

and David Calvin Gilbert, who are children of Follie Gilbert, dec'd. who was a sister of said Catharine Steffen and died before the said Catharine. 3<sup>d</sup> Ezra J. Steffen a brother married to Martha J. Steffen 4<sup>th</sup>. David Steffen a brother 5<sup>th</sup>. Valentine Steffen, Susannah Proderman wife of Geo. B. Woodman, and Harriet Loretta Steffen, who are children of Geo. Steffen dec'd. who was a brother of said Catharine Steffen and died before said Catharine. 6<sup>th</sup> Mary A. Dull, wife of Philip Dull, Dennis Steffen married to Sarah Steffen, Perry Steffen married to Elizabeth Steffen, John Steffen married to Nancy J. Steffen and Catharine Snyder wife of Harry Snyder, who are children of Charlotte Steffen dec'd. who was a sister of said Catharine Steffen and who died before said Catharine. 7<sup>th</sup>. Edward Steffen married to Catharine Steffen, Joseph Steffen married to Elizabeth Steffen, John Steffen, married to Hannah Steffen, Henry Steffen, married to Margaret Steffen, Michael Steffen married to Amanda Steffen, Thomas Steffen married to Mary Steffen, S. W. Steffen, married to Elizabeth Steffen, Ezra Steffen married to Ann Steffen, Daniel Steffen. Lydia Ann Gantz wife of Martin Gantz, Elizabeth Young wife of Jas. H. Young, and Jane Dull wife of John Dull, who are children of Michael Steffen dec'd. who was a brother of said Catharine Steffen dec'd. and who died before said Catharine.

- That all of said heirs at law are adults with the exception of said Harriet Loretta Steffen, who is an infant and who resides in South Warsaw, Allen County, in the State of Ohio, that said real estate will not admit of division among said heirs at law without injury and loss, but it will be to the interest and advantage of all of said heirs at law, infant as well as adults, for said real estate to be sold and the proceeds distributed among them. In tender consideration whereof and for that your Complainants are remediless in the premises by the strict rules of the Commonlaw and allowable only in a Court of Equity where matters and things of this nature are properly cognizable. To the end therefore, that said Harriet Loretta Steffen may answer the premises fully and particularly, and that said real estate may be sold for the purpose aforesaid, and that your Complainants may have all such other and further relief as the nature of the case may require and to you Honors shall seem just, May it please your Honors to order and direct that a Commission be issued to two suitable persons residing near said Harriet Loretta Steffen, who is a non resident infant as aforesaid, authorizing and empowering them to take the answer of said infant to this bill of Complaint by a Guardian to be appointed for that purpose, that she may abide by and perform such order or decree as may be passed in the premises and as in duty bound will ever pray &c.

Melton J. Hines,  
Sol. for Complt's.