1880-08 Southampton County Chancery — Jones, Adolphus H. and Holland, Zachariah E. Vs Rawls, Robert et als

To null & void Will —
Then sell property to the
Plantiffs' demands

Rawls, E. W.
", George Thomas
", John R.
", Joseph G.
", Williamstone
Griffin, Sarah E.
Rawls, Mary A.
Pretlow, Denson

Kirby p. v

A. H. Jones &c.

vs Bill

Robert Rawls et al

Cir. Ct. Smith

To the Hon. Geo. Blow, Judge of the Circuit Court of Southampton, Va.

Complaining shew unto the Court your Complainant Adoeplus A. Ives, and Zachariah E. Holland.

Your Complainants respectfully represent to the Court and say, That on the 11th day of January 1859, one Rev. Robert Raney executed his writing obligatory to your Complainant Adoeplus A. Ives, for $935.37 with Interest from date, for value received, which was compromised by said Ives, ~~xxxx~~ by agreeing to accept 50 cents to the dollar of said debt & on which payments are made to wit: $242. on 2d March 1861 - $100 on 20th Feb. 1869 & $25 on 20th Nov. 1873, leaving due on the 26th Oct. 1874 of $525.00, with Interest from that date; and that Judgment was rendered on said Bond in the Circuit Court of said County at the April Term 1874, and docketed in the Clerk's office of ~~said~~ the County Court of said County on the 13th Nov. 1874, all of which will more fully appear by copies of said Bond & Judgment filed herewith & marked "A", and prayed to be taken as part of this Bill.

That an execution was issued on said Judgment which was placed in the hands of the Sheriff of said County which has proven

insolvent.

That the said Robt. Rawls, on the 9th day of Feb. 1858 executed his writing obligatory to Zachariah C. Holland for $100. with interest from date on which the said Rawls, paid on the 17th of Jany 1876 $56.19. all of which will be seen by said writing filed herewith marked "B".

That the said Robert Rawls on the 10th day of July 1872 (long after he had become indebted to your Complainants) & whilst so indebted, executed a voluntary deed to his sons E.W. Rawls, Geo. Numas Rawls, John R. Rawls, Joseph G. Rawls and Williamstone Rawls, and also unto Geo. Numas Rawls, (Trustee) for the sole use and benefit of his daughter Sarah E. Griffin wife of Thomas Griffin, and unto Geo. Numas Rawls (Trustee) for the sole use & benefit of his daughter in law Mary A. Rawls wife of his son R. H. Rawls, the tract of land on which he the said Robt. Rawls then lived, containing by estimation two hundred and fifty acres more or less, and bounded as follows: On the South by the Smithfield Road, on the East by the Proctor's Bridge road, North by "Barbecue Swamp", and West by Peacock Swamp, on condition that the aforesaid tract of land should be divided according to the value thereof, into seven equal parts, each party to have one seventh thereof, provided that the share (seventh) allotted to Geo. Numas Rawls shall contain on it the

buildings and improvements recently (~~them~~) made by him – said improvements not to be appraised in the valuation of his share, and further that the share (seventh) allotted to Lurpe Hunter Rawls (Trustee) for the benefit of Mary A. Rawls wife of R. H. Rawls, shall be that portion of the land on which buildings and improvements have recently been made by my son R. H. Rawls, the said improvements likewise not to be considered in the valuation of said share. The remainder of said tract (five sevenths) to be divided by lot or agreement; all of which will more fully appear by reference to a copy of said deed filed herewith and asked to be taken as part of this Bill & marked "C"

That the consideration in said deed was nominal love and affection & not valuable in Law of the father for his children, and without valuable consideration & fraudulent and void as to your complainants, and should be set aside, and that the said land should be sold or rented out to pay the same.

That the said Robt. Rawls is also, ~~indebted~~ the owner of a tract of land in said County, near Smiths ferry and Black waters River & Jno. B. Wiggins containing 210 acres, more or less, which is subject to the judgment lien of said Jones Judgment, and should be sold to pay the same, before the first above named tract should be sold, or rented out for that purpose as the case may be –

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Kilby p. 1

A. N. Jones &c

v. } Chy.

Revd Robt. Rawls &c.

1880 November Term

Cir. Ct. Smith Co.,

that one J. Benson Pretlow, your Complainants understand, obtained a Judgment against said Robt. Rawls at the march Term 1871 of the County Court of said County for $70.20. with Interest from the 1st July 1859, which was duly docketed in the County Court Clerk's office of said County and is a prior lien on said lands, and should be first paid;

In consideration whereof, and this Court having jurisdiction to grant due adequate relief: To the end your Complainants pray that the said Robert Rawls, E. W. Rawls, Geo. Numa Rawls, John R. Rawls, Joseph G. Rawls and Williamstone Rawls, the said Geo. Numa Rawls Trustee for Sarah E. Griffin and the same Geo. Numa Rawls Trustee for Mary A. Rawls, and J. Benson Pretlow, may be made Defendants hereto and answer the allegations herein; that the deed aforesaid from Robt. Rawls to his children dated the 10th day of July 1872, may be declared null & void as to your Complainants, and decreed to be sold to pay their aforesaid demands; that the tract of land of 210 acres more or less may be sold to pay the Judgment lien of your Complainant Jones, and the said Pretlow of the rents nice not pay the same in five years which your Complainants say it nice

not, and that such other and further relief may be granted, consistent with equity &c.

and your complainants will &c.

