

Jefferson County Circuit Court
Case Files-Civil

April 1838

Box 4 Folder 1

Gorham, Toulmin R.B.C.

vs.

Honey, Elias F.

Honey, John W.

Honey, Horace A.

Honey, Charles A., et al

Partition

Other defendants Mary C. Honey, Eliza
Honey, Charles W. Williams, Mary S. Williams.
320 acres in T 53, S4 R15, file contains multiple
copies of petition filed by Sarah F. Gorham
in Randolph County in March 1839 against same
defendants for same tracts of land

To the Circuit Court of the County of Randolph in the State of Missouri.

The Petition of Jonathan K. B. Gorham of the County of Randolph.

Respectfully sheweth.

That your Petitioner, and Elias F. Honey, a non-resident of this State John W. Honey, Horace A. Honey, Charles A. Honey, Mary C. Honey, and Eliza Honey, residents of this State, and all (except your Petitioner) minors under the age of twenty one years, are the owners in fee simple of the following tracts of land with the appurtenances, situate in the County of Randolph in the State of Missouri, that is to say the North west Quarter of Section five (5), in Township Fifty three (53), of Range Fifteen (15), the west Half of the North East Quarter, of the same Section, Township and Range, and the East Half of the south West Quarter, of Section thirty two (32), in Township Fifty four (54), of Range Fifteen (15), containing in the whole by estimation three hundred and twenty acres; and that your Petitioner is entitled as a tenant in common in fee simple, with the said Elias F. Honey, Horace A., Charles A., Mary C., and Eliza Honey, to an undivided half part of the said tracts, and the said Elias F., John W., Horace A., Charles A., Mary C., and Eliza, an interest as tenants in common in fee simple to the remaining half part —

Your Petitioner further sheweth that

that the said Elias F. John W. Morau A. Charles
A. Mary C. and Eliza are the children and only
heirs at law of John W. Honey late of the County
of Jefferson deceased and that ~~there~~ aforesaid
interest in the said tenements is derived to them
by descent from the said John W. Honey deceased
who acquired the same by purchase from the
United States —

Your Petitioner further sheweth that
Mary A. Honey, of the County of Jefferson was
the wife of the said John W. Honey deceased
at the time of his death and is entitled
to dower in that part of said tenements
that descended from him to her said children
as aforesaid and that her dower therein has
not been assigned to her that since the
death of her said late husband she has
intermarried with Charles ^{W.} Williams
of ^{the} said County of Jefferson, a minor under
the age of twenty one years, and that the
said Williams is entitled to demand and
have the dower interest of his said wife
in the said tenements during the joint
lives of himself and wife.

Your Petitioner therefore prays judgment
that the said tenements may be divided between
your Petitioner and the other persons aforesaid
according to their respective rights therein
interested therein as aforesaid, and that your peti-
= oner's interest in the said tenements may
be set apart to him in severalty, or that
the said tenements may be sold if partition
thereof cannot be made without great
prejudice to the owners

Jonathan R. B. Gorham
by Leonard
his Attorney

To Elias F. Hony, John W. Hony, Horace Hony,
Charles A. Hony, Mary C. Hony, Eliza Hony
and Charles W. Williams and Mary S. Miller
— and his wife and to every of you.

You are hereby notified that on the
first day of the next term of the
Circuit Court of the County of Randolph
in the State of Missouri to be holden
at Huntsville ⁱⁿ the said county on the
third Monday in April 1838 (or as soon
thereafter in the said term as counsel
I shall present to the said court a petition (a copy whereof is hereunto
annexed) praying for the partition
of the tenements in the said petition
mentioned.

16 February 1838
JOL W. B. Graham
by Leonard
his Attorney

W. B. Graham
Petitioner

vs

Chas. T. Honey &
others Deft

To the Circuit Court of the County of
Randolph in the State of Missouri.

The Petition of Toulmin R. B. G. Gor-
ham of the County of Randolph.

