therein and thereby Commanding them, and each of them on a Certain day, therein to be inserted, personally, or by Solicitor to be and appear before your Honor, in this Honble Court, then and there to answer, all & singular the premises, and to stand to & abide such order & Decree in the premises as to your Honor shall seem meet & agreeable to Equity &c And your Orator & Oratrix will ever pray &c.

Jas M. Palmer
Jacob M. Kunkel Solr

Exhibit A is in the words & figures following Vz.
In the name of God amen I John A M Smith of New Market Frederick County, and State of Maryland being sick & weak of body but of sound & disposing mind, memory & understanding Considering the certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world, when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last will & Testament, in manner and form following - that is to say First and principally I Commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the Earth to be decently buried, at the discretion of my Executrix, and Executor, hereinafter mentioned, or named, and after my debts and funeral charges are paid, and my wife's portion taken out - I devise & bequeath as follows. Second - I give to all & each of my servants freedom from all servitude whatever, to my heirs, or any other person, or persons - whenever they shall arrive to the age of Thirty five years.
Thus I give & bequeath, unto my brother Philemon W. Smith Sr of Montgomery County Thirty dollars. Fourth - I give and bequeath unto my Nephew Philemon W Smith Jr ~~Son~~ of Frederick County, ~~the sum~~ of Four Thousand Dollars 5th ~~Fourth~~. I give and bequeath, unto my Nephew Philemon W Smith of Washington County, my Gold Watch. Sixth - I give & bequeath unto my Nephew Nacy W Smith of Montgomery County the sum of One Hundred Dollars. Seventh I give and bequeath unto my sister Ann Thomas the sum of Two Hundred Dollars.
Eighth - I give and bequeath to my Nephews Wm P. Anderson, Henry M. Anderson, Chas. C. Anderson & Absalom Anderson - the sum of Three hundred Dollars. Ninth - I devise & bequeath all the rest & residue of the Estate both Real and personal, be Equally divided among such of the brothers Philemon W. Smith children as follows Thomas A. William A Chas C. Ann E. Mary A. - Joseph R Rachel Ann & Sarei
And Lastly - I do hereby Constitute, and appoint my dear wife Camilla A. & my nephew Philemon W Smith Jr to be sole Executors of this my last will & Testament, revoking & annulling all former wills heretofore by me made, ratifying & Confirming this & none other to be my last will & Testament. In Testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand, and affix my seal, this 22d day of December in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and forty Nine.

J A M Smith. (Seal)