A. H. Jones,
Z. C. Holland
by John R Cilley atty

Southampton Co. to wit

This day A. H. Jones personally appeared before me a Justice of the peace in & for said county & made oath that the facts set forth in the foregoing bill are as he verily believes true

Given under my hand 19th Feb 1877

J. W. Vaiden J.P.

This Deed made this the 10th day of July 1872, Witnesseth: that for and in consideration of the love and affection which, I, Robert Rawls of the County of Southampton, State of Virginia, have for my Children herein named, and the further sum of one dollar paid to me by them, I, the said Robert Rawls do grant and give absolutely unto my sons E. H. Rawls, George Thomas Rawls, John R. Rawls, Joseph G. Rawls and Williamstress Rawls and also unto Geo: Thomas Rawls, (Trustee) for the sole use and benefit of my daughter Sarah E. Griffin wife, of Thomas Griffin, and unto Geo: Thomas Rawls (Trustee), for the sole use and benefit of my daughter in law Mary A. Rawls wife, of my son R. H. Rawls, the tract of land on which I now live, the said tract containing by estimation two hundred and fifty acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: on the South by the Smithfield road, on the east by the Proctor's Bridge road, North by "Barbecue Swamp," and West by Peacock Swamp. On Condition that the aforesaid tract of land shall be divided according to the value thereof, into seven equal parts, each party as above named to have one seventh thereof, provided that the share, (seventh) allotted to George Thomas Rawls, shall contain on it the buildings and improvements recently made by him - said improvements not to be appraised in the valuation of his share, and further that the share, (seventh) allotted to George Thomas Rawls (Trustee) for the benefit of Mary A. Rawls wife, of R. H. Rawls shall be that portion of the land on which buildings and improvements have recently been made by my son R. H. Rawls, these improvements likewise not to be considered in the valuation of said share - The remainder of said tract five sevenths to be divided by lot or agreement among the parties interested as they themselves may determine. The shares herein allotted to Trustee or Trustees for the benefit of married persons herein named, shall be ~~Provided~~ Construed so as to protect the interest of said persons as if they were "feme-soles," or single women; their husbands not to have any legal interest therein - Granting to the above named parties all my right and title in the aforementioned tract of land, to be held by them in absolute fee simple from the

date of this deed.. I, the aforesaid Robert Rawls do not design hereby to convey away or impair the legal interest ~~of~~ which which my wife Mary Ann holds or may hold in this my real estate.. Witness the following signature and Seal.

Robert Rawls (Seal)

Southampton County: In the Clerk's Office July the 16th 1872. This Deed of Gift from Robert Rawls to E. H. Rawls and others, was this day received and acknowledged by the said Robert Rawls to be his act and deed, and admitted to record. Stamps of the Int: Rev: of the U. S. to the amount of fifty cents, being affixed thereto, and duly cancelled..

Teste, S. R. Edwards C.C.

A Copy,

Teste S. R. Edwards C.C.

Clks fee 46¢

Jones Sr

vs Cr. Pub

Rawls Sr.

Copy posted at front door Ct House
June Co. Ct. 1877.

Virginia.

At Rules held in the Clerks Office of the Circuit Court of Southampton County on the 2d day of June 1877.

Adolphus H. Jones and Zachariah E Holland. Plaintiffs.

against } In Chancery

Robert Rawls. E W Rawls, George Thomas Rawls. John R Rawls. Joseph G Rawls and Williamstone Rawls the said George Thomas Rawls Trustee for Sarah E Griffin and the same George Thomas Rawls Trustee for Mary A. Rawls and J Denson Pretlow. Defendants }

The object of this suit is to have the deed dated the 10th day of July 1872. from Robert Rawls to his children declared null and void as to the plaintiffs and the property thereby conveyed decreed to be sold to pay the plaintiffs demands. And affidavit being made that the Defendants Joseph G. Rawls, Williamstone Rawls and John R Rawls are not residents of the State of Virginia It is ordered that they appear within one month after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest

A Copy,

Teste. L R Edwards C C

Jones &c

vs

Revd. Ro. Rawly

3 Exhibits filed
with the Bill

Feb: 28th 1876.

Jno: R. Kilby Esqr

Dr. Sir:

Yours of the 25th inst. In reply I will state that I am unwilling to take the land mentioned, for the debt due me by Mr Rawls - I wish you to take such action in the matter as may secure the debt or a portion at least. Mr Rawls has been very unjust to me. I have compromised until compromises have ceased to be a virtue. I hope he will take a second thought and meet his pledged obligations.

Resp'ly & Ob't Ser't

A. H. Jones.

P. S. Please show him this.

Britton

vs.

Ro. Rawls

or. Randal Rawls

$20

~~Recd Judgment~~

~~M. Atty Genl~~

March term 1871,

$70.20 with interest from 1 July 1859

Dem on Preston
v
Ro Rains

(1176)

Edwd. Rawle.
& Wife
$100.00

Dec. $100.

1876 Jan. 17, Rec'd fifty six dollars, 19c. in act., &c.

John R. Kirk
Atty.

$100,00. On demand I promise to pay to Zachariah E. Holland or order the just and full sum of one hundred dollars for Value rec'd which payment will and truly to be made which I bind myself my heirs executors &c. firmly by these presents as witness my hand and seal this 9th day of Feb. 1858.

Robt. Lowe (Seal)

J. E. Holland

vs.

Ro. Rawls

Bond for $100.00

Int. from 9 Feb. 1858 to 17

Jan. 1876 — 17 y. 11 m. 8 ds. $107.64

Cr. 17 Jan. 1876 56.19 = $51.45

$151.45

Int. on $100. from 17 Jan. 1876,

VIRGINIA

At rules held in the Clerks Office of the Circuit Court of Southampton County on the 4th day of June 1877.

Adolphus H. Jones, and Zachariah E. Holland Plaintiffs in chancery against Robert Rawls, E. W. Rawls, George Thomas Rawls, defendants [illegible] R. Rawls, Joseph G. Rawls, and Williamston Rawls, the said George Thomas Rawls, Trustee for Sarah E. Griffin, and the same George Thomas Rawls, trustee for Mary A. Rawls, and J. Denson Pretlow.

The object of this suit is to have the deed dated the 10th day of July 1872, from Robert Rawls, to children declared null and void as to the Plaintiff and the property thereby conveyed decreed to be sold for the payment of the Plaintiffs demands and affidavit being made that the defendant Joseph G. Rawls, Williamston Rawls, and John R. Rawls, are not residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they appear within one month after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest.

A Copy,

Teste, L. R. EDWARD, c. c.

J. R. KILBY & SON, p. q.

# Office of the Suffolk Herald,

*Suffolk, Va.,* July 18th 1877

*We hereby certify that the order, of which the annexed is a copy, has been published in the SUFFOLK HERALD in the manner prescribed by law, once a week for four successive weeks.*

*ELAM & [illegible], Eds. Herald.*

Jones Ux
v. } Proof pub
Rawls Ux
1877 July 26
To be filed.

Rawls Joseph G.

