

Lloyd S. Duvall vs Mrs. Plummer wife et al

No 2907 Equity, In the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity.

The Answer and Consent of Edward Dean and wife Noble Dean Mary Dean and Catharine Dean to the Bill of Complaint of Lloyd S. Duvall in this Court exhibited.

Answer to Bill

These defendants admit all the matters and things stated and charged in the Complainant's Bill to be true to the best of their knowledge and belief, except that they do not know of any transactions between the Complainant and Mrs. Plummer before her death or between the said Mrs. Plummer and any other person or persons as a company from whom the said Complainant claims and that they do not know whether the claims marked Exhibit A. and Exhibit B. in Complainant's Bill are justly due to Complainant or to any person or persons for whom the said Complainant sues or sues and therefore these defendants cannot either admit or answer the said claims but will submit to such decree in the premises as may in Equity and good conscience be right.

And these defendants admitting all the matters and things alleged and praying in said Bill of Complaint and claiming the benefit of all exceptions thereto consent that the real estate which Mrs. Plummer died seized and possessed of may be sold as prayed and distributed according to Equity and good conscience amongst her lawful creditors if any.

And these defendants pray that after all just and proper debts and expenses are paid out of said Real Estate that the balance of the money proceeds of said Real Estate be distributed between the heirs at Law of said Mrs. Plummer in equal shares equally according to Law and as in duty bound they ever pray.

James T. Smith Sol for Defendants

Order to issue

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The Clerk of the Circuit Court of Frederick County office issue a Commission to Myron Hobbs Esq. to take testimony in this Cause

John A. Lynch Sol for Complt

Common Pleas

Maryland Act The State of Maryland to Myron Hobbs Esquire of Frederick County Esquire. Be it known that you are appointed Commissioner to examine affidavits in a cause depending in the Circuit Court for Frederick County as a Court of Equity between Lloyd S. Duvall Complainant and John Plummer wife William Noble wife Edward Dean wife Mary Dean Catharine Dean and Noble Dean defendants. You are therefore required having first taken the oath