1916-009
Nansemond Co (Suffolk) Chancery Causes: Continental Cider Co vs Rep of T. J. Thompson et al

Daly, Rawles, Gayle, Saunders, Riddick, Thomas, Carr, Parker,
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Guano Co I, E L Woodward & Co I, C Reed & Co I, Williams, Martin & Gray I,
Hatton, May Pincus & Co I, Shoop Withers Co I, Joseph P Hall, Inc I,
Matthews, W R Milteer & Bro I, R W Baker & Co I Hall

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Continental Cider Company, Inc
vs.
A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.

Received of R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, Special Commissioners, in the above entitled cause the sum of $104.50.

R. H. Baker & Co

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Continental Cider Company, Inc
vs
A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als

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Received of R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, Special Commissioners, in the above entitled cause the sum of $ S. P. January.

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Continental Cider Company, Inc
vs.
A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.

Received of R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, Special Commissioners, in the above entitled cause the sum of $3028.

W. E. Parker Jr.

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Continental Cider Company, Inc
vs.
A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.

Received of R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, Special Commissioners, in the above entitled cause, the sum of $3.67

Jos. D. Hall, Inc.
Jos. D. Hall (Personal)
By. Wm Ballard

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Continental Cider Company, Inc.
vs
A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.

Received of R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, Special Commissioners, in the above entitled cause the sum of $7.06.

H. C. Mathews

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Continental Cider Company, Inc
vs.
A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als

Received of R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, Special Commissioners, in the above entitled cause the sum of $6,773

W. R. Miller & Bro.

Continental Cider Company, Inc.
vs
A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.

Received of R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, Special Commissioners, in the above entitled cause the sum of $ 22.81 .

R W Baker & Co

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Continental Cider Company, Inc
vs
A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als

Received of R. H. Rawles and S. T. Everett, Special Commissioners, in the above entitled cause the sum of $ 4.33 .

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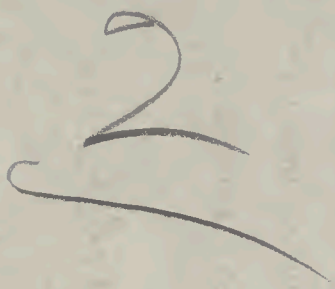
1915 Sept. 11.

Received of R.H.Rawles and S.E.Everett,Special Commissioners, fifteen ($15.) dollars in full of fee for making up report as Commissioner in Chancery in thr suit of Continental Cider Co. v. A. H. Baker et als.

Bradford Tilby

Comr. in Chancery.



$ 1000.00 On Demand after date, with legal interest from date until paid, payable annually

I bind myself heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, to pay to C. Gayle his heirs or assigns, the sum of One Thousand xxx DOLLARS, for value received; and I hereby waive the benefit of my Homestead Exemption as to this debt, obligation and contract.

Secured by deed of trust on real estate in Chuckluck, Va., Va. Trustee.

Witness my hand and seal this 4th day of November, 1914

Witness: J. J. Thompson (SEAL.)

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$100. Paid on Principal Dec. 10, 1915 C. Gayle

$25. Everett Sexton Collection in full

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Continental Cider Company

vs

A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als

Received of S. M. Everett and Judge R.N. Rawles, Special Commissioners in the above entitled suit the sum of $84.53.

The Continental Cider Company

By J. Everett Rees

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Suffolk, Va. Aug. 9, 1915.

Received of S. E. Everett and R. H. Rawles, Special Commissioners, in the case of Continental Cider Company vs. A. H. Baker, Sheriff, the following sums:

For writing deed.....$10.00

Commissions.....21.00

Taxed attorneys' fee.....15.00

R H Rawles.

S E Everett

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Continental Cider Company, Inc
vs.
A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.

Received of R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, Special Commissioners, in the above entitled cause, the sum of $15.57

W H Hatton

Continental Cider Company

vs.

A. H. Baker, Adm'r et als

Received of R. H. Rawls and S. E. Everett, Special Commissioners in the above entitled suit, as attorney for the following creditors, the following sums placed after their names:

Piedmont Mt. Airy Guano Company	$16.72
Home Telephone Company	1.65
Williams, Martin & Gray	4.96
Dr. J. Shelton Horsely	20.70
A. B. Abbitt & Company	6.60
Max Pincus & Company	7.41
C. Read & Company	20.60
E. L. Woodard & Company	33.86
W. A. Hollowell	15.57

J. E. Everett Atty
for the above named creditors

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Received of R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, Speeial Commissioners in the suit of Continental Cider Company, Inc. vs A. H. Baker, Adm'r et als., the sum of two dollars for advertisement.

Suffolk Herald Corporation

By W. J. Kendrick.

Continental Cider Company, Inc
vs.
A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als

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Received of R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, Special Commissioners, in the above entitled cause the sum of $5.00

J. Wall Barrier

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R. L. WOODWARD
W. G. ELAM

SUFFOLK, VA., July 28 1916

M R & R Realty Co & S E Ennett, Sole Comm
Enclosure Receipts VS Att'y Baker, Phy

To WOODWARD & ELAM, Dr.

Life, Fire, Accident,
Steam Boiler,
Employers' Liability,
Fidelity, Health.

Insurance

OFFICE, -- No. 526 MAIN STREET.

Date	Policy No.	Company	Property Insured	Term	Amount	Premium
1915 July 13	146871	U. S. Fid & Co	Bond	1 yr	900	5

July 28th 1916 Paid
Woodward & Elam

Everett v. Hutton ..... p. q.

Copy of Costs
Taxed in the Suit of:

Continental Oils Co. Inc.
vs.
Chancery
A. H. Baker, Shf. et als.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF NANSEMOND COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Writ Tax	1 50
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Sheriff	9 50
Attorney	5 00
Commissioner	
	$26.01
Printer, for Order of Publication, etc.	

Date of Judgment or Final Decree 191

Paid July 28, 191 E. E. Boone, Clerk

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Of	dues	Bal. due
R. E. Parker	11.77	42.05
J. Shelton Horsley	14.00	11.77
		30.28
A. B. Abbott	4.46	15.95
		4.46
Home Del. Co.	1.12	11.49
Piedmont Mt Dairy	10.92	
E. L. Woodward	22.89	
C. Read	13.93	
Williams Martin Bros.	3.36	
W. H. Hatton	9.47	
Max Pincus	5.01	
Shoop-Withers	2.92	
Jos. P. Hall Inc.	5.75	
Jos. P. Hall	3.09	
W. C. Matthews	4.77	
Cider Co.	32.87	
W. R. Miller	4.21	
R. W. Baker & Co.	15.54 81	
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R. E. Parker, 27.

Fee-simple $750.
Rent, store $5. house $2. 7

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Continental Cedar Co Inc.
v.
T. J. Thompson
$109. 95 Dft. from Mar. 23. 1914 + $7. 45 costs.
Rendered June 5. 1914
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TO GEORGE E. BUNTING, ESQ., CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF NANSEMOND COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

Continental Cider Company, Incorporated,
who sues on behalf of itself, and such other
creditors of T. J. Thompson, deceased, who
shall come in and seek relief by and contribute to the expenses of this suit.....Complainants.

vs.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff of Nansemond County, and, as such, personal representative of T. J. Thompson, deceased, R. H. Rawles, Trustee, E. C. Gayle, J. R. Saunders, Trustee, W.T. Thompson, Maude Thompson, Cora Daily, J. H. Daily, Georgia Daily, W. C. Daily, Christopher C. Thompson, Hersey Thompson, Odell Thompson, Theodore Thompson, John L. Thompson, Ruth Thompson, the last six defendants being under the age of twenty-one years.....Defendants.

Issue summons to Second (Third Monday) Rules in April, 1915.

Everett Hutton p.q.

W. T. Thompson and Maude Thompson — 521 4th. St. Atlantic City

C. C. Thompson — " " " " # " Norfolk, Va.

MEMORANDUM.

CHANCERY SUMMONS.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA.

TO THE SHERIFF OF NANSEMOND COUNTY—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON A. H. Baker, Sheriff of Nansemond County, and, as such, personal representative of T. J. Thompson, deceased, R.H.Rawles, Trustee, E. C. Gayle, J.R.Saunders, Trustee, W. T. Thompson, Maud Thompson, Cora Daily, J.H.Daily, Georgia Daily, W. C. Daily, Christopher C. Thompson, Hersey Thompson, Odel Thompson, Theodore Thompson, John H. Thompson, Hugh Thompson, the last six defendants being under the age of twenty-one years

to appear at the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, at the Rules to be held for the said Court, on the Third Monday in April, 1915, to answer a Bill in Chancery, exhibited against them in the said Court by Continental Cider Company, Incorporated, who sues on behalf of itself, and such other creditors of T.J.Thompson, deceased, who shall come in and seek relief by and contribute to the expense of this suit

And have then and there this summons.

