Complainant which contract was not carried out and is willing to abandon the same

This Respondent admits that the said lands cannot be divided without loss or injury to the parties interested and consents to a decree for a sale of the same reserving the growing crops and the right under the Audit to charge the proceeds of sale accruing to said Susanna E Shaw with the sum advanced to said Susanna E Shaw by her father the said Solomon Kruse in his lifetime as stated in his answer to the Original Bill her portion of the Personal Estate being wholy insufficient to discharge said sum so advanced

And your Respondent prays hence to be dismissed

Wm J Rose
Solicitor for Elbridge G Kruse

Filed Sept 1 1875.

Petition of S E Shaw

To the Hon the Judges of the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting in Equity.

Your Petitioner Susanna E Shaw respectfully shows unto your Honors that since filing the amended Bill in this case James Crouse who is made one of the parties Defendant in said cause is the husband of Elmira Crouse one of said Defendants has obtained out of your Hon Court a decree of divorce from the said Elmira Crouse a vinculo matrimonii and that he has no longer any interest in said cause as will appear by reference to Exhibit 1 to this petition. Your Petitioner thereupon prays your Honors to pass an order directing that the name of said James Crouse be stricken out of the bill and other proceedings in said cause.

Fred J. Nelson
Sol for Petitioner.

Filed Sept 6 1875

Order of Court

Ordered this 6th day of September 1875 that the name of James Crouse one of the Defendants in this cause be and the same is hereby stricken out of the Bill of Complaint and other proceedings in said cause

John A Lynch
Judge of the Cir Court.

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Copy Decree of Divorce

James M Crouse vs. Elmira J Crouse } No 4016 Equity. In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, as a Court of Equity.

May Term 1875

This cause standing ready for a hearing the Bill Answer Depositions and other proceedings were by the Court read and considered.

It is thereupon this 13th day of July in the year 1875 by the Circuit Court for Frederick County as a Court of Equity and by the authority thereof adjudged ordered and decreed that the said James M Crouse the above named Complainant be and he is hereby decreed a Vinculo Matrimonii, from the Defendant Elmira J Crouse. And it is further ordered that the said James M Crouse pay the costs of this proceeding.

John A Lynch
Judge of the Cir Court.

Seal of Circuit

True Copy Test,

Filed Sept 6. 1875.

Thomas Gorsuch Clerk