"

# The Commonwealth of Virginia,

**TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—GREETING:**

as at another time we have

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON Joseph G. Rawls

if he be found within your bailiwick, to appear at the Clerk's Office of our Circuit Court of Southampton County at the rules to be holden for the said Court, on the first Monday in ~~March~~ April next to answer a bill in Chancery exhibited against him & others in our said Court by Adolphus H. Jones and Zachariah E. Holland

And have then there this writ.

WITNESS, LITTLETON R. EDWARDS, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, this 7th day of ~~February~~ March, 1877, in the 101st year of the Commonwealth.

L R Edwards C C

# The Commonwealth of Virginia,

**TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—GREETING:**

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON as at another time we have Williamstead Rawls

if he be found within your bailiwick, to appear at the Clerk's Office of our Circuit Court of Southampton County at the rules to be holden for the said Court, on the first Monday in ~~March~~ April next to answer a bill in Chancery exhibited against him & others in our said Court by Adolphus H. Jones and Zachariah E. Holland.

And have then there this writ.

WITNESS, LITTLETON R. EDWARDS, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, this 17th day of ~~February~~ March, 1877, in the 101st year of the Commonwealth.

L. R. Edwards C.C.

# The Commonwealth of Virginia,

**TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—GREETING:**

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON as at another time we have John R. Rawls

if he be found within your bailiwick, to appear at the Clerk's Office of our Circuit Court of Southampton County at the rules to be holden for the said Court, on the first Monday in ~~March~~ April next to answer a bill in Chancery exhibited against him & others in our said Court by Adolphus H. Jones and Zachariah E. Holland

And have then there this writ.

WITNESS, LITTLETON R. EDWARDS, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, this 7th day of ~~February~~ March, 1877, in the 101st year of the Commonwealth.

L R Edwards C.C.

Jones & Holland
vs
& Sons

Rawls

1877 March Rules

Came to hand too
late to be Executed
W. A. Dobbs Sh. Ff

# The Commonwealth of Virginia,

**TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—GREETING:**

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON Rev. Robert Rawls, E W Rawls, George Thomas Rawles, John R Rawls, Joseph G Rawls, Williamstone Rawls and the said George Thomas Rawls Trustee for Sarah E Griffin and the said George Thomas Rawls as Trustee for Mary A Rawls and P Dewson Prettlow

if they be found within your bailiwick, to appear at the Clerk's Office of our Circuit Court of Southampton County at the rules to be holden for the said Court, on the first Monday in March next to answer a bill in chancery exhibited against them in our said Court by Adolphus H Jones & Zachariah E Holland

And have then there this writ.

WITNESS, LITTLETON R. EDWARDS, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, this 21st day of February, 187⁷/, in the 101st year of the Commonwealth.

L R Edwards Clk

Executed by delivering Robert Rawls E W Rawls George F Rawls ~~Joseph G Rawls~~ & I. D. Prellow each a copy of this Summons on the 24th day of March 1879, Joseph G. Rawls, Williamson Rawls, & Jno R Rawls are not residents of my County.

A. F. Cobb D.Y. for
W. W. Briggs Shff

Sons of
Sims
vs
Rawls &c
~~Amended~~

1877 April Rules

# The Commonwealth of Virginia,

**TO THE SHERIFF OF SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY—GREETING:**

WE COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON Rev. Robert Rawls E. W. Rawles, George Thomas Rawls as at another time we have John R. Rawls, Joseph G Rawls, Williamston Rawls, and the said George Thomas Rawls as trustee for Sarah E Griffin and as trustee for Mary E Rawls & J. Denson Pretlow

if they be found within your bailiwick, to appear at the Clerk's Office of our Circuit Court of Southampton County at the rules to be holden for the said Court, on the first Monday in April next ____ to answer a bill in Chancery exhibited against them in our said by Adolphus H. Jones & Zachariah E Holland.

And have then there this writ.

WITNESS, LITTLETON R. EDWARDS, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, this 7 day of March, 1877, in the 101 year of the Commonwealth.

L R Edwards cc

Jones &c.

v

Ro. Rawls &c.

affidavit
for
ca. pub.

Sund. ca. sub
6 Dec 1824

Adolphus H. Jones & Zachariah E. Holland

v.

Ro. Rawls & ad.

This day John R Kelly brings into court & makes oath, that he has been informed & believes that the defendants Jn. G. Rawls, William Rawls & John R. Rawls, defendants in the above chancery cause, now pending in Circuit court of Southampton county Circuit Court, Virginia, are non residents of the state of Virginia.

Given under my hand & this May 1877

John R Kelly

Subscribed & Sworn to before me the day & year above written

L R Edwards clk

D.C.

Jones &c.
vs. } In chy.
Rs. Rawls &c

Southampton County
Circuit Court
May Term 1879
Decree
To be entered

Geo. Bloxs.

Jones & al

vs.

Rs. Rawls & al.

This cause came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read therein and on the Report of Sheriff W. W. Briggs, being a Report of sale of land, made in pursuance of a decree of this Court pronounced at the November Term thereof in the year 1878 and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof the Court doth confirm the said Report to which no exception has been filed doth adjudge order and decree that said Sheriff, W. W. Briggs, receive of the Clerk of this Court who will deliver to him and take of him a receipt for the two Bonds of R. H. Rawls with R. M. Bain as his security, each for the sum of $350.00 filed with his said Report and dated the 17th. day of March 1879 and payable to himself eight and sixteen months after date with interest from date, and that said Sheriff collect the principal of said Bonds at their maturity together with all interest due thereon or receive the same before their maturity, should the

obligors desire sooner to pay the same, and with said money when paid or received as aforesaid, pay first all unpaid costs of this cause and then pay to J. D. and S. B. Pretlow, Executors of W. H. Summerlee deceased the sum of $158.97 with interest on $70.20 part thereof from the 16th. day of October 1878 till paid, and then to A. H. Jones the sum of $658.60 with interest on $575.00 part thereof as above, and then to J. E. Holland the sum of $168.08 with interest on $100. part thereof as above, each of the above-named sums of money to be paid in full in the order named above before payment of a subsequent one that being in accordance with their respective priorities; which said claims are the debts due by said R. S. Rawls as shewn by the Report of Commissioner James R. Tyler filed in this cause.

