No. 5149 Equity

Answer of Ida E. Smith et al

Libertytown, February 1st 1886.

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

We the undersigned children of George W. Hammond late of Frederick County Maryland deceased, having been summoned to answer a bill in Equity, - to get a decree to sell the real Estate of the said Geo. W. Hammond deceased, And as relying upon your wisdom and love of Justice, and the provisions and directions of our fathers will - We submit to your Honors that his will ought to be sustained, and that the farm ought not to be sold untill the youngest child shall become of age, according to the provisions in said bill contained. —

Most respectfully submitted by

Witness
Albert C. Smith

Ida E. Smith
Augusta A. Hammond
Charles C. Hammond
Charles J. Smith

Filed Feby. 10. 1886.

On the 25th day of January 1886 was filed in said Cause the Petition of Plaintiff setting forth "they have since discovered that they overlooked a Judgment rendered by Ephraim Stone a Justice of the Peace for Frederick County on the 8th day of May A.D. 1877 in favor of Zimmerman & Hartsock against Elijah A Hammond and John A Hammond and superseded by Ephraim R Smith, for sixty Eight & 29/100 dollars debt and $1.05 Costs which Judgment was recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County and a copy of which is filed herewith as Exhibit No 15" (see Page 75) read Upon which petition is endorsed the following Order of Court. —

Court Order

"Upon the foregoing petition it is ordered by the Court this 25 day of January A.D. 1886, that the bill of Complaint in the foregoing case be amended by making Zimmerman and Hartsock and Ephraim R Smith, Parties Defendants and that Process issue against them in the usual form.

John A. Lynch
Judge of the Cir. Court

Filed January 25. 1886

Petition of Plaintiff

G. O. Hammond vs others
Jno P. Hammond vs others

No. 5149 Equity
In the Circuit Court for Frd'k Co.

To the Honorable the Judges of said Court.

The petition of Julia V. Hammond, respectfully shews that she is named in the above case as a party defendant, and she prays that she may be made a party Plaintiff, mutatis mutandis.

Milton G. Urner
Solicr. for Petitioner

Ordered by the Court this 9th day of February A.D. 1886, that Julia V. Hammond the above petitioner be made a party Plaintiff in the above case.

John A. Lynch
Judge of the Cir. Court.

Filed February 10. 1886.