Respectfully Sheweth

That your Petitioner and Elias
F. Honey a non resident of this State.
John W. Honey - Horace A. Honey - Charles
A. Honey - Mary C. Honey - and Eliza Ho-
ney, residents of this State and all (ex-
cept your Petitioner) minors under the
age of twenty one years, are the owners
in fee-simple of the following tracts of
land with the appurtenances situate in
the County of Randolph in the State of Miss-
ouri, that is to say the North West Quarter
of section Five (5) in Township Fifty three
(53) of Range Fifteen (15). the west Half
of the North East Quarter of the same Sect-
ion - Township and Range - and the East Half
of the South West Quarter of Section
Thirty two (32) in Township Fifty four
(54) of Range Fifteen (15) containing in
the whole by estimation three hundred
and twenty acres and that your Peti-
tioner is intitled as a tenant in Com-
mon in fee-simple with the said
Elias F. John W. Horace A. Charles A.
Mary C. and Eliza Honey to an un-
divided half part of the said tenem-
ents and the said Elias F. John W.
Horace A. Charles A. Mary C. and
Eliza are intitled as tenants in Com-
mon fee-simple to the remaining

half part - - - -

Your Petitioner further shew-
eth that the said Eliza F. John W.
Horace A. Charles A. Mary C. and
Eliza are the children and only he-
irs at law of John W. Honey, late of
the County of Jefferson, deceased and
that their aforesaid interest in the said
tenements is derived to them

by descent from the said John W.
Honey deceased - who acquired the same
by purchase from the United States -

Your Petitioner further sh-
eweth that Mary S. Honey of the Cou-
nty of Jefferson was the wife of the said
John W. Honey deceased at the time of
his death ^{and} is entitled to dower in that
part of the said tenements that des-
cended from him to his said children
as aforesaid, and that her dower there-
in has not been assigned to her.
That since the death of her said late
husband she has intermarried with
Charles W. Williams of the said County
of Jefferson a minor under the age
of twenty one years and that the said
Williams is entitled to demand and
have the dower interest of his said
wife in the said tenements during the
joint lives of himself and wife.

Your Petitioner therefore prays ju-
dgment that the said Tenements may
be divided between your Petitioner
and the other persons aforesaid inter-
ested therein as aforesaid according to
their respective rights therein and that
your Petitioner's interest in the said
interest

tenements may be set apart to him
in severally or that the said tenements
may be sold if partition thereof cannot
be made without great prejudice
to the owners.

Toulmin R. B. C. Gorham
by Leonard
his Attorney.

To Elias F. Honey John W. Honey.
Horace A. Honey. Charles A. Honey Mary
C. Honey. Eliza Honey. and Charles
W. Williams and Mary S. Williams
his wife and to every of you.

You are hereby notified that on
the first day of the next term of the
Circuit Court of the county of Randolph
in the state of Missouri to be holden
at Huntville in the said County on
the third monday in April 1838 (or
as soon thereafter in the said term
as I shall present to the said court a petition (a copy whereof is hereunto annexed) praying for
as Council Can be heard) the partition of the tenements in the
said petition mentioned.

