

No. 5041 Equity

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Catharine Musbau, Rebecca Wächter
and Susanna Wächter, and Lewis H.
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In the Circuit Court
for Frederick County
as a
Court
of
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To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, as a Court of Equity - The Petitioners of Margaret Schindler, Theodore Schindler, Mary C. Goms, Edward C. Herring, Joanna Ramsburg, Amanda Wise, Susan Eastiday, Elizabeth Derr, Elizabeth Hains, Rebecca Measel, Mary Ann Gimmersman, Catharine Musbau, Rebecca Wächter, and Susanna Wächter and Lewis H. Reese, respectfully state

1. That a certain Jacob Reese late of Frederick County departed this life in or about the month of March in the year Eighteen Hundred and Seventy - Two leaving a last Will and Testament which has been duly probated in the Orphans Court of Frederick County, a certified copy whereof is herewith filed as part hereof marked Exhibit No. 1.
2. That by his said last Will and Testament the said Jacob Reese devised to his widow Catharine Reese during her lifetime only his home and Lot of Ground situated on North Market street in Frederick City in Frederick County in the State of Maryland, and after her death he ordered and directed that the same be sold to the highest bidder by his executor therein named, as also a Lot of Ground with an old home thereon lying on the East side of the Potomac River containing half an acre of Land more or less, the proceeds of Sale of said Real Estate to be divided into three shares viz One Share to the heirs of his deceased Sister Elizabeth Schindler, One Share to the heirs of his deceased Sister Catharine Wertz, and the other Share to the heirs of his deceased Brother John Reese, the same to be paid over by said Executor to those entitled according to the directions of said Will.
3. That said Real Estate is described in certified Copies of Deeds herewith filed as part hereof marked respectively Exhibits Nos 2, 3, and 4.
4. That said Jacob Reese by his said Will constituted and appointed a certain John Derr to be Executor thereof.
5. That before the Testator said Jacob Reese ^{died} the said John Derr the Executor in said Will died.
6. That subsequent to the death of the said John Derr the Executor named in said Will, a Codicil was prepared thereto which was designed to constitute and appoint a certain John D. Geyendanner Executor of said Will but said Codicil was never signed or executed and said Codicil was of no force or effect

Exhibit
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