Witness. G. E. Bunting, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this 10th day of April, 19 15, in the 139th year of the Commonwealth.

~~A copy~~ ~~Teste~~:

....., ~~Clerk.~~

Teste:

G. E. Bunting, Clerk.

By Kate Parker, D. C.

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....CONTINENTAL Cider Co., Inc.

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vs. } In Chancery.

....A. H. Baker, Sheriff.....
and others

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....April.....Rules.

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NANSEMOND COUNTY COURT,

Process Book, No....3..

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Executed this...17th...day of...April..., 1915~by delivering a true copy of the within process to C.W.Baker, Thos. E. Baker, B.H.Baker, J.P. Saunders, Lewis, Curtis, Chas. Baker, J.H.Baker, Thos. Thompson, Chas. Thompson, Thos. Thompson, Jr., Chas. Thompson, J. Rudd Thompson, Jr., and Thos. Lawrence, defendants, in person, in the County of Nansemond, State of Virginia.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff.

CHANCERY SUMMONS.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA.

TO THE/SHERIFF SERGEANT CITY OF NORFOLK —GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON A. H. Baker, Sheriff of Nansemond County, and, as such, personal representative of T. J. Thompson, deceased, R. H. Rawles, Trustee, E. C. Gayle, J.R.Saunders, Trustee, W. T. Thompson, Maud Thompson, Cora Daily, J.H.Daily, Georgia Daily, W. C. Daily, Christopher C. Thompson, Hersey Thompson, Odel Thompson, Theodore Thompson, John L. Thompson, Hugh Thompson, the last six defendants being under the age of twenty-one years

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And have then and there this summons.

Witness. G. E. Bunting, Clerk of our said Court, at his office, this 10th day of April, 19 15, in the 139th year of the Commonwealth.

Attest: ..... Clerk

Teste: G. E. Bunting, Clerk.
By Kate Parker, D. C.

Executed in the City of Norfolk, Va.,
this the 13 day of April 1915 by
serving a Copy hereof on

Maud Thompson

IN PERSON.

C. L. HUDGINS,
Sergt. City of Norfolk, Va.
By Geo. Q. Fitch Deputy.

Not finding W. P. Thompson
Christopher C. Thompson at
their usual place of abode I
executed the within in the
City of Norfolk Va this
13th day of April 1915 by
delivering a copy hereof to
Maud Thompson she
being then there a member
of their family and over the
age of 16 years, and giving
information of its import
to her

C. L. Hudgins
City Sergeant
By Geo. Q. Fitch
Deputy

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Continental Cider Co., Inc.

vs. } In Chancery.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff & als.

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Dft fee 1.50 Paid
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Executed this.....day of.....19 1... by delivering a true copy of the within process
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CHANCERY SUMMONS.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA.

TO THE ~~SHERIFF OF NANSEMOND COUNTY~~ SERGEANT OF CITY OF SUFFOLK—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON A. H. Baker, Sheriff of Nansemond County, and, as such, personal representative of T. J. Thompson, deceased, R.H.Rawles, Trustee, E. C. Gayle, J.R.Saunders, Trustee, W. T. Thompson, Maud Thompson, Cora Daily, J.H.Daily, Georgia Daily, W. C. Daily, Christopher C. Thompson, Hersey Thompson, Odel Thompson, Theodore Thompson, John L. Thompson, Hugh Thompson, the last six defendants being under the age of twenty-one years

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~~A copy—Teste~~:

Clerk.

Teste:

G. E. Bunting, Clerk.

By Kate Parker, D. C.

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Continental Cider Co., Inc.

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NANSEMOND COUNTY COURT,

Process Book, No...3...

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Executed this 12th day of April, 1915, by delivering a true copy of the within process to A.H.Baker, Sheriff, Nansemond County, Va. at the C.C.House, in said County, on the 12th day of April, 1915.

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Amos. Hefner
his Hands on
S.S. Garcia
Aug 14, 1915

TO THE HONORABLE CIRCUIT COURT OF NANSEMOND COUNTY.

Continental Cider Company, Incorporated.....Complainant.

vs.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.....Defendants.

The undersigned, Special Commissioners, duly appointed by your Honor in the above-entitled cause by decree entered on the 12th. day of July, 1915, respectfully submits the following report:

Your Commissioners, in accordance with your Honor's decree entered on the 3rd. day of August, 1915, upon payment to them by I. P. January, purchaser at the said sale duly reported in these proceedings, of the sum of six hundred dollars, conveyed to him with special warranty the land described in said decree last above mentioned and disbursed the said sum of six hundred dollars as follows:

Land sold on July 31st to I. P. January for.....			$600.00
Paid C. E. Bunting, Clerk.....		$21.01 1	
" Bradfor Kilby, Commissioner in Chancery.....		15.00 2	
" Suffolk Herald Corporation for advertisement...		2.00 3	
" J. Walter Hosier, Auctioneer.....		5.00 4	
" Woodward & Blair, bond.....		5.00 5	
" R. H. Pawles & S. T. Everett, commissions.....		21.00 6	
" S. T. Everett & R. H. Pawles, writing deed.....		10.00 7	
" Taxed attorneys' fee.....		15.00 8	
" C. R. Fulgham, Treasurer, taxes for 1915 to August 1st.....		3.50 9	
" Revenue stamp for deed.....		1.00 10	99.51
Balance.....			$501.49
Paid Continental Cider Company, judgment.....	$84.53 11		
" R. W. Baker & Company.....	104.50 12		
" E. C. Gayle.....	100.00 13		
" Dr. R. W. Parker.....	30.28 14		319.31
Balance to be distributed pro rata among creditors without priority.....			$182.18
Paid Dr. J. Shelton Horsely.....		20.70 15	
" A. B. Abbitt & Company.....		6.60 16	
" Home Telephone Company.....		1.85 17	
" Piedmont Mt. Airy Guano Company.....		18.72 18	
" E. L. Woodward.....		53.86 19	
" C. Read & Company.....		20.60 20	
" Williams, Martin & Gray.....		4.96 21	
" W. H. Hatton.....		15.57 22	
" Max Pincus & Company.....		7.41 23	
" Shoop-Withers Company.....		4.33 24	
" Jos. P. Hall, Inc.....		8.52 25	
" Jos. P. Hall.....		5.15 26	
" W. C. Matthews.....		7.06 27	
" W. R. Milteer & Bro.....		6.23 28	
" R. W. Baker & Company.....		22.82 29	
		$182.18	$182.18

Your Commissioners further report that A. H. Baker, Sheriff of Nansemond County, and, as such, personal representative of T. J. Thompson, deceased, rendered his report in these proceedings showing a balance in his hands of $15.70, which amount the said personal representative has used to reimburse himself for expense incurred in caring for and converting into cash the estate of the said T. J. Thompson coming into his hands.

Respectfully submitted:

R H Kaules

H C Bowers

Special Commissioners.

1916. Octo. 9. Jues.
J.L.M.

Continental Cider Company, Incorporated.....Complainant.

vs.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.....Defendants.

Your Commissioners, R. B. Rawles and S. E. Everett, appointed by your Honor in the above-entitled cause, on the 12th. day of July, 1915, to make sale of certain property mentioned in the bill and proceedings in said cause respectfully submit the following report:

Having executed the required bond, your Commissioners advertised the said property for sale. On the 31st. day of July, 1915, at 12 o'clock M., in front of the Old Post Office Building, in Suffolk, Virginia, fifteen days notice of said sale having been given as required by said decree, the said property was put up at public auction and was struck off to I. P. January for the sum of six hundred dollars, the said I. P. January being the highest bidder at said sale.

The said purchaser desires to pay the whole purchase price in cash as soon as the deed is ready to be delivered. Your Commissioners ask your Honor to confirm the said sale as reported herein and to direct your said Commissioners to make a proper deed conveying the said property to the said I. P. January. Since the said sale, your Commissioners have made diligent enquiry in the community concerning the value of said land and have learned upon good authority that the place is in a run down condition and is not worth more than six hundred dollars.

