

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0001

Union Com. Pleas.

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Mary Brown

vs.

Christopher Brown

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Petition for Divorce

NOV

1852

Filed March 4<sup>th</sup> 1857  
John Cassil. Clerk

Cost bill made  
No. Record

copied  
Jan. 7<sup>th</sup> 1860

Allison & Curry  
Solicitors.



In the Court of Common Pleas within  
and for the County of Union in Chancery  
sitting

Humbly complaining your Oratrix  
Mary Brown of the County of Union  
and State of Ohio, represents and states  
to the Court, that she has been a resident  
of the County of Union and State of Ohio  
for more than one year last past; that she  
was lawfully joined in the bonds of matrimony,  
to her present husband Christopher Brown, on or  
about the 16<sup>th</sup> day of February 1842, since which  
time they both have been, and now are, residents  
of said County; and your Oratrix further states  
that, at the time of said marriage and ever  
since, said Christopher Brown was, and is now,  
impotent, and was during all of said period, and  
still continues to be utterly incapacitated  
and unable, by reason of impotency, to dis-  
charge his marital obligations; and your  
Oratrix further states that said Christopher  
Brown has behaved and departed himself  
towards her with extreme <sup>by pushing, striking, and beating her.</sup> cruelty; and  
your Oratrix further states that during her  
residence with said Christopher Brown, as  
his wife he was guilty of gross neglect of duty  
towards her, in that he failed to provide for her  
suitable food, raiment, and necessaries of life  
in general; and your Orator further states that  
the marriage contract between your Oratrix  
and said Christopher Brown was fraudulent on  
the part of said Christopher Brown in this,  
that the said Brown represented to your Oratrix,  
previous to the closing of said contract, that  
if your Oratrix would enter into such con-  
tract with him, he (said Christopher) would be  
a father to the two children of your Oratrix



by her former husband,  
And would always as such take good  
care of them and provide for them in  
all respects, and your Oratrix was moved  
in part by said representation to enter into  
said Contract, which otherwise she would  
not have done; but your Oratrix avers,  
and so the truth is, that after said Mar-  
riage said Christopher Brown failed to  
to provide for said Children of your Oratrix  
according to his said representation, but  
on the contrary treated them with great  
harshness and permitted others about his  
house so to treat them, inasmuch that  
they, ~~though of tender~~ being of tender years  
could not remain but were compelled to  
leave his house and the society of your  
Oratrix and reside elsewhere; and  
your Oratrix avers that said Christopher intended  
said representation as a fraud upon her; and  
your Oratrix further states that of certain  
goods and Chattels possessed by her before said  
marriage and which upon said marriage  
went into possession of said Christopher he is  
still possessed of more than one hundred  
Dollars worth.

Your Oratrix therefore prays,  
That said Christopher Brown may be made  
defendant to this Bill, — that said marriage  
between your Oratrix and said Christopher  
Brown may be dissolved; and that said  
Christopher may be compelled to pay to  
your Oratrix such alimony as your  
honors may deem just and reasonable;  
and your Oratrix, as in duty bound, will  
ever pray, &c.

By Allison & Curry  
her Solicitors.

The Clerk will issue a subpoena to  
Christopher Brown

March 17<sup>th</sup> 1847

Allison & Leamy Atty



Union Co

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Christopher Brown  
at  
Mary Brown

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Answer.

Dwight Scott

Filed May 6. 1847  
John Capital Clerk

John Andrews



The answer of Christopher Brown to the bill for divorce  
and Alimony filed against him by Mary Brown.

The said Christopher Brown saving &c answers  
said Bill and says: That he denies each and every  
allegation in said bill except that he was married  
to said Mary and he and said Mary reside in Union  
county. As to respondent's power of getting the said Mary with  
child of which said Mary complains he believes she is passed  
the age of child bearing; and has even arrived at that age  
when she prefers the property to the person of respondent, and  
for that reason and that only has filed this bill; and the  
whole is a mere contrivance of said Mary and others who  
have confederated with her to cheat and defraud respon-  
dent out of his property. The said Mary and her confederates  
have been for a long period previous to the filing of this  
bill endeavoring to provoke this Respondent into acts, language  
and conduct which might be used in a proceeding of this  
kind, while professing the utmost meekness &c. Respondent  
has treated said Mary and her children with all the  
consideration and kindness which age and the common infirmities  
of women and men temper permit.

Respondent wishes to be heard &c.

Christopher Brown

Wm & Anderson  
Sol for Deft.

Mary Brown  
vs  
Christopher Brown

Divorce  
Subpoena

Filed March 22<sup>d</sup> 1847  
John Cassill Clerk

Received this writ March 18<sup>th</sup> 1847 by  
delivering a true copy, together with a  
copy of the petition to Christopher Brown  
Fees. Service 35  
Mileage 30 = 65  
Philip Surman, Sheriff.

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Christopher Brown*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the  
*4<sup>th</sup>* day of *May* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *him* by *Mary Brown*

and this *he* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *17<sup>th</sup>* day of *March*

A. D, 184

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0002



No. 47-CH-2

Union Common Pleas Court.

Lyme Starling

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Adam Beltz

Defendant.

JUN TERM, 1843

DECREE FOR PLAINTF

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Record No. No Record Page

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Lynne Starling vs Adam Bell  
Bill in Chancery  
Union Co. Com Pleas

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<sup>in</sup> Filed April 17<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Cassil Clerk  
last bill made  
No. Record



To the Court of common Pleas, within and  
for the County of Union, and State of Ohio  
in presence of sitting

Lyne Starting of the County  
of Franklin and State of Ohio, represents  
that he was on or about the 17<sup>th</sup> day of October  
A. D. 1838 seized in fee Simple of a certain  
tract or parcel of land, lying and being in the  
County of Union and State of Ohio, and which is here  
inafter more particularly described, and that one  
Adam Betty of the County of Logan and State of Ohio  
being desirous of purchasing said land entered into an  
agreement with your orator, for the sale thereof to  
him, and which agreement was reduced to writing  
and signed and sealed by the said Adam Betty  
and your orator, and is in words and figures as  
follows to wit — Articles of Agreement  
"concluded this 17<sup>th</sup> day of Oct. A. D. one thousand  
"eight hundred and thirty eight between L. Starting  
"of Franklin County Ohio of the first part, and Adam  
"Betty of Logan of the second part witness, that the  
"said party of the first <sup>at</sup> agrees, upon the terms and  
"conditions hereinafter mentioned, to sell to said  
"party of the second part the following land  
"situate in Union County Ohio, to wit 100  
"Acres, 78 acres out of Survey No 3749 in name of  
"James Coleman & 22 Acres out of Survey No 368 in  
"name of L. Sullivan, it being the same land  
"contracted with W<sup>m</sup> Pringle on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of Dec-  
"ember 1832 & adjoining land sold Mr Asher on the  
"same day and Military District  
" And the said party of the second part, here  
"by agrees to pay the said Starting the sum of  
"Six hundred Dollars — cents in 4 instalments  
"with interest as follows \$190 in hand dollars  
"\$166:66 $\frac{2}{3}$  Dollars on or before the 1<sup>st</sup> of March 1840  
" & the balance in two equal instalments thereafter



" the said party of the second part, having also execu-  
" ted his single bills to the said Sime Starling or or-  
" der for said several sums, payable as aforesaid, and  
" the said party of the second part agrees to pay all  
" taxes and assessments that may hereafter be de-  
" mandable on said land or their appurtenances, it  
" is agreed that said several installments and single  
" bills, above mentioned, with interest, shall be punctually  
" paid, on or before the respective days when the same  
" shall be due as above mentioned, and if each and  
" all are so paid, said Starling for himself, his  
" heirs executors, administrators, or assigns, hereby  
" covenants to sell, and upon the punctual pay-  
" ment as last mentioned of all of said several  
" installments, with interest, to convey by general  
" warranty deed, the above described premises, unto  
" said party of the second part his heirs and as-  
" signs

" In witness whereof, said parties  
" have hereunto set their hands, and affixed their  
" seals the day and year first above written  
" S. Starling  
" Adam Betty

the original of which agreement, as well as  
~~were as~~ the said single bills will be produced  
upon the final hearing hereof.

Your orator further represents, that  
he has been at all times ready and willing  
and still is ready and willing, to comply  
with the terms and conditions of said agreement  
on his part to be performed, and that he has  
applied to the said Adam Betty, and request-  
ed him specifically to perform his part of  
said agreement, but the said Adam Betty  
hath hitherto wholly neglected and refused  
so to do.

Your orator therefore prays, that



the writ of Habeas may issue against the  
said Adam Betty, and that he may be com-  
pelled to answer all and singular the premises

And your orator further prays that  
on the final hearing of this cause, the said  
Adam Betty may be decreed to pay your or-  
ator, said money according to the tenor of said  
agreement, with their interest, and such dama-  
ges as your orator may have sustained by reason  
of the premises, and in default thereof that the  
said and described land be sold to pay the  
amount of such decree, with the costs and c<sup>ts</sup>  
that may accrue, and that your orator may  
have such other and further relief in the premis-  
es as equity and good conscience may require

W. B. Jarvis Esq.  
Solicitor for Complainant

Aman Betty

ads

Lynne Sterling

Answers  
in Olay

Filed June 8<sup>th</sup> 1907  
John Cassil CM

By MBL



Separate answer of Adam Betty defund  
and to a bill in Chancery exhibited against  
him by Lyne Starling in the Court of Common  
Pleas of Union County Ohio—

And the said Adam Betty now  
comes and for answer to the said bill of the  
Complainant or so much thereof as he is advised  
is material for him to answer to— Says  
that it is true that Def<sup>t</sup> on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of October  
A D 1840 did purchase of Complainant the  
Land described in said bill and that a written  
agreement was entered into between the parties  
upon the conditions of said <sup>sale</sup> ~~contract~~ whereby  
it was agreed that the Def<sup>t</sup> was to pay six  
hundred dollars for said Land as follows, one  
hundred and ninety dollars in hand (which sum  
was paid by Def<sup>t</sup> at date of the agreement— one hundred  
and thirty six dollars & 66 <sup>cents</sup> ~~cents~~ <sup>on and pay any of March 1840</sup> and the last mentioned  
sum each year thereafter for two years all of  
which sums made up the six hundred dollars  
the amt. of the purchase money— for the  
defend payments the defendant gave his single  
bills for the amounts above specified— payable accord-  
ing to the conditions of the said written agreement  
which agreement is herewith filed and used as part  
of this answer and marked (18) — And this  
defendant further answering says that the Charge  
allegation in said bill that the single bills given



by ~~Sept~~ for the deferd payments amounted to  
one hundred & seventy six dollars & 66 $\frac{2}{3}$  cents <sup>each</sup> - if true  
is a mistake in drawing the notes - as ~~that~~  
~~the~~ will be seen by reference to the written agree-  
ment as well as by computation - for the  
first payment of a hundred and 90 dollars with  
three notes of \$166.66 $\frac{2}{3}$  each <sup>should be in the bill</sup> would amount to  
\$690 - while ~~\$600~~ is the amount claimed  
by Complainant as the original amount of the purchase  
money - and this defendant further avers  
says that he paid the further sum of one  
hundred dollars on said contract, on the 3<sup>d</sup> day  
of August 1841 - as evidenced by a receipt from  
Complainant herewith filed and marked (13)

And the defendant further says that he  
admits the truth of the other allegations in said bill and  
that he is ready to pay the balance of the money,  
after ~~with~~ his hundred dollars with the interest  
(after deducting the two hundred and ninety dollars  
which he has already paid as above stated),  
upon receipt of a good General warrant to check  
for said sum - and having thus fully answered  
he prays that ~~the case~~ on final hearing



a decree may be entered in accordance with  
this amt. disclosed by this answer - and the accom-  
panying exhibits - and as in duty bound to obey

By W. Cole his-Sub.

Adam Betty

Union Com Pleas  
Lyne Sterling  
vs  
Adam Betty  
Sub in Chancery

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136 66  
~~136 68~~  

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463.33  
136 66  

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599.99

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The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon

*Adam Betty*

to appear before the Judges of our court of common Pleas, at the court house, on the

*4<sup>th</sup>* day of *May* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill*  
in chancery, exhibited against *him* by *Lync Sterling*

and this *he* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said court at  
the court house, this *17<sup>th</sup>* day of

L. S.

*April* A. D. 184 *7*  
*John Cassil*

Clerk of com, Pleas.

A true copy of original writ,

*Philip Snyder*

Sheriff, Union county, Ohio

Union Com Pleas  
Tyne Starting

vs  
Adam Bettz

Sub in Chancery

Filed April 23<sup>d</sup> 1847  
John Cassil, Clerk

April 22<sup>nd</sup> 1847 Received this writ by delivering a  
certified copy of the within writ to the within named  
Adam Bettz  
Fees. Amice 35  
copy 10  
millage 50 = 95  
Phillip Smucker Sheriff



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Adam Betz*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the  
*4<sup>th</sup>* day of *May* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *himby Lyne Starling*

and this *he* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *17<sup>th</sup>* day of *April*

A. D, 184*7*

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0003



No. 47-CH-3

Union Common Pleas Court.

John W. Robinson *Guerr*  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

<sup>R</sup>  
Alex. Mitchell  
Defendant.

AUG TERM. 1847

DECREE FOR PLAINTF

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In Union Town Place

John W. Robinson  
Guard of J. C. Mitchell

vs

Alexander R. Mitchell

Pet for Par

Filed April 23<sup>d</sup> 1849  
John Cassil, Clerk

Good Bill made

Record

Recorded

Allison & Curry



<sup>in</sup> the Court of Common Pleas within and for the  
County of Union, and State of Ohio.

Your Petitioner John W. Robinson  
Guardian of John C. Mitchell a minor, both of the  
County of Union aforesaid, represents, that his said ward  
has a legal right to, and is seized in fee simple of  
an undivided moiety or half part of the following  
real estate, situate in the County of Union and  
State of Ohio, containing about three hundred  
acres, being part of Survey No. 2879, and bounded  
on the North <sup>part</sup> by lands now or lately occupied by  
the heirs of John Brown, on the South by Darby  
Creek and on the West by lands now or lately  
owned by Samuel Mitchell, James Mitchell, and  
David Mitchell. And your petitioner further  
represents, that Alexander R. Mitchell of the same  
County, who is a minor, is a tenant in common  
with your petitioner in the said premises.

Your petitioner therefore prays, that partition  
of said lands may be made, and the interests of  
the said John C. and Alexander R. ~~be~~ set off  
to each in severalty, or if the same cannot be  
done without manifest injury, that then such  
other proceedings may be had in the premises  
as are authorized by law.

By Allison & Curry His Attys



Union Can Pleas

John W. Robinson  
Guardian  
vs

Alexander B. Mitchell

Sub in Chgo

Filed June 25<sup>th</sup> 1897.  
John C. Coe, Clerk

forsee on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June, A.D. 1897  
by delivering a certified copy of this writ  
to the within named defendant  
fees - mileage 50  
forsee 35  
copy 15  
Philip Swain Sheriff

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon, *Alexander R Mitchell*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the

*for Partition*  
*3<sup>rd</sup>* day of *August* next ensuing, to answer a *Petition*  
~~in Chancery~~, exhibited against him by *John W Robinson* guardian  
of *J C Mitchell* ———— demanding partition in a tract  
of land containing about 300 acres in Survey No 2879 which  
the said *J. C. Mitchell & Alexander R Mitchell* own as tenants in common,  
and this he shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;

and have them and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at

the court house, this *22* day of *June*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil*

Clerk of Com. Pleas.

In Union Corn Peas

Alexandra Mitchell

Ad

John W Robinson

Guardian ✓

Answer -

Filed Aug. 3<sup>d</sup> 1847

John W. Cassil, Clerk

J. C. Longley



The answer of Alexander R Mitchell infant  
defendant to the Petition for partition of John W  
Robinson Guardian of John C Mitchell, by  
J. C. Soughty his Guardian ad Litem.

And the said Alexander R  
Mitchell by J. C. Soughty his Guardian ad  
Litem now comes and for answer to the said  
Petition of the said John W Robinson says that he  
knows of no reason why partition should  
not be made as prayed for in said Petition  
And prays to be dismissed.

Alexander R Mitchell  
~~by J. C. Soughty~~  
~~Guardian ad Litem~~  
J. C. Soughty  
Guardian ad Litem

Union Can Pleas

John W. Robinson  
Guardian of J. C. Mitchell

Alexander R. Mitchell

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Account the cost August 5. 1849

Service 100

Mileage 35

Philip Tucker Sheriff

Filed Aug 5-1849

John Lewis Clerk

179	701
12	71
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193	111
124	228
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384	23
159	71
77	87
	07
	81



The State of Ohio Union County ss.  
To the Sheriff of Said County Greeting

We Command you that without  
delay ~~by~~ the Oaths of Andrew S.  
Alden William Orr and James  
Reed <sup>et</sup> you cause partition to be  
made of the following lands to wit:

Three hundred acres of land being part of  
Survey No. 2879 and bounded on the North  
and East by lands now or lately occupied  
by the heirs of John Brown on the South  
by Darby Creek and on the West by lands  
now or lately owned by Samuel Mitchell  
James Mitchell and David Mitchell

And in the following proportions to wit:

To John C. Mitchell one equal half  
part and to Alexander R. Mitchell  
one equal half part and that

your proceeding in the premises you  
distinctly certify under your hand  
to our Court of Common Pleas within  
and for the said County of Union

together with this writ fourth with  
witness John Cassil Clerk  
of said Court at the Court  
House this 3<sup>d</sup> day of  
August A.D. 1867

John Cassil Clerk



Commissaire  
Re Front

Filed Aug 5 1847  
John Cassie Clerk

We the Under signed Commissioners in partition on a part of survey No 2879 for John C. Mitchell & Alex R. Mitchell Heirs of David Mitchell did under order of the Court of Common Pleas of Union County Ohio at their August term for 1847. would be that <sup>we have</sup> ~~they~~ had survey and partition to be made of the premises named in sd order as follows to wit to John C. Mitchell one equal half containing 163 acs Lot No. 1. marked A and to Alex R. Mitchell one equal half containing 163 acs Lot No. 2. marked B on the plat and survey here with a return to which a reference is had for more particular description and Boundaries all of which is respectfully submitted August 5th 1847

Andrew S. Alden  
 James Reed 1st Commissioner  
 John C. Mitchell

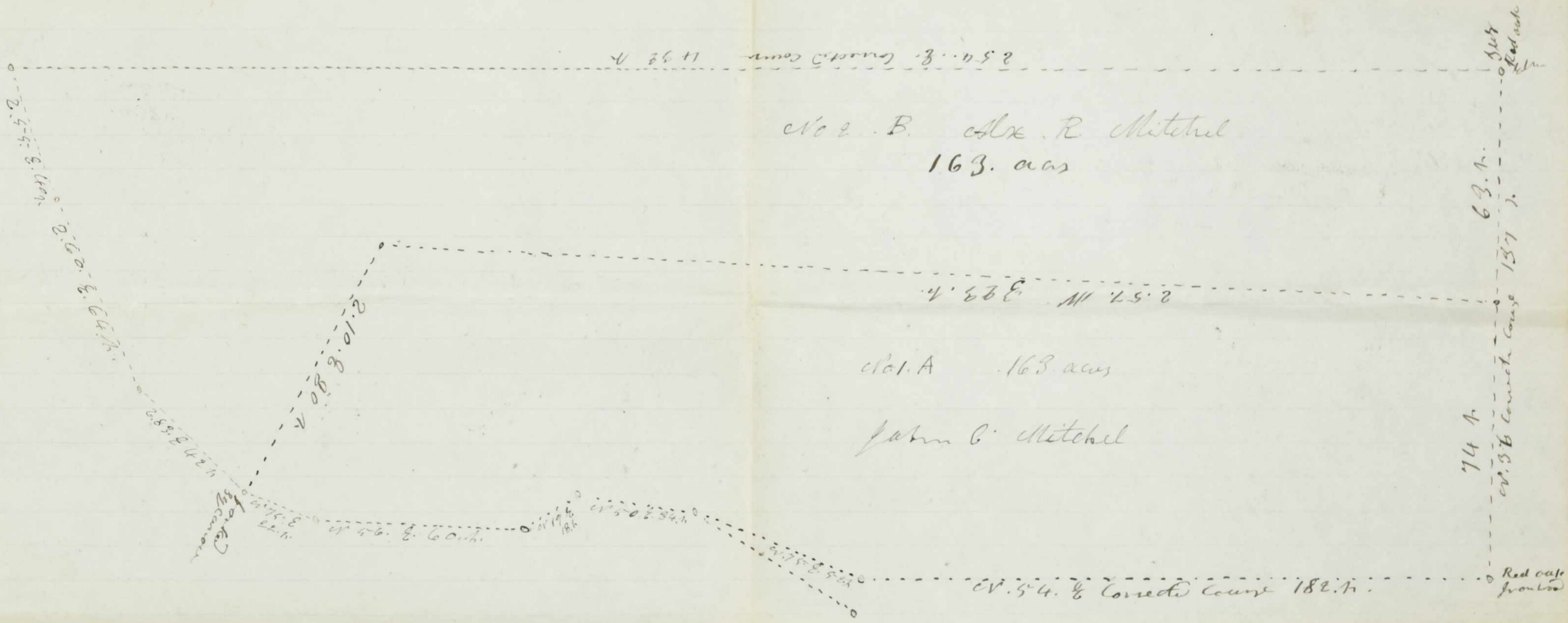
Commissioners fees

William Owen a day,	\$2.00
James Reed do	2.00
Andrew S. Aldon do	2.00
	<u>\$6.00</u>

San Diego Report

Filed Aug 5 1867  
John Cassio ell





No 2. B. Alex R Mitchel  
163. acs

Lot A 163. acs

John C. Mitchel

I Here by Report that I pro ceaded on the 5th day of August 1847 under the direction of James Reed & Audrey, Eldon & William our Commissioners in partition to survey and divide a lot of Land in survey No 2 & 79. between John C. Mitchel & Alex R. Mitchel Heirs of David Mitchel dec'd as follows for John C. Mitchel Beginning at a Red oak & Iron wood Southerly corner to Land owned by the Heirs of John Brown from there running with Browns line N 36 W that he is the Corrected Course 174 poles to 3 Hick's Elm & Maple then South 57 West 32.3 poles to a stake witness 2 white oaks then South 10 West 80 poles to a forked Sycamore on the North Bank of the creek then down the creek with the remainder there of N 75 E 22.1 N 56 E 60.1 N 19 E 18.1 N 50 E 34.1 N 75 E 42 poles to the lower line of the survey the with S line N 54 E that bears the Corrected Course 182 poles to the beginning containing 163 acs it being Lot No 1 marked A on the above plat

then to Alex R Mitchel as follows he beginning at a green tree Red oak & Elm North by corner to the lot from there running South 54 West that he is the Corrected Course 182.1 poles to the creek then down the creek with the remainder there of South 54 E 40.1 N South 60 E 64.1 N South 83 E 42.1 poles to forked Sycamore on the South Bank of the creek corner to John C. Mitchel's lot then with his line N 10 W 80.1 to a stake then N 54 E 32.3 poles to 3 Hick's & Maple to John C. Mitchel's corner then North 36 West Corrected Course 63 poles to the beginning containing 163 acs he is Lot No 2 marked B on the above plat which is a Correct Diagram of both lots August 5th 1847  
William D. John County Surveyor U.C.D.

Cost of survey

Elihu Gally 2 days, Currier Chain at 75¢ per day	\$1.50
Moses Mitchell	1.50
William B. Jwin surveying platins calculating	
& Re Cordius	5.00
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	8.00

Filed July 30. 1849  
J. K. Radcliffe



John W. Robinson Guardian  
of John W. Mitchell  
vs.  
Alexander R. ~~Robinson~~ <sup>Mitchell</sup>

Partition.

I give execution for costs  
due plffs attys in this case

To the Clerk of Union  
Common Pleas.

Allison & Cunny  
Atty's for plff.

Dated July 30<sup>th</sup> 1849

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John W Robinson Guard of  
~~John~~ C Mitchell

Alexander R Mitchell

for Costs	\$23.18
Int on same	1.09
Writ	1.41

Rec Decr. 28. 1847. \$13.18

Filed August 9, 1849  
James Knickerbocker Clerk

Recorded

Rec'd this writ July 31. 1849. Money made in  
full August 8. 1849.

Fees = mileage	40
Service	35
Amidage	23 = 98

Philip ~~Smith~~ Sheriff  
By William Wells Delet

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF

*Union*

GREETING:

WHEREAS, in a certain action in

*Partition*

lately prosecuted in our Court of

Common Pleas, within and for the County of Union, wherein

*John W. Robinson Guardian of*

*J. C. Mitchell*

was plaintiff, and

*Alexander R. Mitchell*

was defendant; the costs (original and increase) of the said

*John W. Robinson as Guardian of J. C. Mitchell*

are taxed at

*Twenty three*

dollars

*Eighteen*

cents, and interest up

to this date

*one*

dollars

*29*

cents. You are there-

fore commanded, that of the goods and chattels, or for want of goods and chattels, of the lands and tene-

ments of the said

*John W. Robinson as Guardian of J. C. Mitchell*

in your bailiwick, you cause to be made the costs and interest aforesaid, and costs that may accrue. And

if you shall levy and make said costs and interest, do you have the same before our Judges of the Court of

Common Pleas, within and for the said County of Union on the first day of the next term of said Court, to

render unto the persons entitled to the same; and have you then and there this writ.

*James Kim Kade Jr*  
WITNESS, ~~JOHN CASSIDY~~; Clerk of said Court at the Court House

in Marysville, this

*31<sup>st</sup>*

day of

*July*

A.D., 1849.

*James Kim Kade Jr*

CLERK.



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John W. Robinson Guardian  
of L. E. Mitchell,  
vs  
Alexander R. Mitchell

in Costs \$23.18  
Interest same 1.29  
Writ "41

Or Decr. 28, 1847 = \$13.18

Filed August 9, 1849  
James Kirkcaldie clk

Recorded

Received this writ July 31, 1849. Money made  
in full. August 8, 1849

Fees - Mileage 40  
Service 35  
Bondage 23 = 98

Philip Swider Sheriff  
By William Wells Debit

CHECK

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF *Union* GREETING:

WHEREAS, in a certain action in *Partition* — lately prosecuted in our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the County of Union, wherein *John W Robinson* Guardian of ~~*J. C. Mitchell*~~ was plaintiff, and *Alexander R. Mitchell* was defendant; the costs (original and increase) of the said *Alexander R. Mitchell* are taxed at *Twenty three* — dollars *Eighteen* cents, and interest up to this date *one* — dollars *09* — cents. You are therefore commanded, that of the goods and chattels, or for want of goods and chattels, of the lands and tenements of the said *Alexander R. Mitchell* in your bailiwick, you cause to be made the costs and interest aforesaid, and costs that may accrue. And if you shall levy and make said costs and interest, do you have the same before our Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, within and for the said County of Union on the first day of the next term of said Court, to render unto the persons entitled to the same; and have you then and there this writ.

*James R. Kade*  
WITNESS, ~~JOHN CASH~~, Clerk of said Court at the Court House

in Marysville, this *31<sup>st</sup>* day of *July*

A.D., 1849.

*James R. Kade* CLERK.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0004



No. 47-CH-4

Union Common Pleas Court.

Rodney Pickett, et al  
Plaintiff,  
AGAINST  
Alexander Pollock, et al  
Defendant.

MAY TERM, 1849

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Case 19  
In Union Court Pleas

Rodney Picket et als

vs

Alex<sup>r</sup> Pollock et als

Bill in Chancery

Filed April 23<sup>d</sup> 1848  
John Caspell, Clerk

Allison & Curry  
\$76.00



To the Court of Common Pleas, within and for the  
County of Union, and State of Ohio, when in Chancery  
sitting:

Humbly complaining your Orators, Rodney Pickett,  
John Cassil, Jeremiah Cusl, Joshua Judy, and William  
K. Woods, ~~representants~~ of the County and State aforesaid,  
represent that Alexander Pollock of the same place  
(and whom your Orators pray may be made defendant  
to this Bill) being or pretending to be seized in fee simple,  
of certain Lots and tracts of Land, situate in said County  
of Union and described as follows

<sup>1<sup>st</sup> certain tract</sup>  
1<sup>st</sup> Being part of Survey No. 4069 Virginia Military Land,  
Beginning at a hickory (now a stake) in the east line of said  
Survey, thence  $\text{at } 10^{\circ} \text{ W. } 118$  poles to a hickory & dogwood (originally  
called by mistake Hickory and white elm), thence  $\text{at } 79^{\circ} \text{ W. } 150$   
poles to a stake in the London Road, thence with the ~~angle~~  
of said road  $\text{N. } 17^{\circ} \text{ E. } 34$  poles to a stake, thence with said  
road  $\text{N. } 11^{\circ} \text{ E. } 74$  poles to a stake, corner to a lot sold by  
John B. Beards to Silas G. Strong, thence with said Strong's  
line  $\text{N. } 79^{\circ} \text{ West } 103$  poles to the beginning containing  
ninety two and one half acres more or less.

2<sup>nd</sup> Also one other tract, part of Survey No 3354, patented  
to Stephen J. Mason Beginning at a stake in the State  
Road leading from Marysville to London South East  
corner of the lot sold to James H. Gill, thence  $\text{N. } 49^{\circ}$   
 $\text{W. } 58$  poles to a stake in the Marysville and Milford ~~State~~  
Road, thence with said road  $\text{N. } 41^{\circ} \text{ W. } 204$  poles to a stake  
in the south line of the original Survey No 3354 thence  
with said original line, correcting the course thereof  
 $\text{N. } 81^{\circ} \text{ E. } 160$  poles to a stake in the said Marysville ~~and~~  
London Road, thence with said road  $\text{N. } 12^{\circ} \text{ E. } 94$  poles  
to the beginning containing eighty five acres.

3<sup>rd</sup> Also one other tract, part of said Survey No 3354, and  
between the London and Milford roads near Marysville



beginning at a stake in the Centre of the Milford State road, corner to a lot sold by J. H. Gill to John Cassil, thence  $S. 41^{\circ} W.$  28 poles to a stake, in the centre of said road thence  $S. 49^{\circ} E.$  60 poles to a stake in the centre of the London road, thence with said road  $N. 11^{\circ} 30' E.$  24 poles to a stake in the east original line of said survey, thence with said line,  $N. 9^{\circ} 25' W.$  9 poles and links to the corner of the lot sold to John Cassil as aforesaid, thence  $N. 49^{\circ} W.$  with the line of the lot sold to said Cassil, to the place of beginning, containing nine acres more or less,

4<sup>th</sup> Also one other tract or piece of land, being part of survey No. 3351, Beginning at the junction of the London and Milford State roads, in the centre of said roads, South of the Town of Marysville thence with the Milford State road, by the present point of the Compass,  $S. 40^{\circ} W.$  50 poles to the South line of said original Survey No. 3351. thence with said line correcting the course thereof,  $S. 9^{\circ} E.$  65 poles to the centre of the London State road, thence with said road  $N. 12^{\circ} W.$  105  $\frac{1}{2}$  poles to the place of beginning, containing seven acres, two rods, and twenty nine perches more or less.

5<sup>th</sup> Also the following In Lots in the Town of Marysville, to wit, Nos. (96) ninety six - seventy three (73) - and eighty five (85) as will more fully appear reference being made to the Recorded plat of said town,

6<sup>th</sup> Also the following parts of In Lots in said Town of Marysville, to wit, the North half of In Lot No (62) sixty two; the West half of In Lot Number twenty nine (29); a part of In Lot number fifty one (51), bounded as follows, to wit, beginning at the North East corner of said Lot, one pole west of the Old Court House, on the alley, thence South three poles to a stake, thence West ~~two~~ poles to a stake, thence North three poles to ~~a stake~~ the front line of said Lot,



Thence on the front line East two poles to the place of beginning, containing six rods of ground more or less, as deeded to said Pollock by Cyprian Lee & wife, Also another part of the same lot No. 51, which was deeded to said Pollock, by Silas Strong & wife, bounded by the part above described, on the North, extending the said East and West lines, south so that a line running east and west five feet north from the original South line shall be the South line, for a further description of said lots, reference is made to the Recorded plat of said Town,

7<sup>th</sup> Also one other piece or parcel of land situate in the county aforesaid, beginning at a stake in the Centre of the Milford road, corner to Wm. C. Lawrence's land, thence with his line S.  $57^{\circ}30'$  E. 54 poles to a stake, - thence S.  $29^{\circ}30'$  West 33 poles to a stake, - thence N.  $51^{\circ}30'$  W.  $60\frac{1}{2}$  poles to a stake in the Centre of said Milford road; - thence with said road N.  $40'$  E. 31 poles & links; - thence N.  $81^{\circ}20'$  E. two poles to the beginning, being part of Survey No 4069 and containing twelve acres more or less.

8<sup>th</sup> Also, an undivided one hundred acres of land in the Virginia Military Survey No 4405, which was entered and surveyed for Benjamin Grimes, and patented to his heirs, containing thirteen hundred, thirty three and one third acres, on the waters of Mill Creek, in the said County of Union, Ohio.

9<sup>th</sup> Also one other piece or parcel of land situate in said County of Union, being part of Survey No 3354, beginning at a stake in the Centre of the Milford road, in the East original line of said Survey, thence S.  $41^{\circ}$  W. 32 poles to a stake in the centre of the Milford road aforesaid, - thence S.  $49^{\circ}$  E. 40 poles to a stake in the line of said Survey, thence with said East line N.  $9^{\circ}25'$  W. 52 poles to the beginning, containing four acres more or less. And the said Alexander Pollock being in want of Two thousand dollars, and



being about to make application to the Franklin Branch of the State Bank of Ohio, for a loan to that amount, he did in or about the month of July A. D. 1846, apply to your Orators and one William W. Steele (whom your Orators pray may be made a defendant to this Bill), to become his endorser for the said sum of Two thousand Dollars, to the said Franklin Branch of the State Bank of Ohio, in consideration of which he was to secure your Orators and the said Steele from liability, by a mortgage upon all the aforesaid premises, that your Orators and the said Steele, <sup>bind themselves as securities by</sup> did, ~~becoming~~ the endorser of the said Alexander Pollock, to the said Bank for the said sum of two thousand Dollars, and thereupon the said Alexander Pollock, to secure your Orators and the said William W. Steele, ~~against~~ all liability from their said suretyship, ~~did~~ by his deed duly executed and dated on or about the ninth day of July A. D. 1846 conveyed the same premises to your Orators and the said William W. Steele, in fee simple, but subject nevertheless to a condition of defeasance on the payment of the said sum of Two thousand Dollars in full, to the said Franklin Branch Bank, or their assigns, with interest when the same should become due, (to wit, five months after the date thereof which date was the said ninth day of July A. D. 1846) and the keeping your Orators and the said Steele clear from all costs and charges in that behalf, as in and by said deed of mortgage, which is herewith filed and made part of this Bill, will more fully appear.

Your Orators further represent that neither the said sum of Two thousand Dollars nor any part thereof was paid to the said Franklin Branch Bank by the said Alexander Pollock at the time aforesaid.



in that behalf; whereby your Orators ~~and~~ (the said Steele having in the mean time removed from the State) were compellable to pay the said sum of Money with interest, to said Franklin Branch Bank, as Sureties for said sum, ~~upon~~ ~~judgment~~.

Your Orators further represent that on or about the 4<sup>th</sup> day of January, A. D. 1847<sup>1/2</sup>, (the said money and every part thereof still remaining unpaid by the said Pollock (their principle) they did (being called upon so to do) pay the said money to the said Franklin Branch Bank, as they, as such Sureties were bound to do; whereby the legal estate in all the aforesaid premises became vested in your Orators (the said W. W. Steele having paid nothing redeemable nevertheless in equity on payment of the principle and interest due and to become due thereon, to your Orators together with all costs and charges incurred by them in that behalf or that might be incurred by them, of which they have already incurred a large amount, to wit, the sum of two hundred dollars, and will incur a large amount hereafter; That the said sum of Two thousand dollars principal and a large ~~amount~~ arrears of interest thereon being due together with a large amount in costs and charges, being due, they applied to the said Alexander Pollock and requested him to pay the same to your Orators, which he has hitherto wholly neglected and refused to do.

Your Orators further state that one James E. Harriott (whom they pray may be made a defendant hereto) claims an interest in said premises by virtue of a levy made about the month of



he having at that time notice of your Orators said lien  
December A.D. 1846, your Orators aver that their  
Mortgage lien aforesaid is entitled to a priority  
over the said lien of the said Harriott.

Your Orators further represent, <sup>that</sup> the Clinton  
Bank of Columbus located in Columbus  
Ohio, claim an interest in the piece or parcel  
of land first herein described containing  
ninetv two and one half acres, being part of  
Survey No. 4069, by virtue of a levy made on  
or about the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September A.D. 1845, upon  
an execution against the said Alexander  
Pollock (~~a~~ <sup>with</sup> others) as surety for Stephen  
McLain and Silas G. Strong, and your Orators  
aver that the said execution was abundantly  
satisfied by former levys upon other property  
and by payments.

Your Orators therefore pray, that the writ  
of subpoena may issue against the said Alexander  
Pollock, William W. Steele, James E. Harriott and  
the Clinton Bank of Columbus, that they may  
be compelled to answer, <sup>under oath</sup> all and singular the  
premises; that the interest of the said William  
W. Steele in said mortgage may be decreed to  
your Orators; that an account may be taken  
of what is due to your Orators for their principal  
and interest upon said mortgage, and their costs  
and charges in that behalf; that said mortgaged  
premises may be sold, and the proceeds thereof  
applied to the satisfaction of said principal  
interest, costs and expences, that the priority  
of liens may be established between your  
Orators and the said James E. Harriott and  
Clinton Bank of Columbus, and that  
your Orators may have such other



and further relief in the premises as equity  
and good conscience may require.

By Allison & Curry, their  
~~Attorneys~~ Solicitors

The Clerk will issue subpoenas to Sheriff  
of Union County for Alexander Pollock, Wm  
W. Steel, and James E. Harriott and  
to the Sheriff of Franklin County for the Clinton  
Bank of Columbus.

Allison & Curry Sols



Union Com. Deas

A. Dicket et al

vs  
Alex Pollock et al

Sub. in chancery

Filed April 24<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Caspell Clerk

Served this writ April 21<sup>st</sup> 1847 by delivering  
a true copy to James E. Merritt and one  
to Alexander Pollock Mr W. Steel not found  
Fees Service 55  
Copies 20  
Mileage 5 = 80  
Philip James Sheriff

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Alexander Pollock, Wm. W. Steel & James C. Harriott*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the *fourth* day of *May* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill* in Chancery, exhibited against *them* ~~by~~ *et als*, by *Rodney Sicket, et als.*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *23<sup>d</sup>* day of *April*

A. D., 1847

*John Cassil*

Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Union Common Pleas  
Rodney Dicket et al,  
vs  
Alexander Sallock, et al

April 29 1847  
Served this writ on the  
Within named Defendant &  
Sergeant of the Village of  
by delivering personally to the  
of said Party's ~~and~~ a certified copy hereof  
of said Party's ~~and~~  
John Haberman Sheriff

Filed May 4. 1847  
John Capil Clerk

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

*Franklin*

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF ~~UNION~~ GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *The President, Directors & Company of the Clinton Bank of Columbus*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the *fourth* day of *May* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill* in Chancery, exhibited against *them, by* and others, by *A. Pickett et al*

and this *They* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *23<sup>rd</sup>* day of *April*

A. D; 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Folia Juny 27. 1847

John A. Cassin. ed. 1847

R Pickett et als

vs

Alexander Pollock et als

Chancery, In Union Com. Pleas  
Order of Sale

Issue an order of sale in the

above case to Sheriff -

To John Cassil - Clerk -

Jan'y 12<sup>th</sup> 1848

Allison & Curry Attys for  
Petrs -



Union Com. Pleas

James E. Hammett  
adg

Rodney Pickett et al

Answer in Chy.

Filed June 30<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Cassil Clerk

By P. B. L.

James E Harriott et al } Answer in Chy.  
add }  
Rodney Picket et al }

The separate answer of James E Harriott one of the defendants to a bill in Chancery exhibited against him self and others in the Court of Common Pleas of Union County Ohio by Rodney Picket John Carril Jerome A Carl Joshua Judy and Wm W Woods

And the said James E Harriott now comes and for answer to the said bill of the Complainants or so much thereof as he is advised is material for him to answer unto says that he this defendant admits that a mortgage was executed to the Complainants by ~~Joseph~~ Pollock one of the Defendants for the lands and tenements in the bill described, but whether the said Complainants have paid the ~~same~~ debt of the said Pollock to the Franklin Branch of the State Bank of Ohio for which the said Complainants were called as ~~sureties~~ endorser, and the sum for liability for which said mortgage was executed, this defendant does not know. This defendant further answering says that he did cause the premises in the bill described to be levied upon by the Sheriff of this County to satisfy a judgment obtained by this defendant against the said Pollock in your honorable court at the October Term thereof A D 1846 on the law side, for the sum of two hundred & ninety eight dollars & 35 cents damages and eight dollars & 42 cents costs with accrup costs.







State of Ohio

Union County

Personally appeared before me  
James E. Harriott who being  
duly sworn deposes and says that All the  
several matters and things set forth in the foregoing  
answers <sup>as from the information of others</sup> are true as he verily believes and that  
all the several other matters & things therein set  
forth are true in substance & in fact

Sworn to & subscribed J. E. Harriott  
before me this 30 June 1847.

James M. McKimma J.P.

Union Com pleas  
Clinton Bank  
cross  
ads  
Pickett sold -

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Answer in Chgo

Filed July 27<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Cassil CM



To the Court of Common Pleas of Union County in  
Chancery sitting:

The answer of the President Directors  
and Company of the Clinton Bank of Columbus Defendants  
to the Bill of Rodney Pickett, John Capie, Jeremiah Cuel, Joshua  
Indy and William W. Woods Complainants:

The said Defendants  
now come and in answer to the said Bill of the said Complainants say: That on the third day of October A D 1837, or about that time, on the law side of this Court, they had a judgment for the sum of Seven hundred and one Dollars and Seventy Cents damages, and Costs taxed at <sup>Warrant, entered</sup> in their favor against Stephen M. Linn, Silas F. Strong and Alexander Pollock: that subsequent thereto and prior to the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September A D 1845 at their instance execution was issued on said judgment and a levy was on certain real property then belonging to one of their said judgment Debtors, (and as your Respondents believe the said property belongs to said Stephen M. Linn): that by means of Venditionis Exponas issued from time to time, your Respondents endeavored to effect a sale of said premises so levies on, but in so doing wholly failed, so that on the said 19<sup>th</sup> day of September A D 1845 no part of said premises was sold, and no part of said judgment was paid out of said premises: that finding it wholly impracticable to make their money due on said judgment out of said premises (although the same had repeatedly been offered for sale as aforesaid) your Respondents for the better securing and the more readily collecting a large balance then due them on said judgment, did on or about the said 19<sup>th</sup> day of September A D 1845, as charged by Complainants, order the proper process and thereby had a levy made on ~~the~~ tract of land containing Ninety two and one half acres belonging to said Pollock and particularly described in said Bill of Complainants; and your Respondents insist that they had a clear and perfect right to <sup>make</sup> such levy, and that the same is legal and valid in all respects, and that by virtue of such levy they have a prior and a better lien on said tract of Ninety two and one half acres than have said Complainants or either of them.

Your Respondents aver that at the time of said levy on said tract of Ninety two and one half acres, to wit on or about the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September A D 1845, there was due them and unpaid on their said judgment (exclusive of Costs) the sum of Four hundred and fifty one Dollars and fifty three Cents with interest on the



same from May 21<sup>st</sup> A D 1840 - and that no part of the said balance has been since paid, but that it is all due and unpaid at this time.

Your Respondents deny that their said judgment was satisfied in whole or in part by any levy or levies made under the same prior to their said levy on said Ninety two and one half acre tract on or about the said 19<sup>th</sup> day of September A D 1845; and do deny that said judgment has ever been satisfied by any levy or levies made either prior or subsequent to said 19<sup>th</sup> day of September A D 1845. And they do also deny that said judgment has ever been satisfied by means of payments on the same, but charge the fact to be that there is now due and unpaid on said judgment (the claim of Cals) the sum of Four Hundred and fifty one Dollars and fifty three cents with interest on the same from the twenty first day of May A D 1840, leaving a balance now due your Respondents of about six hundred Dollars, all of which is now due and unpaid.

Your Respondents pray that their rights may be fully protected in the premises, and that they may be never deceived with their Cals &c.

The answer of the above named defendants The President, Directors and Company of the Clinton Bank of Columbus was taken under the Common Seal of the said Corporation as by the said seal affixed appears, at their Banking House in the City of Columbus.

attest  
J. M. De la Caste  
Clinton Bank of  
Columbus



Rodney Pickett et al  
vs. J. Chy;  
A. Pollock et al.

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Separate answer of  
W. W. Steele.

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Filed Sept. 20th 1847  
John Capil, Clerk

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The separate Answer of William W. Steele to the Bill in Chancery exhibited against himself and Alexander Pollock, for the use of Rodney Pickett, John Capil, Jeremiah Curl, Joshua Sedy and William W. Woods, in the Court of Common Pleas of Union County, Ohio:

The said William W. Steele now comes and for answer to the said Bill of said Complainants says that all and singular the matters and things contained and alleged in said Bill are true in substance and in fact; and this respondent <sup>waives process and service thereof, and enters his appearance in said cause,</sup> hereby consents that a decree be rendered in accordance with the prayer of said Bill, at the October Term of said Court, A. D. 1847. And having thus fully answered, he prays to be hence dismissed.

Wm. W. Steele



Union Comm. Play

James S. Hammett

a. d.

Rodney Pickett & Co

Amos A. Allen

Filed Sept 24 1867

John Cassil c. M.

By Mrs. C.

To the Court of Common Pleas within &  
for the County of Union & State of Ohio.  
The amended answer of James E. Hammett one  
of the defendants to an original bill exhibited  
against himself and others by Rodney Fickett  
John Curriel Jeremiah Carl Joshua Furdy &  
Wm W Woods, made in pursuance of leave  
obtained from the Court for that purpose  
and the said James E. Hammett was Comy  
and for further answer to the Complainants  
said original bill says, that since the filing of  
this defendants original answer in this  
Case he has discovered that the mortgage  
under which the Complainants claim  
to hold the premises in the original bill de-  
scribed is attested by only one witness - The Statute  
requiring two witnesses, - and this defendant  
finds faith that finding upon said premises by  
virtue of his execution against Alexander Pollock  
the mortgage was previous to the filing of  
the Complainants said bill to foreclose  
their said mortgage - Therefore this defendant  
insists that his lien by virtue of his said judg-  
ment and levy on said premises is preferable  
to any lien the said Complainants could  
have by their or under their said mortgage  
so defectively executed as aforesaid



Wherefore he prays that on final hearing of this  
Case ~~the~~ ~~being~~ ~~to~~ and adjusting the different claims  
on said premises in the bill described, the  
defendants said sum may be preferred to and  
paid out of the proceeds of the sale of said  
premises, premises to the <sup>said</sup> mortgage of Complaints  
and as in duty bound he will ever pray &c

P. Blew Sol  
for def<sup>t</sup>

In Answer Com. Pleas

Alexander Pollock  
Att. Gen.

Rodney Pickett et al.

Answer

Filed Oct 18 1807  
John Cassie att.



The separate answer of Alexander Pollock to a Bill in Chancery exhibited against himself and others, in Union Common Pleas, by Roddy Pickett and others.

And the said Alexander Pollock comes and ~~answers~~ for answer to so much of said Bill as he is advised it is material for him to answer, says, that he admits the execution of the said mortgage deed as the Complainants have charged in said Bill, which was executed in good faith by this Respondent, but by a mistake or oversight but one witness appears to have attested to the execution.

Respondent also admits the payment by the Complainants of the said claim to the said Franklin Branch Bank, as charged in said Bill. Respondent therefore consents to a foreclosure of the said mortgage and sale of the mortgage premises as prayed for in said Bill, and having thus fully answered he prays to be hence dismissed. D

A. Pollock

R Pickett et al  
vs  
A Pollock

Appraisment  
real Estate

Filed March 20<sup>th</sup> 1848  
John Cassie clk



R Pickett et. al. }  
vs }  
A Pollock } We the undersigned being called upon  
} by Philip Snider Sheriff of Union County,  
} Ohio, to appraise the following described  
} real estate, to wit: situate in the County  
aforsaid being part of survey No. 4069, Virginia Military  
land beginning at a hickory (now a stake) in the east  
line of said survey thence S.  $10^{\circ}$  W. 118 poles to a hickory &  
dogwood (originally called by mistake hickory and white  
elm) thence S  $79^{\circ}$  W. 150 poles to a stake in the London road  
thence with the angles of said road N.  $17^{\circ}$  E. 54 poles  
to a stake, thence with said road N.  $11^{\circ}$  E. 74 poles to  
a stake corner to a lot sold by John B. Beard to Silas G.  
Strong thence with said Strong's line N.  $79^{\circ}$  W. 103 poles  
to the beginning containing ninety two and one half  
acres more or less. Also one other tract part of survey  
No. 3354, patented to Stephen Mason beginning at a stake  
in the State road leading from Marysville to London  
south east corner to the lot sold to James H. Gill, thence  
N.  $49^{\circ}$  W. 58 poles to a stake in the Marysville and Milford  
State road thence with said road S.  $41^{\circ}$  W. 204 poles to  
a stake in the south line of the original survey No. 3354  
thence with said original line correcting the course there-  
of N.  $81^{\circ}$  E. 160 poles to a stake in the said Marysville and  
London road thence with said road N.  $12^{\circ}$  E. 94 poles to the  
beginning containing eighty five acres. Also one other tract  
part of said survey No. 3354, and between the London and  
Milford roads near Marysville, beginning at a stake  
in the centre of the Milford State road corner to  
a lot sold by J. H. Gill to John Cassil thence S.  $41^{\circ}$  W.  
28 poles to a stake in the centre of said road thence S  
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thence with said road N.  $11^{\circ}$  30' E. 24 poles to a stake in the  
east original line of said survey, thence with said line  
N.  $9^{\circ}$  25' W. 9 poles and links to the corner of the lot sold to  
John Cassil as aforsaid, thence N.  $49^{\circ}$  W. with the line of the  
lot sold to said Cassil to the place of beginning containing



nine acres more or less. Also one other tract or piece of land being part of Survey No. 3351, beginning at the junction of the London road and Milford State roads in the centre of said roads south of the town of Marysville thence with the Milford State road, by the present point of the compass S. 40° W 50 poles to the south line of said original survey No. 3351 thence with said line correcting the course thereof S 9° E 65 poles to the centre of the London State road, thence with said road N 12° W 105½ poles to the place of beginning containing seven acres two rods and twenty nine perches more or less. Also the following lots in the town of Marysville, to wit: Nos (96) ninety six; seventy three (73) and eighty five (85) as will more fully appear reference being made to the recorded plat of said town. Also the following parts of <sup>lots</sup> in said town of Marysville, to wit: the north half of lot No (62) sixty two the west half of lot number twenty nine (29); a part of lot number fifty one (51); bounded as follows to wit. Beginning at the north east corner of said lot one pole west of the old Court House, on the alley thence south three poles to a stake, thence west two poles to a stake, thence north three poles to the front line of said lot, thence on the front line <sup>east</sup> two poles to the place of beginning containing six rods of ground more or less, as decided to said Pollock by Cyprian Lee & wife. Also one other part of the same lot (No 51) which was decided to said Pollock by Elias G. Strong & wife bounded by the part above described on the north extending the said east and west lines south so that a line running east and west five feet north from the original south line shall be the south line for a further description of said lots reference is made to the recorded plat of said town. Also one other piece or parcel of land situate in the County aforesaid beginning at a stake in the centre of the Milford road corner to Wm. V. Lawrence's land thence with his line S 57° 30' E 5½ poles to a stake thence S 29° 30' west 33 poles to a stake, thence N 51° 30' W 60½ poles to a stake in the centre of said Milford road



thence with said road N40°E 31 poles five links; thence N81°20'E  
two poles to the beginning being part of survey N4069, and con-  
taining twelve acres more or less. Also one undivided one hun-  
dred acres of land in the Virginia Military Survey No 4405.  
which was entered and surveyed for Benjamin Grimes  
and patented to his heirs containing thirteen hundred thirty  
three and one third acres on the waters of Mill Creek  
in said County of Union, Ohio. Also one other piece or parcel of land  
situate in said County of Union being part of survey No 3354, beginning  
at a stake in the centre of the Milford road in the east original  
line of said survey thence S41°W 32 poles to a stake in the centre of the Milford  
road aforesaid thence S49°E 40 poles to a stake in the line of said survey  
thence with said east line N9°25'W 52 poles to the beginning containing  
four acres more or less, after having been duly sworn by said Sheriff  
and upon actual view of said premises we do appraise the same as follows,  
to wit; the lot containing 92½ acres \$12.00 per acre, the lot containing  
eighty five acres at \$20.00 per acre, the lot containing nine acres at \$22.00 per acre  
the lot containing seven acres two rods and twenty nine perches at \$35.00  
per acre. Lot No ninety six at \$50.00, Lot No seventy three at \$110.00.  
Lot No eighty five at \$40.00, the north half of In lot No sixty two at  
\$125.00, the west half of In lot No twenty nine at \$35.00, the parts  
of Lot No 51 as above described at \$800.00, the lot containing twelve  
acres at \$35.00 per acre, the undivided one hundred acres at \$3.00 per acre,  
the lot containing four acres at \$20.00 per acre. Given under our hands  
and seals this seventh day of February A.D. 1848

C. W. Rosette

Seal

John D. Swin

Seal

David K. Sprague

Seal

Appraisers fee 2 days each \$ 3.00

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

Personally appeared the above named C. W. Rosette, John D. Swin and  
David K. Sprague and made solemn oath to discharge the duties of  
appraisers of the above described real estate impartially according to  
law and the best of their abilities. Given under my hand this  
seventh day of February A.D. 1848

Philip Aider Sheriff

I certify the above to be a true copy of the original

Philip Aider Sheriff



R Picket et al vs A Pollock

Appraisment

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Juda Sept 14. 1848  
John Cassie clerk

P. M., the following described Real estate, to wit: situate in the county aforesaid, being part of survey No 3354, patented to Stephen T. Mason, beginning at a stake in the State Road leading from Marysville to London south east corner of the Lot sold to James H. Gill; thence N 49d W 58 poles to a stake in the Marysville and Milford State Road; thence with said road S 41d E W 204p to a stake in the south line of the original survey No 3354; thence with said original line correcting the course thereof N 81d E 160p to a stake in the said Marysville and London road; thence with said road N 12d E 94p to the beginning containing eighty-five acres.

Also one other tract part of survey No 3354, and between the London & Milford roads near Marysville, beginning at a stake in the centre of the Milford State Road corner to a Lot sold by J. H. Gill to John Cassil; thence S 41d W 28p to a stake in the centre of said road; thence S 49d E 60p to a stake in the centre of the London road; thence with said road N 11d 30 E 24p to stake in the east original line of said survey; thence with said line N 9d 25 W 9p and links to the corner to the lot sold to John Cassil, as aforesaid; thence N 49d W with the line of the lot sold to said Cassil, to the place of beginning containing nine acres more or less.

Also one other tract or piece of land being part of survey No 3351, beginning at the junction of the London and Milford State roads in the centre of said roads south of the town of Marysville; thence with the Milford state road by the present point of the compass S 40d W 50p to the south line of said original survey No 3351; thence with said line correcting the course thereof S 9d E 65p to the centre of the London State road; thence with said road N 12d W 105½p to the place of beginning containing seven acres, two roods & twenty-nine perches more or less.

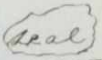
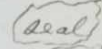
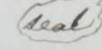
Also the following In-lots in the town of Marysville, to wit. Nos. [96] ninety six, [73] seventy three, and [85] eighty five, and the West half of In-lot [29] twenty nine, as will more fully appear reference being made to the recorded plat of said town.

Also one undivided one hundred acres of land in the Virginia Military survey No 4405, which was entered & surveyed for Benjamin Grimes, & patented to his heirs containing thirteen hundred and thirty-three and one-third acres, on the waters of Millcreek in the said county of Union, Ohio.

Also one other piece or parcel of land situate in said county of Union, being part of survey No 3354, beginning at a stake in the centre of the Milford road in the east original line of said survey; thence S 41d W 32p to a stake in the centre of the Milford road aforesaid; thence S 49d E 40p to a stake in the line of said survey; thence with said east line N 9d 25 W 52p to the beginning; containing four acres more or less.

## R Picket et als vs A Pollock

We the undersigned being called upon by Philip Under Sheriff of Union County, Ohio, to appraise the lands described in the attached notice, After having been duly sworn by said Sheriff and upon actual view of said premises, we do appraise the same as follows, to wit; The lot containing 85 acres at \$20.00 per acre. The lot containing nine acres at \$20.00 per acre. The lot containing 7 acres 2 roods and twenty nine perches at \$46.66⅔ per acre. In lot No 96 at \$65.00, In lot No 73 at \$100.00, In lot No 85 at \$60.00, and the west half of In lot No 29 at \$50.00, The lot containing 100 acres (undivided) at \$2.91⅓ per acre, and lot containing four acres at \$27.66⅔ per acre. Given under our hands and seals this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August A.D. 1848

B Welch   
S Kessler   
Richd Bancroft 

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:  
Personally appeared the above named B Welch S Kessler and Richd Bancroft and made solemn oath to discharge the duties of appraisers of the above described real estate impartially according to law and the best of their abilities Given under my hand this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August A.D. 1848  
Philip Under Sheriff

I certify the above to be a true copy of the original

Philip Under Sheriff



Received this writ January 24, 1848: had the within described real estate appraised by the oath of G. W. Rosette John D. Brown and David Sprague as follows. To wit: 9 1/2 acres at \$12.00 per acre. 86 acres at \$20.00 per acre. 9 acres at \$22.00 per acre. 7 acres two woods and 29 perches at \$35.00 per acre. Lot No 96 at \$50.00. Lot No 73 at \$10.00. Lot No 85 at \$40.00. The north half of Am Lot No 62 at \$125.00. The west half of the lot No 29 at \$35.00. The parts of lot No 51 as within described at \$800.00. 12 acres at \$35.00 per acre. 100 acres at \$2.00 per acre and 4 acres at \$20.00 per acre. And advertise said real estate for sale by publication in the Argus a Newspaper published and in general circulation in Union County. Ohio for thirty days previous to the day of sale, afterwards to wit: on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April A. D. 1848 between the legal hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. offered the same for sale by public auction at the door of the Court house in Marysville in said County.

not sold for want of bidders.

Fees - Mileage - 20

Service 35

Inquest 1.00

Advertising 1.25

Appraisers fee 3.00

Pr fee 12.00

Copy of Apprais 1.00

Philip Snyder Sheriff

Union Corn Pleas  
R. Pickett et. als.  
vs  
A. Pollock  
Order of Sale

Filed April 25, 1848  
John Cassil Clerk

The State of Ohio Union County, ss.

To the Sheriff of said County as special master Commissioner, directing;  
Whereas at the October term of the Court of Common Pleas Continuance  
and held for said County on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1847, in a  
Certain Cause in Chancery therein pending wherein Rodney  
Pickett et als. Complainants and Alexander Pollock  
Defendant, the Court ordered and decreed, that you expose to  
Sale the premises in the bill described as follows to wit, Situate in the  
County aforesaid being part of survey N<sup>o</sup> 4069, Virginia Military Land  
beginning at a hickory (now a stake) in the east line of said survey thence  
S. 15° W. 118 poles to a hickory & dogwood (originally called by mistake hickory and  
white elm) thence S 77° W 150 poles to a stake in the London road, thence  
with the angle of said road N. 17. 6. 54 poles to a stake, thence with said road  
N. 11° 6. 74 poles to a stake corner to a lot sold by John B. Deas to Silas L.  
Strong thence with said Strong's line N. 77. 10 103 poles to the beginning containing  
thirty two and one half acres more or less, also one other tract part of survey  
N<sup>o</sup> 3354, patented to Stephen J. Mason beginning at a stake in the State road  
leading from Mansville to London south east corner of the lot sold to  
James H. Gill, thence N 49° W 58 poles to a stake in the Mansville and  
Milford State road thence with said road S 41° W. 204 poles to a stake  
in the south line of the original survey N<sup>o</sup> 3354, thence with said original  
line correcting the course thereof N 81° 6. 160 poles to a stake in the said  
Mansville and London road thence with said road N 12° 6. 94 poles to the  
beginning containing eighty five acres, also one other tract part of  
said survey N<sup>o</sup> 3354, and between the London and Milford roads near  
Mansville, beginning at a stake in the Centre of the Milford State road  
corner to a lot sold by J. H. Gill to John Cassie thence S 41° W 28 poles to a  
stake in the Centre of said road thence S 49° 6. 60 poles to a stake in the  
Centre of the London road, thence with said <sup>road</sup> N 11° 30 6. 24 poles to a stake  
in the east original line of said survey, thence with said line N 9° 25 W.  
9 poles and links to the corner of the lot sold to John Cassie, as afo-  
said, thence N. 49° W. with the line of the lot sold to said Cassie, to the place  
of beginning containing nine acres more or less, also one other tract  
or piece of land being part of survey N<sup>o</sup> 3351, beginning at the Junction  
of the London and Milford State roads in the Centre of said roads



South of the town of Mansfield thence with the Milford State  
road, by the present point of the Compass  $S. 40^{\circ} W. 50$  poles to the south  
line of said original survey N<sup>o</sup> 3351. thence with said line correcting  
the course thereof  $S. 9^{\circ} E. 65$  poles to the centre of the London State  
road, thence with said road N<sup>o</sup>  $2 W. 105 \frac{1}{2}$  poles to the place of beginning  
Containing seven acres two rods, and twenty nine perches more  
or less, Also the following: In lots in the town of Mansfield to wit.

N<sup>o</sup> (96) ninety six, twenty three (23), and eighty five (85) as will more fully  
appear reference being made to the recorded plat of said town, also  
the following parts of In Lots in said town of Mansfield to wit the  
north half of In lot N<sup>o</sup> (62) sixty two, the west half of In lot number  
twenty nine (29), a part of In lot number fifty one (51) bounded as  
follows to wit beginning at the north east corner of said lot one pole  
west of the old Court house, in the alley thence south three poles  
to a stake, thence west two poles to a stake thence north three  
poles to the front line of said lot, thence on the front line east two  
poles to the place of beginning containing six rods of ground more or  
less, as deeded to said Pollock by Lyprian Lee & wife, Also one  
other part of the same lot (N<sup>o</sup> 51) which was deeded to said Pollock  
by Silas S. Strong & wife bounded by the part above described on  
the north extending the said east and west lines, south so that  
a line running east and west five feet north from the original  
south line shall be the south line. for a further description of said  
lots reference is made to the recorded plat of said town,

Also one other piece or parcel of land situate in the County afore-  
said beginning at a stake in the centre of the Milford road corner  
to W. C. Lawrence, land thence with his line  $S. 71^{\circ} 30' E. 54$  poles to a stake  
thence  $S. 29^{\circ} 30' W. 33$  poles to a stake, thence  $N. 51^{\circ} 30' W. 60 \frac{1}{2}$  poles to a stake  
in the centre of said Milford road, thence with said road  $N. 40^{\circ}$   
 $E. 31$  poles 5 links, thence  $N. 81^{\circ} 20' E$  two poles to the beginning being  
part of survey N<sup>o</sup> 4069, and containing twelve acres more or less,  
Also one undivided one hundred acres of land in the Virginia  
Military Survey N<sup>o</sup> 4405, which was entered and surveyed for  
Benjamin Goines, and patented to his heirs containing thirteen  
hundred thirty three and one third acres, on the waters of

Mill Creek in the said County of Union, Ohio, Also one  
other piece or parcel of Land situate in said County of Union  
being part of Survey No 3354. Beginning at a stake in the centre  
of the Milford road in the east original line of said survey thence  
S 41° W. 32 poles to a stake in the centre of the Milford road aforesaid  
thence S 49° E. 40 poles to a stake in the line of said survey, thence  
with said east line N. 9° 25' W. 2 poles to the beginning, containing  
four acres more or less, to satisfy Rodney Pickett et al,  
in the sum of Two thousand and one hundred dollars with  
interest thereon from the 9<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1847, until paid  
and costs of suit, and accruing costs, on said decree,  
and make report of your proceedings, herein to the next  
Term of said Court,

Witness John Cassie clerk of said  
Court at the Court House in Mansfield  
this 24<sup>th</sup> day of January A.D. 1848,  
John Cassie Clerk



Union Law Pleas

R. Pickett et al.  
vs  
A. Pollock

Order of Sale

Filed June 28, 1848  
Wm Cassio clerk

Received this writ May 18, 1848. On reference to the within command of my attendance the within described real estate for sale by publication in the Way a Newspaper published and in general circulation in this county. This for thirty days previous to the day of sale. The legal hours of the Court of June 24, 1848 between P. M. upon said real estate for sale by public outcry at the door of the Court house in said county. Not sold for want of bidders.

Fee = mileage 5  
service 35  
attending 25  
D. fee \$10.50

Philip Swain Sheriff



The State of Ohio Union County ss.

To the Sheriff of said County as Special Master Commissioner  
Greeting;

Whereas at the October Term of the Court of Common Pleas Continued and held for said County on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1847, in a certain Cause in Chancery therein pending wherein Rodney Pickett, et. als. Complainants and Alexander Pollock, Defendant, the Court ordered and decreed that you expose to sale the premises in the bill described as follows to wit, Situate in the County aforesaid and part of Survey N<sup>o</sup> 3354 patented to Stephen J. Masard, beginning at a stake in the State road leading from Mansville to Loudon, South East Corner of the Lot sold to James W. Gill, thence N 49. W 58 poles to a stake in the Mansville and Milford State road, thence with said road S 41° W 204 poles to a stake in the South Side of the Original Survey N<sup>o</sup> 3354, thence with said Original line Correcting the Course thereof N 81° E. 160 poles to a stake in the said Mansville and Loudon road thence with said road N 12° E. 94 poles to the beginning Containing Eighty five acres, Also one other tract, part of said Survey N<sup>o</sup> 3354, and between the Loudon and Milford roads near Mansville, beginning at a stake in the Centre of the Milford State road Corner to a Lot sold by J<sup>th</sup> Gill to John Cassil thence S 41° W 28 poles to a stake in the Centre of said road thence S 49. E 60 poles to a stake in the Centre of the Loudon road, thence with said road N 11.° 30' E 24 poles to a stake in the East Original line of said Survey, thence with said line N 9° 25' W. 9 poles and line 1/2 to the Corner of the Lot sold to John Cassil as aforesaid, thence N. 49° W. with the line of the Lot sold to said Cassil, to the place of beginning Containing nine Acres more or less, Also one other tract or piece of Land being part of Survey N<sup>o</sup> 3351, beginning at the Junction of the Loudon and Milford State roads, in the Centre of said roads South of the town of Mansville, thence with the Milford State road by the present point of the Compass S 40° W 50 poles to the South line of said Original Survey N<sup>o</sup> 3351, thence with said line Correcting the Course thereof S 9° E 65. poles to the Centre of the Loudon State road thence with said road N 12.° W 103 1/2 poles to the place of beginning Containing seven Acres two rods, and twenty nine perches more or less, Also the following In Lots in the town of Mansville to wit, Nos (96) ninety six seventy three (73) and eighty five (85) as will more fully appear reference being made to the record plat of said Town, Also the following part of In Lot in said town of Mansville to wit, the West half of In Lot Number twenty nine (29) for further description of said Lots reference is made to the recorded plat of said town, Also, one undivided one hundred Acres of Land in the Virginia Military Survey N<sup>o</sup> 4405, which was entered and surveyed for Benjamin Grimes and patented to his heirs containing thirteen hundred thirty three and one third Acres, on the waters of Mill Creek in the said County of Union Ohio, Also one other piece or parcel



Of Land Situate in Said County of Union being part of Survey  
No 3354. Beginning at a Stake in the Centre of the Milford road in  
the East Original line of said Survey thence S 41° W. 32 poles to a  
Stake in the Centre of the Milford road of said thence S 49° E. 40  
poles to a Stake in the line of said Survey, thence with said  
East line N. 9° 25. W 52 poles to the beginning. Containing four acres  
more or less, to Satisfy Rodney Pickett et al in the  
Sum of Two thousand and one hundred Dollars with interest  
thereon from the 9<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1847, until paid,  
and Costs of Suit, and accruing Costs on said decree  
and make report of your proceedings herein to the next  
Term of said Court,

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of said  
Court at the Court House in  
Maysville this 16<sup>th</sup> day of May  
A.D. 1848,  
John Cassil, Clerk,

Filed Aug. 9. 1868  
John Cassie Clerk



Rodney Pickett & als  
vs  
Alexander Pollock

Decree of Sale.

In Union Court Pleas.

Issue <sup>pluries</sup> ~~and~~ Order of Sale

to Sheriff of Union County as Special Master.

& for reappraisement.

To John Cassil Clerk

August 8<sup>th</sup> 1848

Allison & Curry Solrs  
for Compt.

Union Com. Pleas

R. Pickett & als  
Alexander Pollock

Order of Sale

Fees = mileage - 5  
Inquest - 1 00  
Appraiser - 1 50  
copy of Apprais. - 60  
Service - 35  
advertising - 25  
Pr. Fee - 10 50

Philip Snider Sheriff

Filed Sept 20, 1848  
John Cassil cM

Received this writ August 11<sup>th</sup> 1848. In obedience to the within command I had the within described real estate reappraised by the sale of Bill Welch, Samuel Needer and Richard Bancroft, as follows, to wit: the lot containing 85 acres at \$20.00 per acre, the lot containing nine acres at \$20.00 per acre, the lot containing 7 acres 2 rods and twenty nine perches at \$46.66 $\frac{2}{3}$  per acre, lot No 96 at \$65.00, the lot No 73 at \$100.00, the lot No 85 at \$60.00 and the west half of the lot No 29 at \$50.00 the lot containing 100 acres (unimproved) at \$2.91 $\frac{1}{2}$  per acre, and the lot containing four acres at \$27.66 $\frac{2}{3}$  per acre, and filed a copy thereof with the Clerk of the Court, Dafterwards advertised the same for sale by publication in the Argus, a Newspaper published in Union County, Ohio, & afterwards offered said real estate for sale <sup>by public order</sup> on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September A. D. 1848, between the legal hours of 10 O'clock A. M. and 4 O'clock P. M. at the door of the Court House in said County, Not sold for want of bidders.

Philip Snider Sheriff



The State of Ohio Union County, ss.

