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meaning by these words that the property mentioned in Exhibit C. has become his own right that he is indebted to the estate of his testatrix therefor.

9th That Complainants are advised and do charge that under the last will of H. D. Ordeman the property mentioned in Exhibit C. passed and became the property of the said Catharine Ordeman and as such passed under her estate as part thereof and as such ought to be sold and brought into the proceeds of the remainder of said estate to form part of said estate, but the said Executor as aforesaid utterly refuses so to do and insists upon his claim to the ownership of the same as herein set out.

10th That Complainants are advised that the sound and true Construction of the two wills herein mentioned will pass the property in Exhibit C. mentioned as part of the estate of Catharine Ordeman, yet that there is such doubt and uncertainty about the same that they are entitled to the aid of your Honorable Court in construing said Wills.

And Complainants pray for the following relief—

An interpretation by the Decree of your Honorable Court of the true and Efficacious meaning of the two wills Exhibits A. and B. and the ascertainment of the question as to the person who took the property mentioned in Exhibit C.

And for such other and further relief as his case may require

And Complainants pray for the usual process against the said Daniel T. Ordeman Executor of Catharine Ordeman and against the said Daniel Ordeman in his own right.

And as in duty bound &c &c.

Wm P. Manlaby Jr.
Atty. for Complts.

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Exhibit A.

The Last will of Mrs. Catharine Ordeman deceased } In the Name of God. Amen.

I. Catharine Ordeman of Frederick County in the State of Maryland, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following, that is to say—

After all my just debts and funeral Expenses are paid, I give devise and bequeath all my estate, real, personal and mixed to my dear husband Capt Herman D. Ordeman. In case my said husband should die before I do, I then will and direct that all of the property real & personal of which I shall die seized and possessed and wherever situated, Except as hereinafter Excepted, shall be sold by my Executors or the survivor of them and the proceeds divided as follows—

1st To my son John H. Ordeman I give one sixth.

2 To my son Daniel T. Ordeman I give one sixth, in trust, that he shall hold the same for the use and benefit of my daughter Georgianna Ordeman, with authority to invest and reinvest the same to the best advantage for my said daughter Georgianna, and to pay over to her or expend for her use the rents, interests or dividends receivable from the same as she shall require. And upon the death of my said daughter Georgianna, I then will and direct that the said one sixth herein before bequeathed in trust for her use shall be Equally divided between my children John H. Ordeman, Daniel T. Ordeman, Mary Catharine Price, Emma Cornelia Hughes and Daniel T. Ordeman in trust for the use and benefit of my son