

aforesaid of said last will and testament, and the proceeds to be divided accordingly to the terms of said residuary clause.

(15) That inasmuch as the said devisees and surviving children of the said testator are likewise the executors of said last will and testament, the conflict in their respective views as to the true construction of said last will and testament make it impossible for said executors to proceed in the further administration of their trust under the terms and provisions of the last will and testament of the said testator; and that your orators are advised that the said executors are entitled to have the advise and direction of your Honorable Court so that the true construction of said last will and testament may be had and that they may be advised as to what is the proper course for them to pursue in the further administration of the estate of the said Peter H. Shriner, deceased.

(16) That the said Frances J. Shriner, executor as aforesaid, declines to unite with the said Mary E. Morris, executrix as aforesaid, for the purpose of having your Honorable Court determine what is the true meaning and construction of said last will and testament of Peter H. Shriner, deceased, and of obtaining the advise and direction of your Honorable Court in the further administration of their duties as executors.

To the end therefore.

FIRST. That this Court may take jurisdiction in the premises and may devise and direct said executors in the further administration of the estate of the said Peter H. Shriner, deceased,

SECOND. That your orators may have such other and further relief as their case may require.

May it please your Honorable Court to grant unto your orator the writ of subpoena directed to the said Francis J. Shriner, individually, and Francis J. Shriner, executor of Peter H. Shriner, deceased, and Dr. Milton M. Morris, adult defendants, all residing in Carroll County, in the State of Maryland, commanding them, and each of them, to be and appear in this Court on some certain day, to be named therein, and answer the premises and abide by and perform such decree as may be passed therein,

And as in duty bound etc.,

George L. Stocksdale

Bond & Park
SOLICITORS.

1915. November 29th.

EXHIBIT "A" TO THE BILL OF COMPLAINT.

I, Peter H. Shriner of Carroll County in the State of Maryland, being of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding do make this my last will and testament, in manner and form following, that is to say:

First principally, I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth to be decently buried; and after my just debts, funeral charges and suitable tombstones to be erected at my grave are paid. I devise and bequeath as follows;--"I give and bequeath unto my dear wife Rebecca Shriner, my farm, situated on Sam's Creek in both Frederick and Carroll Counties in the State of Maryland containing one hundred and ten acres of land more or less. Together with my wood lot situated in Frederick County in said State adjoining the lands of Jeremiah Greenwood and others during her natural life; and after the death of my said wife, I, Give and devise all of the above said lands to my two daughters, viz: Florence R. Shriner and Mary E. Norris equally during their natural lives, and in case either of my said daughters should die leaving no child or children living, then the whole of said devised interests in said lands shall go into my estate to be disposed of as hereinafter directed! But should either, or both of my said daughters die leaving a child or children, shall have its mothers interest in said lands absolutely"--I, also give and devise unto my said wife the dwelling house and lot on which I now reside, situated in Union Bridge Carroll County Md., together with all my furniture house-hold goods and chattels in the house in which I now reside at the time of my decease (Except such portions of house hold goods and chattels as are hereinafter otherwise bequeathed) during her natural life, if she remains a widow. But should my wife again marry then said life Estate in said house and lot shall cease, and I hereby give and devise said house and lot to my son Francis J. Shriner his heirs and assigns in fee-simple and my said wife's interests in said personal property shall go to my estate to be disposed of as hereinafter directed, The part of