

No. 5756 Equity

- (3) Amelia J. Brundage, wife of Nelson J. Brundage, both adults and residents of the State of Ohio.  
 (4) Emma L. Brundage, wife of Henry L. Brundage, both adults and residents of Washington County, Md.  
 (5) Annie R. Cokerly an unmarried adult, who resides in Baltimore City.  
 (6) Harriet J. Cokerly an unmarried adult, who resides in Washington County.  
 (7) John C. Cokerly an unmarried adult who lives in Washington County, Md.  
 (8) Charles L. Cokerly an unmarried adult who lives in Washington County.  
 (9) Jessie E. Cokerly an unmarried adult who lives in Washington County.  
 (10) William E. Cokerly an infant, under twenty one years who lives in Washington County.  
 (9) And also the following nephews and nieces being the children of William A. Riddlemeyer a deceased brother of James L. and who died before him, viz—  
 (1) Benjamin Dille, wife of Sarah A. Dille both adults and residents of Washington County, Md.  
 (2) Antoinette Brennan (who is called Brenner in the Bill) wife of Dallas M. Brenner both adults and residents of Washington County, Md.  
 (3) Ida L. McClary wife of Alfred M. McClary, she lives in Washington County and her husband's residence is not known.  
 (4) Emma J. Uhler, wife of Thomas M. Uhler both adults and, reside in Washington County.  
 (5) Effie Hatcher, wife of Lemington Hatcher both adults and, residents of Washington County.  
 (6) Franklin R. Riddlemeyer an unmarried adult, who lives in Washington County.  
 (7) William J. Riddlemeyer an unmarried adult who lives in Washington County.

5<sup>th</sup> Int. State whether or not said real estate can be divided among said heirs at law without loss and injury thereto, and give your reasons for your answer?  
 Ans. It certainly cannot be divided among them without great loss and injury, because the parcels are not susceptible of any advantageous division and the parties are so numerous that to divide the land among them would be to cut it up into parcels too small for advantageous sale or cultivation.

6<sup>th</sup> Int. Would it be to the interest and advantage of all said parties both infants and adults that the said land be sold and the proceeds be distributed amongst said parties according to their respective interests therein?

Ans. I think it would.

To the Gen. Int. by the Examiner

Ans. I don't know of any thing further.

(Signed) Clinton A. Riddlemeyer

Amelia R. Riddlemeyer a witness of lawful age produced on the part of the Plaintiff being duly sworn and Examined to Interrogatories, deposes and says as follows—

1<sup>st</sup> Int. State your name, age and residence and do you know the parties to this suit?

Ans. Amelia R. Riddlemeyer age 52 years, M<sup>o</sup> Pleasant. I know the parties to this suit?

2<sup>d</sup> Int. Did you know James L. Riddlemeyer late of Frederick County? If you is he living or dead? If dead when and where did he die? and did he die testate or intestate?

Ans. I knew him. He was my brother. He is dead. He died on the 25 of May 1888 at M<sup>o</sup> Pleasant in this County and left no will.

3<sup>d</sup> Int. Did the said James L. Riddlemeyer die seized and possessed of any real estate in Frederick County? If you describe it, state its quantity and value? Look at Exhibits Nos 1, 2, 3 & 4 (now shown you) and state whether they describe the same?

Ans. He did. It consists of a farm of about 76 acres and a plot containing about 3/4 of an acre with improvements. I suppose it is worth about \$3000—  
 Look at said Exhibits and they describe the said lands.

4<sup>th</sup> Int. Did the said James L. Riddlemeyer leave a widow or children or any other heirs at law? If you state their names, ages and residences?