Respectfully submitted:

R. B. Rawles

S. E. Everett

Special Commissioners.

Continental Cider Company, Inc

vs.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff.

Report of Special Commissioner

1915. Aug. 3rd. Filed.
L.M.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF NANSEMOND COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

Continental Cider Company, Incorporated.....Complainant.

vs

A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.....Defendants.

This cause came on again this day to be heard on the papers formerly read and on the report of Special Commissioners, R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, filed on the 30 day of August, 1915, to which report there is no exception, and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof, the Court, approving and confirming said report, doth adjudge, order and decree, that, upon payment by I. P. January, purchaser at the said sale reported by the said Commissioners, of the sum of six hundred dollars, the said sum being the amount for which the said land hereinafter described was struck off at said sale, the said Commissioners, R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, convey, with special warranty, to the said I. P. January the following described property:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land containing three-fourths of an acre, more or less, situated in the village of Chuckatuck, Nansemond County, Virginia, bounded on the south and west by the lands formerly owned by R. H. Tynes, now by M. W. Crumpler, on the north by the land formerly owned by Ann Hookey, and on the west by the main road leading from Smithfield to Suffolk; it being the same land of which Margaret A. Godwin died seized and possessed and which was conveyed to T. J. Thompson by Mary A. Carr and E. W. Carr, her husband, by deed dated July 28th, 1913, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, in Deed Book 76, Page 142.

And it is further ordered that the said Special Commissioners, after paying the cost of this suit, disburse the remainder of the purchase price in accordance with the report of Bradford Kilby, Commissioner in Chancery, duly filed in these proceedings, and the said Special Commissioners are ordered to make report of their proceedings hereunder to this Court.

Continental Cider Company, Inc.

vs. Decree confirming sale.

. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.

Entered the 3rd day of August, 1915.

Jas L. Tillotson

Entered in Chancery Order Book,

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Continental Cider Company, Incorporated.....Complainant.

vs.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.....Defendants.

This cause came on this day to be heard on the papers formerly read, the report of Bradford Kilby, Commissioner in Chancery, filed on the 22nd. day of May, 1915, in the Clerk's Office of this Court, to which report there is no exception, and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof, the Court doth confirm said report, and doth adjudge, order and decree that R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, who are appointed special commissioners for the purpose, do after having advertised the time, place and terms of sale for fifteen days by posting notices in numerous public places in the County of Nansemond and the City of Suffolk, Virginia, proceed to sell before the door of the Old Post Office Building, in Suffolk, Virginia, the said land in the bill and proceedings mentioned on the following terms, to-wit: one half cash and the residue payable six months from the day of sale, with interest from the day of sale, title to said 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. The said Commissioners are directed to make report of their proceedings hereunder to the Court, taking the purchaser's bond for the credit installment, bearing interest from the day of sale, and returning said bond with this report to Court, but the said Commissioners shall not proceed to act under this decree until they shall enter into bond with security in the Clerk's Office of this Court, payable to the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the amount of ~~$1000,~~ $950.00, and conditioned upon the faithful discharge of their duties hereunder or under any further decrees in this cause.

The Court further directs that J. R. Saunders, Trustee under the deed of assignment executed by T. J. Thompson, make settlement with creditors entitled to share the fund now in his hands as such trustee,

paying to each creditor so entitled his pro rata share in accordance with the report of Bradford Kilby, Commissioner in Chancery, duly filed in this cause, and make report of his proceedings hereunder to this Court along with the report of the said Special Commissioners.

Continental Cider Company, Inc.

vs.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.

Enter the 12, day of July, 1915

Jas L McSwore

Exam:
H. E. Bouldin Clerk

Entered in Chancery Order Book,
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R H Rowley

Virginia,

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

Continental Cider Co.Inc.	)	
	)	
v.	)	In Chancery.
	)	
A.H.Baker,Sheriff,et als.	)	

Commissioner's office,

Suffolk,Va. May 22,1915.

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 10th.day of May 1915,in the suit in chancery pending in said Court between Continental Cider Co.Inc. Plaintiff and A.H.Baker,Sheriff, and others,Defendants,the undersigned,Bradford Kilby,one of the Commissioners in Chancery of said Court,respectfully reports as follows:

That on the 11th.day of May 1915,your commissioner gave notice to the parties to said suit that he would proceed on the 22nd.day of May 1915 ,at his office,in Suffolk,Va.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 said notice was duly accepted by some of said parties and served upon others by the Deputy Sheriff of Nansemond County,Va.,as will appear by the endorsations on the original of said notice herewith returned.

From the information obtained by your commissioner,from the testimony of A.H.Baker, Dr.R.E.Parker and E.C.Gayle whose depositions were duly taken,at his said office,by your commissioner,and information otherwise obtained,your commissioner reports as follows:

To Continental Cider Co. Inc. Complainant.

and

A.H.Baker,Sheriff of Nansemond County and as such personal representative of T.J.Thompson,deceased,R.H.Rawles,Trustee,E.C.Gayle,J.R.Saunders,Trustee,W.T. Thompson,Maude,Thompson,Cora Daily,J.H. Daily,Georgia Daily,W.C.Daily,Christopher C.Thompson,Hersey Thompson,Odell Thompson, Theodore Thompson,John L.Thompson,Ruth Thompson,the last six defendants being infants under the age of 21 years and Hugh L. Holland,Guardian ad Litem of said infant defendants. Defendants.

You are hereby notified that on the 22nd.day of May 1915 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 settled and reported to court in pursuance of the decree of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County,Va.rendered on the 10th.day of May 1915 in the suit in chancery in said court to which you are parties plaintiff and defendant,to-wit:

(1) An account of the transactions of A.H.Baker,Sheriff of Nansemond County and as such personal representative of T.J.Thompson deceased.

(2) An account of the transactions of J.R.Saunders,Trustee.

(3) An account of the debts due by the decedent,T.J.Thompson, together with their dignities and priorities.

(4) An account of the real estate of which the said T.J. Thompson died seised and possessed,together with any liens on the same in the nature of delinquent taxes or other wise.

(5) Any other matter deemed pertinent by the said commissioner required by any party in interest to be so stated.

Given under my hand as Commissioner in Chancery of said Court the 11th.day of May 1915.

Bradford Tilby

Commissioner in Chancery.

Executed this 17th Day of May 1915
by delivering a true copy of the
within process to A.H. Baker Sheriff
and Administrator J. J. Thompson Est.
R.H. Rawls. Trustee. E.C. Gale Trustee.
J.R. Saunders Trustee. Cora Daily.
J.H. Daily. Hog in Daily. W.C. Daily.
in person; Christopher C. Thompson
Hersey Thompson. Odell Thompson.
Theo Thompson. Jno. L. Thompson,
and Ruth Thompson; The last
six being infants under the age of
of 21 yrs. I delivered copy's for
them to Thos L. Holland Guardian
ad Litem of said infants
Defendants,

A.H. Baker Sheriff.
By J.H. Pinner Dept.

Service accepted
W. V. Thompson
Christopher C. Thompson
Mary Thompson
by S. E. Emmons Their atty

(1)

The following account of the transactions of A.H.Baker,Sheriff of Nansemond County and as such personal representative of T.J. Thompson,deceased,has been rendered your commissioner by said A.H. Baker:

Total amount received from sale of chattel property		$36.70
Paid three appraisers $1. each.	$3.00	
Paid one clerk	1.00	
Paid for advertising sale	1.50	
Paid 1913 taxes (pro rated) with Mary A.Carr.	1.89	
Paid 1913 taxes on land mentioned in this suit.	5.67	
Paid 1913 taxes on farm sold Mills Godwin.	6.12	
Paid 5% commissions on $36.70	1.82	
Balance in hand	15.70	
	$36.70	$36.70

(2)

J.R.Saunders,Trustee under a deed of assignment,dated 26th. day of March 1914 and recorded March 27,1914 in Deed-book No.75, page 554 in Nansemond County Clerk's office, reports to your commissioner that he sold the personal property mentioned in said deed,at public auction after due advertisement, The property was sold in bulk and was struck off to the highest bidder for the sum of $205.77. The said J.R.Saunders,Trustee paid the following expenses of sale and has a remainder now in hand of $166.35.