16 February 1838
T. R. B. C. Gorham
by Leonard
his Attorney

Wm. Graham
Baltimore

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Eliza Strong &
Barnes

To the Circuit Court of the county of Randolph in the State of Missouri

The Petitioner of Foulmin R. B. C. Gorham
of the County of Randolph-

Respectfully Sheweth

That your Petitioner and Elias F. Honey
a non resident of this State - John W. Honey.
Horace A. Honey - Charles A. Honey. Mary
C. Honey - and Eliza Honey, residents of
this State and all except your Petitioner
minors under the age of twenty one years,
are the owners in fee simple of the follow-
ing tracts of land with the appurtenances
situate in the County of Randolph in
the State of Missouri, that is to say the
North West Quarter of section Five (5)
in Township Fifty three (53) of range
Fifteen (15) the west half of the North East
Quarter of the same section Township and
Range - and the East Half of the South West
Quarter of Section Thirty two (32) in Town-
ship Fifty four (54) of Range Fifteen
(15) containing in the whole by estimation
three hundred and twenty acres and that
your Petitioner is intitled as a tenant
in Common in fee simple with the said
Elias F. John W. - Horace A. Charles A.
Mary C. and Eliza Honey to an undiv-
ided half part of the said tenements
and the said Elias F. John W. Horace A.
Charles A. Mary C. and Eliza are ~~intitled~~
~~related~~ ^{intitled} as tenants in Common in fee sim-
ple to the remaining half part ---

Your Petitioner further sheweth
that the said Elias F. John W. Horaces

Horace A. Charles A. Mary C. and Eliza are the children and only heirs at law of John W. Honey, late of the County of Jefferson, deceased and that their aforesaid interest in the said tenements is derived to them by descent from the said John W. Honey deceased - who acquired the same by purchase from the United States.

Your Petitioner further sheweth that Mary S. Honey of the county of Jefferson was the wife of the said John W. Honey deceased at the time of his death and is intitled to dower in that part of the said tenements that descended from him to his said children as aforesaid, and that her dower thereon has not been assigned to her - that since the death of her said late husband she has intermarried with Charles W. Williams of the said County of Jefferson a minor under the age of twenty one years and that the said Williams is intitled to demand and have the dower interest of his said wife in the said tenements during the joint lives of himself and wife.

Your Petitioner therefore prays judgement that the said tenements may be divided between your Petitioner and the other persons aforesaid interested therein as aforesaid according to their respective rights therein and that your Petitioner's interest in the said tenements may be set apart to him in severalty or that the said

tenements may be sold if partition thereof cannot be made without great prejudice to the owners.

Joulmin. R. B. C. Gorham
by Leonard
his attorney.

To Elias F. Honey. John W. Honey. Horace A. Honey. Charles A. Honey. Mary C. Honey. Eliza Honey and Charles W. Williams and Mary S. Williams. his wife and to every of you -

You are hereby notified that on the first day of the next Term of the Circuit Court of the County of Randolph in the State of Missouri to be holden at Huntville in the said county on the third Monday in April 1838 (or as soon thereafter in the said Term as Council can be heard) I shall present to the said Court a petition (a copy whereof is here unto annexed) praying for the partition of the tenements in the said Petition mentioned.

16 February 1838.

J. R. B. C. Gorham
by Leonard his attorney.

Wm W. Gordon
Pittston

By

Charles T. Strong &
Attorn. at Law

To the Circuit Court of the County of Randolph in the State of Missouri.

The petition of Doulmin, R. B. C. Gorham of the County of Randolph

Respectfully Sheweth

That your petitioner and Elias, I. Honey a non resident of this State John W Honey, Horace, A. Honey Charles, A. Honey, Mary, C. Honey and Eliza Honey residents of this State and all (Except your petitioner) minors under the age of twenty one years, are the owners in fee simple of the following tracts of land with the appurtenances situated in the County of Randolph in the State of Missouri, that is to say, the North west Quarter of Section Five (5) in Township Fifty th three (53) of Range Fifteen (15) the west half of the North East Quarter of the same Section Township and Range - and the East Half of the South west Quarter of Section Thirty two (32) in Township Fifty four (54) of Range Fifteen (15) Containing in the whole by estimation three hundred and twenty acres and that your petitioner is intitled as a tenant in common in fee simple with the said Elias, I. John, W. Horace A. Charles, A. Mary C. and Eliza Honey to an undivided half part of the said tenements and the said Elias, I. John, W. Horace, A. Charles, A. Mary, C. and Eliza are intitled as tenants in common in fee simple to the remaining half part - - - - -

Your petitioner further sheweth that the said Elias, I. John, W. Horace, A. Charles A. Mary, C. and Eliza - are the children and only heirs at law of John, W. Honey late of

the County of Jefferson deceased and that
their aforesaid interest in the said ~~tenements~~
tenements is derived to them by descent from
the said John, W. Honey deceased - who acquired
the same by purchase from the United
States.

