a party defendant in this cause, is intended and has been produced only by a desire to delay, hinder and annoy, this respondant and complainant in its attempt to enforce the kortgage sought to be foreclosed, and in the collection ofa debt justly due to it.

6th. That said petitioner does not allege that he has any lien on the property covered by the mortgage set forth in the Bill and exhibit theretoo filed in this cause, or that he has any interest in said property or the proceeds thereof different from any other creditor of said Augustus H. Ebert, Bankrupt.

7th. That this respondant denies that petitioners has any meritorious defence to offer as a reason why the mortgage in this cause should not be foreclosed, or the prayer of the Bill should not be grahted.

8th. That this respondent believes, and so charges, that the trustees in Bankruptcy of said Augustus H. Ebert and Of Elizabeth Ebert, his wife, who are parties defendant in this cause are able and willing and desirous to make every proper defence, but that they are not willing to engage in litigation merely for the purpose of delay and to hinder and harass the Complainant in the prosecution of its rights; they not being willing to incur the possibility of having to pay the costs and charges out of the estate in their hands to the detriment of those interested in said estate. For the above reasons and for others to be made known at the hearing this respondant objects to the said Michael F. Seachrist being made a party defendant in this cause, and demurs to the allegations of the petition as being sufficient in law to authorize or warrant your Honorable Court in passing any order making him a party.

John S. Newman

Filed Feby, 26-1908.

Sol. for Central National Bank of Frederick Md.

ANSWER OF EMORY L. COBLENTZ AND CHARLES C. WATERS TO PETITION OF MICHAEL F. SEACHRIST.

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