By cash from sale of personal property					$205.77
1914	July 20.	To paid	J.Walter Hosier,Auctioneer.	$5.00	
1915	April 24.	" "	J.W.Pinner,taking inventory.	2.50	
1915	April 24	" "	M.W.Crumpler, " "	2.50	
1915	April 24	" "	J.R.Saunders,Trustee,coms.	25.67	
1915	May 27	" "	" " " ,recording fee	2.50	
1914	June 2	" "	J.E.McGuire,printer.	1.25	
1915	May 27	To balance in hand.		166.35	
				$205.77	$205.77

The following is a list of the debts due by T.J.Thompson,at the time of making his deed of assignment to J.R.Saunders,Trustee. The pro rata amount which could have been paid by said trustee on each debt is indicated and the balance due thereafter.

	Amount of claim	28% pro rata	Balance due
Dr.R.E.Parker	$42.05	$11.17	$30.28
Dr.J.Shelton Horsley	50.00	14.00	36.00
A.B.Abbitt and Co.	15.95	4.46	11.49
Home Telephone Co.	4.00	1.12	2.88
Piedmont-Mt.Airy Guano Co.	39.00	10.92	29.08
E.L.Woodward and Co.	81.78	22.89	58.89
C.Read and Co.	49.76	13.93	35.83
Williams,Martin and Gray,	12.00	3.36	8.64
W.H.Hatton.	33.83	9.47	24.36
Max Pincus and Co.	17.90	5.01	12.89
Shoop-Withers Co.	10.46	2.92	7.54
Jos.P.Hall Inc.	20.57	5.75	14.82
Jos.P.Hall.	11.05	3.09	8.96
W.C.Matthews.	17.06	4.77	12.29
Continental Cider Co.	117.40	32.87	84.53
W.R.Milteer and Bro.	15.05	4.21	10.84
R.W.Baker and Co. (for wife)	55.50	15.81	39.69

The following debts became due after the deed of assignment :

(1) A deed of trust dated the 4th.day of November 1914 and recorded in deed-book No. 77,page 377 in Nansemond County Clerk's office,Va. executed by T.J.Thompson,to R.H.Rawles,Trustee,to secure to E.C.Gayle the payment of the sum of $1000. This debt is represented by a bond for said sum of $1000.,but your commissioner finds that only $100.00 was actually lent T.J.Thompson and the said bond should be credited with the difference. This lien is on the land hereinafter described.

(2) The funeral expenses of said T.J.Thompson due to R.W.Baker and Co. amounting to the sum of $104.50.

(3) The Continental Cider Company Inc. reduced their claim of $109.95 to judgment on June 5,1914,with interest thereon from March 23,1914 and $7.45 costs. This judgment was docketed on June 6,1914 in judgment docket No.3,page 199 in Nansemond County Clerk's office,Va.

Note: The debt due R.W.Baker and Co. for the sum of $55.50 in the above list of decedent's debts was due for the balance of his wife's funeral expenses,and thus is not a preferred claim against estate of said T.J.Thompson,except by being included in said deed od assignment.

The real estate of which said T.J.Thompson died seised and possessed is described as follows:

All that certain lot of land situated in the Village of Chuckatuck,in the County of Nansemond and State of Virginia, bounded on the South and West by the lands formerly belonging to R.H.Tynes; now M.W.Crumpler;on the North by the land formerly belonging to Ann Hookey,and on the East by the Main County Road leading from Smithfield to Suffolk,containing three-fourths of an acre,more or less,being the same land which by deed dated July 28,1913 and recorded in Deed-book No.76,page 142 in Nansemond County Clerk's office, was conveyed to said T.J.Thompson by Mary A.Carr and husband.

There are no delinquent taxes on said real estate,and no other liens except the deed of trust in favor of E.C.Gayle and the judgment in favor of Continental Cider Co.Inc. already mentioned above.

There is no other matter deemed pertinent by your commissioner or required by any party in interest to be so stated,except that the fee-simple value of said land is about $750. to 800. and the annual value is about $85.

Respectfully submitted this 22nd.day of May 1915.

Bradford Kilby

Commissioner in Chancery.

Comr's fee: $15.

R.E.Parker,being duly sworn,deposes as follows;

Q. What is your name,age,residence,occupation and are you acquainted with the land mentioned in the bill in this cause?

A. R.E.Parker,27 years old,Chuckatuck,Va. I am a physician and I know the land well.

Q. What in your opinion is the fee-simple and annual value of it?

A. The fee-simple is about $750. The store rents for $5. per month and the house for $2. making a rental of $7. per month for both.

And further thisdeponent saith not.

Signature waived by consent.

A.H.Baker,being duly sworn,deposes as follows:

What is your name,age ,residence,occupation and are you acquainted with the land in the bill mentioned in this cause?

A. A.H.Baker, _____years,Suffolk,Va.Sheriff of Nansemond County.I know the land well.

Q:What in your opinion is the fee-simple and annual value of it?

A. The fee-simple value is about $750. to $800. The annual value about $85.

And further this deponent saith not.

E.C.Gayle being duly sworn,deposes as follows:

Q.What is your name,age,residence ,occupation and are you the beneficiary in the deed of trust made by T.J.Thompson to R.H.Rawles, Trustee,dated Nov.4th.1914 ?

A. E.C.Gayle,age 35 years,residence,Suffolk,Va. merchant. I am the beneficiary under said deed.

Q. How much is due you on said bond?

A. Well,T.J.Thompson owes me more than $100. but I have agreed to accept that sum in full settlement of the $1000. secured by said deed of trust.

And further this deponent saith not.Signature waived.

Continental Cider Co. Inc.

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A. H. Baker, Sheriff et als

Report of Bradford Kilby
Commissioner in Chancery
under decree of May
10. 1915.

1915

Filed May 22, 1915

E. B. Brabson Clerk

BRADFORD KILBY
Attorney at Law
SUFFOLK, VIRGINIA.

Baltimore Office Supply Company, Baltimore, Md.

Continental Cider Company, Incorporated, who sues on behalf of itself, and such other creditors of T. J. Thompson, deceased, who may come in and seek relief by and contribute to the expenses of this suit.....Complainant.

vs.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff of Nansemond County, and, as such personal representative of T. J. Thompson, deceased, R. H. Rawles, Trustee, E. C. Gayle, J. R. Saunders, Trustee, W. T. Thompson, Maude Thompson, Cora Daily, J. H. Daily, Georgia Daily, W. C. Daily, Christopher C. Thompson, Hersey Thompson, Odell Thompson, Theodore Thompson, John L. Thompson, Ruth Thompson, the last six defendants being under the age of twenty-one years.....Defendants.

This cause, in which process has been served on all the defendants, came on this day to be heard on the bill taken for confessed as to defendants W. T. Thompson, Maude Thompson, Cora Daily, J. H. Daily, Georgia Daily and W. C. Daily, they being adult defendants, and still failing to appear and plead, answer or demur, on the answers and exhibits of the defendants R. H. Rawles, Trustee, E. C. Gayle, and J. R. Saunders, Trustee, on the answer of the infant defendants Christopher C. Thompson, Hersey Thompson, Odell Thompson, Theodore Thompson, John L. Thompson and Ruth Thompson by Hugh L. Holland, their guardian ad litem duly assigned them at rules to protect their interest, and the answer of Hugh L. Holland, Guardian ad Litem for said infants, with general replications thereto, 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 directed to enquire into and report:

1. An account of the transactions of A. H. Baker, Sheriff of Nansemond County, and as such personal representative of T. J. Thompson, deceased.
2. An account of the transactions of J. R. Saunders, Trustee.
3. An account of the debts due by the decedent, T. J. Thompson, together with their dignities and priorities.
4. An account of the real estate of which the said T. J. Thompson died seized and possessed, together with any liens on the same in the nature of delinquent taxes or otherwise, together with its fee simple value.
5. Any other matter deemed pertinent by the said commissioner required to be stated by any party in interest.

Continental Cider Company, Inc
et als

vs

A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.

Enter the 10 day of May, 1915.

Jas L McLemore.

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$ 1000. ..... On demand ..... after date, with legal interest from date until paid, payable annually ..... & bind my sel. & my heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, to pay to E. C. Boyle ..... his heirs or assigns, the sum of One thousand ..... DOLLARS, for value received; and I hereby waive the benefit of my Homestead Exemption as to this debt, obligation and contract.

Secured by deed of trust on real estate in Clinchland ....., Va. R. A. Mauck ....., Trustee.

Witness my hand & seal this 4th day of November ....., 191 4.

Witness :
R. A. Mauck

T. J. Thompson (SEAL.)

(SEAL.)

a true C. of T. (SEAL.)