Your petitioner further sheweth
that Mary, S. Honey of the County of
Jefferson was the wife of the said John, W.
Honey deceased at the time of his death and
is entitled to dower in that part of the
said tenements that descended from him
to his said Children as aforesaid, and that
~~her~~ ~~their~~ dower therein ^{has} not been assigned to
her that since the death of her said late
husband she has intermarried with Charles
W. Williams of the said County of Jefferson a
minor under the age of twenty one years and
that the said Williams is entitled to demand
and have the dower interest of his said
wife in the said tenements ^{during the} joint lives
of himself and wife.

Your petitioner therefore prays judgment
that the said tenements may be divided between
your petitioner and the other persons aforesaid
interested therein as aforesaid according to their
respective rights therein and that your
petitioners interest in the said tenements may
be set apart to him in severalty or that the
said tenements may be sold if partition thereof
cannot be made without great prejudice to
the owners.

Doulmin, R. B. & Gorham
by Leonard
his Attorney.

To Elias, H. Honey, John, W. Honey,
Horace, A. Honey, Charles, C. Honey, Mary, E. Honey,
Eliza Honey and Charles, W. Williams and Mary,
S. Williams his wife and every of you.

You are hereby notified that on the
first day of ^{the} next term of the Circuit court of the
County of Randolph in the State of Missouri
to be holden at Huntsville in the said County
on the third monday in April 1838 (or as soon
thereafter in the said term as Counsel can be
heard) I shall present to the said Court a pet-
ition (a copy whereof is hereto annexed) praying
for the partition of the tenements in the
said petition mentioned.

16 February 1838

T. R. B. C. Gorham
by Leonard his Attorney.

W. W. Fortnum
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Dear Sirs &
thru copy

To the Circuit Court of the County
of Randolph in the State of Missouri

The petition of Toulmin, K. B. C.,
Gorham of the County of Randolph

Respectfully Sheweth

That your petitioner and Elias, F. Honey a non resident of this State John, W. Honey Horace, A. Honey Charles A. Honey Mary, C. Honey and Eliza Honey residents of this State and all (Except your petitioner) minors under the age of twenty one years, are the owners in fee simple of the following tracts of land with the appurtenances situate in the County of Randolph in the State of Missouri, that is to say, the North west Quarter of Section Five (5) in Township Fifty three (53) of Range Fifteen (15) the west half of the North East Quarter of the same Section Township and Range and the East Half of the South west Quarter of Section Thirty two (32) in Township Fifty four (54) of Range Fifteen (15) Containing in the whole by estimation three hundred and twenty acres and that your petitioner is entitled as a tenant in common in fee simple with the said Elias, F. John W. Horace, A. Charles A. Mary, C. and Eliza Honey to an undivided half part of the said tenements and the said Elias, F. John W. Horace A. Charles, A. Mary, C. and Eliza are entitled as tenants in common in fee simple to the remaining half part

your petitioner further Sheweth that the said Elias, F. John W. Horace, A. Charles, A. Mary, C. and Eliza are the children and only heirs at law of John, W. Honey, late of the County of Jefferson deceased and that their

Aforesaid interest in the said tenements is derived to them by descent from the said John M. Honey deceased— who acquired the same by purchase from the United States—

Your petitioner further sheweth that that Mary, S. Honey of the County of Jefferson was the wife of the said John M. Honey deceased at the time of his death and is entitled to dower in that part of the said tenements that descended from him to his said Children as aforesaid, and that her dower therein has not been assigned to her that since the death of her said late husband she has intermarried with Charles M. Williams of the said County of Jefferson a minor under the age of twenty one years and that the said Williams is entitled to demand and have the dower interest of his said wife in the said tenements during ^{the} joint lives of himself and wife—