And the Court doth further adjudge order and decree that said Sheriff C. W. Briggs make to said R. H. Rawls a deed with special warranty in the usual form conveying to him the real estate purchased by him under

proceedings had in this cause after payment in full as aforesaid of the principal of said Bonds together with all interest thereon, and make report to Court of his proceedings under this decree

An Account of all the outstanding Judgments &c against Robert Rawls & docketed in the Clerks Office of Southampton County Ct Ct

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| Docketed | J.D. & S.B Prettlow. Extrs of W.H. Summerell dec'd. | | | | |
| Apl 8th | Judgment Vs. R. Rawls for | | 90 | 20 | |
| 1871 | Interest from July 1st 1859 to Oct 26/1878 | | 81 | 37 | |
| | Costs | | 7 | 40 | |
| | Obtained March Term 1871. | | | | 158 97 |
| | County Court. | | | | |
| | A.H. Jones. Judgment against R. Rawls | | | | |
| Docketed | | | 525 | 00 | |
| Nov 13th | Interest from 26th Oct 1874 to 26 Oct 1878 | | 126 | 00 | |
| 1874 | Costs | | 7 | 60 | |
| | Obtained April Term 1874. Cir. Ct | | | | 658 60 |
| | Bond due R. E. Holland. Feby 9th 1858 for | | 100 | 00 | |
| | Int. to Oct Sep. 26th 1878 — 20 yrs. 8 mo 17 d | | 124 | 27 | |
| | | | 224 | 27 | |
| | Paid Jany 17th 1876 | | 56 | 19 | |
| | | | | | 168 08 |
| | | | | | 985 65 |

Respectfully Submitted,

James R Tyler
Commissioner

An account of the Lands referred to the Plaintiffs Bill, to wit, The tract of 250 acres in the County of Southampton, & which was Conveyed by Robert Rawls to his Children, & the Land referred to in said Bill of 210 acres, in said County near Sweets Ferry & Black water River & J.B. Wiggins, Shewing the fee Simple & annual Value of the Land & further what part of said Lands if any have been Set off to either of said Children & the fee Simple and annual Value of the Land.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| A Tract of 250 acres in Beacock Swamp, | | | | |
| | | | an annual Value | fee Simple Value |
| | | | $100 00 | $1175 00 |
| A Tract of 210 acres near Sweets Ferry | | | 00 00 | 130 00 |
| | | | $100 00 | $1805 00 |

No part of said Land have been Set off to either of the Children.

Respectfully Submitted,

James R Tyler
Commissioner.

Commissioners fee $10,00 charged to Plaintiffs

Southampton Circuit Court, November Term 1877.

Adolphus H. Jones & Zachariah E. Holland,
against
Robt Rawls, E. W. Rawls, Gen. Thos Rawls, Jno R.
Rawls, Jos G. Rawls, Williamson Rawls, & the said
Gen Thos Rawls (Trustee) for Sarah E Griffin & the
said Gen. Thos Rawls, as (Trustee) for Mary
A Rawls & Denson Pritchard,

This Cause coming on which the Complainants have proceeded in the manner prescribed by law against absent defendants, as to Joseph G Rawls, Williamson Rawls & John Rawls, Came on to be heard on the Complainants Bill, taken for confessed as to the defendants Robert Rawls, E W Rawls, Gen Thos Rawls, in his own right & as trustee for Sarah E Griffin, & as Trustee for Mary A Rawls, on whom process had been duly executed, & they still failing to appear, & make defence, & on Exhibits filed with said bill & was argued by Counsel, On Consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge, Order & decree, that a Commissioner of this Court take the following accounts,

1st of the debts due said Complaintiffs, Adolphus H Jones & Zachariah E Holland & the defendants J. Denson Pritchard, & their degree & amount,

2d An account of the Lands referred to in said bill, to wit, The tract of 250 acres, in the County of Southampton, Va bounded as follows, On the East by the Smithfield road, On the East by the Proctor's Bridge Road, North by the "Barham Swamp", & on the West by Peacock Swamp, & which said was conveyed by said Robt Rawls by Deed dated the 10th day of July 1872, & filed herein as Exhibit

"C" to his Children E. W. Rawls, Geo. Thos Rawls, John R. Rawls, Joseph G. Rawls, Williamstine Rawls & to Geo. Thos Rawls (Trustee) for Sarah O. Griffin & Mary A. Rawls, & the land referred to in said bill of 210 acres, more or less, in said County near Smith's Ferry & Black Water River & John B. Wiggins, Shewing the fee Simple & annual Value of Same, & further Shewing what part of said lands if any have been Set off to either of said Children, & the fee Simple & annual Value of the Same, & Make report to the Court of his proceedings hereunder, With any Matters Specially Stated, deemed pertinent by himself, or that may be required by any of the parties.

A Copy

Test.

Jas R. Tyler D.C.

Holland

vs.

Rawls

Decree

(Sept. 1875)

I acknowledge Service of the within Motion for and the posting.

R. H. Rawls

A. J. Jones &c als

vs. } Rule &c

Robt Rankin &c als

(Commissioner Tyler)

1878 Oct 26th

**COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,**

Jerusalem, Va., Aug 9th 1878

To Adolphus St. James & Zachariah E. Holland

against

Robt Rawls, E. W. Rawls, Geo. Thos Rawls, Jno. R. Rawls, Jos G. Rawls, Williamson Rawls, & the said Geo. Thos Rawls as Trustee for Mary A. Rawls & J. Lemon Whitley,

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon the 17th day of September next, if fair; if not, the next fair day thereafter (Sunday excepted), to take and settle, at my office, the following accounts, to-wit:

"1st A statement of the debts due said Plffs Adolphus St. James and Zachariah E. Holland & the defendants J. Lemon Whitley and their dignity and amounts—

2nd An account of the lands referred to in said bill, to wit: The tract of 250 acres in the County of Southampton Va. bounded as follows; on the South by the Smithfield road, on the East by the Peter's Bridge Road, North by the 'Barham Swamp' & on the West by Peanut Swamp & which land was Conveyed by said Robt Rawls by Deed dated the 18th day of July 1872 & filed herein as Exhibit "C" to his Children E. W. Rawls, Geo. Thos Rawls, Jno. R. Rawls, Jos G. Rawls, Williamson Rawls & Geo Thos Rawls (Trustee) for Sarah E. Griffin & Mary A. Rawls, & the land referred to in said bill of 210 acres in said County, near Smith's Ferry & Blk water River & W.B. Wiggin

required to be taken by a decree of Southampton ~~County~~ Circuit Court, rendered ~~on~~ at the _____ ~~day of~~ November Term 1877, in a suit in Chancery, depending in said Court, in which you are parties, plaintiffs and defendants; at which time and place you are required to attend.

