No. 2501 Equity

The State of Maryland Frederick County to wit
At a Court Court of the Chancery Court of the State of
Maryland Sitting as a Court of Equity began and held at the
Court House in Frederick-Town in and for the County aforesaid
on the 6th March 1854 Present the Hon Madison Nelson Court
Judge Jerad C. O'Neal Esq' Sheff & Edw'. Shriver Clk
Among Other were the following proceedings to wit:

Adam I Hockensmith and others
vs
Elizabeth Shoemaker and others

Be it remembered that heretofore to wit on the 25th day of May 1853 Came the said Complainants into Court hereby Wm P Maulsby & Jno K Nelson Solicitors & files, in Court their Bill & Subps, - as follows Vis

To the Hon Madison Nelson Judge of the Chancery Court for Frederick County Sitting in Equity Humbly Complaining Shew unto your Honor, your Orators, and Oratrix Adam I Hockensmith John Kitzhaber, and Hannah I his wife Isaac Ohler and Hannah his wife, all of Frederick County, who sue for themselves and behalf of all other Creditors of Daniel Shoemaker late of Frederick County dec'd who may Come in and Contribute to the expenses of this suit, that the said Daniel Shoemaker in his life time, was indebted unto your Orator Adam Hockensmith in the sum of One Hundred and Seventy Dollars on his single Bill hereunto filed marked Exhibit No. 1. which with all other Exhibits herewith filed - your orators & oratrix pray - may be taken, and considered as parts of this their bill of Complaint, and unto your Oratrix Hannah, who has since intermarried with your Orator - John Kitzhaber, in the sum of Sixty Dollars on his single bill, herewith filed marked Exhibit No 2. and unto your Oratrix Hannah, who has since intermarried with your orator Isaac Ohler, in the sum of Sixty Dollars, on his single bill herewith filed marked Exhibit No 3. & to divers other persons in sundry sums of money And your orators & oratrix further Shew to your Honor that the said Daniel Shoemaker, in his lifetime being seized & possessed of a Considerable personal property, and of a Tract or parcel of Land, situate lying & being in Frederick County & Containing One Hundred acres, more or less on or about the 10 day of March 1852 duly made & executed his last will & Testament in writing, and thereby devised & bequeathed to his wife Elizabeth Shoemaker his Real Estate & personal property, the said personal property to belong absolutely to said Elizabeth, on her paying the debts of said Testator, and the said Real Estate to go to the said Elizabeth, for life, and on her death to be Equally divided amongst the three sons of the said Testator, all of which will more fully appear, from a Copy of said Last will, hereunto filed marked Exhibit No 4. and - your orators, and oratrix further Shew to your Honor that the said Daniel Shoemaker, departed this life after the -