Your petitioner therefore prays judgement that the said tenements may be divided between your petitioner and the other persons aforesaid interested therein as aforesaid according to their respective rights therein and that your petitioners interest in the said tenements may be set apart to him in Severalty or that the said tenements may be sold if partition thereof cannot be made without great prejudice to the owners

I Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham
by Leonard
his Attorney

To Elias, F. Honey, John, W. Honey, Horace
A. Honey, Charles, A. Honey, Mary, C. Honey,
Elyza Honey and Charles, W. Williams and
Mary, S. Williams, his ^{wife}, and to every of you-

you are hereby notified that on
the first day of ^{the} next term of the Circuit
Court of the County of Randolph in the
State of Missouri to be holden at Hunts
ville in the said County on the third mond-
ay in April 1838. (or as soon thereafter in
the said term as Counsel can be heard)

I shall present to the said Court a peti-
tion (a copy whereof is here unto annexed)
praying for the partition of the ten-
ements in the said petition mentioned

16 February 1838

J. B. B. Gorham
by Leonard his attorney

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Children of

Oliver T. Henry &
Mary
Cochran

To the circuit Court of the county of
Randolph in the State of Missouri.

The petition of Toulmin, R, B, & Gorham
of the County of Randolph.

Respectfully sheweth

That your petitioner and Elias, S Honey a
nonresident of this State John, W. Honey, Horace
A. Honey, Charles, A. Honey, Mary, C. Honey and
Eliza Honey residents of this State and all
(Except your petitioner) minors under the age
of twenty one years, are the owners in fee simple
of the following tracts of land with the
appurtenances situate in the County of Rand
olph in the State of Missouri, that is to say,
the North west Quarter of Section Five (5) in
Township Fifty three (53) of Range Fifteen
(15) the west half of the North East Quar
ter of the same Section Township and Ran
ge and the East half of the South west
Quarter of Section Thirty two (32) in Township
Fifty four (54) of Range Fifteen (15) Containing
in the whole by estimation three hundred and
twenty acres and that your petitioner is entitled as
a tenant in Common in fee simple with the
said Elias, S- John, W- Horace, A- Charles, A-
Mary, C- and Eliza Honey to an undivided half
part of the said tenements and the said Elias
S- John, W- Horace, A- Charles, A- Mary, C- and
Eliza are entitled as tenants in Common in
fee simple to the remaining half part ---

Your petitioner further sheweth that the
said Elias, S- John, W- Horace, A- Charles, A-
Mary, C- and Eliza are the children and only
heirs at law of John, W. Honey late of the
County of Jefferson deceased and that their afor
said interest in the said tenements is derived to

them by descent from the said John, W. Honey deceased who acquired the same by purchase from the United States.

Your petitioner further sheweth that Mary S. Honey of the County of Jefferson was the wife of the said John, W. Honey deceased at the time of his death and is entitled to dower in that part of the said tenements that descended from him to his said children as aforesaid, and that ~~her~~ dower therein ^{has} not been assigned to her that since the death of her said late husband she has intermarried with Charles W. Williams of ^{the} said County of Jefferson, a minor under the age of twenty one years, and that the said Williams is entirely entitled to demand and have the dower interest of his said wife in the said tenements during the joint lives of himself and wife.

Your Petitioner therefore prays judgment that the said tenements may be divided between your Petitioner and the other persons aforesaid interested therein as aforesaid ^{according to their respective rights therein} and that your Petitioner's interest in the said tenements may be set apart to him in severalty or that the said tenements may be sold if partition thereof cannot be made without great prejudice to the owners.

