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aforesaid, leaving Surviving him a widow, Ann E. Specht, and the following heirs at large, viz. Jacob Specht, a brother and the Children of Catharine Wagner, a deceased Sister, the Children of Barbara Grimes, a deceased Sister, and the Children of Susan Gore, a deceased Sister to whom the said real estate descended, in fee simple as tenants in Common, a part, of which said real estate was sold and distributed among his heirs, and the residue, of said real estate was duly assigned in two seperate parts, to said Ann E. Specht, widow, as and for her dower, the first part of said dower, consisting of 53 acres 3 roods 30 perches of land, more or less, and the second thereof consisting of 20 acres of land, more or less, as will appear by a duly certified copy of the final decree ratifying the Commissioners return made in No. 4019. Equity, and recorded in Liber J. G. No. 3. folio 437, Records in the Clerk's office of the Circuit for Frederick County, which certified copy is filed herewith as part hereof, marked Exhibit A.

2. That on or about October 10th, 1900, the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, caused a jury of inquest to Condemn 6.08 Acres of the said 53 acres 3 roods 30 perches tract, as will appear by a duly certified copy of the inquisition and the ratification thereof by the Circuit Court for Frederick County, which certified copy is filed herewith as part hereof marked Exhibit "B".

3. That the said Ann E. Specht, widow on May 3rd, 1912, and that said two tracts of land, so assigned as aforesaid to said Ann E. Specht, widow as and for her dower, are, subject to the interest of the said Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company acquired therein by the aforesaid inquisition, now owned, seized and possessed by your orator and the defendants in this cause, in fee simple, as tenants in common as the heirs at law of the said David Specht, deceased and their heirs assignees and grantees, as follows:-

viz:-

A. Your Orator, J. Bowers Myers, who acquired the undivided interest therein of Louis Specht, and Mary E. Specht, his wife, a son and heir at law of the aforesaid Jacob Specht, deceased, who died intestate, as will appear by duly certified copy of two deeds filed herewith as part hereof marked Exhibits C and D, respectively; and the defendants, Jacob Specht Jr. Widower, and David L. Specht, and Ely Specht, his wife, residents of Howard County, Maryland, and sons and heirs at law of the aforesaid Jacob Specht, deceased. Joseph Specht whose residence, (if living) is unknown, a grandson of the aforesaid