Given under my hand as Commissioner in Chancery of the said Court, the day and year first aforesaid.

JAMES R. TYLER, COMMISSIONER.

*To the Sheriff of Southampton county to execute.*

Messrs Kelly & Son

Sons &c

re } Proof pub

Rawls

1877 Dec 7th.

file this in A. H.

Sons v. Am. Ass. Co. Rawls

&

A. H. Kelly

T. G. ELAM.—Largest Circulation of any Paper in Nansemond, Isle of Wight, Southampton and Gates Co's.—E. E. HATHAWAY.

Suffolk, Va..... 187

Messrs Kilby & Son.

# To "Suffolk Herald," Dr.

## Newspaper and Job Printing Establishment,

187 WASHINGTON SQUARE NEAR MAIN ST.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| June | 27 | Order for Jones & Holland vs Rawls, 3½ sq, 4t | | $7 00 |

Received Payment of J. Kilby
Elam & Hathaway per Sam D Elmes

Suffolk, Va., Apr 16th 1879

Mr M W Briggs Sheriff Southampton Co

# To SUFFOLK HERALD, Dr.

Book and Job Printing Neatly Executed.

~~DATE~~ 1879 HERALD, $1.50 A YEAR. Orders Solicited.

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| Sec 12 | | To 50 Bills sale R Rawles Land | | | $1.50 |
| | | To Pub. of " " " " | | | |
| | | 5 Inches 3 Times in Herald | | | 6.00 |
| | | | | | $7.50 |

Paid Thos. J. Edwards

Jones & Holland

To Copy Deeds

Mails &c

Printing Bill

$7,50

Southampton Circuit Court, November Term 1878.

Adolphus H Smith & Zachariah E Holland, Pffs.
against
Robert Randy & als, Defts. } In Chancery

This Cause Came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read therein and on the Report of Comrs. James R. Tyler, being a Report of debts, Made in pursuance of a decree of this Court, pronounced at the November Term thereof in the year 1877, in this Cause, & Was argued by Counsel, On Consideration Whereof the Court doth Confirm the said Report to Which no exceptions have been filed, & With the Consent of the defendants doth adjudge, Order and decree, that the Deed executed on the 10th day of July 1872, by said Robert Randy and duly recorded in the Clerks Office, of the County Court of Southampton County Virginia, on the said day, Whereby said Robert Randy Conveys unto his Children as Specified therein the real Estate described in said Deed, be and the said Deed is hereby declared to be Null and Void, & of no effect, and is hereby Set aside, Cancelled and annulled, and the Court doth further adjudge order and decree, that W W Briggs Sheriff of said County, of Southampton, proceed to Sell at public auction, before the Circuit Court door of said County, on the same Court day the real Estate of Which said Robert Randy, is Seized & possessed, Consisting of two tracts of land, described and bounded as follows,

1st A tract of Land on Which said Robert Randy resides, Situated in said County, and Containing by estimation, two hundred and fifty acres, More or

less, and bounded on the South by the County road, leading to Providence, Virginia, on the East by the road, leading to Proctor's Bridge, on the West by the "Bartonew Swamp" and on the West by the "Peacock Swamp".

2nd. A tract of Land situated in Said County, & Containing two hundred & ten acres, more or less, being near Smith's Ferry and Blackwater River, and John B. Wiggins, and that Said Sheriff Sell Said Tracts of Land, on a Credit of Eight, & Sixteen Months, except as to a Sufficient part of the purchase Money to pay the Costs of this Suit, to be fixed by the Clerk of this Court, and the expenses of the Sale, which he will acquire in Cash, and apply in payment of Said Costs, and expenses, and that Said Sheriff take of the purchaser of Said Land, two Separate Bonds for the residue of Said purchase Money, in equal Sums Waiving the benefit of the Homestead exemption, & with good personal Security and payable to himself Eight, & Sixteen Months, from and after the day of Sale, with interest from that day and retain the title to Said Land, until further Order of Court, and that Said Sheriff before proceeding to Sell Said tracts of Land, advertise the time, place & terms of the Sale, and the Land to be Sold by publication of the Notice thereof, Once a week for three Successive weeks in the "Suffolk Herald," a Newspaper published in the Town of Suffolk, Virginia, and for at least thirty days previously to the Sale by printed Notices to be posted at Said Court House door, and at Various Conspicuous places in Said County, and in the Neighborhood of Said tracts of Land, and that Said Sheriff Make report to Court of his proceedings under this decree, filing therewith Said Bonds & all proper Vouchers of payments

in pursuance hereof.

A Copy Teste,

James K Tyler, D.C

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| Clks Costs | | $15 00 |
| Sh. | 4 00 | |
| Com. Tyler | 10 00 | |
| Saw & | 16 50 | |
| Pr. Pub | 7 00 | $52 50 |

# VALUABLE LAND IN SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY FOR SALE.

By authority of a decree of the Circuit court of Southampton county, Virginia, pronounced at the November term thereof, in the year 1878, in a cause in chancery in said court depending between Adolphus H. Jones and others, Plaintiffs, and Robert Rawls and others, Defendants, the undersigned will sell at public auction, before the Courthouse door of said county,

## AT JERUSALEM,

## On Monday, March 17th, 1879,

(being County court day), the following real estate of which said Robert Rawls is seised and possessed:

1. A TRACT OF LAND, on which said Rawls resides, situated in said county, and containing 250 acres, more or less, and bounded on the south by the county road leading to Smithfield, Va.; east by the road leading to Proctor's Bridge; north by "Barbecue Swamp," and west by "Seacock Swamp." This tract of land is one mile from Ivor Depot, on the A., M. & O. Railroad; has on it a good two-story dwelling and necessary outhouses; is good peanut land, and can be easily cultivated with two horses.