To the Sheriff of said County, as Special Master  
in Chancery &c Greeting,

Whereas at the October term of the Court of Common Pleas, Continued and held for said County on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of October A. D. 1847, in a certain Cause in Chancery therein pending wherein Rodney Pickett, et al, Complainants and Alexander Pollock, Defendant, the Court ordered and Decreed that you expose to sale the premises in the Bill described as follows to wit, Situate in the County aforesaid and part of Survey N<sup>o</sup> 3354, patented to Stephen J. Mason, beginning at a Stake in the State road leading from Mansville to London South East Corner of the Lot sold to James H. Gill, thence N. 49. W. 58. poles to a Stake in the Mansville and Milford State road thence with said road S. 41. W. 204. poles to a Stake in the South line of the Original Survey N<sup>o</sup> 3354, thence with said Original line Correcting the Course thereof N. 81. E. 160 poles to a Stake in the said Mansville and London road, thence with said road N. 12. E. 94. poles to the beginning Containing eighty five acres, also one other tract part of said Survey N<sup>o</sup> 3354, and between the London and Milford roads near Mansville, beginning at a Stake in the Centre of the Milford State road Corner to a Lot sold by J. H. Giles to John Cassil thence S. 41. W. 28 poles to a Stake in the Centre of said road thence S. 49. E. 60. poles to a Stake in the Centre of the London road thence with said road N. 11. 30. E. 24. poles to a Stake in the East Original line of said Survey, thence with said line N. 9. 25. W. 9. poles and links to the Corner of the Lot sold to John Cassil as aforesaid, thence N. 49. W. with the line of the Lot sold to Sara Cassil, to the place of beginning Containing nine acres more or less, also one other tract or piece of Land being part of Survey N<sup>o</sup> 3351 beginning at the Junction of the London and Milford State roads, in the Centre of said roads South of the town of Mansville, thence with the Milford State road by the present point of the Compass S. 40. W. 50 poles to the South line of said Original Survey N<sup>o</sup> 3351 thence with said line Correcting the Course thereof S. 9. E. 65. poles to the Centre of the London State road thence with said road N. 12. W. 105 1/2 poles to the place of beginning Containing seven acres two rods and twenty nine perches more or less, also the following In Lots, in the town of Mansville to wit, N<sup>o</sup> (96) ninety six, seventy three (73) and eighty five (85) as will more fully appear reference being made to the recorded plat of said town, also the following part of In Lot, in said town of Mansville to wit, the west half of In Lot Number twenty nine (29) for further description of said Lot reference is made to the recorded plat of said town, also one undivided one hundred acres of Land in the Virginia Military Survey, N<sup>o</sup> 4405 which was entered and surveyed for Benjamin Grimes and patented to his heirs Containing thirteen hundred thirty



three and one third acres, on the waters of Mill Creek  
in the said County of Union Ohio, also one other piece  
or parcel of Land situate in said County of Union,  
being part of Survey No 3354, beginning at a stake in the Centre  
of the Milford road in the last Original line of said Survey  
thence S. 41° W. 32 poles to a Stake in the Centre of the Milford  
road aforesaid thence S. 49° E. 40 poles to a Stake in the line  
of said Survey, thence with said ~~line~~ East line N 9° 25' W. 52  
poles to the beginning Containing four acres More or Less.

And that you have the same reappraised, to Satisfy  
Rodney Pickett & al, in the sum of Two thousand and one  
hundred Dollars, with interest thereon from the 9<sup>th</sup> Day of  
October A.D. 1847, until paid: also the sum of \$  
the costs of Suit, and accruing Costs on said Decree,  
and make report of your proceedings herein to the  
next Term of said Court.

Witness John Cassil Clerk of said  
Court at the Court House in Mansville this 11<sup>th</sup>  
Day of August A.D. 1848,  
John Cassil Clerk



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0005

No. 47-CH-5

Union Common Pleas Court.

George Cowgill

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Philip's Snyder

Defendant.

MAY TERM. 1847

Judgment VS Plaintiff

No Record.

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I allow a reference  
to pages 10-11  
last to be contained within  
the present enclosure the  
same and order the bill  
to be taken care of  
to the date in London \$100.  
On account of the  
Scribner Associates  
May 3 1847 Judge G. W. C.

George Campbell  
18  
Philip Snyder  
Ruben A. Loubser

Bill of  
"Adjustment"

Dated May 3 1847  
John Cassil Clerk

Separation signed  
& paid in full  
May 5 1847  
last bill made

To the Court of Common Pleas within  
and for the County of Union & State of Ohio  
in Chancery sitting

George Bangill of the County aforesaid  
represents that Benjamin A Lamb Nathaniel  
W Little and Lyman Pratt all of the County of  
Delaware & State aforesaid & whom your  
exactor presump may be made defen-  
ants to this - at the October Term of your  
honorable Court he ~~was~~ <sup>for the</sup>  
~~withdrew in the absence of your exactor & while he supposed the said~~ <sup>year 1846</sup> obtained a decree against your  
exactor and one Alexander Bangill to let  
issue a sale of the west half of a certain  
tract of land <sup>land sale</sup> made by the said Alex  
ander Bangill to your exactor the  
whole of which tract of land is described  
as follows to wit lying in the said County  
being the west half of certain tract or  
parcel of land in said County and in the  
Township of Claborn - in the original  
Military District located in the name  
of Butler Claborn heirs M of entry  
18293 lying on the waters of Fellers  
Creek & purchased by Woodruff & Rushing  
beginning at the N E Corner of said  
at an Elm & Oak running thence  
S. 2 E 56 poles to a white oak



Run e. S. 2 E 23 poles to the S E Corner of  
said Lot at Station on the North bank  
of the Creek. Then e. S 79 N 138 poles to the  
S W Corner of said Lot a Station & 2 Becks  
thence or 4' N 97 to an Iron nail in the  
Northwest Corner of said Lot thence  
N 85 E 173 poles to the place of beginning  
containing Eighty four acres more or less  
more particularly described in Book No  
9 Recorder's office of said County page 569  
when the deed from said A. Cargill to John  
Orator is recorded for the west half of  
the above described land, which decree  
was made on a judgment against the said A. Cargill in favor of said  
Orator & John Orator further

represents that the said decree was only  
for the said land conveyed by said deed  
as you is on form & he has  
said Orator further represents that  
an order or execution has since the  
last term of said Court been issued on  
said decree against John Orator and  
the said Alexander Cargill and  
the Sheriff of said County, and when  
John Orator pays any be made left  
there to - has been upon the whole of  
the above land appraised and  
offered the same for sale advertised  
the same for sale on the 3 day  
of May A D 1847 - when the said decree



is only for the West half of said land  
 as aforesaid. Your orator having had  
 a deed for the East half for my  
 years & the said Alexander Cargill being  
 no interest whatever in it,  
 In consideration of which ~~your orator~~  
 your orator further prays that and  
 injunction may be granted to restrain the  
 said Sheriff from further proceeding in the  
 sale of said land until and that  
 said lease or said land may be set  
 aside - and for such other and  
 further relief as equity & good  
 conscience may require  
 By P. Blewett  
 for Sol.

State of Ohio  
 Union County

I George Cargill being  
 duly sworn depone say that all the matters and things which  
 are stated in the foregoing bill or from the information  
 of others I believe to be true and that all the  
 other several matters things therein set forth are  
 true in substance and in fact. George Cargill  
 sworn to & subscribed this 20th day of June 1847 J. B. W. Baynes. J. P.



I acknowledge service on the within  
writ ~~the~~ <sup>of</sup> May 3<sup>d</sup> 1847

Philip Under Sheriff

May 11<sup>th</sup> 1847 served the writ of ~~seque-~~  
\* ~~str~~ <sup>str</sup>

Fee within named Reuben A. Lamb  
Nathaniel W. Little & Cyrus Pratt  
not found Philip Under Sheriff

Union-Loan Deas

George Cawgill

Reuben A. Lamb, et al

Injunction allowed &  
Bond given

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Reuben A. Lamb, Nathaniel  
W. Little, Cyrus Pratt & Philip Snider*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the  
*first* day of *the term* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them* by *George Sawgill*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *3<sup>d</sup>* day of *May*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Union Com. Secs

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George Cowgill  
vs

Reuben A. Lamb, et al

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Hyjunction Bond

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Filed May 3<sup>d</sup> 1847  
John Hoag, Clerk

Know all men by these presents that we  
George Cowgill, Alex Cowgill & J. H. Meritt  
are held and firmly bound unto Reuben A.  
Lamb, Nathaniel W. Little & Cyrus Pratt & Philip  
Snider sheriff in the penal sum of one hundred  
dollars to the payment of which we jointly and  
severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors  
& administrators - sealed with our seals and  
dated this 3<sup>d</sup> day of May A. D. 1847

The condition of the above obligation  
is such that whereas the above named George  
Cowgill has obtained an allowance of an injun-  
-ction by Levi Phelps one of the Associate Judges  
of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of  
Union and State of N. C. to stay all proceedings upon a  
Decree in Chancery obtained in the Court of Com-  
mon Pleas in and for said County of Union on  
the 14<sup>th</sup> day of October for the sum of \$305.76  
Dues and costs when in Lamb, Little  
& Co. vs Phelps & Alexander Cowgill it also  
are Defendants until the matter thereof can  
be heard in equity, Now if the said George Cowgill  
shall shall pay all moneys & costs due or to  
become due from him the said Cowgill and  
all moneys & costs that may be Decreed against  
him then this recognizance shall be void, otherwise  
in full force & virtue in law

Approved May 3<sup>d</sup> 1847  
John Caspell, Clerk

George Cowgill Seal  
Alex Cowgill Seal  
J. H. Meritt Seal



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0006

No. 47-CH-6

Union Common Pleas Court.

Jas I Wells et al  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Jane White,  
OCT TERM, 1847  
Defendant.

OCT 1847

Judgment VS Plaintiff

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Miner Can Pleas  
May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1847

James White

vs

James B. Weston

Bill in chj

Filed May 4<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Capril, clerk

East Hillmad  
No Record

Master of Court  
Richard Hester

Crawford



Union Courthouse, Dec  
May Term A.D. 1847

To the Honble Judges of the Court of  
Common Pleas in & for the County of Union  
& State of Ohio in Chancery Sitting

Humbly complaining your oratory Lane White  
Respectfully representing that James V. Wells and  
Bradford Wood Adm<sup>rs</sup> of the estate of Isaac  
White late Dec<sup>d</sup> on the 39<sup>th</sup> day of October  
1845- filed their Petition in said Court pray-  
ing for an order to sell the <sup>part of</sup> real estate of  
said Isaac White Dec<sup>d</sup> and the <sup>Cons</sup> of  
said Court A.D. an order was made  
in favour of said Petition authorizing the  
sale of so much of the real estate in said  
petition set forth as would be sufficient to  
pay the Debts of said estate said in  
petition to be \$1500 or thereabouts -

Your petitioners therefore in order  
to have the real estate of the said Decedent  
for the heirs of the said Isaac White must  
respectfully ask this Honorable Court to inquire  
and retain the sale of said real estate  
under said order and grant unto your  
oratory Lane White under the 129<sup>th</sup> section of the  
Statute defining the duties of Executors and  
administrators to enter into bonds with such  
Securities and such amount this Court shall  
direct to pay the debts of said estate and  
with such time as shall be reasonable  
and right &c



your oratory further represent that  
said Administrator sold a large amount  
of personal property of said estate and your  
oratory always understood that the said Isaac  
White at the time of his death owed very  
few debts and always supposed that the  
personal assets of said estate was sufficient  
to pay the debts &c -

Therefore in oran that  
your oratory may be fully advised in the  
premises respectfully asks that the said James  
D. Wells & Bradford Wood Auct<sup>s</sup> as aforesaid  
be made deff<sup>s</sup> hereto and that the sub-  
poena may issue according to law and that  
they be compelled to answer under their respec-  
tive oaths and say how many debts they  
have paid out of the sale of the personal  
assets aforesaid and to whom paid and  
<sup>what</sup> amount of debts remain yet unpaid and  
to whom due and what amount to  
each creditor and that they be enjoined  
and restrained by the oran of this court from  
all further proceedings under the aforesaid  
oran of sale until the matter and things  
herein contained be heard and determined by  
this honorable court and as a duty they  
do and that your oratory here seek  
of your relief in the premises &c

By J. D. Wells & Bradford Wood  
Auct<sup>s</sup>

The clerk will issue a subpoena in this  
case for James D. Wells & Bradford Wood Auct<sup>s</sup> as  
aforesaid upon the faith hereof -

J. D. Wells & Bradford Wood  
Auct<sup>s</sup> for cause

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Answers in Ch  
June White

Filed July 5<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Cassie M

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Nells & Woods  
and  
James Nells } Defendants in Chy,

The joint answer of James J Nells and  
Bradford Wood Administrators of the Estate of  
Isaac White Dead to a bill in Chancery exhibited  
in the Court of Com. Pleas Union County Ohio  
against them by James White widow of said White, &  
and the said defts have come and for answer to  
said bill say that they were appointed Administrators  
of the Estate of said Isaac White Dead by your  
Honorable Court. at the Oct. Term of 1844 - that  
they proceeded on the 29 of Oct. 1844 to sell the personal  
property of said Estate which bill amounted to the  
sum of ----- \$111.69

and the said defendants further answer & say  
that they have since paid on the widows Glass  
support - and on debts owing by the Estate \$ 78.89  
the items of which are given in their account  
herewith filed marked (A & B - Schedule) B)

and the said defendants further answering say  
that the following <sup>and</sup> claims against said Estate have  
been presented & allowed as valid claims  
~~Debt due to said Estate July 12/44 \$8 paid of it 144 - Total \$941~~  
~~and the said Estate act.~~

~~and the said defendants~~ are as near as the defendants can  
ascertain about the sum of three hundred and  
Twenty five dollars ----- (\$325-  
the items of which will be found by reference  
to the aforesaid account Schedule (K) which shows  
that the claims against said estate exceed the amount  
of the Sale bill (which included all the <sup>of said Estate</sup> personal property)  
about - \$213.31. - and the defendants further  
answer say that they deny the right of the Complainant  
to proceed claim the benefit of the 129<sup>th</sup> section of  
the statute referred to in the bill - at this stage of the



after they have obtained an order of Sale - of the  
Real Estate to pay the debts of said Estate,  
And having this fully assumed they pray to be hence  
dismissed with their Costs.

My p<sup>r</sup>ocate their  
Sol, -

State of Ohio }  
Union County. }

Personally appeared before me a Justice  
of the peace in & for said County James T. Kelly  
& Bradford Wood who being each duly sworn  
depose & say that all the matters & things in the  
foregoing assumed as from the information  
of others they believe to be true - and that  
all the <sup>General</sup> other ~~same~~ matters and things therein  
contained in substance and in fact

Sworn to & subscribed before me July 5 - 1847  
James M. Wilkinson J.P.

James T. Kelly  
Bradford Wood



Union bene Pleas

Jane White

Bradford Woods &  
James S. Wells

Subpoena in Chancery

Filed May 8. 1847  
John Capil Clerk

devised on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of May by delivering  
a true copy of this writ to James S. Wells  
also by delivering an attested copy of this  
writ to Bradford Woods

Fees - Service \$5

Copies 20

mileage 50

Phillip's Under Sheriff.

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *James Z. Wells & Bradford Wood, Admr*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House; ~~on the~~  
*For the* ~~with~~ ~~day~~ ~~of~~ ~~next~~ ~~ensuing~~; to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery; exhibited against *them* by *Jane White*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil; Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *4<sup>th</sup>* day of *May*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Abstracts of Deeds  
White's estate

James White  
 res  
 Wells & Wood } amount of sale Bill \$ 111,69  
 Deu on Haskins Note 10,37  
 Isaac Gams Note  
 122,06  
 Paid creditors \$ 78,89 -----  
 remaining in hands of Sam = - 43,17

Whole amount of debts against the  
 estate including \$ 145,00 additional  
 allowance to Widow no part paid  
 and the whole relinquished by will 324,72

Deduct assets in hands of Sam 122,06  
 202,66

Deduct additional allowance  
 to the widow and relinquished 145,00  
 balance due from the estate \$ 57,66

The will of course be some additional  
 costs and court charges to be added

In order to secure the payment said debts  
 the complainant offers for security Martin  
 Scott and Richard Haskins

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 solicitor for  
 Compt

Richard Haskins has a deed for 200 acres  
 worth \$ 10,00 per acre out of debt Martin  
 Scott has a deed for 60 acres worth  
 \$ 10,00 per acre out of debt -

Alijah Gandy



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0007

No. 47-CH-7

Union Common Pleas Court.

James B. Longill  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Stephen W. East  
Defendant.

AUG TERM, 1847

Dismissed

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James B. Coghill

vs } Bill in Chancery

Stephen Dysert

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Filed May 4<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Coghill clerk

R. Thomas

State of Ohio

To the honorable Court of Common Pleas  
within and for the County of Union and State  
of Ohio in Chancery sitting

Your petitioner James B. Cogbill represents, that  
Stephen Dyser of the said County of Union (and  
whom your petitioner prays may be made defendant  
to this Bill) being seized in fee Simple of a certain  
tract of Land, situate in said County of Union and  
described as follows, to wit an Equal undivided half  
of a piece of parcel of Land in Survey No 5135 (Five thousand  
one hundred and thirty five) - Beginning at a Red Oak, Hicko-  
ry and two Sugar trees North West corner of said Survey No 5135  
Thence S 13° E 287 poles to a Burr Oak, Hickory and Lye - Thence  
N 80° E 148 poles to an Ironwood, Cherry and Buckeye - Thence  
N 10° W 120 poles to 3 Lye trees on the Bank of the Creek, Thence  
up the Creek as it meanders to the Upper line - Thence S. 80° W  
25 poles to the beginning - containing one hundred and ninety four  
acres of Land more or less being the same land conveyed by the  
said James B. Cogbill to the said Stephen Dyser and the Deed  
for which was on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of April AD 1846 delivered to the said  
Dyser - Your petitioner further represents that on or about  
the 15<sup>th</sup> day of April AD 1846 the said Stephen Dyser was in-  
debted to your petitioner in the Sum of Three Hundred  
and fifty three dollars and 70 cents payable to your petitioner  
on or before the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December AD 1846 with interest,  
and thereupon the said Stephen Dyser in order to secure the  
payment of the said Three Hundred and fifty three dollars  
and 70 cents to your petitioner at the time when the same be-  
came due with interest thereon, did by his deed duly executed  
and dated on or about the 15<sup>th</sup> day of April AD 1846 convey the  
said described premises to your orator in fee Simple, but subject  
nevertheless to a condition of defeasance on the payment of



The said sum of Three Hundred and fifty three dollars and 70 cents with lawful interest on the said 31<sup>st</sup> day of December AD 1846, as in and by said deed of Mortgage which is herewith filed and made a part of this Bill will more fully appear. Your petitioner prays that neither the said sum of Three Hundred and fifty three dollars and 70 cents nor any part thereof was paid to your petitioner at the time limited in that behalf; whereby the legal Estate in said premises became vested in your orator, & redeemable notwithstanding in equity on payment of the principal and interest due and to become due thereon; that the said sum of Three Hundred and fifty three dollars and 70 cents principal and a large amount of interest thereon being due he applied to the said Stephen Dysart and requested him to pay the same to your orator, which he has hitherto neglected and refused to do - Your petitioner therefore prays that the writ of Subpoena may issue against the said Stephen Dysart, that he may be compelled to answer all and singular the premises, that an account may be taken of what is due to your orator for his principal and interest upon said Mortgage that said mortgaged premises may be sold and the proceeds thereof applied to the satisfaction of said principal and interest, and that your petitioner may have such other and further relief in the premises as equity and good conscience may require.

By his Solicitor  
Randall Thomas

Shew of Ohio } So Before me a Justice of the Peace within  
Union County } and for said County personally appeared the within  
named Stephen Dyment & acknowledged his signing and sealing  
of the within Mortgage to be his voluntary act and deed  
in his own free will and I have hereunto set my  
hand and seal this 13<sup>th</sup> day of Apr. 1846

James Sumner J.P.

Stephen Dyment  
to Mortgage  
James B. Costill

Filed and Recorded  
May 11<sup>th</sup> 1846. 9 o'clock  
A.M. in Book 10.  
Pages 175 & 176

James Sumner  
Recorder

Filed May 4<sup>th</sup> 1844  
John Capitt Clerk

Fees 50 paid



KNOW all men by these presents, that *J. Stephen Dysert*

of the county of *Union* in the State of Ohio, for and in consideration of the sum of *Five Hundred & four* dollars, to *me* in hand paid, or secured to be paid, by *James B. Cogbill* of ~~the~~ *Virginia* ~~and~~ ~~the~~ ~~said~~;

the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have granted, bargained, sold, leased, conveyed, and confirmed, and by these presents, do grant, bargain, sell, lease, convey and confirm, unto the said *Ja =* *James B. Cogbill* and to *his* heirs and assigns forever, the following described

premises, *An Equal undivided half of the following piece or parcel of land in Survey N 5 135 (Five Acres and One Hundred & thirty five) Beginning at a Red Oak, Hickory & ~~Two~~ Sugar trees N.W. corner of said Survey N 5 135. Thence S 13° E 287 poles to a Burk Oak, Hickory & ~~Two~~ Sugar trees N.W. corner of said Survey to an Ironwood cherry & Buckeye. Thence N 10° W 120 poles to 3 dynes on the bank of the creek thence up the creek as it meanders to the upper line. Thence S 80° W 25 poles to the beginning. Containing One Hundred and ninety four <sup>more or less</sup> acres of the same land conveyed by *the said James B. Cogbill to the said Stephen Dysert and the deed for which this day delivered**

To HAVE AND TO HOLD the premises hereby conveyed, with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining, unto the said *James B. Cogbill* and to *his* heirs and assigns forever. And the said *Stephen Dysert*

for *himself* and *his* heirs, executors and administrators, covenant and promise to and with the said *James B. Cogbill* *his* heirs or assigns, that he the said *Stephen Dysert* is lawfully seized of the premises aforesaid, that he has

good right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in manner aforesaid, and that the same are free and clear from all manner of incumbrances whatever; and further, that he the said *Stephen Dysert* and *his* heirs, executors and administrators, will

well and truly WARRANT and DEFEND the premises hereby granted, unto *the* the said *James B. Cogbill* and *his* heirs and assigns, FOREVER, against the lawful claims and demands of all and every person whomsoever.

Provided, nevertheless, The condition of this conveyance is such, that whereas *the said Stephen Dysert* has this day Executed to *the said James B. Cogbill* his certain promissory note of even date here with for the payment of the sum of *Three Hundred and fifty three dollars & 70 cents (\$353.70)* payable on or before the *31<sup>st</sup>* day of *December* *AD 1846* with interest —

Now if the said *Stephen Dysert* shall well and truly pay the note aforesaid, according to the tenor thereof, then this conveyance to be null and void; otherwise, to remain in full force and virtue in law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, , the said *Stephen Dysert* has *his* hereunto set *his* hand and seal the *13<sup>th</sup>* day of *April* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~four~~ *forty six*

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged, in presence of us: *Stephen Dysert* [SEAL.] *H. Thomas James Lowner*



Served on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1847  
by leaving an attested copy of this writ  
at the residence of the defendant

Fees - Service 25  
Copy 10

Philip Snyder Sheriff  
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Union Court Deca  
James B. Cogbill  
vs  
Stephen Dyson

Filed May 7. 1847  
John Capil Clerk

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The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Stephen Dyser*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House; ~~on the~~  
~~fourth~~ ~~day of~~ ~~next ensuing~~; to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *him* by *James B. Cogbill*

and this *he* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *4<sup>th</sup>* day of *May*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.

John Casper Esq  
Clerk of Court of Com. Pleas  
Union County  
Ohio



Jas: B Cogbill

vs

Stephen Dyser

vs  
L. L. Hancey

This case has been settled  
by Mr Dyser and he has to pay the costs,  
I wish to dismiss the bill at next term  
with leave to withdraw the papers, we  
do not wish a Record made of it, or  
any additional costs made

To the Clerk of the  
Court of Common Pleas  
Union County

Yours truly,  
Kendall Thomas  
Atty for Petff

P.S Mr Dyser wishes to pay up the costs  
as already made and no further

June 25, 1867

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0008



No. 47-CH-8

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# Union Common Pleas Court

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Gray <sup>and</sup> Kilborn  
Plaintiff,

against

Michael Kohu  
Defendant.

April Term 1854

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Hay & Kilbourn  
is  
Michael Ron et al

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I waive process  
and enter my appearance  
to July Term AD 1847

Peter Snider  
by Otway Cunniff  
his atty.

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Union Am Pleas

Fay v Kilbourne  
v  
Michael Kon  
Peter Snider  
Domas Adams

Bill in Chy.

Subp. returnable  
forthwith for Michael  
Kon and Peter Snider

May 4 1847 Filed  
John Caspell, Clerk

Snow v Andrews



To the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County  
of Union State of Ohio in Chancery sitting;

Your petitioners Cyrus Fay and Lincoln Tillman  
late of Franklin County Ohio represent:

That one Peter Snider of the County of Union  
and whom your petitioners makes a party defendant to this  
bill on or about the first day of April AD 1842 borrowed  
of one Michael Ston whom your petitioners also make  
parties defendants to this bill, the sum of seven hundred dollars,  
and to secure the payment thereof, conveyed in fee simple to said  
Michael his heirs and assigns forever the following premises  
situate in said County of Union in the State of Ohio and des-  
cribed as follows: By part of Survey No 5009 surveyed  
in the name of Hugh Woodson containing 265 acres described  
as follows: One tract beginning at a stake, southerly corner  
to John Seepers; thence S. 37° E. 106 poles to two hickories  
; thence S. 53° W. 66  $\frac{2}{3}$  poles to a stake; thence N. 37°  
W. 106 poles to a stake, corner to John Seepers and Mary Ann  
Seepers; thence N. 53° E. 66  $\frac{2}{3}$  poles to the place of  
beginning containing fifty acres more or less; also another  
tract described as follows: Beginning at a stake, northerly  
corner to Martha Seepers, and in the line of Richard C  
Andersons Survey No 4824, running N. 53° E 66  $\frac{2}{3}$   
poles to a stake; thence S. 37° E 106 poles to a stake;  
thence S 53° W. 66  $\frac{2}{3}$  poles to a stake, southerly corner  
to Martha Seepers, thence N. 37° W. to the beginning  
containing fifty acres more or less; also another tract



described as follows: Beginning at two ashes, westerly corner  
to Richard Stephens and Lucas Sullivants survey No 3483,  
and in the line of Richard C Andersons survey No 4824, running  
with Andersons line and course thereof, N. 53° E 66 <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> poles  
to a stake in the line of Richard C Andersons survey; thence  
S. 37° E 106 poles to a stake; thence S. 53° W 66 <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> poles  
to a stake in Stephens and Sullivants line; thence with their  
line North 37° W 106 poles to the beginning containing fifty  
acres

The Deforcance to said Conveyance after reciting the  
loan aforesaid of said seven hundred dollars, in gold and silver  
and that the same was to be paid in like manner in gold  
and silver by said Snider in three years from the said  
first day of April A D 1842, the interest to be paid  
annually from the time aforesaid at the rate of eight  
per centum per annum, provided that if said Peter  
should pay said sum of money with the interest thereon  
to said Michael Ken or his assigns when the same  
respectively become due then said Conveyance to be void  
otherwise to be and remain in full force. Said Mortgage  
was duly acknowledged as of the date aforesaid and recorded  
March 28. 1842. Vol 8 p 417-18-

On the 5th November A D 1846 the said  
Michael Ken assigned and transferred to one James  
Adams late of Franklin County Ohio who is made a party



defendant to this bill all his right estate and property in  
the mortgage and premises, and the indebtedness so therein  
mentioned; and the said Demos Adams, on the 6th day  
A.D. 1847 assigned and transferred to your petitioners  
all his right estate and property in the mortgage and premises,  
and the indebtedness so therein mentioned; whereby your petitioners  
became vested with the estate of said Thom in the premises and entitled  
to the money mentioned in and secured by said mortgage &c.

The defense to said mortgage has become absolute  
the said Smider has neglected and failed to pay said money and interest  
on any part thereof (although he requested said debtors your petitioners)  
to said Thom or Adams, while they held said claim as to your  
petitioners or either although often requested so to do.

Your petitioners pray that said defendants may  
answer the premises that said mortgage may be foreclosed  
and a sale had of said premises to pay the amount due  
your petitioners unless said Smider pays the same in  
short day ordered by the Court and that your petitioners  
may have such other and further relief as to the Court  
may seem meet and subpoena &c.

Wm & Wm  
Solicitors for Creditors

Hay & Kilbon

Union Common Pleas

Fay & Kilbourne  
vs

Michael Korn  
Peter Snider +  
Dennis Adams

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Filed May 8, 1847  
John Capil Clerk

The within named defendants not found  
Philip Snider Sheriff



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING;

We command you, that you summon Michael Korn, Peter  
Snider, & ~~Thomas Adams~~

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the

fourteenth day of ~~the~~ next coming, to answer a Bill  
in Chancery, exhibited against them by Cyrus Fay & Lincoln  
Kilborn

and this they shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this 4<sup>th</sup> day of May

A. D, 1847

John Cassil Clerk of Com. Pleas.

Mr Wood  
Fay & Willson  
et al.

1 day on Reference  
The Comptroler to the  
report of the Master herein

1 Because payments of interest, on charges as  
credits as payments of the purchase debt

2 Because payments of interest at the rate mentioned  
in the mortgage; one was hundred and seventy five to  
6 per cent.

3 Because payments on credits to the debt while  
the parties agreed should be credits only, and  
there.

4 Because the interest on the purchase debt,  
and credit of payments, to the interest as purchase  
is not computed according to law.

Thomas J. Andrews,  
John W. Compton

Union Com. Pleas

Cyrus Fay et al

Michell Nov et al  
Masters report

Filed June 23 1853  
James Sumner Clerk



Cyrus Fay et al  
 vs  
 Michael Ross et al } In Chancery

The report of John Blevins Master Commissioner in Chancery to whom this cause stands referred for the purpose of stating an account between the parties, and for report &c, at the June Term of the Court of Common Pleas, of Union County Ohio; pursuant to the interlocutory decree of said Court, rendered at the March Term thereof AD 1853.

Said Master finds that the amount for which said premises described in Complainant's Bill, was mortgaged, to be as therein represented, to wit

\$ 700,00

That the following payments have been made thereon as is evidenced by the following receipts, to wit.

May 3 <sup>d</sup> 1843	per receipt on mortgage	—	\$ 22,00
August 1 <sup>st</sup> 1843	per receipt	No 1.	" 30,00
October 11 <sup>th</sup> 1843	per receipt on mortgage	"	" 30,00
September 24 <sup>th</sup> 1844	per receipt	No 2.	" 5,00
February 26 <sup>th</sup> 1845	per receipt	No 3.	" 21,00
July 24 1845	per receipt	No 4.	" 20,00
March 17 <sup>th</sup> 1846	per receipt	No 5.	" 35,00
February 10 <sup>th</sup> 1847	per receipt	No 6.	" 275,00
May 27 <sup>th</sup> 1847	per receipt	No 7.	" 300,00
August 5 <sup>th</sup> 1847	per receipt	No 8.	" 100,00
October 9 <sup>th</sup> 1847	per receipt	No 9.	" 50,00
May 11 <sup>th</sup> 1848	per receipt	No 10.	" 46,50
The total amount so paid			\$ 2410,50

The whole amount of interest that accrued on said mortgage at the time of the last payment (May 11<sup>th</sup> 1848, computing at the rate of six percent, was — — — — \$ 241,50



only to suits commenced after the taking effect of the  
same, We are therefore to be governed by the decisi-  
-ons of the Supreme Court made in analogous cases  
The present case, though, somewhat analogous to sev-  
-eral reported, yet from a careful examination  
we are led to believe that it differs in some  
respects from all of them, In this that in the case  
now before us there has never been a complete  
settlement of ~~the~~ and a liquidation of the matter in  
controversy between the, nor is there anything  
to show that voluntary payments have been  
made, that were in any way intended by either  
party, to be applied in payment of interest at a  
higher rate than six per cent, In following  
the case of *Boyes vs Loudenback* (1 B. Ohio, B. 15-3,  
which bears the strongest analogy to the present,  
and which the Court professed to follow in a  
still more recent case (*Graham vs Cooper*,  
17<sup>th</sup> Ohio B. 605) (I am led to <sup>the</sup> findings aforesaid,  
and further find that the amount appearing to  
have been over paid, cannot be applied to  
us interest, or retained by the Complainants  
by reason of the agreement contained in the said  
mortgage, being for a higher rate than six  
percent, and also greater than the amount alled-  
-ed paid. Therefore if the above findings  
are correct, in pursuance of law and equity,  
and in conformity to the decisions of the  
Court in the cases above referred to, then the  
Court should decree that the balance so found  
to be due to the defendants, shall be paid back  
to them, &c. All which is respectfully  
submitted

Fees on report as per  
Master \$5.00

John Blewett Master  
Commissioner



Send us

Master \$5.00

Hotel \$10.00

No 1

No 1



\$30.00

August 1<sup>st</sup> 1843

Received of Peter Snider by the hand  
of Philip Snider thirty dollars to be applied on the  
payment of a Mortgage given to Michael Kuehn by  
said Peter Snider

Michael Kuehn

Mortgage.

Peter Snider

to

Michael Ron

Filed & recorded March  
29th 1842 at 10 o'clock  
All in vol 8 page 417  
P 18 P B Smith  
ric

Pay & Return  
Snider  
Mortgage

July 10/44  
\$275 paid  
to P. B. Smith

May 3<sup>rd</sup> 1843  
Received twenty five Dollars interest  
on the within  
Peter B. Smith # 1843.  
Received thirty six Dollars interest  
on the within

Received twenty five Dollars interest  
on the within



Know all men by these Presents, That I, Peter  
Smider, of the County of Union, and State of Ohio, in consid-  
-eration of the sum of one dollar, in hand paid by Michael  
Kon, of the same place, have bargained and sold, and do hereby  
grant, bargain, sell, and convey unto the said Michael Kon,  
his heirs and assigns, forever, the following premises, situate in  
the County of Union, in the State of Ohio, and bounded  
and described as follows: Being part of Survey No. 5539, sur-  
-veyed in the name of Hugh Woodson, containing two hundred and  
sixty five acres, described as follows, viz.: One tract beginning at a  
Stake southerly corner to John Leeper; thence S.  $37^{\circ}$  E. 100 poles  
to two hickories; thence S.  $53^{\circ}$  W.  $66\frac{2}{3}$  poles to a stake; thence N.  $37^{\circ}$  W.  
100 poles to a stake, corner to John Leeper and May Ann Leeper;  
thence N.  $53^{\circ}$  E.  $66\frac{2}{3}$  poles to the place of beginning, containing fifty  
acres, more or less, with all and singular the improvements and  
appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining. Also,  
one other tract, as follows: Beginning at a stake northerly corner to  
Martha Leeper, and in the line of Richard C. Anderson's Survey  
No. 4824, running N.  $53^{\circ}$  E.  $66\frac{2}{3}$  poles to a stake; thence S.  $37^{\circ}$  E. 100  
poles to a stake; thence S.  $53^{\circ}$  W.  $66\frac{2}{3}$  poles to a stake, southerly corner  
to Martha Leeper; thence N.  $37^{\circ}$  W. to the beginning, containing  
fifty acres, more or less, together with all and singular the im-  
-provements and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise  
appertaining. And also one other tract, as follows: Beginning at two  
stakes northerly corner to Richard Stevenors and Lucas Sullivants Survey  
No. 3483, and in the line of Richard C. Anderson's Survey No. 4824, run-  
-ning with Anderson's line and course thereof, north  $53^{\circ}$  E.  $66\frac{2}{3}$  poles

to a stake in the line of Richard C. Anderson's survey; thence S. 37° E. 106 poles to a stake; thence S. 53° W. 66<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> poles to a stake in Stevens and Sullivants line; thence with their line N. 37° W. 106 poles to the beginning, containing fifty acres, more or less, being part of survey No. 5009, with all the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging.


To Have and to Hold said premises unto the said Michael Ron, his heirs and assigns forever.

Provided always, and these presents are upon this condition, that whereas the said Peter Snider hath this day borrowed of said Michael Ron the sum of seven hundred dollars in gold and silver, the same to be paid in like manner in gold and silver by said Snider in three years from the date of this instrument. - The interest to be paid to Michael Ron, annually, from the time aforesaid, at the rate of eight per centum per annum.

Now if the said Peter Snider shall pay said sum of money, with the interest thereon, to said Michael Ron, or his assigns, when the same respectively become due, then these presents to be void - otherwise to be and remain in full force.

In Testimony whereof, the said Peter Snider has hereunto set his hand and seal, this first day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-two.

Executed in presence of  
James C. Wilson  
James Furmer

Peter <sup>his</sup> Snider   
mark



State of Ohio Union County  
Personally appeared before me James  
Justice of the Peace in and for said county  
Snider the signer & sealer of this  
and acknowledged the within about  
his act and seal for the purpose  
expressed this 14 day of April  
James

For and in consideration of seven hundred dollars received  
of Demas Adams I hereby assign to him all my right title  
and interest to this mortgage and all benefits which  
may be derived therefrom Nov. 5th 1846

Winford Kifer

For value received to wit the sum of seven hundred and seven  
dollars received of Fay Kilbourne I hereby assign to them  
all my right title and interest to this mortgage and all benefits  
which may be derived therefrom Jan 6th 1847

Demas Adams

My Kuhn  
Receipt 21.00

No. 3



February  
by the  
dollars  
Kuhn

26<sup>th</sup> 1845

Received of Peter Snider  
hand of Philip Snider twenty one  
on a mortgage given to Michael  
By Peter Snider

Michael Snider

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July 24<sup>th</sup> 1845 Received  
of Philip Snider twenty  
dollars on a mortgage  
given to Michael Kuhn  
by Peter Snider.

Wm. J. R. R.

No 5

Receipt from  
Michael Rubin



Received of Peter Smider by the hand  
of Philip Smider thirty five dollars  
on of mortgage given by Peter Smider  
to Michael ~~Smider~~ ~~Smider~~ ~~Smider~~  
March 17<sup>th</sup> 1846

No 6

Doc  
Blining



W. Columbus, Feb. 10. 1847. of Philip Snyder,  
Two Hundred and Seventy Five dollars to be endorsed on  
a Mortgage executed by Peter Snyder to Michael Kubin  
for Seven Hundred dollars and recorded in the recorder's office  
Union County Ohio, and assigned by said Michael Kubin to  
D. Adams. and by D. Adams to Fay Milburne

\$275.00

Fay Milburne

No 7 . . . . .



Foy & Kilbom

v

Peter Snyder et al

}

J. W. Chaucey

Plaintiff in Union Co

vs  
on Mortgage

Rec<sup>d</sup> May 27. 1847 three hundred  
dollars on the above claim from Peter Snyder  
per Philip Snyder

T. Swan & Andrews

Attys for Foy & Kilbom

N<sup>o</sup> 8



Jay & Kilbourn

vs  
Snider et al

In Chy Union Complex

Rec<sup>d</sup> of Peter Snider

in the above case One hundred dollars

Swan & Andrews

Compts Atty

Aug 31 1847

\$100<sup>00</sup>

N<sup>o</sup> 9

Jay B Kibbourn  
Receipt  
to  
P Snider



Fay and Kilbon

or  
Kou & Snyder

} In Chy

Rec<sup>d</sup> of Peter Snyder  
per Philip Snyder fifty dollars to be credited  
upon any account which may be made in  
the above case

Oct 9/47

50.

Swan & Andrews  
attys in compts

No 10



Jay & Kilbourn  
Michael Stone

and  
P. Snyder et al

claim forty six  $\frac{56}{100}$  dollars

M. \$46.56 -

In Chy Union Complex

Recd May 11 1848 or about

Samuel V. Andrews

Subtracting the last three payments with the interest thereon (amounting to \$470.41) we have a new principal of \$16.01  
 The amount due April 1<sup>st</sup> 1849 is \$16.97  
 May 1<sup>st</sup> 1848 a payment of \$46.56, was made = see Receipt No (10) the interest thereon to April 1<sup>st</sup> 1849 is \$2.45  
 This last payment with interest thereon to April 1<sup>st</sup> 1849 being greater than the amount due at the same time; by subtracting we have a balance in favor of the defendants of \$32.04  
 The interest on this balance at simple interest to the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July A.D. 1857 is \$4.32, which added to the principal, gives a balance for defendants of \$36.36

Respectfully Submitted  
 Cursey & Robson  
 for depts

Michael Ron et al  
 ad  
 Fay & Kilburn  
 Calculation of interest  
 by Robson

115  
 1701  
 013  
 ---  
 567  
 1701  
 ---  
 2268  
 1139  
 ---  
 2944  
 1712  
 4656  
 1712  
 ---  
 2944  
 Aug 11<sup>th</sup> 1857



Statement of the interest in the case of Fay & Kelburn against Michael Ron and others  
Rule of Calculation

Find the amount due at the end of the year; if no payments have been made, call this amount a new principal, on which find the amount for the next year; if any payments have been made during the year, find the amount of these payments <sup>with the interest on them</sup> from the times they were made, until the end of the year; then subtract the amount of the payments made during the year, with the interest thereon, from the amount due at the end of the year & call the remain-  
der a new principal, &c. This rule applies where the payments <sup>of interest</sup> are to be made annually.

The principal in April 1<sup>st</sup> AD 1842 was \$700.00  
 The Amount due in " " " 1843 " \$742.00. which became a new principal \$742.00  
 Oct. 11<sup>th</sup> 1843 a payment of \$36.00 was made = see endorsement on Mortgage = The interest on this payment to the 1<sup>st</sup> of April 1844 is \$1.02  
 May 3<sup>rd</sup> 1843 " " 22.00 " " " " " " " " \$1.18  
 Aug 1<sup>st</sup> 1843 " " 30.00 " " " " " " " " " " 1.20  
 The Amount due the 1<sup>st</sup> of April AD 1844 is \$786.52 = The Amount of the payments with interest thereon is \$91.40  
 Subtracting this last Amount from the Amount due April 1<sup>st</sup> AD 1844, we have a new principal of \$695.12  
 The Amount due April 1<sup>st</sup> 1845. (the end of the next year) is 736.82  
 Sep. 24<sup>th</sup> 1844 a payment of \$5.00 was made = see Receipt N<sup>o</sup> (2) = The interest thereon from time of its payment to April 1<sup>st</sup> 1845 is \$1.16  
 February 26<sup>th</sup> AD 1845 " \$21.00 " " (3) " " " " " " 1.13  
 Subtracting these two last payments with the interest thereon from the times they were made to April 1<sup>st</sup> 1845 - we  
 have a new principal of \$710.53  
 The Amount due April 1<sup>st</sup> AD 1846 is \$753.16  
 July 24<sup>th</sup> AD 1845 a payment of \$20.00 was made, see Receipt N<sup>o</sup> (4) = The interest thereon to April 1<sup>st</sup> 1846 is \$1.80  
 March 17<sup>th</sup> 1846 " " \$35.00 " " (5) " " " " " " \$1.07  
 Subtracting these payments with the interest thereon to the end of the year ending April 1<sup>st</sup> 1846 (amounting to \$55.89) we have  
 a new principal of \$697.27  
 The Amount due at the end of the year 1847 (April 1<sup>st</sup>) is \$739.10  
 Feb. 10<sup>th</sup> 1847 a payment of \$275.00 was made - see Receipt N<sup>o</sup> (6) The interest on this payment till April 1<sup>st</sup> 1847 is \$2.38  
 Subtracting this payment with interest thereon to the end of the year (April 1<sup>st</sup> 1847) (amounting to \$277.38) we  
 have a new principal of \$461.72  
 The Amount due April 1<sup>st</sup> 1848 is \$489.42  
 May 27<sup>th</sup> 1847 a payment of \$300.00 was made = see Receipt N<sup>o</sup> (7) The interest thereon to April 1<sup>st</sup> 1848 is \$15.00  
 Aug. 5<sup>th</sup> 1847 " \$100.00 " " (8) " " " " " " \$4.00  
 Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> 1847 " 50.00 " " (9) " " " " " " 1.41



The statute of 1848. authorizes the collector  
by writ of money paid under various  
contracts = parties not "pari delicto"

Ches. Laws of 1848, vol 46. page 55

Of the court shall be of the opinion that  
the masters reports be erroneous as to that  
particular decides that money paid  
over six per cent. in this case is not  
conceded = still I cannot find a base-  
ance due the complainant and will  
dismiss the Bill with costs since  
the last payment to wit since the  
11<sup>th</sup> 1848 at that time \$46.00 were paid.

Fay & Kilburn

J<sup>r</sup> Snider et als

Brief



Fay & Kelburn  
P. S. Under et al

This is a Bill to foreclose a mortgage filed May 1847. on which there has been no decree = Mortgage stipulates 8 per cent interest = if only 6 per cent interest can be collected the plaintiffs were overpaid in 1848. May 11<sup>th</sup> =

The defendant claims  
1<sup>st</sup> That 6 per cent and no more can be collected under the statute in force when this contract was made

S. Mans Statutes 465

La Fayette vs Lewis J. C. R. (p. 180)

2<sup>d</sup> The court will take notice of usurers interest so long as the matter has not been entirely settled and closed up  
Bagg. vs Lendenback 12. C. R. 153

The payments made from time to time did not settle up the back interest so as that it comes under the rule "usurers interest paid" and parties in "pare delictis" for the court will apply any surplus over legal interest to the payment of the principal

12 Ohio Rep 157

The statute of Feb 1848 which took effect in March 1848 in vol 46, page 55 affects this cause because the last payment was made May 11<sup>th</sup> 1848  
See report

Ray Helborn

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Michael Rowstar  
and of Sude

Killed April 14, 1857  
James Kirk Road for CR

Sum right and just.

By Percy Spring  
his Deed for



The Answer of Peter Snyder, to the Bill filed against him by Cyrus Fay and Lincoln Kilbourn

This respondent, now and at all times hereafter, saving and reserving to himself all manner of benefit and advantage of exception to the many errors and insufficiencies contained in the Bill of said Complainants, for answer to the same, or to so much of it as this respondent is advised is material to be answered, answers and says, that, he admits that Peter Snyder, at the time alleged in said Bill did borrow of Michael Flon, the sum of seven hundred dollars and to secure the payment of said principal sum with eight per cent interest, did convey in fee simple to the said Michael and his heirs, the premises as described in said Bill, with a condition of defeasance, that if the said sum of money with eight per cent interest should be paid at the time mentioned in said Bill, the conveyance should be void

Now, your respondent further says, that he has paid the sum of nine hundred <sup>and forty</sup> dollars and fifty six cents, at the times here mentioned to wit

as will appear from his receipts	Oct 11 <sup>th</sup> 1843	\$36.00
	May 3 <sup>rd</sup> 1843	22.00
	August 1 <sup>st</sup> 1843	30.00
	September 24. 1844	5.00
	February 26. 1845	21.00
	July 24 <sup>th</sup> 1845	20.00
	March 17 <sup>th</sup> 1846	35.00
	February 10 <sup>th</sup> 1847	275.00
	May 27 <sup>th</sup> 1847	300.00
	Aug 5 <sup>th</sup> 1847	100.00
Oct 9 <sup>th</sup> 1847	50.00	
May 11 <sup>th</sup> 1848	46.56	
	Total	\$940.56

Your respondent further avers that he is ready to pay whatever may be found remaining yet due with legal interest, but that he is unwilling to pay more than six percent interest unless this court shall otherwise decree. All which matters and things this defendant is ready, to aver, maintain, and prove as this honorable court shall direct, and humbly prays that an account be taken and that your defendant be permitted to redeem on such equitable terms, as may

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0009



No. 47-CH-9

Union Common Pleas Court

James Galloway  
against Plaintiff,

A. S. Alden  
Defendant.

OCT TERM, 1847

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James Galloway

to

Andrew S. Alden



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Union Com Pleas

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James Galloway

vs { Bill in Chancery

Andrew S. Alden

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Filed May 5<sup>th</sup> 1867  
John Baptist Black

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A. Galloway

Sol. for ~~Black~~

To the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of  
Union County Ohio in Chancery Sitting

Your petitioner James Galloway of Greene County Ohio, respectfully represents that at the November Term 1841 of this Court he obtained a judgment against Andrew S. Alden of the County of Union & State of Ohio for the sum of Four Hundred & Forty three dollars & Seventy five cents (\$443.<sup>75</sup>/<sub>100</sub>) & costs of suit: That on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of September 1846 Execution was issued upon said judgment by the Clerk of this Court directed to the Sheriff of this County, who on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1846 made return thereon that he found no goods or ~~chattel~~ <sup>property</sup> held, ~~land or tenements~~ <sup>property</sup> whereon to levy: Your petitioner's judgment therefore remains unpaid.

Your petitioner further represents that on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January 1840, he sold to said defendant Two Hundred (200) acres of land lying in Union County Ohio & described as follows ~~viz~~ being Survey N<sup>o</sup> 6543 in the name of Andrew Alexander, & bounded & described in the title bond given by your petitioner to said defendant at the time aforesaid as follows, viz Beginning at two elms & a black oak Northerly corner to John Peterson's Survey N<sup>o</sup> 5602, thence with his line N. 30° E 100 poles to three elms, Northerly corner to said Peterson's Survey: thence with another of his lines S. 68° E. 96 poles crossing a branch to two elms & a hickory: thence N. 12° E. 68 poles to four elms: thence N. 60° E. four poles to two elms & a black oak: thence N. 28° W. 82 poles to two black jacks & a hickory: thence N. 40° E. 46 poles to three bar oaks: thence N. 50° W. 130 poles crossing a branch at 70 poles to two bar oaks & an Elm: thence S. 23° W. 280 poles crossing a branch to two white oaks & a hickory: thence S. 60° E. 80 poles to the beginning. — That by the ~~terms~~



The title bond so given as above stated, the defendant  
was invested with an equitable title in said premises  
& that for the purchase money remaining unpaid upon  
said premises your petitioner obtained the judgment aforesaid  
for the sum aforesaid & at the time aforesaid, & which  
notwithstanding the efforts to collect it, still remains  
unpaid, & that there is now due & owing to your petitioner  
on said judgment, principal & interest, the sum of Four  
Hundred and Ninety five dollars & fifty cents

Your petitioner therefore prays for a writ  
of subpoena against said Andrew S. Alden, that he  
may be made defendant<sup>th</sup> this bill, that an account  
may be taken of what is due to your petitioner ad=  
mitting as he does the following payments on said judg=  
ment viz Fifty dollars, January 31<sup>st</sup> 1844 - Thirty dollars.  
May 9<sup>th</sup> 1845; & Eighteen dollars June 16<sup>th</sup> 1846, in all  
Ninety Eight dollars. Your petitioner further prays  
that all the right title & interest of said Alden in &  
to the premises hereinbefore described, or to so much  
thereof as may be necessary ~~to~~ be sold for the payment  
of what is due to your petitioner, may be sold for the  
satisfaction of said judgment with legal interest  
thereon from the time of its rendition - & for  
such other & further relief as may be equitable  
& right.

May 5<sup>th</sup> 1847.

Albert Galloway  
Sol. for Petitioner

Winn Com Pleas

James Galloway

<sup>vs</sup>  
Andrew S. Alden

Sub in Chy

Filed May 7, 1847

John Caple Clerk

John Chivers Sheriff

Served on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1847 by  
leaving a true copy of this writ at the defendant  
residence in the presence of two copies

Costs above 35  
copy 12  
mileage 30-77 1/2



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Andrew S. Allen*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, ~~on the~~  
~~day of~~ *forthwith* ~~next ensuing~~, to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *him* by *James Galloway*

and this *he* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *fifth* day of

*May*, A. D, 1847

*John Cassil*

Clerk of Com. Pleas.

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Chancery Case

**1847-CH-0010**

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Supreme Court Case

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Case No. 1847-CH-0011



No. 47-CH-11

Union Common Pleas Court.

John Keers

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Daniel Robinson ~~et al~~

Defendant.

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Union Com. Pleas

John Peers  
vs

Daniel Robinson et al

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Wm. A. C.  
for Daniel Robinson  
vs John Peers  
as above

By P. B. Cole



To the Court of Common Pleas for the  
County of Union and State of Ohio in  
Chancery sitting

John Keens of the County of Champagne  
represents unto the Court that on or about the 24<sup>th</sup>  
day of June A.D. 1846 your orator and wife deeded  
to one Bartlet G. Robinson since deceased the  
following described real estate situate in said  
the County of <sup>of Union</sup> ~~Union~~ Lots No. 21, Lot No. 15, 17, 19, - 23 25 - 7 all  
in the Town of Watkinsville and Survey No. 5477 and  
three and 3/4 acres of Land being part of Survey No.  
1307 in the name of R. S. Bridges bounded as  
follows beginning at a stone in the line of original  
Survey on the good Road and Corner to said Watkins  
tract of Land thence with the original line N 81. E 17  
poles to a stone an other Corner to said Watkins  
thence with his line N 35 poles to a stone and  
two small square trees Corner to James Thompson  
Jr thence with his line S 81 W 17 poles to a stone  
and Corner to said Watkins thence with said  
Watkins line S 4 E 35 poles to the beginning -  
And your orator further represents  
that the said deed from your orator to  
the said Bartlet G. Robinson was a  
deed of trust and that the said Robt  
held the same for the use of your ora-  
tor, - without having paid any consideration  
for the same - And your orator further  
charges that the said Robinson was about  
to convey said real estate to your orator  
the proceeds of the trust having been paid but  
that said Robinson was prevented from doing  
so by his last sickness and death, which took  
place some time in the fall of 1846 -





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Robinson et al,

Answer of  
Guardian  
Ad Litem

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Daniel Robinson  
Samuel Robinson  
& Adam Robinson

Union Com. Pleas

In Chancery

Olway Curry Guardian

Ad Litem for Daniel Robinson Samuel  
Robinson & Adam Robinson the infant  
defendants in Case. Court and says that  
he cannot gainsay the allegations in  
said bill - L o .

Olway Curry  
Guardian Ad Litem

Olway Curry

Union Committee

John Keens  
w

Daniel Robinson  
et al

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Philip Smith Charity

Filed May 8, 1847  
Wm. Capil Clerk

deposited on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1847  
by leaving a true copy of this writ at the residence  
of each one of the within named defendants



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Samuel Robinson*  
*Samuel Robinson & Adam Robinson*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on ~~the~~  
~~For the~~ *11th* day of ~~next ensuing~~, to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them* by *John Keens*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *May*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.

D. A. 217  
John Keene  
W<sup>see</sup>  
Daniel Robinson  
W<sup>als</sup>

Debt  
Costs \$8,33  
This amt, 40

Lid Oct 3<sup>d</sup> 1855  
Yaker Randall Clerk

Recorded  
W<sup>see</sup>

Received this August 29<sup>th</sup> of 1855. Received the same  
September 18<sup>th</sup> 1855 and afterwards received the  
amount of cost in this case  
Fees, Service 35  
Returns 10  
Mileage 55  
\$100  
Wm M. North Clerk





The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF Union COUNTY, GREETING:

Whereas, at the Court of Common Pleas of the county aforesaid, begun and held at the court house in the town of Marysville, on the Eighth day of November A. D. 1852

Daniel Robinson Et al recovered against

John Keen

as well as the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and

cents for \_\_\_\_\_ debt, as the sum of \_\_\_\_\_

dollars and \_\_\_\_\_ cents, for

damages; as also the sum of \$ 8,33 for his

cost and charges in that behalf expended, as of record is manifest.

You are therefore commanded, that of the goods and chattels, and for the want thereof, of the lands and tenements of the said John Keen

you cause to be made the debt, damages, and costs aforesaid, with interest thereon from the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 18 \_\_\_\_\_ until paid, also the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ the costs of increase on said Judgment, and accruing costs; and of this writ make due return in sixty days.

Hereof fail not at your peril, and have then there this writ.

Witness TABER RANDALL, Clerk of said Court,

at the Court House aforesaid, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of August A. D. 1853.  
Taber Randall Clerk,

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0012



No. 47-CH-12

Union Common Pleas Court.

Lery (F) Nagar

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Ann Hill et al

Defendant.

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The Clerk will issue subpoenas for the Defendants  
Ann Kile and Robert Kile, returnable forthwith.  
Allison & Lumy  
attys for petitioners

Union Common Pleas.

Levy F. Hager  
et alios } Petition  
vs. } for  
Ann Kile et al. } Partition

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John Cassil Clerk

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Allison & Lumy  
attys

represent that Ann Kile formerly Ann Broad  
widow of David Broad deceased but now in the  
marriage with Robert Kile is entitled to share  
in the same premises, in which she is right  
said Robert Kile husband of said is interested by  
intermarriage with her.  
Upon petition, therefore made  
said Ann Kile and her said husband Robert Kile  
defendants to this petition; and pray that  
petition may be made of said lands and  
the said share of the said Ann aforesaid  
therein.  
By Allison & Lumy  
their Attorneys



To the Court of Common Pleas, <sup>Western</sup> Union and State of Ohio

Your petitioners Leroy F. Hager and Achsah Ann Hager wife of said Leroy F. Hager (formerly Achsah Ann Beard), Josiah Beard, and Robert Kile Guardian of Cyrus Beard and Samuel Beard minor children of Josiah Beard deceased, all of Union County Ohio, represent that they have a right to and are seized in fee simple of the following described real estate, in the following proportions: The said Leroy F. and Achsah Ann Hager the one fourth part thereof; The said Josiah Beard the one fourth part thereof; The said said Cyrus Beard ward of said Robert Kile the one fourth part thereof; and the said Samuel Beard ward of said Robert Kile the one fourth part thereof; said real estate is described as follows: Situate in Union County Ohio on the waters of Darby Creek, being part of Virginia Military Survey No. 3686 in the name of Lucas Sullivant, beginning at Two Ashes and a Hickory (all down) north east corner to Lucas Sullivants Survey No. 3686; thence with the back line of said Survey, S. 38° E. 15 1/2 poles to a sugar tree and dogwood or come to land sold by Lucas Sullivant to Frederick Sager; thence with Sager's line S. 52° W. 318 poles to a stake on the bank of Darby Creek; thence up the Creek N. 87° W. 28 poles to a small white oak; thence N. 38° W. 12 poles to an elm; thence N. 92° E. 48 poles to a buckeye, hornbeam and ash (all down); thence N. 38° W. 114 poles to a sugar tree ironwood and hickory in the upper line of the original Survey No. 3686; thence with said line N. 52° E. 280 poles to the beginning, containing two hundred and seventy two acres more or less. ——— And your petitioners further

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John C. P. S. Clerk



We, Robert Kile and Ann Kile, wife of said  
Robert Kile, (formerly Ann Beard) do hereby au-  
thorize Jackson B. Doughty, as our Attorney to  
retain service and prosecute thereof, and enter an  
appearance <sup>as Defendant.</sup> in a case in the Court of Common  
pleas of Union County Ohio, in which the heirs  
of Josiah Beard deceased ask partition  
of the real estate left by said Josiah  
Beard at his death. Given under  
our hands and seals this 8<sup>th</sup> day of May  
A. D. 1847.

Robert Kile

Ann Kile

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Leroy J. Wager et al

v

Ann Kile et al

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John Cassil, Clerk

I do hereby acknowledge  
~~to have~~ received  
herof and enter  
the appearance  
of the said Ann  
Kile and Robert Kile  
J. B. Saughy



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Ann Kile & Robert Kile*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, ~~on the~~  
*forthwith* ~~day of~~ ~~next ensuing~~, to answer a *Petition*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them* by *Leroy F. Hager & others*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *8* day of *May*  
A. D. 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.

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Erroy F Hagerstabs  
vs

Ann Killestabs

Pet for Partition

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I excepta this writ by the order of the  
narrer Daniel Kent John McDaniel and  
William M. Robinson, September 18 1847  
Deed - mileage 50 Philip Davies Sheriff  
service 100

of Common Pleas within and for the said  
County of Union together with this writ for the writ  
Witness John Cassie clerk of said  
Court at the Court-house this  
5 Day of August - A.D. 1847.

John Cassie Clerk



The State of Ohio Union County ss  
To the Sheriff of Saice County Greeting  
We Command you that without delay obey  
the Oaths of Daniel Kent John M. Cannon and  
William M Robinson you Cause partition to  
be made of the following lands to wit.

Situate in the County of Union and State of Ohio  
on the waters of Darby Creek being part of Virginia  
Military Survey No 3686, in the name of, Lucas Suliva  
-nt, beginning at two Ashes and a Hickory (all down)  
North east Corner to Lucas Sulivant Survey No 3686  
thence with the back line of said Survey, S. 38. E. 157 1/2  
poles, to a sugar tree and dogwood a corner to land  
sold by Lucas Sulivant to Frederic Hager thence  
with Hagers line, S 52° W 318 poles, to a stake on the bank of  
Darby Creek thence up the creek N 87° W 28 poles, to a small  
white oak thence N 38° W. 12 poles to an Elm, thence N 92°  
E. 48 poles, to a buckeye, hornbeam and buck (all down)  
thence N 38° W. 114 poles to a sugar tree Iron wood and hickory  
in the upper line of the original Survey No 3686, thence  
with said line N 52° E 280 poles to the beginning containing  
two hundred and seventy two acres more or less -

to the following persons and in the following proportions  
to wit, to the said <sup>of her heirs and</sup> Ann Hile, one equal third part  
and that by the like oaths of Daniel Kent John M Cannon  
and William M Robinson partition be made of the  
said lands subject to said dower estate in the following  
proportions to wit to the said Leroy H. Hager and  
Achsah Ann Hager the one equal fourth part to the  
said Josiah Beard the one equal fourth part to the  
said Cyrus Beard the one equal fourth part to the  
said Samuel Beard the one equal fourth part;

And that your proceedings in the premises you  
distinctly Certify under your hand to our Court



Filed Oct 5<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Cassio M<sup>r</sup>

Com missioners fees two days Each - \$86, 00

~~John M<sup>r</sup> Robinson~~ - \$3, 50

John Mcampbell and Daniel Hunt as claim

Editors two days Each -

\$5, 00

Two M<sup>r</sup> Robinson as Writers two days -

1, 50

\$10, 50

*[Faint, illegible handwritten notes in the left margin]*



We the undersigned having  
been appointed by the court  
of Common pleas of Union  
County Ohio as Commissioners to partition the real  
Estate of Josiah Beard late of said County deced  
after having been duly sworn and upon actual  
view of said premises, do make the following  
report to wit, Lot <sup>no</sup> 1. Commencing on the N<sup>W</sup>  
Side of said real Estate we do set off to Josiah Beard  
Lot <sup>no</sup> 2 to Siras Beard Lot <sup>no</sup> 3 to Samuel  
Beard and Lot <sup>no</sup> 4 to Laroy J. Hager &  
Schsah Ann wife of said Laroy J. Hager

we also set off one Equid Third part of  
said real Estate to Ann Hill and Robert  
Hill her husband as the Dower Estate of the  
said Ann Hill, Equilly Incumbering Each of  
said Lots - also set off a pasway in Common  
one rod wide on the south side of said Lot  
<sup>no</sup> 4 Commencing at the Southerly Corner of  
said survey and continuing on said line so far  
as said Dower continues on said Line

Referance is had for an accurate description  
and plat of said Lots and dower to the  
surveyors report which is here to annex  
all of which is hereby respectfully sub-  
mitted - Given under our hands this 17<sup>th</sup>  
day of "September A.D. 1847 -

Wm W Robinson  
Daniel .. Kent  
John M Campbell  
} Commissioners

We also set off a pasway one rod wide on the N<sup>W</sup>  
E line of the Dower from the road to the N<sup>W</sup> line of  
Lot <sup>no</sup> 3. Wm W Robinson Daniel Kent  
John M Campbell ——— Commissioners



Down end of the pass ways being marked  
with black lines, all of which are now re-erected  
in the plot of the survey line with re-tunes  
August 17th 1847 Mills Am. B. Gein

by survey

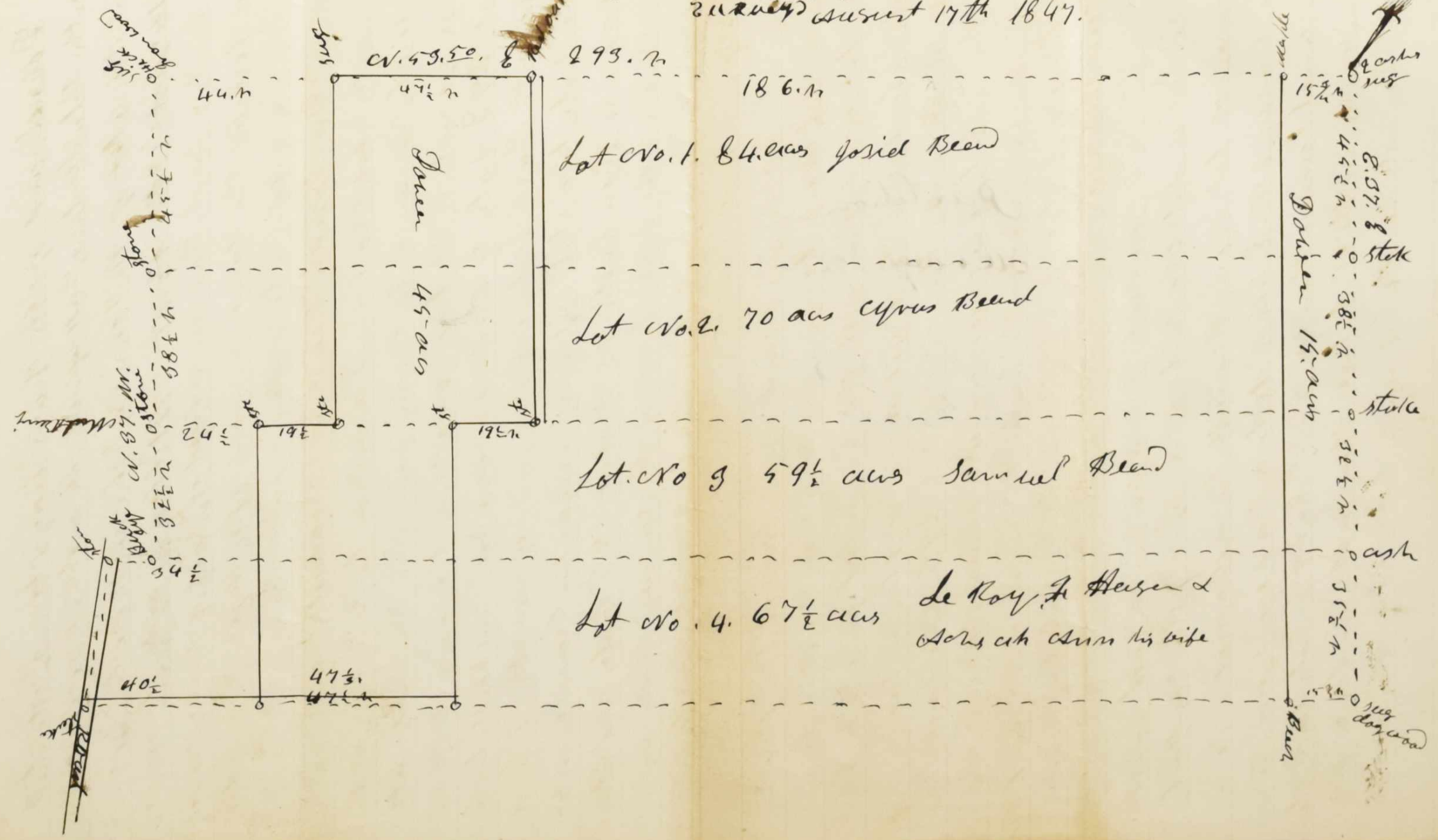
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Survey No 3686 for the heirs of Josiah Beard  
 Surveyed August 17th 1847.



State of Ohio in 1847

Under an order of partition from the Court of Common Pleas at the August term 1847 I proceeded under the direction of William M. Robinson John McCampbell & Daniel Kent Commissioners on 3d order to survey the tract of land there in named it <sup>being</sup> part of survey no 3686 and divided the same among the heirs of Josiah Beard named in 3d order as follows

To Josiah Beard as his equal fourth of 3d primeers lot No. 1. in 3d division he begins at the westerly corner of 3d survey from there running with the original W. W. line connecting the course N 53 5/2 East 293 poles to a stake & a sugar tree the North by corner then with the N. E. line of the survey South 37 East 45 1/2 poles to a stake witness a sugar tree bearing N. 58 East 7 links then South 53 5/2 West 293 poles and planted a stone in the S. W. line of the survey then with 3d line N. 37. W. 45 1/2 poles to the he begins containing Eighty four acs

To Cyrus Beard as his equal fourth of 3d Land Lot No. 2. he begins at a stone southerly corner lot. No. 1. then with the original line S. 37. E. 38 1/2 poles planted a stone witness a Mulberry bearing 241 N. 28 links then N. 53 5/2 E. 293. poles to a stake in the N. E. line witness a Beech cross then with 3d line N. 37. W. 38 1/2 poles to the Eastern by corner of Lot No. 1 then with the line of 3d lot 2. S 35 5/2 W. 293. poles containing 77 seventy acs

To Samuel Beard as his equal fourth of 3d land Lot No. 3. he begins at the southerly corner of lot No. 2. then with the original line of the survey S. 37. E. 32 1/2 poles to a Buckeye one of the original corners then N. 53 5/2 E. 293 poles to a stake & white ash in the N. E. line then with 3d line N. 37 W. 32 1/2 poles to the corner of lot No. 2. then with



the line of SD Lot 2.53<sup>50</sup> N. 293 poles to the beginning  
<sup>containing</sup> fifty nine one half acres.

To LeRoy J. Hager & Achrah Ann his  
wife as their several fourth of SD Land Lot No. 4.  
beginning at a buckeye southerly corner to lot No. 3.  
then 2.53<sup>50</sup> West 10 poles to a stake in the center of the  
Road then with SD Road 2.26. E. 35<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> poles to a stake in  
the line of Fredrick Sagers land then with his line  
N. 53<sup>50</sup> E. 309. poles to a run & dog wood Sagers corner  
then N. 37. W. 35<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> poles to the corner of lot No. 3. then  
with the line of SD Lot 2.53<sup>50</sup> N. 293. poles to the be-  
ginning containing sixty seven and one half acres

To Ann Kile and Robert Kile Men her husband  
her Dower in SD Land beginning at a sugar tree in  
the N. W. line 44 poles N. 53<sup>50</sup> E. from the West corner  
from there running N. 53<sup>50</sup> E. with SD line 47<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> poles to a  
stump & dead oak then 2.37. E. 84 poles to the line of lot No  
3 then with SD line 2.53<sup>50</sup> N. 19 poles to a stake then  
2.37. E. 67<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> poles to a maple in Sagers line then  
with SD line 2.53<sup>50</sup> N. 47<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> poles to a stake then N. 37.  
W. 67<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> poles to the N. W. line of lot No 3. then with  
SD line N. 53<sup>50</sup> E. 19. poles to a stake then N. 37. W. 84  
poles to the beginning containing forty five  
acres also for timber plot on the N. E. end of the sur-  
vey beginning at the original North corner then run-  
ning with the N. E. line 2.37. E. 152 poles to a cedar  
tree & dog wood then 2.53<sup>50</sup> N. 15<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> poles to a Beech  
then N. 37. W. 152 poles to a maple in the N. W. line  
then with SD line N. 53<sup>50</sup> E. 15<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> poles to the begin-  
ning containing fifteen acres also a pass way to be  
used in common one Rod wide a long the E. E. line of  
the survey as far as the dower extends and one of the  
same width on the N. E. line of the Dower from the  
Road to the line of lot No 3. the lines of the

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0013



No. 47-CH-13

Union Common Pleas Court.

