Answer of Adult Defendants

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| Paul Clemson | " | No. 15,115 Equity |
| Vs. | " | In the Circuit Court |
| Annie Rothenhoefer, widow, individually, and Annie Rothenhoefer, Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Charles F. Rothenhoefer, et. al. | " | for Frederick County. |
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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF SAID COURT:

The Answer of Annie Rothenhoefer, widow, individually, and Annie Rothenhoefer, Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Charles F. Rothenhoefer, Ruth E. Heims and Martin Heims, her husband, Mary Jones and G. Arthur Jones, her husband, Pauline Koontz, widow, Edgar Rothenhoefer, unmarried, C. Roger Roger Rothenhoefer, divorced, Pauline Bowlus and Richard Bowlus, her husband, Louise Strine and Paul Strine, her husband, Marianna LeGore and Ralston LeGore, her husband, Betty Rogers and John Rogers, her husband, Roger Rothenhoefer and Betty Rothenhoefer, his wife, Elaine Nelms and Ralph Nelms, her husband, to the Bill of Complaint filed against them in this cause, respectfully represents unto your Honorable Court:

FIRST: That they admit the matters and things contained in the first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth paragraphs of said Bill of Complaint.

SECOND: Answering the tenth paragraph your respondents admit that said estate is insolvent but deny that the assets of said estate would be disbursed to the detriment of all creditors if the Executrix were permitted to continue operating said business.

Further answering said paragraph your respondents have no objections to the appointment of Receivers to operate, manage and dispose of the assets of said business.

Further answering said paragraph your respondents say that Annie Rothenhoefer, Executrix, through her Agent, Pauline Koontz, has kept books of said firm since her appointment as Executrix, and each month reports were filed showing the activities of the business.

After having fully answered your Respondents respectfully ask that said Bill of Complaint be dismissed with costs.

William M. Storm
SOLICITOR FOR RESPONDENTS

Filed March 20, 1944.

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STATE OF MARYLAND, FREDERICK COUNTY, TO-WIT:

THE STATE OF MARYLAND.

To Helen Jones, unmarried, Marie Jones, unmarried, and Nancy Jones, unmarried, infants, of Frederick County, Greeting

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED. That all excuses set apart, you personally appear before the Judges of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity, to be held at the Court House in Frederick, in and for Frederick County, on the FIRST Monday of April, 1944 to answer the Bill and Complaint of Paul Clemson (Bill for Appointment of Receiver to manage the Real and Personal property of Charles F. Rothenhoefer, deceased) against you and others in said Court exhibited, and so forth.

Hereof fail you not, as you will answer the contrary at your peril.

Witness the Honorable Edward S. Delaplaine, Chief Judge of said Court, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1944.

Issued the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1944.

PLACE OF Court SEAL

Ellis C. Wachter
Clerk.