

1st. That in the month of March 1889, one Daniel Ramsburg of Frederick County, Maryland, departed this life intestate, seized and possessed of several parcels of land lying and being in Frederick County, Maryland, which real estate is fully described in certified copies of deeds conveying the same to him which was filed with the original Bill as Exhibits 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and prayed to be filed herewith as Exhibits Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, deducting therefrom that described in Exhibit filed with the original Bill as Exhibit No. 7, herewith filed as Exhibit No. 7, which exhibits with such other Exhibits as the Plaintiff may file herewith, it is prayed may be admitted as a part hereof.

2nd. That the said Daniel Ramsburg left surviving him, a widow named Savilla E. Ramsburg, one of the plaintiffs who is Fifty years old, and that he had another son Isaac Ramsburg who many years ago left the State of Maryland and whose whereabouts and whether he be living or dead is unknown to the plaintiffs and who if dead whether he left any children or heirs at law names and residents, if they be yet living, an unknown to the Plaintiff.

1. Jane Wachter, whose husbands name is Lewis Wachter.
2. Sopia Stull a daughter, .. .. Alexander Stull.
3. Mahala Selby .. .. Edward Selby.
4. Amanda Powell .. .. John Powell.
5. Matilda Nickum .. .. James Nickum.
6. John Ramsburg a son
7. Cornelius Ramsburg, a son whose wives name is Sarah Ramsburg,
8. George W. Ramsburg a son,
9. Charles M. Ramsburg, a son,
10. Wilber D. Ramsburg, a son,

11. Mary A. E. Ramsburg, a daughter, all of whom are adults over twenty one years of age, with the exception of George W. Charles M. Milton D. and Mary A. E. Ramsburg, who are infants under twenty one years of age.

3rd. That on the death of the said Daniel Ramsburg the real estate above mentioned described to and vested is the above named heir at law as tenant in common, subject to the dower right of his said widow, who is willing that the same should be sold free of her dower, she to receive in lieu thereof so much money as under the rules of your Honorable Court is usually allowed.

4th. That all of said parties reside in Frederick County, Maryland, with the exception of James Nickum and Matilda Nickum his wife, and John Ramsburg, who resides in the State of Pennsylvania and are not residents of Maryland, Edward Selby and Mahala Selby his wife, who reside in the State of Missouri and John Powell and Amanda Powell, his wife, who are not residents of Maryland, but are supposed to reside in the State of Kansas, and the said Isaac Ramsburg his unknown heirs if they be dead whose names and residents are unknown.

5th. That said Real Estate is not susceptible of division among said heirs at law, without great loss and damage, and it would be to the interest and advantage of all of them to have the same sold and the proceeds divided among them.

6th. That in his lifetime Daniel Ramsburg advanced out of his estate to his said children Jane Wachter, Sophia Stull, Mahala Stull, Amanda Powell, Matilda Nickum, John Ramsburg, and Cornelius Ramsburg, each the sum of one thousand dollars, which was at the time was given to them and each of them as advancements out of and as a part of their share of the estate of the said Daniel Ramsburg and was received by them as such, which amounts should be brought into hotch potch, when the proceeds of said real estate are distributed by your Honorable Court. And the Plaintiff prays for the following reliefs

1st. That a subpoena may be issued to the said George W. Ramsburg, Charles M. Ramsburg, Milton D. Ramsburg, Mary A. E. Ramsburg, Lewis Wachter and Jane Wachter, his wife, Alexander Stull and Sophia Stull, his wife, and Cornelius Ramsburg and Sarah Ramsburg his wife, of Frederick County, Maryland, and making them and each of them to be and appear in this Honorable Court on some certain day to be named therein to answer the premises and abide by and perform such decree as may be passed therein.

2nd. That an order of publication may be granted notifying the nonresidents, James Nickum and Matilda Nickum, his wife, John Ramsburg, Edward Selby and Mahala Selby his wife, John Powell and Amanda