2. A TRACT OF LAND, also in said county, containing 210 acres, more or less, being near Smith's Ferry on Nottoway river, and near Blackwater river and John B. Wiggins'. This tract of land is all woodland, having on it an excellent growth of timber.

TERMS: Enough of the purchase-money to pay costs of suit and expenses of sale will be required in cash, and for the residue two separate bonds in equal sums, waiving homestead, with good personal security, and payable eight and sixteen months after date, with interest from day of sale. Title will be retained until further order of court.

**W. W. BRIGGS, Sheriff.**

DECEMBER 12, 1878.

To the Circuit Court of Southampton County, Virginia

In pursuance of a decree of said Court pronounced at the November Term thereof in the year 1878 in a cause in Chancery in said Court depending between Adolphus W. Jones and others, Plaintiffs, and Robert Rawls and others, Defendants, a copy of said decree being hereunto annexed, the undersigned, Special Commissioner, appointed by said decree for the purposes therein named, respectfully reports to Court, that as directed by said decree, he advertised the land of Robert Rawls for sale on the terms and conditions and according to the directions of said decree and on the 17th. day of March 1879 sold said lands before the Courthouse door of said County at public auction, (that day being County Court day) to Richard W. Rawls, he being the highest bidder, for the sum of $800 on the land sold being the following tracts: 1. A tract of land on which said Robert Rawls resides, situated in said County and containing by estimation two hundred and fifty acres, more or less, and bounded on the South by the County road leading to Smithfield, Virginia, on the East by the road leading to Proctor's Bridge, on the South by "Barbacue Swamp" and on the West by "Peacock Swamp": and 2. A tract of land also in said County and containing two hundred and ten

acres, more or less, being near Smiths Ferry on Nottoway River and near Blackwater River and John B. Briggins'

The following statement will more fully shew the transaction of your Commissioner

Statement.

By purchase-price for which said lands sold as aforesaid, $800 00

Of which said Richard W. Rawls the purchaser paid in cash the sum of — $100.00

Which has been disbursed by your Commissioner as follows:

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| To paid L.R. Edwards, Clerk's costs, per rect. | $ 15 | 00 | |
| " " W.W. Briggs, Sheriff's " " | 4 | 00 | |
| " " Jas. R. Tyler, Comr. " " | 10 | 00 | |
| " " Wilbur J. Killy, Atty. " " | 16 | 50 | |
| " " Suffolk Herald, for order of Publication — per rect. | 7 | 00 | |
| " " F. de Bordenave, auctioneer " | 10 | 00 | |
| " " Thos. G. Elam, for advertisements of sale, per rect. | 7 | 50 | |
| " fee for deed to purchaser of land. | 5 | 00 | |
| " 5 per cent Comn. on $300. | 15 | 00 | |
| " 2 do. " on $500 | 10 | 00 | = $100 00 |
| Balance | | | $ 700 00 |

To Bond of R. W. Rawls, with R.M. Bain security, dated 17th. March 1879 and payable eight months after date with interest from date for $350 00

To Bond of same parties dated same day and payable sixteen months after date with interest from date, for $350 00 = $700 00

Both of said Bonds are herewith filed.

Respectfully submitted this 17th. day of April 1879.

W W Briggs Com

1879 April 17th. Received of W. H. Briggs Sheriff. the respective sums of money charged as paid to us in the foregoing statement, and set opposite our names as follows:

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| Wilbur F. Killy. | Atty. fee | $ 16.50 |
| S R Edwards | " Clerk | 15 00 |
| James R Tyler | Commissioner in Chancery | 10 00 |
| W H Briggs | Sheriff | 4 00 |
| T. D. Borden | auctioneer | 10 00 |

See other receipts at the head of this Report.

1879 Jan. 6th. Received of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Southampton County the two Bonds of R. W. Rawls & R. W. Bain each for $350.00 filed with and described in the foregoing Report and dated the 17th. March 1879 and payable 8 and 16 months after date with interest from date. - received under decree of May Term 1879 of said Court in the Chancery cause of A. H. Jones &al. vs. Ro. Rawls &al.

W H Briggs Shff

A. W. Jones et al.

vs. } In Chy.

Ro. Rawls et al.

Report of Sale

17 April 1879

1879 April 21st filed

Southampton Circuit Court, May Term 1879.

A. H. Jones & others  Plffs.
against  In Chancery
Robt Rawls & others  Defts

This Cause Came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read, and on the report of Sheriff W.W. Briggs, being a report of Sale of Land, Made in pursuance of a decree of this Court pronounced at this November Term thereof, in the year 1878, and was argued by Counsel; On Consideration whereof the Court doth Confirm the said report, to which no exception has been filed, and doth adjudge, order and decree that Said Sheriff, W.W. Briggs receive of the Clerk of this Court, who is directed to him, and take of him a receipt for the two Bonds of R.H. Rawls with R.M. Bain as his Security, each for the Sum of $350 filed with his said report, and dated the 17th day of March 1879, and payable to himself Eight and Sixteen Months after date, With interest from date, and that Said Sheriff Collect the principal of said Bonds at their Maturity together with all interest due thereon, or receive the same before their Maturity, should the Obligors desire so to pay the same, and with said Money when paid or received as aforesaid, pay first all Unpaid Costs of this Cause, and then pay to J.D. & S.B. Pretlow Executors of W.H. Summerwell dec'd. the Sum of $158.97 With interest on $71.22 part thereof from the 26th day of October 1878, till paid, and then to A.H. Jones the Sum of $158.10 With interest on $5.25 part thereof as above, and then to J.E. Holland, the Sum of $168.08 With interest on $100 part thereof, as above, each of the above named Sums of Money to be paid in full in the Bonds named

ation, before payment of a Subsequent One that being
in accordance with their respective priorities Which
said Claims and the debts due by said Robt
Rants as shown by the Repot of Commissioner James
R. Tyler, filed in this cause,
And the Court doth further adjudge, Order and decree,
that said Sheriff A. W. Briggs make to said
R. H. Rents a Deed with Special Warrant
in the usual form conveying to him the
real Estate purchased by him under proceed-
ings had in this cause, after payment in full
as aforesaid, of the principal of said Bond
together with all interest thereon, and make
report to Court of his proceedings under this decree.

A Copy.