This Deed, Made this 4th day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, between T. J. Thompson, widower,

of Nansemond County, Virginia, part y of the first part and R. H. Rawles, Trustee,

of Suffolk, Virginia, part y of the second part —

Witnesseth: That the said party of the first part do th grant unto the said party of the second part, with general warranty, the following property, to wit:

All that certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situated in the village of Chuckatuck, in the County of Nansemond, and State of Virginia, and bounded on the South and West by the lands formerly owned by R. H. Tynes, now M. W. Crumpler; on the North by the land formerly owned by Ann Hookey; and on the West by the main county road leading from Suffolk to Smithfield, containing three-fourths (¾) of an acre, more or less, and being the same land that was conveyed to the said T. J. Thompson by Mary A. Carr and husband, by deed dated the 28th day of July, 1913, and recorded in D. B. 76 page 142, in the Clerk's Office of Nansemond County Court.

In Trust, to secure to E. C. Gayle,

the payment of the sum of One thousand ($1000) dollars evidenced by a bond for that amount of even date herewith, made by the said T. J. Thompson, and payable to the said E.C. Gayle, on demand, with legal interest from date until paid.

In the event that default shall be made in the payment of the said debt, principal or any installment of interest, when due and payable, then the Trustee, on being required so to do by the beneficiary, executors, administrators or assigns, shall sell the property hereby conveyed.

And it is covenanted and agreed between the parties aforesaid, that in case of a sale the same shall be made after first advertising the time, place and terms thereof for ten (10) days, in such manner as the Trustee may deem best and upon the following terms to wit: for cash as to so much of the proceeds as may be necessary to defray the expenses of executing this trust, including a trustee's commission of five per centum, the fees for drawing and recording this deed, if then unpaid, and to discharge the amount of money then payable upon the said debt, and if there be any residue of said purchase money the same shall be made payable at such time, and secured in such manner, as the said party of the first part, his executor, administrators or assigns shall prescribe and direct, or in case of his failure to give such directions, at such time and in such manner as the said Trustee shall see fit.

The said party of the first part covenants to pay all taxes, assessments, dues and charges upon the said property hereby conveyed so long as he or his heir or assigns shall hold the same; and further covenants and agrees to keep the building on the property hereby conveyed insured for the full amount of $ 450 for the further protection of the said beneficiary or assigns; and in the event of his failure to do so, then the Trustee, or the beneficiary under this deed, may effect or renew such insurance from time to time, so long as the said debt, or any part thereof, remains unpaid; and the insurance premium shall constitute a part of the lien created by this deed, to be paid out of the proceeds of the property, if sold, or to be recoverable by all the remedies in law or equity by which the debt aforesaid may be recoverable.

If no default shall be made in the payment of the said debt or insurance premium, then upon the request of the party of the first part a good and sufficient release deed shall be executed to him at his own proper cost and charges.

Witness the following signature and seal

T. J. Thompson (Seal)

(Seal)

(Seal)

(Seal)

STATE OF VIRGINIA,

City
~~County~~ of Suffolk, } To wit:

I, Mary V. Andrews, a Notary Public,
for the ~~county~~ city aforesaid, in the state of Virginia, do certify that T. J. Thompson,

whose name is signed to the writing hereto annexed, bearing date the 4th day of November, 1914, has acknowledged the same before me in my ~~county~~ city aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 4th day of November, 1914.

Mary V. Andrews N. P.

My term of office expires on the 4th day of March, 1915.

MEMO—To be acknowledged before a Justice, Notary Public, or Commissioner in Chancery.

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DEED OF TRUST

T. J. Thompson

TO

R. H. Rawles

Trustee for E. C. Gayle

Admitted to Record this 4th

day of November, 1914

Recorded D. B. 74 Page 377

Examined and verified.

, ~~Clerk~~

~~By~~ Kate Parker, D. C.

$

Tax $1.00

Fee $1.50

Paid $2.50

Mail-City.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County,
the 4th day of November, 1914.
This deed was presented, and, with the certificate annexed, admitted to record.

TESTE:

E. C. Bunting, Clerk

By Kate Parker, D. C.

THIS DEED, Made this the 26th day of March, 1914, between T. J. Thompson, of Nansemond County, Virginia, party of the first part, and J. R. Saunders, of Suffolk, Virginia, Chosen Trustee, for the purposes hereinafter named, party of the second part-

WITNESSETH: That the said party of the first part doth grant unto the said party of the second part, with general warranty, all and singular the following property, to-wit:

All his stock of general merchandise, consisting of groceries, and fixtures of all kinds, now in his store at Chuckatuck, Virginia, and all accounts and indebtedness due him from any source; one (1) buggy; one (1) set of harness; one (1) cow; one (1) double drag; one (1) disc-harrow; one (1) cornstalk cutter; and one (1) sow and seven(7) pigs.

It being the object and purpose of this deed to convey to the said J. R. Saunders, Trustee, all of the aforesaid property, wherever situated.

IN TRUST to secure the cost and expenses of this trust, including a commission to the said Trustee of ten per centum of the amounts of sale, or of all money that shall come into the hands of said Trustee from said sale, or otherwise, and the fees of counsel in and about the preparation and execution of this deed, if that shall remain unpaid at its delivery; and after the payment thereof, to secure the following creditors:

E. L. Abbitt and Company, of the State of Ohio; C. Bead and Company, of the State of Maryland; R. W. Baker, Joseph P. Hall, Incorporated, and W. R. Milteer and Brother, of Suffolk, Virginia, and all other creditors that may hold any claims against the said T. J. Thompson.

And the said Trustee, for the purposes of executing this trust, shall at once take charge of the property and effects hereby conveyed, and make an inventory thereof, and proceed to collect

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County the 27th day of March, 1914.

This Deed of Assignment was presented, and, with the certificate annexed, admitted to record.

Teste:

G. E. Bunting, Clerk.

By S. J. Parker, D. C.

the chose in action, and all evidences of indebtedness, and he may make sale of the said property hereby conveyed, at public auction or private sale, at such time or times, place or places, with or without notice, and in any manner that to him shall seem best.

And upon the conversion of the property hereby conveyed into money the Trustee shall distribute the same pro rata, to and among the creditors above named, with all diligence. And the Trustee is hereby authorized to employ such agents, attorneys, and laborers as may be necessary for the preservation, protection, handling, selling, distributing, or in any way disposing of the property hereby conveyed in such manner as shall be for the interest of all concerned, and do all things necessary for the conversion of the said property into money, and distribution of said money, the charges, cost, and expenses of which shall be charged as a part of the expenses of this trust.

WITNESS the following signature and seal..

T. J. Thompson (SEAL).

STATE OF VIRGINIA,

COUNTY OF NANSEMOND, TO-WIT:

I, Jno. F. Sinnet, a Notary Public of and for the County aforesaid, in the State of Virginia, do certify that T. J. Thompson, whose name is signed to the writing above, bearing date the 26th day of March, 1914, has this day acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid.

My term of office expires on the 17th day of September, 1914.

Given under my hand this the 26th day of March, 1914.

Jno. F. Sinnet.
NOTARY PUBLIC.

Mortgage 69

D. J. Thompson
To
Deed of
Assignment

J. R. Saunders, Trus.

1914 - March 27

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Examined & verified

D. J. Parker, D.C.

Tax .50
Fee 1.50
2.00 Paid

J. R. SAUNDERS
Attorney at Law
Pinner Building
SUFFOLK, VIRGINIA

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Commonwealth of Virginia,

COUNTY OF Hanover, TO-WIT:

Inquisition this 18 day of May, 1914, by Lee Williams, judge or justice, and L. L. Eley medical doctor, and R. E. Parker medical doctor, licensed physicians, now sitting upon the examination of J. J. Thompson, suspected of being insane The depositions of the above physicians and M. W. Crumpler C. H. Pitt, W. C. Moore, Clinton Holman witnesses, being first duly sworn, in answer to the following interrogatories, say:

Name of patient J. J. Thompson If married and a female, maiden name

Age? 50 Color? white Sex? male Where born? Hanover

Present residence? Chesterfield How long lived in present place of residence? 6 mo Place of residence for past two years? Hanover If of foreign birth, how long a resident of the United States? Port of landing? Date of landing? Name of ship?

Birthplace of father? Of mother?

Present occupation of patient? Farming Former occupations? Farming Education—Liberal? yes Good? Professional? Read? yes Write? yes Civil Condition—Married? Single? Widowed? yes Divorced?

