

NO. 9138 EQUITY.

Charles W. harshman and Laura V. Harshman
his wife; Alta V. Gressnickle and Harvey R.
Gressnickle, her husband.

No. 9138 Equity,

In the Circuit Court for

VS.

Frederick County, sitting

EMMERT L. HARSHMAN LUNATIC; AND VADA E.

as a Court of Equity.

HARSHMAN WIDOW OF DANIEL L. HARSHMAN

DECEASED.

The Bill of Complaint of Charles W. Harshman and Laura V. harshman, his wife, Alta V. Gressnickle and harvey R. Gressnickle, her husband, all of frederick County, in the State of Maryland, respectfully shows unto your Honors--

First--That David L. Harshman, late of Frederick County, but now deceased, was in his lifetime and at the time of his death seized and possessed of several pieces or parcels of mountain land lying and being in Frederick County, containing in the aggregate thirty acres of land, more or less, and being the same property which the said David L. harshman acquired by virtue of the following deeds--

- (1) By deed from Martin L. Freshour, Executor, bearing date the 29th day of March, in the year 1903, and recorded in liber H. W. B. no. 306 folio 171;
- (2) By deed from Alta V. Gressnickle et. al., bearing date April 3rd, 1909 and recorded in liber H. W. B. no. 306 folio 171.
- (3) By deed from Alta V. Gressnickle et. al., bearing date the 11th day of February A. D. 1911, and recorded in liber H. W. B. No. 306 folio 172;

All of which said deeds are duly recorded among the land records of Frederick County, as will appear by reference to certified copies of the same which are filed herewith marked respectively Exhibits A B and C, which together with all other exhibits filed herewith, it is prayed may be taken and considered as a part of this bill of Complaint.

Second--That the said David L. harshman, being seized and possessed as aforesaid, departed this life intestate on or about the day of February A. D. 1914, leaving surviving him no father or mother, but a widow, Vada E. Harshman, one of the above named defendants; a brother, Charles W. Harshman, whose wife's name is Laura V. harshman; a sister, Alta B. Gressnickle, who inter-married with one Harvey R. gressnickle; and Emmert L. harshman, a brother who has been duly adjudged a lunatic and who is now an inmate of the State Hospital at Springfield in Garrell County State of Maryland.

Third. That the property herein mentioned is not susceptible of division without great loss and injury to the parties hereunto entitled and it would be to the benefit and advantage of all the parties hereto and especially to the said Emmert L. Harshman, lunatic, that the property hereinbefore mentioned be sold under the direction of your Honorable Court and the proceeds distributed among the parties thereunto entitled.

To the end therefore--

(a) That the property mentioned in this Bill of Complaint may be sold by a trustee or trustees to be appointed by your Honorable Court and the proceeds thereof distributed among the parties thereunto entitled under the direction of your Honorable Court.

(b) And for such other and further relief as the nature and equity of the case may require.

May it please your Honors to grant unto your complainants a writ of subpoena in the usual form against the said Vada E. harshman, widow of Daniel L. Harshman, deceased and Emmert L. Harshman lunatic, commanding them to be and appear in Your Honorable Court either in person or by solicitor on some day certain to be named therein and answer the premises and abide by and perform such