

N<sup>o</sup> 2618. Equity.

The State of Maryland. Frederick County to wit: At a Circuit Court of the Third Judicial Circuit of the State of Maryland, sitting as a Court of Equity, held at the Court House in Frederick-Town, in & for the County aforesaid, on the seventh day of May Eighteen Hundred and fifty six.

Present The Hon<sup>ble</sup> Madison Nelson Circuit Judge.  
Israel C. DeKal Esq. S<sup>ts</sup>.  
Edw<sup>d</sup>. Shivers etc.

Among other were the following proceedings, to wit:

- Oscar P. Crumpton &
- Thomas A. Crumpton
- Benj<sup>m</sup>. P. Crumpton Robert S. Crumpton. Ann. E. Crumpton. Mary E. Crumpton. Charles D. Crumpton. John F. Crumpton Lewis W. Crumpton & Clinton F. Crumpton

Be it remembered, that heretofore to wit on the eighth day of June, one thousand eight hundred, and Fifty five - Came the said Oscar P. Crumpton & Thomas A. Crumpton - in the Court here by M. D. Luckett Solicitor, and files in Court here the following Bill, & Exhibits to wit:

To the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Madison Nelson, Judge of the Circuit Court, for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of Oscar P. Crumpton, & Thomas A. Crumpton of Frederick County - Respectfully Shows - That heretofore to wit, about the month of October, eighteen Hundred, and fifty four, Thomas Crumpton of Frederick County, departed this life, seized, and possessed of a large amount of Real Estate, lying in said County, a particular description of which is contained, the deeds by which he held said land, & Copies of which are herewith files marked respectively, exhibit N<sup>o</sup> 1. exhibit N<sup>o</sup> 2. exhibit N<sup>o</sup> 3. & exhibit N<sup>o</sup> 4. which with all exhibits, your orators pray may be taken as part of this their bill of Complaint. Your orators further show unto your Honor - That the said Thomas Crumpton died intestate, leaving the following Children his heirs at Law, to wit, your orators Oscar P. Crumpton, & Thomas A. Crumpton, Benjamin P. Crumpton, Robert S. Crumpton, Ann. E. Crumpton, Mary E. Crumpton, Char. D. Crumpton, John F. Crumpton Lewis W. Crumpton, and Clinton F. Campbell, Lewis W. Crumpton, all of whom reside in Frederick County, and all of whom are Infants, under the age of Twenty one years, except your orators Oscar P. & Thomas A. Crumpton.

Your orators further show, to your orators - That it will be for the Interest & advantage of all parties concerned, Infants as well as adults - That said Real Estate should be sold, and your orators hereby waive & disclaim their right of partition & Election, under the act, of 1830. ch. 191. That said defendants may answer the facts herein before stated & So the end thereof that said Real Estate may be sold, by a Trustee to be appointed by your Honorable Court, and the proceeds thereof, to be equally divided among the parties thereto entitled, and that your orators may have such other and further relief, as their case may require, may it please your Honor to grant to your orators, a writ of Subpoena, against the said Benjamin P. Crumpton, Robert S. Crumpton, Ann. E. Crumpton, Mary E. Crumpton, Charles D. Crumpton, John F. Crumpton, Lewis W. Crumpton, & Clinton F. Crumpton, commanding them, to be and appear in this Court in person, or by Solicitor, on a certain day to be therein, to answer the premises & to abide -