of the
Land of Eldridge Williams^{Esq.}

685 acres.

1848 Nov

Widow's Dower. 267 Acres.

Eldridge Williams,
Widow's Gower.
140 acres.

278 Acres.

Thos. B. Worrell sur?

Scale 40 poles
to an inch.