

If dead - When and where did he die?

4th Sub. ~ Did the said Joseph Ovelman die testate or intestate? And did he or not leave a widow - or was he unmarried?

5th Sub. State if you know, what heirs at law the said Joseph Ovelman left - the name of each, which of them are married and which single, the degree of relationship which each of them bears to said Joseph Ovelman? with whom those of them who are married intermarried - And whether or not they are all over the age of 21 years or whether any of them, and if any, which of them, are under the age of twenty one years - And whether or not they and each of them are still living? State fully all your knowledge hereon.

6th Sub. Do you know Elizabeth Ovelman the Defendant? If yes, where does she reside? Is she married or unmarried? Is she of sound mind or is she a lunatic, and of unsound mind? State fully all your knowledge hereon.

7th Sub. ~ Did the said Joseph Ovelman at the time of his death have any, and if any, what real estate and where situated, and of what description, and look at Exhibit A. filed in this case, and now shown you? And state whether or not said Exhibit contains a true description of the land and real estate left by said Joseph Ovelman?

8th Sub ~ Is or is not the said real Estate susceptible of division amongst those entitled to the same, without loss and disadvantage to them? And whether or not it would be to the advantage of all the parties interested in said real Estate, the lunatic as well as the rest, that the said real estate be sold, and the proceeds divided amongst them.

9th Sub ~ State fully your reasons for the opinions which you have given in answer to the 8th Interrogatory, relative to the division or sale of the said real Estate?

10th Sub. ~ Do you know of any thing further in relation to the matters involved in this suit?

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Geo. H. Shellman
Soll. for Complainants

Cross Interrogatories

Cross Interrogatories to be propounded to witnesses produced by Complainants.

1st Sub. How long has Elizabeth Ovelman been of unsound mind and what is the cause of such unsoundness of mind?

2nd Sub. Give an instance of her conduct, or one of her expressions from which you infer she is of unsound mind?

3rd Sub. What is the probable value of the real Estate?

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C. V. Levy
Soll. for Lunatic now resident Deft.
by order of Court

Testimony

At the execution of the annexed Commission issued out of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, and to me directed and empowering me to examine Evidences in the cause therein depending between Elizabeth Levy and others, as Complainants, and Elizabeth Ovelman as Defendant, J. William B. Nelson, Commissioner therein named, did, on the ninth day of January, Eighteen Hundred and Seventy-two, at my Office in Frederick City, Md. upon due notice to the parties, Complainants and