Number of children had, if a female? Age of youngest child, if the patient is a female? Name and address of guardian, nearest friend or relative? Cora Dailey Chesterfield Va Relation of same to patient? daughter Nearest telegraph and railroad station or steamboat landing to said friend or relative? Suffolk Va Value of property of self or husband? $ —, of parents, if the patient is a minor? $ Is the patient addicted to the intemperate use of intoxicating liquors, tobacco, morphine, cocaine or other injurious drugs? yes If so, to what extent? Drinks liquor to excess Takes Laudanum when he can get it Is the patient addicted to any injurious, improper or immoral habits? no If so, to what extent?

State fully, and in detail any physical symptoms, injury or disease from which the patient is at present suffering is a physical wreck

Is the patient affected by paralysis?

Dropsy? Blindness? Deafness? Dumbness? Incontinence of urine or feces?

Hysteria? Emaciation? Insomnia? Cancer? Tuberculosis? Pellagra?

Hernia? yes Epilepsy? — Typhoid Fever? Pneumonia? Uterine or pelvic disorders? or pregnancy? Is the patient now sick in bed? Does the patient spit blood? Does the patient have night sweats? Is the patient now suffering from acute or chronic alcoholism, or delirium tremens? yes When did the present attack of insanity begin? Dec 23/1913 What were the first symptoms? excessive use of Laudanum whiskey which upset his mental condition and impaired his health

Were the symptoms gradual or rapid in onset? gradual State fully the present symptoms of insanity, particularly whether the

Dead in Chesterfield Jail Aug 3, 1914

36 patient is violent? no Destructive? no Untidy? yes Excited? no Depressed? yes

37 Homicidal? no Suicidal? no

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39 If homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, state when and in what manner

40 If the patient has illusions, hallucinations, or

41 delusions, state what they are yes gets up at night and stays around

42

43 Does the patient talk to himself? no Assume peculiar attitudes? no Hear voices? no Believe he is being

44 persecuted? no State in what manner

45

46 State any changes that have occurred in the condition of the mind or body of the patient since the onset of the present attack of insanity

47 mentally incapable of looking after himself

48 Has any restraint or confinement been imposed on the patient, the nature and duration? no

49 Is the patient now in jail? no If not, state in whose custody said

50 patient is, giving name, post office and telegraph address, distance from telegraph office and railroad station

51

52 If there have been any attacks of insanity previous to the present one, when did they occur? no

53 Give the duration, symptoms and character of each

54

55 State the length of intervals between the attacks

56 Was the patient entirely sane and rational between the attacks? If the patient has ever been an

57 inmate of any hospital or other place of detention and treatment for the insane, state when, where and whether he was discharged as re-

58 covered or otherwise

59 If any of the patient's family or near relatives are, or have been insane, mentally defective, epileptic, neurotic, alcoholic, tuberculous, etc.,

60 state the facts mother + Sister The degree of consanguinity? Whether maternal

61 or paternal? yes What, in the opinion of the examining physician, are the exciting causes of the patient's insanity?

62 whiskey + opium The predisposing causes?

63 Name and address of physician who last attended patient?

64 What treatment has been given?

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66 With what effect? Is the patient normally below or above the average standard of intelligence?

67 no Is the patient a congenital idiot or imbecile? no Can the patient count ten?

68 yes Could the patient ever read? yes write? yes Can he speak English? yes Describe the appearance,

69 manner and all insane acts and speech of the patient during examination laughed and answered

70 questions all right

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73 State fully anything else bearing on the case as indicating insanity

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76 W M Crumpler Seal

77 J W Moore Seal

78 Clayton Hallmon Seal Witnesses

79 L L Eley, Medical Doctor, Seal

80 R E Parker, Medical Doctor. Seal

has used and continues to use alcohol and opium and is gradually growing mentally irresponsible and may cause trouble at any time

81 Commonwealth of Virginia,

82 County or City of Nansemond (to-wit:

83 Whereas J. J. Thompson, who was suspected of being insane was this day brought before us,

84 E W Williams

85 ~~judge, or~~ a justice, of said county, and L L Eley and R. E. Parker two physicians, (said

86 R. E. Parker being the physician of said suspected person) constituting a commission to inquire whether the said

87 J. J. Thompson be insane and a suitable subject for a hospital for the care and treatment of insane persons; and whereas,

88 we, the said physicians, have in the presence (as far as practicable) of the said judge or justice, by personal examination of said

89 J. J. Thompson, suspected of being insane, and inquiry and the examination of the above named witnesses, satisfied our-

90 selves and the said judge or justice, as to the mental condition of said J. J. Thompson, we, the said judge or justice and

91 physicians, constituting the commission aforesaid, do decide that the said J. J. Thompson is insane, and ought to be

92 confined in a hospital for the insane.

93 Given under our hands this 18 day of May, 1917

94 E W Williams, ~~Judge or~~ Justice of the Peace.

95 L L Eley, Medical Doctor. Commission

96 R E Parker, Medical Doctor.

Commonwealth of Virginia,

County, or City of [redacted] Hanover, to-wit:

To the Sheriff of the County of Hanover, and to the Superintendent of the Eastern State Hospital, greeting:

Whereas, I, L. W. Williams, ~~judge or~~ a justice of said county, or city of Hanover, and L. L. Ellis and R. E. Parker, two physicians (the said R. E. Parker being the physician of said D. J. Thompson) constituting a commission of inquiry, &c., into the sanity of said D. J. Thompson, have this day adjudged the said D. J. Thompson to be insane and a suitable subject for a hospital for the care and treatment of insane persons, and a citizen of this State; and no person appearing before me to give bond with sufficient security, to be approved by me, payable to the Commonwealth with condition to restrain and take proper care of the said insane person, without cost to the said Commonwealth, until the cause of confinement shall cease, or the said insane person is delivered to the said sheriff or sergeant, to be proceeded with according to law, I do, in the name of the said Commonwealth, command you, the said sheriff or sergeant, to deliver the said D. J. Thompson, together with this warrant, to the superintendent of the Eastern State hospital, at Williamsburg, Va., that being the nearest appropriate hospital, or to the duly authorized agent of said hospital, to be delivered by him to the said superintendent.

And you, the said superintendent, are hereby required to receive into the said hospital, and into your care and charge, the said D. J. Thompson to be treated and cared for as an insane person.

And I do herewith transmit to you, the said superintendent, the interrogatories and answers thereto, taken by said commission, touching the sanity of the said D. J. Thompson, and also the adjudication of the sanity of the said D. J. Thompson a copy of each of which has this day been delivered by me to the clerk of the Circuit court of said county, ~~or city~~.

Given under my hand this 18 day of May, 191[illegible]

....., judge, or

L. W. Williams, justice of the peace

READ CAREFULLY.

(1) A Commission of Lunacy shall consist of two physicians and one magistrate, or judge. (See Acts 1910, Chapter 102). If the two physicians first summoned do not agree as to the insanity of the patient, a third physician shall be summoned. None of the examining physicians shall he related to the alleged insane person, or have any interest in his estate.

(2) The judge or the justice, and the two examining physicians, shall sign the commitment papers. The depositions of all witnesses and the physicians shall he under oath. Before a patient who has been discharged can be returned to a State hospital, he shall be examined, and committed in accordance with Chapter 102, Acts 1910.

(3) Each county or corporation shall he provided by the Clerk of the court with necessary blank forms, to be paid for out of the funds of the said county or corporation. The form should he eleven by eight and one-half inches.

(4) All the commitment papers, including the order of the judge or the justice, shall be promptly transmitted to the superintendent of the appropriate hospital before the admission of the patient; a copy shall also be promptly furnished the clerk of the circuit or corporation court, who shall notify the Commissioner of State Hospitals (See Acts 1902-4, Section 1672, pages 126 and 127).

(5) Before delivering any person who has been adjudged insane to the agent or authorities of any hospital, the sheriff, or the person in whose charge the insane person is, shall see that the said insane person is clean, free from any contagious disease, and neatly and properly clothed. If small-pox is prevalent in the community, the local authorities are requested to see that all insane persons have been vaccinated before being taken to the hospital.

(6) All insane persons applying for admission into any of the several hospitals, shall he, if so required by the superintendent, delivered to the agent of the hospital at the nearest or most convenient railroad station or steamboat landing, at the expense of the county or corporation. Always state whether or not the patient is in *Jail*. (See Acts 1902-3. Section 1672, pages 126 and 127).

