

State of Maryland, Frederick County, to wit: On the 5<sup>th</sup> day of August 1856 came David Keller, Adm<sup>r</sup> of Jonathan Keller late of Frederick County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangelly of Almighty God that the foregoing as stated is just and true to the best of his knowledge and belief and that he has paid or secured to be paid the several sums for which he has prayed an allowance which upon due examination is passed by the Orphans Court.

Test Geo. Hostkins, Reg<sup>r</sup>

State of Maryland, Frederick County, to wit I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the Original filed and recorded in the office of the Register of Wills for said County - In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of office this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August 1856.

Geo. Hostkins, Reg<sup>r</sup>

Petition of Elizabeth Keller Affidavit

Atkins vs Keller et al

No 2679 Equity. The Petition of Elizabeth Keller widow of Jonathan Keller prays your Honor that the real estate in this case mentioned may be sold free & unincumbered of her dower therein & that your Honor will allow her such portion of proceeds of sale as is right & proper & she will &c &c.

Elizabeth Keller &

No Frederick County, Oct. This 16<sup>th</sup> day of September 1856 before the Subscriber a Justice of the Peace of said County for said State, personally appeared John Coratz and made oath in due form of law, that he is acquainted with Elizabeth Keller widow of Jonathan Keller deceased, that her age is about forty four years and her state of health is delicate at this time,

Sworn before Wm J. Corvin

Petition of David Keller & Co. Order

Atkins vs Keller et al

No 2679 Equity In the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting in Equity. The Petition of David Keller Administrator of Jonathan Keller deceased respectfully shews to your Honor that after the filing of the Bill in this cause by John J. Atkins the complainant,

Your Orator paid the said Atkins the sum of nine dollars and twenty five cents due him, by Jonathan Keller deceased after which time your Orator settled his account with the estate of Jonathan Keller in the Orphans Court for Fred<sup>k</sup> County by which it was ascertained that said estate was indebted to him in the sum of nineteen dollars and ninety seven cents all of which will appear by a copy of said account filed with the Commissioner to take testimony to this Petition & which he prays may be taken as a part thereof. Your Orator therefore prays your Honor that he may be substituted as complainant for the said Atkins that your Honor will proceed to pass a Decree as prayed for the sale of said real estate and that he may have such relief in the premises as fully as the said Atkins could have obtained & as in duty bound, &c. - Bradley J. Johnson, Sol<sup>r</sup> for Keller.

Ordered by the Court this 22<sup>d</sup> day of Sept. 1856 that the prayer of the petitioner be granted & that he be substituted in the place & to the rights of Atkins, M. Nelson

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