Wm M. Robinson *advs*  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Mary Rickard *et al*  
Defendant.

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To the Court of Common Pleas of the County of  
Union, Ohio:

Your petitioner William M Robinson  
administrator of the estate of Simon Rickard  
deceased, respectfully represents; that the  
total value of the personal estate and  
effects of said decedent, is, as near as  
can be ascertained one hundred and twenty  $\frac{2}{100}$   
dollars; which will more fully appear  
by the certificate of the Clerk of this Court,  
herewith filed, marked (A); That the  
amount of debts owing by the deceased,  
as nearly as they can be now ascertained  
amount to seven hundred and fifty  
dollars; and the amount of charges of  
administration to \_\_\_\_\_ dollars.

The personal estate and effects are insuff-  
= ficient to pay said debts.

The said decedent died seized in fee simple  
of the following real estate, situate in the  
County of Union and State of Ohio, being  
part of survey No 5238 and bounded and  
described as follows: Beginning at two Black  
Haws and one elm, lower corner on the creek  
to land sold by Lucas Sullivan to Joshua  
and James Ewing - thence down the creek  
N. 2° E. 52 poles, N. 53° E. 94 poles, S. 53° E. 52 poles,  
S. 10° W. 24 poles, S. 60° E. 36 poles, S. 28° E. 30 poles  
to a forked sycamore and elm upper corner to  
a tract of land formerly owned by Richard  
Taylor now by Otway Curry, thence with the said  
line S. 52° W. 172 poles to two Burroaks and elm  
- thence N. 75° W. 26 poles to two small sassafras  
& cherry trees; - thence N. 88 poles passing Ewing's



lower back corner, and with their line to the beginning containing one hundred and twenty acres more or less.

The said decedent died, leaving Mary Rickard, his widow, who is entitled to dower in said premises.

The following persons are the heirs having the next estate of inheritance in the premises above described, from the said decedent, namely: George Rickard, Ann Rickard, and <sup>Mary</sup> Jane Rickard.

Your petitioner prays that the said widow, and the said persons above mentioned and described, having the next estate of inheritance in said premises, from said decedent, be made parties defendants to this petition; that the dower of the said Mary Rickard may be set off, ~~the several rights~~ and that your petitioner may be ordered to sell said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the debts of said estate, &c and such other relief, &c.

By Allison & Curry His  
Soltra



The Clerk will issue subpoenas to  
Mary Richard, George Richard, ~~Ann~~  
Richard and <sup>Mary</sup> Jane Richard returnable  
forthwith.

To John Cassil Clerk  
May 8<sup>th</sup> 1847

Allison & Lemmy  
Sotres

Union Courthouse Sec

Wm M. Robinson  
Admr 56

<sup>W</sup>  
Mary Richard et al

Served on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1847 by  
depositing an attested copy of this writ at the  
residence of each one of the within named  
defendants

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Copies 40  
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Philip Shuster Sheriff

Filed May 8, 1847  
John Capil Clerk



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Mary Rickard, George  
Rickard, Ann Rickard & Mary Jane  
Rickard*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, ~~on the~~

*For the* ~~with~~ ~~day of~~ ~~next ensuing~~, to answer a ~~Bill~~ *Petition* to  
~~sell Land~~  
~~in Chancery~~, exhibited against them by *William M. Robinson*  
*Administrator &c*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *8* day of *May*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil*

Clerk of Com. Pleas.

Union Corn Piles

Wm Robinson Adm'r &c  
vs

Mary Richard et al

Pet to sell

Filed Oct 6<sup>th</sup> 1867

John Cassil clk

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foregoing is truly copied from the proceedings  
of said Court.

In testimony whereof I hereunto  
subscribe my name and affix  
the seal of said Court - this 5<sup>th</sup>  
Day of August 1867.

John Cassil Clerk



W<sup>m</sup> M Robinson  
Administrator &c } Petition to sell.

As } An Motion to the Court  
Mary Richard } by Messrs Allison & Curvey Counsel  
for the petitioner It is ordered that the said  
Mary Richard be endowed of one hale equal  
third part of the following Real Estate in the  
petition mentioned to wit; Situate in the County  
of Union and State of Ohio, being part of Survey  
Number fifty two thirty eight and bounded and  
described as follows ~~to wit~~, beginning at two black  
haws and an elm lower corner on the Crest  
to lands sold by Lucas Sulwant to Joshua and  
James Ewing thence down the Creek N 8° E. 52  
poles N. 53° E. 94 poles, S 53° E. 52 poles, S 10° W. 24  
poles, S 60° E 36 poles S 28° E 30 poles, to a forked  
Sycamore and Elm upper corner to a tract of  
Land formerly owned by Richard Taylor,  
now by Otway Curry thence with the said line  
S 52° W. 172 poles, to two brooks and Elm thence  
N. 75° W 26 poles to two small Sassafras, and a Cherry tree  
thence N 88 poles passing Ewings lower back corner  
and with their line to the beginning, containing  
One hundred and twenty acres more or less and  
it is further ordered that Daniel Kent John  
M. Canal and Leroy F. Hager, being first duty  
sworn, do upon actual view of the premises set  
off and assign the said dower to the said Mary  
Richard and make return of such assignment  
together with the just valuation of said Real Estate  
subject to said dower forthwith

The State of Ohio Union County ss  
I John Cassil Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas  
in and for said County do hereby certify that the



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Wm Robinson Adm  
of Simon Richard

Mary Richard et al  
order of Partition

In the diance to the within writ  
We the under sign do set of to Mary  
Richard then Dower in the within described  
land thirty five acres Bounded as follows  
beginning at a white oak in the East line  
of the survey on the W. side of the Road lead-  
ing to Pleasant Valley from the Runing  
with the line N. 52 E. 98. poles to a forked eye  
a more on the Bank of the creek then up the  
creek 40 poles to the center of the Road  
then with the Road South 40. West 80 poles to a long tree  
then with the Valley Road S. E. 42 E. 56 poles to the Runing

We also set of fifty five acres of the sd survey  
to be sold to pay the debts of the estate of Simon Rich-  
ard dec'd bounded as follows beginning at the center  
of the Road in the West line of the survey then Runing  
with sd line North 80 poles to the creek lower corner  
to Edwings land then down the creek with the call  
of the deed to the center of the Road then with the Road  
S. 40. West 107 poles to the beginning which we at-  
tribute to nine ten dollars <sup>more</sup> to be sold from Dower  
of the widow

Commissioners

William B. Green  
Stephenson Erving

Samuel K. Cochran

Given April 28, 1845  
John Correll cmr

Wm Robinson Adm  
Mary Richard et al



Wm Robinson Actur  
 of Simon Rickard }  
 Mary Rickard et al } *Petition to Sell.*  
 On motion to the Court and  
 by consent of Parties the former Assignment  
 of Dower and Appraisment made in this  
 Case is hereby set aside by the Court. It is therefore Ordered that  
 the said Mary Rickard be endowed of one full equal third  
 part of the following real estate in the Petition mentioned Court,  
 Situate in the County of Union and State of Ohio being part  
 of Survey N<sup>o</sup> 5238, and bounded and described as follows.  
 Beginning at two black haws and one elm lower corner on the  
 Creek to Land sold by Lucas Sullivan to Joshua and James Ewing  
 thence down the creek N. 2.° E. 52 poles N. 53.° E. 94. poles - S. 53.° E. 52.  
 poles S. 10.° N. 24 poles S. 60.° E. 36. poles S. 28.° E. 30 poles to a forked  
 Sycamore and elm upper corner to a tract of Land formerly owned  
 by Richard Taylor, now by Otway Curry, thence with the said line  
 S. 52.° N. 172 poles to two burr oaks and elm, thence N. 75.° W. 26 poles  
 to two small Sassafras & Cherry trees, - thence N. 88. poles passing  
 Ewing lower back corner, and with their line to the beginning  
 containing one hundred and twenty acres more or less, and it  
 is further Ordered that William B. Irwin, Samuel McCullough,  
 and Stephenson Curry, being first duly sworn do upon actual  
 view of the Premises set off and assign the said dower  
 to the said Mary Rickard, and make return of such Assignment  
 and also set off from the ballance, so much as will Secure  
 by sale seven hundred dollars, the probable ballance of  
 Claims due from said estate, and appraise the same as  
 clear from the dower of said Mary Rickard and make  
 their report herein forthwith

The State of Ohio Union County St.  
 I, John Cassil, clerk of the  
 Court of Common Pleas within and for the County of  
 Union and State of Ohio, do hereby Certify that the  
 foregoing is truly Copied from the Journal of said Court  
 at their April Term A.D. 1848.

Witness my hand and seal of  
 Office this 26<sup>th</sup> day of April  
 A.D. 1848.  
 John Cassil clerk



Union Com. Pleas

Wm Robinson Adm<sup>r</sup> &c  
vs  
Mary Richard et al

Order of Sale

Filed Jun 28 1848  
John Cassel clk

Wm Robinson adm<sup>r</sup> of } Common Pleas  
Simon Richard decd } Petition to sell  
vs } land  
Mary Richard et al }

In pursuance of an order of sale made at the April term 1848 of said court, I gave notice of sale in due form of law, and at the time and place mentioned in said notice of said sale, to wit on the premises mentioned in the order, on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June at 1848 at one o'clock P.M. I offered said property at public vendue; and George W. Richard having bid there for Seven hundred and Seventy Dollars and he being the highest and best bidder, and the same being more than two thirds of the appraised value thereof, I struck off and sold the same to him for that sum

Wm Robinson Administrator

of the Estate of Simon Richard decd  
Publication of notice \$2.12  
June 17<sup>th</sup> 1848



The State of Ohio Union County ss.

I, John Cassie, clerk  
of the Court of Common Pleas, within and for the County  
of Union and State of Ohio, do hereby Certify the following  
Entry to be truly taken and Copies from the Journal  
of said Court, at the April Term A. D. 1848,  
to wit,

W<sup>m</sup> M Robinson, Adm<sup>r</sup>de

vs

May Rickard et al

Pet. to sell,

An motion to the Court by Messrs  
Allison Henry, Counsel for the petitioner

and upon producing the assignment of dower and the assignment  
of a portion of the Land in the Petition described for the payment  
of the Debts of said Estate, together with the appraisement of  
the tract of Land so set off to be sold as aforesaid herein made  
by William B Inwin, Stephenson Curry, and Samuel McCulough,  
under a former Order made at this term of this Court, It is  
Ordered that the said William M Robinson, proceed  
according to Law to sell upon the premises the said Real  
Estate so set off and Appraised as aforesaid part of the  
premises in said petition described and upon the  
following terms to wit, One half Cash in hand and the  
ballance in one year with interest from the day of sale  
to be secured by mortgage on the premises, and it is  
further Ordered that the said William M Robinson,  
make return of his proceedings in the premises to the  
next term of this Court,

In testimony whereof I herunto subscribe  
my name and affix the seal of  
said Court at Mansville this 16<sup>th</sup>  
Day of May A. D. 1848.  
John Cassie, Clerk,

Filed June 28, 1848  
John Cassid clm.

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MAY 17, 1848.

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**Sale of real estate by order of court.**

ON the 17th day of June, 1848, at 1 o'clock, P. M., upon the premises hereinafter described, lying near Pleasant Valley, will be sold to the highest bidder, the following real estate as the property of Simon Rickard, deceased, to wit: Situate in Jerome township, Union co., Ohio, and part of Survey No. 5238, bounded as follows: beginning at the centre of the road in the west line of the Survey; thence running with said line N 80 poles to the creek, lower corner to Ewing's land; thence down the creek with the calls of the deed to said Simon Rickard to the centre of the road; thence with the road S 40 W 107 poles to the place of beginning, containing 55 acres; appraised at \$19,00 per acre; free of dower. Terms of sale one half cash in hand, and the balance in one year with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by mortgage upon the premises.

WM. M. ROBINSON.

Adm'r of Simon Rickard, dec'd.

May 17, 1848.

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State of Ohio Union County

P. B. Beale publisher of the Argus  
a news Paper published in said  
County makes certificate that the  
notice hereto attached was published  
for four consecutive weeks in said  
paper commencing on the 17th day of May 1848  
by a notice for the sale of Real estate  
of Wm M Robinson or Adm'r of Simon  
Rickard P. B. Beale

due on to 9 subscribers upon cert  
Jan 28 1848 John Caspell, Clerk

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Filed April 28, 1868  
John Cassil CM





Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0014



No. 47-CH-14

Union Common Pleas Court.

Isaac White

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Rawley White Jr.

Defendant.

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Decree for self-

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Isaac White

is } Partition

~~Rawley~~  
Rawley White jr

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Filed May 13<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Coffin, Clerk.

Cost bill made  
Record

Recorded

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K. Thomas



To the Court of Common Pleas within and for  
the County of Union and State of Ohio

Your petitioner Isaac White of the State of Virginia  
represents, that he has a legal title, and right to, and  
is seized in fee simple of the undivided three fourths part  
of the following real Estate situate in the County of Union and  
State of Ohio to wit; Survey Number one thousand three  
Hundred and ninety four entered in the name of John  
White for one thousand one hundred ten and two thirds  
acres of land (N<sup>o</sup> 1394) (1110 <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> acres), on the waters of Mill Creek  
Beginning at Two Elms and a Maple South East corner to  
James Jenkins' Survey N<sup>o</sup> 3349, running thence with his line  
N 10° W 450 poles, crossing a branch at 236 and one at 339 poles  
to Two Beeches, an Ash and Sugartree North East corner to  
Said Jenkins Survey, and South West corner to Said Whites  
Entry N<sup>o</sup> 3956 - Thence with the line of the last mentioned  
Survey N 80° E 400 poles to a Red Oak, Ash and Buckeye,  
thence S 10° E 450 poles to an Ash Elm, and Maple, thence  
S 80° W 400 poles to the beginning - And your petitioner  
further represents that ~~Isaac~~<sup>Rawley</sup> White of the State of Virginia  
is a tenant in common with your petitioner in said  
described premises - your ~~petitioner~~ petitioner therefore prays  
that partition of said lands may be made if the same  
cannot be done without manifest injury, that there  
such other proceedings may be had in the premises as are  
authorized by Law

By K. Thomas  
his attorney

White

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White

proof Particular

Filed Aug. 6<sup>th</sup> 1745  
John Basil, Clerk



ROWLEY WHITE will take notice that a petition was filed against him on the 13th day of May, A.D. 1847, in the Court of Common Pleas of Union county, Ohio, by Isaac White, and is now pending, wherein the said Isaac White demands partition of the following described Real Estate, to wit: Survey No. one thousand three hundred and ninety-four, entered in the name of John White for one thousand one hundred ten and two thirds acres of land (No. 1394) (1110 $\frac{2}{3}$  acres) on the waters of Millcreek, beginning at two elms and a maple south east corner to James Jenkins' survey No. 3349, running thence with his line N 10 $^{\circ}$  W 450 poles crossing a branch at 236 and one at 334 poles to two beeches, an ash and sugartree northeast corner to said Jenkins' survey, and southwest corner to said White's entry No 3956; thence with the line of the last mentioned survey N 80 $^{\circ}$  E 400 poles to a redoak, ash and buckeye; thence S 10 $^{\circ}$  E 450 poles to an ash, elm and maple; and that at the next term of said Court application will be made by the said Isaac White for an order that partition may be made of said premises.

ISAAC WHITE.

By his Atty. K. THOMAS.

May 26, 1847.

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State of Ohio  
 Union County

P. B. Beale publisher of the Argus a news paper printed and general circulation in said County makes solemn oath that the notice hereto attached being a notice in partition of ~~said~~ white & Rowley white was published in said paper for seven consecutive weeks <sup>immediately</sup> previous to the 3<sup>d</sup> of August 1847.

P. B. Beale

In view to & subscribed open Court this 6<sup>th</sup> day of August 1847  
 John Capil Clerk

Commissioners  
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Grade White

vs

John Penttican

Rawley White

In the decree to an order from the Court of  
 Common Pleas at their octo term 1847 in the  
 above case in which the under signed were ap-  
 pointed Commissioners we re port <sup>after being duly sworn</sup> that an actual  
 survey of the whole survey of 1894 in the  
 name of Grade White we find it to contain  
 one thousand three hundred and sixteen acres and  
 we set of to Grade White as his equal three  
 fourths of sd survey the following part or portion  
 to wit beginning at a Red oak & Buckeye the orig-  
 inal. N. E. Corner of the survey from there Runing with  
 the East line there of South 10. East 490 poles to a ash  
 and Maple the orig. real South East Corner then with  
 the South line of the survey South 80 West. 311 poles  
 to a Bus Beech & Maple then North 10. West 490 poles  
 to a Beech & ash in the North line then with sd line  
 North 80. E. 311. poles to the beginning Contain-  
 ing nine hundred and fifty acres for a more  
 particular description of which Reference  
~~is~~ made to the Surveyors report here with  
 submitted for Boundaries monuments L. C.  
 all of which is respectfully submitted under  
 oath as the Law directs October 8<sup>th</sup> 1847.

William B. Swain  
 James Thompson  
 Absalom Lidget

}  
 } Commissioners  
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fees in the above case  
 James Thompson two days  
 Absalom Lidget " "

\$ 2.00  
 2.00  
 \$ 4.00

Union Com Pleas

Isaac White

vs

Rawley White

Order of Partition

Filed Oct 8<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Cassie cly

In obedience to the within Command I have  
executed this writ by the oaths of Absalom Legget  
James Thompson and William Irvine  
Fees - mileage 40  
expending this writ \$1.00 Philip Tucker Sheriff



The State of Ohio }  
Union County ss } To the Sheriff of said County Greeting  
We command you that by the  
Oaths of Absalom Siggel James Thompson and  
William Irouin, you cause partition to be made  
of the following lands to wit. Survey No. 1394 in the  
name of John White for one thousand one hundred  
ten and two thirds acres. of Land ( $1110\frac{2}{3}$ ) on the waters  
of Mill Creek Beginning at 2 Elms & a maple S.E. corner  
to James Jenkins survey No 3349. running thence with his  
line N10 W. 450 poles crossing a branch at 256. and one at  
334 poles to two Buches and an ash and sugar tree north  
East corner to said Jenkins survey. and south west corner  
to said Whites Entry No 3956. thence with the line of  
the last mentioned survey N 80. E 400 poles to a red  
Oak. ash and Bucheye thence S 10. E 450 poles to an  
ash and maple thence S 80. W 400 poles to the beginning  
to the following persons and in the following proportions  
to wit. to the said Isaac White one equal three  
fourths part. and that your proceedings in the  
premises you distinctly certify under your hand  
to our court of common pleas within and for the  
said County of Union together with this writ.

Witness my hand and the seal  
of said Court this 6<sup>th</sup> Day of  
October AD 1847.  
John Cassie Clerk

Surveyors  
Report  
Survey No 1394

Isaac White  
vs  
Kawley White

Filed Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Capille



Isaac White

vs

Rawly Whit

Petition for partition

by the order of a writ of partition  
 in the above case in company with Jesse Thomson  
 & Absalen Diggat commissioners in D Cuss after being  
 sworn as the law directs and take into our assistance  
 as chain-carriers who were also sworn named by Hon  
 Jorsey & John Decker surveyors the same and found it  
 to contain 1323 acres and we set off to Isaac White  
 as his or great three fourth part of D survey No 1394  
 950 acres bounded as follows he begins at a Red Oak  
 & Buckeye the original N. E. corner of the survey  
 from there run into with the North line of the survey  
 correct into the course  $S. 81^{\circ} 30'$  W. 312 poles to a large  
 Beech then  $S. 11^{\circ} 15'$  East 490 poles to 2 Hick: & 2 Bur oaks  
 an ash & maple in the original South line then with  
 D line correct in the course then of  $N. 81^{\circ} 15'$  E 312 poles  
 to a maple ash and Elm the original South East corner  
 then with the original East line correct into the course  
 $N. 11^{\circ} 15'$  W. 490 poles to the he begins all of which  
 will appear on the plat here with reference all of which is  
 respectively such noted

William B. Green Surveyor U.S.

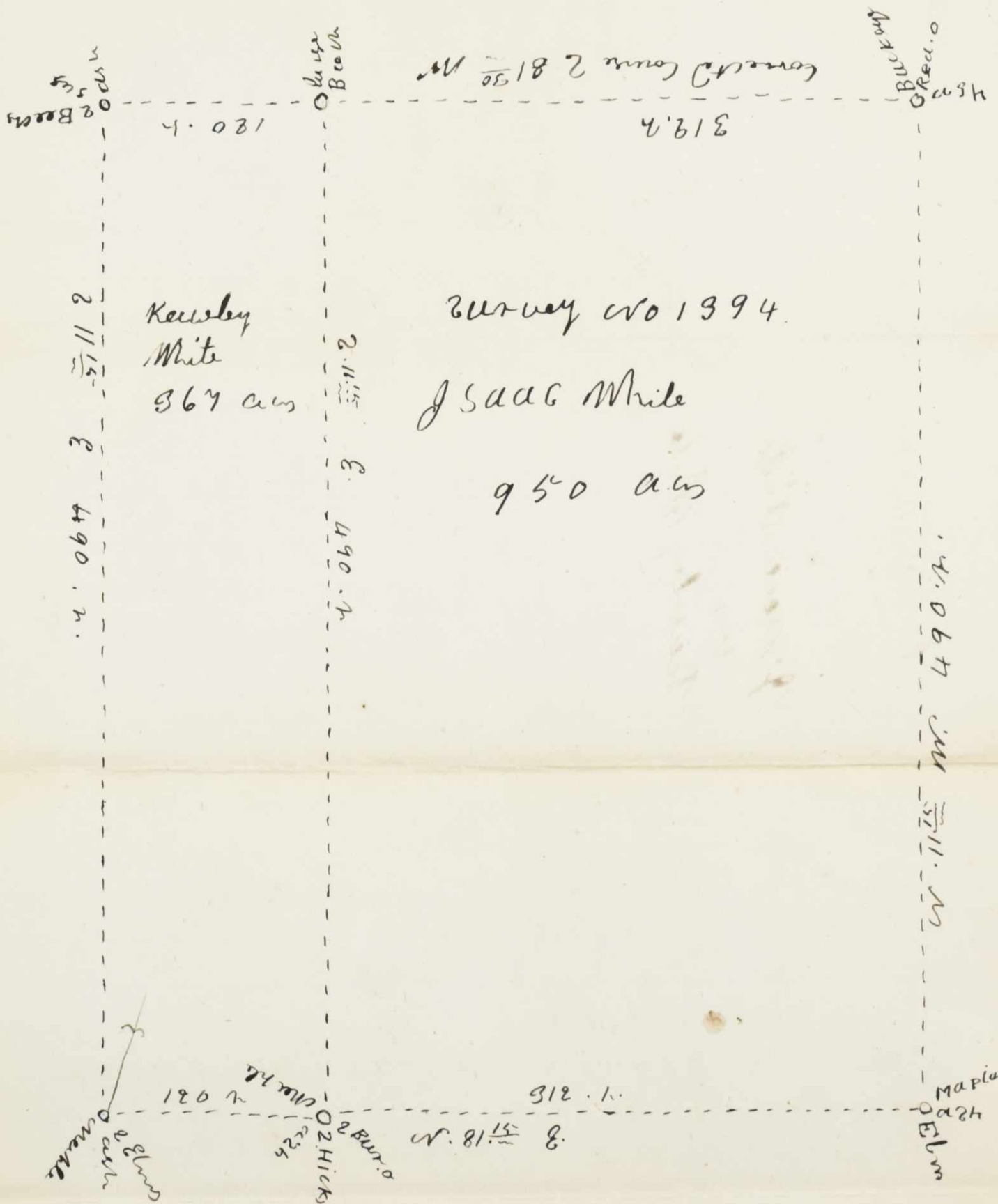
Fees in the above case

To William B. Green surveyor as Commissioner	
surveying plat map and record only	\$ 6.00
To John Decker - chain & dory	1.50
Hon Jorsey	1.50
	<u>1.50</u>
	\$ 9.00

Plett of summer  
No. 1394

Grace White  
vs  
Bawley White





I certify the above to be a correct plot of the above survey no 1394 as surveyed by me October 7<sup>th</sup> 1847 with the Partition there represented

William B. Main surveyor

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0015



No. 47-CH-15

Union Common Pleas Court.

Alexander Gulletton

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

W. Woods & Massin

Defendant.

AUG TERM, 1849

Dismissed

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Union Common Pleas,  
<sup>C. 202</sup>

Alexander Fullerton

vs. ~~William W. Woods~~ vs. ~~Chancery~~ Chancery.

William W. Woods,  
Maine Wagon,

Filed May 15<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Caspell, Clerk

Cost bill made  
to record

Allison & Cundy,  
Solicitors.

The Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Union County  
Ohio, will please issue a subpoena in Chancery in the  
within suit, for the within-named William W. Woods  
and Maine Wagon.

Allison & Cundy,  
Solicitors for Complainant.

~~William W. Woods~~

1847

Dated May



To the Court of Common Pleas, within and for  
The County of Union and State of Ohio, in Chancery sitting.

Alexander Fullerton of the  
City of Philadelphia in the State of Pennsylvania, rep-  
resents to the Court that on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of July A. D. 1846  
he obtained a judgment against One William W. Woods of  
said Union County, on the law side of this Court, for the  
sum of One Hundred and Ninety One Dollars and  
Eighty Two Cents damages, and for his costs in his  
said suit in that behalf expended, taxed to  
Dollars

all of which will more fully appear, ref-  
erence being had to the records of said Court, now being and re-  
maining in the Office of the Clerk of said Court; That on  
the 8<sup>th</sup> day of September A. D. 1846 a writ of fieri facias  
issued from said Court against the said William W.

Woods upon said judgment, which said writ was  
upon the same day last aforesaid duly delivered to William  
M. Robinson, then being Sheriff of said Union County, who  
afterwards on the <sup>12<sup>th</sup> day of October 1846</sup> ~~same day~~ duly returned said writ to  
the Office of the Clerk of said Court, and caused the same  
to be filed therein, endorsed by said Sheriff as follows,  
to wit: "Received this writ Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> 1846. Returned Oct.  
12<sup>th</sup> 1846 - No goods and chattels lands and tenements  
found whereon to levy - Wm. M. Robinson Sheriff."

Your Orator further represents that said William  
W. Woods and One Mains Wapson, of said Union County,  
before and at the time of said return of said writ were  
and ever since have been partners, associated together  
for the purpose of doing business as Merchants, and  
otherwise, under the name and style of M. Wapson  
& Co.; That as such partners they, the said William  
W. Woods and Mains Wapson on or about the 13<sup>th</sup> day  
of March A. D. 1847. purchased from the executors of  
John Greenwood deceased the entire stock and assort-  
ment of the goods which were of said deceased in the  
Town of Mansville in said County; That said partners



immediately after said purchase of said stock of Merchandise commenced retailing the same in said Town of Marysville in said County, and still continue to retail the same in the same place; — Your Orator further represents that on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May A. D. 1847 a second writ of fieri facias issued from said Court against the said William W. Woods, upon said Judgment, and was duly delivered to Philip Snider then and now being Sheriff of said County of Union; that the said Philip Snider, Sheriff as aforesaid, on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1847 levied said last mentioned writ <sup>in conjunction with another execution in favor of Charles T. Fletcher,</sup> upon the undivided interest of said William W. Woods in said stock of goods; that the said Philip Snider, Sheriff as aforesaid, on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1847, duly returned said last mentioned writ into the Office of the Clerk of said Court, endorsed as follows: "Received this writ May 14<sup>th</sup> 1847. Same day levied <sup>in conjunction with another execution in favor of Charles T. Fletcher,</sup> upon the undivided interest of William W. Woods in the stock of goods now in the store room of M. Wapson & Co. in the Town of Marysville, Union County. No other property found whereon to levy. This writ returned without sale by order of plaintiff. May 14<sup>th</sup> 1847. Philip Snider, Sheriff."

Your orator further represents that he has made effort, but has been unable to ascertain, and has now no means of ascertaining the amount of the interest of said William W. Woods in said stock of goods, but supposes the same to be a moiety; that your orator is informed and believes, and so here charges, that of the proceeds of the partnership business carried on by said partners both before and after the purchase by them of the above mentioned stock of goods, there is a large amount of money, notes, books, accounts, claims, and other property, which accrued to said William W. Woods and which still remains unexpended and under the control of said partners, or under the control of said William W. Woods, or under the control of said Charles Wapson; the exclusion right of said William W. Woods there to being concealed.



Your Orator further represents that said partners are indebted to the estate of John Greenwood deceased and to sundry other creditors, whose names are to your Orator unknown, in certain sums and amounts to your Orator unknown.

Your Orator therefore prays that the said William W. Woods and the said claim Wapson may be made defendants to this Bill; That the writ of Subpoena may issue, and that they may be compelled, under oath to answer all and singular the allegations and matters in this Bill contained, the same as if they were separately and specifically interrogated in that behalf; and especially, that they may set forth the amount of the interest of the said William W. Woods, at the time of the filing of this Bill, in the said stock of goods purchased as aforesaid, and whether the same be a moiety, or an amount less or more than a moiety; also, that they may set forth the value of said stock of goods at the date of the filing of this Bill; also, that they may set forth the amount of the proceeds of their partnership business which has accrued to said William W. Woods, and which remains under the control of either or both of said partners, showing distinctly the amount of money, the separate amount and value, with particular descriptions of the notes, book-accounts, claims, and other articles of property, together with the names of persons liable to pay such notes, book-accounts, and claims, and the names of all persons in whose keeping any of such money, notes, book-accounts, claims, or other property may be; also that they may set forth the names of ~~the~~ the creditors of their said partnership, with a particular statement of the amount owing <sup>to each</sup> by said partnership, the time when contracted, and when payable.

Your Orator further prays that on the final hearing of this cause a decree may be rendered that your Orator's judgment claim aforesaid against said William W. Woods be paid by said partners, or by said William W. Woods, or that in default thereof the interest of said Woods in all partnership property of said firm of M. Wapson & Co. be sold, and the proceeds thereof, together with the above-specified money, notes, book-accounts, and claims, if any, be appropriated to the payment and discharge thereof, unless required for the liquidation of partnership debts; And your Orator further prays for such other and further relief as equity and good conscience may require.

By Allison & Curry,  
Solicitors for Complainant.

Served on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D.  
1847 by delivering an attested copy of this  
writ to each one of the within named  
defendants

Fees service 55

copies 20

mileage 5

Philip Snider Sheriff

Union Corn. Pleas

Alexander Fullerton

vs

William W. Woods

vs Maine Wagon

Sub. in Chancery

Filed May 17<sup>th</sup> 1847

John Capil, Clerk



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *William W. Woods &*  
*Mains Mason*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the  
*third* day of *August* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them* by *Alexander Fullerton*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *15<sup>th</sup>* day of *May*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.

State of Ohio Union County, ss.

J. Allison, B. Woods, being

duly sworn, depose & say that all the several matters and things which are stated in the foregoing answer as ~~being~~ from the information of others, & believe to be true, and that all the several other matters and things therein set forth are true in substance & in fact

M. M. Mason

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of April, A. D. 1848

Wm. M. Mason, J. P.

State of Ohio Union County, ss.

J. Mairis, Deacon, being duly

sworn, depose & say that all the several matters and things which are stated in the foregoing answer as from the information of others, & believe to be true, and that all the several other matters and things therein set forth are true in substance & in fact

W. Mason

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of April A. D. 1848

Wm. M. Mason, J. P.

Union Case Files

A. Fullerton

vs

Woods & Mason

Filed April 25<sup>th</sup> 1848  
John Cassil, C. K.



The joint answer of Maines Mason & Wood to a bill exhibited against them, by Alexander Fullerton, in the Court of Common Pleas of Union county & State of Ohio

And the said defendants for answer to said bill, or so much thereof as they are advised, is material for them to answer, say that it is true that the said Fullerton obtained a judgement against the defendants; Wood, as charged, in said bill - They also admit that they were partners in the Mercantile business, under the name of M. Mason & Co., before and at the time of filing said bill - They also admit that on or about the 15<sup>th</sup> day of March A.D. 1847, they bought a stock of goods of the executors of John Greenwood, deceased, for which was to be paid the sum of three thousand one hundred & eighty dollars - And for further answer to said bill the defendants say that the circumstances under which they were connected in business, were as follows; they had been doing business together as merchants, since some time in the year 1844, that said Mason had furnished all the capital to start & sustain the business upon, & the said Wood was to, and did devote his whole time and service to the business of the concern, and they were to divide the neat profits equally, after paying the debts, the said Wood only to furnish his time & service to the said firm - And the defendants say that those were the conditions upon which said business was conducted, and the depts. further answering say that a short time previous to the said purchase from the executors of Greenwood, that they entirely sold out their whole stock of goods, that the said firm was then owing for debts previously contracted about fifteen hundred dollars - 2. To Delaware Bank - Perry & Sampson & others, and



further answering states that the amount of said Woods store account due the firm was about nine hundred & forty one dollars, which together with the account of Adam Wolford, W. H. Frank, John Basil & W. H. Page which were due the said firm and which accounts in the aggregate amounted to about three hundred & fifty dollars making the whole and which accounts the said Woods had agreed to take as to the said Woods was indebted individually to those persons, making the whole received by <sup>Woods from the firm</sup> said about thirteen hundred dollars and which was the ~~full~~ amount of said Woods share and interest in the business and effects of said firm after paying the debts thereof previous to the said purchase from Greenwoods Executors. - The balance of the effects of said firm partly belonged to said Wasore and the Defts. further answering that in regard to the purchase from Greenwoods Executors it was made solely upon the responsibility of said Wasore although both of them signed the obligation - By the terms of the partnership agreement between Defts. said Wasore was to have full control of the said stock of Woods, it was in his power to close the store any day he chose and turn the said Woods out, - The effects of the said Wasore's interest in the firm previous to the said purchase of Greenwood went in to keep up the store - The said Woods was to devote all his time to business of the firm and was to have one half of the net profits for his services alone, on the same condition as before the said last mentioned purchase. - The Defts. further answering say that at the time complainant filed his said bill, the said firm was indebted to the Estate of the said Greenwood for said goods in the sum of about nineteen hundred & eighty-five dollars - Seaman Bank about one thousand dollars, A. S. Hazell about one hundred dollars, and several



other small debts making about one hundred dollars more - making the whole indebtedness of the firm, at the time of filing said bill, about thirty one ~~thousand~~ <sup>hundred</sup> & six ~~hundred~~ dollars, which had been contracted at the time & after the said Greenwood purchase - The Defts. further answering say that their firm had been doing business only about two months after said purchase, when said bill was filed - that they had not then sold sufficient goods to pay the debts then due from the firm, or about to be due, it is impossible for the Defts. to know, or be able to state, precisely, whether any thing would have been due the said Woods, from the firm, at the time of filing said bill, if a settlement of the firm had then been made, & the debts of the firm remained unpaid, but a small amount of goods had been sold, and the said Woods had been taking goods out of the store all along, for the use of his family, and for the payment of small debts of his own, and the said Woods having no claim from the stock bought of Greenwood ~~except~~ ~~for~~ ~~his~~ ~~personal~~ ~~service~~ in the sale of the same - the Defts. therefore believe that nothing would have been due the said Woods, from the firm, at the time of filing Complainant's said bill, by any fair and equitable settlement of the said firm, that could have been made, at that time - The Defts. further answering state that by the terms of their partnership agreement, the said Mason had the right to close the store any time ~~to choose~~ when he saw fit, and do as he pleased with the goods, and when the same was closed the debts of the ~~firm~~ firm were to be first paid, and the said Woods for his share was to have his current store account, and for all over that, which might be due the said Woods, he was to take in notes, goods, or accounts, at the option of said Mason - And the Defts. further answering deny the concealment of any money, notes, book accounts, or other effects of the said ~~Woods~~ Woods that accrued to him from said partnership - And say that the charge in said bill that any ~~the~~ effects of the said Woods were concealed by Defts. is utterly untrue, The Defts. also deny the said Woods having had any effects in said partnership further than is herein before stated, and having their full answer may to be dismissed with their costs,

In Union bonitas

Alexander Fullerton

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Woods & Gasar

Exceptions to the above

Filed June 26, 1848

John Cassin C.M.

Alison Curry



Alexander Fullerton }  
vs }  
William M Woodz & }  
Mains Mason }

In Chancery,

Exceptions to the answer put in by the  
defendants to the Bill of Complaint.

1<sup>st</sup> That the said defendants have not answered and set forth according to the best of their knowledge, remembrance, information and belief, the value of the stock of goods purchased of the Executors of Greenwood, at the time of the filing the Bill in this case.

2<sup>nd</sup> That the said defendants have not in manner aforesaid, answered and set forth, distinctly, the amount of money, the separate amount and value, with particular descriptions of the notes, book accounts, claims, and other articles of property, nor the names of all persons liable to pay such notes, book accounts, and claims as called for in said Bill.

In all which particulars, the complainant insists, that the said answer of the said defendants, is evasive, imperfect, and insufficient, wherefore, he excepts thereto, and prays that the said defendants may be compelled to amend the same and put in a full and sufficient answer to the said Bill.

By Allison & Curry, His Solrs,

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0016



No. 47-CH-16

Union Common Pleas Court.

Charles T. Tracker

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

W. Woods et al,

Defendant.

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William Tom Plas

Charles T. Thatcher

vs

Wm H. Woods &  
Mains Mason

In Chancery

Filed May 15<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Kapsil, Clerk

Allison & Curry  
Solicitors



To the Court of Common Pleas within and for the County  
of Union and State of Ohio in Chancery sitting.

Charles J. Thatcher of the City of Philadelphia in the  
State of Pennsylvania, represents to the Court that on the 17<sup>th</sup>  
day of October A. D. 1846 he obtained a Judgment against  
one William W. Woods of said Union County, on the  
Law side of this Court, for the sum of one Hundred  
and twenty five dollars and fourteen cents debt &  
one dollar and sixty four cents damages, and for  
his costs in his said suit in that behalf expended,  
taxed to                      Dollars                      all of which will more fully  
appear, reference being had to the records of said Court,  
now being and remaining in the office of the Clerk  
of said Court; That on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of November A. D.  
1846 a writ of fieri facias issued from said Court  
against the said William W. Woods upon said judgment,  
which said writ was upon the same day last aforesaid duly  
delivered to Philip Snider then being Sheriff of said Union  
County, who afterwards on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of May 1847 duly  
returned said writ to the office of the Clerk of said Court,  
and caused the same to be filed therein endorsed by said  
Sheriff as follows, to wit: "Received this writ November  
21<sup>st</sup> 1846. No property found, whereon to levy." "J. C. S."  
Philip Snider Sheriff."

Your Orator further represents that said William  
W. Woods and one Mains Wason, of said Union  
County, before and at the time of said return of  
said writ were and ever since have been Partners,  
associated together for the purpose of doing business  
as merchants, and otherwise, under the name  
and style of W. Wason & Co; that as such partners  
they, the said William W. Woods and Mains Wason  
on or about the 13<sup>th</sup> day of March A. D. 1847 purchased



from the Executors of John Greenwood deceased the entire stock and assortment of the goods which were of said deceased in the Town of Marysville in said County; That said partners immediately after said purchase of said stock of merchandise commenced retailing the same in said Town of Marysville in said County and still continue to retail the same in the same place;

Your Orator further represents that on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1847 a second writ of fieri facias issued from said Court against the said William W. Woods, upon said Judgment and was duly delivered to Philip Snider then and now being Sheriff of said County of Union; That the said Philip Snider, Sheriff as aforesaid, on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1847 levied said last mentioned writ in conjunction with another execution in favour of Alexander Fullerton, upon the undivided interest of said William W. Woods in said stock of goods; That the said Philip Snider, Sheriff as aforesaid, on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1847, duly returned said last mentioned writ into the office of the Clerk of said Court, endorsed as follows: "Received this writ May 14<sup>th</sup> 1847. Same day levied in conjunction with another execution in favour of Alexander Fullerton upon the undivided interest of William W. Woods in the stock of goods now in the store room of M. Mason & Co. in the Town of Marysville Union County. No other property found whereon to levy. This writ returned without sale by order of Plaintiff. May 14<sup>th</sup> 1847. Philip Snider, Sheriff."

Your Orator further represents, that he has made effort, but has been unable to ascertain, and has now no means of ascertaining the amount of the interest of said William W. Woods in said stock of goods, but supposes the same to be a moiety; That your Orator is informed and believes, and so here charges, that of the proceeds of the partnership business carried on by said partners both before and after the purchase by them of the above mentioned stock of goods, there is a large amount of money, notes, book-accounts, claims, and other property, which accrued to said William W. Woods and which still remains unexpended and under the control of said partners, or under the control of said William W. Woods, or under the control of said Mains Mason; the exclusive right of said William W. Woods thereto being concealed.

Your Orator further represents that said partners are indebted to the estate of John Greenwood deceased and to sundry other creditors, whose names are to your Orator unknown, in certain sums and amounts to your Orator unknown.

Your Orator therefore prays that the said William W. Woods and the said Mains Mason may be made defendants to this Bill; that the writ of subpoena may issue, and that they may be compelled, under oath, to answer all and singular the allegations and matters in this Bill contained, the same as if they were separately and specifically interrogated in that behalf; and especially, that they may set forth the amount of the interest of the said William W. Woods, at the time



of the filing of this Bill, in the said stock of goods purchased as aforesaid, and whether the same be a moiety, or an amount less or more than a moiety; Also, that they may set forth the value of said stock of goods at the date of the filing of this Bill; Also, that they may set forth the amount of the proceeds of their partnership business which has accrued to said William N Woods, and which remains under the control of either or both of said partners, showing distinctly the amount of money, the separate amount and value, with particular descriptions of the notes, book accounts, claims, and other articles of property, together with the names of persons liable to pay such notes, book accounts, and claims, and the names of all persons in whose keeping any of such money, notes, book accounts, claims, or other property may be; Also that they may set forth the names of the creditors of their said partnership, with a particular statement of the amount owing to each by said partnership, the time when contracted, and when payable.

By your Orator further prays that on the final hearing of this cause a decree may be rendered that your Orator's Judgment Claim aforesaid against said William N. Woods be paid by said partners, or by said William N. Woods, or that in default thereof the interest of said Woods in all partnership property of said firm of M. Mason & Co. be sold, and the proceeds thereof, together with the above specified money, notes, book accounts, and claims, if any, be appropriated to the payment and discharge thereof, unless required for the liquidation of partnership debts; And your Orator further prays for such other and further relief, as equity and good conscience may require.

By Allison & Curry,  
Solicitors for Complainant.

The Clerk will issue Subpoenas in Chancery in the within suit, for the said William N Woods, and Mains Mason.

May 14<sup>th</sup> 1867

Allison & Curry  
Sollers for Compt.

Served on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1847  
by delivering an attested copy of this writ to  
each one of the within named defendants

Fees- service 50

copies 20

mileage 5

Philip Snider Sheriff

Union Com. Pleas

Charles J. Thatcher  
vs

William W. Woods

vs  
William Wason

sub. in chancery

Filed May 17<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Cassil, clerk



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *William W. Wood &  
Mains Wason*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the  
*third* day of *August* next ensuing, to answer a *bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them* by *Charles J. Thatcher*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *15* day of *May*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil*

Clerk of Com. Pleas.

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Wm. C. S. S. S.  
Charles J. Thacker  
vs  
Woods & Mason

Filed April 25, 1880  
John Cassie clk

Cost bill made  
W. A. Record



The joint answer of Maimo Mason & M. W. Woods to a bill exhibited against them by Charles J. Thatcher, in the Court of Common Pleas of Union County, State of Ohio.

And the said defendants for answer to said Bill, or so much thereof as they are advised, is material for them to answer, say, that it is true that the said Thatcher obtained a judgment against the defendant, Woods, as exhibited in said bill. They also admit, that they were partners in the Mercantile Business, under the name of M. Mason & Co., before and at the time of filing said bill - They also admit that on or about the 13<sup>th</sup> day of March A.D. 1847, they bought a stock of Goods of the Executors of John Greenwood, deceased, for which was to be paid the sum of three thousand one hundred & eighty dollars - And for further answer to said bill the defendants say, that the circumstances under which they were connected in business, were as follows; They had been doing business together as merchants, since some time in the year 1844, that said Mason had furnished all the capital to start & sustain the business upon, and the said Woods was to, & did devote his whole time and service to the business of the concern, and they were to divide the neat profits equally, after paying the debts, the said Woods only to furnish his time and service to the said firm - And the depts, say that those were the conditions upon which said business was conducted - And the depts, further answering ~~that~~ say, that a short time previous to the said purchase from the executors of Greenwood that they entirely sold out their whole stock of goods, that the said firm was then owing for debts previously contracted about fifteen hundred dollars - To DeLawson Bank, Piny & Sampson & others - And further answering state that the amount of said Woods store account due the firm was about nine hundred & forty one dollars, which together with the account of Adam Holford, M. W. Frank, John Basil & M. W. Dug, which were due the said firm & which accounts in the aggregate amounted to about three hundred & fifty dollars and which accounts the said Woods had agreed to take, as he the said Woods



was indebted individually to those persons, making the whole received by the said Woods from the firm, about thirteen hundred dollars, & which was the full amount of said Woods share & interest in the business effects of said firm, after paying the debts thereof previous to the said purchase from Greenwood's executors. The balance of the effects of said firm justly belonged to said Mason. And the Defts. further answering say that in regard to the purchase from Greenwood's executors, it was made solely upon the responsibility of said Mason, although both of them signed the obligation. By the terms of the partnership agreement between Defts. said Mason was to have full control of the said stock of goods, it was in his power to close the ~~the~~ store any day he choose & turn the said Woods out. The effects of the said Mason's interest in the firm, previous to said purchase of Greenwood went in to keep up the store. The said Woods was to devote all his time to the business of the ~~the~~ firm, and was to have one half of the neat profits, for his service alone, <sup>and the house rent while the firm existed</sup> on the same condition as before the said ~~of~~ last mentioned purchase. The defendants further answering say, that at the time of filing complainant's said bill, the said firm was indebted to the estate of the said Greenwood for said goods, in the sum of about nineteen hundred & eighty-five dollars. Seawane Bank about one thousand dollars. A. S. Fragell about one hundred dollars, and several other small debts making about one hundred dollars more. Making the whole indebtedness of the firm, at the time of filing said bill, about thirty-one hundred & eighty-five dollars, which had been contracted at the time and after the said Greenwood purchase. The Defts. further answering say, that their firm had been doing business only about two months, after said purchase, when said bill was filed. That they had not then sold sufficient goods to pay the debts then due from the firm, or about to be due. It is impossible for Defts. to know or be able to state, precisely, whether anything would have been due said Woods, from the firm, at the time of filing said bill, if a settlement of the firm had then been made, as the debts of the firm remained unpaid, but a small amount of goods had been sold, and the said Woods had been taking goods out of the store all along for the use of his family, and for the payment of small debts of his own. And the said Woods having no claim from the stock bought of Greenwood, except his personal service in the sale of the same, the Defts. therefore believe that nothing would have been due the said Woods from the firm, at the time of filing Compl't said bill, by any fair and equitable





Charles T. Mather

<sup>ms</sup>  
Woods & Mason

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Exceptions to Answer

Filed June 26, 1868  
John Cassio CW

Allison & Curry



Charles T Thatcher  
as  
Jm W Woods &  
Mains Mason

In Chancery.

Exceptions to the answer put in by the  
defendants to the Bill of Complainant.

1<sup>st</sup> That the said defendants have not answered and set forth, according to the best of their knowledge, remembrance, information and belief, the value of the stock of goods purchased of the Executors of Greenwood, at the time of the filing the Bill in this case.

2<sup>nd</sup> That the said defendants have not, in manner aforesaid, answered and set forth, distinctly the amount of money, the separate amount and value, with particular descriptions of the notes, book accounts, claims, and other articles of property, nor the names of all persons, liable to pay such notes, book accounts and claims, as called for in said Bill.

In all which particulars, the complainant insists, that the said answer of the said defendants, is evasive, imperfect, and insufficient, wherefore, he excepts thereto, and prays that the said defendants may be compelled to amend the same and put in a full and sufficient answer to the said Bill.

By Allison & Curry his Sotrs

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0017



No. 47-CH-17

Union Common Pleas Court.

James M Boal, Plaintiff,

AGAINST

John Boal et al. Defendant.

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Union Common Pleas

James F. Baal  
~~George Baal~~ } Deputies

vs

The heirs of S. M. Baal

Petition to Compel Action

Filed May 18<sup>th</sup> 1877  
John Caspell, Clerk

Cost bill made  
Record

Recorded



To the Court of Common Pleas, in and for  
the County of Union, and State of Ohio.

James F. Boal and George Boal as Executors  
~~as Administrators~~ of the estate of David M. Boal,  
deceased, comes and shows this Court, by way  
of Petition, that on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D.  
1843, the said David M. Boal, then in life, made  
a written agreement with one Weller Marshal  
for the conveyance, by general warranty deed, of forty  
five acres and a half of land, situate in the county  
of Union and State of Ohio, and described as follows,  
to wit; Part of Lot No. 4, in Survey No. 5134, entered in  
the name of John Pride - Beginning at a stake  
in the Dublin Road, running N 36 $\frac{1}{2}$  W 171 poles to  
a stake; thence S 53 $\frac{1}{2}$  W 45 poles to a Dogwood, with a  
Beech, Sugar & Dogwood; thence S 36 $\frac{1}{2}$  E 136 poles to a  
stake; thence S 12 E 16 poles to the Dublin Road, thence  
with the road N 78 E 55 poles to the beginning, con-  
taining forty five acres and a half - And your  
petitioner further represents, that the said Weller  
Marshal, gave the said David M. Boal, five three  
several promissory notes for the <sup>payment</sup> of <sup>the</sup> pur-  
chase money - One for \$128 - and two for \$75, each, the amount  
of said purchase money - And your petitioner further  
represents that the amount of said purchase money, and  
all and each of the said notes, have been paid, as he  
believes - and as will appear, by receipt on said written

agreement, and the said notes - which agreements,  
Notes are herewith filed and made part hereof, and  
your petitioner further states to the Court that said Weller  
Marshal took possession of said Land under sale, but  
the said David M. Boal departed this life in  
without making said conveyance <sup>hearing</sup> and your petitioners  
recently ~~to his~~ <sup>his</sup> last Estate, by will his last will  
and testament - which appointment your petitioners  
have accepted and legally qualified themselves  
to discharge. your petitioner further states to the  
the Court that in as much as the said Marshall  
has paid the purchase money for said Land  
your petitioners are desirous of completing of the  
said decedent by conveying said Land to the said  
Marshall or his assigns your petitioners further  
represent, that the said David M. Boal no  
widow nor children - but that his brothers  
and sisters are his heirs at law and as follows  
<sup>James L Reed &</sup> to wit Margaret Boals <sup>Reed his wife late Margaret Boal</sup> Abner Boals Martha  
Eliza Boals Lemuel Am Boals all residents of this  
County and all of age of Majority except the  
last named also John Boals a minor and  
resident of the State of Indiana.

Your petitioners pray that the above named  
heirs may be made defendants hereto  
as upon final hearing of this Cause the Court  
will <sup>make</sup> order an order authorizing your



petitioners to <sup>on behalf of them</sup> complete the said Contract  
of the said David M Baul by making  
a deed to the said Marshall or his assigns  
conveying the title of of the said lands in said  
land to the said Marshall or his assigns  
and as in duty bound they well ever pray

W. B. Leake Sol  
for Petitioners

Give a subpoena for <sup>J. S. Reed</sup> Margaret <sup>Reed</sup> Bauls  
Bauls Martha Eliza Bauls & Cornelia Ann  
Bauls

W. B. Leake

Served on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of June by  
delivering a true copy of this writ to  
each / on of the within named defendants  
Fees - Service 1.15  
          Mileage .40  
Philip Under Sheriff

Union Commercial  
James F & George Boal  
~~Executors~~ & Co  
vs  
Alvira Boal et al

Filed June 14<sup>th</sup> 1877  
John Cassel Clerk

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The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Alvira Baal, J. L. Reed & Margaret Reed his wife, Martha Eliza Baal Cornelia Am- Baal* to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the *third* day of *August* next ensuing; to answer a *Petition* in Chancery, exhibited against *them* by *James F. Baal & George Baal* executors of the *Estate of D. M. Baal Decd.*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit; under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at the court house, this *18<sup>th</sup>* day of *May*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil*

Clerk of Com. Pleas.

Baal  
B  
Baal et al

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State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

JAMES F. BOAL, et al,  
Executors of the last  
will of David M. Boal,  
dec'd. vs.  
John Boal, et al, heirs  
of said David M Boal.

COURT OF  
COMMON  
PLEAS.

THE said John Boal will take notice that on the 16th day of May, 1847, James F. Boal and George M. Boal, Executors of the last will of David M. Boal, dec'd, filed in the Clerk's Office of said court their petition making him and the other heirs of said David M. Boal, d, Defendants. The said Petition represents that the said David M. Boal on the 7th day of October, 1843, made a written agreement with one Waller Marshall for the sale and conveyance to the said Marshall by General warrantee deed of forty-five and a half acres of land which is described as follows: Part of Lot No. 4 in survey No 5134 in said county of Union: beginning at a stake in the Dublin Road running N 36 1/2 W 171 poles to a stake; thence S 53 1/2 W 45 poles to a dogwood witness a beach, sugar and dogwood; thence S 36 1/2 E 100 poles to a stake; thence S 12 E 16 poles to the Dublin Road; thence with the Road N 78 E 56 poles to the beginning. Said petition further represents that the said Marshall was to pay the said David M. Boal two hundred & seventy-eight dollars purchase money—that the said purchase money has been paid in full—that the said D. M. Boal departed this life without making said conveyance, and prays for authority to complete said contract by conveying to said Marshall said premises.

P. B. COLE,

Atty. for Petitioners.

Attest JOHN CASSIL, Clerk.

April 5, 1848.

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Boal vs Boal et al,  
State of Ohio  
Union County ss

P. B. Cole Editor  
of the Argus a  
New paper published  
in General Circulation  
in said County makes  
solemn oath that  
the notice hereto attached  
has been published in  
said paper for three weeks

Consecutively Commencing  
on the 5 day of April  
1848 P. B. Cole

Subscribed

April 24 1848

John Cassil  
Clerk

Printers fee 3/8

probate 12 cts  
\$3.12

Received on the within 20 Dollars  
this 15<sup>th</sup> of April 1845.

Received on the within more fifty three Dollars  
May 1845

July  
James H. Bond



\$75 On or before the first day of Dec  
1844 I promise to pay to David McBoal or  
bearer the sum of Seventy five dollars for value  
received this 7<sup>th</sup> day of March 1845.

\$128  
on or before the first Day of December  
1843 for value received I promise to pay  
David M Beal or order one hundred and  
twenty eight Dollars the 7<sup>th</sup> Day of  
Oct 1843



Received on the within note one  
hundred ~~and~~ and eight teen Dollars  
this twelfth Day of December 1843

David M. Boal

David M Boak  
Title Bonds to  
Walker Marshal

*D*



Know all persons that I David M. Boal  
of the County of Union and State of Ohio  
am held and firmly bound unto Wallar  
Marshal in the sum of five hundred and  
fifty dollars to be paid to the said Wallar  
Marshal his heirs executors administrators or  
assigns - as witness my hand and seal this  
7<sup>th</sup> day of Oct one thousand eight hundred  
and forty three.

The condition of the above obligation is such  
that whereas the said David M Boal hath  
this day sold to the said Wallar Marshal  
the following piece or parcel of land in the  
County of Union and State of Ohio to wit:  
Part of lot N<sup>o</sup> 4 (four) in Survey N<sup>o</sup> 5134 entered  
in the name of John Pride. Beginning at  
a stake in the Dublin Road, running N 36<sup>o</sup> W  
N<sup>o</sup> 171 Poles to a stake thence S 53<sup>o</sup> W 45 poles  
to a dogwood witness Buck Sugar & Dogwood thence  
S 36<sup>o</sup> E 136 poles to a stake thence S 12<sup>o</sup> E 16 poles  
to the Dublin Road thence with the road N 78<sup>o</sup>  
E 55 Poles to the beginning, containing forty five  
acres and a half (45<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>) for the consideration of the  
sum of two hundred and seventy eight (278) dollars  
one hundred and twenty eight (128) dollars of which  
is to be ~~paid~~ paid on or before the first day of  
Dec next, (and seventy five (75) dollars in one year  
from then, (and the remaining seventy five (75) dollars in  
two years from the first of Dec next, according to  
the tenor <sup>and effect</sup> of three certain notes given for said sum  
to the said Boal, by the <sup>said</sup> Marshal (and payable as  
above - Now if the said Marshal shall well (and  
truly pay to the said Boal the said notes when they  
shall become due and payable Then the said Boal



is to make and execute unto the <sup>said</sup> Marshal his  
heirs and assigns a deed of general warranty for  
the said land, but if the said Marshal shall  
fail to make payment of the notes as aforesaid  
then and in that case this obligation to be void  
and of no effect -

David M Boal 

Received on the within title bond one hundred and twenty eight  
dollars this 12<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1843  
\$ 128.00 David M Boal



W. Marshall

Note #75

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1.00  

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63.54

Dear Sir  
I have the pleasure  
to inform you that  
the sum of \$61.25  
has been received  
from the  
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of the

\$75 On or before the first of Dec 1845  
I promise to pay to David M. Boal or  
bearer the sum of seventy five (75-) dollars  
for value received this 7<sup>th</sup> day of March 1845





Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0018

No. 47-CH-18

Union Common Pleas Court.

Catherine K. Hickery

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Andrew J. Barry et al

Defendant.

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In Union Com Pleas

Catharine A Hickey

MS

Andrew D Barry et al

Pet. for Partition

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Filed June 22 1847

John Cassie CM

Superior Court

June 7. 1847

Allison & Curry

To the Court of Common Pleas, within and for the  
County of Union, and State of Ohio.

Your Petitioner Catharine A Hickey of the City  
of Lexington and State of Kentucky, represents, that she  
has a legal right to and is seized in fee simple of an  
undivided two thirds part of the following real estate,  
situate in the County of Union and State of Ohio,  
and described as follows: to wit. All that part of Survey  
Number Three thousand three hundred and  
Fifty four (No. 3354) west of the Town of Marysville  
and lying between the state road leading from Marys-  
ville to Milford and the state road leading from  
Marysville to Middleburg and Bellefontaine, with  
the exception of sixty three and three fourths acres, hereto-  
fore conveyed to Adam Wolford; - Eighteen and  
three fourths acres heretofore conveyed to Stephen  
F. Himey; - Fourteen acres contracted to be conveyed  
to John Cassil; - six and three fourths acres contracted  
to be conveyed to Henry Shedd; - Seven acres and  
seventy two and one half poles contracted to be conveyed  
to James Smith; - and three acres and one  
hundred and forty five poles contracted to be conveyed  
to Stephen F. Himey; all lying in the east part of  
the above described tract of land. For a further descrip-  
tion of the above excepted lots or parcels of land reference  
is made to the records of Union County, and to the contracts  
of sale, given to said purchasers.

Your petitioner further represents, that she has also  
a legal right to, and is seized in fee simple of an undi-  
vided two thirds part of the following real estate, situate  
in the County and State last aforesaid, being part of  
Survey No. 3350 bounded and described as follows.  
Beginning at two Suggs and Iron wood in the East



line of said survey; - thence S. 12. E. 260 poles to two ashes  
and Hickory; Thence S. 80. W. 336 poles to a stake -  
thence N. 10. 45. W. 290 poles to two hickorys and elms,  
thence N. 84. 20. E. 331 poles to the Beginning containing  
five hundred and fifty six acres more or less.

Your petitioner further represents, that Andrew J Barry,  
and Lucy C Barry of the State of Kentucky, as devisees of  
Armistead M Barry decd, are tenants in common  
with your petitioner, in said premises; the said Andrew  
J Barry, and the said Lucy C Barry ~~both of~~ who is  
a minor (both of whom your petitioner makes defendants  
hereto) each owning an undivided one sixth part thereof.

Your petitioner further represents that one Samuel  
R Bullock of the City of Lexington, Kentucky, as Executor  
of the said Armistead M Barry deceased, has full power  
as a trustee to dispose of the interests of the said Andrew  
J & Lucy C. in said premises.

Your petitioner therefore makes the said Samuel R  
Bullock (Executor as aforesaid) a defendant hereto,  
and prays a guardian ad Litem may be appointed for  
the said Lucy C Barry who is a minor; That partition  
of said lands may be made, or if the same cannot be  
done without manifest injury, that then such other  
proceedings may be had in the premises as are  
authorized by law.

By Allison & Curry  
Her Attys

The Story  
of the Partition  
Party & al.

Proof Publication

Filed Aug 4<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John H. H. H. H.



State of Ohio  
Union County

Notice:

Andrew J. Barry, Lucy G. Barry, and Samuel R. Bullock, Executor of Armistead M. Barry, deceased, will take notice that a petition was filed against them on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August A.D. 1847, in the Court of Common Pleas of Union county, Ohio, by Catharine A. Hickey, and is now pending, wherein the said Catharine A. Hickey demands partition of the following described Real Estate, situate in said Union county, to wit: All that part of Survey No. 3354 situate west of the town of Marysville, and lying between the State Road, leading from said town to Milford, and the State Road leading from said town of Marysville to Middleburg and Bellefontaine, excepting the following lots heretofore conveyed or contracted to be conveyed away, to wit: To Adam Wolford, 63 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres; to Stephen F. Kinny, 18 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres; to John Cassil, 14 acres; to Henry Shedd, 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres; to James Smith, 7-72 $\frac{1}{2}$ -160 acres; and to Stephen F. Kinny, 3-145-160 acres. Also the following Real Estate situate in said county, being part of survey No. 3350, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at two sugartrees and an ironwood in the east line of said survey; thence S. 12 $^{\circ}$  E. 260 poles to two ashes and a hickory; thence S. 80 $^{\circ}$  W. 336 poles to a stake; thence N. 10 $^{\circ}$  45' W. 290 poles to 2 hickories and an elm; thence N. 84 $^{\circ}$  20' E. 331 poles to the beginning, containing 556 acres more or less. And that at the next term of said Court application will be made by the said Catharine A. Hickey for an order that partition may be made of said premises among the aforesaid parties in interest. CATHARINE A. HICKEY.

By ALLISON & CURRY, her At'ys.  
June 22, 1847. n5w6

Publiser of the Argus  
Personally, P. W. Deale, being duly sworn  
refuses and says that the notice in  
partition of Catharine A. Hickey vs  
Andrew J. Barry et al. in Union  
Common Pleas was published in  
the Argus a paper printed  
and in general circulation in  
said County for ~~set~~ consecutive  
weeks immediately previous to  
the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1847

P. W. Deale

Done to & subscribed in open  
Court this 4<sup>th</sup> day of August 1847  
John Cassil, Clerk

Printers Fee — A. C. O. D.

In Union Com Pens

Lucy C Barry

all

Catherine A. Wick

Answer of  
Guarantia ad litem

Filed Aug. 4<sup>th</sup> 1947  
John Cassil, clerk



In Union County Common Pleas in Chancery.

The answer of Lucy C Barry infant defendant  
to the Petition for Partition of Catharine A Hickey, by J. C.  
Soughty, her Guardian ad Litem.

And the said Lucy C Barry by  
J. C. Soughty, her Guardian ad Litem now comes  
and for answer to the said Petition of the said Catharine  
A Hickey, says that he knows of no reason why Partition  
should not be made as prayed for in said Petition, and  
prays to be dismissed, without further answer &c.

Lucy C Barry  
By J. C. Soughty  
Her Guardian ad Litem



The State of Ohio Union County ss.  
To the Sheriff of Said County Greeting,  
We Command you that without  
delay by the Oaths of William B Irvine  
Cyprian Lee and James Turner  
You Cause Partition to be made of  
the following lands to wit, all that  
part of Survey Number three thousand three  
hundred and fifty four (3354) West of the  
Town of Marysville and lying between the State  
road leading from Marysville to Milford and the  
State road leading from Marysville to Middleburg  
and Bellefontaine, with the exceptions of fifty three  
and three fourth acres, heretofore conveyed to  
Adam Wolford:— Eighteen and three fourth  
acres heretofore conveyed to Stephen F. Quincy:—  
fourteen acres contracted to be conveyed to  
John Cassil:— Six and three fourth acres contr-  
acted to be conveyed to Henry Shedd:— Seven  
acres and seventy two and one half poles  
Contracted to be conveyed to James Smith:—  
and three acres and one hundred and  
forty five poles Contracted to be conveyed  
to Stephen F. Quincy; all lying in the East  
part of the above described tract of land

Also one other tract of land situate in said County  
of Union Ohio being part of Survey No. 3350 bounded  
and described as follows beginning at two Sycars and  
Ironwood in the East line of said Survey:— thence  
S. 12 & 260 poles, to two ashes and Hickory; thence N. 80,  
W. 336 poles to a State thence N 10° 45' W 290 poles  
to two hickorys and elm thence N. 84° 20' & 331  
poles to the beginning containing five hundred  
and fifty six acres more or less.

Among the following persons and in the  
following proportions to wit, to Catherine  
A. Hickey one equal two thirds part to  
Andrew J Barry one equal one sixth  
part and to the said Lucy O Barry  
an equal one sixth part, and that  
your proceedings in the premises you  
distinctly Certify under your hand  
to our Court of Common Pleas within  
and for said County of Union, together  
with this writ forthwith,

Witness John Cassil Clerk  
of said Court at the Court  
House this 5<sup>th</sup> day of August  
A. D. 1847  
John Cassil Clerk



Union Com Pleas

Catharine A. Hickey

(w)

Andrew J. Baryelab

Pet for Par

Filed Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> 1847

John Baptist, Clerk

Cost bill made

Record

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I executed this writ by the oath of the within  
named William B. Smith Captain Lee and  
James Shuman September 15. 1847  
Fees - mileage 15¢  
Service \$1.00 Philip Shuman Sheriff

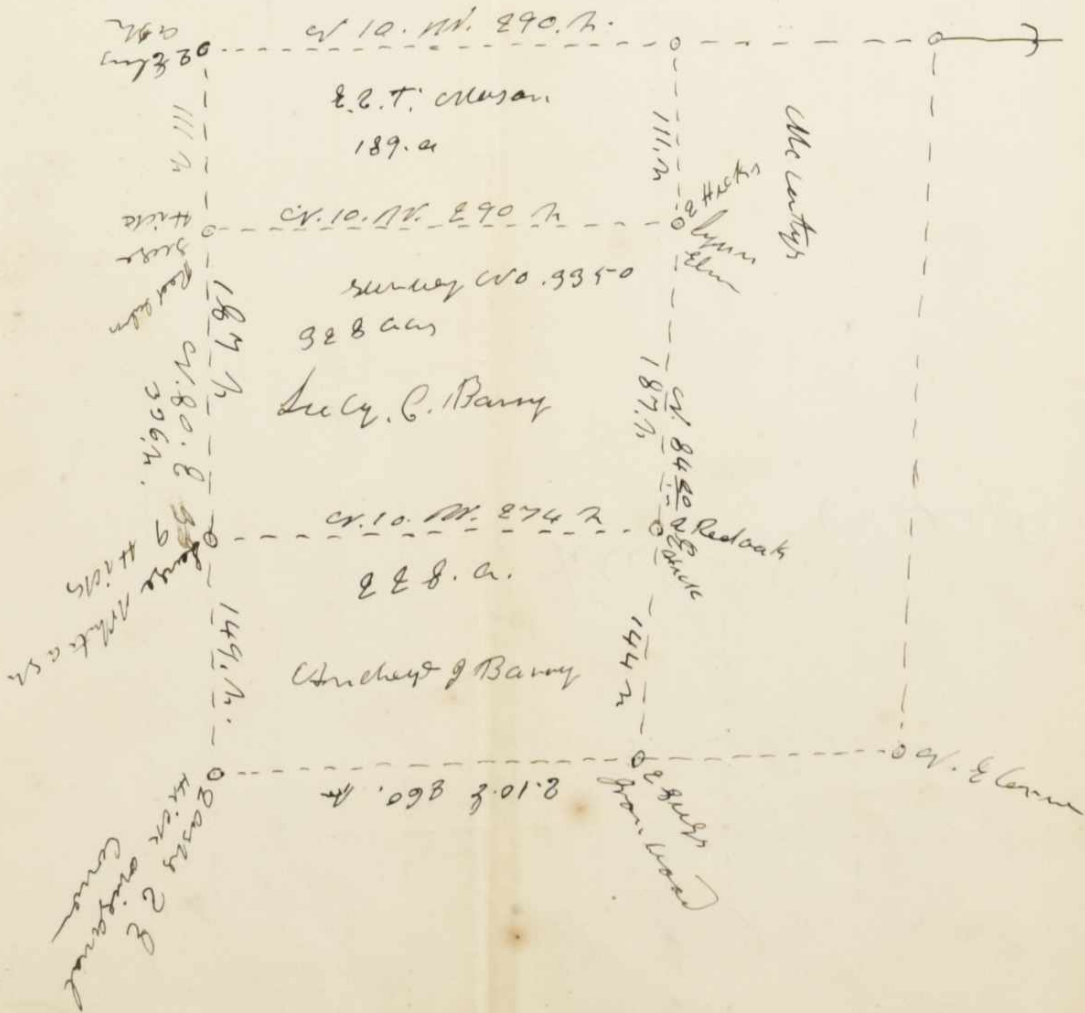
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C. A. Hicky  
 vs  
 A. J. Bovy & others  
 Commissioners  
 Report

Filed Oct. 5 1844  
 John Capil, Clerk

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G. See on Corn mill river one day	
James Sumner " " "	1.00
Samuel K. Hain two days	1.50
William Minzate two and a half days	1.87½
Henderson one half day	37½
R. Clark one and a half days	1.12½
C. See by J. Middleton one and a half days	1.12½
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William B. Hain to see beyond calculateing	
Plot ing and re Cord river	
	<u>10.00</u>
	\$ 19.11½









Catherine A Barry

vs

in partition.