Toulmin. R. B. C. Gorham

by Leonard
his Attorney

To Elias S. Honey. John W. Honey
Horace A. Honey. Charles A. Honey Mary
C. Honey. Eliza Honey. and Charles
W. Williams and Mary S. Williams

his wife and to every of you.

You are hereby notified that on the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court of the County of Randolph in the State of Missouri to be holden at Huntville in the said County on the third Monday in Aprile 1838 (or as soon thereafter in the said Term as Council can be ~~he~~^{heard}) ^{I shall present to the said Court a petition} ^{whereof is hereunto annexed} praying for the partition of the tenements in the said petition mentioned.

16 February 1838
J. R. B. C. Gorham
by Leonard
his Attorney.

Wm. W. Graham
Editor

To

Dear Friend &
Ours truly

To The Circuit Court of The County of
Randolph in The State of Missouri

The petition of Sarah, F. Gorham of the
County of Randolph a minor under the age
of twenty-one years by William Fort & Thomas
J. Gorham her guardians duly constituted according
to law—

Respectfully sheweth
That Toulmin, R. B. & C. Gorham late of the
County of Randolph deceased and John W.
Honey late of the County of Jefferson
deceased were in their lifetimes the owners ~~the~~
in fee simple as tenants in common of
the following tracts of land with the appur-
tenances situate in the County of Randolph,
in the State of Missouri, that is to say, the
North West Quarter of Section five (5) in Town-
ship fifty three (53) of Range Fifteen (15),
the West half of the North East Quarter of
the same Section, Township & Range and the
East half of the South West Quarter of
Section Thirty-two (32) in Township Fifty-
four (54) of Range Fifteen (15) containing
in the whole by estimation three hundred
and twenty acres. That Thomas Gorham
the Father of the said Toulmin and John
W. Honey acquired the same by purchase from
the United States and That the said Tou-
lmin acquired title to one equal and un-
divided half by deed of gift from his said
father and that partition of the said

tenements has never been made between
the said Toulmin & John or their heirs or
descendants or those claiming under them—

That the said John W. Honey did intestate
seize of his aforesaid Estate in the said tenem-
-ents, leaving the following Children, all minors
under the age of twenty one years, that is to say,
Elias F. Honey—a nonresident of this State John
W. Honey Horace, A. Honey, Charles, A.
Honey, Mary, C. Honey & Eliza Honey, residen-
ts of this State, who were & are the only heirs
at law of the said John W. Honey deceased
and as such are now entitled by descent as tenants
in common to all the estate of their said father in
the said tenements subject to the right of dower of
their father's widow therein, and that the said
John W. Honey deceased, also left at his death
a widow now Mary S. Williams, late Mary, S. Honey,
who is unmarried with Charles W. Williams
a minor under the age of twenty one years, of the
County of Jefferson— That the said Mary, S. Williams
is entitled as for her dower to one ^{third of one} equal ~~and~~ undi-
-vided half of the said tenements during her
natural life and that the same has not been ap-
-pointed to her and that the said Charles W. Williams is
entitled to demand and have the said dower interest
of his said wife in the said tenements during the
joint lives of himself & his said wife—

That the said Toulmin, N. B. C. Gorham
did seize of all his aforesaid estate in the said
tenements leaving a will, on which your petition
-er and a widow Martha, A. F. Gorham of the

County of Randolph that the said Toulmin
by his will devised one unmarried third of all his real
estate to the said Martha, A. F. Gorham during
her natural life and all the residue of his real
estate to your petitioner subject to the provision that
if your petitioner should die leaving no child or child-
ren that then such real estate should ^{devolve} to his brother
& sisters in equal parts and that your petitioner is now
entitled under the said devise to all the estate of
your petitioner's Father in the said tenements subject to
the said limitation over in the event of your petitioner's
dying without leaving any Child or Children & subject
also to the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham
to demand at her election either in right of her dower
or under said devise one third of the estate of your
petitioner's father in the said tenements during her nat-
=ural life and that no dower therein has been assigned
to her.