Costs Complt Fee final decree $ 17.50 Test, J. R. Tyler D.C.

A. H. Jones et al

vs. } In Chy.

Robt. Rawls et al.

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Report of collections
and payments
8 May 1880

1880 Aug. 17 filed

To the Circuit Court of Southampton County, Virginia:

In pursuance of a decree of said Court pronounced at the May Term thereof in the year 1879 in a cause in Chancery in said Court depending between A. H. Jones and others, Plaintiffs and Robert Rawls and others, Defendants, a copy of which decree is hereunto annexed; the undersigned respectfully reports to Court that he has received of the Clerk of said Court the two Bonds of R. H. Rawls with R. M. Bain as security each for the sum of $350.00 and dated the 17th. day of March 1879 and payable eight and sixteen months after date with interest from date, which said Bonds were filed with the papers in said cause, and that he has collected the principal of said Bonds and all interest due thereon and has paid all costs of said cause and with the remainder of the money has paid to J. Denson and Sam. B. Pretlow Executors of W. H. Summerse deceased, the sum of $100. which they have accepted in full of their claim of $158.97 against said Robt. Rawls, and to A. H. Jones the sum of $532.60 which he has accepted in full of his claim of $658.60 against said Robt. Rawls,

and to J. E. Holland the sum of $96.56 which he has accepted in full of his claim of $168.08 against said Robt. Rawls, thus leaving no balance in the hands of the undersigned, as will appear by the following statement and the receipts thereunto annexed:

Statement.

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| By Amt. in full of the principal of said two Bonds of said R. H. Rawls each for $350. = | | $700.00 |
| By Interest on the same. | | 41.66 |
| Total = | | $741.66 |
| To paid W. J. Kilby for writing deed conveying to the purchaser the land sold under proceedings in said cause. | $ 5.00 | |
| " " L. R. Edwards, Clerk, his costs taxed to a final decree. | 7.50 | 12.50 |
| | | $729.16 |
| To paid J. Denson & Saml. B. Retlow Executors of W. H. Summerelle deceased, in full of their claim of $158.97, per rect. | $100.00 | |
| " " A. H. Jones in full of his claim of $658.60, per rect. | 532.60 | |
| " " J. E. Holland in full of his claim of $168.08, per rect. | 96.56 | = 729.16 |

And your Commissioner further reports to Court that he has made a deed with special warranty in the usual form to said R. H. Rawls conveying to him the real estate purchased by him under proceedings had in said cause.

Respectfully submitted this 8th. day of May 1880.

W. W. Bickett Comr. & Ref'ee

1880 May 8th. Received of W. W. Briggs Sheff. and Comr. the respective sums of money charged as paid to us in the foregoing Report and statement in full of our respective claims mentioned therein and set opposite our names as follows:

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| Wilbur J. Kilby for deed | $ 5 00 |
| L R Edwards clerk for | 7 50 |
| L D T. S.B. Prettow exr &c | 100 00 |
| A. H. Jones by Wilbur J. Kilby Atts. | 532 60 |
| J. E. Holland by Wilbur J. Kilby Atts. | 96 56 |

Jones & Holland

v

Ro. Rawls sol.

1877

Nov 21

1st decree for acct.

To be entered

Geo. K Blow.

Jones &c.

vs.

Rawls &al.

This cause in which the Complainants have proceeded in the manner prescribed by Law as to Joseph G. Rawls, Williamston Rawls, & John R. Rawls, against absent Defendants & came on to be heard on the Complainants' Bill taken for confessed as to the Defendants Robert Rawls, E. W. Rawls, Geo. Numa Rawls, in his own right & as Guardian for Sarah E. Griffin & as Guardian for Mary A. Rawls on whom process had been duly executed & they still failing to appear & make defence, & on Exhibits filed with said Bill was argued by Counsel: On consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge, order & decree that a Commissioner of this Court, Take the following accounts, to wit of the debts due said Plaintiffs Adolphus H. Jones & Zachariah E. Holland & the Defendant J. Lennon Peeler and and their dignity and amount:

2d. an account of the Lands referred to in said Bill, to wit: The tract of 250 acres in the County of Southampton Va: bounded as follows: On the South by the Smithfield road: on the East by the Proctors Bridge road: North by the "Barbaree Swamp" & on the west by Peacock Swamp, & which Land was assigned by said Robert Rawls by deed dated the 10th day of July 1872, & filed herein as Exhibit "C": to his Children E. W. Rawls, Geo. Numa Rawls, John R. Rawls, Joseph G. Rawls, Williamston Rawls, & to said Geo.

Thomas Rawls as trustee for Sarah E. Ruffin and Mary A. Rawls; & the land referred to in said Bill of 210 acres more or less, in said County near Smiths Ferry and Black Water River & John B. Wiggins, shewing the fee simple & annual value of the same and further shewing what part of said lands if any, have been set off to either of said children and the fee simple & annual value of the same; and make report to the Court of his proceedings hereunder with any matters specially stated, deemed pertinent by himself or that may be required by any of the parties

Jones & Holland

vs

Ro. Rauh sol.

1877

Nov 21

1st decree for Pltf.

To be entered

Geo. K Blow.

Jones & Holland

vs.

Ro. Rawls & als.

This cause came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read therein and on the Report of Commissioner, James R. Tyler, being a Report of debts etc. made in pursuance of a decree of this court pronounced at the November Term thereof in the year 1877, in this cause and was argued by Counsel.

On consideration whereof the Court doth confirm the said Report to which no exception has been filed with the consent of the defendants and doth adjudge, order and decree that ~~W. W. Briggs, Sheriff of Southampton County, Virginia, proceed to sell at public auction before the Courthouse door of said County, on some court day and on a credit of eight and six-teen months, the real estate of which Robert Rawls is seized and possessed~~ the deed executed on the 16th. day of July 1872 by said Robert Rawls and duly recorded in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Southampton County, Virginia,

on the same day, whereby said Robert Rawls conveys unto his children as specified therein the real estate described in said deed, &c, and the said deed is hereby declared to be null and void, and of no effect and said, and is hereby set aside, cancelled and annulled. And the Court doth further adjudge order and decree that W. W. Briggs, Sheriff of said County of Southampton, proceed to sell at public auction before the Courthouse door of said County on some Court-day ~~on Some Court day and on a credit of eight and sixteen months, except as otherwise herein specified~~, the real estate of which said Robert Rawls is seised and possessed consisting of two tracts of land described and bounded as follows: 1. a tract of land on which said Robert Rawls resides situated in said County and containing by estimation two hundred and fifty acres more or less and bounded on the South by the County road leading to Smithfield, Virginia, on the East by the road leading to Proctor's Bridge, on the South by "Barbacue Swamp" and on the West by Peacock Swamp.