(7) Idiots are not admitted into any of the State Hospitals for the insane. If an idiot is sent to such hospital, he will he returned at the expense of the county or corporation. (See Acts 1903-4, Chapter 110, page 100).

(8) In the event of death or discharge (as restored) of an insane person while in the custody of any sheriff or sergeant, or other person, pending transfer to a hospital, the said sheriff, etc., shall at once notify the superintendent to whom the last application was made.

(9) No pay will be allowed for expenses incurred if patient is brought to the hospital before the proper legal papers are sent to the superintendent of the hospital.

(10) *The foregoing forms, interrogatories, etc., having been prescribed by an Act of the Legislature the Commission is requested to use no other.*

Continental Cider Company, Incorporated.....Complainant.

vs

A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.....Defendants.

This cause came on again this day to be finally heard on the papers formerly read and on the report of R. H. Rawles and S. E. Everett, Special Commissioners, filed on the ~~9th~~ 9th day of ~~August~~ October, 1916, to which report there is no exception, and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof, the Court doth approve and confirm the said report, and it appearing to the Court that a proper conveyance has been made to I. P. January, purchaser of the tract of land in the bill and proceedings mentioned, by the said special commissioners and that the proceeds of the sale have been properly disbursed, and there remaining nothing further to be done in this cause, the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that the cause be stricken from the docket.

Continental Cider Company, Inc

vs.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als

Enter the 9th day of Octa-
1916.

Jas. L. McDermore,

Entered in Chancery Order Book
No. 5 , Page. 53

Continental Cider Company, Incorporated, et als.....Complainants.

vs.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff of Nansemond County, et als.....Defendants.

The answer of A. H. Baker, Sheriff of Nansemond County, and, as such, personal representative of T. J. Thompson, deceased, to a bill of complaint filed against him and others in the Circuit Court of Nansemond County by Continental Cider Company, Incorporated, on behalf of itself and such other creditors of T. J. Thompson, deceased, who may come in and seek relief by a nd contribute to the expenses of this suit.

This respondent, reserving to himself the benefit of all just exceptions to the said bill of complaint, for answer thereto, answers and says:

That on the I7th. day of February, I915, the personal estate of T. J. Thompson, deceased, was committed to the hands of your respondent, and that the proceeds of the sale of said personal estate coming into the hands of your respondent amount to $36.70, which said sum constitutes the entire personal estate in the hands of your said respondent; and,

That the said T. J. Thompson, deceased, on the 4th. day of November, I9I4, executed a deed of trust on certain real estate to R. H. Rawles, Trustee, to secure a note of $I000.00 payable to E. C. Gayle; that your respondent has reason to believe that the greater part of this sum is not due the said E. C. Gayle and should not be paid; that your respondent further says that when the said deed of trust was executed, the said T. J. Thompson was mentally incompetent to execute the same, that he did not know the nature and result of his act; and your respondent further says he is informed that the claims filed by the other creditors are justly due them; and,

That the said T. J. Thompson, on the 27th. day of March, I9I4, executed to J. R. Saunders, Trustee, a deed of assignment for the benefit of his creditors; that your respondent is informed that the proceeds of the said assignment are still in the hands of the said J. R. Saunders, Trustee; and that your said respondent is in a position to know all the creditors

of the said T. J. Thompson, existing at the time the said deed was executed, perhaps better than the said trustee, for which reason, and for other reasons, your respondent asks that an order be entered directing the said J. R. Saunders, Trustee, to pay over the funds in his hands arising from said assignment to your respondent to be distributed by your respondent as administrator of said T. J. Thompson, deceased, among the creditors of the said T. J. Thompson, existing at the time said deed was executed.

And now, having fully answered the complainants' bill, this respondent prays to be hence dismissed with his reasonable costs by him in this behalf expended.

A. H. Blakemore

Respondent.

H. E. Jones

Counsel.

Continental Cider Co., Inc

vs.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff, et als.

Answer of A. H. Baker, Sheriff

Continental Cider Company, Incorporated, et als.....Complainant.

vs.

A. H. Baker, S heriff of Nansemond County, et als.....Defendants.

The joint and separate answer of W. T. Thompson, Maude Thompson, Cora Daily, J. H. Daily, Georgia Daily and W. C. Daily to a bill of complaint filed against them and others in the Circuit Court of Nansemond County by the Continental Cider Company, Incorporated, on behalf of itself and such other creditors of T. J. Thompson, deceased, who may come and seek relief by and contribute to the expenses of this suit.

These respondents, reserving to themselves the benefit of all just exceptions to the said bill of complaint, for answer thereto, answer and say:

That the statements and allegations contained in said bill of complaint so far as they know and have been informed are true; that your respondents have been informed of the deed of trust executed by the said T. J. Thompson to the said E.C..Gayle to secure payment of the sum of $1000.00; that your respondents have reason to believe that very little, if any, of the said amount is really due the said E. C. Gayle; that your respondents, by reason of their close relationship to the deceased and their association with him, are in a position to know the mental condition of the said T. J. Thompson at the time the said deed was executed, and your respondents say that the said T. J. Thompson was mentally incompetent to execute the said deed, that he did not know the nature and result of his act; that, in view of these facts, your respondents believe the said deed should be set aside and declared of no effect.

And, having fully answered the complainants' bill, these respondents pray to be hence dismissed with their reasonable costs by them in this behalf expended.

W. T. Thompson

Maud Thompson

Cora Daily

J. H. Daily

Georgia Daily

W. C. Daily

Respondents.

Continental Cider Co., Inc

vs.

A. H. Bker, Sheriff, et als.

Answer of W. T. Thompson, Maude Thompson, Cora Daily, J. H. Dail Georgia Daily and W. C. Daily.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF NANSEMOND COUNTY:

Continental Cider Company, Incorporated, who sues on behalf of itself, and such other creditors of T. J. Thompson, deceased, who may come in and seek relief by and contribute to the expense of this suit.....Complainant.

vs.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff of Nansemond County, and, as such personal representative of T. J. Thompson, deceased, R. H. Rawles, Trustee, E. C. Gayle, J. R. Saunders, Trustee, W. T. Thompson, Maude Thompson, Cora Daily, J. H. Daily, Georgia Daily, W. C. Daily, Chritopher C. Thompson, Hersey Thompson, Odell Thompson, Theodore Thompson, John L. Thompson, and Ruth Thompson, the last six defendants being under the age of twenty-one years.....Defendants.

The answer of Christopher C. Thompson, Hersey Thompson, Odell Thompson, Theodore Thompson, John L. Thompson, and Ruth Thompson, infants under the age of twenty-one years, by Hugh L. Holland, a discreet and competent attorney at law, their guardian ad litem assigned to defend them in this suit, and the answer of the said Hugh L. Holland, guardian ad litem of the said infant defendants, to a bill of complaint exhibited against the said infants and others by Continental Cider Company, Incorporated, who sues on behalf of itself, and such other creditors of T. J. Thompson, deceased, who may come in and seek relief by and contribute to the expense of this suit, in the Circuit Court of Nansemond County.

For answer to the said bill the said infant defendants by their said guardian ad litem answer and say that being of tender years they do not know what their true interests are in relation to the subject matter of the said bill, nor do they know whether the statements therein contained are true or not. They confide the protection of their interests therein to the care of the court. And the said guardian ad litem of the said infant defendants for answer to the said bill answers and says that he knows nothing as to the truth or falsity of the statements in the bill contained. He prays full protection for the infant defendants. And now having fully answered, these defendants pray to be hence dismissed, with their costs, etc.

Christopher C. Thompson, Hersey Thompson, Odell Thompson, Theodore Thompson, John L. Thompson, and Ruth Thompson,

By Hugh L. Holland

Guardian ad Litem.

Hugh L. Holland,

Guardian ad Litem of the said infants.

STATE OF VIRGINIA,

County of Nansemond, to-wit:

Sworn to before me in my county aforesaid by Hugh L. Holland, guardian ad litem as aforesaid, this 10th. day of May, 1915.