A. J. Barry & Lucy C Barry

I am able to state to the Com. record of a writ of partition in which the under signed were appointed Commissioners to make partition of surveys nos. 3350 and 3354. We respectfully report that after careful examination of the D Lands and survey of the same we have set of and assigned to the parties by metes and bounds ~~to the parties~~ as follows that is to Andrew J. Barry two hundred and twenty eight acres (228) on survey no. 3350 he begins at 2.8883 & an iron rod in the original East line of the survey South East corner to Meadley lot then with sd East line South 10. East 260 poles to 2 asbes & a Hickory original South East corner to the survey then with the south line of the survey South 80. West 149 poles to a large White ash Witness 9 Hickory South East corner to a lot set of to Lucy C Barry then North 10. West with the line of sd lot 274 poles to 2 Red oaks & a Hickory in Meadley line then with his line South 84.20 West North 84.20 East 144 poles to the beginning line also to the sd Andrew J. Barry one hundred and thirty acres (130) in survey no. 3354 bounded as follows he begins at a sixe tree Hickory & an iron rod the original South East corner witness a Beech marked D. O. C. from there running with the West line of the survey correct in the course North 6.20 West 160 poles to a stake in the center of the Buck Run Road then with sd Road North 79. E. 130 poles to a stake witness 2 Black aspens a Hickory & a Red oak then South 10.20 East 160 poles to a stump Beech witness a White ash Hickory & Red oak in the south line of the survey then with sd line South 79. West 130 poles the beginning make in in Bacth Lot n. 358. acres

Also to Lucy C Barry three hundred & twenty eight acres in survey no. 3350 bounded as follows he begins at 2 Hickory & a Lynn N. E. corner to Meadley lot in Meadley line then with his line North 84.20 East 187. poles to 2 Red oaks and a Hickory N. W. corner to a lot set of to A. J. Barry then South 10. East with the line of sd lot 274 poles to a large white ash Witness







Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0019

James E. Haincott

is

Rodney Pickett et al

Grass Bill

Filed June <sup>30<sup>th</sup></sup> 1847  
John Capil Clerk

By Mr. C.



To the Court of Common Pleas within & for  
the County of Union and State of Ohio in Chancery  
Sitting

James E. Harriott of the County aforesaid  
represents unto your honors (by Cross bill) that  
on or about the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1887 one  
Rudney T. Ebert John Cassel Jeremiah Carl  
Joshua Judy and Wm. W. Woods all of the County  
aforesaid (and whom your orator prays may  
be made defendants hereto) filed their bill  
in Chancery in your honorable Court  
the object and prayer ~~of which bill was to fore-  
close a mortgage~~ against One Alexander Pollock  
Wm. Steele the Clinton Bank of Columbus  
and your orator the object and prayer of  
which bill was that to fore close a mortgage  
of two thousand dollars held by them against the  
said Alexander Pollock on the lands and  
tenements in the bill described situated in the  
County of Union aforesaid, and to establish a  
priority of lien for the said mortgage over a lien  
held by your orator on the same premises  
by virtue of a levy made the Sheriff of this County  
in execution against said Pollock and in favor  
of your orator, your orator further represents  
that premises above referred to together with  
a farm in Delaware County Ohio are all or  
about all the property owned by the said  
Pollock subject to the payment of his debts  
and your charges that the <sup>said</sup> complainants in  
the original bill (defendants to this bill) have a  
mortgage on the said farm in Delaware County  
to secure the payment of the same two thousand  
dollar claim, and that the said Delaware  
County farm is worth from ten to twelve hundred dollars



Your orator further represents that the  
premises in the original bill described are  
not sufficient to pay the said two thousand  
dollars claim by the Defendants and pay orators,  
and other liens upon it, but charges that if  
the said premises in Delaware County are sold  
and the proceeds applied to the payment of the  
said two thousand dollars - that the ~~same~~  
mortgaged premises in this County will be suffi-  
cient to pay as your orator said he offers  
it all others upon it, - your orator further  
charges that the said Defendants to this bill,  
took a mortgage on all the real estate of the  
said Pollock to secure their said two thousand  
dollar claim, said said real estate being  
an amount greatly larger than was required  
to make their said claim abundantly  
secure, - your orator charges that the  
said farm in Delaware County - the 85  
acre farm near Marywille together with  
the town lots in the original bill described  
are amply sufficient to secure the <sup>said</sup> claim  
of the Defendants to this bill - <sup>with all cuts & values</sup> but the said  
Defendants not being satisfied with reasonable  
security - have by their said mortgage ~~not~~ <sup>imposed</sup>  
encumbered all the property of the said Pollock  
for the purpose as your orator believes  
and charges of obstructing your orator and  
the other Creditors of said Pollock ~~from~~  
in the collection of their just claims against  
him. -

Your orator therefore prays that the  
said Rodney Picket John Leavel Jeremiah  
Curl Joshua Gudy and Wm Woads examine  
the matters and things set forth in this  
bill - And that they particularly do



1<sup>st</sup> whether <sup>to their knowledge</sup> the said Pollock has any ~~other~~ property  
subject to the payment of his debts other than  
that which they ~~or some of them~~ have mortgaged  
upon <sup>for the large debt</sup> — 2<sup>d</sup> Whether they have or have not a  
mortgage on the <sup>said</sup> farm in Delaware County as charged  
in this bill, and if so what the <sup>said</sup> farm is worth  
and also what condition the said mortgage is  
in — whether they have proceeded to fore close  
the same — or taken any other steps to dispose  
of the said premises for the satisfaction of  
their said claim — and also what other secu-  
rities they have for said claim, — your  
orator further prays that in as much as  
they said defendants have in and about all the  
property of the said Pollock to an extravagant  
and unreasonable amount — and have taken  
upon a large amount of property — that your  
orator <sup>has</sup> no lien upon <sup>and your orator having</sup>  
only his lien upon the mortgaged premises  
in Union County <sup>to enforce his claim</sup> — that on final  
hearing the said defendants be decreed  
to exhaust to pay your orator's said claim out of  
the proceeds of the said mortgaged premises  
in Union County — or that they be ordered  
to exhaust the ~~fair~~ <sup>proceeds of the</sup>  
said farm in Delaware County <sup>on which they have</sup>  
or otherwise <sup>for the payment of said claim</sup> before they shall be  
permitted to apply any of the money arising  
from the sale of the premises in the original  
bill as ordered on which your orator has  
also <sup>his</sup> lien, — and that your honors will  
grant such other relief as shall be equitable.

James E. Yarnes

By P. B. Bleak his Sol.

In Union Com Pleas

R. Pickett et al  
ads

James O Harriott

Answer to Cross Bill

Albion D Curry



The joint answer of Rodney Pickett, John Cassie,  
Jeremiah Cunt, Joshua Dutz, and William W  
Woody, defendants to the Cross Bill of James E.  
Harnett, Complainant, and a defendant to the Original  
Bill filed by Respondents.

The said Rodney Pickett, John Cassie, <sup>Answer</sup>  
Cunt, Joshua Dutz, and William W Woody, now come and  
for answer to the said Cross Bill of the said James E Harnett,  
say, that it is true, that Respondents filed their Bill in Chan-  
cery in this Court, as is set forth in said Cross Bill, & that  
their Bill was filed to foreclose a mortgage upon lands  
on which the said Harnett has a lien, all which is fully  
set forth in their said Original Bill. Respondents further  
answering say, that at the time they received the said  
mortgage from the said Alexander Pollock, they honestly  
believed, and still believe, that said property is not of  
sufficient value, to properly indemnify them from loss  
in consequence of their endorsing to said Franklin Branch  
Bank, especially in view of the prior lien of the  
Clinton Bank of Columbus upon a portion of said  
property, Your Respondents therefore required of, and  
received from, the said Alexander Pollock as addition-  
al security, and at the same time a mortgage upon one  
hundred acres of land in Delaware County, Ohio, which  
is all the security they received. That the probable cash value  
of the 100 acres of land in Delaware <sup>County,</sup> is nine or ten hundred  
dollars, two thirds of which only can be calculated upon as security.  
That Respondents, at the June Term of the Court of Common  
Pleas in and for Delaware County, filed their Bill to foreclose  
the said mortgage upon said 100 acres of land, which suit is  
still pending in said Court. Your Respondents deny most  
positively, that they took and encumbered an unreasonable  
amount of property of the said Pollock for the purpose of obstru-  
cting the said Harnett and the other Creditors of said Pollock in  
the collection of their claims against said Pollock, as is most

unjustly charged in said Cross Bill, and Respondents  
Alleg, that said Harriott believes so. That Respondents took  
no other than reasonable security, as they had a perfect right  
to do. That it was taken honestly and fairly, for their  
own security against the payment of a claim which they  
have since been compelled to pay, and not for the purpose  
of screening the said Alexander Pollock. That all your  
Respondents ask or expect, is that the said money which  
they have paid for the said Pollock together with all their costs  
and charges in that behalf, may be refunded to them, which  
they hope will be done with as little delay as possible. That  
defendants know of no other property owned by said Pollock  
and subject to levy, but submit to this Court, that the proper  
way for the said Harriott to ascertain that fact, is by an  
execution directed to the proper Officers. And these  
Respondents deny most positively all fraud and combination  
wherein they stand charged, and pray to be hence dis-  
missed with their costs &c charged in this behalf.

Rodney Pickett  
John Cassil  
Jeremiah Cusick  
Ishtma Ludy  
William W Woods

By Allison D Curry  
Sollers for Defs.



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0020

No. 47-CH-20

Union Common Pleas Court.

John A. Sterrat et al,  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Elisha B. Irwin et al  
Defendant.

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Note for an  
of writing an

John A. Straub + wife  
As { Petition for Partition  
Elizabeth J. Straub et al

Filed June 30th 1847  
John Capital Clerk

Wm. J. Palmer  
Wm. James Conkling  
Elisha Baughman  
John Reed 30

Oct. 7. 1847  
Order of Sale April 7. 1848

last bill may  
Record  
\$92.45

Recorded  
By W. B. L.

without mentioning my name that such other proceeds  
may be any less in the premises as was ordered by law  
By W. B. L. Clerk for  
Petitioners,



To the Court of Common Pleas within and  
for the County of Union and State of Ohio.

Your petitioners John A. Sterrat and Mary Elizabeth  
Sterrat his wife late Mary Elizabeth Gravin represents  
to the Court that James H. Gravin late of Union  
County deceased died in <sup>or about</sup> the month of July  
A.D. 1841 seized in fee simple of the following  
land Situate in said County to wit parts of surveys  
No. 9020-7789 & 5301. in the Virginia Military District  
bounded on the north by the land of A. A. Woodworth  
and the Road leading from Melford Union Co. to  
Wabana Champagne Co. on the West by the lands  
of Mrs B. Dinn and Samuel Calver on the  
South by land owned by Moses Hollington and on  
the East by James C. Miller's land containing about  
Three hundred and Twenty acres more or less.  
Your petitioners further represent that the widow  
of the said James H. Gravin is also dead, but  
that the said James H. Gravin left the following named  
Children and heirs who are entitled to share and  
share alike in said Real Estate to wit, Mary Eliza-  
bette Sterrat one of your petitioners (and late Mary Eliza-  
bette Gravin) <sup>residing in Shelby County</sup> Eliza B. Gravin aged <sup>fourteen</sup> years, James  
G. Gravin aged <sup>with residing in Shelby County</sup> eleven years, John D. Gravin aged  
eight years Leontha Anne Gravin aged seven  
years and Sarah Emma Gravin aged six  
years all of this County.

Your petitioners pray that the above  
named heirs of James H. Gravin deceased may be  
made defendants to this petition and that partition  
may be made of said premises and that one sixth  
part of said premises that being the share of your  
petitioners in the same, may be set off to them  
in severally, or if the same cannot be done



State of Ohio  
Union County

George D. Miller do make him  
with witness the 24<sup>th</sup> day of August 1847 I being the  
written and Elisha B. Yarnum James J. Yarnum  
John D. Yarnum + Con. Thaddeus Yarnum, with or witness  
of which the latter is a true copy George D. Miller  
this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1847  
James Yarnum J. P.

John A. Stewart & wife  
do hereby certify  
Elisha B. Yarnum

Julia sent 20/1847  
John Yarnum 6/11

Eliza B. Irwin, James G. Irwin,  
John D. Irwin, Corintha Ann Irwin and  
Sarah Emma Irwin will take notice  
that a petition was filed against them  
on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of June A. D. 1847 in the  
Court of Common Pleas within and for  
the county of Union and State of Ohio,  
by John A. Stirrat and Mary Elizabeth  
Stirrat, his wife, late Mary Elizabeth Irwin  
and is now pending wherein the said John  
A. Stirrat & Mary Elizabeth Stirrat demand  
partition of the following ~~xxxxx~~ real estate  
situate in said county of Union to wit: parts  
of Parvey Nos 9020-7789 & 5301, in the Virginia  
Military District bounded on the North by  
A. A. Woodworth and the road leading from  
Milford Union Co. to Urbana Champaign Co.  
on the West by the lands of Mrs. B. Irwin and  
Samuel Colver on the South by land owned  
by Moses Fullington and on the East by  
James C. Miller's land containing about three  
hundred and twenty acres more or less and that  
at the next term of said Court application  
will be made by the said John A. Stirrat  
and Mary Elizabeth Stirrat for an order that  
partition may be made of said premises

John A. Stirrat

Mary Elizabeth Stirrat

Dated, Aug. 18<sup>th</sup> 1847

By P. B. Cole

Ther City



State of Ohio Fairfield County,

Wm. Street  
on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of  
June previous a true

who being duly sworn says that  
August 1847 he personally saw  
copies of the within matter.

born & resided before me this

25<sup>th</sup> day of August 1847

David Wright

J.P. of  
Fairfield County Ohio

State of Ohio

Union County

J. Sarge & Betta being duly sworn

do hereby solemnly swear that on the 24 day of August 1847 I saw

the within named Slave B. Lewis James & James John & James

and Con-Thomas James with a notice of which the within

is a true copy  
See J. Price

born to & subscribed before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August

28<sup>th</sup> 1847

James Wynn

J.P. of Union County Ohio

John A. Stewart

To the Court

Elisha J. Price

Filed Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> 1847  
John Bassett Clerk



Elisha B. Irwin, James C. Irwin, John  
D. Irwin, ~~James C. Irwin~~ Cornelia Ann Irwin  
and Sarah Emma Irwin will take notice that  
a petition was filed against them on the  
20<sup>th</sup> day of June A.D. 1847, in the Court of common  
Pleas in and for the county of Union and State  
of Ohio, by John A. Sturatt and Mary  
Elizabeth Sturatt, his wife, late May Elizabeth  
Irwin, and is now pending, wherein the said  
John A. Sturatt & Mary Elizabeth Sturatt demand  
partition of the following real Estate, Situate  
in said county of Union to wit: Parts of Survey  
Nos 9020-7789 & 5301, in the Virginia Military  
District, bounded on the North by the land  
of A. A. Woodworth and the road leading from  
Milford Union Co. to Urbana Champaign  
Co. on the West by the lands of W. B. Irwin &  
Samuel Colver, on the South by land owned  
by Moses Huntington and on the East by  
James C. Miller's land containing about three  
hundred and twenty acres more or less, and  
that at the next term of said Court applica-  
tion will be made by the said John A. Sturatt  
and Mary Elizabeth Sturatt for an order that  
partition may be made of said premises.

John A. Sturatt  
Mary Elizabeth Sturatt

Dated, Aug. 13<sup>th</sup> 1847

By P. B. Beale  
Atty.



Starrat  
or

Irwin et al

Augustus Guadalupe  
vs Sitton

Filed Oct 25 1827  
John Cassin clerk

J A Stuart & wife  
18  
Elisha B Quinn & al } partner

Elisha B Quinn junior & John John  
& John Corey the said John Jacob Sumner  
junior <sup>subject of</sup> By Jackson C Daugherty Esq. their Guar-  
dian Ad Litem now comes and says  
that they cannot assent to the application  
in said bill contained but consent to the  
prayer thereof

Guardian  
Ad Litem  
J C Daugherty



Union Co. N.Y.

John Astors Wife

by

Oliver B. Irons et al

Order of Partition

Filed at N.Y. City

John Carrico et al

In witness to the within command I have  
executed this writ by the order of the  
Court named James G. Miller, Esq. of the  
County of Union and John Lee ~~3<sup>rd</sup>~~  
Treas = Mileage 50  
Service 1.00 Philip Smith Sheriff

The State of Ohio } To the Sheriff of said County Greeting;  
Union County ss } We command you, that without delay,

By the oaths of James C Miller Elishus  
Brunham and John Reed Sr. you cause Partition  
to be made of the following lands to wit. Situated in the  
County of Union Ohio. Parts of surveys No 9020. - 7789. & 5301. in the  
Virginia Military District bounded on the north by the land  
of A A Woods north on the road leading from Milford Union  
Co. to Urbana Champaign Co. on the west by the Lands of  
W B Irwin and Samuel Colver on the south by Land  
owned by Moses Hallington and on the east by James  
C Miller, Land, containing about three hundred and  
twenty acres more or less. To the following persons and  
in the following proportions to wit. To the said John A. Stinat.  
and Mary Elizabeth his wife one equal sixth part to the said  
Elisha B Irwin one equal sixth part. to the said James G.  
Irwin. one equal sixth part. to the said John D. Irwin  
one equal sixth part. to the said Leorntha Ann Irwin  
one equal sixth part. to the said Sarah Emma Irwin  
one equal sixth part. and that your proceeding in the  
premises, you distinctly certify, under your hand  
to our Court of Common Pleas within and for  
the said County of Union, together with this writ  
forthwith,

Witness my hand and the  
Seal of said Court this 6<sup>th</sup> Day  
of October AD 1847.

John Cassie Clerk



Commissions  
Report

Filed Oct 6 1827  
John Cassil clerk

In obedience to an order of partition  
 from the Court of Com. Pleas for the  
 County of Union State of Ohio at the October Term  
 1844 in which the under signed were appoint-  
 ed Commissioners to make partition of certain  
 lands named in sd order a money the heirs of  
 James H. Gwin died We would be proud that after  
 being duly sworn as the Law directs on  
 Care fully examining the same are of opinion  
 that sd lands are not susceptible of an Equi-  
 table division and we apprais the same to  
 be worth Eleven dollars for a new

protestation by where of we have here  
 unto set our hands this 6th day of October  
 1844

James C. Miller }  
 Elipha Burnham } Commissioners  
 John Reed 3<sup>d</sup> }

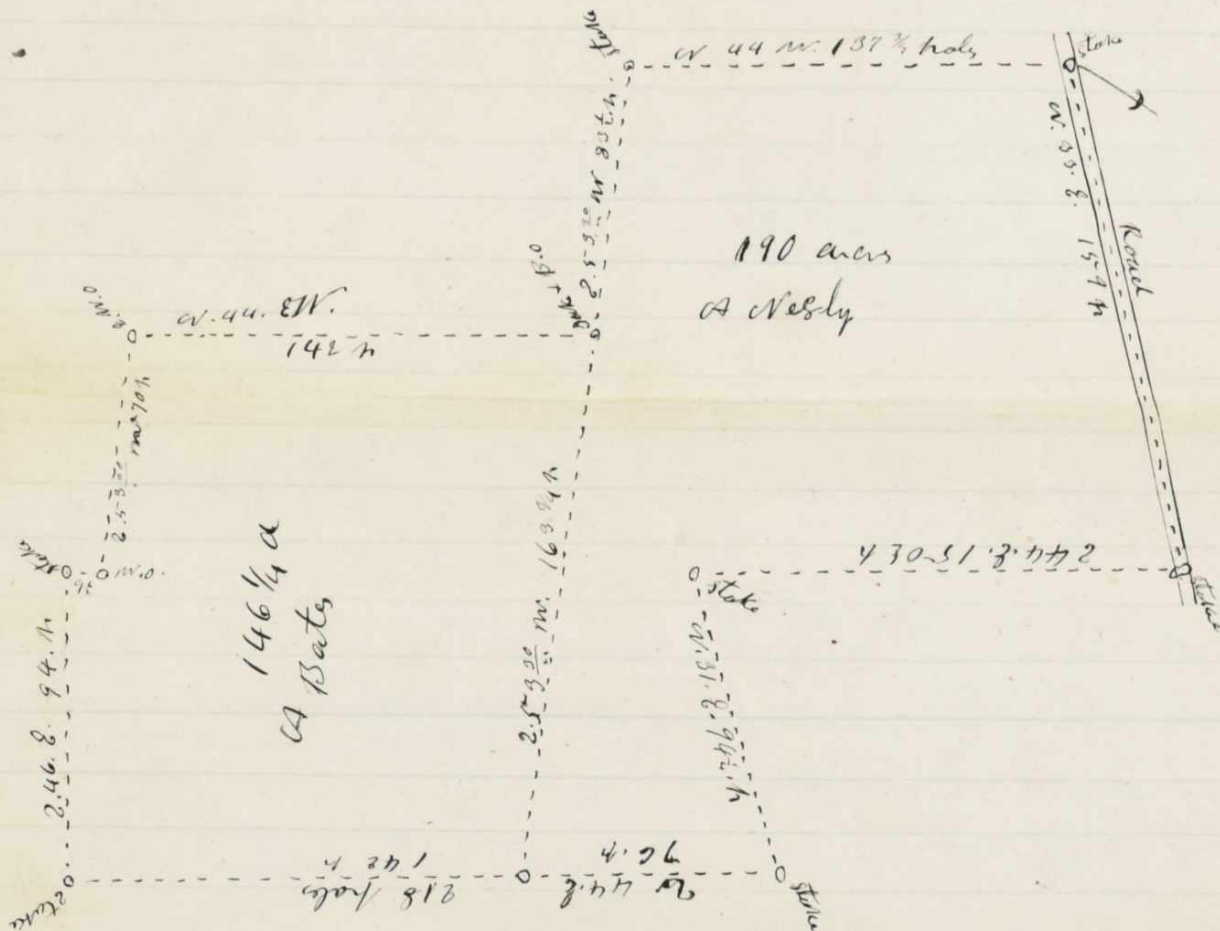
per in the above case

James C. Miller	\$ 2.00
Elipha Burnham	2.00
John Reed 3 <sup>d</sup>	2.00
	<u>\$ 6.00</u>



Survey made  
for the  
Heirs of James H. Davis

163  
83  
24.7



Survey for the heirs of James H. Brown the land represented by  
 the a low plat herein survey no 9020 in the name of Ludd part of  
 Survey No 5301 in the name of Robert Meers & part of survey  
 no. 7778 in the name of Joseph Parrett he begins at a stake in the  
 center of the state road leading from Marysville to Springfield then  
 Road N. 33. E. 157 pals to a stake then with A. C. Woodworths line S. with  
 44. E. 150 1/2 pals to a stake then N. 31. E. 94 1/2 pals to the W. corner of J. C.  
 Millers land then with his line S. 44. E. 218. pals to a stake in the line of  
 Moses Fullins ton then with his line S. 46. N. 94. pals to a stake then  
 N. 44. W. 9 1/2 pals to a white oak then S. 53 1/2 N. 70 pals to 2 white oaks  
 then N. 44 W. 142 pals to a stake & Ben oaks then S. 53 1/2 N. 83 1/2 pals  
 to a stake then with Samuel Caleers line N. 44. W. 137 pals to the  
 he begins containing 33 1/4 acres, also set of 146 1/4 acres to another stake  
 Bates here the S. E. end of the land he begins at a stake in Millers line stand  
 line 142 pals N. 44 W. from the Easterly corner of the survey  
 then running S. 53 1/2 degrees W. 163 1/2 pals to a stake & Ben oaks

February 19<sup>th</sup> 1848

fees for surveying plotting & recording \$1.00  
 Cash for one Chain Conner

W. B. from surveyor C. O.  
 Received pay ment of sheriff  
 W. B. from



Stewart & Trice

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The heirs of James

Provs Pub.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an order to me directed from the Court of Common Pleas of Union co., Ohio, I will offer for sale at the door of the Court House in the town of Marysville in said co. on the 27th day of December, A.D. 1847. between the legal hours of ten o'clock A.M. and four o'clock P.M. the following described real estate, to wit: Situate in the county of Union, Ohio, parts of surveys No. 9020, 7789 and 5301, in the Virginia Military District bounded on the north by the land of A. A. Woodworth, on the road leading from Milford, Union co. to Urbana, Champaign co., on the west by the lands of W. B. Irwin and Samuel Colver, on the south by land owned by Moses Fullington, and on the east by James C. Miller's land, containing about three hundred and twenty acres more or less. Said real estate will be sold upon the following conditions, to wit: one-sixth of the purchase money to be paid in hand, and one-sixth thereof to be paid annually thereafter the deferred payments to be secured by mortgage on the premises, according to the Statute in such case made and provide and to draw interest after one year from sale. Appraised at eleven dollars per acre. PHILIP SNIDER, Sheriff.  
Nov. 23, 1847. n27w5prf\$3.00.

John A. Stewart & wife vs The heirs of J. H. June<sup>50</sup>  
State of Ohio Union County 15

P. B. Cole Editor of the The Argus  
a weekly news paper published in  
said County makes solemn oath  
that the notice hereto attached  
was published in said paper weekly  
for thirty days immediately pre-  
ceding to the 27th day of Dec. 1847

P. B. Cole

Given to & subscribed before me  
April 24 1848.

John Cassie, Clerk

Printers fee \$ 5.00  
for date 12



Union Com Pleas

John A. Stewart vs

Elisha B Irwin et al

Order of Sale

Filed April 25, 1848  
John Cassel CM

Received this writ November 11, 1847.

In obedience to the within command duly advertised the within described real estate for sale by publication in the Oregon & Newspaper published and in general circulation in Union County for thirty days previous to the day of sale. It afterwards being on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1847, found the same for by public outcry at the door of the court house in Marysville in said County and sold the same to John Shaw for the sum of \$12.15 per acre he being the highest and best bidder therefore and that being more than two thirds the appraised value thereof.

Fees - mileage 5

Service 35

Advertising 25

By fee 3.00

Percentage 29.44 = \$33.09 Philip Union Sheriff

The State of Ohio } I John Cassil Clerk of the Court of  
Union County ss } Common Pleas within and for the  
County of Union and State of Ohio  
do hereby certify the following entry to be truly  
taken and correctly copied from the Journal of  
said Court at their October Term AD 1847, to wit,

John A. Strat & wife

vs

Elisha B. Brown et al.

Partition, On motion to the  
Court by Mr. Cole Counsel for the  
Petitioner and upon producing the

proceedings of the Sheriff and the report and proceedings  
of the Commissioners herein before appointed & the same  
being examined. It is ordered that said proceedings and  
report be and the same are hereby approved and confirm-  
ed and thereupon the petitioner in person & the defendants  
by Cyprian See their Guardian declining to take said  
estate at the valuation thereof as returned by said  
Commissioners. On motion of the Petitioner and by consent  
of said Guardian for said heirs. It is ordered that said  
estate be sold at public Auction by the Sheriff of  
said County of Union upon the following conditions  
to wit: One sixth of the purchase money to be paid in  
hand and one sixth thereof to be paid annually  
thereafter the deferred payments to be secured by  
mortgage on the premises. According to the Statute  
in such case made and provided and to draw  
interest after one year from sale,

In Testimony whereof I hereunto  
subscribe my name and affix  
the seal of said Court at  
Marysville this 11<sup>th</sup> day of November  
AD 1847  
John Cassil Clerk



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0021

No. 47-CH-21

Union Common Pleas Court.

*Janner Fenningway*  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

*Ira Reynolds, et al*  
Defendant.

APR TERM, 1848

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Union Com. Pleas.

James Demerway &  
Sophia Demerway,  
vs.  $\Sigma$

Ira Reynolds, et. als.

Petition for Dower.

Filed July 17<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Caspell, Clerk

Order for a copy of  
of dower forthwith  
of the Court

Cost bill made  
Record

Recorded

Allison & Loring  
Solicitors

To The Court of Common Pleas, within and  
for the County of Union and State of  
Ohio. In Chancery sitting:

Famey Hemenway and Sophia Hemenway his Wife (formerly Sophia Reynolds) both of Union County Ohio, represent to the Court that Elisha Reynolds, late of said County, departed this life on or about the day of A. D. 184 leaving the said Sophia his widow, and leaving Ira Reynolds, of Logan County, Ohio, Elisha S. Reynolds, of said Union County, ~~James Reynolds~~ Sarah Reynolds of said Union County, Martha Ann Reynolds of said Union County, Elizabeth Potter (formerly Elizabeth Reynolds, now intermarried with Edward Potter, residing in Delaware County, Ohio), Delila Smith (formerly Reynolds) Rodney Smith her husband, both of said Delaware County; Hila Woodworth (formerly Reynolds) and Asa Woodworth her husband both of said Union County; Elizabeth Street and John Street of Fairfield County; Elisha B. Swin, James G. Swin, Cornelia Swin, of <sup>said</sup> Delaware County; John D. Swin of said Union County; Sarah C. Swin of Fairfield County, Sappha Reynolds of Union County, Denamus Reynolds of Union County and Merittia Reynolds and Mary C. Reynolds of Union County his heirs at law and legal representatives; that Susan F. Taylor, formerly widow of James Reynolds deceased is entitled to come in said James's share of said estate; that the said Elisha Reynolds during coverture with you petitioners was seized, as an estate of inheritance, of the following Real Estate, to wit: Part of Survey No. 1789, in said County of Union (originally in the name of Joseph Parrot) bounded on the North by lands of Benjamin Hopkins and Moses Pullington; on the North West by lands of Asa A. Woodworth; on the South West by lands of James C. Miller; on the East by ~~land~~ of Survey No. 4946. Also, eighty four acres, being part of Survey No. 5265



in said Union County, bounded on the North by  
a lot owned by David Witter; on the East and  
South by lands of James C. Miller; on the West  
by land of Benjamin Hopkins, and containing  
eighty four acres; — also, thirty six acres, in  
said Union County, being part of survey No. 4946, &  
bounded on the South and East by James C. Miller  
land; on the North by the last-~~above~~-discrbed lot  
of said Elisha Reynolds' land and a survey of R. Means  
land; on the West by the last-~~above~~-mentioned lot  
of said Elisha Reynolds' land and Parrot's survey No  
1789; — Also, a part of lot No. 19 in Margaret Bailey's  
subdivision of the eastern two-thirds of Virginia Military  
Survey No. 3351, beginning in the Hinton Mill  
Road at the corner of lot No 18 owned by Levi Phelps,  
thence east with said Road 50 poles to a stake, the corner  
of Samuel B. Hudson's land; thence south with Hudson's  
line 80 poles to a stake in said line; thence N. 50 poles  
to a stake in said line; thence N. 50 poles to a  
stake in the said Levi Phelps line; thence N. 80  
poles to the beginning. Containing 25 acres.  
Also, part of Survey No. 12472, beginning at a stake  
southwesterly corner to a lot of 94 acres of land sold to Sarah  
Reynolds on said survey; thence S. 7° W. 30½ poles to a stake  
in the original line of said survey; thence with said  
line N. 83 W. 115 poles to the corner of Benjamin Fenner's  
lot, part of said survey; thence with said Fenner's line, N. 7° E.  
130 poles passing said Fenner's corner and with the line  
of J. Wilson, to a stake corner to said Sarah Reynolds  
land; thence with her line S. 83° E. 115 poles to the beginning,  
it being lot No. 5. of a subdivision, as surveyed by Alex-  
ander Robinson, containing thirty four acres; Also a  
part of John M. Goodenow's <sup>share in the</sup> subdivision of Lucy Wright's  
share in the subdivision of Butler Claiborn's survey  
No. 6293 in said Union County, Beginning at three oaks  
and a beech, southwest corner to the said ~~subdivision~~  
of John M. Goodenow; thence N. 85° E. 169 poles to a stake  
on the Road S. W. corner of a lot by said Lewis Hastings  
conveyed to Philip Plumson; thence with his line N. 8° W.



298 poles to two beeches in the North line of the Survey  
Thence with said line S. 85° W. 85 poles to two beeches  
Corner of a lot sold by said Westing to Isaac Cad-  
Thence with his line S. 5° E. 80 poles to a hickory & two  
ashes his South east Corner; Thence with his line  
S. 85° W. 94 poles to an elm and ash his S. W. Corner  
in the West line of said Goodenow's share; Thence  
with said line S. 13° W. 218 poles to the beginning. Con-  
taining two hundred and eighty five acres more  
or less; — also, Lots numbered 60, 113, and  
120, in the Town of Mayville in said Union-  
County; in all of which lands above described your  
orator is entitled to dower; and that your petition  
on or about the fourth day of July A. D. 1847 in a  
reasonable manner requested the said heirs and  
of said Eliza Reynolds deceased and the said Susan  
G. formerly Widow of Amner Reynolds to assign reasonable  
dower in said premises to your petitioner, which  
they refuse to do. Your petitioner therefore prays  
that the said Ira Reynolds, Eliza S. Reynolds, Ann  
Reynolds, Martha Jane Reynolds, Elizabeth Potter,  
Edward Potter, Delia Smith, Rodney Smith, Hilda  
Woodworth, Asa A. Woodworth, Elizabeth Street,  
John Street, Eliza B. Swin, James G. Swin,  
Cynthia Swin, John D. Swin Sarah C. Swin  
Donapia Reynolds, Betannah Reynolds, Mary E.  
Reynolds, Veneta Reynolds, and Susan G.  
Taylor may be made defendants to this  
petition; that they may answer the same,  
and that reasonable dower in said premises  
may be assigned to your petitioner, and  
that she may have such other and further  
relief in the premises as shall seem equit-  
able.

By Allison & Denny  
her Solicitors.



July 22<sup>d</sup> 1847  
Served on all the within  
persons, by leaving  
Certified Copies of this  
<sup>with</sup> personally with James  
Guin Iroin & Elisha  
B. Iroin, and at the  
residences of the other  
within named persons

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Filed July 26<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Corril clerk

Union Com Pleas

Samuel Remondway  
& John ~~Remondway~~

vs  
Ira Reynolds et al

Sub in chg

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

Delaware

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF ~~UNION~~ GREETING:

We command you, that you summon Elizabeth Potter, Edward Potter,  
Delila Smith, Rodney Smith, Elisha B. Drwin, James  
Gwin Drwin, and Corintha Drwin

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the

Third day of August next ensuing, to answer a petition  
in Chancery, exhibited against them <sup>and others</sup> by Farmery Hemenway  
and Sophia Hemenway

and this they shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July

A. D, 1847

John Cassil Clerk of Com. Pleas.



July 30. 1847 served this writ by copy  
on all the within dependants except  
the four last therein mentioned

Fees - mileage 40

Arrest 1.35

Copies 75

Philip Under Sheriff

Union Com Pleas

Tommy Haddenway  
& Sophia Haddenway

vs

Ira Reynolds et al

Sub in Ch

Filed Aug 3<sup>d</sup> 1847

John Cassil Clerk

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Elisha V. Reynolds, Sarah Reynolds, Martha  
Jan Reynolds, Hila Woodworth, Asa A. Woodworth, John D. Irwin,  
Sarepta Reynolds, Benann Reynolds, Venitia Reynolds, and  
Mary E. Reynolds*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the *3<sup>d</sup>*  
day of *August* next ensuing, to answer a *petition*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them* <sup>and *Ther*</sup> by *Frances Hemenway and  
Sophia Hemenway*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at

the court house, this *17<sup>th</sup>* day of

*July* A. D, 1847

*John Cassil*

Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Surrey

Given April 28, 1868  
Wm Cassel CM





Hammyway  
by  
Reynolds

Reput of Comings

Filed April 28, 1848  
the Cassel MR

The Estate of Elizabeth Reynolds

Dr Do services Attorney	and one sitting of Dues	Do John Reed 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> days	CR fees	\$ 5.00
Do John A. Baker's days	CR fees	1.37 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		
Do William B. Brown 2 days	Secretary	5.00		
Plotting and record	ing	4.00		
Do three days	Attorney	1.00		
CR fees		3.00		
		1.25		
		<u>\$ 20.00</u>		

Sophia Hemenway  
widow

Heirs of Elisha Reynolds

petition for ~~partition~~ Down

for obedience to the writ of partition in the above case from the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Union Ohio at their spring term for 1848. in which the undersigned were appointed commissioners to set of Down in the lands named in sd writ would Report that on actual view of all the lots named in sd order being shown by the Sheriff of sd County do appear the different lots as follows

No 618 survey no. 2189 of 275 acres at \$14 dollars	
in all amounting to	3822
No. 4946 of 36 acres at nine dollars per acre	324
No 5260 of 84 " " five dollars per	420
No 3351 of 25 " " ten dollars per	250
No 2472 of 94 " " three per a	282
No 6293 of 152 " " " "	456
In lot in Marysville no 60 at	60
no 113 at	240
no 120 at	150
	<hr/>
	\$5974.

amounting to five thousand nine hundred and seventy four dollars

and we set of to Sophia Hemenway late widow of Elisha Reynolds dec as her Dowry in the above Real estate the following portion by the following boundaries beginning at a Hickory the N. E. Corner of sd Reynolds farm then running with the North line N. 71. West 234 1/2 poles to a stake Wood worths line then with his line S. 32. W 67. poles to a stake then S. 71. E. 251 poles to a stake at the center of the West line of lot no 29 in the town of Homer then S. 83. E. 10 poles to the line of Willi Heerth.



Survey No 4946 then with S.D. line N. 7. E. 91 poles  
to the beginning containing 90 acres -  
also for timber 2.4.6. on survey No 4260 as  
follows beginning at an ash Elm & Hickory  
one of the original corners to the survey  
Running with East line South 7. West. 40 poles  
to a Walnut as a stake then N. 83. W.  
168 poles to the center of the creek then up the  
Creek N. 10 W. 21. poles to the line of Witter, lot then  
with his line S. 83. E. 178 poles to the beginning  
all of which will appear on the accompanying  
plot April 27th 1848

John F. Sabine  
John Reed  
William B. Green

Commissioners  
Report



Van. Car. Miss

Harvey

vs

Reynolds

Writ of Partus

Filed April 28, 1848

John Cassel clk

I have executed this writ, by the oath  
of the within named Commissioners, whose  
report is herewith returned

Fees - mileage 40

Service 1.00

April 25, 1848

Philip Juden Sheriff of Minn. County

Received of the within named Commissioners  
the sum of \$1.40 for mileage and service  
done in the execution of the within writ  
this 28th day of April 1848  
Philip Juden Sheriff of Minn. County

The State of Ohio Union County No.

To the Sheriff of Union County Ohio  
We command you that without delay,  
by the oaths of Wm B. Swin John Reed 3<sup>d</sup> and  
John F. Sabin disinterested men of the  
vicinity you cause to be set off and  
assigned Sophia Hemmeway of Union County  
late Widow of Elisha Reynolds late of said County  
die one full equal third part of the following  
real estate situate in said County of Union  
To wit Survey No 7789 273 Acs - No 4946  
36 Acs - No 5260 84 Acs No 3357  
25 Acs 12472. 94 Acs and No 6293.  
152 Acs Also in lots in Marysville  
No 60. 113. 120 In pursuance of an  
order lately made in our said Court  
of common pleas within and for said  
County of Union, in certain petition for  
dower wherein the said Sophia Hemmeway  
is petitioner and the heirs of Elisha  
Reynolds are respondents, and that your  
proceedings in the premises you distinctly  
certify under your hand to our said  
Court of common pleas ~~on the first day~~  
~~of March~~ <sup>forth with</sup> ~~the~~ ~~year~~ and have you thus done  
this writ

Witness John Cassie Clerk of said  
Court at the Court House in  
Marysville this 25<sup>th</sup> day of  
April AD 1848

John Cassie clk

I John Cassie Clerk of the Court of common  
Pleas of Union County, Ohio, do hereby certify  
that the above named Wm. B. Swin, John Reed 3<sup>d</sup>  
& John F. Sabin were duly sworn by me before  
entering on the duties of their appointment  
April 25<sup>th</sup> 1848  
John Cassie, Clerk



Union Com. Pleas.

Fanny Hamerway

& Wife

vs. {

Ira Reynolds et al.

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Answer.

Filed Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John C. Gillett, Clerk

The Deforante Answer of Sarah E. Irwin of  
Fairfield County Ohio, by Cyprian ~~See~~ her  
Guardian, to the petition for Dower, of  
hibited against her and others by James  
Hemenway and Sophia Hemenway his wife  
petitioners, in the Court of Common Pleas of  
Union County Ohio.

The said Sarah E. Irwin, by  
Cyprian ~~See~~ her Guardian now Comes and  
for answer to said petition says that they  
admit all the allegations of said bill to be true;  
and that the several persons therein named  
have title to said land as is alleged in said  
petition; and ~~they~~ hereby waives ~~and~~  
~~and~~ ~~procur~~ ~~and~~ ~~service~~ thereof  
and entered hereby ~~their~~ appearance in this  
cause; and ~~they~~ does hereby consent that  
Dower may be assigned pursuant to the  
prayer of said petition, and according to  
law, in said lands; and having they fully  
answered, ~~the~~ prayer to be hence dismissed.

C The Guardian



Union Com. Pleas.

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Farmenway & Wife

vs.

Chas Reynolds et al.

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Answer.

Filed Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Cassel, Clerk

The Joint Answer of John Sturat and Elizabeth Sturat his wife to the petition for dower exhibited against them by Farmer, Gemenway and Sophia Gemenway his wife, petitioners, in the Court of Common Pleas of Union County, Ohio.

The said John Sturat and Elizabeth Sturat his wife now come and for answer to the said petition say that they admit all the allegations of said bill to be true; and that the several persons therein named have title to said lands as is alleged in said petition; and they hereby waive process and service thereof, and enter hereby their appearance in this cause; and they do hereby consent that dower may be assigned pursuant to the prayer of said petition, and according to law, in said land; and having thus fully answered they pray to be hence dismissed.

John S. Sturat  
Mary E. Sturat



Union Com Pleas

Formerly ~~Bennetway~~  
Sophia ~~Bennetway~~  
ms

Ira Reynolds Hol

Sub in Chay

Filed July 29<sup>th</sup> 1897  
John Cassie Clerk

Received on the within named for  
the 9 months on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of July 1897 by  
leading at his usual place of abode a  
certified copy of the writ  
HHS has to my amount \$55 -  
copy grant 12 1/2  
- mileage & meals 40  
87 1/2 } Part of Mudge's  
Portage by return & one 10 } writ & fee  
Part of Mudge's  
writ & fee

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

Logan County

TO THE SHERIFF OF ~~THE COUNTY OF UNION~~ GREETING:

We command you, that you summon

Ira Reynolds

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the

Third day of August next ensuing, to answer a Petition  
in Chancery, exhibited against him <sup>and others</sup> by Farnesey Hemenway  
and Sophia Hemenway

and this he shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at

the court house, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July

A. D. 1847

John Cassil

Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Union Corn Pleas

Formerly ~~Winnemungo~~  
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The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

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TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF ~~UNION~~ GREETING:

We command you, that you summon Susan J. Taylor  
Sarcpta Reynolds, Benam Reynolds, Venitia  
Reynolds, & Mary E. Reynolds

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the  
third day of August next ensuing, to answer a petition  
in Chancery, exhibited against ~~them~~ <sup>of them</sup> by James Hemmaway  
and Sophia Hemmaway

and this ~~they~~ shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July

A. D, 1847

John Cassil Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0022

No. 47-CH-22

Union Common Pleas Court.

Samuel McWade

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Addison Osborn et al

Defendant.

APR TERM, 1848

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Union Common Pleas.

Jas. T. McWade

vs.  $\int$

Addison Osborn et als.

Bill in Chancery

Filed July 20 1849

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Allison & Curry  
Solicitors

The Clerk will please refer you to the  
Heir of Osborn Com 5, for Addison Osborn, Man  
= Sant Osborn ~~Com 5~~ Eligible to Osborn, and  
Addison Osborn Com 5, for the Heir of  
Addison Osborn Com 5 for Addison Osborn  
and Josiah Osborn.  
Addison & Curry  
Sols. for petitioners



To the Court of Common Pleas of Union County  
Ohio, in Chancery, sitting.

Samuel McWade of Union County Ohio Represents  
that Marcus S. Osborn late of said County deceased  
was in his lifetime <sup>and until the time of his death</sup> seized in fee simple and as  
an estate of inheritance of the following real  
estate, to wit: <sup>three several</sup> lots in the Town of Archela  
in said Union County, numbered 15, 16, & 24, on  
the plat of said Town, as will more fully appear  
reference being had to the record of said plat in the  
office of the Recorder of Deeds for said County,  
which said record is made a part of this Bill;

Your Orator further represents that in <sup>or about</sup> the  
month of December in the year 1839 the said  
Marcus S. Osborn contracted to sell the afore  
said Real estate to your Orator for the sum of  
thirty dollars, and to execute to your Orator a good  
& sufficient deed therefor upon payment of the pur-  
-chase money; that your Orator took possession  
of said Real estate under said contract and made  
valuable and lasting improvements thereon,  
and paid the price of the same in full to  
said Osborn in pursuance of said contract;  
That said contract was made verbally;

Your Orator further represents that on  
or about the        day of        A. D. 184        the said  
Marcus S. Osborn departed this life, leaving  
five children and heirs, to wit. Addison Osborn  
Margaret Osborn, Elizabeth Osborn, who reside  
in Logan County, and Octavia Osborn, and  
and Josiah Osborn who reside in Marion  
County, all of whom are minors, and all  
of whom your petitioner prays may be made  
defendants to this bill.

Your Orator further represents  
that Alexander Buntides of Logan County



and whom your Orator prays may be  
made defendant to this bill, is admin-  
-istrator of the estate of said Marcus  
S. Osborn deceased.

Your Orator therefore prays  
that the writ of Subpoena may issue;  
That said defendants may be compelled  
full answer to make to all and singular  
-an the allegations and matters in  
this bill contained; and that on the final  
hearing of this cause ~~the legal title to said~~  
~~estate may be decreed to your Orator,~~  
-The relief may be extended to your  
Orator as equity may require.

By Allison L. Curry  
his Solicitor

done at request of Plaintiff Comie  
April 19 1848. John Cassie et al  
John Capel Esq Clerk of  
Common pleas - Union  
County  
Ohio

Depositions  
in the case of  
Samuel M. Ward  
vs  
J. S. Orston  
his

Filed April 19 1848  
John Cassie Clerk



Depositions of witnesses in a cause pending in Chancery  
Court of Common Pleas of Union County wherein  
Samuel McWaide is plaintiff and Addison Osborne  
Margaret Osborne Elizabeth Osborne Oclary Osborne  
Josiah Osborne, and Alexander Burnsides  
Guardian and Administrator of the estate of  
Marcus L Osborne deceased defendants  
in pursuance of the notice of here to attached and  
at the time and place therein mentioned

John H. Bosart of the County of Union of lawful  
age being first duly sworn by me as here after certified  
deposes as follows

1<sup>st</sup> Question by plaintiff - Was you knowing to my purchasing  
three lots in the Town of Arbela of Marcus L  
Osborne deceased

Answer, I was not present at the purchase of  
said lots but I have heard Marcus L Osborne  
say that he had sold to Samuel McWaide two  
lots in the Town of Arbela and had given one lot  
to McWaide for his being a Mechanick and settling  
in the Town

2<sup>d</sup> Question by plaintiff - Do you know of my settling on the lots  
mentioned

Answer Yes I know of his settling on the lots and  
improving them John H Bosart

And also John Cheney of the County of Union and of  
lawful age being first duly sworn as hereafter certified  
deposes as follows

1<sup>st</sup> Question by plaintiff - Was you called upon to make  
some deeds from Marcus L Osborne to one previous  
to his death and if so state what you know about it

Ans. I was called on, on Friday to go up to Mr Osborne's  
to make deeds for Samuel McWaide's lots in the  
Town of Arbela - I was told that it was Mr Osborne's  
request that I should be at Osborne's house on the  
Saturday following and my business would not  
admit of my attending at that time so I agreed  
to attend on the Monday following previous to that



At the time I heard of the death of Marcus L. Osborne  
and consequently I did not go  
John Cheney

I find also David W. Cunningham of the County of Union  
and of lawful age being first duly sworn as hereinafter  
certified deposed as follows

1<sup>st</sup> Question by plaintiff. What do you know respecting Marcus  
L. Osborne's intentions of making me deeds for some  
lots in the Town of Arbela and what you know respecting  
the payments for said lots

Ans. His intentions I believe was to make McWaide a  
deed for the lots that is, two lots sold and one lot  
given to McWaide as a Mechanick from what he told  
me I think that was his intentions - and from the  
knowledge I have of their dealings I am satisfied  
that McWaide had paid Osborne for said lots all  
but a trifle and also I am knowing to McWaide's  
having peaceable possession of said lots living on  
and improving them all in the lifetime of Marcus  
L. Osborn

David W. Cunningham

I Peter Randall a justice of the peace in and for the  
Township of Jackson in the County of Union Ohio  
do hereby certify that the above named John H.  
Bosert John Cheney and David W. Cunningham  
were by me first duly sworn to testify the truth the  
truth and nothing but the truth and that the  
foregoing depositions by them respectively subscribed  
were reduced to writing by me and were taken at  
the time and place specified in the enclosed  
notice

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand  
this 25<sup>th</sup> day of March in the year 1848

Peter Randall J. P.



time I heard of the death of Marcus L Osborn and consequent-  
ly I did not go

John Cheney

In Union Com Pleas

Saml McWaide

vs

Addison Osborn & Co

Answer of Guardian

ad litem

Filed April 28, 1845

John Cassil clerk



The joint Answer of Addison Osborn, Margaret Osborn,  
Elizabeth Osborn, Octavia Osborn, and Josiah Osborn  
infant Defendants to the Bill of Samuel McWaide;  
by J. C. Doughty their Guardian ad litem,

And the said Addison Osborn, Margaret  
Osborn, Elizabeth Osborn, Octavia Osborn, and  
Josiah Osborn by J. C. Doughty their Guardian  
ad litem now come and for answer to the said Bill  
of Complaint of the said Samuel McWaide, say  
that they know nothing as to the truth or falsity of  
the several matters and things contained in said  
Bill and pray to be hence dismissed &c

Addison Osborn  
Margaret Osborn  
Elizabeth Osborn  
Octavia Osborn  
Josiah Osborn

By J. C. Doughty  
Their Guardian Ad litem

Samuel McWaide

vis

Adison Osborne

Elizabeth Osborne

Alexander Burnside

guardian & Administrator of Marcus L. Osborne deceased

Chancery in  
Common pleas of  
Union County Ohio

Depositions will be

taken in this case by the complainant at the  
office of Taber Randle J.P. in the Town of  
Essex in the County of Union Ohio  
on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March 1848 in a case  
of Samuel McWaide applied for deeds for  
three lots in the Town of Arbela Union  
County Ohio

A.D. 1848 between the hours of six A.M.  
and nine P.M. dated this 14<sup>th</sup> day of March 1848

Samuel McWaide



Samuel McWaid

vs

Adison Osborne etals

Margaret Osborne

Elizabeth Osborne

Octavy Osborne

Josiah Osborne

Chancery in  
Common Pleas of  
Union County Ohio

Depositions will be taken  
in this case by the complainant at the office  
of Taber Randle & P in the town of Essex in  
the County of Union Ohio on the 25<sup>th</sup> day  
of March 1848 in a case of ~~vs~~ Samuel  
McWaid applied for deeds for three  
lots in the town of Arbela Union County  
Ohio

A D 1848 between the hours of six A M  
and nine P M

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of March 1848

Samuel McWaid

Union Com Pleas

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Samuel McWarider  
Jes

Adison Arbourn et al

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Sub in ltr

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Recd this writ on the  
24<sup>th</sup> July 1847—

Executed the same on  
the 30<sup>th</sup> July 1847

Not found as to the  
within named persons

Wm Shunk & Shpp

de. c. o.

Filed Aug. 2<sup>d</sup> 1849  
John Cassil Clerk



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

Marion

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF ~~UNION~~ GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Octavia Osborn and*  
*Jasiah Osborn*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the

*3<sup>rd</sup>* day of *August* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them* ~~by~~ *Samuel M'Waide*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court; at  
the court house; this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *July*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.

In Union Com Pleas

Daniel McWaide

vz

Addison Osborn et al

Sub. In Chancery

Recd. Let 5<sup>th</sup> August  
1847. Granted the same  
on the 6<sup>th</sup> August 1847.  
not found as to the  
writas named Petavia  
Osborn & Inriah Osborn  
Whinslunk  
Shipp Meria Co  
Ohio

Filed Aug 9<sup>th</sup> 1847

John Carré CW



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

*Marion*

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF ~~UNION~~ GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Octavia Osborn and*  
*Posiah Osborn*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, ~~on the~~  
*Northwith*  
~~day of~~ ~~next ensuing,~~ to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them*, ~~etals~~, by *Samuel Mc Waide*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *3<sup>rd</sup>* day of *August*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.

Received March 25<sup>th</sup> 1848 of Samuel M<sup>c</sup>Waide  
two dollars and thirty seven and a half cents it being  
in full of a ballance due Marcus S. Osborn deceased  
on lots sold by said Osborn to Samuel M<sup>c</sup>Waide  
the said lots laying in the Town of Arveta

A. Brewster  
Adm<sup>r</sup> of M<sup>r</sup>. Osborn's estate



Union Com Pleas

Samuel M Wailes  
vs

Adison Asborn et al

Duke in Chm

Filed July 29<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Cassie Clk

Personalty served on the within named  
Margaret Polson Elizabeth Polson and  
Alexander Burnside on the 27th day of July  
1847 by leaving with each of them a certified  
copy of this writ, and served on the within  
named Station Col form on the 27th day of  
July 1847 by leaving a true and correct  
a true and correct copy of this writ.  
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John Underwood  
Attly of the year court  
Costs paid by writ 107

John

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

*Logan*

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF ~~UNION~~ GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Adison Asborn Margaret  
Asborn Elizabeth Asborn and Alexander  
Barnsides*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the

*3<sup>d</sup>* day of *August* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against ~~them~~ *et al* by *Samuel McWaide*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at

the court house, this *20* day of *July*

A. D, 184 *7*

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Union Corn Pleas

Samuel McWaid

vs

Adison Arbore et al

Sub in Cty

Filed Sept 6<sup>th</sup> 1847

John Cassil et al

Recd this writ on the 14<sup>th</sup>  
August 1847 - Executed  
the same on the 1<sup>st</sup>  
day of September 1847.  
by reading & delivery  
to each of the within  
named persons  
certified copies of the  
writ -

John Shunk

Shff Marion Co Ohio

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The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF <sup>Merion</sup> UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Actaria Osborn* and  
*Josiah Osborn*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the  
*5<sup>th</sup>* day of *October* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them* ~~at~~ <sup>by</sup> *Samuel McWaise*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *9<sup>th</sup>* day of *August*

A. D, 184 *7*

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0023

No. 47-CH-23

Union Common Pleas Court.

James W Sebole

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Mary E Sebole

Defendant.

JUN TERM, 1848

Divorce

Dismissed

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John Cassie Clerk

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J. C. Doughty, Sol.  
for complainant

State of Ohio Do the Honourable Judges of  
Common Pleas of the County of  
Monroe County, in Chancery  
Arthur

Humblly Complaining, Sheweth unto your  
honour, your Orator James W. Gebble, that  
he has been a Resident of the County of  
Monroe, and State of Ohio more than  
One Year last past, And that your Orator  
was lawfully joined in the Bonds of matrimony  
to his present Wife Mary Elizabeth on the  
first of October Eighteen Hundred and  
forty, in the County of Berkeley - Virginia  
State of Virginia, from which time  
forward, they have been Residents of the  
County of Berkeley - State of Virginia, untill  
an or about the first of October Eighteen  
Hundred and forty five, And your  
Orator further Sheweth unto your Honour  
that the said Mary Elizabeth since the <sup>paid</sup> first  
day of October Irkedly, disregarding, the solemnity  
of her vows, and the sanctity of the  
marriage state hath committed adultery  
at sever. Times with William Steward  
and others to your Orator unknown  
And your Orator further Shews  
unto your Honour, that an or about  
the first of October Eighteen Hundred  
and forty five, the said Mary Elizabeth  
did retire to the woods, then in the  
County of Berkeley, State of Virginia, and  
was accompanied by the said William  
Steward on the day time, And the said  
William Steward then and there



had carnal connection with the  
said Mary Elisabeth and she the said  
Mary Elisabeth did then and there  
commit adultery with him the said  
William Steward. And your Orator  
further sheweth unto your honours  
that afterwards to wit. Since the first  
of October Eighteen hundred and  
forty five - at what time. Month and  
day in particular is ignorant. And  
can not set forth, the said Mary Elisabeth  
then being in the County of Berkeley  
state of Virginia aforesaid. She the said  
Mary Elisabeth did commit Adultery  
with divers persons. the names of  
whom, your Orator has been unable  
to discover, and can not set forth  
And your Orator further shews  
unto your honours. That by ~~means~~  
that by means of the said several premises  
above set forth the domestic peace and  
happiness of your Orator has been  
entirely destroyed, In tender consideration  
whereof, and to the end, ~~that the said~~  
~~Mary Elisabeth, whereby your Orator prays,~~  
~~that the marriage between~~ and to the  
end that the said Mary Elisabeth may true  
full and perfect answer make to  
the matters and things herein charge  
and set forth as fully as if the same were  
herein again repeated. And she interrogated  
thereof, and particularly, that she may set  
forth and discover, whether your Orator and  
she the said Mary Elisabeth were not found



in Medlocke as afore said and whether  
since her marriage, with your Orator  
she has not committed adultery with  
the said William Steward at the time  
and place and under the circumstances  
 herein before set forth, or how otherwise and  
at other times, and when, and some  
 other persons, and whom, and that  
 the marriage, between your Orator  
 and the said Mary Elisabeth may  
 be dissolved, according to the Statutes  
 in such cases provided, and that  
 your Orator may have such other  
 and further Relief, in the premises,  
 as may be agreeable to equity, - and  
 may it please your honours to grant  
 unto your Orator the writ of Subpoena  
 issuing out of and under the seal of  
 this honourable Court, to be directed to  
 the said Mary Elisabeth commanding her  
 on a certain day therein to be expressed, personally  
 to be and appear before your honours, in this  
 honourable Court, then and there to make  
 true full, and perfect answers, to all,  
 and singular, the premises and stand  
 to abide, and perform, such order  
 direction and decree, as to your honours  
 shall seem meet, and according to  
 the Statutes, in such Cases provided

J. B. Daughy Sol.  
for petitioner  
Complainant



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James W. Gibble  
as  
Mary, Elisabeth Gibble  
Swore

Filed Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> 1897  
John Capril Clerk

J. G. Dougherty Salt  
for petitioner

State of Ohio vs. Do the Honourable Judges of the  
Common Pleas Court of Common Pleas of Union  
County in Chancery. *Setting*  
My Curdye Complainer sheweth unto  
you, Honourable your Orator James W. Goble  
that he has been, a Resident of the County of Union  
and State of Ohio More than One Year last past  
and that your Orator was lawfully joined in the  
bonds of Matrimony, to his present wife  
Mary Elisabeth on the first of October Eighteen  
hundred and forty, at the County of Berkly  
State of Virginia from which time  
forward, they have been Residents of the  
County of Berkly State of Virginia untill  
or about the first of October Eighteen  
hundred, and forty five. And your  
Orator further sheweth unto your  
Honours that the said Mary Elisabeth  
since the said first day of October Eighteen  
hundred forty, wickedly disregarding the  
Solemnity of her vows, and the sanctity  
of the marriage Contract and hath  
committed adultery at Divers times with  
One William Steward, and others to your  
Orator unknown. And your Orator  
further sheweth unto your Honours, that on  
or about the first of October Eighteen hundred  
and forty five the said Mary Elisabeth  
did return to fields or the meadow. Then in  
the County of Berkly State of Virginia. and  
was then and there in the company of the said  
William Steward, in the day time and the  
said William Steward, then and there had



Carroll, connection with the said Mary Elisabeth  
And she the said Mary Elisabeth did then and then  
commit adultery with the hon. the said Willm  
Stewards And your Orator further sheweth  
unto your Honours, that afterwards to wit  
since the first day of October eighteen hundred  
and forty five at what time Months, and  
days, in particular, is ignorant, And can not set  
forth, the said Mary Elisabeth then being in  
the County of Berkeley State of Virginia aforesaid  
she the said Mary Elisabeth did commit adultery  
with divers persons, the names of whom your  
Orator has been unable, to discover And can  
not set forth And your Orator further sheweth  
unto your Honours, that afterwards, to wit  
since the first of October eighteen hundred and  
forty five, she the said Mary Elisabeth hath  
been delivered of a bastard Child, the  
putative father, of which said Child your  
Orator can not set forth, and that your  
Orator hath not had any communication  
with said Mary Elisabeth since the said  
first day of October eighteen hundred forty  
five, And your Orator further sheweth  
unto your Honours, that by means of the said  
several premises above set forth the domestic  
peace and happiness of your Orator hath  
been entirely destroyed, In tender consideration  
and that the said Mary Elisabeth may thus give  
full and perfect Answers, make, to the matters  
and things herein charged, And set forth  
as fully as if the same were herein again charged  
and repeated And she interrogated thereunto and



particularly that she may set forth And discover whether  
your Orator. And she the said Mary-Elisabeth never not  
joined in wedlock. As aforesaid And whether your  
~~Orator~~ Orator since her marriage. With your Orator  
She has not committed adultery with the said  
William Steward at the time and place And  
under the circumstances herein before set forth  
Or now. Otherwise and at other times And when  
And some other persons. And whom, And that  
the Marriage contract between your Orator and  
the said Mary-Elisabeth may be dissolved according  
to the Statutes in such cases. provided. And  
that your Orator may have such other and  
further relief in the premises as may  
be agreeable to Equity And may it please your  
Honours. to grant unto your Orator the writ  
of Subpoena issuing out of. And under the seal of  
this honourable Court to be directed to the said  
Mary Elisabeth. Commanding her on a certain day  
there to be appeared personally. to be And appear  
before your Honours. in this honourable Court. there  
And there to make true. full. and. perfect  
answers. to all. And singular the premises. and  
stand to abide And perform such order. direction  
and decrees As to your Honours. Shall seem  
meet. And according to the Statutes  
in such cases. provided.

To Soughty Soll-  
for petition



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0024

No. 47-CH-24

Union Common Pleas Court.

George A Ell

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Anna M Elle

Defendant.

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In Arria  
Common Pleas

George A. Ell

vs  
Anna M. Ell

In Swore

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Filed July 29<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Cassie CM

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J. C. Sargent  
Solicitor for Plaintiff

State of Ohio }  
Union County } To the Honourable Judges of the Court  
of Common Pleas in Chancery sitting

Humblly Complaining Showeth unto your Honors as  
Your Orator, George A. Ell. Who has been a Resident  
of the County of Union and State of Ohio more  
than one year last past, And that your Orator  
was lawfully joined in the bands of Matrimony  
to his present wife Anna Margarett, on the  
twentieth <sup>day</sup> day of June Eighteen hundred and  
forty one, from which time forward, they have  
been and now are inhabitants, of the County of  
Union, and state of Ohio And your Orator  
further Showeth unto your Honours, that  
the said Anna Margarett since the said twenty  
fifth day of June wickedly disregarding her  
Vows, and Solemnity of the marriage state,  
hath left your Orator and absented herself  
from the house, and premises, without any  
Just Cause, or provocation whatever and  
your Orator further Showeth unto your  
Honours, that the said Anna Margarett,  
did leave on or about the middle of August  
Eighteen hundred, and forty one, and from  
that time forward, hath remained <sup>willfully</sup> absent,  
<sup>for more than three years last past</sup>  
and neglected her duties, as a wife, and  
your Orator further Showeth unto your Honours  
that he has made all necessary provision  
for her comfort, and happiness, and  
support, and treated her <sup>with</sup> affection and kindness  
and oft solicited her to return, to her home  
and to do her duties, yet she the said Anna  
Margarett, treated him with contempt  
and disrespect, and utterly refused to return  
on and that she is guilty of gross neglect of duty



And your Orator further sheweth unto  
your Honours, that by means of the  
said several premises above set forth  
the domestic peace, and happiness  
of your Orator has been entirely destroyed  
in tender consideration whereof, and to  
the end, that the said Anna Morgouth  
may true full and perfect Answer make  
to the matters and things herein charged  
and set forth, as fully, as if the same were  
again repeated and she interrogated  
therein, and particularly, that she may set  
forth, and discover, whether your Orator and she  
the said Anna Morgouth, were not joined, in  
wedlock, as aforesaid, and whether since  
her marriage, with your Orator she has not  
willfully absented her self, from his house and  
premises, in or about the middle of August  
eighteen hundred, forty one, and that the  
marriage, between your Orator and  
the said Anna Morgouth, may be  
dissolved, according to the statutes in  
such cases provided, and that  
your Orator may have such other and  
further relief, in the premises as may be  
agreeable, to equity, May it please your  
Honours to grant unto your Orator  
writ of Subpoena, issuing out of, and under  
the seal of this Honourable Court, to be  
directed to the said Anna Morgouth  
commanding her on a certain day and  
under a certain pain therein expressed,  
personally to be and appear before your  
Honours, in this Honourable Court  
then and there to make a perfect  
Answer

to all And singular the premises  
and to stand to. Obey and perform  
such order direction and decree as to  
you Honours shall seem meet and  
according to the Statutes in such cases  
provided.

J. B. Douglas Solicitor  
for Complément



Served this writ personally upon the  
writin named within Octobr 2. 1847

fee = mileage 1 mile 5

service 127 = 17h

Philip M. Anderson Sheriff

Men on Pleas

George A. Goo

Alma<sup>y</sup> M. Ell

Subfor writ

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No record

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF SAID COUNTY--GREETING.

We command you to summon

John Eel

to be and appear before the Honorable, the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas of said county, at the courthouse,  
in the town of Marysville, on the ~~fourth~~<sup>fourth</sup> day of next term, at ~~ten~~<sup>nine</sup> o'clock A. M., to testify and the truth to speak on  
behalf of Anna M Eel  
in a certain controversy in said court depending, wherein George A Eel  
is plaintiff, and Anna M. Eel  
is defendant: and this he shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of the law; and have then there this writ.

Witness, JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of our said Court, at the court-house aforesaid,

this

2<sup>d</sup>

day of

October

A. D. 1847

John Cassil

CLERK.



Union Camp Pleas

George A. Eell  
w

Anna M. Eell  
sent for writ

F. J. J. A. Sept 30 1847  
John Cassie et al

Does this writ by reading to all the  
within named witnesses Sept 29, 1847  
Fees = mileage 40  
service 50 = 90  
Philip Smith Sheriff

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF SAID COUNTY--GREETING.

We command you to summon

*John Jolly Gerge Roush*  
*Anna Dasher and Dasher*

to be and appear before the Honorable, the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas of said county, at the courthouse,  
in the town of Marysville, on the <sup>fourth</sup> day of next term, at <sup>nine</sup> o'clock A. M., to testify and the truth to speak on  
behalf of *Anna M Eell*

in a certain controversy in said court depending, wherein *George A. Eell*  
is plaintiff, and *Anna M Eell*

is defendant: and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of the law; and have then there this writ.

Witness, JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of our said Court, at the court-house aforesaid,

this

*29<sup>th</sup>*

day of

*Sept*

A. D. 184

*7*

*John Cassil* CLERK.



Union Can Regy

George A Ell

vs

Anna M Ell

Subj in Wis

Filed Sept 30 1847  
John Corrie et al

Whereas this writ by reading to  
all the within named witnesses  
Sept 29 1847

fees = mileage 15

service 37 1/2 = 52 1/2

Philip Spicer Sheriff

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF SAID COUNTY—GREETING.

WE command you to summon

*George Roush Adam  
Blumenshine and Adam Roush*

to be and appear before the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of said county, at the court-house,  
in the town of Marysville, on the <sup>fourth</sup> ~~first~~ day of next term, at <sup>nine</sup> ~~ten~~ o'clock A. M., to testify and the truth to speak on be-  
half of *George A. Ell* in a certain matter in contro-  
versy in said court depending, wherein *George A. Ell*  
is plaintiff, and *Anna M. Ell* is defendant:  
and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under penalty of the law; and have then there this writ.

Witness, JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of our said Court, at the court-house  
aforesaid, this *29<sup>th</sup>* day of *Sept* A. D. 184*7*

*John Cassil* CLERK.



Union Com Pleas

George A. Ell

Anna M. Ell

Sub in Chy

Filed Aug. 13<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Cassil, Clerk

Borne this writ August 13, 1847 by delivering  
a certified copy of the writ together with a  
mailed copy of the return ~~to~~ the writ  
mailed Anna M. Ell  
Fees Service 35 each 70  
Copy of subpoena 10  
mileage 15  
Judge's fees & costs

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Anna Margaret Ell,*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the  
*5<sup>th</sup>* day of *October* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *her* by *George A. Ell*

and this *she* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at

the court house, this *12<sup>th</sup>* day of *August*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Given Oct 29 1847

John Cassin etc

George A. Ell  
vs  
Anna M. Ell

} Pet. for Divorce.

} Issue subpoena for  
John Ell, witness for Deft.

In the City of Union  
Com. Pleas.

dated ~~Sept~~ 1827 }  
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Allison & Cunningham  
Attys for Deft.



Filed Sept 29 1847  
John Cassie M

George A. Ell }  
vs. } Pet. for Divorce.  
Anna M. Ell }

Issue Subpoena for John  
Lolly, George Roush, Anna Doshier,  
and Doshier, witnesses for defendant.  
Allison & Curry  
Attys for Deft.

To the Clerk of }  
Union Com. Pleas }

Dated Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> 1847 }



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Lucia Sept 29 1867  
John Cassio CM

George A. Ell. In witness whereof  
Anna M. Ell. } please in Dvoice

Issue a Subpoena for  
George Prush. Adam  
Blumerskin & Adam Prush.  
Witness for Plaintiff.

Geo. Clerk of the  
Court of common  
pleas.

J. B. Bought all  
for the above



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0025

No. 47-CH-25

Union Common Pleas Court.

Polly Ann Powers  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Edward Powers  
Defendant.

APR TERM, 1848

Judgment VS Plaintiff

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In Union Com Pleas

Polly Ann Powers

vs

Edward Powers

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Petition for  
Divorce & Alimony

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Filed Aug. 2<sup>d</sup> 1844  
John Caspell, clerk

Cost bill made  
No. Record

Allison & Curry

<sup>my</sup>  
To the Court of Common Pleas within and for the  
County of Union, Ohio, in Chancery sitting.

Your Petitioner Polly Ann Powers of the County  
of Union Ohio, respectfully represents and states to the  
Court, that she is now and has been for more than  
six years last past a Citizen of the State of Ohio, and  
for more than one year last past a resident of the  
said County of Union. That on the      day of December  
A.D. 1841 she was lawfully joined in the bands of Mat-  
rimony with one Edward Powers, whose present residence  
is unknown to your Petitioner, but whom your Petitioner  
may make defendant to this petition.

That your petitioner and the said Edward Powers,  
from the time of their marriage aforesaid continued  
to live and cohabit together as husband and wife  
until on or about the 7<sup>th</sup> day of July A.D. 1847  
at which time they separated. That during the  
whole period of their said Cohabitation, Your Petitioner  
endeavored to, and did perform all the various duties of  
a loving, faithful, industrious, and obedient wife  
as well, and in as cheerful a manner as was in her  
power to do. That the conduct of the said Edward  
to your Petitioner, during the greater and latter part of  
that time, on the contrary, was cold, distant, severe and  
cross, often to a great extreme, by wickedly cursing  
her, threatening her, and other conduct entirely unbecom-  
ing the conduct of a man to female, much more so  
the conduct of a husband to his wife.