2. a tract of land situated in said county and containing two hundred and ten acres, more or less, being near Smiths Ferry and Blackwater River and John B. Wiggins; and that said Sheriff sell said tracts of ~~land~~ land on a credit of Eight and sixteen months, except as to a sufficient part of the purchase-money to pay the costs of this suit to be taxed by the clerk of this court and the expenses of the sale which he will require in cash and apply in payment of said costs and expenses, and that said Sheriff take of the purchaser of said land two separate Bonds for the residue of said purchase-money in equal sums waiving the benefit of the homestead exemption and with good personal security and payable to himself, eight and sixteen months from and after the day of sale with interest from that day; and that said Sheriff before proceeding to sell said tracts of land, advertise the time, place, and terms of the sale and the land to be sold and retain the title to said land until further order of court; ~~for at least thirty days previously to the day of sale~~, by publication of the notice thereof once a week for three successive weeks in the "Suffolk Herald" a newspaper published in

the Town of Suffolk, Virginia, and for at least thirty days previously to the sale by printed notices to be posted at ~~the~~ said courthouse door ~~said county~~ and at various conspicuous places in said county and in the neighborhood of said tracts of land; and that said Sheriff make report to Court of his proceedings under this decree, filing therewith said Bonds and all proper vouchers of payments in pursuance hereof.

James O'Holland
vs.
Robert Rawls &als

Amended Term 1878
Southampton County
Circuit Court.
Decree
To be entered
Yeas: Thos.

A. H. Jones dal.

vs. } In Chy.

Ro. Rawls dal.

Nov. Term 1880

Southampton County

Circuit Court

Final decree

To be entered

Geo. Bloxom.

A. H. Jones Dal
vs.
Robt. Rawls Dal

This cause came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read therein and on the Report of W. W. Briggs, Sheriff and Commissioner, being a Report of collections and payments filed on the 17th. day of August A. D. 1880 and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof the Court doth confirm the said Report to which no exception has been filed and doth adjudge order and decree that the proceedings had in this cause be and they are hereby declared to be final and binding between the parties, and nothing more remaining to be done in this cause the Court doth order that the same be removed from the docket.

Statement

A. H. Jones vs. Rv. Rawls.

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| 1869 Feb. 20. Bal. as apears & all cancelled on 26 Oct 1874, except | | $525.00 |
| Int. from 26th Oct. 1874 to 26th Jany 1877 — 2 yrs. 3 mos. | | 69 87 |
| Balance due | | $594.87 |
| + costs | | 7 60 |
| | | $602 47 |
| Int. on $525.00 from 26th Jany 1877. | | |

Southampton Circuit Court October Term 1874.

Adolphus H. Jones Plaintiff
against
Robert Rawls Defendant } In Debt

The judgment obtained at the Rules not having been set aside and the plaintiff being now entitled to a final judgment, it is therefore, Considered that the plaintiff recover against the defendant nine hundred and thirty five dollars and fifty cents, the debt in the declaration mentioned, with legal interest thereon, from the 11th day of January 1859, till paid, and his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

This judgment is to be credited for all except Five hundred and twenty five dollars, with legal interest thereon from Oct: 26th 1874, till paid.

Pffs Costs $7.60

A Copy, Teste, J.R. Edwards C.C.

1874 Nov: 13th docketed.

Clks fee 30¢

$935.50. With interest from date I promise to pay or Cause to be paid unto Adolphus H. Jones his heirs or assigns the Sum of Nine hundred and thirty five dollars and fifty one Cents for value received for the payment of which well and truly to be made I bind myself, my heirs, Executors and administrators jointly and Severally, firmly by these presents. Witness my hand and Seal the 11th day of January 1859.

Teste
Randolph Rawls.

Rob't Rawls (Seal)

Know all men that I hereby agree by Compromise to receive Fifty Cents to the Dollar on the above bond.

Witness my hand and Seal this 20th day of February 1869.

A. H. Jones (Seal)

— Credit this Bond with all except $5.35-
Int from 26. Oct. 1874.

John R. Kilby P. D.

March 2nd 1861 Received Two hundred and forty two dollars in part of the within.

A. H. Jones

Feb. 20, 1869. Received One Hundred dollars in part of the within.

A. H. Jones.

1873 Dec. 20th Rec'd Twenty five dollars in part of the within.

A. H. Jones.

Acctg.

Teste, S. R. Edwards C.C.

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Jones & Holland

v. } Stat. Rules

Rawls

Clk. // 15.00
Sheff 4.00
Com Tyler 10.00
Law fee 4c 16.50
// 43.50
Cr. Pub 7.00
// 36.50

# In Southampton Circuit Court

Adolphus H Jones & Zachariah E Holland Plaintiffs
against
Robert Rawls E W Rawls, Geo Thomas Rawls, John R Rawls, Joseph G Rawls, Williamston Rawls, and the said George Thomas Rawls Trustee for Sarah E Griffin and the said George Thomas Rawls as Trustee for Mary A Rawls & J Dennis Pretlow Defendants — } In Chancery.

1877 Febry 21 Summons issued
" March R. Sum. Ret. not Executed. New Process awarded
" Apl " " Ret. Executed on Robt. Rawls E W Rawls, George Rawls & J. D. Pretlow — Jo G. Rawls Williamson Rawls, & Jno. R. Rawls not residents — Bill filed D. Nisi v Dfts. Robert. E W & Geo. Rawles — & J. D. Pretlow
" May " Bill taken for confessed as to Dfts. Robert. E W & George Rawls & J. D. Pretlow & Cause set for hearing as to them —
" June " Or Pub v Dfts Jo G., Williamston & Jno. R. Rawls
" Nov T. Decree for Accounts.

1879 May - Decree to collect & pay out &c
1880 Nov - Removed from Docket