J. E. Eure N.P.

Answer of guardian ad litem.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF NANSEMOND COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

Continental Cider Company, Incorporated,.....Plaintiff

Vs. IN CHANCERY

A. H. Baker, Sheriff of Nansemond County, and as such personal representative of T. J. Thompson, deceased, R. H. Rawles, Trustee, E. C. Gale, J. R. Saunders, Trustee, W. T. Thompson, Maud Thompson, Cora Daily, J. H. Daily, Georgia Daily, W. C. Daily, Christopher C. Thompson, Hersey Thompson, Odell Thompson, Theodore Thompson, John L. Thompson and Ruth Thompson, the last named six being under the age of twenty one years.....Defendants

The answer of J. R. Saunders, Trustee, to a bill of complaint filed against him in the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, Virginia, by the Continental Cider Company, Incorporated, complainant.

This respondent reserving to himself the benefit of all just exceptions to the said bill of complaint, for answer thereto, or to so much thereof as he is advised that it is material he should answer, answers and says:

That he was on the ____ day of _____, 19___, appointed trustee in a certain deed of assignment from the said T. J. Thompson, deceased, to the said J. R. Saunders, trustee, a copy of which deed is filed herewith marked "Exhibit A", and prayed to be read as a part of this answer; that he immediately took hold of said property, advertised and exposed the same to sale, said property consisting principally of a stock of general merchandise such as is commonly kept in an ordinary country store. That at said sale said property was sold principally

in bulk and was struck off at the sum of $205.77. The said J. R. Saunders, trustee, has paid the auctioneer's fee and the fees for advertising said property, and now has on hand in the National Bank of Suffolk the sum of $166.35, which he is now ready to disburse in any way that the court may direct.

The said J. R. Saunders, trustee, files herewith vouchers showing what disbursement of money has been made by him, and asks that the court confirm same in such decree as will exempt the said J. R. Saunders, trustee, from any liability by reason of said deed of assignment or any sale of said property.

And now, having fully answered the complainant's bill, your respondent prays to be hence dismissed with his reasonable costs by him in this behalf expended.

J. R. Saunders

The following amounts were paid out by me

July 20th	1914	J. W. Hazel auctioneer	5.00
Apl 24th	1915	Jno. Prince Surveying	2.50
"	"	" M.W. Cowpler	2.50
" 15th	1915	J. R. Saunders Trustee	25.67
June 2nd	1914	J. E. McGuire printer	1.25
May 27th	1915	J. R. Saunders recording fee	2.50
			39.42

ANSWER

Continental Cider Co., Inc.,

Vs.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff, and other.

J. R. SAUNDERS
Attorney-at-Law
Pinner Building
SUFFOLK, VIRGINIA

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

Continental Cider Company, Incorporated, who sues on behalf of itself, and such other creditors of T. J. Thompson, deceased, who may come in and seek relief by and contribute to the expenses of this suit.....Complainants.

vs.

A. H. Baker, Sheriff of Nansemond County, and, as such, personal representative of T. J. Thompson, deceased, R. H. Rawles, Trustee, E. C. Gayle, J. R. Saunders, Trustee, W. T. Thompson, Maude Thompson, Cora Daily, J. H. Daily, Georgia Daily, W. C. Daily, Christopher C. Thompson, Hersey Thompson, Odell Thompson, Theodore Thompson, John L. Thompson, the last six defendants being under the age of twenty-one years.....Defendants.

Your complainant, Continental Cider Company, Incorporated, humbly complaining, represents unto your Honor the following facts:

That on the 15th. day of Dec, 1914, T. J. Thompson died seized and possessed of a certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated in the village of Chuckatuck, Nansemond County, Virginia, bounded on the south and west by the lands formerly owned by R. H. Tynes, now by M. W. Crumpler, on the north by the land formerly owned by Ann Hookey, and on the east by the main road leading from Smithfield to Suffolk, containing three-fourths of a acre, more or less,; and being the same land of which Margaret A. Godwin died seized and possessed, and conveyed by Zuline H. Riddick to George W. Thomas by deed dated the 18th. day of December, 1903, and by George W. Thomas to Isadore Thomas by deed dated the 4th day of April, 1911, and duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, and by Isadore Thomas and husband to Mary A. Carr, and by the said Mary A. Carr and husband to T. J. Thompson by deed dated the 28th. day of July, 1913, and recorded in said Clerk's Office in Deed Book 76, Page 142, which said last mentioned deed is herewith filed, marked "Exhibit A" and asked to be read as a part of this bill.

That the said T. J. Thompson died leaving W. T. Thompson, Cora Daily, Georgia Daily, Christopher C. Thompson, Hersey Thompson, Odell Thompson, Theodore Thompson, John L. Thompson, and Ruth Thompson, the last six named being infants, as his children and only heirs at law.

That some time before the death of T. J. Thompson, to-wit, on the 5th. day of June, 1914, your complainant obtained judgment against the said T. J. Thompson in the Circuit Court of Nansemond County for $109.95, with interest from March 23rd, 1914, and $7.45 cost, which judgment was duly docketed in said Clerk's Office on the 6th. day of June, 1914, and has not yet been satisfied in whole or in part.

That the said T. J. Thompson on the 4th. day of November, 1914, executed a deed of trust on said property to R. H. Rawles, Trustee for E. C. Gayle, which deed of trust is recorded in said Clerk's Office in Deed Book 77, Page 377; that on the 27th. day of March, 1914, the said T. J. Thompson executed to J. R. Saunders, Trustee, a deed of assignment for the benefit of creditors, which deed conveyed his personal property or a part thereof, and is recorded in said Clerk's Office in D. B. 75, Page 554.

That your complainant is advised and believes that the said trustee, J. R. Saunders, has in hand under the assignment the sum of $_____; that the said trustee has paid no part of the said sum to creditors, he deeming it prudent to hold the same subject to the court's instructions because of the mental condition of the said T. J. Thompson when the said deed of assignment was executed; and that the said trustee desires to make his settlement in this suit.

That on the 17th. day of February, 1915, the personal estate of T. J. Thompson, deceased, was committed to the hands of A. H. Baker, Sheriff of Nansemond County, and, as such, personal representative of T. J. Thompson, deceased.

That your complainant is advised and believes there is not enough personal property to pay the debts of the deceased; and that your complainant desires the said real estate to be sold and the proceeds applied to its judgment debt so far as necessary to pay the same, and the remainder divided among the parties entitled thereto according to their respective rights.

In tender consideration whereof and forasmuch as your complainant is remediless save in a court of equity where matters of this kind are alone and properly cognizable, your complainant prays that A. H. Baker,

Sheriff of Nansemond County, and, as such, personal representative of T. J. Thompson, deceased, R. H. Rawles, Trustee, E. C. Gayle, J. R. Saunders, Trustee, W. T. Thompson, Maude Thompson, Cora Daily, J. H. Daily, Georgia Daily, W. C. Daily, Christopher C. Thompson, Hersey Thompson, Odell Thompson, Theodore Thompson, John L. Thompson be made parties defendant to this bill, and required, but not on their oaths, to answer the same, the oaths being hereby waived, the said adults in their own proper persons, and the infants by guardian ad litem; that a proper guardian ad litem be appointed in this cause for said infants, who shall also answer this bill; that proper process issue; that the said real estate herein described be sold and proceeds applied to the payment of the said judgment debt, and the balance distributed among the parties entitled thereto in accordance with their respective rights; that all proper orders and decrees may be made, accounts taken, and enquiries directed; and that your complainant may have all such further and other and general relief in the premises as the nature of its case may require , or to equity shall seem meet.

Continental Cider Company, Incorporated

By H. Tourenne

its attorneys.

H. Tourenne

Counsel.

Continental Cedar Co
vs Bill

A. H. Baker Sheriff -
et als -

Bill Dismissed April 19, 1915:
G. E. Brinkley,
Clerk.

LAW OFFICES
Everett & Hutton
SUFFOLK, VA.

CIRCUIT COURT

SECOND MONDAY IN JANUARY, MAY, JULY AND OCTOBER

HON. JAMES L. McLEMORE, JUDGE
GEO. E. BUNTING, CLERK
S. E. EVERETT, COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY
ALEX H. BAKER, SHERIFF
C. R. FULGHAM, COUNTY TREASURER
LEE BRITT, COMMISSIONER OF ACCOUNTS

Nansemond County Clerk's Office

SUFFOLK, VA.,

Continental Coles Co. Plff.

v

A. H. Baker, Sheriff et als. Defts.

Process issued, returnable 1st 2nd Qfr. Rules 1915.

Qfr. Rules, 3rd Monday 1915. executed, bill filed & decree nisi.

May Rules 1st Monday 1915. Decree nisi confirmed & cause set for hearing.

Rule Notes.