

Case No. 3,891.

DICK ET AL. V. LAIRD.

{4 Cranch, C. C. 667.}¹

Circuit Court, District of Columbia.

Nov. Term, 1835.

RECEIVERS FOR PARTNERSHIP—CREDITOR'S BILL.

Upon a creditor's bill against the surviving partner of a mercantile firm, a receiver may be appointed.

This was a bill in equity by creditors against the surviving partner of the firm of John Laird & Son, for a settlement of the partnership accounts, &c, and for the appointment of a receiver.

The counsel for the plaintiffs cited *Blood good v. Clark*, 4 Paige, 576; *Vann v. Barnett*, 2 Brown, Ch. 158; *Creuze v. Bishop of London*, Id. 253; *Philips v. Atkinson*, Id. 272; *Jenkins v. Jenkins*, 1 Paige, 243; *Osborn v. Heyer*, 2 Paige, 342; *Harding v. Glover*, 18 Ves. 281.

The answer admitted all the material facts of the bill.

THE COURT (nem. con.) ordered a receiver to be appointed, and to give security in the sum of \$10,000.

{NOTE. For decision on the merits of this case, see Case No. 3,892.}

¹ [Reported by Hon. William Cranch, Chief Judge.]