Your Petitioner further states and charges, that  
the said Edward, - during their said Cohabitation, was  
guilty of "Gross neglect of duty," towards your Petitioner, in  
not furnishing her suitably to her station in life, and fre-  
quently, entirely, neglecting to furnish her with the necessaries



of life, such as necessary firewood &c, That her said husband (the said Edward) also neglected and refused to furnish your Petitioner with such household help as was necessary, and which he was able to do. That the said Edward was guilty of "Extreme Cruelty," towards your Petitioner, by violently and forcibly, when in anger, seizing her person, and by loud threats and denunciations against her and her relatives, (much to the annoyance and disturbance of the neighbourhood) putting your Petitioner in great bodily fear &c.

Your Petitioner further represents, that she and the said Edward have three children now living who are the offspring of said Marriage, to wit, Annette Powers <sup>four years of age on the 26<sup>th</sup> of February 1847.</sup> Providence Powers <sup>two years old on the 4<sup>th</sup> of February 1847</sup> and ~~about three years of age~~ <sup>eight months near ~~one~~ year old.</sup> Mary Powers

Your Petitioner therefore prays, that said Marriage between your Petitioner and the said Edward Powers may be dissolved, and that said Edward may be decreed to pay to your petitioner such Alimony as your Honors may deem just and reasonable, and that your Petitioner may be decreed the Guardianship of their said Children; Or that if said Marriage contract should not be dissolved, that Alimony and the Care and protection of the said Children may be decreed to your Petitioner, and such other and further relief in the premises as equity and good conscience may require, &c

By Allison & Curry  
Her Solts.

Powers  
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Powers

Proof Subst  
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File Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Capital Club



### Legal Notice.

EDWARD POWERS is hereby notified, that POLLY ANN POWERS, on the 2nd day of August, 1847, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for Union county, Ohio, a petition in Chancery, praying for a dissolution of the marriage contract existing between said Polly Ann and Edward; also for Alimony, and the Guardianship of their children, &c.; alleging for cause "gross neglect of duty," and "extreme cruelty."

ALLISON & CURRY,

Sols. for Compl't.

August 18, 1847. n13w6prf,\$1,75

I personally appeared, in open Court  
P. B. Bole and made solemn  
oath, that the notice hereto  
attached, was published for  
six consecutive weeks next before  
the 18<sup>th</sup> day of August A.D.  
1847 in a news paper called  
the Argus and that said  
newspaper was, during that  
time printed in the County  
of Union P. B. Bole  
Attorn.

John Capil, Clerk

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Edmund Prayers  
ads

Walter Prayers

Answered  
all

Filed Sept 18<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Cassie Clerk

J. C. Daugherty, Secy  
Superintendent



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The Answer of Edward Powers to the bill  
for divorce and alimony filed against him  
by Polly-Ann Powers.

The said Defendant  
Solemnly and resolutely to himself now and  
at all times hereafter all and all manner  
benefit and advantage of exceptions to  
the manifold uncertainties and imperfections  
in the said Complainants said bill of  
complaint contained for answer  
thereunto or unto so much thereof as  
materially concerns this Defendant to  
make answer unto, he answereth and  
saith that it is true that about the  
time mentioned in the complainants  
bill this Defendant and Complainant  
were duly and lawfully married and  
that the said Polly Ann Powers and this  
Defendant are inhabitants of the County  
of Union, and have been for more  
than one year last past, and this  
Defendant further answering positively  
and unequivocally denies that he was  
at any time or times guilty of gross neglect  
of duty towards the complainant and that  
he has since the intermarriage with the  
complainant provided her with food  
clothing and fire wood and all the necessa-  
ries of life suitable to his condition in life  
and treated her as a dutiful and affectionate  
husband as is in this respect truly and  
maliciously charged in the said bill of  
complaint. And this Defendant further  
answering positively and unequivocally



denies that he ever did at any time or times  
whatever, in anger, lay hands upon the  
said Complainant, or that the Defendant  
ever did treat her with extreme cruelty, by-  
violently, and forcibly, seizing the person of  
Complainant. As is in this respect, untruly,  
and maliciously charged in the said bill  
of Complainant. And this Defendant  
further answering saith, that he has ~~ever~~  
ever been ready <sup>and</sup> willing at all times to con-  
tinue to the said Complainant, and insisted  
on her the said Complainant, since the  
separation to return ~~and~~ to her home, and  
to her duties, as a wife, and that the Defendant  
would protect, and supply her the said  
Complainant, with every necessary for her  
comfort, and happiness, yet she the said  
Complainant, utterly refused to do so,  
without that, that any other matter or thing  
materially or necessary for this Defendant  
to make answer unto, and not herein  
and hereby, well, and sufficiently answered  
respects confessed, or avoided, traversed or  
denied, is true which matters and things  
this Defendant is ready to over-maintain  
and prove as this Honorable Court shall  
direct, and humbly prays to be hence discharged  
with his reasonable costs and charges, in this  
behalf most wrongfully sustained

Edward Powers

J. C. Dougherty Att-  
for Defendant



Without that, that any other matter or thing  
materially or necessary for this Respondant  
to make answer unto, And not herein and  
hereby well and sufficiently answered, Unto,  
confessed or avowed, traversed or denied is  
true which matters and things this Respondant  
is ready to aver. maintain and prove as this  
Honorable Court, shall direct, And hereby  
prop. to be hence, dismissed, with his reasonable  
costs, And Charges. in this behalf - most  
Wrongfully, sustained

Edmond Powers

J. C. Daughy sole  
for Respondant

In view common  
pieces.

Edmond Powers  
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Bolton Powers

Arthur Swann  
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J. C. Daughy sole  
for Respondant

The Answer of Edward Powers. to bill  
for sworn and allimony - filed against  
him by Polly Ann Powers.

The said Respondant  
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at all times hereafter all and all manner of  
benefit and advantage of exceptions - to the  
manifest uncertainties and imperfections in  
the said Complainants said bill of Complaint  
contained for Answer. Sheweth or unto so  
much thereof as Materially concerns. This  
Respondant, to make Answer unto the Answered  
and saith. That it is true, that about the time  
mentioned in <sup>the</sup> Complainants bill this Respondant  
and complainant, were duly and lawfully  
married, and that the said Polly Ann Powers  
and this Respondant ~~from the time of their~~  
~~intermarriage, until the present time have been~~  
~~and now are~~ <sup>and have</sup> inhabitants, of the County of  
Mason for more than one year last past  
And this Respondant further answering - positively  
and unequivocally - denies - that he was guilty  
of gross neglect of duty towards the complainant  
and that he amply provided her with food and  
clothing <sup>and necessaries for wood</sup> suitable to his condition in life - as  
is in this respect untruly and maliciously charged  
in the said bill of complaint. And this  
Respondant further answering - positively and  
unequivocally - denies that he ever did at any  
time or times whatever in anger lay hands  
upon the complainant, or that <sup>resistant</sup> ~~he~~ ever did  
use treat her with extreme cruelty - by violently  
and forcibly - striking the person of complainant  
as is in this respect untruly and maliciously charged in  
The said bill of complaint



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0026

No. 47-CH-26

# Union Common Pleas Court

Joshua Judy Adair  
Plaintiff,

against

Sophia Thurston  
Defendant.

MAY TERM, 1849

Decree for Plaintiff

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Union Com. Pleas

Joshua Gray, Adminstr.

As of  
Sophia Thurston et. al.

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Petition for  
sale

Filed August 6<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John C. Fair, Clerk

Cost bill made  
Record

Recorded

By C. & W.



To the Court of Common Pleas  
of the County of Union, Ohio;

Your petitioner Joshua Judd,  
Administrator of the Estate of David Thurston,  
deceased, respectfully represents, that  
the total value of the personal estate, effects  
of said decedent is, as near as can be ascertained,  
was not sufficient to pay <sup>the last year's allowance</sup> ~~dollars~~, which will more fully  
appear by the certificate of the Clerk of this  
Court, herewith filed, marked (A); ~~but not~~  
~~more than~~ ~~dollars can be~~  
~~realized therefrom~~ That the amount of  
debt owing by the deceased, as nearly as they  
can be now ascertained, amounts to two hundred  
fifty dollars; and the amount of the charge of admin-  
-istration to about fifty dollars; The personal  
estate and effects are insufficient to pay  
said debts

Your petitioner charges that the  
said decedent died seized in fee simple of a  
house & 1/4 acres of land in the Town of Union,  
this county, on which there was a judgment lien  
which has since been sold on said judgment  
and was not sufficient to pay the same; and your  
petitioner further represents that the said decedent  
had no claim to any other real estate within the  
knowledge of your petitioner, except <sup>East</sup> the one half  
of the following described <sup>situate in the county of Union, Ohio,</sup> land, in which your  
petitioner here charges the said decedent had  
an entire equity to wit: part of Survey No 5798,  
5641, 5806 & 6496, designated as Lot No 8 and returned  
in the name of Robert Moran, Bounded and  
described as follows - Beginning at 2 becher



and a Hickory corner to Robert Mc Keer's Lot; thence  
with the line of said Lot, north 83 degrees, west  
81 poles to 2 bushes & a sugar tree, corner to Lot No 9;  
thence with the line of Lot No 9 south 7 degrees  
west 242 poles to a Cherry & sugar tree, in the Del-  
aware Road; thence with said Road north 71 degrees  
East 81 poles to a bush, corner to Lot No 9; thence  
with the line of Lot No 9 north 7 degrees, east 198 poles  
to the Beginning, containing one hundred and  
eleven & one fourth ( $111\frac{1}{4}$ ) acres, be the same  
more or less.

The said decedent, while in life, to wit,  
on the twentieth day of November A.D. 1848 had  
paid to Abel F. Hutchinson (in whom the legal title  
now resides) Two hundred & twenty five dollars; for  
and in consideration of which the said Abel F. Hutchin-  
son, made & executed on the day and year aforesaid,  
his written agreement, under seal, to convey, two  
months after date, by Warranty deed, to Sophia  
Thurston, the then wife of said decedent, her  
heirs or assigns, one half of the aforesaid real  
estate, to wit; fifty five & one half acres of land,  
as will more fully appear from said written agreement  
which is herewith filed and made part hereof. — Your  
petitioner charges that the said Sophia Thurston  
held said land by said agreement, in trust, for the  
use and benefit of the said decedent — That the  
decedent paid for the same — That said agreement was  
so taken, in the name of the said Sophia, to the prejudice  
the creditors of said David Thurston — and that the said  
land Equitably belongs to the estate of said  
decedent.

The said decedent died leaving the  
said Sophia Thurston, his widow, who is en-  
titled, in Equity, to dower in said fifty five and one



half acres of land—

The following persons are the heirs  
having the next-estate of inheritance, in the premises  
above described, from the said decedent, namely:  
Catherine Thurston, Savilla Thurston, William  
Thurston & James Thurston, each & all, of  
said heirs, are minors, <sup>who together with said widow</sup> and all residents of the State of  
New York. Your petition prays that ~~the~~  
the said widow, and the said persons above mentioned  
and described, having the next-estate of inheritance  
in said equitable premises, together with the said  
Abel F. Hutchinson, in whom the legal title rests, be  
made parties dependants to this petition; that the said  
Hutchinson answer particularly the charges set forth  
in this petition; that the dower of the said Sophia  
Thurston, <sup>may</sup> be set off the several rights, liens, &c,  
of the above named dependants adjusted, &c; &  
that your petition may be ordered to sell the  
one half of said real estate, to wit; fifty-five and  
one half acres of land, &c, and such other relief, &c.

By Cole & Wither  
Vols for Petn

State of Ohio  
Union County

W. B. Cole being duly sworn says that  
Sophia Thurston Catherine Thurston ~~and~~ Savilla Thurston  
John Thurston & James Thurston defendants to their  
bill are all residents of the State of New  
York as he is informed & verily believes of the  
Court at  
W. B. Cole

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court  
August 6 1847 John Capron Clerk



Judy  
18 } proof published  
Houston }

**In Union Common Pleas;**

**JOSHUA JUDY, Administrator, versus**  
Sophia Thurston, widow of late David  
Thurston, dec'd, Catharine Thurston,  
Savilla Thurston, William Thurston, &  
James Thurston, heirs of said David  
Thurston, dec'd. **IN CHANCERY.**

In pursuance of an interlocutory order  
of the Court of Common Pleas of the  
county of Union, made at their August  
term, 1847, the said Sophia Thurston,  
Catharine Thurston, Savilla Thurston,  
William Thurston & James Thurston,  
will take notice, that on the 6th day of  
August, A.D. 1847, Joshua Judy, Ad-  
ministrator, of the Estate of David  
Thurston, deceased, filed his petition  
in said court setting forth that the per-  
sonal estate and effects are insufficient  
to pay the debts of said decedant and  
making them and others defendants.  
Said petition charges that the said  
David Thurston had, at the time of his  
demise, an entire equity in one half of  
the following described land situate in

Parts of Surveys Nos. 5778—5641—  
5806 and 6495, designated as Lot No.  
8 and returned in the name of Robert  
Means, bounded and described as fol-  
lows—Beginning at 2 beeches and a  
hickory, corner to Robert M. Kerr's  
lot; thence with the line of said lot  
North 83 degrees, west 81 pole to two  
beeches and a sugartree corner to lot  
No. 9; thence with the line of lot No.  
9 South 7 degrees, west 212 poles to  
a cherry and sugartree in the Delaware  
Road; thence with said road North 71  
degrees East 81 poles to a beech, cor-  
ner to lot No. 7; thence with the line  
of lot No 7 North 7 degrees, East 198  
poles to the beginning, containing one  
hundred and eleven and one-fourth  
(111 $\frac{1}{4}$ ) acres, be the same more or less.  
Said petition further charges that the  
said Sophia Thurston held said equita-  
ble estate by virtue of a written agree-  
ment under seal, from Abel F. Hutch-  
inson, (in whom rests the legal title,) in  
trust, for the use and benefit of said  
decedant—and that said decedant paid  
for the same. Said petitioner prays that  
the said widow, and the said persons  
above mentioned and described, hav-  
ing the next estate of inheritance, in  
said equitable premises—be made par-  
ties defendants to said petition. That  
the dower of the said Sophia Thurston  
be set off, and that on final hearing  
said petitioner may be ordered to sell  
the said one-half of said Real Estate,  
for the payment of debts, &c. The  
said defendants are further notified  
that unless they appear, plead, answer  
or demur to said petition within sixty  
days after the next term of said court,  
the said petitioner at the term next  
after the expiration of the said sixty  
days, will apply to said court to take  
the matters of said petition as confess-  
ed, and decree accordingly.

**COLE & WITTER,**  
Sols. for Petitioner.

August 25, 1847. [114]

*Joshua Judy Ad. vs J Thurston & al*

*Personally appeared, in open  
court, P. B. Blewle, and made  
solemn oath, that the notice  
hereto attached, was published  
for six consecutive weeks, next  
after the 25<sup>th</sup> day of August  
A.D. 1847, in a newspaper called  
The Argus, and that said  
newspaper was, during that  
time, printed in the county of  
Union of B. Blewle*

*Attest*

*John C. Coffey, Clerk*

*Printed per \$8 75-*



Commissioner's  
Report

Filed Sept 19. 1848  
John Cassil clk

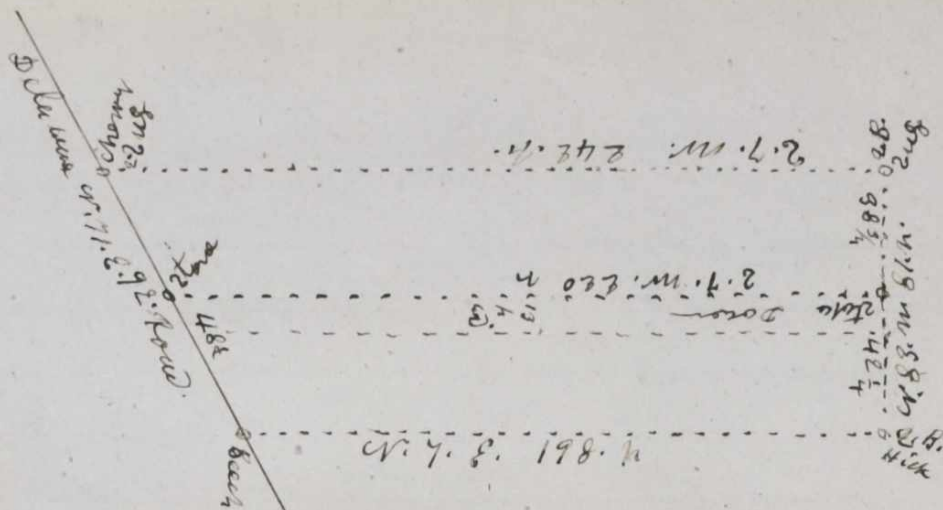
In a he diene to a writ of partition from the Court  
of Common pleas U.C. O. issued at then June Term we  
the Commissioners named in sd writ would Report that  
of tor he ing sworn as the law directs by the Sheriff of  
the County on actual view of the prime cars do ~~affairs~~  
~~sd lot to be~~ 18 ac of 55  $\frac{1}{2}$  acs on the East side of sd lot  
no. 8. to the Heirs of David Thurston dec'd as appsew.  
on the plat here with returned and have set of to Sophia  
Thurston widow of sd David Thurston as her Dowry  
in sd lot of land Eightteen & one half acs on the West  
side of sd lot which is also represented on sd plot we appreey  
sd lot of land to be worth three dollars & seventy five cts  
for a one the widower to be worth Twenty dollars  
Septem ber 16th 1848.

Fees, \$100 each = \$2.00 Samuel J. J. }  
Joshua Marshall } Commissioners



Surveyors Report

Filed Sept 19, 1848  
John Cassil c/w



I here by certify that I have surveyed lot no. 8. in survey  
 no. 5778, 5641, 5806. & 6499 and made partition of the  
 same in execution of a writ of partition from the  
 Court of Common Pleas for the County of Union State of Ohio  
 and have set of to the heirs of David Thurston under the direction  
 of Samuel Judy & Joshua Cresswell Commissioners  
 named in sd writ the East half of sd lot no. 8. as follows  
 Beginning at E Beech & Hickory C. E. Corners Robert Kerrs Lot  
 then Running with Kerrs line N. 88. W. 42 $\frac{1}{2}$  pds to a stake  
 then S. 7. West 220 pds to a stone in the center of <sup>Delaware</sup> Road then  
 with sd Road N. 71. E. 48 $\frac{1}{2}$  pds to a Deeds Corner to Lot no. 7. then  
 with the line of Lot no. 7. N. 7. E. 198. pds to the beginning  
 containing 55 and  $\frac{5}{8}$  acres, and have set of to Sophia  
 Thurston widow of the sd David Thurston as her Dower in sd land  
 Eighteen and one half acres on the West side of sd lot by a line Run-  
 ing parallel with the west line the whole length of the lot  
 all of which will appear on the annexed diagram

September 16th 1848. William B. Brown County Surveyor U. S.  
 fees for surveying \$2.00



Union Com Pleas

Joshua Judy Adm'r.

vs  
Sophia Thurston & G

Order of Appraisement &  
Assignment of Dower

Filed Sept 19, 1848  
John Cassill clk

In presence of the within Command I  
have executed this writ by the order of the  
within named Joshua Marshal and Samuel  
Judy, Commissioners and William B. Rubin Surveyor  
the report of Commissioners and Surveyor are herewith  
returned,

Fees = mileage 50

Service 1.00 = \$ 1.50

Philip Smith Sheriff



The State of Ohio Union County ss.

I, John Cassie Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Union and State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the following Entry is truly Copied from the Journal of said Court, of the June term A.D. 1848, To wit,

Joshua Judge Adm  
of David Thurston Decd  
vs  
Sophia Thurston Abel  
F. Hutchinson et al

Petition to sell &  
Assignment of Dower.

This Cause  
Came on this day to be heard on the  
Petition of Complainant answer of the  
Infant-Defendants Matharine Thurston, Lavilla Thurston  
W. & James Thurston by C. W. Allison, their Guardian ad  
Litem and the said Sophia Thurston and Abel F. Hutchinson  
still failing to appear plead answer or demur to said petition  
on consideration whereof it is ordered adjudged and decreed  
by the Court as follows,

- 1<sup>st</sup> That the said petition be taken as confessed against the  
said Sophia Thurston and Abel F. Hutchinson.
- 2<sup>d</sup> The Court further finds that the entire equity in the East  
one half of said premises in said petition described  
to be in the said David Thurston at the time of his Decese
- 3<sup>d</sup> The Court do find that the said Sophia Thurston, is  
entitled to Dower, in the said East half of said  
premises, it is therefore ordered, 1<sup>st</sup> that the said  
Sophia Thurston, be endowed with one full & equal  
third part of the said East half of said premises  
2<sup>d</sup> ordered that a writ issue to the Sheriff of this County  
Commanding him that by the Oaths of three judicious  
disinterested free holders, of the vicinity to wit Joshua  
Marshall, Saml Judge & J. W. Rice, do upon actual  
view of said premises, set off and assign the said  
Dower to the said Sophia Thurston and make return  
assignment together with the just valuation of said real  
estate subject to the said Dower to the next term of  
this Court to which time this Cause stands continued

Witness my hand and the Seal of  
said Court this 25<sup>th</sup> Day of August  
A.D. 1848  
John Cassie Clerk



union Com. Decs

Joshua Judy, Adm  
W

Sophia Thurston et  
als,

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Filed Aug 6<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Cassil Clk

Atty. Genl.

Aug. 6. 1847 served this writ by delivery  
of a certified copy of the return to  
the within title of the return

Fees - mileage

35

for a

35

copy

12<sup>th</sup>

Philip James Sheriff

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Abel F. Hutchinson*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, ~~on the~~  
*Forthwith* ~~day of~~ *next ensuing*, to answer a *Petition*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *him* ~~by~~ *and others, by Joshua*  
*Judy Administrator of the estate of David Thurston Dec.*  
and this *he* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *sixth* day of *August*.

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.





Joshua Cady Admr, }  
vs } Pet. to Sell Land,  
Sophia Thurston et als }  
On motion to the  
Court by Cole Witter, Counsel for the  
Petitioner and upon producing the assignment of  
Dower and appraisment herein made by Joshua  
Marshall, Samuel Cady and W. Rice, Under a former  
Order of this Court, It is Ordered that the said Joshua  
Cady, proceed according to Law, to sell the real  
Estate in said petition described subject to the said  
dower Estate of the said Sophia Thurston, and upon  
the following terms to wit, One third Cash in hand  
 $\frac{1}{3}$  in six months, and the residue in 12 months, with  
interest from the day of sale to be secured by mortgage  
on the premises, and it is further ordered that the  
said Joshua Cady, make return of his proceedings in  
the premises to the next term of this Court;

The State of Ohio Union County ss.  
J. James Knikade Jr. Clerk of the Court  
Of Common Pleas, within and for the County of Union  
and State of Ohio, do hereby Certify that the foregoing  
Entry is truly Copied from the Journal of said  
Court of the Term of September A.D. 1848,

Witness my hand and the Seal of  
said Court at Marysville this 24<sup>th</sup>  
Day of November A.D. 1848.

James Knikade Jr Clerk



Josua Peely <sup>acting</sup>  
Sophia Thurstone

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Proof of Peely

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SALE of Real Estate by order of Court.—By virtue of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Union co. and State of Ohio, I will offer for sale on the 25th day of November 1848, at the premises, the following described Real Estate, to wit: Being the East half of Lot No. eight (8) in surveys No.s 5776, 5641, 5896, and 6495, in said county, and in the Township of Liberty, beginning with Kerr's line N 83 W 42½ poles to a stake; thence S 7 W 220 poles to a stone in the centre of the Delaware road; thence with the Road N 71 E 48½ poles to a beech corner to Lot No. 7; thence with the line of Lot 7 N 7 E 198 poles to the beginning containing fifty-five and a half acres more or less. Said land to be sold subject to the widow's right of dower which has been assigned to her.

Terms, one-third of the purchase money to be cash in hand; one-third in six months from sale, and the residue in 12 months. Said premises appraised at \$3,75 per acre.

JOSHUA JUDY, Adm'r  
of David Thurston, deceased.  
October 25, 1848. n23w4

Personny approved P. H. whole  
in open Court and made solemn  
oath that the advertisement  
herewith attached was published  
for four consecutive weeks com-  
mencing on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of October  
A.D. 1848 in the "Argus" a weekly  
Newspaper printed in the county  
of Union, Ohio, and that said  
Newspaper was during that time  
in general circulation in said  
County—

Attest printer  
Sworn to and Subscribed  
this 29<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1849

J. H. Kirkado, Clerk



Judy  
18

Thurston

Answer

Judicious  
Letter

Johna Judy Administrator  
of Davis this Dec.

<sup>15</sup>  
Shel F. Hutchinson  
et al

Have come C. W. B. Allison guardian  
Ad Litem for Catharine Davella Nelson and James  
Huntton in fact defendants to this bill  
and for answers to the same says that  
he ~~cannot~~ **cannot** ~~give~~ **cannot** give any the allegations in  
Davis bill but ~~admits~~ ~~it~~ ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~true~~  
but says that he is ignorant of the same.

C. W. B. Allison Guardian Ad

Litem

for in fact defendant

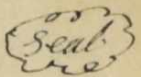


The East one half of the following Described land situate in the  
County of Union Ohio, parts of Survey Nos 5778, 5641, 5806, &  
6495. Designated as Lot No 8, and returned in the name of  
Robert Means, bounded & described as follows, - beginning at 2  
beeches & a hickory corner to Robert McKerris Lot thence with the  
line of said lot north 83 degrees west 81 poles to 2 beeches & a Sugar tree  
corner to lot No 9, thence with the line of Lot No 9, South 7 degrees  
west 242 poles to a cherry & Sugar tree in the Delaware road thence  
with said road North 71 degrees East 81 poles to a beech corner to  
Lot No 7 thence with the line of said lot No 7, north 7 degrees East  
198 poles to the beginning Containing One hundred & Eleven & one  
fourth acres ( $111\frac{1}{4}$ ) be the same more or Less.

A. J. Hutchinson  
Alligation



~~and~~ <sup>Deed</sup> for value of <sup>make</sup> promise to <sup>Sophia</sup> Sophia  
thus to <sup>assigns</sup> ~~convey~~ the Deed of  
fifty five and a half acres of land on the  
north side of mill creek being the one half of  
the ~~original~~ <sup>original</sup> ~~land~~ <sup>land</sup> ~~that~~ <sup>that</sup> I lived upon, and  
have been \$224 Dollars for the same, <sup>to the</sup> ~~same~~ <sup>divided</sup>  
in a <sup>equal</sup> ~~equal~~ manner Deed to be <sup>made</sup> ~~made~~ two months  
from this date

Abel J. Huttmirer 

Nov 20. 1843

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0027



No. 47-CH-27

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# Union Common Pleas Court

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*Esq. & Piper Admr*  
Plaintiff,

against

*Saul Bland*  
Defendant.

APR TERM, 1848

*Decree for*  
*\$115.36*

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7250  

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119,50

C. 204  
Cole & Pipers  
B E }  
Jesse Bland et al

for name of name

Filed Aug. 7<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John K. P. Clerk

Sever that the Equator  
with 7000 to 8000

By Cole & Pipers

Cost 3,78 if withdrawn



To the Court of Common Pleas,  
within and for the County of Union  
and State of Ohio, in Chancery sitting

Your petitioners, ~~Plaintiff~~

B. Cole & William C. Piper, Administrators  
of William C. Lawrence, deceased, represent  
that on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1846, on the  
law side of this Honorable Court, the said  
Lawrence recovered a judgment against Paul  
Bland (whom your petitioners pray may be made  
party defendant to this Bill) for the sum  
of \$108.58 ~~and~~ \$78 Damages — and costs of suit.

That execution was issued on said judgment  
and returned by the officer, "No goods, chattles  
lands or tenements found" — That said judgment  
remains in full force, unpaid & unsatisfied — that  
the said Bland has not personal or real estate  
sufficient subject to levy or execution sufficient  
to satisfy said judgment, but except the following  
described real estate, in which your petitioner charge  
that the said Bland ~~as~~ has an ~~entire~~ equity — to wit  
all that certain tract or parcel of land situated  
in the County of Union & State of Ohio, & bounded  
and described as follows, part of Survey 12484 en-  
tered in the name of Joseph Spicer & patented to  
James Galloway — Beginning at a White Oak &  
Beech South East corner of Survey <sup>thereby</sup> 54, 20' west  
52 poles to the line of Bentons Lot; thence with  
his line North ~~30~~ degrees East 78 poles to ~~the~~  
38 degrees West 160 poles to an Ironwood, his  
corner in given line; thence with his line  
North 30 degrees East 78 poles to 2 Beeches and  
Whiskey corner to Rice Haggards Survey;



thence with his line South 38 degrees East  
110 poles to the beginning, containing forty  
acres more or less.

As our Petitioners further repre-  
sent that the <sup>foundation</sup> consideration of said judg-  
ment was a note given by said Bland to one James McShay,  
for the balance of the purchase money for said premises  
~~as that the~~ that the said McShay ~~held the legal~~  
assigned said <sup>note</sup> to your petitioners in estate for a valu-  
able consideration which was paid, - your orators  
further represents that the legal title to said  
land is still in the said James McShay for which  
he has been entirely paid by ~~part~~ said Bland  
<sup>at the time of purchase</sup> together with the note on which your orators said  
Judgment was obtained - your orators therefore  
pray that said James McShay be made  
defendant to this bill - and that on final  
hearing your honors will order adjudge  
and decree that said premiums be sold  
<sup>to pay and satisfy your orators said judgment</sup>  
against said Bland and permit to your orator such other  
and further relief as equity & good con-  
science may require & as in duty bound  
your orders will ever pray &c

By Cole & Witter

Atty for C. P. S.

The Clerk will issue a Subpoena in Chy.  
against said Bland & James McShay returnable  
forth with

Cole & Witter



Wole & Piper  
vs  
Bland & McBrody  

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Sub in Chy

Filed Aug 9<sup>th</sup> 1807  
John Cassie clerk

Served on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of August by  
leaving a copy of this writ with each one  
of the within named defendants

Reed-mileage	50
Service	55
Copies	25

Phillip Fisher Sheriff

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Saul Bland & James  
McElroy*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, ~~on the~~  
*fourth* with ~~day of~~ *next morning*, to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them* by *J. B. Cole & William  
C. Sipes* Administrators of the estate  
of *Wm C. Lawrence Decd.*  
and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *17<sup>th</sup>* day of *August*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Cole & Ripen	}	Cost Bill to <del>Mar</del> " 1. 1830	
Bland & M <sup>rs</sup> Stuy		Clerk \$4.07	
		Shipper 2.58	6.65
		Inc costs at Saw 1.21	1.

Filed April 19. 1849

James Kirk Radw<sup>h</sup> clerk

April 24/49 Geo D. Brown  
Wm. A. Brown



Order of Piper Blount:

As

to Blount & James M. Long

of Land <sup>in this case</sup> April 19/49

J. Kennerly Clerk

order for sale of Land

Issue an execution for sale

P. B. Leale  
Att'y for P. B. L.

Filed Nov 11 1847

John Cassie clk



John W. Starratt Wife  
vs  
Elisha B. Green & al

order of sale in partition

Case

from the order of sale in this

To John Canal Clerk  
Nov. 10 1847

J. B. Bule  
Atty for Compt.

Filed Febry 25. 1830  
I Kirkwood for clerk



Cole & Piper (Admrs.) } In Obedy.  
J<sup>rs</sup> M. Lacey }

Give an order of sale

in this case -

Feb. 28 1850

P. B. Cole Adm. for P. T. H.

Union Com Pleas

Cole & Piper Advers & Co  
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Saul Bland & James  
McIlroy

Decree for \$115.36  
costs at law 3.72  
Dut from Oct 15. 1846.  
Increase costs at law 1.21  
Dut from Decer 7. 46  
Costs on Decree 6.65  
Writ .50

Filed April 18. 1850  
James Kirkcaldy pr clerk

To Spr J 1850

S B Cole

Received this writ March 2. 1850  
By order of Plaintiff returned without service  
Philip Snider Sheriff



The State of Ohio Union County 18,

To the Sheriff of Union County Special Master in Chancery &c. Greeting;

Whereas at the April Term A.D. 1848 of the Court of Common Pleas, continued and held for said County on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1848 in a certain Cause in Chancery therein pending wherein P. B. Coto and W. C. Piper Administrators &c. Complainants and Saul Bland and James M. Droy defendants, The Court Ordered and decreed that you expose to sale the equity of the said Saul Bland in the premises in the bill described as follows to wit, all that certain tract or parcel of land situate in the County of Union and State of Ohio & bounded and described as follows, part of survey 12484 entered in the name of Joseph Spicer, and patented to James Galloway beginning at a white Oak & beech South east corner of Survey; thence 54° 20' west 52 poles to the line of Buntons lot; thence with his line north 38 degrees west 160 poles to an ironwood his corner in given line; thence with his line north 30 degrees east 73 poles to 2 beeches and Hickory corner to Rice Hoggards Survey; thence with his line south 38 degrees east 110 poles to the beginning containing forty acres more or less, to satisfy the said Complainants in the sum of One hundred and fifteen dollars and thirty six cents with interest thereon from the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1846, until paid together with the costs at Law taxed at \$3.72 with interest thereon for the said 15<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1846, also the sum of \$1.24 increase costs at Law and interest thereon from the 7<sup>th</sup> day of December A.D. 1846, and also the sum of \$6.65 the costs on said decree and the accruing costs, and make report of your proceedings herein to the next term of said Court,

Witness James Kirkadap Clerk of said Court  
at Marysville the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March A.D.  
1850. James Kirkadap Clerk



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Cole & Piper

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Saul Bland Etc

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Wm. C. Piper, and J. B.  
Cole, Amers. & C.

<sup>W</sup>  
Saul Bland

Debit	\$ 108.58
Dam.	6.68
Costs	3.72
Writ	.41

Filed May 5, 1847  
John Capil Clerk

Recorded

Received this writ December 7<sup>th</sup> 1846  
No goods or chattels lands or tenements found  
whereon to levy  
Fees - mileage 45  
Service 35  
Philip Snider Sheriff

**THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS:**

**To the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:**

WHEREAS, at the Court of Common Pleas of the County aforesaid, begun and held at the Court House in the town of Marysville, on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D., 1846. William C. Siper & Philander B. Cole, Adms &c recovered against Saul Bland

as well as the sum of one Hundred & eight dollars and fifty eight cents for their debt, as the sum of six dollars and sixty eight cents, for their damages as also the sum of \$ 3, 72 for their cost and charges in that behalf expended, as of record is manifest. You are therefore commanded, that of the goods, and chattels, and for the want thereof, of the lands and tenements of the said Saul Bland

you cause to be made the debt, damages and costs aforesaid, with interest thereon from the 14<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D., 1846, until paid; also the sum of \$ 41 the costs of increase on said Judgment, and accruing costs; and that you have these moneys before said Court at the Court House aforesaid, on the first day of our next Term, to render unto the said Plaintiffs

Hereof fail not at your peril; and have you then there this writ.

WITNESS JOHN CASSIL, CLERK of said Court, at the Court House aforesaid, this second day of December A.D., 184 .

John Cassil Clerk.



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0028

No. 47-CH-28

Union Common Pleas Court.

Jeremiah Beal

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Harlow Beal et al

Defendant.

JUN TERM. 1843

JUN TERM. 1843

DECREE FOR PLAINTIFF

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In Union Corn Pleas

pl. p. d. m.

Jeremiah Beal

vs

Hiram ~~Beal~~ ~~et al~~

Bill in Chancery

Filed Sept. 20<sup>th</sup> 1847

John Cassil, Clerk

pl. Decree

per T. Met

Cost bill made  
Record

Recorded

William D. Curry

To the Court of Common Pleas within and for the  
County of Union, Ohio, when in Chancery sitting.

Humbly complaining, Your Orator Jeremiah  
Beal of the County of Union aforesaid, represents and  
states to your Honors, that on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of March 1837, one  
Nicholas Beal, then of the County of Logan, but since deceased,  
purchased by an article of agreement for that purpose,  
of the Board of Public Works of the State of Ohio, by Leander  
Ransom their agent, for and on behalf of the State of Ohio,  
a certain piece or parcel of land situated in the County  
of Union and State of Ohio, and part of Survey No.  
described in said article of agreement as follows, "Lot number  
four of a tract of land lying in Union County, which the  
State obtained from Isaac McArthur as the same is  
numbered and delineated on a map on record in  
the office of the Board of Public Works, containing one  
hundred ten and a half acres." For a more particular statement  
reference is hereby made to the said article of agreement, a copy of  
which is herewith filed and made part of this Bill.

Your Orator further states, that on or about the 26<sup>th</sup> day of  
February A.D. 1839 the said Nicholas Beal then still living, sold  
the aforesaid tract of land to your Orator, and for that purpose,  
and having received from your Orator the full amount  
of the purchase money, the said Nicholas on the day and year  
last aforesaid executed and delivered to your Orator his personal  
Bond, conditioned to make to your Orator a good and sufficient  
general warranty deed of conveyance for said tract of land  
as soon as the State, by their agent, should execute a deed for  
the same to the said Nicholas Beal. For further particulars, reference  
is hereby made to the said personal Bond, a copy of which is herewith  
filed and made part of this Bill.

Your Orator further states, that some time in the year  
1843 the said Nicholas Beal departed this life, without having



made any conveyance of said land to your Orator, and without <sup>having</sup> receiving a deed for said land from the State, or the proper agent, and without having paid the full amount of the purchase due the State, which he was bound in said article of agreement to pay. That Letters of Administration were duly granted by this Court, upon the estate of the said Nicholas, to your Orator, and to one Hiram Beal (whom your Orator prays may be made a defendant to this Bill). That the said estate <sup>is and</sup> has been, by the said administrators duly represented insolvent, and that in consequence thereof, the said administrators have taken no measures to have the said real contract of the said Nicholas to your Orator completed. That on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July A.D. 1847, there was still due to the State of Ohio, upon the said contract of the said Nicholas the sum of seventy nine dollars and twenty six cents, which sum was paid by your Orator (in his individual capacity) into the State Treasury on the day and year last aforesaid, and a deed for the said land, was refused to your Orator by the proper State Authorities, until this Court should decree the interest of the heirs of the said Nicholas Beal (~~part~~ of whom are minors) to be in your Orator. That the following persons <sup>together with your Orator</sup> are the children and heirs of the said Nicholas Beal, to wit, Hiram Beal, Sharpless Beal, William Beal, Samuel Kirk and Elizabeth Kirk his wife who was formerly Elizabeth Beal, Robert Baskdull and Prudence Baskdull who ~~is~~ formerly Prudence Beal, Rachael Beal, and Sarah Beal and Curtis Beal, the last two of whom are minors, and all of whom your Orator prays may be made defendants to this Bill, and all of whom are residents of the County of Union, but Sharpless Beal who resides in Fayette County, Pennsylvania.

In tender consideration whereof, and inasmuch as your Orator is remediless upon the law side of this Court, Your Orator therefore prays that the writ of Subpoena may issue, and that the defendants hereto may be compelled to answer

all and singular the premises herein contained, the same, and as fully as if put by specific interrogatories, and that upon the final hearing of this cause, all the equity, right, title, interest and claim of each and every of the defendants, in and to the said tract of land may be decreed to your Orator, to enable him to procure to himself a deed for said land, from the State of Ohio, and such other and further relief, as to your Honors may seem just and equitable, and as in duty bound your Orator will ever pray &c.

By Allison & Curry His Solts

The Clerk will issue subpoenas to the above defendants to Sheriff of Marion County,

September 20<sup>th</sup> 1847

Allison & Curry Solts for Compt.

Also to Sheriff of Salawar Co for Robert Barksdell  
& Prudence Barksdell Allison & Curry Sept  
April 24<sup>th</sup> 1848



(Copy)

The ballance of the purchase  
money for the within land  
being \$79.26 cts has been  
paid this day as per duplicate  
receipts of Treasr

July 19<sup>th</sup> 1847

J. Woods. Auditor

(Copy)

(A)

(Copy)

This article of agreement made and ~~concluded~~ <sup>concluded</sup>  
this eighth day of March 1837, by and between Nicholas Beal of Logan  
County of the first part, and the Board of Public Works of the State  
of Ohio, by Leander Ransom, their agent appointed pursuant  
to an act of the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, Entitled  
"An Act to provide for the increase of the Canal fund by  
the purchase and sale of real estate" for and on behalf of the  
State of Ohio, witnesses: That the said Beal agrees to purchase  
of the State of Ohio, Lot number four of a tract of land  
lying in Union County, which the State obtained from  
Duncan McArthur, as the same is numbered and  
delineated on a map on record in the office of the Board  
of Public Works containing one hundred ten and a half  
acres. And to pay to said Ransom or his successor in  
Office the sum of Two hundred seventy six dollars twenty  
five cents in the following manner, viz. One third at  
this time, one third in one year from this ~~time~~  
and the other third in two years from this time with  
interest to be paid annually. And the said Beal agrees  
to pay all taxes that may be imposed on said land after this  
time. In consideration of the above sums of money and  
the interest thereon, together with the taxes on said land, being  
promptly paid at the times when they shall become due;  
the said Board by their agent aforesaid, for and on behalf  
of the State of Ohio agrees to sell said lot of land as aforesaid  
to the said Beal, and to forward a certified plat and  
survey thereof to the Executive of the State of Ohio, with a  
certificate that payment has been made in full, which  
will entitle the said Beal to a warrant deed in fee simple  
of said Lot in the name of the State of Ohio, to be signed by the  
Governor and countersigned by the Secretary of State.

In testimony whereof the parties have signed and  
sealed this agreement the day & year first written

In presence of  
Dno. Rigler

Nicholas Beal (Beal)  
Leander Ransom Acty Com (Beal)  
and Agent of the Board



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Know all men by these presents, that I, Nicholas Beal of the County of Union and State of Ohio stand held and firmly bound unto Jeremiah Beal of the County and State aforesaid in the penal sum of One thousand Dollars good and lawful money of the State aforesaid, For the true payment of which I do bind myself, my heirs, executors and administrators firmly by these presents sealed with my seal and dated this twenty sixth day of February, eighteen hundred and thirty nine.

Now the condition of the above obligation is as follows if the above bound Nicholas Beal shall well execute and deliver unto the said Jeremiah Beal a good and sufficient general warrantee deed of conveyance for a certain tract of land being lot No 4 and being part of the same lands that the State of Ohio obtained of Duncan McArthur situate in Union County, and lying on the waters of Hokes Creek which deed is to be executed as soon as the state by their agent Leander Ransom will execute a deed to the said Nicholas Beal as he stands bound in an article of agreement then the obligation to be void and of no effect otherwise to stand and be in full force and virtue in law.

Attest  
William Beal

Nicholas Beal (seal)



Union Can Rlegs

Jeremiah Beal

Hiram Beal et al

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Filed April 25 1848  
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John Capel

April 25<sup>th</sup> 1848 personally served  
on the within named persons by leaving  
with them certified copies of this writ

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF <sup>Delaware</sup> UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon Robert Barkdull, <sup>and</sup>  
Frederice Barkdull,

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the  
First day of the Term next ensuing, to answer a Bill  
in Chancery, exhibited against them et al, by Jeremiah Beal,

and this they shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of April

A. D, 1848

John Cassil Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Served this writ by delivering a certified copy of this writ  
to the within named William Deal, Curtis Bink, and  
Hiram Deal on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of Sept. 1847 and upon Samuel  
Kirk, Elizabeth Kirk, and Rachel Deal by copies on the  
21<sup>st</sup> day of September 1847 and upon Isaiah Deal  
by certified copy on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Sept. 1847  
The remainder of defendants not found Philip Snider Sheriff

Union Com. Pleas

~~Jeremiah Deal~~

vs

Hiram Deal et al

Fees = Service \$ 1.55  
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Philip Snider Sheriff

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The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING;

We command you, that you summon *Hiram Beal, Sharpless Beal, William Beal, Samuel Kirk & Elisabeth Kirk, his wife, Robert Barkdull & Prudence Barkdull, his wife, Rachel Beal, Zeiah Beal and Curtis Beal* to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the *fifth* day of *October* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill* in Chancery, exhibited against *them* by *Jeremiah Beal*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at the court house, this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *Sept.*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.



By Union Com Pleas  
Shapley Deal  
ada  
Lennick Deal  
Answer

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Filed Feb. 16<sup>th</sup> 1848  
John Capell Clerk

The Separate Answer of Sharpless Beal to the Bill  
of Jeremiah Beal exhibited against himself and others, <sup>defendants,</sup> in  
the Court of Common Pleas of Union County Ohio. Filed  
Sept 20<sup>th</sup> 1847.

The said Sharpless Beal now comes in his own proper  
person and waives the issuing and service of process against  
him, or publication of the pendancy and prayer of said  
Bill ~~de~~ and for answer to the said Bill of the said Jeremiah  
Beal states, that the matters and things therein set forth are  
true as he verily believes, and he consents that a decree  
may be taken by the said Jeremiah as prayed for in said  
Bill, at the next, or any subsequent term of this Court, and  
having thus fully answered he prays to be hence dismissed  
~~without being held~~ accountable for any costs &c. in the above case

Dated February 9<sup>th</sup> 1848

Sharpless Beal



In Union Com Pleas

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Richard Beal et al  
vs  
all

Jessiah Beal

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Answer of Guardian  
All Liters

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Filed June 29, 1848  
Wm Cassid clk

The Joint Answer of Rachael Beal and Isaiah Beal  
infant Defendants to the Bill of Jeremiah Beal Complainant;  
by J. C. Conroy Their Guardian ad Litem

And the said Rachael Beal and Isaiah Beal  
by J. C. Conroy Their Guardian ad Litem  
now come and for answer to the said Bill of the  
said Jeremiah Beal say, that they know nothing  
of the matters and things charged in said Bill  
and pray to be hence dismissed with their  
Costs &c

Rachael Beal

Isaiah Beal

By J. C. Conroy

Their Guardian  
ad Litem



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0029

No. 47-CH-29

Union Common Pleas Court.

Thomas Owen & Wife  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

John M. Buckley  
Defendant.

APR TERM, 1843

JUD. C. VS PLAINTF.

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reasonable cover in said premises may be assigned to your  
Petitioners, and that they may have such other and further relief  
in the premises as shall seem equitable,

By Allison & Curry their Attors.

The Clerk will issue subpoenas to John McLeanly, Nancy McLeanly,  
& Melinda McLeanly defendants above,  
Sept 27<sup>th</sup> 1847  
Allison & Curry Attors.

In Union Com Pleas  
Thomas Owen & wife

vs

John McLeanly et als

Petition for Dower

Filed Sept. 27, 1847  
John Capril, Clerk

order for assignment  
of dower returnable to  
next Term  
Sept 7. 1847

Cost bill made  
No. Record

Allison & Curry

Recd. for assignment of  
dower by L. S. K. King

To the Court of Common Pleas within and for  
the County of Union, and State of Ohio, in Chancery  
sitting:

Thomas Owen and Ellen Owen (formerly  
Ellen Mc Canley) of the County of Union, Ohio, represent,  
that John Mc Canley, late of said County, departed  
this life on or about the 28<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1842  
leaving your Petitioner Ellen Owen his ~~widow~~ (then  
Ellen Mc Canley) his widow, and John Mc Canley,  
Nancy Mc Canley, and Melinda Mc Canley his heirs  
at law and legal representatives, The said heirs are  
all minors.

Your Petitioners further represent that since the  
said decease of the said John, your petitioners have  
intermarried. That the said John Mc Canley  
deceased during coverture with your petitioner Ellen, was  
seized, as an estate of inheritance, of the following real  
estate, situate in Mill Creek township, in the County of Union,  
and State of Ohio, being and known as the East part of Lot  
No. 6, of Survey No. 3006 Virginia Military District, adjoining  
the lands of Isaac Anderson & others, beginning at two firs  
and an ash being the N. E. corner of said Survey - thence  
S.  $7\frac{3}{4}^{\circ}$  E. 56 poles to a beech the N. E. corner of said Anderson's  
land, - thence with said Anderson's land S.  $80^{\circ}$  W.  $112\frac{3}{8}$  poles to a  
stake, the S. E. corner of Wm Mc Canley's land - thence N.  $7\frac{3}{4}^{\circ}$  W.  
56 poles, to a stake the N. E. corner of said Wm Mc Canley's land,  
thence N.  $80^{\circ}$  E.  $112\frac{3}{8}$  <sup>poles</sup> to the beginning containing thirty nine  
acres and fifty two and one half poles more or less, in which  
your petitioners are entitled to dower, as the dower estate  
of your Petitioner Ellen, and that in consequence of the  
said heirs being minors, the said dower cannot be  
assigned without the aid of this Court,

Your Petitioners therefore pray that said John  
Mc Canley, Nancy Mc Canley, and Melinda Mc Canley may be  
made defendants to this petition, that a Guardian ad Litem  
may be appointed, who may answer the same, and that



Union Commodities

Thomas Beveridge  
vs  
John McCawley et al

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John Cassie M

Shored October 1<sup>st</sup> 1847 by delivering a  
certified copy of this writ to each one  
of the within named defendants,  
fees mileage 50  
service 75  
copies 37 1/2 = 162 1/2  
Philip Shivers Sheriff

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *John Mc-Cauley, Nancy  
Mc-Cauley & Melinda Mc-Cauley*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the  
*fifth* day of *October* next ensuing, to answer a *Petition*  
in Chancery, exhibited against them by *Thomas Owen*  
& *Wife*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *27* day of *Sept.*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0030

No. 47-CH-30

Union Common Pleas Court.

Nabby Selden *admo*  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Archibald Drivinsfal  
Defendant.

MAY TERM, 1850

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vs  
Archibald S. Irwin et al

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In Union Corn Pleas

Nabby Sheldon Attorney

vs

Archibald Brown & Co

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Filed Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> 1847

John Cassill Clerk

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put into Commissioners

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Allison & Curry



To the Court of Common Pleas of the County of  
Union, Ohio:

Your petitioner Nabby Sheldon, Administratrix  
of the estate of Eli Sheldon, deceased, respectfully represents  
That the total value of the personal estate and effects  
of said decedent, is, as near as can be ascertained, the  
sum of one hundred and ninety three dollars and twenty three  
cents, which will more fully appear by the certificate  
of the Clerk of this Court, herewith filed marked (A).  
Which has been and is wholly absorbed in the payment  
of the debts of the decedent and in the support of the family,  
under the order of the Appraisors. That the amount  
of debts owing by the decedent, as nearly as can be  
now ascertained and which still remain unpaid,  
amount to six hundred dollars, and the amount  
of the charges of administration to                      dollars.  
The personal estate and effects are insufficient to pay  
said debts.

The said decedent did seized in fee simple of the following real  
estate, situate in the County of Union and State of Ohio, and  
bounded and described as follows, being that part of  
Survey No. 5502 entered and surveyed in the name of  
Robert Means contained in the following boundaries  
to wit, beginning at a sugar tree and hickory in the  
North line thence with the line of Goucher & Brown South  
16° 25' E. 252 poles to the Delaware road and corner to said  
Goucher and Brown, thence with another of their lines  
N. 63° E. about 50 poles to a small white oak tree corner  
to a lot conveyed to Hawley Sanner - thence South 15° E.  
109 1/2 poles to a small sugar tree - thence South 80° W. about  
150 poles to 2 large Hickories - thence N. 11° 25' W. 347 poles  
to a stake in the north line of said survey and corner to  
Horn Wilson land - thence N. 80° E. about 90 poles to the  
beginning containing two hundred and fifty acres

more or less.

That said decedent died seized of one other tract or parcel of land, for which he had an equitable title that ~~was~~ Silas G Strong holds the legal title to the same, that there is still due to said Strong, from the decedent, upon the purchase money, about seventy five or eighty dollars, said last mentioned tract of land is described as follows, situate in the County of Union and State of Ohio, being part of Survey No. 5502 - beginning at the South West corner of Hawley Farmers land - thence with his south line, to the South East corner of said Farmers in the original east line of said Survey, thence with said original line South 16 E. poles to a Sugar tree and wooded the original South East corner of said Survey, thence with the South original line of said Survey, so far that a line drawn parallel with the said Farmers South line and westwardly from the place of beginning will include 95 acres.

That said decedent died, leaving your petitioner his widow, who is entitled to dower in said premises,

The following persons are the heirs having the next estate of inheritance in the premises above described, from the decedent, namely, Nancy Elizabeth Brown, who has intermarried with Archibald Brown, Mary Ann Sheldon, - Elce Maria Sheldon, - Martha Almira Sheldon, - Margaret Jane Sheldon, - & Orpha L Sheldon, the last five of whom are minors,

Your petitioner prays that the said persons above mentioned and described, having the next estate of inheritance in said premises, from said decedent, be made parties defendants to this petition; that the dower of your petitioner in said premises may be set off, and that your petitioner may be ordered to sell said real estate, or so much thereof as may



be necessary for the payment of the debts of the estate,  
&c. and such other relief &c.

By Allison & Curry Attys for Petn.

The Clerk will issue Subpoena to Archibald  
Drown, Nancy E. Drown, Mary Ann Sheldon, Elizabeth  
Sheldon, Martha A. Sheldon, Margaret I. Sheldon & Orpha  
L. Sheldon - Allison & Curry Attys for Petn.

Oct 9<sup>th</sup> 1847

The probable balance of claims due from said estate  
were appraised the same free of charges, and report  
therein forthwith,

The State of Ohio Union County do

John Cassie, Clerk of  
the Court of Common Pleas within and for the County  
of Union and State of Ohio, do hereby certify that  
the foregoing is truly copied from the journal of  
said Court at their April Term A.D. 1848

In testimony whereof I hereunto  
do subscribe my name and affix  
the seal of said Court at the  
Court House in the county this 27<sup>th</sup>  
day of April A.D. 1848  
John Cassie Clerk

Union Com. Pleas

Nabby Sheldon Adm<sup>r</sup>

vs

Archibald Snow et al

Filed April 29. 1848

John Cassie Ck



Nabby Sheldon Adm<sup>r</sup> &c

vs

Archibald Brown & also

{ Pet. to Sell.

An motion to the Court

by Messrs. Allison & Henry, Counsel for

the Petitioner. It is ordered that the said Nabby Sheldon be endowed of one full equal third Part of the following real estate in the petition mentioned to wit, situate in the County of Union Ohio, and bounded and described as follows being that part of Survey N<sup>o</sup> 5502, entered and surveyed in the name of Robert Means, contained in the following boundaries to wit, beginning at a sugar tree and hickory in the ~~west~~ north line thence with the line of Goucher & Irwin south 16<sup>o</sup>

25<sup>o</sup> E 252 poles to the Delaware road and corner to said Goucher and Irwin, thence with another of their lines N. 63<sup>o</sup> E about 50 poles to a small white oak tree, corner to a lot conveyed to Hawley James thence south 15<sup>o</sup> E 109<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> poles to a small sugar tree thence south 80<sup>o</sup> W about 150 poles to 2 large hickories thence N. 11<sup>o</sup> 25<sup>o</sup> W 347<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> poles to a stake in the north line of said Survey and corner to Alvin Wilcox land, thence N. 80<sup>o</sup> E about 90 poles to the beginning containing two hundred and fifty acres more or less, also are other tract or parcel of Land situate in said County of Union Ohio, and bounded and described as follows to wit, being part of Survey N<sup>o</sup> 5502 beginning at the south west corner of Hawley James land thence with his south line, to the south east corner of said James in the Original east line of said Survey, thence with said Original line south 16<sup>o</sup> E poles to a sugar tree and ironwood the Original south east corner of said Survey, thence with the south Original line of said Survey, so far that a line drawn parallel with the said James south line and westwardly from the Place of beginning will include 95<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> acres, and it is further ordered that William B Irwin William M. Robinson, and James James, being first duly sworn, do upon actual view of the premises, set off and assign the said dower to the said Nabby Sheldon, and make return of such assignment, and also run off from the balance so much as will secure by sale seven hundred dollars

Served this writ by certified copies  
October 9<sup>th</sup> 1847

Fees - mileage 30  
Service 1.55  
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Philip Snider Sheriff

Union Common Pleas

Nahby Sheldon  
Administratrix &  
us

Archibald Brown &  
wife et al

Sub. n. Chancery

Filed Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> 1847  
John Baptist, clerk

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A. D. 1847



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon Archibald Irwin, Nancy  
E. Irwin - Mary Ann Sheldon, Elce M. Sheldon  
Martha A. Sheldon, Margaret S. Sheldon & Orpha L. Sheldon  
to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, ~~on the~~  
*forthwith* day of ~~next evening~~ to answer a Petition  
in Chancery, exhibited against them by Nabby Sheldon  
Administratrix of the estate of Eli Sheldon  
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and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court; at  
the court house, this *ninth* day of *October*

A. D, 1847

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.

No. 10 by the Hon  
c. Adams

no

A. S. Proctor et al

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Proof of Publica  
tion

Filed May 30, 1850

D. W. K. Red. p. M.



**S**ALE of Real Estate by order of Court.—On the 30th day of May, A. D., 1850, at 1 o'clock, P. M., at the door of the Court house in the town of Marysville, will be sold to the highest bidder, the following Real Estate, as the property of Eli Sheldon, deceased, to wit: Situate in the County of Union, Ohio, being part of Survey No. 5502, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning in the road at the N. W. corner of Thomas Sheldon's land, in the west line of the survey; thence running with said survey line N 11d. 25m. W. 304 poles to a stake in the N. line of the survey; thence N. 80 E. 90 poles to a sugar and hickory; thence south 16 25m. E 111 poles to a stone N. E. corner to the Dower Lot; thence with another of her lines S. 16 28m. E. 151½ poles to a stake in the centre of the road; thence with said road S. 57 W. 60 poles to the beginning, containing 127 acres. Appraised at \$9,00 per acre. Terms of sale: one-half cash in hand, and the balance in one year from the day of sale; with interest to be secured by mortgage on the premises.

NABBY SHELDON,  
Adm'x of Eli Sheldon, dec'd.  
ALLISON & GURRY,

Attorneys.  
May 1, 1850. n33w5pf, \$3,75.

Printers Fee  
\$3,75

The State of Ohio, Union County,  
I David W English, Printer,  
do make solemn oath that  
a notice, of which the annexed  
is a true copy, was published  
for four weeks successively  
immediately after the 1st  
day of ~~April~~ 1850 in the  
Marysville Tribune, a  
newspaper of general circula-  
tion in the County of Union  
where said lands are situate  
David W English

Sworn to and subscribed  
in open Court this 30th day  
of May 1850  
J. H. Kade p. M.

In Union Com Place

Nabby Sheldon  
Cousin of Eli Sheldon  
decd -

no

Archibald Brown  
& als

Report of Sale

Filed May 30. 1850  
A. K. Mack & M.

Recorded



Nabby Sheldon, Adm<sup>r</sup> of  
Eli Sheldon, dec'd  
vs  
Andubald & Swin et al

Union County, Common  
Pleas.  
Petition to sell land.

In pursuance of an order  
of sale made at the April Term 1848 of said  
Court, I gave notice of sale in due form of law,  
and at the time and place mentioned in said  
notices ~~for said sale~~ to wit, at the door of  
the Court House in the Town of Marysville  
on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1850 at 10 o'clock P.M.  
I offered said property at public vendue, and  
William Jenkins having bid therefor six dollars  
per acre and he being the highest and best  
bidder, and the same being ~~more than~~ two  
thirds of the appraised value thereof, I struck  
off and sold the same to him, for that sum

Fees Publication of notice \$3.75  
" " of former notice 3.75  
above to C.S. Hamilton -

Nabby Sheldon  
Administratrix of  
Eli Sheldon dec'd.

Fees on former offers  
To P. B. Cole \$5.50

Filed April 29. 1864  
John Curtis M

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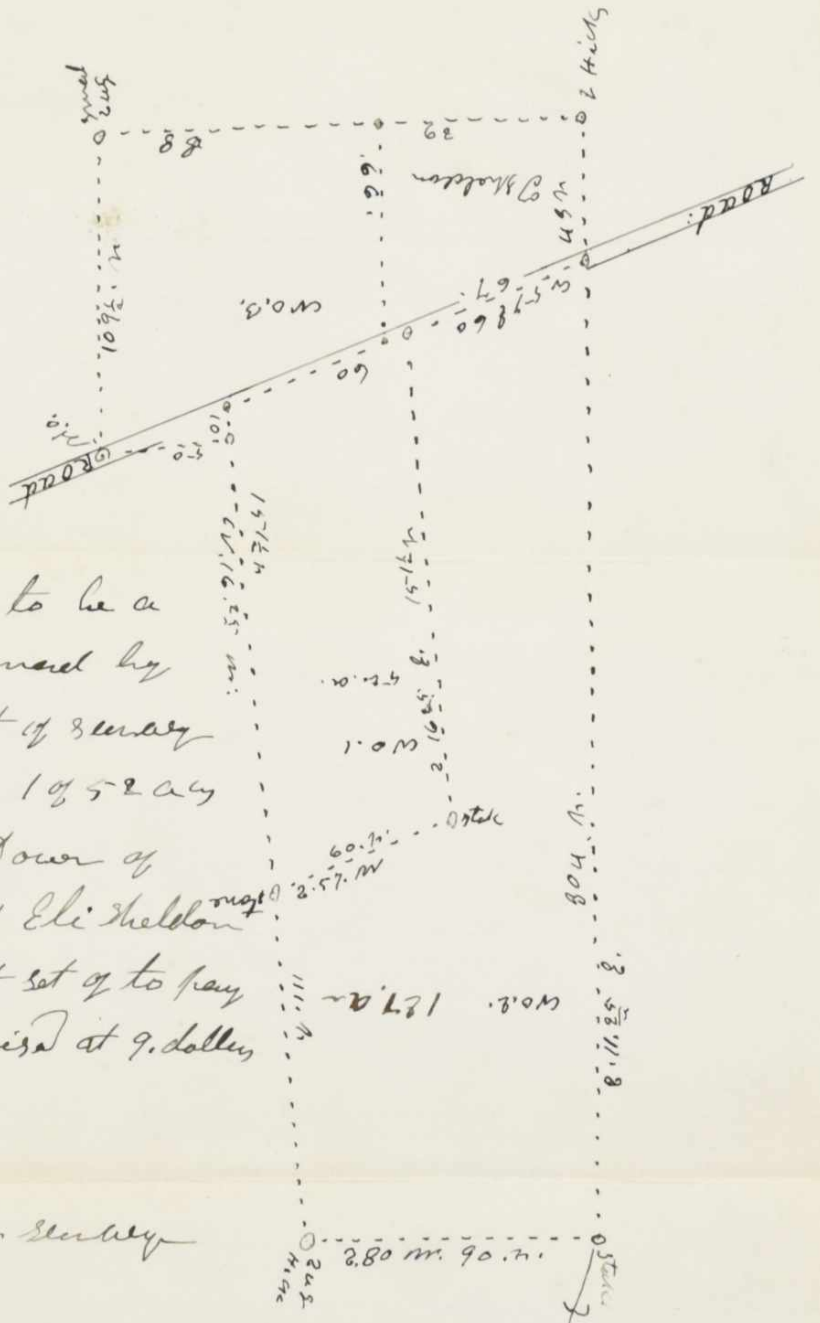




Filed April 29, 1828  
John Currier M

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I here by certify this to be a correct plot of a survey made by order of Court on part of survey W.O. 5502 and lot No 1 of 52 ac is that part set of as the Dower of Nahby Sheldon Widow of Eli Sheldon dec'd Lot W.O. 2. is that part set of to pay the debts of sd sheldon appraised at 9. dollars per acre

April 28<sup>th</sup> 1848

William B. Brown Surveyor  
U.C.O.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1847-CH-0031



No. 47-CH-31

Union Common Pleas Court.

John Orr et al

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Lauder McKimney et al

Defendant.

APR TERM. 1849

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~~And~~ in confirma-  
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the ~~admission~~ value of the  
land

Union Common Pleas  
John Orr, et als.  
vs. { Partition  
Alexander M. Kinney et als.

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Petition

Filed Oct 9<sup>th</sup> 1849  
John Caspell Clerk

Cost bill made  
Recd

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Allison & Curry  
Sols.

Of each of said parties in interest that it is severally,  
or if the same cannot be done without manifest  
injury, that then such other proceeds may be  
had in the premises as are authorized by law.  
By Allison & Curry  
Their Attorneys.



To the Court of Common Pleas within and  
for the County of Union, in Chancery sitting.

Your petitioners, John Am, and Sylvia Am his  
wife, <sup>of Wells County, Indiana</sup> and Nathan Joby of Allen County, Indiana, (The  
said John Am acting herein for himself & wife, and also  
in the capacity of Guardian of the said Nathan who  
is a minor,) represent that they have a legal  
right to, and are seized in fee simple as follows:  
Said John Am and Sylvia his wife of one undivided  
fourth part and the said Nathan Am of one undivided  
fourth part of the following real estate  
situate in Union County in the State of Ohio, part  
of Inveys No. 3462, & 12472. Beginning at a black oak  
& elm, south east corner to Israel Lockwood's land;  
thence with his line N. 7.30 E. 144 poles to a water  
Beach and two Ironwood; thence N. 36 W. 22 poles  
to two Sugar trees; thence N. 15 E 7 poles to a buckeye;  
thence N. 9 E. 53 poles; thence S. 83 E. 70 poles &  
15 links; thence S. 8 W. 84 poles to a stake on the  
margin of the road; thence with said road N.  
83 W. 30 poles and 6 links to a stake; thence S. 7 1/2  
W. 138 poles to a stake withup a beech & thence  
N. 83 W. 25 poles and 15 links to the beginning, con-  
taining fifty seven & one half acres more or less.

And your petitioners further represents, that Leander  
McKinney and Elzina McKinney his wife and  
Heman Joby, a minor, (and for whom said Leander is  
Guardian) are tenants in Common with your  
petitioners, being entitled in the following proportions,  
to wit, the said Leander McKinney and Elzina his  
wife to an undivided fourth part thereof, and the  
said Heman Joby to an undivided fourth part  
thereof; the said Leander McKinney and Elzina his  
wife, ~~and~~ the said Heman Joby all reside in Grant  
County, Indiana.

Your petitioners therefore prays that  
partition of said land may be made, and the shares

Filed Nov 4 1847  
John Cassie cl<sup>r</sup>



John Orr et al  
vs  
Lander M<sup>r</sup> Kinney et al

Partition, Account of Comrs,  
Pleas of Union County.

We the Commissioners  
appointed in this Cause, to make partition of the follow-  
ing real estate, to wit, Situate in Union County, Ohio  
part of Survey Nos 31162 & 12472 beginning at a Black ash  
& elm South east corner to Israel Lockwood's land, thence  
with his line N. 7. 30. E 1144 poles to a water beech & two trees  
from woods, thence N 36. W. 22 poles to two Sugar trees; thence  
N. 15. E. 7 poles to a buckeye thence N. 9. E. 53 poles; thence  
S 83 E 70 poles & 15 links; thence S. 8. W. 84 poles to a stake  
on the margin of the road thence with said road N. 83. W. 30  
poles and 6 links to a stake; thence S. 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. W. 138 poles to a  
stake witness a beech, & thence N. 83. W. 25 poles and 15 links  
to the beginning containing fifty seven & one half acres, more  
or less. - between John Orr and Sylvia his wife; Nathan Tobey,  
Lander M<sup>r</sup> Kinney and Elginia his wife; and Demian Tobey,  
and having been duly sworn, upon actual view of the  
premises, we are of the opinion, that said lands cannot be  
divided without manifest injury to the same, and thereupon  
we do estimate the value thereof, at Five hundred and  
thirty five dollars.

Given under our hands this first day of November  
A. D. 1847.

James E. Harriott  
Thomas Swine

Ashua Marshall

Fees - each 1 day - \$1.00 - 3  
\$3.00

John Arn et al  
vs  
Seander McKinney et al  

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Affirm of Partition  

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Filed Nov 4<sup>th</sup> 1867  
John Cassie clerk

November first 1867 I executed this writ by the writs  
of the writs named James C. Harriott Joshua  
Marshal and Thomas Turner Philip Seander Sheriff  
Fees mileage 10 miles 50 cts  
Service \$1.00



The State of Ohio Union County ss.

To the Sheriff of Saice County Greeting;

We command you, that without delay, by the Oaths of James & Harris + Joshua Marshall and Thomas Turner, you Cause Partition to be made of the following real estate to wit, Situate in Union County this part of Surveys no: 34627, 12472, beginning at a Black ash & elm South east corner to Israel Sackwoods land thence with his line N 7.50 E 144 poles to a water beach and two Ironwoods thence N 36. W 22. poles to two Sugar trees; thence N 15 E 7 poles to a Buckeye, thence N 9. E 53 poles; thence S 83 E. 70 poles & 15 links; thence S 8 W. 84 poles to a stake on the margin of the road thence with said road N 83 W 30 poles and 6 links to a stake thence S 7 1/2. W 138 poles to a stake witness a beech & thence N 83 W. 25 poles and 15 links to the beginning containing fifty seven & one half acres more or less, Among the following persons and in the following proportions to wit, to John Orr and Sylvia his wife jointly one equal fourth part, to Nathan Toby one equal fourth part to Seamus M. Kinney and Elzina his wife jointly one equal fourth part, and to Herman Toby one equal fourth part, and that your proceedings in the premises, you distinctly Certify, Under your hand, to our Court of Common Pleas within and for the Saice County of Union together with this writ,

Witness John Cassie Clerk of Saice Court at the Court House in Mayville this 19<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1847  
John Cassie Clerk

Union Common Pleas  
John Q. Adams et al  
vs. E. P. Partridge  
Seaver & Linnis et al

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Answer.

Filed Oct 9<sup>th</sup> 1874  
John Cassel, Clerk



This joint answer of Leander M<sup>c</sup> Kinney  
and Elzina M<sup>c</sup> Kinney his wife to the petition  
for partition exhibited against them and Herman  
Loby, by John Orr & Sylvia Orr his wife and  
Nathan Loby petitioners in the Court of Com-  
mon Pleas of Union County, Ohio.

The said Leander M<sup>c</sup> Kinney and Elzi-  
-na M<sup>c</sup> Kinney his wife now come and for an-  
-swer to the said petition say that they admit  
the allegations of said bill as to the title of said  
petitions and of these defendants in said premises  
to be true; and they hereby waive process and  
service thereof and enter their appearance in  
this cause; and they do hereby consent that the  
prayer of said petition may be granted and  
that said partition may be made, a ff the  
same cannot be done without manifest injury  
that then the said premises may be sold; acco-  
rding to the Statute in such case provided.

Leander M<sup>c</sup> Kinney  
Elzina M<sup>c</sup> Kinney

Union Com. Pleas.

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John Om et al

vs. E Partition  
Leander McKinney et al.

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Answer.

Filed Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> 1877  
John Cassin, clerk



The separate Answer of Leander M<sup>c</sup>Kinney  
Guardian of Herman Tobs, to the petition for  
partition exhibited against said Herman and  
others, by John Orr and Sylvia Orr his wife  
and Matthew Tobs, petitioners, in the Court of  
Common Pleas of Union County, Ohio.

