

No. 6202. *Ority*

Richard H. Grove a witness of lawful age produced on the part of the Plaintiff being duly sworn and examined *Voix Voce* deposed and says as follows.

My name is Richard H. Grove, my age 52 years, I reside in Frederick County and know the parties to this suit.

I know Ann R. Grove late of Frederick County, she was my mother; she is dead; she died in Frederick County in Nov. 5. 1893 and left no will.

She died seized and possessed of about 72 acres of land situated in Frederick County and fully described in Exhibit No. 1, now shown me and about 5 Acres situated in Washington County which she obtained from the Sheple Estate also; but for which I don't think she ever received a deed though she bought and paid for the land. The entire real Estate is worth about \$3500. =

She said Ann R. Grove left surviving her the following Children and Grand Children viz -

1. A son John W. Grove, who is unmarried,
2. A son Richard H. Grove, (present witness) who is unmarried
3. A son Dewitt C. Grove, who is unmarried,
4. A son Peter J. Grove, whose wife's name is Lucy S. Grove.
5. A daughter Blanche C. Erone now the wife of Samuel Erone.
6. A daughter Fannie M. Grove who is unmarried,
7. A daughter Rebecca V. Bortges who is married to Geo. A. Bortges
8. A daughter Mary C. Snyan who died before her mother leaving as her heirs

at law the following Children viz -

1. Henrietta C. who is now the wife of Benj. F. Rhodes
2. Lizzie M. who is now the wife of a Mr. Jackson whose Christian name I do not know.
3. Ella M. Snyan, who is unmarried,
4. Lettie D. Snyan, who is unmarried,
5. Charles G. Snyan, who is unmarried,
6. John W. Snyan, who is unmarried, and
7. Clifford Snyan, who is unmarried,

All of said Children and Grand Children are residents of the State of Maryland, excepting Benj. F. Rhodes and Henrietta C. Rhodes, his wife; Lizzie M. Jackson and her husband, Ella M. Snyan, Lettie D. Snyan, Charles G. Snyan, John W. Snyan, and Clifford Snyan who are non-residents of the State of Maryland residing in the State of Ohio; and all are a child, excepting Ella Snyan, Lettie D. Snyan, John W. Snyan and Clifford Snyan, who are infants under 21 years of age.

The said real Estate is not susceptible of being divided among said heirs at law without loss or injury because the heirs are too numerous and the land is not situated so as to be capable of division; I think it will be to the interest and advantage of all the parties to have the land sold and the proceeds divided among them.

So the Jur. Sub. by the Exam.

Ans. I do not,

Richard H. Grove.

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