

Catherine E. Harp

vs.

Hubert H. Harp and  
Elmer Harp.

No. 14,834 Equity.

In the Circuit Court

for Frederick County,

in Equity.

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TESTIMONY TAKEN BEFORE THE COURT, HON. PATRICK M. SCHNAUFFER,  
May 23, 1944, on Creditors' Petition.

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WILLIAM K. Smith, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, de-  
poses and says:

By Mr. Storm:

Q Your name is William K. Smith? A. Yes.

Q Was Earl D. Harp indebted to you in his lifetime?

A He was when I went on his bond to get him out of jail,  
yes.

Q When was that?

A I just don't know what date it was. I forget when it was,  
to tell the truth. Mr. James knows, because he was the attorney  
for him.

Q Was it within three years?

A I don't know. When did they send him down?

Q I don't know. A. That's the same way with me.

Q You filed your claim in the Orphans Court March 15, 1943?

A Yes, sir.

Q Was it within three years of that date?

A I think it was, yes. That is when I went on his bond  
when he was arrested for manufacturing whiskey. I went on his  
bond and he paid me \$25; the other \$25 was never paid.

Q What was to be given you for going his bond? A. \$50.

Q He paid \$25? A. Yes. And he owed a little bit of money  
for taking him back and forth and a little store bill.

Q His indebtedness to you is \$25 balance on the bond, is  
that right?

A Yes.

Q What else? A. Then I brought him to Frederick two or  
three times.