The said Leander M<sup>c</sup>Kinney in  
behalf of his said ward now comes and for answer  
to the said petition says that he admits the  
allegations of said petition as to the title of  
said petitioners and defendants in said premises  
to be true; and he hereby waives procep and  
servia thereof and enters his appearance  
in this cause; and he does hereby consent  
that the prayer of said petition may be gran-  
ted, and that said partition may be made,  
or if the same cannot be done without  
manifest injury, that then the said prem-  
ises may be sold according to the Statute  
in such case provided.

Leander M<sup>c</sup>Kinney guardian of  
Herman Tobs.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0001



No. 48-CH-1

Union Common as Court.

Joshua Spain

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Orville Spain et al.

Defendant.

~~June~~ JUN  
APR TERM, 1843  
JUN

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Union Common Pleas

Joshua Spain

vs

• Orelli J. Spain  
et als

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Filed Jan. 17<sup>th</sup> 1848  
John C. Seal, Clerk

P. B. Cole

John C. Seal

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Cost bill made

Record

Recorded



To the honorable the judges of the Court of Common Pleas returned for  
the County of Union your petitioner Joshua Spain represents, that he has a legal  
-title in right in fee simple of one undivided north part of the following real  
estate situated in Union County described as follows, To wit, Land bounded  
& thirty eight acres beginning at a Buck Hick say Sugar Tree in  
old survey of 1812 intended in the name of a patentee to Benjamin  
Bailey & conveyed by said Bailey to William Anderson on the 2 day of  
November AD 1845 on the West of Darby Creek at the Southwesterly corner  
of the original survey thence with the original line of 55° East 540  
pals to a Buck Sugar tree & Ash & Northwesterly original corner to said  
survey thence with another original line of said survey South  
57° East 112 pals to a Sugar tree and an Elm thence South 53° West  
540 pals to a Sugar tree & an Ash in the Westerly original line of  
said survey & Easterly original line of Lewis & Torbans survey  
of 1812 thence with said original line of said survey of 57° West  
112 pals to the beginning containing <sup>the balance of one</sup> ~~thirty eight~~ acres  
be the same more or less - and your petitioner further represents,  
that the following Persons or Tenants in Common with him in said  
Land & premises are respectively entitled to the following parts of said  
Land. Orville F. Spain of the State of Indiana one equal north part  
Thomas Anderson who is a minor & son of Martha Anderson late  
Martha Spain and north part Emeline Ellice late Emeline Spain  
& Elizabeth Ellice her husband and north part Lucinda  
Ellice late Lucinda Spain & Samuel Ellice her husband and  
north part Elanetta Brown late Elanetta Spain & Joseph Brown  
her husband and north part El Spain & Ephraim Spain who are minors  
each one north part & Ann Ellice Spain & David Spain who are minors  
each one eighteenth part - That all of said heirs & Tenants in Common  
except Orville F. Spain reside in Champaign County your petitioner therefore  
prays that partition of said tract of Land may be made as of the one  
cannot be done without manifest injury that their respective proceedings  
may be had in the premises as are authorized by Law

attest  
J. C. Corcoran Atty for  
Petitioner

Thomas Ball, &  
others } answer of  
ad } Guardians  
Petition  
Joshua Spurr

Filed April 25. 1868  
John Cassie Clerk



Thomas Andrew Eli Spain  
Ephraim Spain Ann Maria  
Spain & David Spain

ad,

Joshua Spain

Answers in protection

And the said Thomas Andrew Eli Spain  
Ephraim Spain Ann Maria Spain & David Spain infant  
Dependents to the petition filed in this cause by D B Cole  
then Guardian ad Litem came & enters the appearance of  
said infant Dependents & for answer to said petition says  
says that that by reason of the tender years of said infant  
Dependents he is unable to make full answer to said  
petition but prays the Court to protect & preserve the  
General interests of said minor Dependents -

D B Cole

Guardian ad Litem

Spain  
18 } Addition  
Spain }

Proof Pub,

Filed April 25. 1878  
John C. Case  
Clerk



The State of Ohio, Union Co., ss.

JOSHUA SPAIN, )

vs.

Orville T. Spain,  
Thomas Audus,  
Emeline Melice,  
Nelson Melice,  
Lucinda Melice,  
Samuel Melice,  
Marietta Bawsen,  
Joseph Bawsen,  
Eli Spain,  
Ephraim Spain,  
Ann Maria Spain,  
and David Spain.)

PETITION FOR  
PARTITION.

Be it remembered that on this 13th day of January, A.D., 1848, the above named Petitioner, Joshua Spain, filed in the Clerk's Office of the Court of Common Pleas his petition against the said Defendants above named, stating that he is the owner in fee simple to the one-ninth part of the following described tract of land lying in Union co. and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a beech, hickory and sugartree in Military Survey No. 4812, entered in the name of and patented to Benjamin Bawsen, and conveyed by said Bawsen to William Audus on the 2nd day of November, A.D., 1843, on the waters of Darbycreek at the Southerly corner of the original survey; thence with the original line N 53 degs. East 340 poles to a beech, sugartree and ash in the westerly corner of said survey; thence with another original line of said survey south 37 degs E 112 poles to a suga tree and elm; thence South 53 West 310 poles to two sugartrees and an ash in the westerly original line of said survey, and Easterly original line of Andrew Tarborn's survey No. 2981, thence with said original line of said survey N 37 West 112 poles to the beginning, containing two hundred and thirty-eight acres, be the same more or less. Notice is therefore hereby given to said Defendants that at the next Term of said Court, application will be made by the said Joshua Spain for an order that partition may be made of said premises.

Attest: JOHN CASSIL, Clerk.

M. B. & I. CORWIN, Att's for Pet.

Jan. 15, 1848

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Joshua Spain vs O. T. Spain et al,  
In Partition  
State of Ohio Union Co. ss  
O. B. Leale Editor of the Argus  
a news paper published in gen-  
eral Circulation in the County of  
Union makes solemn oath that  
the notice hereto attached was  
published in said paper for 6  
Consecutive weeks commencing  
January 15-1848 O. B. Leale

Sworn to & subscribed before  
me April 29 1848  
John Cassil, Clerk

Printers fees \$5.50.

Univ Can Res

Joshua Spain

by

Orvella J. Spain

Univ of Toronto

Filed April 26, 1848

John Cassin, Clerk

I have executed this writ by the order of  
the within named James Stillings William B.  
Spain and James Miller by report which is here-  
with filed April 27. 1848

Fee - mileage

35

Service 100

Philip James Shurt



The State of Ohio Union County ss.

To the Sheriff of said County Greeting.

We command you that without delay, By the Oaths of James Stubbings, ~~William B. Spain~~ and James Wilber, you cause partition to be made of the following Real Estate Situate in the County of Union Ohio, and bounded and described as follows to wit. Two hundred & thirty eight acres beginning at a Beech Hickory & Sugar tree in Military Survey N<sup>o</sup>. 4812 entered in the name of & patented to Benjamin Baisew & conveyed by said Baisew to William Andas on the 2<sup>d</sup> day of November A.D. 1843 on the waters of Darby Creek at the Southernly Corner of the Original Survey, thence with the Original line N 53. degs East 340 poles to a Beech, Sugar tree and ash in the Westerly Corner of said Survey, thence with another Original line of said Survey South 37. degs. E 112 poles to a Sugar tree and elm thence South 53 West 340 poles to two Sugar trees and an ash in the Westerly Corner Original line of said Survey, and Easterly Original line of Andrew Tartoun's Survey N<sup>o</sup>. 2981 thence with said Original line of said Survey N 37. West 112 poles to the beginning. Containing <sup>or a balance of one</sup> hundred & thirty eight acres, be the same more or less, to the following Persons and in the following proportions, to wit, to the said Joshua Spain, One ninth part to Orvella J. Spain, One ninth part, to Thomas Andas, One ninth part, to Nelson Milice, and Emeline his wife One ninth part to Samuel Milice & Susanna his wife, One ninth part to ~~Joseph~~ Barowice & Marietta his wife One ninth part, to Eli Spain, & Ephraim Spain, One ninth part to Ann Mariah Spain & David Spain, One eighteenth part, And that your proceedings in the premises you distinctly Certify Under your hand to our Court of Common Pleas within and for the said County of Union, together with this writ forthwith,

Witness John Cassil, clerk of  
said Court at the Court House  
in Marysville this 26<sup>th</sup> day of  
April A.D. 1848

John Cassil clerk

Appraisers  
Re Paant

Filed April 27. 1864  
John Cassil Clerk



In Compliance with the order of a writ  
of partition from the Court of Common Pleas for  
the County of Union State of Ohio in which we the  
under signed were appointed to make partition  
in ~~the~~ <sup>of a balance of and</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>and</sup> thirty eight acres of Survey No  
4812 for the heirs of Stephen Spain be called Report that after  
he was sworn by the Sheriff of the County on a actual view  
of the premises he believ that sd land is not susceptible of  
a fair partition and do Apprais sd land to be worth  
five dollars for case as witness our hands

April 27<sup>th</sup> 1848.

fees one dollar each

James Shelley  
James Withers  
William B. Irwin

June 26<sup>th</sup> 1748

Mr. Carver,

I am informed that the Court for Union County, commenced its Session tomorrow in Ellersville, and it was my intention to have attended as the Guardian of Ephraim Spair one of the minor heirs of Stephen Spair deceased to have effected the purchase by Election of 138. acres of Land: owned by said Stephen Spair deceased, at the time of his death, being part of Military Survey. N<sup>o</sup>. 4812. in the name of Benj. Paisant, and conveyed by William Audeas to said Stephen Spair deceased,

But owing to an Extreme case of affliction in my family, I can't get the consent of my mind to come unless it must be so, I however send Ephraim Spair my Ward, for whose benefit the purchase is to be made with William Audeas. Hoping that by the assistance of Mr. Audeas the business can be done up without my presence, the thing is all understood here among the heirs, that I as the Guardian of Ephraim, shall take the Land above mentioned, at the appraised value, for said Ephraim, and let the amount what ever it may be stand against his Interest



in his Father's Stephen Spain Deceased's Estate until  
a regular division is made the heirs think that  
it will not be for from above or below the  
amount that will fall due him at the  
time said division may be made.

And I would here say, that  
whatever Mr. Adams he being one of the heirs  
as you know, may do in the business for  
me as the Guardian of said Ephraim's  
aforesaid, I will abide

This address is intended for you  
or the Court, or in other words to answer  
for my presence, as I feel very loth  
to hold my much afflicted son  
Yours. Respectfully

Willis Spain

Messrs. B. Bennett Esqrs

Whole Survey except swaces to Gravel Spain  
off: North Easterly end,



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0002

No. 48-CH-2

Union Common Pleas Court.

William Gentry *adversus*  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Thos Gentry et al.  
Defendant.

APR TERM, 1848

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Union Com. Pleas

William Fenton,  
Administrator

vs  
The Heirs of  
Emanuel Fenton, dec'd.

Petition to  
complete contract

Filed Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 1848  
John Cassie clk

last bill mad  
Record

Recorded

• B. C. W.

Of the Court of Common Pleas, within  
and for the County of Union & State of Ohio

William Fenton, Administrator  
of the Estate of Emanuel Fenton, deceased,  
late of Union County, Comes & Shows to the  
Court, by way of Petition, that on the 22<sup>nd</sup>  
day of December A.D. 1838, the said Emanuel  
Fenton, then in life, but since deceased, made  
his written agreement, with one William Jackson  
for the sale, & conveyance to the said Jackson,  
<sup>by good & legal warranty deed</sup>  
of one Hundred & Twenty eight acres of land,  
more or less - Situate in said County of Union  
& State of Ohio, & bounded & described as fol-  
lows, to wit; Being part of Survey No. 3005,  
in the Virginia Military District - beginning  
at an Ash stump in the N line of Buttons  
Lot; thence S 80 W 220 poles to a Hickory & Water  
ash S. E. corner of Fox's land; thence N 10 W 111 poles  
to 2 Beches in Magills S line; thence with said Magills  
line N 80 E 123 poles to 2 water Beches; thence S 14, 45'  
E 40 poles to a Box Elder & Chym; thence N 80 E 88  
poles to a Stone; thence S 14, 45' E 72 poles to the  
beginning -

Your Petitioner further represents that the  
said Jackson was to pay the said Emanuel  
Fenton nine Hundred & Eighty dollars pur-  
chase money for said premises, in manner following  
to wit; - Two Hundred dollars at the time of making  
said agreement, the receipt of which is therein  
acknowledged, & the ballance (\$780) on the first  
day of <sup>July</sup> thence next ensuing - Your Petitioner  
further represents that the whole amount of  
said purchase money has been paid, and a  
receipt in full, endorsed upon said written agreement,



with written agreement - is herewith filed and made part hereof -

Your Petitioner further represents that the said Emanuel P. Denton departed this life in without making said conveyance of said premises, & in consideration of the purchase money having been paid, Your Petitioner (having been appointed Administrator of said decedent's estate, (with appointment he has accepted & legally qualified himself to discharge), is anxious to complete said contract by conveying said premises to the said Jackson - The said decedent died leaving no widows - The following persons are the heirs, having the next estate of inheritance in the premises above described, from the said decedent namely; Abraham Deemer & Mary, his wife, late Mary Denton, residents of this county, and Thomas Denton who resides in the Territory of Wisconsin -

Your Petitioner prays that the said persons, above mentioned & described, having the next estate of inheritance from said decedent, be made parties dependant to this petition and that on the final hearing of this cause, he may be authorized to complete the said contract, by conveying the said premises to the said Jackson, & such other relief as

Cole & Witter  
Sols. for Petitioners

Issue a subpoena for Abraham Seeman  
and Mary Seeman

Colt & Miller



June 18<sup>th</sup> 1839 Received of Wm Jackson  
on the within Six hundred dollars

William Denton admr  
to Manuel Denton Deed

June 18<sup>th</sup> 1839 I do hereby agree to  
give said Wm Jackson lenity for the  
term of ten month, for the ballance  
of the with from this date

William Denton admr

Received on the within Two hundred dollars being  
the balance in full due on this Article and  
I am except fifteen dollars which the said Jackson  
is to pay over for costs and expenses in stating a  
deed in Court, - and I Wm Denton admr  
of the estate of Manuel Denton Deed hereby agree  
to unnecearily file a bill for a deed to make a  
deed to the said Jackson for the within and as such  
Administrator

William Denton admr

Oct. 12 1847

This article written December 22<sup>nd</sup> 1833  
by and between Emanuel Tanton on the  
one part and William Jackson on the  
other parts the said Emanuel Tanton  
herby agrees to sell to the said William  
Jackson a certain piece of land  
situated in Jerome Township Union  
county and State of Ohio containing  
one hundred and Twenty eight acres  
more or less for the lawful sum of  
nine hundred and eighty dollars  
Two hundred dollars of which sum  
has been paid to Emanuel Tanton by W  
Jackson and the receipt of which  
is herby acknowledged the said  
Emanuel Tanton will furnish the  
said William Jackson with a  
good and warranty deed to above  
described land on the first day  
of July next upon William Jackson  
paying the remainder of the purchase  
money seven hundred and eighty  
dollars

Signed Emanuel Tanton  
by William Jackson

Witness

Wm Johnson



Union Com Pleas

W Henton Actor  
vs  
The Heirs of Emanuel  
Henton Deeds

Sub in Chy

Filed April 11, 1848  
John Cassie, clk

Served this writ April 10, 1848, by delivering a certified  
copy thereof to each of the within named defendants

Fees - mileage	50
copies	20
service	55 = \$125

Thos Chasler Sheriff

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Abraham Deemer and*  
*Mary Deemer*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House; on the  
*First* day of *the Term* next ensuing; to answer a *Petition*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them* *Nobly* *William Kenton Administrator*  
*of the Estate of Emanuel Kenton Deceased*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit; under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *April*

A. D, 1848

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Wm Fenton Adams,  
by  
The heirs of C. Fenton dec'd

Proof of Title

~~Wm Fenton~~

State of Ohio }  
Union County }

State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

WILLIAM FENTON, Admr. }  
vs. }  
THOMAS FENTON, et al., }  
Heirs of }  
EMANUEL FENTON, dec'd. }

PETITION  
TO COMPLETE  
CONTRACT.

THE said Thomas Fenton will take notice, that on the 14th day of February, A.D., 1848, the above named Wm. Fenton, Administrator of the estate of Emanuel Fenton, dec'd, filed in the Clerk's Office of the Court of Common Pleas, his petition making him and others defendants: Said petition represents that the said Emanuel Fenton, while in life, to wit: on the 22nd day of December, A.D., 1838, made his written agreement with one William Jackson to sell and convey to the said Jackson (upon condition hereinafter mentioned) by good general warranty deed, one hundred and twenty-eight acres of land more or less; situate in said co. of Union and State of Ohio, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Being part of Survey No. 3005 in Virginia Military District, beginning at an ash stump in the North line of Button's lot; thence S 80 W 220 poles to a hickory and water ash S E corner of Fox's land; thence N 10 W 111 poles to 2 beeches in Magill's S line; thence with said Magill's line N 80 E 123 poles to 2 water beeches; thence S 14 degrees 45m E 40 poles to a box elder and lynn; thence N 80 E 88 poles to a stone; thence S 14 45 E 72 poles to the beginning. Said petition further represents that the said Jackson was to pay the said Emanuel Fenton nine hundred and eight dollars purchase money—that said purchase money has been paid in full—that the said Emanuel Fenton departed this life in without making said conveyance—and pray that on the final hearing of this cause, said petitioner may be authorized to complete said contract by conveying the said premises to the said Jackson.

COLE & WITTER,  
Sols. for Petitioner.

Attest: JOHN CA'SIL, Clerk.  
Feb. 16, 1848. n39w6

I, David W. English being  
duly sworn, depose & say  
that the Notice hereunto at-  
tached, was published for  
six consecutive weeks, com-  
mencing on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of Febry  
A. D. 1848, in a Newspaper, called  
the "Argus" printed in Marysville  
~~in~~ Union County, Ohio. & That  
said Newspaper had a general  
circulation in said County  
D. W. English, Sw.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this  
28th day of April A.D. 1848  
George W. Williams, J.P.



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0003

No. 48-CH-3

Union Common Pleas Court.

Lyme Starting Plaintiff,  
AGAINST  
E Spain Defendant.

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W. J. P. A. M.

<sup>26</sup> S. Starling } Bill  
vs }  
E. Spain } Chancery

Filed March 20<sup>th</sup> 1848  
John Cassie. clerk

I give subpoena for  
Edwin Spain.  
sub. & serv  
Jan 7. 1848

Recorded

Jarvis





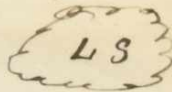
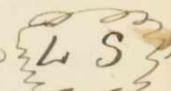
To the Court of Common Pleas, within and  
for the County of Union, and State of Ohio,  
in Chancery sitting

Lyne Starling of the City  
of Columbus, County of Franklin, and  
State of Ohio; represents that he was, on or  
about the 15<sup>th</sup> day of February, A.D. 1844, seized  
in fee simple, of a certain tract of land, situate  
in the County of Union, and State of Ohio,  
and which is hereinafter more particularly  
described; and that one Edwin Spain, of  
the County of Union, and State of Ohio, (and  
whom your orator prays may be made defend-  
ant to this bill) being desirous of purchasing  
said lands, entered into an agreement with  
your orator, for the sale thereof to him, and  
which agreement was reduced to writing, and  
signed and sealed by the said Edwin Spain  
and your orator, and is in words and figures  
as follows to wit, "Articles of Agreement, con-  
"cluded this 15<sup>th</sup> day of February, A.D. One thou-  
"sand Eight hundred and Forty four, between  
"Lyne Starling of Franklin County, Ohio, of  
"the first part, and Edwin Spain of Union  
"County, Ohio, of the second part, witnesses that  
"the said party of the first part agrees, upon  
"the terms and conditions hereinafter menti-  
"oned, to sell to said party of the second  
"part the following lands, situate in Union  
"County, Ohio, to wit, One hundred acres  
"of Survey No 3241, in the name of Obediah  
"B. Harrison; to be laid off from said Survey  
"on the South East line thereof, and extend  
"Northwesterly with the lines of the Survey,  
"for the quantity of One hundred acres, The  
"said party of the second part, hereby agrees to



" pay the said Syne Starling, the sum of  
" three hundred and sixty two dollars and  
" fifty cents, one hundred and thirty dollars  
" of which is paid in hand, and the bal-  
" lance to be paid in one installment, with  
" interest, as follows, two hundred and thirty  
" two <sup>50</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars on or before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of June  
" 1844; The said party of the second part,  
" having also executed his single bill to  
" the said Syne Starling on order, for said  
" sum, payable as aforesaid; and the said  
" party of the second part, agrees to pay all  
" taxes and assessments, that may hereafter be  
" demandable on said lands, or their appurte-  
" nances; It is agreed that said installment  
" and single bill above mentioned, with interest  
" shall be punctually paid, on or before the  
" day when the same shall become due, as  
" above mentioned, and if so paid said  
" Syne Starling for himself his heirs, executors,  
" administrators, or assigns, truly covenants to  
" sell, and upon the punctual payment as  
" last mentioned, of all of said installments  
" with interest, to convey by general warranty  
" deed, the above described premises, unto said  
" party of the second part, his heirs and  
" assigns;

" In ~~testimony~~ witness whereof, said par-  
" ties have hereunto set their hands, and  
" affixed their seals, the day and year first  
" above written

" Executed in presence of } L Starling   
" R. Thomas }  
" Edwin Spain 

the original of which will be produced on



the final hearing hereof;

Your Orator further represents, that he has been at all times ready, and willing, and still is ready, and willing, to comply with the terms and conditions of said agreement, on his part to be performed, and that he has applied to the said Edwin Spain, and requested him specifically to perform his part of said agreement, but the said Edwin hath ~~wholly~~ hitherto wholly neglected so to do.

Your Orator therefore prays that the writ of Subpoena, may issue against the said Edwin Spain, and that he may be compelled to answer all and several the premises. And your Orator further prays that on the final hearing of this cause, the said Edwin Spain may be decreed to pay said moneys, according to the tenor of said agreement with their interest, and such damages as your orator, may have sustained by reason of the premises, and in default thereof that the aforesaid and described land, be sold to pay the amount of such decree, and that your orator, may have such other and further relief in the premises, as equity and good conscience may require.

W. B. Jarvis

Solicitor for Complainant  
" "

This may certify that I Joshua & Eaton  
Have settled and satisfied for my trouble  
On the part of that Land of Edmund Spain.

Nov 16. 1849.



This may certify that we have settled with Edmund  
Spain and received our fees for appraising a piece of  
land

Nov 16. 1849..

Frank Pennel  
George Fuller

Freitag Sept 24. 1849  
L. M. K. Radtke & Co



Syne Stirling

vs

Edwin Spain

In Chancery  
Pleas for execution in  
this case unless money  
paid in

W. B. Jarvis

Compt. Comr. Sec.

Filed June 30. 1828  
John Casper, M.



June 29. 1848. Rec<sup>d</sup> of Edwin Spain one hundred and  
thirty four dollars to be credited on decree vs him in Union  
County Court Pleas. Mr Starling agrees to wait till the fall for  
the balance of the decree.

L. Starling  
By  
Wray Thomas

June 18, 1849 rec<sup>d</sup> of Edwin Spavin thirty four dollars  
to be handed over to W. Andrews Ex<sup>r</sup> of Lyne Starling  
for the purpose of being credited on said Spavin's note  
to L. Starling dec<sup>d</sup>.

Wm. Thomas

W B Lewis

To Nov Term 1849

Filed Nov. 20. 1849  
James Kim Kady jr. Clerk

Decree for \$248. 30  
Costs -  
Increase  
with -

Edwin Spain  
vs  
Lyne Sterling

Union Com. Pleas

Received this writ September 24. 1849  
had the within described real estate appraised by the oath  
of George Fuller, Joshua S. Eaton and Frank Pearl at \$6.00  
per acre October 12<sup>th</sup> 1849. Advertised the same to be sold on  
the 20<sup>th</sup> day of November A.D. 1849. by publication in the Marys-  
ville Tribune for at least 30 days previous to the day of sale.  
November 17. 1849. Received on the within of Edwin Spain  
one receipt for \$134.00 dated June 29. 1848 signed J. Sterling By  
Wray Thomas. One other receipt for \$34.00. dated June 18. 1849  
signed by Wray Thomas. also two receipts from the appraisers  
certifying that they have received their fees from said Spain  
and one hundred and two dollars and thirty cents it being  
in full of the within decree. said receipts are herewith filed.

Fees = mileage 40  
inquest 1.00  
copy of report .25  
Apprs fee 1.50  
advtg .25  
Pr fee 2.25  
service .35  
Bondage 1.90 = total \$7.90

Philip Snider Sheriff



The State of Ohio Union County ss,

To the Sheriff of said County Greeting;

Whereas at the same Term of the Court of Common Pleas Continued and held on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of June AD 1848 in a certain cause in Chancery therein pending wherein Lyne Starting, Complainant and Edwin Spain, Defendant, the Court ordered and decreed that you expose to Sale the premises in the Bill described as follows, Situate in ~~the County of Union~~ Union County Ohio, to wit, One hundred acres of Survey N<sup>o</sup> 3241 in the name of Obediah R. Harrison, to be laid off from said Survey on the South East line thereof, and extend northwesterly with the lines of the Survey for the quantity of ~~One~~ hundred acres, to Satisfy the said Complainant in the Sum of Two hundred and forty eight Dollars and thirty cents, with interest from the said 29<sup>th</sup> day of June AD 1848, until paid together with the ~~sum of~~ Costs of Suit taxed at \$      and also the further Sum of \$      the increase Costs and said Decree, and the accruing Costs. And make report of your proceedings herein to the next Term of said Court,

Witness James Knickerbocker Clerk of said Court  
at Mansville the 24<sup>th</sup> Day of September  
AD 1849.

James Knickerbocker Clerk,

Union Com Pleas

Syme Starling

vs  
Edwin Spain

Sub in Chy

7.  
Filed April 25. 1848  
John Cassil clk

Received this writ April 4. 1848 by  
delivering a certified copy thereof to  
the within named Defendant.

Fees - mileage 30  
service 35  
Copy — 12 = 77

Philip Davies Sheriff

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Edwin Spain*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the  
*First* day of *the Term* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *him* by *Lynn Starling*

and this *he* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *March*

A. D, 1848

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Lynn Sterling  
vs  
Edwin Spain

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Appraisement real estate

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Filed October 17. 1849  
James Kirkaldy for Clerk

Lynn Sterling  
vs  
Edwin Spain

} We the undersigned having been called upon by Philip Snider Sheriff of Union County, Ohio, to appraise the following described real estate, to wit: one hundred acres of Survey No. 3241 in the name of Obediah R. Harrison to be laid off from said survey on the South East line thereof; and extend Northwesterly with the lines of the survey for the quantity of one hundred acres. After having been duly sworn by said Sheriff and upon actual view of said premises we do appraise the same at \$6.00 per acre, given under our hands and seals this 12<sup>th</sup> day of October 1849

Appraisers fees 50cts each \$1.50

George Fuller } seal  
Joshua S. Eaton } seal  
Frank Pearl } seal

The State of Ohio Union County, ss,  
Personally appeared before me Philip Snider Sheriff of Union County, the above named George Fuller, Joshua S. Eaton and Frank Pearl and made solemn oath to discharge the duties of appraisers of the above described real estate impartially according to law and the best of their abilities, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1849

Philip Snider Sheriff

I certify the above to be a true copy of the original

Philip Snider Sheriff

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0004



No. 48-CH-4

Union Common Pleas Court.

Allen W Pharis Exr,  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Mary Pharis et al.  
Defendant.

MAY TERM, 1849

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also to authorize your petition or to sever as  
of record, to come to the said Shubel that part  
of said real estate as he is entitled to.

Per & Witness  
C. H. Smith, for Petitioner

Deem duplicate for Samuel C. Phans, to  
of Butler Co. Pa. King Sweeney & others Executors to Shubel  
of Mary Phans, of New York City this  
of New York City this

Allen B. Phans & est;  
of Robert Phans dec'd

ps { Petition Complete  
Contract,

Mary Phans et al.

Filed April 10 1848  
John Cassid Clerk

Cost bill Mad  
Record

Recorded

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To the Court of Common Pleas within  
for the County of Union & State of Ohio

Allen B. Pharis, Executor of  
the last will & testament of Robert Pharis,  
deceased, late of Union county, comes and  
shows the court, by way of petition, that  
on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of August A.D. 1838, the said  
Robert Pharis, then in life, (but since deceased)  
entered into a written contract; to wit; a penal  
bond, with one Harney Skeels, for the sale &  
conveyance to the said Skeels, or his assigns, by  
general warranty deed, of the following real  
estate, situate in said county of Union and  
described as follows to wit; All that part  
of Survey No. 3693, lying on the waters of Bokes  
Creek beginning at N.E. corner of John Woods  
Survey, No. 3692, running thence N 7 1/2 E one  
hundred and fifty-six (156) poles to Bokes creek -  
running thence down with the meanders of the  
creek to the corner of Lot No. 4, owned by Joshua  
Jones; thence with the ~~line~~ W line of Lot No. 4  
to the E line of the Survey, thence with the  
original line of the Survey to the place of  
beginning - supposed to contain one hun-  
dred and ninety (190) acres

From petition further  
represents that the said Harney Skeels agreed  
to pay the said Robert Pharis ten dollars per  
acre for said real estate, in manner following  
to wit; four hundred (\$400,) dollars, at the time  
of entering into said contract - Six hundred (\$600)  
dollars on or before the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October next -  
(thence ensuing) - Three hundred (\$300,) dollars,  
on or before the 1st day of May 1839 - and six



hundred (\$600,) dollars, in three equal annual pay-  
ments from the first day of April 1839 -

Your petition further represents  
that the said Robert Pharis reserved, in said  
written agreement, two or three acres of said real  
estate, on the creek at the corner of said lot of  
land - all of which will more fully appear from  
said written contract, which is filed herewith,  
marked (A) and made part hereof -

Your petition further represents  
that the said Skeels has fulfilled his part of  
said written agreement - that said purchase  
money is paid, or ready to be paid, and that one  
hundred and ten acres of said real estate has been  
assigned to your petition, by the said Skeels, in  
lieu of the balance due on the original purchase  
money - the said balance was due to your petition,  
it having been bequeathed to him, by the said Robert  
Pharis, by his last will, as shown by the same

And your petition further  
represents to the court, that the said Robert Pharis  
made his penal bond to Lorenzo S. Beebe, in the  
sum of seven hundred dollars, conditioned to make  
to the said Beebe, a good and sufficient warranty  
deed for the following described premises, to wit: One  
hundred acres of land, lying and being on the waters  
of Baker's creek, being a part of Survey No: 3693 adjoining  
land of Titus Cleverger, on his East line, & Lot  
No: 5 on the north, where Samuel C. Pharis then lived,  
which is more particularly described in a plat then  
ready to the court to be shown, marked (B) - that  
the said Beebe assigned said penal bond to your  
petition - that the purchase money has been paid  
- all of which will more fully appear from said penal  
bond which is filed herewith marked (C) and made



part hereof - Your petition further represents that the said Robert Pharis departed this life in year 1889 leaving by our petition, the executor of his last will & testament, - that by our petition regularly qualified himself for the fulfillment of said appointment - -

Your petition further represents that - the said Robert Pharis died without completing said contracts - that in as much as said several contracts have been fulfilled by the payment of the purchase monies, your petition is therefore desirous of having said contracts completed, by conveying to the said Skeels one hundred acres of said land, and having the balance of ~~said~~ the said land which was assigned by said Skeels, conveyed to your petition, as also the tract so sold to the said Barber conveyed to your petition -

Your petition further represents that the said decedent died leaving Mary Pharis, his widow, who takes under the will, in lieu of dower, and the following persons, his heirs to wit; Johnathan Jones and Lydia, his wife, late Lydia Pharis and Martha Pharis who reside in Porter county - Indiana and Samuel C. Pharis who resides in Butler county, Ohio, Joel Pharis who resides in Decatur county - Illinois & Henry Goodrich and Army, his wife, late Army Pharis who reside in Union county -

Your petition therefore prays that the said widow and the said heirs of of the said Robert Pharis, above named, be made parties defendants hereto, and that on final hearing of this cause, the Court may appoint and empower some suitable person, to complete said contracts by conveying to your petition, or assignee of the purchasers, such portions of the above describe lands as he is entitled to have a conveyance for - and

Union Com Pleas

Allen W Pharis, Exr  
of Robert Pharis

vs

Mary Pharis et. als.

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of Balliwicks

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J Van Derveer

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GIVEN April 22, 1848

The Cassil Clerk

Marysville D



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF <sup>Butler</sup> ~~Union~~ GREETING:

We command you, that you summon

*Samuel C. Pharis,*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the

*First* day of *the term* next ensuing, to answer a *Petition*

in Chancery, exhibited against *himself*, by *Allen W. Pharis, Executor of the*

*Estate of Robert Pharis, Deceased.*

and this *he* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;

and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at

the court house, this *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *April*

A. D, 1848

*John Cassil*

Clerk of Com. Pleas.

Union Com Pleas

Allen W. Pharis Exr of  
Robert Pharis

Mary Pharis et als

Filed April 20, 1848  
John Cassil Clk

Served this writ April 20, 1848 by delivering  
to each of the within named defendants a  
certified copy thereof.

Fees— mileage 40

copies— 30

service

75 = 1.45

Philip Vanier Sheriff

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss:

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Mary Pharis, Henry Goodrich and  
Amy Goodrich,*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the  
*First* day of *the term* next ensuing; to answer a *Petition*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them*, *at* by *Allen W. Pharis, Executor*  
of *Robert Pharis, Deceased,*

and this *They* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *April*

*John Cassil* A. D. 1848  
Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Copy of the Will  
of Robert Phares  
Records in Vol. 2  
Admstr. Docket page  
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In the presence of God, I Robert  
Phares of Union County - State of Ohio,  
considering the uncertainty of life - the cer-  
tainty of death, and my own bodily in-  
firmity, yet being of sound mind and  
retentive memory, do make and publish  
this my last will & testament in  
manner and form following (to wit) First  
I give a bequest unto my wife Mary Phares  
all my personal estate, so much thereof  
as she may ~~choose~~ select to keep - and so  
much thereof as she may direct to be  
sold: to be sold for her use, also  
all my real estate not otherwise be-  
queathed or disposed of - I give and  
bequeath to her to be sold and the money  
to be kept at interest - for her benefit to  
be paid her as she may request during her  
life and after her decease to be divided  
<sup>equally</sup> among my children or their representatives.  
Second. I give and bequeath unto my son  
Samuel C. Phares, in addition to the sum  
of about four hundred dollars which he  
has received, it is my will that he receive  
a sum which will when added be equal  
to all the avails arising from the sale of  
the 105 acres of land sold to Frances Scott.  
Thirdly - I give and bequeath unto my son  
Joel Phares out of the avails 192 1/2 acres of  
land sold to Harvey Sheels the sum of  
eight hundred dollars a part of which he  
has already received. Fourthly, I give &  
bequeath <sup>parts</sup> unto my son Allen W. Phares out  
of the <sup>avails of the</sup> 192 1/2 acres of land sold to Harvey Sheels



as the sum of eight-hundred dollars a part of  
which he has already received - Fifthly I  
give and bequeath unto my son Martin Phares  
one hundred acres of land part of Survey No.  
3693 and being Lot No 2 in the subdivision  
thereof and so much addition to said lot  
on the north as will make up the quantity  
said Lot No 2 being bounded as follows. Be-  
ginning at a stake in the line of Henry W. Gandy  
and corner to lot No 1 owned by <sup>Herby</sup> James ~~Phares~~, then  
~~South~~  $88^{\circ}30' E$  90 poles to the creek thence with  
the creek, down with the meanders to a stake  
thence  $S 7^{\circ}30' W$  77 poles to a stone thence  $N$   
 $23^{\circ}30' W$  150 poles to the beginning. To Martin Phares  
& his heirs and assigns forever - Sixthly - In as  
much as I have heretofore given, granted &  
conveyed unto my daughter Sarah Herby 100  
acres of land part of Survey No 3693. I now give  
and bequeath unto her the further sum of one  
dollar. Seventhly - I give and bequeath to my  
daughter Amy Goodrich & to her heirs & assigns  
100 acres of land part of Survey No 3693. known as  
subdivision of said survey as No 4. Beginning  
at a stake on the bank of the creek north east cor-  
ner to lot No 3. thence with the line of said  
lot  $S 7^{\circ}30' W$  200 poles to a stake witness three beeches  
thence  $N 88^{\circ}30' E$  80 poles to 3 beeches, thence  $S 7^{\circ}30'$   
 $E$  192 poles to a thornbush on the bank of the  
creek, thence up the creek with the meanders to  
the beginning. To her and her and her heirs and  
assigns forever - Eighthly - I give and bequeath  
to my daughter Lydia Jones one hundred acres  
of land part of Survey No 3693 it being the lot



Known as Lot etc. 3 of the subdivision on  
which she now resides containing one hundred  
acres more or less to her and her heirs & assigns forever  
Lastly it is my will that either W. Phares be  
my executor and that he collect all debts  
due to my estate and pay all my just-  
debts - and necessary expenses in the settlement  
of the concerns of my estate and if  
the debts due me prove insufficient - to pay  
the same then that he pay the same out  
of the avails of the personal property  
bearing my hand seal this first-day  
of Oct. 1839. Robert Phares

The the undersigned not being called upon this  
first-day of Oct. to witness - do witness and  
sealing of this, as the last will and  
testament - of Robert - Phares

John P. Brookins  
Silas B. Strong  
Thomas J. Janks

I have this Day received full pay for the one  
hundred Acres named in this bond & also the  
one acre bought of Samuel C. Phares rec of A. W. Phares  
& assign my right & title to A. W. Phares

L. P. Baker

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Know all men by the present that I Robert Phares  
of the County of Union and State of Ohio do bind my  
Self my heirs Executors administrators and Query  
of them unto Lorenzo Beebe in the penal sum of  
Seven hundred Dollars Currant money of the State  
of Ohio

The Condition of the above bond is such that if the<sup>above</sup>  
bound Robert Phares does make or Cause to be made  
unto the above named Lorenzo Beebe a good and suf-  
ficient General Warrantee Deed for one hundred  
acres of land lying and being on the waters of Cokes  
Creek being a part of Survey No 3693 Adjoining lands  
of Titus Cleavengers on his East line, and lot A B 5 on the  
north Where Samuel C Phare now lives then this obli-  
gation to be void and of no Effect other wise to rema-  
in full force in Law

Robert Phares



*J. W. L.*

for Harvey Cecil

Be sin ing at a tree or three and stone the  
orig a nel cv. West Corner to the sun way then sin ing  
with the north line of the sun way ~~at~~ 2. 81. E.  
85½ pole to 3 Beeds then 2. 7½. N. 204. pole to a Beeds  
on the Bank of the creek then up the creek with the succeeding  
stone of cv. 20. N. 3. cv. 86. N. 30. p. cv 39 38. id. 8. 1  
then beam ing the creek cv. cv. 43. N. 41 pole to a stone  
then cv 7½. E. 22½ pole to a stone then cv. 71. N. 15 pole to a  
stone in the next line of the sun way then with S line  
cv. 7½. E. 149½ pole to the be sin ing con lair ing one  
hundred acres

In Jersey P2983 beginning at  
a small tree with buckhorn and  
and large white oak in the line of  
Jersey No 4610 P528152 poles to buck  
run up the run P74170212 poles P207127  
poles to a stem in the run with up a  
white oak buckhorn and brown at the  
end of a spring Y527130 poles to a stem  
in the road north to the road and south  
line to Y37860 poles to the beginning  
containing fifty acres



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Sharis

Filed June 29-1948  
John Caspell

Stat: of Ohio, Union county, ss.

Allen W. Pharis, Ex'r of }  
Robert Pharis, deceased, } UNION  
vs. }  
Joel Pharis, Martin Pharis, } COMMON  
Samuel C. Pharis, Jona- }  
than Jones, Lydia Jones, } PLEAS.  
et al. }

JOEL PHARIS, Martin Pharis, Sam'l C. Pharis, Jonathan Jones, and Lydia Jones, will take notice that on the 10th day of April, A.D., 1848, the above named Allen W. Pharis, Executor of the last will and testament of Robert Pharis, deceased, filed in the Clerk's office of the Court of Common Pleas of Union co. O., his petition making them and others defendants. Said petition represents that the said Robert Pharis, while in life, to wit: on the 20th day of August, A.D., 1838, entered into a written contract with one Harvy Skeels, for the sale and conveyance to the said Skeels, or his assigns, by general warranty deed, of the following real estate situate in said co. of Union, and described as follows, to wit: All that part of Survey No. 3693, lying on the waters of Bokescreek, beginning at N E corner of John Wood's survey No 3692, running thence N 74 E 156 poles to Bokescreek; thence down with the meanders of the creek to the corner of lot No 8, owned by Jonathan Jones; thence with the west line of lot No 8 to the N line of the survey; thence with the original line of the survey to the place of beginning, supposed to contain 190 acres. Said petitioner further represents that said Skeels was to pay the said Robert Pharis \$10 per acre for said premises. That said Skeels has fulfilled his part of said agreement. And that 110 acres of said premises has been assigned by said Skeels to said petitioner, in lieu of the balance due on the original purchase money, the said balance being due said petitioner having been bequeathed by the last will and testament of the said decedent, and said petition further represents that the said Robert Pharis made his penal bond to Lorenzo D. Beebee, in the sum of \$700, conditioned to make the said Beebee a good and sufficient warranty deed for the following described premises to wit: 100 acres of land lying and being on the waters of Bokescreek, being a part of survey No. 3693, adjoining lands of Titus Clevenger, on his E line, and lot No 5 on the N where Samuel C. Pharis then lived; that the said Beebee assigned said penal bond to said petitioner, and that the purchase money has been paid: That said Robert Pharis died without completing said contract and prays that on the final hearing of this cause the court may appoint and empower some suitable person to complete said contract, by conveying to said petitioner as assignee of the purchasers such portions of the above described land, as he is entitled to have a conveyance for, and also to authorize said petitioner as Executor aforesaid to convey to said Skeels that portion of said Real Estate to which he is entitled.

ALLEN W. PHARIS, Ex'r.

By COLE & WITTER, his Att's.

June 14, 1848.

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State of Ohio Union County ss

Personally appeared, in open Court, P. B. Skeels and made solemn oath that the notice hereto attached, was published for three weeks successively next after the 14th day of June A.D. 1848, in a newspaper called "The Argus" published in Union county, & that said newspaper during that time <sup>was</sup> in general circulation in said county.

Subscribed & sworn to before me  
Attest in open Court  
June 29th 1848 John Cassel, Clerk



Allen W. Phares Exr,  
of Robert Phares dead

Petition to Compel  
Contract

May Phares Phares et al

This came the Petition

by his solicitors, none appearing for the dependants  
and the said dependants, (May Phares, Jonathan Jones  
and Lydia his wife late Lydia Phares, Martin Phares,  
Samuel C. Phares, Henry Goodrich & Amy his wife  
late Amy Phares) still failing to plead answer  
or demurr to the said Complaints Bice, It is there-  
fore ordered, adjudged and decreed that the same  
be taken pro confesso; and was argued by  
Coles & Wether of Counsel for complainant, on  
consideration whereof the Court do find that  
Harry Skelton hath an entire equity in following  
premises as in said Complaints bill alleged; situated  
in the County of Union Ohio and bound & described  
as follows to wit; Part of Survey Ch 36 S. Beginning  
at a Sugar tree and stone the original Ch. N. corner  
to the Survey, thence running with the North line  
of the Survey S 81. E 85 1/2 poles to S beeches, thence S 7 1/2  
N. 20 1/4 poles to a Buck on the bank of the creek; thence  
up the creek with the meanders thereof N 20 N 3 poles,  
N 86 N 30 poles, N 38 N. 8 poles, then leaving the creek  
Ch. N. 48 ~~N 48 poles~~, N 44 N 41 poles to a stone in the  
west line of the Survey, thence with said line Ch  
7 1/2 E 149 1/2 poles to the beginning containing one hundred  
acres of land. And it is ordered and decreed by the Court  
that the said Allen W. Phares, as executor of Robert Phares,  
he and he lawfully is, authorized <sup>and empowered</sup> to execute and deliver a  
deed in fee simple of the afore described premises, to Harry  
Skelton and thence to convey to the said Harry ~~Skelton~~ Skelton  
all right, title, interest, claim or demands of the said Robert  
Phares (at the time of his demise) in or to said premises



And the Court do further find that the said Allen W.  
Phares proper an entire Equity, in two severally ~~of~~  
parcels or tracts of land hereafter described & to his  
~~me + I and he, and I described~~ described,  
as in said ~~Company's Bill~~ <sup>Bill</sup> set forth  
to wit: Situate in the County of Union and State  
and bounded and described as follows - Part of Survey  
No 3693 -

Beginning at 8 Beches in the original ~~of~~ line  
of the Survey cr. E. Corner to Harbey Skeels land  
then with his line S. 7 1/2. N. 204. poles to a Beech on the  
Bank of the Creek then down the Creek with the one  
corner there of S. 30. S. 31. poles then S. 69. E. 31. poles, then S.  
28. E. 20. poles then N. 69. E. 20 poles to the upper Corner on the  
Creek to John Elliotts land then with his line cr 7 1/2 East  
245 poles to a Beech in the original cr. line of the  
Survey then with sd line cr. 81. N. 74 1/2 poles to stake  
beginning containing 110 1/2 acres of land

Also Situate in the County of Union and  
State of Ohio and bounded and described to wit -  
Part of Survey No 3693, Beginning at a stone cr. E.  
to Frank Swetts land then cr 7 E. 150 poles to a stake  
& 2 Ashes and a Maple then cr 83. N 105 poles to a stake  
2 bar oak & 2 Ashes then S 7. N 154 poles to a stone  
near the creek, then S 58. E. 38 poles to a stone in the  
center of the road, then cr 32 E 18 poles to a stone then  
S 83. E 62 1/2 poles to the beginning containing one hundred  
and one and seven eighths of an acre of land

And it is ordered and decreed by the Court that  
James M. McKim Master Commissioner of the Court  
he and his heirs is authorized and empowered to  
execute and deliver a deed in fee simple, forth to last above  
described premises to Allen W. Phares, and to their heirs to  
the said Allen W. Phares, all right title interest - claims or  
demand, of the said Robert Phares, (~~at the time of his demise~~)  
in or to said premises, at the time of his demise



Robert Shaw's wife  
to 3 Decd  
Harvey Shultz



This Indenture made and concluded this twelfth day  
of October in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and thirty eight between Robert Pharis and  
Mary Pharis his wife of the County of Union and  
State of Ohio of the one part and Harry Steels  
of the other part  
Witnesseth - That the said Robert Pharis & Mary Pharis  
for and in consideration of the sum of one thousand  
nine hundred and twenty five dollars to them in hand  
paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have  
granted, sold, conveyed and confirmed and by these  
presents do grant, bargain, sell, convey and confirm  
unto the said Harry Steels his heirs and assigns for-  
ever, a certain lot or tract of Land containing one  
hundred ninety two and one half acres situated between  
the Little Miami and Scioto rivers in the County of Union  
and State of Ohio being part of a Military Survey N<sup>o</sup> 3693  
on the waters of Boker's Creek bounded and described  
as follows to wit: Beginning at two Sugar trees north  
west corner of the original Survey thence with the original  
line connecting the courses thence of S 83 $\frac{1}{2}$  E 160 poles to three  
beeches thence S 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  W 230 poles to a stake in the center of  
Boker's Creek thence up the creek with the meanders  
thence of S 69 W 20 poles N 28 W 20 poles N 69 W 31 poles N 30  
W 34 poles thence N 86 W 30 poles N 38 W 8 poles to a sugar  
tree on the north bank of the creek thence N 48 W 41  
poles & seven links to a stake with an Elm & sugar  
tree thence N 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  E 22 $\frac{1}{2}$  poles to a stake thence N 71 W 15 poles  
& nineteen links to a stake in the west original line of  
said Survey thence with said line connecting the course  
thence of N 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  E 129 $\frac{1}{2}$  poles to the Beginning

To Have and To Hold the aforesaid premises  
with the appurtenances, to the said Harry Steels his



heirs and assigns forever, and the <sup>said</sup> Robert and Mary  
Pharis, for themselves, their heirs and executors, do  
covenant with the the said Harry Steels his heirs,  
and executors, that they are the Lawful Owners of  
the said premises, and have good right to sell and  
convey the same in manner and form aforesaid,  
and further, that they, the said Robert & Mary  
Pharis for themselves, their heirs and executors will  
Forever Warrant and Defend the aforesaid  
premises, with <sup>the</sup> a pertinencies unto the said  
Harry Steels, his heirs and assigns against them-  
selves and their heirs, and against the lawful claim-  
or claims of all persons whomsoever

In Witness Whereof the said Robert Pharis together  
with Mary Pharis his wife, have hereunto set their  
hands and seals this                      day of October in  
the year of Our Lord One Thousand eight hundred  
and thirty eight

Signed Sealed and Delivered

In presence of

L.S.

L.S.



A statement of one hundred and one Acres of land  
on Bokes creeck in Leesburg township Union County  
in survey No 3693 sold by Robert Pharris for ~~the~~  
~~use of Rees C. Jones~~ unto Lorenzo D. Beebe for the use  
of Rees C. Jones

State of Ohio } Personally appeared Henry Goodrich before me  
Union County, ss. } Abijah Gandy a Justice of the peace for said  
County who being duly sworn deposeseth  
and saith that he was well knowing unto the above  
statement and the sale of the abovedescribed land as  
the above purports and further this deponent saith not  
signed & sworn to before me  
this 26<sup>th</sup> day of May 1849

Henry Goodrich  
Abijah Gandy Justice of the peace

Know all men by these presents; That whereas on  
the 29 day of Aug. 1844, such proceedings were had  
before our Court of Common Pleas, in and for  
the co. of Union & State of Ohio between our  
~~Offt.~~ as plaintiff & as defendant in a suit in  
Chy. begun and tried before said Court. That an  
order was directed from said Court to Mr. Shuff,  
as special master in this case appointed, commanding  
him to sell (the ) to satisfy the sd claim awarded  
to him in sd suit; by sd Court which order was  
returned by the sd ~~Shuff~~ on & with the following  
endorsement thereon, as a report of his proceedings  
viz. (endorsement) and afterwards to wit at the  
— term of the sd Court of Com Pleas of Union Co. Ohio  
for the year — the sd Court having examined  
the proceedings of the sd Sheriff in the premises  
were satisfied that the proceeding in this case and  
the sale by him made were in all respects con-  
ducted according to the ~~sd~~ order of sd Court  
& the statute provided for like cases — and  
also ordered that an entry be made to that  
effect upon their journals & that sd ~~Shuff~~  
as special master make a deed to sd purchaser  
for sd premises ( ) all of which together  
with the proceeding in this case from its com-  
mencement until consummation of sale will appear fully  
upon the records of sd Court — reference being  
made thereto — I have known & see that I sh  
Sheriff & Special Master for and in conduct of  
of the foregoing proceeding & the power in me  
vested by law & I have special in evidence  
of the sum of — in hand the receipt whereof  
is hereby acknowledged, here given, granted & conveyed  
to the said ~~compr~~ conveyance & confirmed unto the  
at his, heir and assigns forever — all the right  
title interest property claim or demand of the  
defendants aforesaid in this case of sd ~~Shuff~~



to premises - To have and to hold  
the same to his own proper use & behoof  
and to the heirs & assigns forever, In testimony  
whereof I hereunto set my hand & seal officially  
this 2<sup>d</sup> day of October A.D. 1846

I Henry Shedd to hereby assign to Allen W  
Shawms all my interest in the land described in  
the within indent, as if it were hundred acres  
in the sweet title of said Lewis & the old & new  
and when the 150 acres is returned in a plat  
made by the P. & J. in County during or ~~to~~ this subsequent  
so much as said J. P. shall to pay the balance of  
the purchase money due from me for said land  
which purchase money was given to said J. P.  
by the last will of Robt. Shawms deceased,  
Henry Shedd

Robt. Shawms,  
Little Bond for  
190 acres  
Land on  
Boques-brook

(2)



Know all men by these presents, that I Robert Pharis am held & firmly bound unto Harvey Skeels in the full sum of Three thousand dollars, to the payment of which well and truly to be made I bind myself my heirs Executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with my seal and dated this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August A.D. 1838.

The conditions of the above bond is such that whereas the above bound Robert Pharis has this day sold unto the said Harvey Skeels a certain peice or parcel of Land, being all that part of Survey No. 3693 Situate and lying on the waters of Boques-Creek in the township of Leesburg Union County Ohio - contained in the following boundaries to wit - Beginning at the <sup>N.E.</sup> corner of John Wood's Survey number 3692 running thence N. 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> E. one hundred & fifty six (156) poles to Boques-Creek - running thence down with the meandering of the creek, to the corner of lot No 8. owned by Jonathan Jones - Thence with the <sup>W.</sup> line of lot No 8. to the N. line of the Survey, thence with the original line of the Survey to the place of beginning - supposed to contain one hundred ~~and~~ <sup>and</sup> ~~more~~ <sup>more</sup> ~~or~~ <sup>or</sup> ~~less~~ <sup>less</sup> acres. For which the said Harvey Skeels agreed to pay to the said Robert Pharis the sum of Ten dollars per acre - in manner following <sup>viz</sup> - Four Hundred dollars at the executing hereof - and the residue as follows Six hundred dollars on or before the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October next. also three hundred dollars on or before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May 1839 and Six



hundred dollars in three equal annual payments  
from the 1st day of April 1839-

Now on the receipt of the second payment  
being made by the said Hurvey Skeels to the  
said Robert Pharis. If the said Pharis does con-  
vey said premises to said Skeels or his assigns by  
a good & sufficient general warrant deed then  
this bond is to be null & void else in full  
force & virtue.

Said Pharis reserves two or three acres <sup>land</sup>  
on the creek at the corner of the said lot of  
land. also he reserves all the crop now  
growing.

Attest  
John D. Brooker

Robert Pharis 



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Case No. 1848-CH-0005

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No. 48-CH-5

UNION COMMON PLEAS COURT.

Demas Adams <sup>admitted</sup>  
Plaintiff

against

Thomas & Casey et al,  
Defendant.

April 1849.

APR TERM, 1849

MAY TERM, 1849

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May 29 - 1849 - Case heard and Adams  
ordered to carry out said contract and make  
good to Simpson.

<sup>c-31</sup>  
Wm Common Pleas  
In Chancery

Thomas Adams  
Advers to of  
William L Casey deced

vs  
Thomas C. Silas John,  
Edwin May, Louisa  
and Catharine Casey &  
Elizabeth Briggs late  
Elizabeth Casey & Mrs  
Green late Miss Casey  
heirs &c of William L  
Casey

Filed April 25 1848  
John C. Ball clerk  
Costs \$10.31 paid

Received  
Recorded  
English & Norton



To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of  
Common Pleas of Union County State of Ohio.

Your petitioner, James Adams, Adminis-  
trator of William L Casey deceased lat of said  
Franklin County respectfully represents that  
said William L Casey on or about <sup>the</sup> first day of  
October A D 1836 entered into a contract in  
writing with one John Watkins of Union  
County O. for the sale and conveyance to the  
said Watkins of the following describe real  
Estate, to wit, One hundred and twenty acres  
off of the south part remaining unsold of  
Survey No 5307 Virginia Military land  
in Union County excluding the farm on  
the east side of the road and between <sup>the road</sup> and  
Matthias Collins for which said Watkins  
was to pay the sum of three hundred and  
ninety dollars, \$130- of which was paid at  
the execution of the agreement and the balance  
in two equal payments of \$130. each, payable  
on the first day of December 1837 and 1838  
- the said Casey stipulating upon the payment  
of the purchase money at maturity to make  
a good and sufficient Warranty deed for  
said land

Your petitioner further represents  
that the said William L Casey in his  
life time on or about the second day  
of October A D 1837 also entered into a contract  
in writing with Samuel Wheeler Jr of Union  
County O. for the sale and conveyance to  
said Wheeler of the following described  
land situate in said county of Union  
to wit: all the balance of Survey No 5507  
in the Virginia Military District then remain



ing unavailing, the amt sold being 100 acres to  
Loughrey, 100 acres to Sibold and 130 acres to  
to Seakins, which if as then supposed would  
leave from 130 to 144 acres to be conveyed to said  
Wheeler. but your petitioner is advised and  
believes from a survey which has <sup>since</sup> been made  
that at the time of the aforesaid agreement  
with Wheeler the remainder of the survey  
unavailing only 126 acres - by the terms of said  
agreement the said Wheeler was bound to  
pay for said land at the rate of three dollars  
and twenty five cents per acre, the last of which  
was to be paid by the first day of April AD 1838.

Your petition further represents  
that since William S Casey in his life time  
and on or about August 18 AD 1836 also  
entered into an agreement in writing with  
Judah Dodge for the sale and conveyance  
to said Dodge of the real estate following  
to wit, ~~Acres~~ 376 acres of land, being Survey  
No 5724, in the Virginia Military District  
in said county of Union - for which said  
Dodge was to pay said Casey the sum of \$9400  
in installments, the last of which he would  
October 10<sup>th</sup> AD 1839.

Your petition further represents, that  
before the completion of said contracts, and  
sometime in the year 1845 the said William  
S Casey departed this life, leaving no children  
but leaving heirs, brothers and sisters, Thomas  
S Casey, Silas Casey, John Casey, Edwin  
Casey, Elizabeth Briggs, formerly Elizabeth  
Casey, Mrs Green late Miss Casey and  
Louisa Casey, and Catharine Casey his  
widow. None of whom except the said



Catharine as your petitioner is advised  
and believes now reside in the State of  
Ohio. Your petition further represents  
that at the November Term of the Court of  
Common Pleas for the County of Franklin, Ohio,  
for the Year 1845. Your petitioner was by said  
Court appointed Administrator of the Estate  
of said William L Casey deceased and that  
he still continues to be the Administrator of said  
Estate, and further represents that he is now  
desirous for and on behalf of the said heirs  
of the said William L Casey to complete the  
said contracts. That ~~the~~ all the said purchasers  
him on their part substantially complied  
with the terms of said contracts or are now  
ready so to comply.

Your petition makes the  
said heirs of the said William L Casey, the said  
Thomas L Casey, Giles Casey, John Casey, Edwin  
Casey, Elizabeth Briggs, late Elizabeth Casey, Mrs  
Green, late Miss Casey, Mary Casey, Louisa Casey  
and Catharine Casey

Your petitioner therefore prays that an order  
may be made by this Court, authorizing and appointing  
him as such Administrator fully to complete  
said contracts ~~of the above named~~, of the said William  
L Casey deceased, and to make and execute deeds  
of conveyance for and on behalf of the said  
heirs of the said William L Casey, deceased to  
the said purchasers according to the terms and  
 stipulations of their said contracts respectively

James Adams

English & Martin

Attorneys of William L Casey

Attys



Filed June 28, 1838  
John Cassie cllk

For value recd I do hereby assign  
all my right interest and share  
to the within Bond unto John Simpson  
for his use and benefit.  
Done 13<sup>th</sup> 1838.  
John Yaker



Sold to Mr Dakins one hundred & twenty acres  
off of the south part remaining unsold of Survey  
No. 5307, Berge Military Land in Union County  
excluding, the piece on ~~West~~<sup>East</sup> side of the road  
and between the road & Mr. Collins Lane  
the dividing line to run East & West parallel  
with the original lines <sup>of the survey</sup> for which Mr Dakins  
agrees to pay three hundred & ninety dollars, one  
hundred & thirty of which has been rec<sup>d</sup> per the  
hand of Mr Lewis, one hundred and thirty  
dollars, payable on or before the first of ~~Jan~~  
December next - one hundred and thirty dollars  
on the 1<sup>st</sup> of December 1838, both payments  
with interest from date, for which tax  
~~If said Dakins shall be named sum~~  
since Dakins has executed his notes  
of hand for ~~the two last named~~  
~~sums~~ which if paid on maturity I  
bind myself to make a good & sufficient  
warranted deed for said land

Columbus, 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 1836

Amos Perry

One hundred Twenty Acres off the South part  
remaining unsold of Survey No 3307 V.M.D.  
in Union County enclosing the piece on the  
east side of the road, and between the  
road & all other borders. the dividing  
line to Run east & West parallel with  
the Original E & W line of the Survey  
One hundred Twenty acres ~~separated by~~  
Contract agreement to John Searson  
Nov 13 1838.

Said land sold to Marysville Post Office

Dakin  
papers with Gay  
Union Co

Filed Jan 28. 1848  
Whitcomb CLK

11.16  
300.  
19.62  
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Received of John Dakin Twenty & 7/100  
dollars it being the amount due to the  
estate of Wm L. Casey on two notes of  
\$130 each dated Oct. 1. 1846 given to said  
Casey by said Dakin for the purchase of  
a tract of land which is described in  
a Contract held by said Dakin. There  
having been secondary payments heretofore  
made on said notes & leaving the bal-  
ance due as above. And as soon  
as I can procure authority for the  
Court or Legislature I am to execute  
a Deed to said Dakin

Oct. 22 1846

Deems Adams  
Admin<sup>r</sup> of Wm L Casey  
Deceased

Copies of Contracts  
for sale of Land  
Entered into by  
Wm L. Casey, Decd



Articles of Agreement made and entered into  
this second day of October 1837 between Wm L Casey  
of Columbus, G. on the one part, and Samuel  
Whelan Jr of Union County, G. of the other part  
Witnesseth that the said Casey has sold to the  
said Whelan for considerations hereinafter men-  
tioned all the land in Survey No 5507  
remaining unsold, the part sold being  
100 acres to Goughen, 100 to Sybold, 130 to  
LeBris, which would come from 130 to  
146 1/4 acres, he the said Whelan agrees to pay for the same  
at the rate of three dollars and twenty five  
cents per acre, of which he has paid sixty  
dollars in hand, one hundred and forty  
to be paid in thirty, and the remaining  
amount to be paid by the 1st day of April  
next, no notes has been given for the  
deferred payments but when the payments  
are made Casey is to read on the articles  
for the same

Wm L Casey

Filed June 27<sup>th</sup> 1878  
John Cassie, lkh



NOTICE.—Thomas G. Casey, Silas Casey, John Casey, Edwin Casey, Mary Casey, Louisa Casey, Elizabeth Briggs, late Elizabeth Casey, Mrs. Greer, late Miss Casey, heirs, &c., of William L. Casey, late of Franklin co. Ohio, deceased, and Catharine Casey, widow of said William L. Casey, will take notice that the undersigned as administrator of said William L. Casey, has this day filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Union co., Ohio, the object and prayer of which is to obtain an order of said Court at its next term authorizing and appointing the undersigned to complete for and on behalf of the heirs of said William L. Casey certain contracts for the sale and conveyance of certain real estate lying and being in said county of Union, entered into by the said William L. Casey, prior to his death, and that they are made parties defendant to said petition. DEMAS ADAMS, Adm'r of William L. Casey, dec'd. April 25, 1848. n19w4.

State of Ohio Union County of

J. B. Leale Editor of the Age & Union County Advertiser a paper published and in general circulation in the County aforesaid makes solemn oath that the contents hereto attached, in the case of Demas Adams Adm'r of Wm L Casey vs the heirs of said William L Casey Real Contract, by said <sup>male</sup> ~~last~~ that said notice was published in

Said paper for four consecutive weeks commencing April 25 1848 J. B. Leale

Given to & subscribed in open Court John Caspit, Clerk June 27 1848. Printers fees 2.00

on the note due October 1838,

16<sup>th</sup> Nov 14<sup>th</sup> 58

1839 Jan 9 50<sup>th</sup> 75 per Chapman

" Nov 1 124.00

Wm Casey

Recd on the within bond forty dollars for W. L. Casey  
Columbus Sept 30<sup>th</sup> 1841 John D. Hill

Received on the within bond Forty one dollars  
Columbus Feby 7<sup>th</sup> 1842 for W. L. Casey

J. Van Vechter

Received of Judah Dodge Jr. one hundred and  
fifteen dollars & ten cents, which completes the  
payment for the within described land, and a deed  
is to be made as soon as I can obtain an order of Court  
or authority from the Legislature. Dec 11. 1845

Wm. L. Casey  
Bond

Deems Adams  
administrator of  
Wm. L. Casey dec'd.

1850



Articles of Agreement made and entered  
into this 17th day of August 1836 by and between  
William L. Casey of the City of Columbus in the  
State of Ohio on the one part and Judah Dodge  
Jaw. of the other part Witnesses -

That said Casey has this day sold to said Dodge  
Three hundred & Seventy Six acres of land, being  
the whole of Survey No. 5724 in the Virginia  
military District situated in the County of  
Union in the State of Ohio. In Consideration  
whereof said Dodge agrees to pay said Casey  
the sum of Nine hundred & forty Dollars, being  
Two Dollars & fifty cents per acre, four hundred  
& fifty Dollars of which is hereby acknowledged  
to have been rec<sup>d</sup>. two hundred Dollars is to be  
paid on the 10th day of October 1837. one hundred  
and forty five Dollars on the 10th of October 1838  
and one hundred & forty five Dollars on the 10th of  
October 1839 with Interest, and for <sup>the</sup> three last  
named sums said Dodge has executed to said  
Casey his several notes of hand bearing date  
this day - And said Casey hereby binds him-  
self his heirs, exors and Administrators that  
on said Dodge completing the payments for said  
land that he will make to said Dodge a good  
and sufficient Warranty Deed therefor -

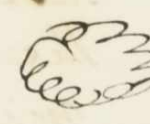
And it is also further agreed that in case said  
Survey should on a re-survey to be made by Levi  
Phelps fall short of the quantity above stated, to the

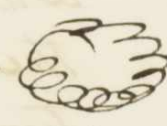


amount of sixteen acres then used in that case  
Nine hundred Dollars is all that said Casey  
is to receive and the forty Dollars is to be de-  
ducted from the last note -

In witness whereof the Parties have hereunto  
set their hands and seals this day and date  
above written

Witness  
John Field

Wm. L. Casey   
by his agent  
Deucus Adams

Judith Dodge, per: 

Columbus Sep 18<sup>th</sup> 1837. I hereby confirm & ratify  
the within Contract.

Wm L Casey



Contract of Sale  
Lund to  
Sam Wheeler  
& Union Co

1877 Dec 6<sup>th</sup> Rec<sup>d</sup> in charge of Mr Wheeler  
for the balance on his Mortgage

Filed June 28, 1868  
John Cassid Clerk

I have sold this 2<sup>d</sup> day of Sep 1837 to  
 Saml Wheeler the remaining part of Survey  
 in Union Co. No 5507. for 3.50 per acre then  
 is from 130 to 144. acres. he has paid me  
 in hand 60.00, 140.00 to be paid in thirty  
 days. the balance by the 1<sup>st</sup> of Apr next

Thos Cary

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Say	<del>34</del>	26 acres at 3.50 is	440	
	34	payment	60	
	<del>40</del>	paid in Dec 6	50	
	<del>34</del>		<hr/> 110	
	<del>40</del>	say	<del>40</del>	
			<hr/> 60	
			<del>50</del>	
			<hr/> 330	due interest



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Case No. 1848-CH-0006

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Case No. 1848-CH-0007



No. 48-CH-7

Union Common Pleas Court.

Josiah W. Henry et al  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Abert M. Hathaway et al  
Defendant.

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of inheritance in said premises from said decedent, be made  
parties defendants to this petition; that the dower of your petitioners  
Rachael Hathaway may be set off; and that your petitioners  
may be ordered to sell said real estate, or so much  
thereof as may be necessary to the debts of said estate &c,  
and such other relief &c. By Allison & Curry Attorneys for Petrs.

Clerk will issue subpoenas to the defendants in the foregoing  
Petition mentioned. June 1<sup>st</sup> 1848

Allison & Curry Solts

C-~~52~~ 28  
In Union Court Pleas  
Josiah & Henry & Rachael  
Hathaway Admrs of E. H. Hathaway

vs

Albert M Hathaway et al

Pet & Sell

Filed June 1. 1848

John Cassie clk

last bill made  
recd

Recorded

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Allison & Curry

for dec & adm



To the Court of Common Pleas of the County of  
Union, Ohio.

Your Petitioners Josiah D Henry and Rachael Hathaway Administrators of the estate of David A Hathaway deceased, respectfully represent, That the total value of the personal estate and effects of said decedent is, as near as can be ascertained, (after deducting mutual claims to and from said estate and the estate of Joseph C Phifer deceased amounting to one hundred and sixty dollars each) about four hundred dollars, which will be realized therefrom.

That the amount of debts owing by the deceased, (after making the aforesaid deduction) as nearly as they can now be ascertained amount, to five hundred and fifty two dollars, and the amount of the charges of administration about one hundred and thirty dollars. The personal estate and effects are insufficient to pay said debts.

The said decedent died seized of the real estate hereinafter described, to which he had an equitable title, ~~the~~ purchase money having been paid in full, and a Bill in Chancery filed by him <sup>was</sup> then pending for the title. That since the death of said decedent, your petitioners having been made parties complainants to said Bill, a decree was rendered by this Court in their favour, against the Heirs of said Hathaway grantor who were ~~defendants~~ in said suit, for the said premises in fee simple, for the benefit of the heirs of said decedent Hathaway. The said real estate is bounded and described as follows. Situate in the County of Union Ohio, being part of Survey No. 3444 beginning at two lincches in the west line of said survey and N.W. corner to <sup>Solomon Cook</sup> ~~land~~ <sup>and the lines of Pray & Apple</sup> ~~land~~ thence with his line S. 82 $\frac{1}{4}$  E. 150 poles to two beeches and red oak S.W. corner to Charles Burr, thence with his line N. 7 $\frac{3}{4}$  E. 168 $\frac{3}{4}$  poles to two beeches and a sugar S.E. corner to James Gaston; thence with his line N. 82 $\frac{1}{4}$  W. 150 poles to three beeches in the west line of said survey; thence with said line S. 7 $\frac{3}{4}$  W. 168 $\frac{3}{4}$  poles to the beginning containing one hundred and fifty seven and one half acres more or less.

The said decedent died, leaving your petition Rachael Hathaway his widow who is entitled to dower in said premises.

