died at the time alledged, that by his will he directed his wife Debrah Peare and family to retain the farm, that his children should be supported and educated, that his Exrs should dispose of any redundant stock and personal estate and invest the same together with the profits of the farm if any, agreeably to the provisions of the will These respondents admit that provision was made in said will for the appraisement of the whole of the testator's property both real & personal under the direction of the Orphans Court so soon as the said Complainant Caroline Matilda Peare attained the age of eighteen years and that the distribution under the appraisement was to be made in the manner charged in the bill These respondents admit that Debrah Peare and Charles Morgan Peare were to take the said real and personal estate at the appraised value, charged not only with the distributive shares of the children but also with their support until their arrival at the age of sixteen years These respondents admit that provision was made in the said will for the support of the said Thomas O & Rachel B. that they have received the benefits of the said provision, that they are now of the full age of twenty one years, and that the said Rachel B Peare has intermarried with the said John Mills These respondents admit that Debrah Peare and James Peare were appointed the executors of Joshua Peare, that they entered upon the office, and that the said Debrah refused to abide by the will These respondents admit that the Exrs have sold the personal estate and after paying all incumbrances on the fund have invested the residue for the benefit of the infant children of Joshua Peare These respondents admit that the period fixed by the testator for the appraisement of his property has arrived and that the same has been appraised and distribution made in accordance with the provisions of the will And now pray hence to be dismissed &c

John R Mills Rachel B Mills Thomas O. Peare

I agree to accept the above answer without oath

Wm I Ross Solr for Complainants

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Answer

The answer of Debrah Peare who answers not only for herself and in her own behalf, but also as the administratrix of Lucretia Clay Peare deceased to the Bill of Complaint of Caroline Matilda Peare filed in the Circuit Court for Frederick County as a Court of Equity by William Lowe her next friend against themselves and others. This respondent for answer to said bill of Complaint answers and says that she admits to be true as charged therein, that Joshua Peare, the father of the Complainant died either in the year eighteen hundred and forty four or five and that by his will duly executed to pass real estate he directed that his wife and family should retain his farm, that his children should be supported and educated, and that his executors should dispose of the personal estate and redundant stock on the farm and the proceeds together with the profits were to be invested agreeably to the provisions of the will This respondent admits that on the arrival at the age of eighteen years by the said Caroline Matilda Peare provision was made in the said will for the appraisement of the whole of the whole of the testators property, real and personal, under the direction of the Orphan's Court and this respondent admits that under the appraisement the distribution was to be made in the manner stated in the Bill

Answer

This defendant admits that the said Debrah Peare and Charles Morgan Peare were to take both the real & estate at the appraised value charged not only with the distributive shares of the children mentioned, but also with their support until their arrival at the age of sixteen years This respondent also admits that provision was made in said will for the support of Thomas O. Peare and Rachel B Peare and she admits that a provision was also made for the disposal of the said