That the said Toulmin, N. B. C. Gorham also
left at the time of his death the following brother &
sisters, who were and are the only brother or sisters or dis-
=cendants of brothers or sisters of the said Toulmin, that
is to say, Thomas, S. Gorham, Patsy, F. S. Fort, late
Patsy, F. S. Gorham, who is intermarried with William
Fort - ~~Margarette Peps~~ all of the County of Rand-
=olph & Nancy, M. Lowry, late Nancy, M. Gorham,
who is intermarried with John, A. Lowry of Howa-
=rd County - Mary, R. Ingram, late Mary, J. Gorham
who is intermarried with James, S. Ingram - Francis
G. Dysart, late Francis, G. Gorham who is interma-
=rried with Robert Dysart all of Saline County
all of whom are brothers or sisters of the whole be-
=ood & Margarette Peps who is intermarried with Pleasant

Reps of the County of ^{Howard} ~~Manassas~~, who is a sister
of the half blood only & descends from the same
mother

That your petitioner and the said heirs of the
said John, W. Honey deceased are tenants in common
in fee of the said tenements. That your petitioner is
~~is~~ entitled to one undivided half of the said tenem-
-ents subject to the right of the said Martha, A.
F. Gorham to demand and have during her natural
life one third of said undivided half & subject also
to the aforesaid limitation over; and that the said heirs
of the said John, W. Honey deceased are entitled to the
remaining undivided half of the said tenements subject
to the right of the said widow of the said John, W.
Honey deceased to demand and have during her natural
life one third of said remaining half of said
tenements—

Your petitioner therefore prays judgment that
the said tenements be divided between your petitioner
& the other persons aforesaid interested therein as
aforesaid according to their respective rights therein
& that your petitioner's interest in the said ten-
-ements may be set apart to her in severalty
or that the said tenements ~~may~~ may be sold if par-
-tition thereof cannot be made without great
prejudice to the owners—

Sarah, (F. Gorham
by W. Hot & J. F. Gorham
her guardians

To Elias, F. Honey— John, W. Honey— Horace

A. Stony - Charles, A. Stony - Mary, C.
Stony - Eliza Stony, Charles W. Williams &
Mary his wife - William Fort & Patsy his
wife John, J. Lowry & Nancy his wife - Robert
Dysart & Francis his wife - James S. Ingram
& Mary his wife - Pleasant Peps & Margaret
his wife and Thomas, J. Gorham and to every of
you -

you are hereby notified that on the first day
of the next term of the circuit court of the coun-
ty of Randolph in the State of Missouri to be
holden at Huntsville in the said county on the
third Monday in May 1839 (or as soon there

after in the said Term as counsel can be heard)

I shall present to the said court a petition (a
copy whereof is herewith annexed) praying for the
partition of the tenements in the said petition
mentioned

1st March 1839

Sarah, F. Gorham
by W. Fort & J. L. Gorham
her guardians

To the Circuit Court of the County of
Randolph in the State of Missouri -

For

The petition of Sarah, H. Gorham of the
County of Randolph a minor under the age
of twenty one years by William Fort and Thomas,
G. Gorham her guardians duly constituted accord-
ing to law -

Respectfully Sheweth -

That Toulmin, R. B. G. Gorham late of
the County of Randolph deceased and John
W. Honey late of the County of Jefferson deceased
were in their lifetimes the owners in fe-
-deral as tenants in common of the following tracts
of land with the appurtenances situate in the
County of Randolph in the State of Missouri
that is to say, the North West Quarter of Section
Five (5) in Township Fifty Three (53) of Range
Fifteen (15) - the West Half of the North East
Quarter of the same section, Township and Range
and the East Half of the South West Quarter of
Section Thirty two (32) in Township Fifty four (54)
of Range Fifteen (15) containing in the whole by
Estimation three thousand and twenty acres that
Thomas Gorham the father of the said Toulmin,
and John W. Honey acquired the same by purchase
from the United States and that the said Toulmin
acquired title to one equal and undivided half by deed
of gift from his said father and that partition
of the said tenements has never been made

between the said Toulmin and John or their heirs or devisees or those claiming under them