The following persons are the heirs having the next estate of inheritance in the premises above described, from the decedent, namely, Albert M Hathaway, Rachael L Henry (wife of your petitioner Josiah D Henry), Mary A Smith and John N. Smith her husband, all of whom are adults, and Ralph W Hathaway, Joseph A Hathaway, and Sarah E Hathaway, all of whom are minors. Your petitioners pray that the said persons above mentioned and described, having the next estate



The State of Ohio, } J. Joshua Garnes - do make  
Clark County ss } Solemn oath, that on the 28th day  
of August 1848 I served the

within named Rachael Henry and  
Ralph W Hathaway, each with a notice of which  
the within is a true copy; Joshua Garnes

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day  
of August 1848

J. A. High, J.P.

Hathaway Attended

no

Heirs of Hathaway

Proof of service

Filed Sept 29 1848  
Wm Cassie cllr



To Rachael L Henry, & Ralph W Hathaway

You are hereby informed, that I have filed a petition as Administrator of the estate of David H Hathaway, deceased, in the Court of Common Pleas, of Union County, for the sale of the real estate of said decedent; and shall, in pursuance of the prayer of said petition, on the first day of the September term 1848, of said Court, to wit; on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September 1848, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard, ask for an order for the assignment of the dower of the widow of David Hathaway in and for the sale of the following real estate of which the said David H Hathaway did seized, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay his debts, to wit. The homestead and farm upon which said David H Hathaway resided, at the time of his decease, being part of Survey No 3443 Virginia Military District, situate in Union County, Ohio, and containing one hundred and fifty seven & one half acres, more or less.

Dated

Josiah L Henry & }  
Rachael Hathaway } Administrators of  
David H  
Hathaway, decd

In Union Com Pleas

Henry D Hathaway, Adm'r  
&c

vs

Albert M Hathaway, et al

Proof of Publication

Filed August 14. 1849  
James Kirk Kade Jr Clerk



**S**ALE of Real Estate by order of Court.  
On the 13th day of August A.D. 1849, at 2 o'clock P. M. at the door of the Court House, in the Town of Marysville, will be sold to the highest bidder, the following real estate, as the property of David H. Hathaway, deceased, to wit: situate in the county of Union, Ohio, being part of survey No. 3144, and bounded as follows: Beginning at two beeches in the west line of said survey, and NW corner to Cook's land, thence with the line of said Cook and the line of Hopkins S 82 $\frac{1}{2}$  E 150 poles to a stone, 2 beeches and a red-oak, S W corner to Charles Burr's lot, thence with his line N 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  E 53 $\frac{1}{2}$  poles to a stake and stone, S E corner to the Dower lot of Rachael Hathaway; thence with her line N 82 $\frac{1}{2}$  W 150 poles to a stake; witness two ashes and an elm in the west line of said survey; thence with said line S 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  W 53 $\frac{1}{2}$  poles to the beginning; containing fifty acres. Appraised at \$8,00 per acre. Terms of sale: One half cash in hand, and the balance in one year, with interest from the day of sale; to be secured by mortgage on the premises.

JOSIAH D. HENRY,  
RACHEL HATHAWAY,  
Administrators of David H. Hathaway,  
deceased.

July 11, 1849.

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P. B. Cole of the County of Union being duly sworn deposes and says that a Copy of the notice hereto attached was published on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of July A. D. 1849 and weekly for more than thirty days thereafter, in a newspaper called the Anger, and Union County Advertiser (of which he is the Editor) and that said newspaper was then in general circulation in the said County of Union.

P. B. Cole

Sworn to and subscribed in open Court this 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1849.  
James Kirkland for Clerk

Union Corn, Pl as

Josiah D Henry & Richard  
Hathaway Admrs &c

by  
Albert M Hathaway &c

Sub in Chy

Filed June 12, 1848  
John Cassel et al

before this writ June 8, 1848 by delivering to  
Albert M. Hathaway, Joseph A. Hathaway David  
E. Hathaway and Mary A. Smith each a certified  
copy of this writ, and by leaving a certified copy at  
the residence of John N. Smith, balance of defendants  
not found.

fees = copies 62 1/2

postage

71

advice

115 =

\$247 1/2

Philip Swain Smith



'The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *Albert M. Heathway, Rachel S. Henry,*  
~~*Joseph D. Henry,*~~ *Mary A. Smith, John N. Smith, Ralph W. Heathway,*  
*Joseph A. Heathway, and Sarah E. Heathway,*  
to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House; on the

*First* day of the term next ensuing; to answer a *Petition to Sell Land*  
*to pay debts, & assign bonds,*  
~~*in Chancery,*~~ exhibited against them by *Josiah O. Henry, & Rachel Heathway*  
*administrators of D. H. Heathway, deceased*

and this *They* shall in no wise omit; under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *June*

*John Cassil* A. D. 1848  
Clerk of Com. Pleas.

The Union Bank of

Attorneys

vs

Attorneys

Report of Appraisers

Filed Sept 21 1848

John Cassie CM

Return of Am. of down  
to app. appraisers - & more  
of sale. one half cash is  
hand, & one half is one  
year time - appraisers  
by appraisers & cash by note  
& mortgage on the premises.



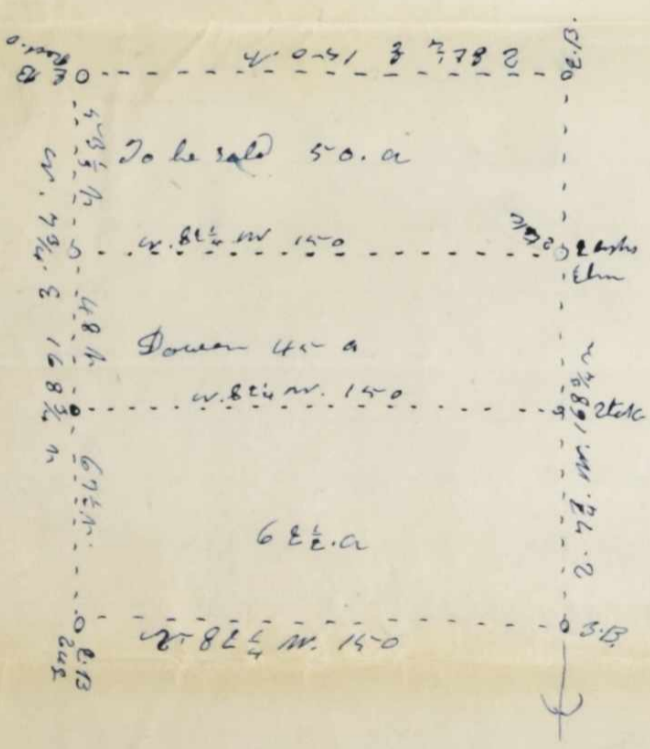
In obedience to the Command of a <sup>court</sup> order to set of Down to Rachel Hath a way Middle of D. H. Hathaway late of venison County Ohio and to Apprais land we the under signed Beads the Court After he was Sworn as the Law directs upon actual view of the lands named in sd writ set of to sd Rachel Hath a way as then called third part of 15 7/8 acrs of land in survey no 3444 forty five acrs Bounded as follows Begining at a stake and stone in the East line of the lot w 7 3/4 E. 53 1/2 poles from the S. E. Corner of sd lot & S. W. Corner to Charles Beers lot then with sd line w. 7 3/4 E. 48. poles to a stake & stone then w. 8 1/2 N. 15 0 poles to a stake in the West line of the survey then with sd line S. 7 3/4 E. 48. poles to a stake withness 2 ash es & an Elm then S. 8 1/2 E. 15 0 poles to the beginning

We also set of to be sold to pay the debts of the Estate of sd D. H. Hathaway fifty acrs on the South end of sd lot Bounded as follows Begining at 2 Beches in the West line of the survey & South West Corner to sd lot & W. W. Corner to Cooks lot then Runing with Cooks & Adch Kings line S. 8 1/2 E. 15 0 poles to a stone & Beches & a Red oak <sup>2 m</sup> Corner to Charles Beers lot then with his line W. 7 3/4 E. 53 1/2 poles to a stake & stone S. E. Corner to the above named down then with the line of sd Down w. 8 1/2 N. 15 0 poles to a stake withness 2 ash & an Elm S. W. Corner to the Down in the West line of the survey then with sd line S. 7 3/4 N. 53 1/2 poles to the beginning, which we appraise at Eight dollars for a use Reference for further discription is made to the plat here with return

Wm. B. Brown  
 E. Hammond  
 Nathaniel Raymond Commissioners

fees

Nathaniel Raymond \$.	1.00
E. Hammond	1.00
Wm. B. Brown	1.00



I here by Certify the above to be a correct plot of a lot of 15 7/8 acrs in survey no 3444 with the divisions there of as made the 20th day of Sept 1848 in the execution of an order to set of Down and Apprais land for sale is see by the Court Com man please at there Sept Tenn 1848 in the above case Wm. B. Brown Sen Judge U.C.O

fees \$ 2.50



In Union Com Deeds

Henry & Hathaway  
Attorn & c

vs  
Albert M Hathaway  
& als

Report of Sale

Filed August 14. 1849  
James Kirkcaldy clerk



Josiah D Henry  
 Rachel Hathaway  
 of David H Hathaway dead  
 vs  
 Albert M Hathaway et al

Union Common Pleas,  
 Petition to sell Land

In pursuance of an  
 order of ~~sale~~ made  
 at the September term 1848 of said court,  
 We gave notice of sale in due form of law,  
 and at the time and place mentioned in  
 said notices for said sales, to wit, at 2 o'clock  
 on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of August A.D. 1849 at the door  
 of the Court House in the Town of Mansfield,  
 Ohio, we offered said property at public vendue  
 and Miles Fliu and William Fliu having  
 bid therefore Five dollars and thirty four  
 cents per acre and they being the highest  
 and best bidders, and the same being more  
 than two thirds of the appraised value thereof,  
 we struck off and sold the same to them  
 for that sum.

Fees:  
 Publication of Notice \$  
 " " " " \$  
 at a former offer

Josiah D Henry  
 Rachel Hathaway,

} Administrators  
 of David H  
 Hathaway dead

Wm Con Pley

Josiah O'Harv & Aschad  
Hathaway Adm of  
O'Harv  
O'Harv

Abner M. Hathaway Adm

Filed Sept 21, 1848  
John Cassin Clerk

The state of Ohio Senior Court of  
Raymont  
I here by certify that Egid Hammond <sup>of Hamilton</sup>  
and William B. Brown were sworn to discharge  
the duties of the said court according to the best  
of their ability Sept 20, 1848  
M. H. Wadsworth J. D.

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The State of Ohio Union County, ss.

I, John Cassil, Clerk, of the Court of Common

Pleas in and for the County & State aforesaid, do hereby Certify  
that the following Entry is truly Copied from the Journal of said Court of  
the September term A.D. 1848. to wit,

Josiah P. Henry & Rachel

Hathaway Admrs of C. H. Hathaway

vs  
Albert M. Hathaway et al

Pl. to Sell

On Motion to the Court

by Messrs Allison & Cary Counsel for the

Petitioner. It is Ordered that the said

Rachel Hathaway be endowed of one equal

third part of the following real estate in the petition mentioned to wit, bounded  
and described as follows. Situate in the County of Union Ohio, being part of  
Survey No 3444, beginning at two beeches in the west line of said Survey and  
N. W. Corner to Solomon Cook, thence with his line and the lines of Ray Hopkins  
S.  $82\frac{3}{4}$ , & 150 poles to two beeches and a red oak S. W. Corner to Charles Burr, thence  
with his line N.  $7\frac{3}{4}$ , & 168  $\frac{3}{4}$  poles to two beeches and a sugar S. E. Corner to  
James Gaston, thence with his line N.  $82\frac{3}{4}$ , W. 150 poles to three beeches in the  
west line of said Survey, thence with said line S.  $7\frac{3}{4}$ , W. 168  $\frac{3}{4}$  poles to the  
beginning containing One hundred and fifty seven and one half acres  
more or less, and It is further Ordered that William B. Erwin, Ezekiel  
~~Harrison~~ <sup>Harrison</sup> and Nathaniel Raymond, being first duly sworn do upon  
actual view of the premises set off and assign the said dower to the  
said Rachel Hathaway, and make return of such assignment,  
and also run off from the balance so much as will secure  
by sale three hundred Dollars the probable balance of Claims  
due from said Estate, and appraise the same free of dower  
and report herein forthwith,

Witness my hand and the Seal of said  
Court this 20<sup>th</sup> Day of September A.D. 1848

John Cassil, clerk,

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0008



No. 48-CH-8

Union Common Pleas Court.

David W. Norfolk <sup>admr</sup>  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Andrew Herd et al.  
Defendant.

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In Union Com Pleas

David Banforth Adm<sup>r</sup>  
of W<sup>m</sup> Hurd. decd

vs

Andrew Hurd et als

Pet to sell Land

Filed June 6 - 1848

John Cassie clk

Like copy of  
and return June 7, 1848

Cost bill made

Rec<sup>d</sup>

Recorded

Allison & Curry



In the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union, Ohio.  
Your Petitioner, David Sanford Administrator  
of the estate of William Herd deceased, respectfully represents;  
That the total value of the personal estate and effects of said  
decedent, is as near as can be ascertained one hundred  
and seventy three dollars and seventy cents including the  
amount of the Sale Bill \$140.66 and the balance from the Claims  
due said estate all of which will be realized ~~therefrom~~  
That the amount of debts owing by the deceased, as nearly as they  
can be now ascertained together with the costs and charges  
of Administration amount to four hundred and forty  
four dollars. The personal estate and effects are insuffi-  
cient to pay said debts.

The said decedent died seized in fee simple of the  
following real estate situate in the County of Union and State  
of Ohio, being part of Survey Nos. 5778 - 5641 - 5806 - & 6495  
and bounded and described as follows Beginning at a  
Maple and two beeches the original South West Corner of said  
Survey, thence with the South line of said Survey N. 80. E. <sup>poles</sup>  
to the South West Corner of Sewell & Hartshorn, thence with said Hartshorn  
horns West line to his North West Corner in the Centre of the Delaware  
and Bellefontaine State Road, thence with the Centre of said road  
to the West line of said Survey, thence with said line S. 7. W. to  
the place of beginning, containing one hundred and seven acres  
being known as Lot No 1 of the subdivision of said survey.

The said decedent left no widow.

The following persons are the heirs having the next estate of inheri-  
tance in the premises above described, from the said decedent,  
namely Andrew Herd, Samuel G Smith and Elizabeth J Smith,  
his wife who are adults, and James Herd and Richard Herd  
minors. ~~The said~~ Andrew Herd is Guardian for the said  
James Herd, and Joshua Dilly for the said Richard Herd.

Your petitioner prays that the said persons above mentioned  
and described, having the next estate of inheritance in said  
premises, from said decedent, be made parties Defendants to  
this petition; And that your petitioner may be ordered to sell  
said real estate, &c. and such other relief, &c.

By Allison & Curry Sol<sup>r</sup> for Pet<sup>r</sup>

In Union Corn Pleas  
David Banforth  
Adminr of Wm Herd decd

vs

Andrew Herd et als

Report of Sale



David Danforth Adm<sup>r</sup> of  
William Herd decd

<sup>vs</sup>  
Andrew Herd et al

Union Common Pleas.  
Petition to sell land

In pursuance of an order  
of sale made at the June  
Term A.D. 1848 of said Court, I gave notice of sale in the  
form of law, and at the time and place mentioned  
in said notices for said sale, to wit; at the store  
of P. Manchester, in the town of Newton, Union County, Ohio.  
On the 4<sup>th</sup> day of August 1848, I offered said property  
at public vendue, and Daniel Melvin Jr. having  
bid therefor five dollars per acre, and he being the high-  
est and best bidder, and the same being more than  
two thirds of the appraised value thereof, I struck off  
and sold the same to him, for that sum.

David Danforth  
Adm<sup>r</sup> of William Herd, deceased.

Fees.

Publication of Notice \$2.50

Printers Receipt

\$2.50

Vouchers

No. 21



Recd of David Langfash, admr. of the estate  
of William <sup>3rd</sup> deceased, two dollars <sup>five</sup> ~~the~~ full  
for advertising notice of the sale of land bequeathed  
to said estate

Aug. 7, 1848

P. B. Bolt  
of Guilford

Appes Report

D Danforth Adm

Andrew Hurd

Filed June 28, 1848

John Lussie clk



State of Ohio Union Co Sd

On the 28 day of June 1848 before me personally  
appeared John Raymond Benj<sup>r</sup> Tucker & Nathaniel  
Raymond the above named & made solemn oath  
that they will upon actual view honestly & Imparti-  
ally appraise the real Estate of W<sup>m</sup> Hurd deceased in  
pursuance of the order of the Court of Common  
Pleas of Union County in the Case of David  
Danforth Administrator vs Andrew Hurd & others  
M<sup>r</sup> H. Wadhamus J<sup>r</sup> P for  
Said County

David Danforth Administrator of W<sup>m</sup> Hurd  
against Andrew Hurd & Others

In obedience to the order of the Court  
in this case after being first duly sworn & upon  
actual view of the premises in said petition described  
we the undersigned appraisers do Estimate the Just  
value of said real Estate to be five dollars per acre  
John Raymond  
Benjamin Tucker  
Nathaniel Raymond

Fees of Appraisers Each \$1.00  
Certificate & oath of appraisers 25<sup>c</sup>

Benjamin Tucker  
Nathaniel Raymond

Rec<sup>d</sup> of D Danforth one dollar Each Fee  
as appraisers in the above case

Rec<sup>d</sup> my Fees twenty five cents  
John Raymond  
Nathaniel Raymond  
M<sup>r</sup> H. Wadhamus J<sup>r</sup> P Benjamin Tucker

*[Faint vertical text, possibly a list of names or dates, mostly illegible.]*

Union Com Plus

D Southworth Adm & c

by  
Andrew Herod

Order of Appraisement

Filed June 28, 1848

John Cassie clerk



The State of Ohio Union County ss.

I John Cassid Clerk of the Court  
of Common Pleas in and for the County & State aforesaid  
hereby Certify that the following entry made at the  
June Term 1848 is truly Copied from the Journal of  
said Court to-wit,

David Dauforths Admr  
of W<sup>m</sup> Beard decd,

vs

Andrew Herod et al

Pet to sell Land,

An motion to the Court by Messrs

Allison Henry Counsel for the petitioner

It is Ordered that John Raymond

Nathaniel Raymond and Benjamin Tucker, being first  
duely sworn do upon actual view of the premises make a just  
valuation of the following real estate to-wit, part of Survey N<sup>o</sup>  
5778-5641-5806- & 6495. and bounded and described as follows  
beginning at a maple and two beeches the original south west  
corner of said Survey thence with the south line of said Survey  
N. 80. E poles to the south west corner of Sewell G Hartstons  
thence with said Hartstons west line to his north west corner in  
the Centre of the Delaware and Bellefontaine State road thence  
with the Centre of said road to the west line of said Survey  
thence with said line S 7. west to the place of beginning containing  
One hundred and seven acres being known as Lot N<sup>o</sup> 1 of  
the subdivision of said Survey, and that they return such  
valuation forthwith to this Court,

Witness my hand and seal  
of Office this 27. Day of June  
A D 1848  
John Cassid Clerk

Filed Sept. 19. 1908  
John Cassel, Clerk



**Sale of real estate by order of Court.**

ON the 4th day of August, 1848, at 1 o'clock, in the afternoon, at the store of P. Manchester in the town of Newton, Union co. Ohio. will be sold to the highest bidder the following real estate as the property of William Herd, deceased, to wit: Situate in the county of Union, Ohio, being part of survey Nos. 5778--5641--5808 and 6495, and bounded and described as follows: beginning at a maple and two beeches the original southwest corner of said survey; thence with the south line of said survey N 80 E — poles to the southwest corner of Sewell G. Hartshorn; thence with said Hartshorn's west line to his northwest corner in the centre of the Delaware and Bellefontaine State Road; thence with the centre of said road to the west line of said survey; thence with said line S 7 w to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and seven acres; being known as lot No. 1 of the subdivision of said survey. Appraised at \$5.00 per acre. Terms of sale cash in hand.

DAVID DANFORTH,

Admr. of William Herd, deceased.  
July 5, 1848. n7w4

Personally appeared P. B. Cole in  
open Court and made solemn oath  
that the notice hereunto attached was  
published for four consecutive  
weeks, commencing on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of  
July A. D. 1848 in the "Argus" <sup>weekly</sup> newspaper  
— here printed, and in general circulation  
in Union County, Ohio

P. B. Cole

Sworn to and subscribed this 19<sup>th</sup>  
day of September A. D. 1848

John C. Giffel, Clerk

for fee 250

Received for fees P. B. Cole

In Union Com Pleas  
David Sanford Adm<sup>r</sup>  
of the Herd deck

vs  
Andrew Herd et al<sup>s</sup>

Waiver of process &  
Consent to sale by  
defendants

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Filed June 6. 1848  
John Leassie ckr



David Danforth Adm<sup>r</sup> of  
William Herd Deceased

vs

Andrew Herd Samuel Smith  
and gain his wife in their  
own person and Richard  
Herd by his Guardian Joshua Judy  
and James Herd by his  
guardian Andrew Herd  
came and waived process  
and appear to said petition  
and hereby consent to the sale of the premises in the petition  
Described as prayed

Common Pleas

Petition to Sell Land

Andrew Herd heir  
and guardian for James Herd

Samuel S. Smith  
Elizabeth J. Smith  
Joshua Judy  
Guardian of  
Richard Herd

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0009



No. 48-CH-9

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# Union Common Pleas Court

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J. F. Breal et al Ex.  
Plaintiff,

against

David M. Breal's heirs  
Defendant.

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Decree for Plaintiff

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The writ of Subpoena may accordingly be issued against them -  
that they may be compelled to answer all & singular the premises  
At the Court Petitioners may be authorized to sell & convey so much  
of said real estate, as will discharge the debts of said decedent,  
with incidental charges, under such regulations as are pro-  
vided by law

By Cole & Peto

their Attys.

Was a subpoena to the Sheriff of Anne  
Arundel County, <sup>John Elliott Esq</sup> ~~James~~  
Co. for, <sup>John</sup> ~~James~~ <sup>John</sup> ~~James~~ <sup>John</sup> ~~James~~ <sup>John</sup> ~~James~~  
& Madel, and to the Sheriff of Queen County  
for Samuel S. Reed & Margaret Reed his wife  
John S. Miller

a- <sup>33</sup>  
Union Com, Pleas

J. H. Boul et al, Exrs

As  
The heirs of David M. Boul  
deceased

Petition to sub land

Filed June 16, 1848

Whitcomb & W  
last bill man  
Record

Recorded

By C & P



To the Court of Common Pleas within and  
for the County of Union and State of Ohio -

James H. Boal & George M. Boal  
Executors of the last will & testament of David M. Boal,  
deceased, late of the County of Union & State of Ohio, rep-  
resent, that the personal property of said decedent is in-  
sufficient to pay the debts of the estate, that all of the  
personal property of said decedent has been exhausted  
& that said estate is owing one hundred & thirty one  
dollars & twenty six cents, which is yet unpaid; that  
said decedent died <sup>seized</sup> in fee simple of the following real  
estate, situate in the County of Union & State of Ohio,  
& bounded & described as follows to wit; Part of Lot 4  
in Survey No. 5134, commencing at a stake in the centre of  
Darby Creek Road in the west line of the original survey  
thence S 36 1/2° W 117 poles to a small beech & 2 sugar trees.  
Thence S 53 1/2° E 72 poles to a dogwood, witness beech, sugar tree  
& dogwood; thence S 36 1/2° E 136 poles to a stake; thence S 12  
E 16 poles to the Darby Creek Road; thence with the Road  
S 78° W to the beginning containing sixty two and one  
half acres, being all that part of Lot No. 4 which re-  
mained after a sale of part thereof to Walter Marshall

Your Petitioners further represents that said de-  
cedent died leaving no widow, & that the following persons  
are the heirs, having the next estate of inheritance in  
in the premises above described from the said decedent  
namely, John Boal <sup>who resides in the State of Indiana</sup> & Samuel L. Reed & Margaret Reed his  
wife, late Margaret Boal <sup>John Elwood of Adams & Jones, Executors</sup> & Evira Boal, Martha Eliza Boal,  
& Cornelia Ann Boal <sup>the latter three minors</sup> together with your petitioners -

Your petitioners therefore pray that the above named  
John Boal, Samuel L. Reed & Margaret Reed his wife, late  
Margaret Boal, Martha Eliza Boal & Cornelia Ann Boal  
may be made parties defendants to this petition; and that

Union Com Pleas

J. F. Boal Ad Exr.

vs

The heirs of David McBoal  
vs

Subin Chy

State of Ohio Hancock County  
Personally appeared before me a Justice  
of the peace in & for said County  
who being first duly  
sworn deposed that he send  
the within named Cornelia Boal  
with a copy of the within on the  
day of June 1848

Sworn & Subscribed before

me this day of June 1848

J. P.



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

Franklin

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF ~~UNION~~ GREETING:

We command you, that you summon

Cornelia A. Boal

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the

First day of the Term — next ensuing, to answer a Petition  
in Chancery, exhibited against her, &als by James F. Boal & George M. Boal,  
Executors of the Estate of David M. Boal, Deceased

and this She shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of June

A. D, 1848

John Cassil Clerk of Com. Pleas.

Frid Nov 8, 1848  
James Kimball of N.H.



The State of Ohio Union County ss  
On the second day of November 1848 before me  
personally appeared John McCampbell William Digger  
and Joseph Gile within named and made solemn oath  
that they would upon actual view honestly  
and impartially appraise the real estate of David  
Boal deceased in pursuance of the order of the  
court of common pleas of Union County in the case of  
J<sup>r</sup> Boal Ex<sup>r</sup> ss the heirs of David Boal deceased  
November 2 1848

Perry Buck  
Justice of the peace of  
said County

James F. Boal  
George M. Boal  
Executors of ~~D. M. Boal~~  
vs  
The heirs of D. M.  
Boal

Petition to sell Land  
for Union Corn. Pleas

I acknowledge that I had notice  
of the pendency <sup>of said</sup> of the above petition, in due  
time, and I have no objection, & do consent to the  
Confirmation of the sale of said Land

D. M. Boal

June 1849



Union Com Pleas

J. F. Boal & als exr  
the heirs of David M  
Boal Deceased

Order of &c

Filed Nov 8. 1848  
James Kinkead of CLK

In pursuance to the order of the Court of  
Common Pleas of Union County and State of  
Ohio in Sept 1848 we the undersigned have  
proceeded to view the within described premises  
and we do estimate the same at two dollars  
per acre

Appraisers  
John M. Campbell  
Jesse Gill  
William Biggs

Appraisers fees \$0.50  
John M. Campbell \$0.50  
Jesse Gill \$0.50  
William Biggs \$0.50

James F. Boal  
Geo. W. Boal  
Speakers of S. W. Boal

Nov 29 1848 after the within premises for sale after  
having advertised the sale for four consecutive weeks  
in the papers and Union County Advertiser and through  
the service of John M. Robinson for the same order  
of sales & deeds fees were being the highest best  
seller and having had more than two thirds of the  
appraised value of the same,



The State of Ohio Union County ss.

J. James Kirkade Jr, Clerk of the Court of  
Common Pleas. within and for the County of Union  
and State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the following  
Entry is truly Copied from the Journal of said Court  
of the September Term A.D. 1848. To wit,

J. F. Boal et al Exors Pet. To Sell Land.

On motion to the Court  
the Heirs of David M Boal deceased } by P. B. Cole Counsel for the Petitioners  
Boal deceased } It is ordered that the said James F. Boal  
& George M. Boal, proceed upon the oath  
of John M. Campbell, Jesse Gill, & William Bigger, three  
disinterested free holders not of kin to either of the parties  
to appraise the following real estate in said petition  
described to wit, Situate in the County of Union and State  
of Ohio, & bounded & described as follows, part of Lot No. 4  
in Survey No 5134, Commencing at a stake in the centre  
of Darby Creek road in the West line of the Original Survey  
thence N 36 1/2 W. 117 poles to a small beech & 2 Sugar trees thence  
N 53 1/2 E 72 poles to a dogwood witness beech Sugar tree & Dogwood  
thence South 36 1/2 E. 136. poles to a stake thence South 12. E 16 poles to  
the Darby Creek road thence with the Darby Creek road S 78,  
W to the beginning containing Sixty two & One half acres  
being all that part of Lot No. 4, which remained after the sale  
of part thereof to Walter Marshall and it is further ordered  
that the said James F. Boal & George M. Boal, proceed  
according to law to sell said real estate in said petition  
described & upon the following terms to wit, Cash in hand  
and it is further ordered that the said James F. Boal  
and George M. Boal, make return of their proceedings  
in the premises to the next term of this court,

Witness my hand and the seal of  
said Court this 1<sup>st</sup> Day of November  
A. D. 1848.

James Kirkade Jr, Clerk.



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by

The heirs of David M Boal  
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Filed June 19<sup>th</sup> 1848  
John Cassil & M

Rec'd this writ on the 11<sup>th</sup> of June 1848  
In obedience to the command of the within writ  
I have made service by personally reading to the  
Within-named Samuel L Read and Margaret Read  
also gave each of them a copy  
June 13<sup>th</sup> 1848 Samuel Harry Shiff & Co  
per Service 53  
milage 40  
2 copys 40  
\$1.33

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

*Green*

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF ~~UNION~~ GREETING:

We command you, that you summon

*Samuel S. Reed and  
Margaret Reed*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the

*First* day of *the Term* next ensuing, to answer a *Petition*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them* ~~and~~ by *James F. Boal & George M. Boal*  
*Executors of the Estate (David M. Boal decd),*

and this *They* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *June*

A. D. 184 *8*

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.



Union Court Pleas

J. H. Boal v. J. H. Boal

vs  
the heirs of David B. Boal  
Decd

Subscribed by

Filed June 19, 1848

John Cassid Clerk

Received this writ by delivering to each of  
the within named defendants a certified copy  
thereof on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of June 1848  
Fees - mileage 25  
Fines - 37<sup>1/2</sup>  
Service - 75 = 137<sup>1/2</sup>  
Philip Shiden Sheriff

The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *John Elwell, Alvira Elwell, and  
Martha E. Boal,*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the  
*First* day of *the Term* next ensuing, to answer a *Petition*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them* ~~by~~ *James F. Boal & George M. Boal,*  
*Executors of the Estate of David M. Boal deceased,*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *June*

A. D, 1848

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.



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SALE of Real Estate by Order of Court.  
On the 29th day of May, 1849, between the hours of ten o'clock, a m, and 4 o'clock, p m, at the door of the Court house in the town of Marysville, will be sold to the highest bidder the following Real Estate as the property of David M. Boal, deceased, to wit: Part of Lot No 4 in survey No 5134, commencing at a stake in the centre of Darbyerk road in the west line of the original survey; thence N 36 $\frac{1}{2}$  w 117 poles to a small beech and 2 sugartrees; thence N 53 $\frac{1}{2}$  E 72 poles to a dogwood, witness beech, sugartree and dogwood; thence S 36 $\frac{1}{2}$  E 136 poles to a stake; thence S 12 E 16 poles to the Darby creek road; thence with the Darby creek road S 78 w to the beginning, containing sixty-two and one half acres, being all that part of Lot No 4 which remained after the sale of part thereof to Waller Marshall. Appraised at \$10,00 per acre. Terms of sale cash down.

JAMES F. BOAL,  
GEORGE M. BOAL,

Executors of the will of D. M. Boal, dec.  
April 25, 1849. n48w4

The State of Ohio  
Union County

Personally appeared  
before me David White-Englesh and  
made solemn oath that the advertisement  
-ment herewith attached was published  
for four consecutive weeks, commencing  
the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1849, in the  
"Argus" a weekly newspaper printed  
in the County of Union, Ohio, & that  
said newspaper was at that time  
in general circulation in said  
county D. W. Englesh.

Sworn to & subscribed before me  
this 29<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1849

James Loner J.P.



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Filed June 29 1948  
John Caspi, Clerk

State of Ohio Union Co., B

Personally appeared, in open court  
P. B. Boal and made solemn oath that  
the notice hereto attached, was published  
for four weeks ~~con~~ successively next after  
the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June A. D. 1848, in a News-  
paper called "The Argus" published in  
Union County, & that said Newspaper  
was during that time, in general circulation  
in said County—

P. B. Boal

Attest

Clerk

Sworn + Subscribed & subscribed  
in open court June 29<sup>th</sup> 1848  
John Cassill, Clerk

UNION COMMON PLEAS.

PETITION TO SELL LAND.

JAMES F. BOAL & GEORGE M. BOAL,  
EXECUTORS OF D. M. BOAL, DECEASED,  
vs.

JOHN BOAL, et al. HEIRS OF THE  
SAID DECEASED.

TO John Boal, and the other heirs and  
legal representatives of David M.  
Boal, deceased:—You are hereby  
informed that on the 6th day of June,  
1848, said Executors filed their petition  
in the Court of Common Pleas of Union  
co. Ohio, the object and prayer of which  
petition is to obt in an order, &c. for the  
sale of the following real estate of which  
the said David M. Boal died siezed or so  
much thereof as may be necessary to  
pay the debts of said decedent to wit:  
Part of Lot No. 4 in Survey No. 513<sup>e</sup> in  
said county, beginning at a stake in the  
centre of the Darbycreek Road in the  
west line of the original Survey; thence  
N 36 $\frac{1}{2}$  W 117 poles to a small beach and  
two sugar trees; thence N 53 $\frac{1}{2}$  E 72 poles  
to a dogwood; thence S 36 $\frac{1}{2}$  E 136 poles  
to a stake; thence S 12 E 16 poles to the  
Darbycreek Road; thence with said road  
S 78 W to the beginning; containing sixty  
two and one-half acres.

JAMES F. BOAL. } Execu  
GEORGE M. BOAL. } tors.

By COLE & WITTER, their Att's.

June 7, 1848.

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Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0010

No. 48-CH-10

Union Common Pleas Court.

Thomas B Johnson et al  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Mary E Harberton  
Defendant.

JUN TERM, 1851

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In Union Com Pleas

Thomas B Johnson et al

vs

Mary E Warburton et al

Bill of Review

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To the Court of Common Pleas within and for the County of  
Union in Chancery sitting.

Your Petitioners, Thomas B Johnston, Henry J Johnston,  
Sarah E Shackelford (who was formerly Sarah E Johnson), - Benjamin  
Dawson and Corotthy his wife (who was formerly Corotthy Childers), - William  
Lapscott and Eliza C. his wife (who was formerly Eliza C Childers)  
George Wheeler and Nancy B. his wife (who was formerly Nancy B Childers)  
- True J Elliott and Sophronia J. his wife (who was formerly Sophronia  
J. Childers), - Henry J Childers, Benjamin W Childers, Robert M  
Childers and Lucy O. his wife (who was formerly Lucy O Minor), - Agnes C  
Childers, - Philemon Jones and Emily, his wife (who was formerly Emily  
Minor), - Benjamin W Wisdom, John M Wisdom, Thomas W Wisdom,  
Corotthy B Bradley (formerly B. W. Wisdom), - Rachael W <sup>Dodger</sup> ~~Wisdom~~ (formerly  
Rachael W Wisdom), - Sally J Wisdom, Agnes W. Wisdom, Maria Wisdom, &  
Lucy Wisdom, -

respectfully represent to the Court, that on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of October  
A.D. 1845 Mary E Warburton, Thomas S Harris, John W Edloe and  
Virginia P Edloe his wife, and William L Spencer Trustee of the estate of  
the said Virginia P Edloe all of the State of Virginia, filed their Original  
Bill on the Chancery side of this Court, against your Petitioners Thomas  
B Johnston Henry J Johnston, and Waller Bullock, John M  
Gregory, William S Sullivan, Michael S Sullivan, Joseph  
Sullivan, and the Unknown heirs of John M Gregory, decd,  
and also, John Ballard, Andrew Tor ~~over~~, William G. John-  
-ston, Ann Key Childers and Benjamin Childers her husband  
Corottha P Minor and Thomas Minor Jr her husband and Sarah  
Ann Johnston if they should be living at the time of filing  
said Bill, and if they or any of them were dead at that time  
then again the heirs and legal representatives of such as were  
dead at that time.

Your Petitioners further represent that the said William J John-  
-ston, Ann Key Childers and Corottha P Minor were dead at the time  
of filing said Bill, - William J Johnston died without issue,  
Ann Key Childers left as her heirs your Petitioners Benjamin &  
Corottha Dawson; - Wm & Eliza C Lapscott, George & Nancy B Wheeler,  
True J. & Sophronia J Elliott, and Henry J. - Benjamin W. - Robert  
M. - and Agnes C Johnson, - and the other of your Petitioners  
with the exception of Thomas B & Henry J Johnson and Sarah E  
Shackelford, are the heirs of Corottha P Minor. There was no sister  
of the said John Waller Johnson deceased, named Sarah Ann.  
Your Petitioner Sarah E Shackelford is the sister and heir of the  
said John Waller Johnson, and whom your Petitioners suppose is  
the person intended. There is also still living, an heir  
of Agnes C, another sister of the said John Waller Johnson who  
was not made a party to said Bill, to wit, Agnes C Wilson.



Your Petitioners aver that they were entirely ignorant of the pendency of said Bill, until long after the rendition of the Decree in said Cause, and they hereby take immediate steps to have the same reviewed.

Your Petitioners further represent that the substance of the Decree <sup>that the said defendants having failed to plead answer or demurrer,</sup> rendered in said Cause is as follows, That said Bill as to each and all of the said Defendants, as to the matters and things therein contained, be taken for confessed, - That the Defendants Thomas B Johnson, Henry G Johnson, William G Johnson, Ann Key Childers, Benjamin Childers, Sonatha P Minor Thomas Minor Jr, and Sarah Ann Johnson are the only Heirs and Legal Representatives of John Waller Johnson deceased. That the last named parties "or such of them as may be living, and that the unknown Heirs and legal representative of such of them as may be dead, convey in fee simple by deed, the following described lands to wit, Survey No. 2984 for 1000 acres entered in the name of John M Gregory on the waters of Boker's <sup>creek</sup> Union County, Ohio, Survey No. 3679 for 200 acres entered in the name of John M Gregory on Early Creek Madison County Ohio, and ~~one undivided~~ Survey No. ~~2985~~ No 2985 for ~~1088 2/3~~ 1088 2/3 acres entered in the name of Andrew Tarborn on Early Creek Madison County, Ohio. 1/3 to the said Mary E Warburton one third to the said Thomas D Davis, and 1/3 to the said William L Spencer in trust for the said Virginia P. Edloe. with covenants of Special Warrantee by such of them as are in Law Capable of Covenantee, the deed to be delivered within thirty days to the Clerk of the Court, and in default thereof that the deeds stand as such conveyance in fee simple. In the first Decree 1088 2/3 acres of Survey No 2985 was referred to a Special Master - who at a subsequent Term made his report, which was confirmed in the second decree, and a conveyance of said land ordered as above, within ten days - And that the costs of said suit be paid by Complainants.

Your Petitioners respectfully aver that they have been aggrieved by the said Decrees made in said Cause and pray that the same may be reversed by your Honors, and that they ought not to be bound thereby, nor should such Decrees have been made or pronounced against your Petitioners. Particularly the decree concerning the 1088 2/3 acres of Survey No. 2985, neither ought your Petitioners to ~~stand~~ convey as by the said Decree is ordered, and that the said Decrees are erroneous, and ought to be reversed; and for errors do assign the following.

1st The Court erred in decreeing against the said Thomas B Johnson &c if living, and against the <sup>unknown</sup> Heirs &c of such of them



- as may be dead,
- 2<sup>nd</sup> The Court erred, in decreeing against your Petitioners as unknown heirs, without having the affidavit of the Complainants annexed to said Bill of their want of knowledge of the names and residence, of your Petitioners,
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> The Court erred in decreeing against persons who at the time were not living,
  - 4<sup>th</sup> The Court erred in finding that the persons therein named were the only heirs &c of the said John Haller Johnson deceased,
  - 5<sup>th</sup> The Court erred in granting a decree for the 1088 $\frac{2}{3}$  acres of Survey No 2985, without proof of a sale, and the payment of the purchase money,
  - 6<sup>th</sup> The Court erred in finding that they were satisfied that the purchase money for said 1088 $\frac{2}{3}$  acres was paid, when the report of the Special Master appointed for the purpose, showed that there was no proof of payment, which report was ratified and confirmed by the Court,
  - 7<sup>th</sup> The Court erred in decreeing in favour of the Complainants in said suit, when in equity the decree should have been in favour of the defendants, your Petitioners,
  - 8<sup>th</sup> Other errors were also made in the recitation of said decree both in law and in fact, and consequently
  - 9<sup>th</sup> The Court had no jurisdiction over the 1088 $\frac{2}{3}$  acres of Survey No, 2985 in Madison County, nor over any other of your Petitioners than the said Thomas B Johnson and Henry G Johnson,
  - 10<sup>th</sup> No publication was made in a newspaper of General Circulation in said County for the time required by law, and consequently your Petitioners ought not to be bound thereby, for all of which errors and imperfections in the said decree, your Petitioners have brought this their Bill of review and humbly conceive they should be relieved therein, and the said decrees and proceedings ought to be reviewed and reversed,

Your Petitioners therefore pray that said ~~proceedings~~ and decrees may be reviewed and reversed, that the writ of Subpoena may issue to the other parties to said former proceedings who are within the jurisdiction of this Court, and that proper notice may be ~~given~~ ordered to the defendants hereto who are non residents, that they may answer on the premises; and that your Petitions may be relieved in all ~~and~~ singular the premises according to Equity and good conscience, and such other and further relief &c

By Allison & Curry Their Solrs

Union Loan Pleas

Thomas B Johnson et al  
vs

Mary E Warburton et al

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Filed June 24, 1848

John Cassil et al

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**THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.**

To the Sheriff of the County of <sup>Franklin</sup> ~~Union~~, Greeting:

We command you to summon *William S Sullivan. Michael S Sullivan*  
*and Joseph Sullivan.*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the *First*  
day of *the Term* — next ensuing, to answer a *Bill of Review* — in Chancery, exhibited  
against *them* ~~it~~ by *Thomas B Johnson et al.*

and this *They* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then there  
this writ.

Witness, JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the Court House, this *Twelfth* — day of

*June* A.D., 1848  
*John Cassil* Clerk of Common Pleas.

Johanna Et. al.  
vs Proof pub.  
Wardenton Et. al

Filed May 30. 1849  
J. P. Knickerbocker clerk

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In Union Common Pleas.

Thomas B. Johnston, et als.) BILL  
OF  
Mary E. Warburton, et als.) REVIEW.  
Thomas B. Johnston, et als.) Supplemental  
BILL.

MARY E. WARBURTON, Thomas D. Harris, John W. Edloe, and Virginia P. Edloe, his wife, and William L. Spencer, Trustee of the Estate of the said Virginia P. Edloe, are hereby notified, that on the 12th day of June, A. D., 1848, Thomas B. Johnston and other heirs of John Waller Johnston, deceased, late of the State of Kentucky, filed in the Court of Common Pleas of the county of Union and State of Ohio, a Bill of Review against the said Mary E. Warburton, Thomas D. Harris, John W. Edloe and Virginia P. his wife, and Wm. L. Spencer, Trustee as aforesaid, the object and prayer of which Bill is to have reviewed and reversed certain decrees rendered by the said Court, in the original suit which is sought to be reviewed, which was commenced on the 28th day of October, A. D. 1845, wherein the above notified persons were complainants, and the said Thomas B. Johnston and others were defendants; and in which suit it was decreed by said Court that the defendants therein named (who are complainants in the Bill of Review) convey in fee simple, the following described lands, to wit: Survey No. 2984 for 1000 acres in Union co; and Survey No 3679 for 200 acres; and Survey No 2985 for 1660 1/2 acres in Madison co; or that in default of said conveyance, the said decree should operate as such conveyance. Divers errors are assigned in said Bill as cause for review.

The said John M. Maupin will also take notice that on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1848, a Supplemental Bill was filed in said cause, by the complainants in said Bill of Review against the said John M. Maupin and others. The Supplemental Bill charges that since the rendition of said Decrees, the said John M. Maupin has obtained a conveyance for a portion of said lands from the said complainants in the original Bill, which was made to him in pursuance of an agreement made between them before the rendition of said decrees, and before the filing of the original Bill, as his fee for his services in obtaining said decrees, and is therefore a party to and had full knowledge of all errors committed in the rendition of said decrees. The bill prays for the same relief against the said Maupin, as might have been had against the original complainants. The said Mary E. Warburton, Thomas D. Harris, John W. Edloe and Virginia P. his wife, Wm. L. Spencer and John M. Maupin are further notified, that unless they appear, and plead answer, or demur to the said Bill and Supplement, within 60 days after the next term of said Court, the said Thomas B. Johnston, et als. at the Term next after the expiration of said sixty days, will apply to said Court to take the matters of the Bill and Supplement as confessed, and to decree thereon accordingly.

ALLISON & CURRY,  
Sols. for Compls.  
Attest JAMES KINKADE, Jr. Clerk.  
April 11, 1849. n: 6w6

*State of Ohio Union County*

*P. B. Blewle Publisher of the Argus  
a news paper published and in  
General Circulation in said County  
makes solemn oath that the  
Copies attached was published in said  
paper for six weeks consecutively commencing  
April 11 1849*

*P. B. Blewle*

*Known to & subscribed to before me  
May 30 1849 J. Kinkade Jr. Clerk*

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0011



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Thomas B. Johnson et al.  
vs.

Rendall Thomas et al

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In Union Coin Pleas

Thomas B Johnson et als

vs

Rendell Thomas et als

Supplemental Bill

Filed June 12, 1848  
John Cassid et al

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Allison & Curry

(Copied)



To the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County  
of Union, in Chancery Sitting.

Humblly complaining your Petitioners Thomas B Johnson  
Henry G Johnson, Sarah S Shackelford, Benjamin Dawson  
and Coratha his wife, William Tapscott and Eliza C. his wife,  
George Wheeler and Nancy B. his wife, True G Elliott and Sopho-  
= rina D. his wife, Henry J Childers, Benjamin W Childers, Robert  
M Childers and Lucy O. his wife, Agnes C Childers, Philemon  
Jones and Emily his wife, Benjamin H Wisdom, John M  
Wisdom, Thomas W Wisdom, Coratha B Bradley, Rachael  
W Boyer, Sally J Wisdom, Agnes W Wisdom, Maria Wisdom  
& Lucy Wisdom.

respectfully represent to the Court that on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of  
October A D 1845 Mary E Warburton, Thomas E Harris, John  
W Edloe, and Virginia P Edloe his wife, and William  
L Spenser trustee of the estate of said Virginia P Edloe  
filed their original Bill in Chancery <sup>in this Court</sup> against your  
Petitioners and others, wherein your Petitioners were ordered  
by the decree of said Court to convey to convey to the said  
Mary E Warburton and the other Complainants therein,  
the following described lands to wit, Survey No. 2984 for 1000 acres  
entered in the name of John M Gregory, on the waters of Boker Creek  
Union County, Ohio, Survey No. 3679 for 200 acres entered in the  
name of John M Gregory, on Early Creek Madison County, Ohio,  
and Survey No. 2985 for 1666 $\frac{2}{3}$  acres entered in the name of  
~~John M Gregory~~ Andrew Tarborn on Early Creek Madison  
County, Ohio.

Your Petitioners further represent, that they have this  
day filed in this Court, their Bill praying that the proceed-  
ings and decrees in said original Bill of Mary E Warburton  
and others may be reviewed and reversed, for divers  
good and sufficient Causes in their said Bill of Review  
set forth, all of which matters will more fully appear <sup>of this Court</sup> reference being had to the file.

Your Petitioners further represent that since the  
 rendition of the said decrees, in the original suit,  
the following persons have become interested in the whole  
or a portion of said lands, to wit, Kendall Thomas  
of Franklin County, Ohio, John M Masspin of the State  
of ~~Ohio~~ Virginia, Richard Conglass of Ross County, Ohio, and  
George W Blair, James Lappin, Joseph Penney, Abner Johnston,  
Samuel Keene, Luther Johnston, Abraham Johnston, Lewis Johnston  
and Samuel Lappin of the County of Madison, Ohio, all of whom  
your Petitioners charge obtained their claims of title from  
or through the said Mary E Warburton, Thomas E Harris, John



W Edloe, and Virginia his wife and the said William L Spences  
as said Trustees, with a full knowledge of the just  
rights and equities of your Petitioners in and to the said  
lands, and of the many errors and imperfections in the  
proceedings and decrees under the said Original Bill,  
Your Petitioners charge that the said Kendall Thomas  
who was the Solicitor for the Complainants in the original  
suit, and the said John M Maupin obtained their  
claim to the one undivided half part of the said lands  
by virtue of a sale or agreement made between  
them and the said Mary E Warburton and the other Complain-  
ants to the Original Bill, before the rendition of the said  
decrees, and before the filing of their said original Bill,  
as their fees, for attending to said suit, although they obtain-  
ed their conveyance after the rendition of said decrees, and  
being thus parties to the original errors, and interested  
are not entitled to the protection of this Court. That  
the said Richard Conglass, George W Blair, James Lappin  
Joseph Perney, Abner Johnson, Daniel Keene, Luther  
Johnston, Abraham Johnston, Lewis Johnston, and Samuel  
Lappin, have paid no portion of the purchase money  
for the part of the said lands claimed by them, that with  
a view to the rights of your Petitioners, they have  
refused to pay the purchase money until said lands  
are entirely released from the claims of your Petitioners  
and to that end the said Kendall Thomas as the Solicitor  
of the above named persons residing in Madison County  
has filed a Bill in Madison County Common Pleas  
against your Petitioners to quiet their title to the  
part of said lands claimed by them, That said  
Thomas acts for himself and also the said Mary  
E Warburton and the other Complainants to said original  
Bill, <sup>and also for</sup> together with the said John M Maupin  
by virtue of a Power of Atty for that purpose. That by  
the agreement between the said Conglass and the  
said Thomas, provision is made for the rights  
of the Petitioners, that in case said decree should  
be reversed ~~in favour~~ <sup>in favour</sup> of your Petitioners,  
no portion of the purchase money is to be exacted,  
your Petitioners therefore pray that the said Kendall  
Thomas, John M Maupin, Richard Conglass, George W Blair,  
James Lappin, Joseph Perney, Abner Johnson, Daniel Keene  
Luther Johnston, Abraham Johnston, Lewis Johnston and  
Samuel Lappin, may be made defendants hereto, and  
to their Bill of Review, that they may answer under  
oath all and singular the premises herein contained



as full as if put by specific interrogatories, that the Petition-  
ers may have the same benefit of the said suit and proceedings  
in Review, against them and may have the same relief  
against them, as they might have had against the said  
Mary & Warburton and the other Complainants in the  
original Bill in case they had not conveyed, or sold  
any portion of said premises, and that this your  
Petitioners bill of Complaint may be deemed and taken  
as and for a bill of Supplement to their said Bill  
of Review, And for such other and further relief  
&c

By Allison & Curry their Attys.

Union Common Pleas.

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Thomas B Johnson, Adl,  
vs { In Chancery.  
Kendal Thomas, Adl.

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The answer of R Douglas

<sup>No.</sup>  
Filed March 14. 1849  
James Kinrad, CTR

Recorded



The Separate Answer of Richard Douglas to a supplemental bill or petition in Chancery in Union County Common Pleas by Thomas B Johnson & others against himself & others -

This Defendant now and ever reserving all benefit of exception and Causes of Demurrer to the many errors and insufficiencies in said petition, for answer thereto on oath as required he answers as follows (to wit)

He admits, as stated in the petition, that on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of October AD 1845, Mary E Warburton, Thomas D Harris, John W Edloe, and Virginia P his wife and William L Spencer trustee of the estate of the said Virginia P Edloe, filed their original bill in Chancery in this Court against the present petitioners and others wherein the present petitioners were ordered by the Decree of said Court to convey to the said Mary E Warburton & others, Complainants, the following described lands to wit "Survey No 2984 of 1000 acres entered in the name of John M Gregory on the waters of Bokes Creek Union County Ohio", together with other lands as named in said petition, and that by the terms of said decree entered up in this Court at the July Term AD 1846, the said party were ordered & required to deliver the said Deed of Conveyance for survey No 2984 and certain others as therein named within 30 days to the Clerk of this Court, to be by him handed over to the said Complainants, and in default thereof that said decree stand as such Conveyance in fee simple of said described lands; - That the said decree was not complied with, and the same thence became absolute against them as a legal fee simple title in the said Mary E Warburton & others as well by the terms thereof as the Statute in such case made and provided. - This Defendant in further answering admits, that since the rendition



of the said decree in the original suit he has become interested under the same to a portion of said lands (to wit) the said Survey No 2984 of 1000 acres; but no other - He denies expressly the following statements and charges so far as they refer to him in said petition made - 1<sup>st</sup> That he has paid no portion of the purchase money for the part of said land claimed by him - 2<sup>d</sup>, that with a view to the rights of the present petitioners he has refused to pay the purchase money until said lands are entirely released from their claims - and 3<sup>d</sup>, "That by the agreement between the said Douglass and the said Thomas provision is made for the rights of the petitioners That in case said Decree should be (reversed) in favor of your petitioners no portion of the purchase money is to be exacted" - But on the contrary he states and says that the facts respecting said purchase are as follows to wit - On the 24<sup>th</sup> day of December AD 1847 this Defendant purchased of said Warburton & others & John M Marston and Kendall Thomas (who held a deed from them for a portion thereof dated November 17 1846 and duly recorded) the whole of said Survey Number 2984 at the price of 1000 dollars, all of which he paid in Cash down at the date, and then & there received their deed in fee simple therefor executed by their attorney in fact Kendall Thomas, therefor legally authorized, and said Thomas in his own right, - upon which said Deed is a receipt for said purchase money, and all recorded in the Records Office in Union County on January 1<sup>st</sup> 1848 in Book 11 Pages 264 265 & 266, to which this Defendant makes reference as a part hereof - to be precisely definite in said payment perhaps it is proper for him to state, that he gave the eight Check of S Bank to the Clinton Bank for \$250 - his own \$5 at the Chillicothe Branch for \$450, and his own negotiable note for \$300 payable on the 1<sup>st</sup> day



of May then next, which said note was received as money and immediately negotiated, and paid by him at maturity to the said Chillicothe Branch Bank.

This defendant therefore avers that he is a bona fide purchaser with full payment and conveyance of said Survey No 2984 of and from the persons in whose favor said decree was made at a period of 16 months or upwards after the time limited for the execution of the Decree had transpired, and the decree had become and was an absolute title against the present petitioners, and without any service of process or notice that the same was sought to be reversed - He therefore claims the benefit and protection of the law, as well as the Statutes in such case made and provided, and insists that whether said decree is reversed or not, or whatever may be the disposition of it, it cannot affect his title thus acquired. As to all the other lands and transactions with other persons respecting them named in said petition (save & except said Survey No 2984) this Dept is an entire stranger and has no concern - As to the statement in the petition that this defendant obtained his claim of title with a full knowledge of the just rights and equities of the petitioners, he answers, that as to Survey No 2984 he denies that at said time the said petitioners had any just rights and equities or either, or that he had any knowledge thereof if they had - but on the contrary both before and at the time of said purchase by, and conveyance to him, he was informed and believed that as to that Survey no claim was made or entertained or ever would be interposed by the now petitioners or any one else under them; and indeed very lately and since the commencement of this suit he has received full intimations from different sources that as to this defendant and his title to said Survey No 2984 it was



not intended to press, but that it became a necessary  
insertion from its connection with others, and the original  
Decree - This defendant cannot admit that there are  
errors in the original proceedings and decrees, nor does he  
conceive it his province to say whether there are or not, it  
being a matter exclusively for the cognizance and  
adjudication of the Court, and especially as he was not a  
party to said original proceedings and decree nor is he to the  
bill of review thereof said to be now filed.

This defendant purchased the whole of said Survey for  
taxes in 1843 and thence went into possession claiming  
title and has so continued ever since, and paid all  
the taxes thereon which were very heavy, and has  
made some lasting and valuable improvements  
thereon previous to and since his last purchase,  
inasmuch that his purchase money accruing, taxes paid,  
expenses and improvements, with lawful interest from  
the time of the disbursements will now amount to  
nearly or about 1700 dollars.

And this defendant denies all and all manner of  
fraud unlawful combination or improper doing  
in this matter, and having fully answered &c  
without that &c, he submits himself and his rights  
to the protection and disposition of this Honble Court,  
and thereupon prays to be hence dismissed with his  
Costs &c -

R. Douglas -

State of Ohio Ross County ss -

The said Richard Douglas maketh oath and saith that  
the matters and things contained in the above & foregoing answer  
so far as therein stated to be of his own knowledge are true  
and so far as therein stated as from the information  
of others he believes to be true.

R. Douglas



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Sworn to and subscribed before me an  
Associate Judge of the Court of Common Pleas  
in and for said County this 14<sup>th</sup> day of  
October Anno Domini one thousand eight  
hundred and forty eight.

Thomas C. ...  
J. ...

Union Com Returns

Thomas B Johnson et al

vs

Rendall Thomas et al

Sub in ch

Summoned by  
leaving a copy of  
this writ at the  
residence of the said  
defendant Richard  
Douglas.

July 4, 1848  
Charles Martin Sheriff  
of Pop Co

By Mrs Prop Pop Sheriff

Service	35
Mileage	3.25
Copy	12
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	\$ 3.72

Filed July 8<sup>th</sup> 1848  
John Capell, Clerk

Recorded



**THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.**

**To the Sheriff of the County of <sup>Ross</sup> ~~Union~~, Greeting:**

We command you to summon

*Richard Douglass,*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the *First*  
day of *the Term* next ensuing, to answer a *Supplemental Bill* in Chancery, exhibited  
against *him* *et al* by *Thomas B Johnson et al*

and this *is* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then there  
this writ.

Witness, JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of our said Court, at

the Court House, this *Twelfth* day of

*June* A.D., 1848

*John Cassil* Clerk of Common Pleas.

Union Com Pleas

Thomas B Johnson et al  
vs

Wendell Thomas et al

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Filed Jun 21, 1848  
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June 13<sup>th</sup> 1848

Served on Wendell Thomas personally

by Coffey

June 13<sup>th</sup> 1848 on S. Decker City

Schuyler Graham Atty



THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.

To the Sheriff of the County of <sup>Franklin</sup> ~~Union~~, Greeting;

We command you to summon *Rendall Thomas*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the *First*  
day of *the Term* — next ensuing, to answer a *Supplemental Bill* in Chancery, exhibited  
against *him* ~~to~~ by *Thomas B Johnson et al*

and this *he* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then there  
this writ.

Witness, JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the Court House, this *Twelfth* day of

*June* A.D., 1848  
*John Cassil* Clerk of Common Pleas.

Union Com Pieces

Thomas B Johnson et al

vs

Rendell Thomas et al

Sub in Chr

Lined Jan 28 1848  
John Capt A. Clerk

Recorded

I have served Abraham Johnston and Lewis  
Johnston personally with true copies of this writ  
and all the other within named defendants  
by leaving true copies at their usual places of  
residence this 24<sup>th</sup> day of June AD 1848.  
Exp fees Mileage 1.25  
Fees 1.25  
copy 1.80  
\$5.00  
John Jones & Co



THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS,

To the Sheriff of the County of <sup>Madison</sup> ~~Union~~, Greeting:

We command you to summon George W Blair, James Sappin, Joseph Penney, Abner Johnston, Daniel Keene, Luther Johnston, Abraham Johnston, Lewis Johnston, and Samuel Sappin, to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the <sup>First</sup> day of <sup>the</sup> Term — next ensuing, to answer a Supplemental Bill in Chancery, exhibited against ~~them et al~~ by Thomas B Johnson et al

and this <sup>they</sup> shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then there this writ.

Witness, JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the Court House, this Twelfth day of

June . A.D., 1848  
John Cassil Clerk of Common Pleas.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0012



No. 48-CH-12

Union Common Pleas Court.

Samuel A Cherry  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

James S Alexander  
Defendant.

NOV TERM, 1852

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Union Com. Pleas

Samuel A. Cherry Feb

James S. Alexander

Bill in Chancery

Filed June 29, 1848

John Cassil Clerk

Cost bill  
made

Record

Your petitioners therefore pray that the said James  
V. Alexander & Nancy Alexander his wife  
be made defendants by virtue of the proviso of  
the Statute in relation to irregular proceedings,  
that the said James answer the same under his  
oath as fully as though he was particularly interrogated  
therein.

And when hearing wherefore that the said Alexander be  
ordered to pay what is due on the said writ of attorney  
for the judgment of the said judgment as in default  
thereof that the said Mortgagee be not subject  
to the judgment of the \$400 due to the said Elizabeth  
Wheary or in such other manner as the  
Court may direct. And such other & further relief  
as may be agreeable to equity as your Com.  
prayer. And your petitioners will ever pray &c  
J. S. Powell Sol. for Compts.



To the Judges of the Court of Com. Pleas  
for the County of Union, in Chancery sitting.

Your <sup>petitioner</sup> <sup>Elizabeth Ward and Mary Ward</sup> <sup>and</sup> <sup>James A. Cherry</sup> respectfully  
represents, that the <sup>said</sup> administrator on the estate of  
William Robt late of the <sup>said</sup> County deceased; that the <sup>said</sup>  
Robt in his life time on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1842  
recovered a judgment in this Court on the law side  
thereof against James S. Ward since deceased  
for the sum of three hundred and thirteen dollars  
& fifty nine cents (\$313.59) ~~damages~~ and costs  
of suit taxed at \$  upon which there has  
accrued increase costs to the sum of \$

And afterwards on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of May 1843, in consider-  
ation that the <sup>said</sup> Robt by his attorney William C. Lawrence  
had assigned the <sup>said</sup> judgment to William Ward the  
father of <sup>the</sup> James S. Ward, they the <sup>said</sup> James S. Ward  
& William Ward since deceased then in full life  
gave to the <sup>said</sup> William Robt a writing obligatory by which  
the <sup>said</sup> James S. & William Ward promise and bound  
themselves jointly & severally, their heirs & administrators  
to pay <sup>the</sup> William Robt or assigns three years  
from that date (May 30<sup>th</sup> 1843) fifty dollars, one  
year from that time fifty dollars, and yearly on  
the same day of the month and year fifty dollars  
until the <sup>said</sup> judgment shall be paid up in full.

And afterwards and after the decease of the <sup>said</sup> William  
Ward on or about the 30<sup>th</sup> day of May 1847, the <sup>said</sup>  
Elizabeth & Mary Ward two daughters of the <sup>said</sup>  
William Ward decd. sold to James S. Alexander  
a farm of about forty six acres of land situated  
directly east of the town of Marysville, and known as  
the farm of William Ward and on which he in his life  
time resided (more particularly described in a copy of  
copy of a Mortgage from <sup>the</sup> Alexander to <sup>the</sup> Elizabeth



and Nancy hereto attached and made a part of this bill;) which leave the said Elizabeth & Nancy receive of their father, and bound for the payment of the said writing obligatory. And the said Elizabeth & Nancy at the time they so sold the said lands to the said James S. Alexander took from the said Alexander & Nancy his wife a Mortgage on the said farm and lands; which was duly recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for the said County in Book 10. page 563, on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1847, (a copy of which is hereto attached as aforesaid) Conditioned for the payment of a note given by the said James S. to the said Elizabeth & Nancy of the same date (to wit, May 12<sup>th</sup> 1847) for the payment of the sum of four hundred dollars in six years from date; and also pay a claim of about four hundred seventy five <sup>66</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars which William Wood the father bound himself & heirs to pay to William Robt; (meaning the judgment aforesaid).

And although a judgment has been entered for the payment of the first payment of fifty dollars & interest on the said writing obligatory on the docket of James B. Wilkins a justice of the Peace, and although three payments of \$50. each are now due yet the said James S. Alexander wholly neglects & refuses to pay the same on any part thereof.

And the said estate of the said William Robt, decd, being indebted to Thomas W. Powell, the said Samuel A. Cherry administrator, as aforesaid, in pursuance of an agreement between the said Powell & Robt, in his life time assign the said claim against the said William Wood to the said Powell for whose use this suit is brought.



Your petitioners further represent that they are desirous that the said Alexander should pay the said claim to the said Powell, or that in default that the said Mortgage premises be sold either, subject to the payment of the sum of \$400, to the said Elizabeth or Nancy, or so as that the whole be settled up.

Samuel A. Cherry et als  
vs  
James S. Alexander et als  
Appraisment of real estate

Filed October 17. 1849  
J. Runkade Jr. CLK



Samuel A. Cherry et als }  
 vs }  
 James J. Alexander et als }  
 We the undersigned having been called upon by Philip Snider Sheriff of Union County, Ohio. to appraise the following described real estate situate in the County of Union, Ohio. and bounded and described as follows. to wit: part of Military Survey No. 3351. beginning at a stake 160 poles East of the Centre of Marysville at the Junction of the Columbus and Delaware roads, thence running east 138 poles to an oak and two Ashes, thence North 65 poles to a stake in the Delaware road, thence S 64° W 182 poles to the beginning containing twenty eight acres more or less. Also one other piece or parcel of land part of said Survey No. 3351. lying and being in the County of Union & State of Ohio. bounded and described as follows. beginning at a stake where the Waldo Road leaves the road leading from Marysville to Delaware thence N 64° E. 44 1/4 poles to a stake, thence S 79 1/2° W. 78 1/2 poles to Millcreek thence with the meanders of said Creek S 14° W. 8 poles. thence S 75° E. 34 poles thence S 17° E. 9 poles. thence S 5° E. 42 poles. thence S 30° W 94 poles to the beginning. containing forty six acres & 25 poles more or less. After having been duly sworn by said Sheriff and upon actual view of said premises we do appraise the same at \$22.00 per acre. Given under our hands and seals this 17<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D 1849

Appraisers fees 50cts each \$1.50

James Turner seal  
 Rawson Welch seal  
 Thomas Turner seal

The State of Ohio Union County, ss.  
 Personally appeared before me Philip Snider Sheriff of Union County, the above named James Turner, Rawson Welch and Thomas Turner and made solemn oath to discharge the duties of appraisers of the above described real estate impartially according to law and the best of their abilities. October 17. 1849

Philip Snider Sheriff

I certify the above to be a true copy of the original  
 Philip Snider Sheriff



Union Com Pleas

S. A. Cherry vs

S. L. Alexander & wife

Order of Sale

Filed Nov. 21, 1849  
James Kinkadey Jr Clerk

To Nov Term 1849

J. M. Powell

Received this writ October 11, 1849 In obedience to the within  
command I had the ~~within~~ land on the within  
described Bill appraised by the oaths of James Turner, Rawson  
Welsh and Thomas Turner, at \$22.00 per acre and filed a cert-  
fied copy of said appraisement with the Clerk of the Court of  
Common Pleas of Union County, advertised the same for  
sale by publication in the Marysville Tribune a Newspaper  
published and in general circulation in Union County for  
at least 30 previous to the day of sale, I afterwards,  
to wit; on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of November A.D. 1849. (it being  
the day I advertised the same to be sold) between the  
legal hours of ten o'clock, A.M. and four o'clock  
P.M. offered the same for sale and by consent of  
complainant property not sold.

Fees = Calling August - 1.00

Appraisers fees - 1.50

copy of Apprais - 25

service - 35

mileage - 05

advertising - 25

Pr fee 3.75

Philip Snider Sheriff



Samuel A. Cherry et als }  
James S. Alexander et als } Chy. This day came the  
as } Complainants, and no one  
Appearing for the Defendants;  
and the said James S. Alexander and his wife still  
failing to plead answer or demur to the said Bill,  
It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed that the  
said bill be taken for confessed; and was argued by  
counsel, upon consideration whereof the Court do find  
the equity of the case to be with the Complainants, and  
that there is now due to J. W. Powell, as stated in the bill  
the sum of Four hundred and thirteen dollars, being seven  
fifty dollars and interest thereon besides the money to become  
due hereafter as therein stated. It is therefore ordered  
adjudged and decreed that the said Defendants within  
thirty days from this date pay to the Complainants for  
the use of the said J. W. Powell, the said sum of \$413, with  
interest thereon from the 30<sup>th</sup> day of May last when the seven  
fifty dollars became due, and also the costs of this suit to be  
taxed, and in default thereof that the Sheriff of this County for the  
time being, who is hereby appointed Special Master for that purpose  
proceed to sell the tenements in the said Bill mentioned as upon  
judgments at Law; and report his proceedings in the premises  
to the next term of this Court, to which time this cause is continued,  
and all questions as to the amount then due on the said mortg  
-age is reserved to that time.

The State of Ohio Union County ss.  
I James Kirkade Jr Clerk of the Court of common  
Pleas within and for the County of Union and State of Ohio  
do hereby certify, that the foregoing entry is truly taken and  
copied from the Journal of said Court, of the term of  
August AD 1849.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court at  
Mansfield the 11, day of October AD 1849  
James Kirkade Jr Clerk



Union Com. Pleas

Samuel A. Cherry, et al  
vs  
James S. Alexander & wife

Order for sale

Filed August 13. 1850

James Kirkcaldy per CLK

J. W. Powell at/on  
compt

Received this writ July 4<sup>th</sup> 1850  
I duly advertised the within described property for  
sale by publication in the Marysville Tribune, a  
newspaper published and in general circulation  
in Union County, Ohio, for at least thirty days  
previous to the day of sale. In pursuance of said  
notice I afterwards, to wit: on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of  
August A.D. 1850 between the hours of ten o'clock  
A.M. and four o'clock P.M. offered said real  
estate for sale by public auction at the door  
of the Court house in the town of Marysville  
in said County, and there and there  
sold the same to John Cassil for the sum  
of fourteen dollars and sixty six and two  
third cents per acre he being the highest  
and best bidder therefor and that being  
two thirds the appraised value thereof.

Fees = mileage 5

service .35

advertising 25

bondage 21.75

Pr fee 3.75

Philip Sneider Sheriff  
and Special Master



Samuel A. Cherry et al } August Term A.D. 1849  
 vs }  
 James L. Alexander et al } Chy. This day came the Complain-  
 defendants; and no one appearing for the  
 plaintiffs; and the said James L. Alexander and his wife still  
 failing to plead answer or demurrer to the said Bill. It is  
 therefore ordered adjudged and decreed that the said Bill be  
 taken for Confessed; And was argued by Counsel, upon Con-  
 sideration whereof the Court do find the equity of the Case to be  
 with the Complainants and that there is now due to J. W. Powell  
 as stated in the bill the sum of Four hundred and thirteen  
 dollars. being seven fifty dollars and interest thereon besides  
 the money to become due hereafter as therein stated. It is there-  
 fore ordered adjudged and decreed that the said defendants  
 within thirty days from this date pay to the Complainants for  
 the use of the said J. W. Powell the said sum of \$413. with inter-  
 est thereon from the 30<sup>th</sup> day of May last when the seven fifty  
 dollars became due. and also the costs of this Suit to be taxed;  
 And in default thereof that the Sheriff of this County for the time  
 being, who is hereby appointed Special Master for that purpose  
 proceed to sell the Tenements in the said Bill mentioned as upon  
 Judgments at Law; and report his proceedings in the premises to the  
 next Term of this Court, to which time this Cause is continued. and  
 all questions as to the amount then due on the said Mortgage  
 is reserved to that time.

Samuel A. Cherry et al } November Term A.D. 1849  
 vs }  
 James L. Alexander & wife } Continued under former Order.

