

No. 7913 Equity

Answer of Silas Richards
and wife et al }

Filed July 13-1905.

Glew H. Hoffman,

Amanda ^(W) le. Richards
et al }No. 7913 Equity,
In the Circuit Court for
Frederick County, in
Equity.

The joint and several answer of Silas Richards and Mary le. Richards, his wife, William Richards Rachel Husz, and James Husz, her husband, to the bill of Complaint of Glew H. Hoffman, against them and others in this cause exhibited.

- This defendants, answering Say:-
1. That as to the first clause of the first paragraph of said bill they have no knowledge of her indebtedness from Jerry A. Richards to Amanda le. Richards for \$100. as alleged in said bill, and therefore, neither admit nor deny said claim, but let the plaintiff to his proof of the same; and answering the second clause of said paragraph, these defendants say that any money expended by said Amanda le. Richards for and on account of said Jerry A. Richards since his death, was without his request and direction and authority of his brothers and sisters and heirs at law, without authority of law, and that such payment does not by assignment subrogate the plaintiff in this cause to the rights of the creditors of said Jerry A. Richards
 2. These defendants answering the 3rd, 3rd, and 4th paragraphs of said bill admit the matters and things therein alleged.
 3. These defendants answering the 5th paragraph of said bill, say they believe it would be to the best interest of all concerned that the real estate mentioned in these proceedings should be sold under the power of Sale in these proceedings should be sold under the power of Sale in the mortgage of said Jerry A. Richards and wife to William C. Mercer mentioned as Exhibit No. 3.
 4. Answering the 6th and 7th paragraphs of said bill these defendants admit the matters and things therein contained.
 5. And these defendants further answering said bill say that the plaintiff, said Glew^H Hoffman has