Samuel A. Cherry et al } May Term A. D. 1850  
 vs }  
 James L. Alexander & wife } Continued under former  
 Order of Sale -

The State of Ohio Union County ss.  
 I, James Kirkadee Jr clerk of the Court of common  
 Pleas within and for the County of Union and State of Ohio,  
 do hereby Certify that the foregoing entries are  
 truly copied from the Journal of said Court  
 Witness my hand and the seal of said Court  
 at Mansville this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of July A.D. 1850  
 James Kirkadee Jr Clerk

J. S. Alexander  
No. } Copy  
E & N Ward

Filed June 29, 1868  
John Cassio 112



\$  
James S Alexander & wife  
To } Mortgage  
E J of Ward

Know all men by these presents that we James S Alexander and Nancy C his wife of the County of Union Ohio in consideration of the sum of Eight hundred & seven & five  $\frac{66}{100}$  dollars in hand paid by Elizabeth Ward and Nancy Ward of the same place have bargained and sold and do hereby grant bargain sell and convey unto the said Elizabeth and Nancy Ward heirs and assigns forever the following premises situated in the County of Union Ohio, and bounded and described as follows to wit, part of Military survey No 3351. Beginning at a stake 160 poles East of the center of Marysville at the Junction of the Columbus and Delaware Roads, thence running East 138 poles to an oak and two ashes, thence North 65 poles to a stake in the Delaware Road, thence S  $64^{\circ}$  W 182 poles to the Beginning containing Twenty Eight acres more or less, also one other piece or parcel of land part of said survey No 3351, lying and being in the County of Union & State of Ohio, bounded and described as follows, Beginning at a stake where the Waldo Road leaves the road leading from Marysville to Delaware, thence N  $64^{\circ}$  E  $44\frac{3}{4}$  poles to a stake, thence N  $30^{\circ}$  E 153 poles to a stake, thence S  $79\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  W 78 poles, to Milcreek, thence with the meanders of said creek S.  $14^{\circ}$  W 8 poles, thence S  $75^{\circ}$  E 34 poles



Thence S 17 E. 9 poles, thence S 5° E 42 poles  
thence S 30° W 94 poles to the Beginning contain-  
ing Forty Six acres & 25 poles More or less -

To have & to hold said premises unto the said  
Elizabeth and Nancy Ward & their heirs &  
assigns forever - Provided always and these pre-  
sents are upon this condition that whereas the  
said James S Alexander has Executed his note  
bearing even date herewith payable to the said  
Elizabeth & Nancy Ward for the sum of Four  
Hundred Dollars due Six years from date, and the  
said James S Alexander agrees to pay a claim of about  
Four Hundred Seventy five  $\frac{66}{100}$  Dollars which Wil-  
liam Ward the father of said Elizabeth &  
Nancy Ward, bound himself & heirs to pay to  
one William Ross, Now if the said James S  
Alexander pay said note when it becomes due to  
said Elizabeth & Nancy Ward or their heirs or  
assigns & also pays said claim that the said  
William Ward bound himself & heirs to pay to  
said ~~Wm~~ Ross, then this obligation be null and  
void otherwise to remain in full force & virtue  
in law - In testimony whereof the said James  
S Alexander and Nancy C his wife have hereunto  
set their hands and seals this 29<sup>th</sup> day of April  
A D 1847 - - -

Executed in presence of { J. S. Alexander Seal  
Eros Ward { Nancy C Alexander Seal  
James M Wilkinson - - -

The State of Ohio Union County ss  
Before me the subscriber a Justice of the  
peace in and for said county, personally appeared  
the above named James S Alexander and Nancy  
C his wife and acknowledged the same to be  
their voluntary act and deed - and the said



Nancy C Alexander being Examined separate  
and apart from her said husband and the  
contents of said instrument made known to  
her she then acknowledged that she did freely &  
of her free will sign seal and acknowledge  
the same & that she is still satisfied therewith  
this 12<sup>th</sup> day of May A D 1847 -

Filed for record, <sup>May 26<sup>th</sup> 1847, 10 o'clock a.m. and recorded</sup> <sup>May 31<sup>st</sup> 1847 at 7 o'clock P.M.</sup> <sup>James M. Wilkinson J. P. Read</sup>  
James Turner Recorder  
By C. H. B. Allison

State of Ohio Union County  
I hereby certify the within to be a correct  
copy of a Mortgage Record in Vol. 10.  
Page 568 &c in the Records office of said  
Union County given under my hand  
this 28<sup>th</sup> day of June A D 1848  
James Turner Recorder

See 75<sup>th</sup> Recd of Mr. Dowell  
J. Turner Recorder

Cherry

vs

Almond

Prunus

Filed Aug 14. 1850  
D. H. Rade for MR

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**SAMUEL A. CHERRY** et als vs.  
James S. Alexander et als. By  
virtue of an order to me, directed  
from the Court of Common Pleas of  
Union County, Ohio, I will offer for  
sale at the door of the Court House in  
said county, on the 12th day of August,  
A. D. 1850, between the hours of ten  
o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M., the  
following described real estate, to wit:  
part of Military survey No 3351, be-  
ginning at a stake 160 poles east of the  
centre of Marysville, at the junction  
of the Columbus and Delaware roads;  
thence running east 138 poles to an  
oak and two ashes; thence north 65  
poles to a stake in the Delaware road,  
thence s 61 degs. w 182 poles to the  
beginning containing 28 acres more or  
less. Also, one other piece or parcel  
of land, part of said survey No 3351,  
lyng and being in the county of Union  
and State of Ohio, bounded and de-  
scribed as follows: beginning at a  
stake where the Waldo road leaves  
the road leading from Marysville to  
Delaware, thence north 64 degs. east  
44 1/2 poles to a stake, thence n 30 degs.  
e 153 poles to a stake, thence 79 1/2 degs  
w 78 poles to Millcreek, thence with  
meanders of said creek s 14 w 8 poles,  
thence s 75 e 34 poles, thence s 17 e  
9 poles, thence s 5 e 42 poles, thence  
s 30 w 91 poles to the beginning; con-  
taining forty-six acres and 25 poles  
more or less. Appraised at \$22, per  
acre. **PHILIP SNIDER**, Sheriff,  
and Special Master.  
July 10, 1850. n43w5pf, \$3,75

Samuel A Cherry  
vs  
James S Alexander

J. C. Hamilton do  
solely swear that I am  
publisher and proprietor of  
The Marysville Tribune a weekly  
newspaper published and  
in general circulation in  
in Union County, and that  
annexed notice was published  
in the same five conse-  
cutive weeks prior to the  
12th of August A. D. 1850  
J. C. Hamilton

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
this 14th day of August 1850 James M. Williamson J.P.  
(as 12 1/2 p by C. Hamilton)

Wm Russ  
vs  
James S Ward

} In Union Court. Pleas.  
August Term AD 1849  
The amount of costs in this case  
is \$11.90 up to this date  
Aug 15. 1849. J Kirkadap clerk



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Filed June 29, 1868  
Wm. Cassie et al



Union County, Coe Pleas. June Term 1848

Samuel A. Cherry,  
Elizabeth Ward and  
Nancy Ward

James S. Alexander &  
Nancy Alexander his wife } Bill in Chancery  
to foreclose mortgage.

In this case issue subpoena returnable  
forthwith for James S. Alexander & Nancy  
Alexander his wife.

W. Powell Compts Solo

Union Com Pleas

Samuel A Cherry et al vs

James Alexander et al vs

Sub in Chy

Filed June 30<sup>th</sup> 1848  
John Capil, Clerk

Received this writ June 30. 1848 by  
delivering to each of the within named  
defendants a certified copy thereof.

Fees =	mileage	5
Service		55
Copies		20 = 80

Philip Shiden Sheriff



The State of Ohio, Union County, ss.

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF UNION GREETING:

We command you, that you summon *James S. Alexander and Nancy Alexander his wife,*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House; ~~on the~~  
*Fourth* with ~~day of~~ ~~next ensuing;~~ to answer a *Bill*  
in Chancery, exhibited against *them* by *Samuel A. Cherry, Elizabeth*  
*Ward and Nancy Ward*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit; under the penalty of one thousand dollars;  
and have then and there this writ.

Witness John Cassil, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the court house, this *29<sup>th</sup>* day of *June*

A. D, 184 *8*

*John Cassil* Clerk of Com. Pleas.

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0013



No. 48-CH-13

Union Common Pleas Court.

Jeremiah Baughen  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Noah Garrett  
Defendant.

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1849

Dismissed at plaintiffs cost

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Chy No 28.

Jeremiah Baughn

vs

Noah Garrett

NOV

1849

Cert Bill made

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Jeremiah Baughan

Wool Garrett

Ch. Chancy -

Frid Aug 8, 1878  
John Cassie cM

Cot Bill made

No Record

Lebanon Hall  
for Complement

Wash Garrett hath hitherto wholly neglected and  
refused to do. Your Orator therefore  
prays that the writ of Subpoena may issue  
against the said Wash Garrett, and that  
he may be compelled, to answer all and answer  
the premises. And your Orator further prays  
that in the final hearing of this cause the  
said Wash Garrett may be decreed specifically  
to perform his said agreement, or if it should  
appear that he is unable so to do, that he may  
be decreed to repay to your Orator his purchase  
Money of said with interest and such damages  
as your Orator may have sustained by  
reason of the premises. And that your  
Orator may have such other and further  
relief in the premises as equity and  
good conscience may require

J. C. Danby Plaintiff



By  
To the honourable Judges of the Court of Common  
Pleas of Union County in Chancery sitting

Jeremiah Baughan of the County of  
Union and State of Ohio, Represents  
that Noah Garrett, of the County of Union  
and State of Ohio, and whom your  
Orator prays may be made Defendant  
to this bill. On or about the twenty first  
day of March Eighteen hundred, and  
forty eight, was seized in fee Simple  
of a certain tract of land, situate in  
said County of Union and which  
is hereafter more particularly described  
and the said Noah Garrett being  
desirous to dispose of the said lands,  
entered into an agreement with  
your Orator for the sale thereof  
to him, and which agreement  
was reduced to writing and signed  
by the said Noah Garrett and your  
Orator and is in substance as follows,  
that the said Noah Garrett has this day bargained and  
sold, to the said Jeremiah Baughan a certain tract Lot or parcel  
of land, lying on the waters of Millcreek, in Union County lying on  
the south side of the pike running from Columbus to Bellefontaine joining  
on the West of the S. Thurston's lot now occupied by Mr. Wadham known  
as the Seven Griffin's lot, being part of Survey No. 12472 commencing  
in the center of the state road, 20 poles from thence South & West  $7\frac{1}{2}$  poles  
to a stake from thence North 32. poles and 10 inches to a stake thence  
North & East of a parallel, north, from thence with said Road, to the  
place of beginning, containing fifteen Acres and Three Quarters  
be the same more or less with all the appurtenances



belonging for which the said Boughan is to pay the four hundred  
Dollars. Two hundred, and fifty dollars by the first day of June  
1848, and one hundred and fifty dollars by the first day of June  
1849, with interest, and upon the reception of the last payment  
the said Garrett is to make, or cause to be made, to the said  
Boughan his heirs or assigns a General Warrantee Deed,  
a copy of which agreement is herewith filed and  
made part of this bill, And your Orator  
further Represents, to your honours that  
after the execution, and delivery of the said  
agreement. ~~As~~ is made part of this bill. the  
said Noah Garrett did agree that if he  
your Orator would pay the sum of four  
hundred Dollars before the time specified  
in said agreement of the last payment he  
the said Noah Garrett would make and execute  
a general Warrantee Deed, <sup>clear of all incumbrances</sup> and deliver the  
same to your <sup>Orator</sup>. And your Orator further  
states to your honours that he did agree to  
pay the sum of ~~Money~~ four hundred  
Dollars as specified in said agreement.  
As the purchase Money of said land, and  
that on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of May Eighteen hundred  
and forty eight the said Noah Garrett did  
receipt to your Orator upon the ~~of~~  
Article of agreement the sum of four  
hundred Dollars the <sup>full</sup> consideration Money  
for said land. And your Orator further  
Represents that he has in all respects complied  
with the terms and conditions of the said  
agreement on his part to be performed and  
that he has applied to the said Noah Garrett  
and requested him specifically to perform  
his part of <sup>the</sup> said agreement. but the said



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ent between Parrott  
& Doughan

Filed Aug 8, 1848  
John Cassio CM

Article of agreement made and entered into this  
21<sup>st</sup> day of March 1848 by and between Noah  
Garrett of the first part of the State of Ohio  
of Union County & Jeremiah Boughan of the 2<sup>d</sup>  
part of County aforesaid witnesses  
that the said Noah Garrett has this day bargained and  
sold to the said Jeremiah Boughan a certain lot  
or parcel of land lying on the waters of Mill creek  
in Union county lying on the south side of the pipe  
running from Columbus to bell fountain joining  
on the west of the P. Thurston <sup>lot</sup> now occupied by  
M. H. Wadhams known as the Seven Griffin lot  
being part of survey No 12472 commencing in the center of the  
State road 20 poles from there south & west 43 1/2 pole to a stake from there  
a South 32 poles and 10 inches to a stake thence North & east of a parallel  
with from there with said road to the place of beginning

Containing Fifteen acres & three quarters be the same  
more or less with all the appurtenances there  
unto belonging for which the said Boughan is to pay  
Four Hundred Dollars two hundred and fifty Dollars  
by the first day of June 1848 and one hundred  
and fifty Dollars by the first day of June 1849  
with interest from the first of June 1848 and  
at the reception of the last payment the said  
Garrett is to make or cause to be made to the said  
Boughan his heirs or assigns a General warranty deed  
we hereunto set our hands and seals this 21<sup>st</sup>  
of March 1848

witness  
Notable Town  
The

Noah Garrett (seal)  
Jeremiah Boughan (seal)

Received of Jeremiah Boughan May 11<sup>th</sup> 1848  
Six hundred Dollars Four hundred Dollars it being  
the full consideration of the above bond Noah Garrett



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0014

Chancery Case

**1848-CH-0014**

located with

Supreme Court Case

**1849-SC-0008**



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0015

No. 48-CH-15

Union Common Pleas Court.

Max Stadler

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Alouzo Garlick

Defendant.

AUG TERM. 1849

Judgment VS Plaintiff

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Union <sup>35</sup> Com. Pleas

May Stadler

Henry Garfick et al

Bill to fund

Filed Aug 9, 1848  
John Cassil clk

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Record

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George H. Burnett & Co. Secy

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To the Honorable, the Court of Common Pleas  
for the County of Union & State of Ohio, in Chancery  
sitting:

May Stadler respectfully represents,  
that Alongo Garlick, of Union County Ohio, being or  
pretending to be seized in fee simple, of a certain  
tract of land, situate in said County of Union, and  
described as follows; being part of Survey No 2675  
bounded as follows - Beginning at a stone on W<sup>m</sup>  
Wingate's line - thence with his line N 37 W. 34 poles  
to Buck Run - thence down the run S. 35° E. 5 poles -  
S. 17. 6. 9 poles - S. 80 E. 8 poles - S. 13. E. 20 poles to a stone  
thence S. 45 E. 4 poles and 5 feet to a stone in the center  
of the London road - thence N. 53 E. 18 poles and 5  
feet to the place of beginning, containing one acre -  
one hundred and forty eight rods and two thirds.

That the said Alongo Garlick, being indebted  
to one Silas Igou in the sum of two hundred & forty seven  
dollars & thirty cents, executed his two promissory notes  
therefor - one for the sum of \$100. payable eight months  
after date - and the other for the sum of \$147.30 - pay-  
able one year after date, and both made & dated  
June 14th 1847. That afterwards to wit; on the  
14th day of June 1847, the said Alongo Garlick & his wife  
Betsy Garlick, to secure the payment of the said  
sums of money with interest, by this deed duly ex-  
ecuted and dated on or about the 14th day of June  
1847, conveyed said premises to your ~~agent~~ <sup>to said Igou</sup> in



ye simple, but subject nevertheless to a condition of defeasance on the payment of the said sums of money with interest, on the days above mentioned, as in and by said deed of mortgage - which is herewith filed and made part of this Bill, will more fully appear.

Your orator further represents, that the said Silas Igou, on the 14th day of April 1848, for a valuable consideration, assigned & transferred said note for \$147.30, and said mortgage securing the payment of the same, to one John A. Cornins - And that the said John A. Cornins afterwards, to wit; on the 1st day of May 1848, assigned & transferred all his right and interest in the same, for a valuable consideration, to your orator.

That no part of said sum of \$147.30 was paid to your orator, at the time limited in that behalf; whereby the legal estate in said premises became vested in your orator, redeemable nevertheless in equity, on payment of the principal and interest due and ~~and~~ to become due thereon; That the said sum of \$147.30 principal, and a large amount of interest thereon being due, he applied to the said Alonzo Garlick, and requested him to pay the same to your orator, which he has hitherto wholly neglected and refused to do.

Your Petitioner therefore prays, that the said Alonzo Garlick & Betsy Garlick his wife, Silas Igou



and John A. Brown be made defendants to this Bill;  
That the writ of Subpoena may issue against them,  
that they be compelled to answer under oath,  
all and singular the premises, that an ac-  
count ~~be~~ may be taken of what is due to your  
orator for his principal & interest upon said mort-  
gage; that said mortgaged premises may  
be sold, and the proceeds thereof applied to the  
satisfaction of said principal and interest;  
And that your orator may have such other and  
further relief in the premises as equity and good  
Conscience may require.

Brown & Burnett Sol<sup>rs</sup> for Compt<sup>r</sup>.



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Max Stadler  
vs  
Alonzo Garlick Nels

Execution vs P<sup>l</sup>ff for costs

Orig Costs. Clerk 2.42  
- - Shff .16  
\$ 2.58

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In creas. this writ. .41

April 2<sup>nd</sup> 1852

Money made in full

Fees  
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James Taylor Shff  
To Spr. T. 1852

Filed April 28 1852  
James Sumner Clerk

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The State of Ohio Union County ss

To the Sheriff of the County of Champaign Greeting;  
Whereas in a certain action in Chancery lately  
prosecuted in our Court of Common Pleas, within  
and for the County of Union wherein Max Stadler  
was plaintiff and Alouzo Garlick et al were  
defendants, the costs of the said Max Stadler were  
taxed at two dollars and fifty eight cents. You  
are therefore commanded, that, of the goods and  
chattels, or for the want of goods and chattels, of the  
lands and tenements of the said Max Stadler in  
your bailiwick, you cause to be made the costs  
aforesaid, with interest thereon, from the 14<sup>th</sup> day  
of August A.D. 1849, until paid, and the costs  
that may accrue. And if you shall levy and  
make said costs and interest, do you have the  
same before our Court of Common Pleas within  
and for said County of Union on the first  
day of the next term of said Court, to render  
unto the persons entitled to the same, and  
have you then and there this writ.

Witness James Kinkadee Clerk of  
said Court at the Court House in  
Marysville this 30<sup>th</sup> day of January  
A.D. 1852.

James Kinkadee Clerk



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0016

No. 48-CH-16

Union Common Pleas Court.

Elizabeth Cowlege, *vs.*  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Uriah Cowlege *and*  
Defendant.

MAY TERM, 1849

Sale of Land

DECREE FOR PLAINTIFF

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Elizabeth Coodge, Exr.  
by  
Wm Coodge, et al

Petition to  
sell lands

Filed Aug 19. 1848  
John Cassie clerk

Cost Bill Mad  
Record

Recorded  
C. A. Mear

To the Court of Common Pleas within and for the  
County of Union and State of Ohio

Elizabeth Coolidge executrix of the last will & testament of John Coolidge, deceased, late of Union County, Ohio, Represents that the personal property of said decedent is insufficient to pay the debts of the estate, (that all the personal property of said decedent has been exhausted & that said estate is owing (as near as can now be ascertained) about seven or eight hundred dollars; which is yet unpaid; that said decedent died seized in fee simple of the following described real estate situated in the County of Union & State of Ohio, and bounded and described as follows to wit, Part of Surveys Nos. 4818 & 4279, bounded on the North by Big Darby Creek, on the West by land owned by J. W. Joseph & Joseph Reed, on the South by land owned by A. Walke, and on the East by land owned by A. Walke & Warren Rose, containing one hundred and sixty four acres of land, more or less, being all that certain tract of <sup>land</sup> lying on the waters of Big Darby & owned by the said John Coolidge at the time of his demise.

Your Petitioner further represents, that said decedent died leaving your Petitioner his widow and that dower has been assigned to her, in sixty acres in said premises.

That the following persons are the heirs having the next estate of inheritance, in the premises above described from the said decedent, namely: Mich Coolidge, Matthew Coolidge, Nancy Mumber, & Charlotte Coolidge.

Your Petitioner therefore prays that the said persons above mentioned and described, having the next estate of inheritance in said premises from said decedent, may be made parties defendant to this petition and that writ of subpoena may accordingly issue against them, that they may be compelled to answer all and singular the premises, and that on the final hearing of this cause, your Petitioner may be authorized to sell & convey said real estate, subject to the said dower of your Petitioner, or so much thereof as will discharge the debts of said decedent, with incidental charges, under such regulations as are provided by law.

By Cole & Potter

Attorneys



Filed April 25 - 1848  
John Cassie CM

To the Clerk of the Court of Common  
Pleas.

Here a summons returnable according to Law against Elizabeth Cobbley Adm<sup>r</sup> of John Coolidge Dec<sup>d</sup> to require her to set under an account of said Estate

Joshua Marshall Adm<sup>r</sup> of James F. Coolidge. who was one of the Sureties of said Elizabeth Cobbley in the Adm<sup>r</sup> Bond



Elizabeth Cookley Esq.  
As  
Wm Cookley Esq.

Appraisers  
Report

Filed May 29. 1849

J. K. Madson

Elizabeth Coolidge Ex<sup>r</sup> } Appearanceockett,  
Wmiah Coolidge et al } Pet & Sell, Land

On Motion to the Court by Cole Written  
Att<sup>y</sup> for the petitioner. It is Ordered that David  
Brimham, Jacob Fairfield and Andrew Keyes, being first  
duly sworn do upon actual view of the premises make  
a just valuation of the following real Estate. Subject  
to the widows dower to wit, Situate in the County of  
Union & State of Ohio & bounded and described as follows  
part of survey Nos 4818 & 4279 bounded on the north by  
Big Darby Creek on the west by lands owned by S. E. & Josephus  
Reed, on the south by land owned by A. Walk, & on the East  
by land owned by A. Walk & Warren Rose containing One  
hundred & sixty four acres more or less, being all that  
certain tract of land lying on the waters of Big Darby & owned  
by John Coolidge at the time of his demise & that they return such  
valuation to the next Term of this Court. & It is further Ordered  
that the said Elizabeth Coolidge, proceed according to  
Law to sell the real Estate in the said petition described  
subject to the dower Estate of the said Elizabeth, which  
had been assigned in pursuance of a former Order of this  
Court upon the following terms to wit,

One third Down, One third in twelve months and One third  
in Twenty four months, with Interest & that the deferred payments  
be secured by Mortgage. And it is further Ordered that the  
said Elizabeth Coolidge make return of her proceedings  
in the premises to the next Term of this Court,

The State of Ohio Union County ss.  
I, James Kirkadap, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of the  
County of Union & State of Ohio, do hereby Certify the foregoing to be  
truly Copied from the Journal of said Court. Of  
the Term of September A.D. 1848.

Witness My hand and the Seal of said  
Court at Mansville this 2<sup>nd</sup> Day  
of April A.D. 1849.

James Kirkadap Clerk



Wm Com Pleas

Coolidge

vs

Coolidge

Order of A C

Shaw Manual 135

In accordance to the within order on the 30th day of May 1849  
I offered the within described land for sale subject to  
Duties after having had the same duly advertised  
in the Argus a news paper published in the  
County of Monroe and State of the same to Sam-  
uel P. Holden for the sum of Eighteen hundred & fifty  
Dollars the being the highest bid but bid due can be  
having bid more than in this the apparent

Elizabeth Coolidge Grant

of John Coolidge Descs.

By Coule & Witter  
her attys.





Elizabeth. Poolledge, &c

Notice of Sale  
of real Estate

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SALE of Real Estate by order of Court.—On the 30th day of May A. D. 1849, between 10 o'clock A. M., and 4 o'clock P. M., at the door of the Court House, in the Town of Marysville; will be sold to the highest bidder, the following real estate, as the property of John Coolidge, deceased, to wit: Situate in the County of Union and State of Ohio; and bounded, and described as follows: part of Surveys Nos. 4818 and 4279; bounded on the north by Big Darby creek, on west by lands owned by S. K. & Josephus Reed, on the south by land owned by A. Walk, and on the east by land owned by A. Walk and Warren Rose; containing one hundred and sixty-four acres, more or less, being all that certain tract of land lying on the waters of Big Darby, and owned by John Coolidge, at the time of his demise. Subject to the dower of widow. Appraised at \$1700. Terms of sale, one third down, one third in twelve months, and one third in twenty-four months.—Deferred payments secured with interest, and by mortgage.

ELIZABETH COOLIDGE,  
Executrix of John Coolidge, deceased.  
May 2, 1849. n49w4.

The State of Ohio }  
Union County }  
Personnel  
appeared before me George  
English and made solemn  
oath that the notice herein  
attached was published for  
four consecutive weeks, commencing  
May 2<sup>d</sup> A.D. 1849, in the "Argus" a  
weekly newspaper printed in  
the county of Union, Ohio, and  
that said newspaper during  
that time was in general circulation  
in said county. J. English  
Printer

Sworn to & subscribed before  
me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1849

Wm. Williams J.P.

Stiles 12/14



Union Com Pleas

Elizabeth Cooledge Exx  
vs

Unah Cooledge et al

Subin Chy

Filed Sept 14. 1845  
John Cassie Clk

Arrived this writ by delivering to each of the  
within named defendants a certified copy thereof  
August 29<sup>th</sup> 1845

fees = mileage 30  
copies 50  
service 95 = \$175

Philip Swain Sheriff

**THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.**

**To the Sheriff of the County of Union, Greeting,**

We command you to summon *Uriah Cooledge, Matthew Cooledge, Nancy Saunders and Charlotte Cooledge,*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the *First* day of *the Term* — next ensuing, to answer a *Petition to Sell Land* in Chancery, exhibited against *Them* by *Elizabeth Cooledge, Executrix of the Last Will & Testament, of John Cooledge, deceased,* and this *They* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then there this writ.

Witness, JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the Court House, this *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of

*August* A.D., 184*8*  
*John Cassil* Clerk of Common Pleas.



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0017

No. 48-CH-17

Union Common Pleas Court.

James Severin

Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Rachel Severin

Defendant.

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The Union Corn Pleas

James Sevin for  
himself & as Guardian &c

vs

Rachael Sevin

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Filed Sept. 20<sup>th</sup> 1848  
John Cassel, Clerk

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partition to marshes part  
w/ta.  
Mr. B. h. w.

Cost bill made  
Record

Recorded

Allison & Curry

To the Court of Common Pleas, within and for the  
County of Union, and State of Ohio.

Your Petitioner James Sevier for himself and  
as Guardian for Matthew Sevier, of the County of Union  
Ohio, represents, that he and the said Matthew Sevier have  
a legal right to, and are seized in fee simple, each  
of a moiety or one undivided half part of the following  
real estate, lying and being in the County of Union, and  
State of Ohio, being part of Survey No. 5506 and bounded  
and described as follows, Beginning at a sugar tree, beech  
and ironwood - thence N. 80. E. 160 poles to two white oaks  
and a beech, thence N. 10. E. 100 poles to three beeches,  
thence S. 80. W. 160 poles to two beeches an ironwood and  
sugar, thence N. 10. W. 100 poles to the beginning contain-  
ing one hundred acres more or less, being lot 10. 7. of  
the subdivision of said Survey: And your petitioner  
further represents, that Rachael Sevier of the said County  
of Union, as widow of John Sevier late deceased, is  
entitled to dower in the same premises, Your petitioner,  
therefore prays, that partition of said lands may be made  
between himself and his said ward Matthew Sevier,  
and the dower of the said Rachael Sevier assigned  
therein, or if the same cannot be done without manifest  
injury, that then such other proceedings may be had in  
the premises as are authorized by law.

By Allison & Curry, his  
Attorneys



What Co. Pass

James Severin for himself  
& as Guardian

vs

Reached Seaman

Writing Particulars

Filed Sept 23. 1875  
John Cassie Clerk

I have appended this writ by the order of the  
within named Commissioners whose report is  
herewith returned together with the surveyors  
report. September 21st 1875

Fees - mileage 30

Service 100 = 130

Philip Under Sheriff

The State of Ohio Union County ss.

To the Sheriff of said County Greeting;

We command you that without delay, by the Oaths of William B Brown Cyprian Lee and Robert Gamble, you cause Michael Severin, widow of John Severin, deceased, to be endowed of One full equal third part of the following real estate Situate in said County of Union, & described as follows to wit, being part of Survey N<sup>o</sup> 5586, and bounded & described as follows beginning at a Sugar tree beech and ironwood thence N 80, E, 160, poles to two white oaks and a beech, thence N. 10. E 100 poles to three beeches, thence S. 80, W. 160 poles to two beeches and iron wood and sugar, thence N 10, W. 100 poles to the beginning containing One hundred acres more or less, being lot N<sup>o</sup> 7, of the subdivision of said Survey, and also that in like manner, and by the like Oaths of the same William B Brown Cyprian Lee and Robert Gamble, you cause partition to be made of the same lands subject to said dower estate, among the following persons and in the following proportions to wit, to James Severin One equal half part and to Matthew Severin, One equal half part, and that your proceedings in the premises you distinctly certify under your hand, to our Court of Common Pleas, within and for the said County of Union, together with this writ. Forth with

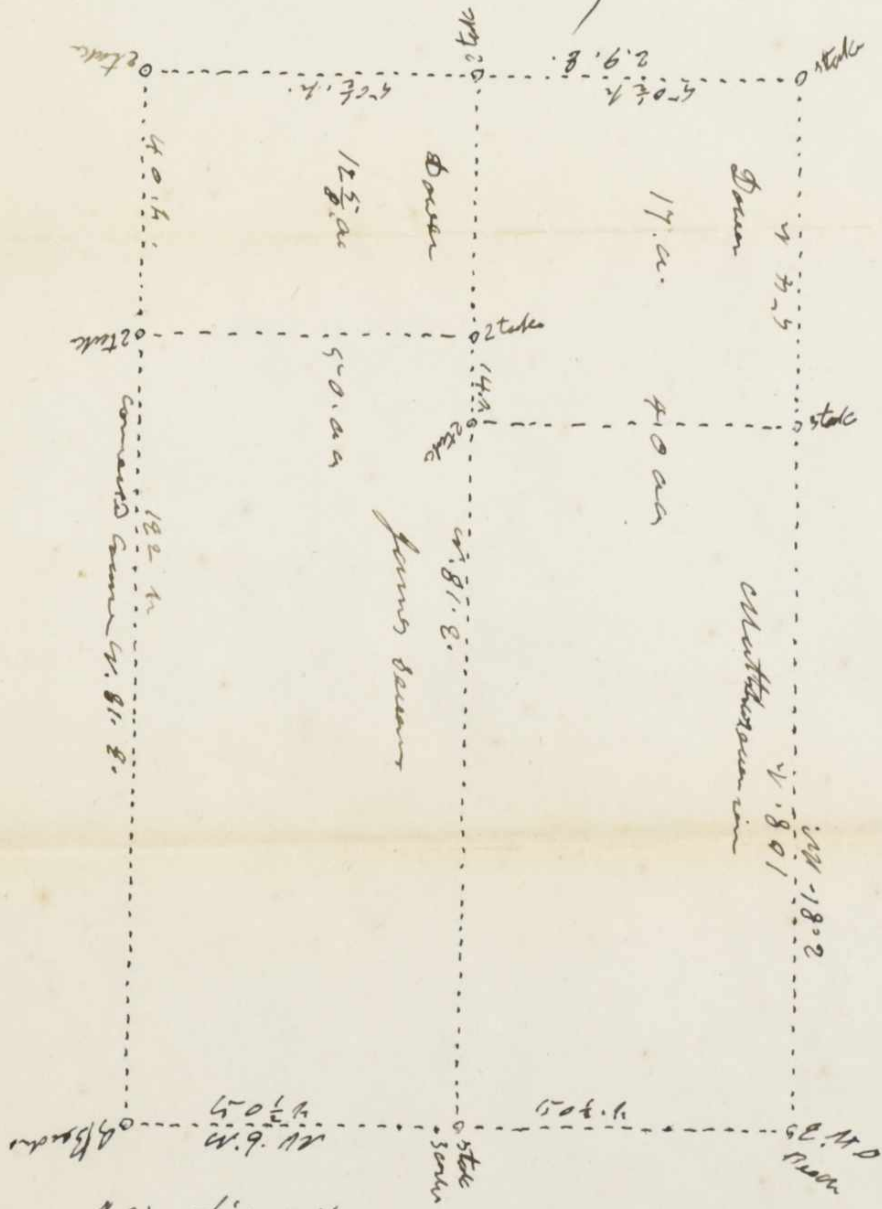
Witness John Cassil, Clerk of  
said Court at the Court Room  
in Mansfield this 21. day of September  
A. D. 1848

John Cassil cl<sup>r</sup>





James Sevin for himself } In Union Com Pleas  
 & as Guardian for }  
 vs }  
 Rachael Sevin } In Partition



I certify the above to be a correct plat of the partition and  
 Dower in the above case of lot 000.7 in such division of survey  
 00045-06 made September 27<sup>th</sup> 1848

Wm. B. Grein Surveyor U.C.O.

fee \$2.00



Commissioners  
Report

Filed Sept 23. 1848  
John Cassin Clerk

*[Faint, illegible handwritten text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]*

James Severen for himself ) In Union com pleas  
 & as Guardian for re ) In partition  
 vs  
 Rachel Severen

We the commissioners of a writ of a writ of partition in the above case report that we have made partition of the land described in said writ as follows  
 After being sworn by the sheriff of said county on actual view of said land we have divided the said lot No 7 between James and Matthew Severen Heirs of John Severen Deed as follows beginning at a stake in the line of William Scotts land being the west line of said lot S 9 E commencing the course there of 50 1/2 poles from the NW corner of the lot and N 9 W 50 1/2 poles from the SW corner then of from thence running parallel with the NE lines commencing the course N 81 E 162 poles to a stake in the east line of the lot standing N 9 W 50 1/2 poles from the S. E. corner & S. 9. E. from the S. E. corner witness Barker and we set of to James Severen all the East part of lot no. 7. as lies south of S. D. line being 50. acres and lying north we set of to Matthew Severen being 50 acres

We also set of to Rachel Severen widow of John Severen Deed as her Dower in the above lot no. 7. 29 3/4 acres bounded as follows beginning at the S. E. corner of the lot then with the west line of the lot commencing the course S. 9. E. 101 poles to the S. W. corner then with the south line N. 81. E. 40. poles to a stake then N. 9. W. 50 1/2 poles to a stake in the partition line then with S. D. line N. 81. E. 14 poles to a stake then N. 9. W. 50 1/2 poles to a stake in the N. E. line then with S. D. line S. 81. W. 54 poles to the beginning all of which will appear on the plot of the survey here with the return Sept 21st 1848.

Wm. B. Town  
 C. Lee  
 Fees \$1.00 each \$2.00  
 Robert Gombel



In Union Com. Pleas

Reuben Seaman

Ads

James Seaman

Answer

Filed Sept. 20 - 1848  
John Baker, Clk

The answer of Rachael Sevier to the petition for Partition and assignment of Dower exhibited against her, by James Sevier for himself and as Guardian for Matthew Sevier, Petitioner, in the Court of Common Pleas of Union County Ohio:

The said Rachael Sevier now comes, and for answer to the said petition says that she admits the allegations of said bill as to the title of said Petitioner and the dower of this defendant in said premises to be true; and she hereby waives process and service thereof, and enters her appearance in this cause; and she hereby consents that the prayer of said petition may be granted and that said partition & assignment of Dower may be made, according to the Statute in such case made and provided, at the September Term of said Court A.D. 1848 or at a subsequent Term.

Attest. Sanford Cook

Rachael <sup>her</sup> Sevier  
mark



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0018

No. 48-CH-18

Union Common Pleas Court.

of Steubenville  
Farmers & Mechanics Bank  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Allen Biggs et al  
Defendant.

Nov 1849

Dismissed at  
Court of plea.

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Union Com. Pleas

The Trustees of the Farmers  
 and Mechanics Bank  
 of Steubenville

vs  
 Allen Biggs and  
 others

Filed Sept 20, 1848  
 John Cassil Clerk

last Bill made  
 No record

Wm Lawrence  
 atty.

to the Court of Common Pleas  
 of the County of Steubenville  
 in the County of Steubenville  
 State of Ohio

to the Court of Common Pleas  
 of the County of Steubenville  
 in the County of Steubenville  
 State of Ohio

to the Court of Common Pleas  
 of the County of Steubenville  
 in the County of Steubenville  
 State of Ohio

Wm Lawrence  
 atty.



To the Court of Common Pleas of Union County  
Ohio

The Trustees of the Farmers and Mechanics Bank of Steubenville represent that on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May AD 1817 said Bank was the holder of a certain note drawn by one Andrew Howlit or Hewlit and payable to John Flack for the sum of \$3800. or thereabouts, which note was by said Flack endorsed to Benjamin Biggs and by said Biggs to said Bank: That an attachment suit was prosecuted in Union County in the Court of Common Pleas of that County on said <sup>note</sup> by said Bank against Biggs and judgment recovered for about \$5275.<sup>66</sup><sup>3</sup> cents at the November term of said Court AD 1823 and an order made to sell the following lands in said County to pay said judgment, to wit, in Union County 450 acres of land on Mill Creek being Military Entry and Survey No. 4074 - also Military entry and Survey No. 4075 containing 375 acres attached by virtue of said writ, said land being patented to Benjamin Biggs & being the same land then owned by him: That by virtue of said order said lands were sold by the Sheriff of Union County to said Bank & the sale confirmed & deed ordered to be made to said Bank which was accordingly done all of which appears by the records of said Court & the records in the Recorder's office in said County that said Biggs departed this life and Stephen Colwell then of Belmont County was appointed administrator of said Biggs by the Court of Common Pleas of said Belmont County and said administrator prosecuted a writ of error upon said judgment after the sale aforesaid and said judgment was reversed by the Supreme Court for Union County at the July term 1827

Your orator also represents that after the reversal of said proceedings your orator, the Bank, and said administrator considered & treated said reversal as not affecting or defeating the title of said Bank to said premises, but as entitling the representative of said Biggs to restitution of the monies for which said land were sold with interest from the day of sale from said Bank and your orator avers that by the act of 1824 then in force the title of said Bank in said land became affirmed especially as your orator avers restitution was made by said



Bank to said administrator to the full amount for which said lands were sold with interest, the manner of making which restitution is herein shown

Your orators also represent that soon after the reversal of said proceedings in attachment said Administrator demanded the restitution aforesaid but the Bank claimed that they had a right to retain the amount claimed by said Administrator as restitution and credit the same on the note for which the original suit was instituted and to settle the rights of the parties an amicable suit was brought in the Court of Common Pleas of Jefferson County in assumpsit in favor of said Bank and against said Colwell as Administrator on the said note on which the attachment suit was brought, which suit ~~was~~ assumpsit was certified to the Supreme Court for Jefferson County for want of a quorum of disinterested judges, and at the October term 1827 of said Supreme Court Judgment was recovered on said note and interest for the sum of \$6,168.67

which was reduced by offset of the proceeds of the sale of said land aforesaid & another tract sold under said attachment proceeding including interest as claimed by the Administrator

\$1,142.05

leaving a balance due the Bank for which judgment was rendered of \$5,026.62 which still remains due the Bank with the interest thereon amounting in all to between \$11,000.00 and \$12,000.00 and has never been reversed or otherwise satisfied -

Your orators also represent that a writ of scire facias was issued on said Judgment in the Supreme Court of Jefferson County prior to last term to revive said judgment to ~~revive it~~ which was returned "quidam" and Your orators are now proceeding by scire facias to revive said judgment in said Supreme Court & said scire facias proceeding is now pending & a Judgment is sought to be obtained at next term.

Your orators also represent that said Biggs's heirs now claim title to said land because of irregularities in said attachment proceedings and are prosecuting ejectment suits in the Circuit



Court of the United States to recover possession of said lands against the occupants & those claiming title under the Bank as its vendees of said land, said heirs are as follows

Benjamin Biggs Washington L Biggs, Zachary Biggs George Biggs John Biggs Allen Biggs  
William Irwin Henrietta his wife Benjamin B Anderson William Merritt and Sarah Ann his wife James Anderson Allen Anderson Priscilla E Anderson William W Anderson, Julianna Anderson George M Anderson Mary Jane Anderson  
by our P Beatty & Henrietta Beatty  
John P Beatty Wm Anderson

who claim said premises above described as heirs of Biggs as also the premises hereafter described

Your orator claims that by the act of 1824 the title of said Bank became perfected to said land by said reversal & restitution aforesaid & that if not they have a lien on said land by the act of 2<sup>d</sup> March 1846 for the amount of said claim & judgment & the amount of said set off & restitution being \$1142.05 with interest since October 1827 and that said lands above thereafter described must be subjected to the lien of complainants thereon to pay all of said judgments claims, restitution, set off &c

Your orator are not aware of any other claim against the estate of Benjamin Biggs Dec<sup>d</sup> nor is it believed any other exists & they here assert their lien on the lands & property in this Bill described & the assets received of any by said heirs from said Biggs deceased

Your orator represent that said Biggs died leaving also the following land in Union County now held by said heirs subject to the claims aforesaid Beginning at the N. W. corner of Survey No 4074; thence South 11° E. 158 poles to an elm bark; thence N. 80° E. 150 poles to a hickory; thence N. 11° W. 158 poles to 3 sugar trees in the N. line of said survey & in the E. line of survey 4075; thence S. 80° W. 155 poles to the beginning containing 150 acres part of Survey No 4074



That said last described 150 acres is occupied by  
Michael S Wood Mr Blue Zephaniah Reed  
William Reed Jacob Parthunon James Wittich  
James Draper Abram Amrine

of Union County who claim title under said  
Bank: That said administrator has not as  
is believed assets sufficient to pay said claim  
of your orator.

Your orator also charge & aver that they have good  
cause to believe & do in fact believe & charge the  
truth to be that said Heirs of Benjamin Biggs  
deceased also described are about to convey  
encumber & transfer said real estate with intent  
to as to defraud hinder & delay your orator  
in the collection of their claims & judgment  
aforesaid.

Your orator charge that said Stephen Colwell  
resides in Philadelphia Pennsylvania, and  
that that the residence of all said other persons  
above named (except the occupants of said land  
residing in Union County as above stated) is unknown  
& that the residence of said Heirs is unknown  
to your orator or their attorney.

Your orator pray that all of said persons  
may be made defendants - that *salvoena ipse*  
- that they may answer but not under oath  
- that the owners of said land sold under  
said attachment proceeding & the title of  
said Bank may be quieted & that said title  
may be affirmed in the Bank & their vendees.  
: that if that can not be done the title of Biggs  
Heirs may be sold to satisfy complainant's  
claim: that said last described 150 acres  
may be sold to satisfy said claim: that  
said Heirs of Benjamin Biggs & those claiming  
title under him & not under said attachment  
may be enjoined from selling or disposing of  
any of said lands or encumbering them  
that the lien aforesaid may be asserted &  
for general & special relief such as may  
be equitable -

By Mr Lawrence  
Atty.

When I filed a bill in Logan  
Co. I supposed the heirs lived in Va.  
but on enquiry I am unable to state  
their residence

State of Ohio  
Union County ss.

I, do solemnly swear that I am  
agent and attorney for the Trustees of the  
Farmers & Mechanics Bank of Steubenville  
and that the matters & things stated in the  
foregoing Bill I believe to be true. I do also  
swear that the residence of the persons described  
in said Bill as heirs of Benjamin Biggs  
deceased is unknown to me

Wm Lawrence.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this  
20<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1848  
John Cassel Clerk



The Trustees of the  
Farm Bank of  
Steuensville

Allen Bissel

vs  
John Chancy

Sheriff of Union County for

Issue subpoena to

Michael Wood

Wm Blue

Stephania Reed

Wm Reed

Jacob Parthinson

James Westlick

James Draper

Abram Amrine

To Sheriff of Greene Co. for

John P Beatty

Cyrus P Beatty

Henrietta Beatty

Allen Biggs

To the Sheriff of Hamilton Co.

Wm Anderson

Wm Merritt & Sarah Ann his wife

Benjamin B Anderson

James Anderson

Allen Anderson

Priscilla E Anderson

Wm. W. Anderson

Juliana Anderson

George M Anderson

Mary Jane Anderson

It is said this was the residence of these parties in  
1842 - whether it is now or not I do not know  
but a subpoena can do no harm.

Please issue as above

Wm Lawrence  
Atty.

The Trustees of the Farmers  
and Mechanics Bank  
of Steubenville

or  
Allen Beegs & others

} Union Canal Bank  
In Chancery

An application will  
be made at the present term of said Court  
for an injunction in this case as  
prayed for in the Bill on file, as  
soon as said application can be  
heard.

Sept 20. 1848

Wm Lawrence  
Plff atty

I acknowledge service of this notice  
this day Sept 20. 1848

B. Stanton  
for Deflts



Union Corn Pleas

The James & Mechanics  
Bank of Newberville

Allen Biggs Cash  
subscribed

Received 12<sup>1/2</sup> ac to the 1828  
By Depositing to John B. Coats  
and the Bank of Newberville  
within 35<sup>5</sup> to the  
Bounty  
of 40<sup>5</sup>

John B. Coats  
J. B. Coats

**THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.**

**To the Sheriff of the County of <sup>Guernsey</sup> ~~Union~~, Greeting;**

We command you to summon

*John P. Beatty, Cyrus P. Beatty,  
Henrietta Beatty and Allen Biggs,*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the

day of *the Term* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill* in Chancery, exhibited

against *themselves* *The Trustees of the Farmers and Mechanics Bank  
of Steubenville.*

and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then there  
this writ.

Witness, JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of our said Court, at

the Court House, this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of

*September* A.D., 1848

*John Cassil* Clerk of Common Pleas.



In Union Corn Pleas

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Allen Niggs et al

vs

The Trustees of the Farmers  
& Mechanics Bank of  
Steubenville

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Deceit

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Filed July 31. 1849  
James R. Raper CR

Allison & Anny

The Joint and several Demourer of Allen Biggs and the other heirs of Benjamin Biggs deceased who are defendants to the Bill of Complaint of The "Trustees of the <sup>the</sup> Farmers & Mechanics Bank of Steubenville." Complainants.

The said defendants, by protestation not confessing or acknowledging all or any of the matters or things in the complainants' said Bill of Complaint to be true, in such sort, manner and form, as the same are therein set forth and alleged, for answer to the said Complainants' Bill of Complaint, these defendants do demur in Law, and for cause of demour say that there are no proper Complainants; the individual names of the Trustees are not named, and they are not a Corporation; Wherefore, and forasmuch as the Complainants' said Bill of Complaint doth not contain, as these defendants are advised, any matter of equity sufficient to establish any right or demand against these defendants, or either of them, nor to draw them in suit into this Honourable Court touching the matters complained in the complainants' said Bill of Complaint, and also for many other errors and imperfections in the said Complainants' said Bill of Complaint contained, these defendants do demur in Law thereunto, and thereby crave the judgment of this Honourable Court, whether they ought to make any answer to the said Bill of Complaint; and thereby pray to be hence dismissed with their costs, in this behalf wrongfully sustained.

By Allison & Curry  
Their Attors.



Union Com Pleas

Trustees of the Farmers &  
Mechanics Bank of  
Stambridge,

Allen Biggs & Co

Sub in Chy

Filed Sept 29, 1848

John Lewis & Co

Received this writ by delivering to Michael & Wood,  
William Rice, William Reed, ~~William Rice~~ and  
James Dwyer each a certified copy thereof and by  
leaving a certified copy thereof at the residence of  
Jephthiah Reed and also at the residence of Jacob  
Bartowen James Mettish & John Sturine not found  
Sept 21, 1848

Fees = mileage 25

Copies 00

Service - 135 = \$220

Philip Austin Sheriff

**THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.**

**To the Sheriff of the County of Union, Greeting:**

We command you to summon *Michael S. Wood, William Blue, Zephaniah Reed,*  
*William Reed, Jacob Pathman, James Wetlick, James Propper*  
*and Abram Amire*  
to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the *First*  
day of *The term* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill* in Chancery, exhibited  
against *them* *vs* by *The Trustees of the Farmers & Mechanics Bank*  
*of Steubenville,*  
and this *they* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then there  
this writ.

Witness, JOHN CASSIL, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the Court House, this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of

*September* A.D., 1848  
*John Cassil* Clerk of Common Pleas.



Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0019

Box 19.



No. 48-CH-19

# Union Common Pleas Court.

Jefferson Wempsey <sup>Adm.</sup> Plaintiff,  
AGAINST  
Elizabeth H. Cox Defendant.

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Jefferson Dempsey admr  
of Mrs Pyle decd  
vs  
Elizabeth Cox et als

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Union Common Pleas

Jefferson Dampney, Adm.  
of William J. Pyle, dec'd.

Elizabeth Cox Cottrell

Petition to sell.

Filed Sept. 23-1848  
some balance due  
upon of down on farm  
with of sale 1/3 to  
hand 1/3 in 9 mo  
2/3 in 18 mo. with 1/3  
on deferred part - sum  
of mortgage

Recorded

John K. Young, atty.



To the Court of Common Pleas of Union County  
Ohio.

Your petitioner Jefferson Sampson, Administrator  
of the Estate of William J. Pyle, dec. respectfully represents  
that there are no personal assets belonging to decedent  
in Ohio, that the debts owing by said Estate amount to  
about three thousand dollars, and there is no personal  
Estate or effects to pay said debts.

The said decedent died seized in fee simple of  
the following described real Estate in Union County, Ohio,  
to wit: that certain tract of six hundred and four  
acres, being of Survey No. 158, beginning at 5 links  
the North East Corner of said Survey, thence South  
37° East 400 poles to an ash, elm & hickory, thence  
South 53° West 234 poles to 2 beeches and dogwood,  
thence North 37° West 400 poles to a stake; thence  
North 53° East 249 poles 10 links to the beginning

The said decedent died leaving a widow  
named Elizabeth, who has since intermarried with  
James Cox: the decedent also left the following  
children his heirs, to wit: Mary Jane Pyle and  
Ezekiel B. Pyle, who are minors and whose guardian  
is John C. Critchman. All said persons reside in the  
State of Pennsylvania.

Your petitioner therefore prays that the said  
James Cox and Elizabeth Cox his wife (widow as aforesaid)  
and the said Mary Jane Pyle and Ezekiel B. Pyle  
and John C. Critchman may be made defendants to this petition;  
and that your petitioner may be ordered to call said  
real Estate to pay said debts and for such other relief  
as may be proper &c.

John K. Young,  
atty. for Petitioner.

Filed Aug 14. 1849  
James Kirkaldy & Co



Jefferson Dampy Adm<sup>r</sup>  
of W<sup>m</sup> J Pyle dec<sup>d</sup> } Lin Un Com Pleas  
Elizabeth Lev<sup>t</sup> & Ads }

Following described Real Estate in Union  
County Ohio, to-wit, that certain tract of ~~land~~ Six  
hundred and four acres being of Survey N<sup>o</sup> 158  
beginning at 5 links, the North East-Corner of said  
Survey, thence South  $37^{\circ}$  East 400 poles to an Ash Elm  
and Hickory, thence South  $53^{\circ}$  West 234 poles to 2 beeches  
and dogwood thence North  $37^{\circ}$  West 400 poles to a stake  
thence North  $53^{\circ}$  East 249 poles to links to the  
beginning,

Filed Mar 29. 1869  
La. R. R. Co. for clerk

Publication



UNION COMMON PLEAS.

Jefferson Dempsey, Administrator of  
William J. Pyle, deceased, vs. Eliza-  
beth Cox, and others.—Petition to sell  
Land.

JAMES COX, and Elizabeth Cox, his  
wife, (late widow of William J. Pyle,  
deceased,) Mary Jane Pyle, and Eli-  
zabeth B. Pyle, heirs of said decedent,  
and John Entricken, their guardian, are  
notified that on the 21st day of Septem-  
ber, A. D., 1848, the said Administrator  
filed his petition in the Court of Common  
Pleas of Union county, Ohio, against  
them, the object and prayer of which pe-  
tition is to obtain an order, &c., at the  
next term of said Court for the sale of  
the following Real Estate, of which the  
said William J. Pyle, died seized, to pay  
the debts of said decedent, to wit: 604  
acres of land being of Survey No. 158,  
beginning at 5 lynns the N. E. corner  
of said survey, thence S. 37 E 400 poles  
to an ash, elm and hickory; thence S 53  
W 234 poles to two beeches and dogwood;  
thence N 37 W 400 poles to a stake;  
thence N 53 E 249 poles, 10 links to the  
beginning, lying and being in Union co.,  
Ohio. JEFFERSON DEMPSEY,  
Admr. of Wm. J. Pyle, dec'd.  
JOHN H. YOUNG, Atty.  
September 27 1848

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State of Ohio }  
Union County }  
P. B. Cole

Subscriber of the Argus a news  
paper printed & in circulation  
in said <sup>County</sup> makes solemn oath  
that the State as hereto attested  
was published for four con-  
secutive weeks in said paper  
commencing Sept 27 1848

P. B. Cole

Sworn to & subscribed

May 29 1849 J. H. Knickerbocker

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Ely Cox Hal

Proof of Pub. of sale

Filed July 5. 1830  
H. K. Kado for C. W.



**ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF**  
A Real Estate.—On the 5th day of  
January, 1850, will be sold to  
the highest bidder at the door of the  
Court House in Marysville, Union co.  
Ohio, the following described Real  
Estate in said county, to wit: Being  
part of Military survey No. 158, be-  
ginning at 5 lions at the N. E. corner  
of said survey; thence south 37° E.  
400 poles to an ash, elm, and hickory;  
thence south 53° west 234 poles to 2  
beeches and dogwood; thence N. 37°  
west 400 poles to a stake; thence N.  
53° E. 249 poles 10 links to the be-  
ginning, containing 604 acres of land,  
subject to the dower estate of the wid-  
ow of William J. Pyle dec'd. Said  
sale to be made in pursuance of an or-  
der of the Court of Common Pleas of  
Union County, Ohio, made at its  
November term, A. D., 1849.

Terms of sale: One-third of the  
purchase money in hand; one-third in  
9 months, and balance in 18 months  
from day of sale, with interest from  
day of sale, deferred payments to be  
secured by mortgage on the premises.

JEFFERSON DEMPSEY, Adm'r  
of William J. Pyle, dec'd.

Nov. 21, 1849. n10w5p \$2,75

The State of Ohio Union County  
J. J. Davis & W. English do make  
solemn oath that a notice of  
which the annexed is a true copy  
was published for four weeks  
successively, immediately previous  
to the 5<sup>th</sup> day January A.D. 1850.  
in the Marysville Tribune a  
newspaper of general circulation  
in the County of Union to the  
~~William J. Pyle dec'd. last~~  
Sweet J. W. English.

sworn to and subscribed  
Before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of  
Jan'y A.D. 1850.  
James Lewis J.P.

Probate 0127

we the undersigned agreeable to the regulations  
of this order have received the proceeds of  
in the petition and find the same to be worth  
two dollars & ~~the~~ seventy five cents per acre that  
have lot of as the Mikeson done two hundred  
one acre & one third of an acre beginning at  
five square North easterly corner of said lot  
thence southerly to the south East corner thence  
Westerly with the land line far enough to contain  
the above quantity & on the parallel line with the  
North East line

Wm H. Prachman

Nathaniel Rognerson

Moses Devere

Wm N. Rognerson 2 days 2<sup>00</sup>  
" Moses Devere 2 days 2<sup>00</sup>  
Wm H. Prachman 2 days 2<sup>00</sup>

The State of Ohio Union Co (SS)

Personally appeared the within named Nathaniel  
Raymond Moses Devere and W. H. Prachman who  
were by me duly sworn according to law  
to perform the duties required of them by the within  
order, given under my hand this 2<sup>nd</sup> day  
of Nov. 1849  
Joshua Judge J. P.

Union Common Pleas

Jefferson Dempsey Admr of  
Wm Pyle decd

vs  
Elizabeth Cox & others

Order for assignment & appraisal

Filed November 16. 1849

James Kirkadofr Clerk



Jefferson Dempsy admr  
of William S. Pyle decd  
by  
Elizabeth Cox & others } May Term A.D. 1849  
P. A. to Sell land,  
In motion to the court By  
John H. Young, Counsel for the  
Petitioner, it is ordered that the said Elizabeth Cox be endowed  
of one full equal third part of the real estate in the Petition  
mentioned and described, and it is further ordered that  
David Danforth, Moses Devore, and Nathaniel Raymond  
being first duly sworn, do upon actual view of the premises  
set off and assign the said dower to the said Elizabeth Cox,  
and make return of such assignment together with a first  
valuation of said real estate subject to said dower, to the next  
term of this court. continued.

Jefferson Dempsy admr of } August Term A.D. 1849  
W. S. Pyle decd } Petition to Sell Land.  
by }  
Elizabeth Cox et als } It appearing that in consequence of  
the sickness of David Danforth, one of the  
appraisors heretofore appointed was unable to  
perform the duty assigned him & that ~~that~~ an informal assignment  
and appraisement has been made which is set aside. The court now  
substitute M. H. Wadhams in the place of said Danforth as an  
appraiser and direct a new assignment and appraisement  
in pursuance of the former order of this court and cause  
continued for that purpose.

The State of Ohio Union County ss.

I, James Knirkadof, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas  
within and for the County of Union and State of Ohio, Do hereby certify  
the foregoing entry, to be truly copied from the Journal of said  
Court, of the May and August Terms, A.D. 1849

Witness my hand and Seal of Office at Mansville  
the 26<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1849. James Knirkadof Clerk

State of Ohio Union County ss

I do hereby certify that the within named person  
is Moses Brown Nathaniel Raymond & M. A. Madhans  
Mr. duly qualified by me  
D. S. Stewart J. P.

Return Recorded

Union Court Pleas

Jefferson Dempsy Adm  
of the Estate of Wm Pyle decd

vs

Elizabeth Coit et al

Filed August 14, 1847  
James Kirkland Clerk





De Person Comptrol, Ad-  
ministratores y W<sup>m</sup> G.  
Pyle, dec.

Chy. h<sup>o</sup> C<sup>o</sup> h<sup>o</sup> m

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Ans. of quard. ad  
W<sup>m</sup> G.

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Filed May 29, 1849  
J. P. Kinnear, Jr. C. M.



The joint answer of Mary Jane Pyle and  
Ezekiel B. Pyle, infant defendants to the Petition  
for the sale of real estate exhibited against them both  
by Jefferson Dempsay, Administrator of William S.  
Pyle, dec. in the Court of Common Pleas of Union County,  
Ohio, by C. W. B. Allison their guardian ad litem.

And the said Mary Jane Pyle and Ezekiel  
B. Pyle, infant defendants as aforesaid, by C. W. B.  
Allison their guardian ad litem, for answer to  
said petition, say, that by reason of their tender  
years they are not able to comprehend the matters  
stated in the petition and therefore ask that petition  
be put to the strict & full proof thereof, and that  
they may be dismissed with their costs &c.

Mary Jane Pyle }  
Ezekiel B. Pyle }  
By C. W. Allison their  
Guardian Ad Litem

affidavit as to  
assets



The State of Ohio }  
Union County } ss.

Personally came into open  
Court Jefferson Dempsey, (who is administrator of the estate  
of William G. Pile, decd.) and under oath in due form  
of law that as such Administrator he has been  
informed of debts against the estate of the said  
Wm. G. Pile, to the amount of three thousand dollars  
and that there are no personal assets or effects  
belonging to said estate in Ohio, or he verily  
believes.

affirmed to & subscribed  
in open Court May  
24<sup>th</sup> 1849.

Jefferson Dempsey

James Kirkadair clerk

Jefferson Dec. 1849, Adm.  
of W<sup>m</sup> G. Pyle, dec.

Elizabeth Cox Boston

Adm. return.

Filed January 5, 1850  
James Kirkland for Clerk



Jefferson Kempsey  
Adm<sup>r</sup>. of William J. Pyle, dec<sup>d</sup>.

Elizabeth Coy litten

Union Common Pleas

Petition to sell land.

In pursuance of an order of sale made at the November Term 1849 of said Court, I gave notice of sale in due form of law, and at the time and place mentioned in said notices for said sale, to wit: at the door of the Court House in Clayville, on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of January 1850 I offered said property at public Vendue and Ezra L. Bailey having bid therefor twelve hundred dollars, and he being the highest and best bidder, and the same being more than two thirds of the appraised value thereof, I struck off and sold the same to him, for that sum.

Facts:

Publication of notice \$287 $\frac{1}{2}$

January 5, 1850.

Jefferson Kempsey.

Administrator  
of W<sup>m</sup> J. Pyle, dec<sup>d</sup>.

Jefferson Semper  
ad  
rs

Elizabeth Corcoran

Proctor & Publicator

Filed July 4, 1850

Thos. R. Adams per E. M. R.



**A**DMINISTRATOR'S Sale of Real Estate—On the 29th day of June A. D. 1850, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., of that day, will be sold to the highest bidder, at the door of the Court House in Marysville, Union County, Ohio, the following described real estate, to wit: Being part of Military Survey No. 158, beginning at 5 lynns at the N. E. corner of said survey; thence south  $37^{\circ}$  E 400 poles to an ash, elm and hickory; thence south  $58^{\circ}$  west 234 poles to 2 beeches and dogwood; thence N  $37^{\circ}$  west 400 poles to a stake; thence N  $53^{\circ}$  E 249 poles 10 links to the beginning, containing 604 acres of land, subject to the dower estate of the widow of William J. Pyle, deceased. Said sale to be made in pursuance of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Union county, Ohio, made at its November Term 1849.

Terms of sale: one third cash in hand, one third in 9 months and the balance, in 18 months from the day of sale, with interest from the day of sale, deferred payments to be secured by mortgage on the premises.

JEFFERSON DEMPSEY,  
Administrator of William J. Pyle,  
deceased.

May 28, 1850. n37w4pf,2.75

The State of Ohio Union County ss.  
I David W English do make solemn  
Oath that a notice of which the  
annexed is a true copy was published  
for four weeks successively immedi-  
ately previous to the 29<sup>th</sup> day of ~~June~~ <sup>June</sup> AD 1850  
in the Marysville Tribune a newspaper of  
general circulation in the County of  
Union

David W English.

I have read and subscribed before  
me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of July AD 1850  
James Kirk Rade Jr clerk  
Union Com Pleas

Jefferson Dempsey  
Admin of the Estate  
of Wm J. Tyler decd

vs

Elizabeth Cox and

Report of Sale

Filed June 29, 1850  
Chickadee clerk

to him for that sum.  
Filed:  
Pr. Mention of notice of  
June 29, 1850.

Jefferson  
Dempsey & Associates  
Trustees



Jefferson Dampsey, Adm<sup>r</sup>.  
of William J. Pyle, dec<sup>d</sup>.  
↳  
Elizabeth Cox & others

Union Common Pleas  
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In pursuance of an  
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form of law, and at the time and place men=  
tioned in said notice for said sale, to wit: at  
the door of the Court House in the Town of Marys=  
ville, in Union County, on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June  
1850, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and  
4 o'clock P.M. of that day, I offered said  
property at public vendue, and J. Kenies Lin=  
ville having bid therefor Twelve hundred dollars  
and he being the highest and best bidder, and the  
same being more than two-thirds of the appraised  
value thereof, I struck off and sold the same

Chancery Case File

Case No. 1848-CH-0020



No. 48-CH-20

Union Common Pleas Court.

Michael Cramer *advs*  
Plaintiff,

AGAINST

Bales Breedlows *et al*  
Defendant.

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Dismiss at Pleds Custs.

No Record.

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Michael Cramer <sup>.41</sup> ~~Adm.~~  
vs

Belis Bred Love  
Et al —

Pier in Chy.

Yr  
Filed Sept 23, 1848  
Whitcomb cM  
Cost Bill made  
No Record

By: M. C. Cramer  
A commission  
Copy as soon  
as possible  
Cramer



To the Court of Common Pleas within and  
and for the County of Union and State of Ohio  
in Chancery sitting,

Michael Cramer Administrator of  
the Estate of Hugh Thompson Deceased represents to  
the Court that ~~a decree was~~ Bales Buellone and Nathl  
Wells were appointed Adms of Levi Wells Decd  
on the 2<sup>d</sup> day of December 1821, and that Elijah Brud-  
Love of Champany Co, and Isaac McSung of Unwo-  
les became Sureties for the Said Administrators,  
your orator further represents, that he had obtained a  
Judgment against the Levi Wells in his life time  
to wit on the 13 day of Nov 1821, in Delaware Court  
Common Pleas for the sum of Six hundred &  
Sixteen dollars & 4 Cents, that said Judge was  
on a note given by said Wells for the purchase  
money of certain Lands sold to him by your  
orator, intestate, your orator further represents  
that afterwards on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of April 1846  
a decree was rendered by your honorable Court  
for the sale of said Lands to pay the debts of said  
Estate of Levi Wells by the said Adms, thereof  
and in said Decree it was ordered that your  
orator's said Judgment be first paid out the sale  
of said Land after paying the costs, your  
orator's said Judgment ~~the~~ principle and interest  
amounted at that time to about, Seven hundred  
& eighty dollars, your orator represents that said Land  
was sold for \$916.66 one third to price in here  
and  $\frac{1}{3}$  in one year &  $\frac{1}{3}$  in two years, from sale  
your orator further represents that all the payings  
for said Land are ~~are~~ have been done for several  
months & that they ~~has~~ the said Administrator  
of said Wells have received the same in full  
but that they have paid your orator on his  
said Judgment only about Three hundred & twenty  
five dollars, - and that said Administrator paid  
wholly retain said money to ~~the~~ against the Order &  
Decree of your honorable Court to the damage  
of your orator, your orator further represents that  
said Administrator of Levi Wells have bonded in the penal  
sum of ~~four~~ thousand dollars with said Elijah Buellone  
& Isaac McSung their Deputies Co-defendants for  
accuracy to said ~~copy~~ which bond is herewith



find meekell (A) & made a part hereof,

Your order therefore charges that said Admrs of Levi Wells have failed to fulfil the Condition of their said Admrs bond in this that they have not paid over to your orator his said judgement from the money arising from the sale of said Land as they were required to do by the order & decree of your Honorable Court, rendered April 16, 1846, in Journal No. 3, 394-5.

Your orator therefore prays that the said Admrs of Levi Wells together with their said securities be made defendants here, and that on final hearing of this case they be decreed to pay your orator the full amount of the balance due on his judgement for principle <sup>Costs</sup> & interest which amounts to about five hundred dollars, and that your orator may have such other & further relief as equity good conscience may require

P. J. Cole

Sol. for Compt.



Issue a Subpoena for the Sheriff of Champagne  
County for Elizabeth Burdlove & Matthew Mills  
and to the Sheriff of Union County for Isaac  
McLure

P. D. Cole

6/16/11

Union Com. Pleas

Michael Cramer

Admnr.

W

Bales Breedlove & Co.

Sub in ch

Filed Jan'y 22, 1849.  
J. A. Whitbread Jr. clerk

December 7<sup>th</sup> 1848 Personally  
served by reading and by giving to  
copy of this writ, on both sides certain  
various defendants

W. M. St. Louis, Ga.

Fees Service 55

2 Bales 30

Whitbread 50

Pocketing 10

41.45

Post for extra 50



**THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.**

To the Sheriff of the County of <sup>Champaign</sup> ~~Union~~, Greeting:

We command you to summon

*Elijah Breedlove and Nathan Wells*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the

*First*

day of *The term*

next ensuing, to answer a *Bill*

in Chancery, exhibited

against *them* ~~by~~

*Michael Cramer, Administrator of the Estate of Hugh Thompson Deceased,*

and this

*they*

shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then there

this writ.

*James Kinkadee Jr*  
Witness, ~~JOHN CASSIDY~~

Clerk of our said Court, at

the Court House, this

*3<sup>rd</sup>*

day of

*November*

A.D., 184*8*

*James Kinkadee Jr*

Clerk of Common Pleas.

Union Com Pleas

Michael Cramer  
Admors vs

Bales Breedlove et al

Sub. in Chy

Filed May 28, 1849  
James Kin Rader Clerk

served this writ May 11. 1849  
by delivering to the writen named  
Joac McChung a certified copy thereof  
Fees = mileage 45  
service 35  
Copy 10 = 90  
Philip Snider Sheriff



**THE STATE OF OHIO, UNION COUNTY, SS.**

**To the Sheriff of the County of Union, Greeting:**

We command you to summon

*Isaac M Lutz*

to appear before the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas, at the Court House, on the *First*  
day of *the Term* next ensuing, to answer a *Bill* in Chancery, exhibited

against *him* *vs* by *Michael Cramer, Administrator of the Estate*  
*of Hugh Thompson deceased,*

and this *he* shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of one thousand dollars; and have then there  
this writ.

*James Kirkadock*  
Witness, ~~JOHN CASSIDY~~, Clerk of our said Court, at  
the Court House, this *3<sup>rd</sup>* day of

*November* A.D., 1848

*James Kirkadock* Clerk of Common Pleas.

Union Corn Pleas

W. Brudlow et al

vs

Michael Graham, Admors

Ans of Brudlow & McHenry

Filed Aug 14, 1849

James R. Radcliff MR

W. Brudlow & Brumfield



The Separate Answer of Elijah Bredlow and Isaac Mc  
Lung to the Bill of Complaint of Michael Crummey Admin  
istrator of Hugh Thompson deceased, exhibited against  
them & theirs in Union Common Pleas in Chancery

And the said Defendants for Answer  
to so much of said Bill as they are advised it is material  
they should answer say that they admit themselves liable  
as for said Administrators of said Levi Wells deceased as charged  
in said Bill, and they also admit the proceeding by said  
Administrators to subject the lands of said intestate estate  
for the payment of debts, and the subsequent proceeding  
thereon as charged in the Bill.

Defendants say that Complainant  
had obtained a judgment against the said Levi Wells in his  
life time, as is falsely charged in said Bill, but on the contrary  
then Defendants then state that on the said 13<sup>th</sup> day of November  
1841. at which time according to said Bill said judg-  
ment was rendered, said Levi Wells was deceased,  
and that Defendants submit to the Court that said  
pretended judgment, if taken at all, was and  
is wholly void to all intents and purposes, and  
that the Complainant is not entitled to predi-  
cate any proceeding thereon against these Defen-  
dants. In further answering Defendants say they  
do not know the extent of payments to Complainant  
by said Administrators, and do not know what a  
mount might be found due Complainant on said  
original note in a proceeding instituted for that  
purpose, and therefore can not admit or deny  
the allegations of the Bill in that behalf. And having  
answered said Bill as fully as they can answer, ask to be  
hence dismissed with their costs. Elijah Bredlow  
Isaac McLung -  
By John S. Brown & Co.