That the said John, W. Honey died intestate seized of his aforesaid Estate in the said tenements, leaving the following children, all minors under the age of twenty one years that is to say, Elias, F. Honey a non resident of this State; John, W. Honey Horace, A. Honey Charles, A. Honey Mary, C. Honey and Eliza Honey residents of this State, who were and are the only heirs at law of the said John, W. Honey deceased and as such are now intitled by descent as tenants in Common to all the Estate of their said Father in the said tenements subject to the right of dower of their father's widow therein - that the said John, W. Honey deceased also left at his death a widow now Mary, S. Williams, late Mary, S. Honey, who is intermarried with Charles, W. Williams, a minor under the age of twenty one years, of the County Jefferson that the said Mary, S. Williams is intitled as for her dower to one third of one undivided half of the said tenements during her natural life and that the same has not been assigned to her and that the said Charles, W. Williams is intitled to demand and have the said dower interest of his said wife in the said tenements during the joint lives of himself and his said wife

That the said Toulmin, R. B. Gorham died seized of all his aforesaid estate in the said tenements leaving a will - one child your petitioner and a widow Martha, A. F. Gorham of the County of

Randolph- that the said Toulmin by his will devise one undivided third of all his real estate to the said Martha, A. F. Gorham during her natural life and all the residue of his real estate to your petitioner subject to the provision that if your petitioner should die leaving no child or children that then such real estate should descend to his brother and sisters in equal parts and that your petitioner is now entitled under the said devise to all the Estate of your petitioner's father in the said tenements subject to the said limitation over in the event of your petitioner's dying without leaving any child or children and subject also to the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand at her election either in right of her dower or under said devise one third of the estate of your petitioner's father in the said tenements during her natural life and that no dower therein has been assigned to her -

That the said Toulmin, R. B. Gorham also left at the time of his death the following brother and sisters, who were and are the only brothers or sisters or descendants of brothers or sisters of the said Toulmin that is to say, Thomas, G. Gorham Patsy, F. S. Fort, late Patsy, F. S. Gorham who is intermarried with William Fort all of the County of Randolph- Nancy, M. Lowry, late Nancy, M. Gorham, who is intermarried with John, G. Lowry of Howard County- Mary, G. Ingram, late Mary, G. Gorham, who is intermarried with James, S. Ingram Francis, G. Dysart

late Francis, G. Gorham who is intermarried with Robert Dysart all of Saline County, all of whom are brothers or sisters of the whole blood and Margaret Pipis who is intermarried with Pleasant Pipis of the County of Howard, who is a sister of the half blood only and descended from the same mother -

That your petitioner and the said heirs of the said John, W. Honey deceased are tenants in common in fee of the said tenements -

That your petitioner is intitled to one undivided half of the said tenements subject to the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand and have during her natural life one third of said undivided half and subject also the aforesaid limitation over and that the said heirs of the said John, W. Honey deceased are intitled to the remaining undivided half of the said tenements subject to the right of the said widow of the said John, W. Honey deceased to demand and have during her natural life one third of said remaining half of the said tenements -

Your petitioner therefore prays judgment that the said tenements be divided between your petitioner and the other persons aforesaid interested therein as aforesaid according to their respective rights therein and that your petitioner's interest in the said tenements may be set apart to her in severalty or that the said tenements may be sold if partition thereof cannot be made without great prejudice to the owners -

Sarah, F. Gorham
by W. Fort & J. S. Gorham
her guardians -

To Elias, F. Honey, John, W. Honey Horace, A.
Honey Charles, A. Honey-Mary, C. Honey-Glory
Honey Charles, W. Williams and Mary his wife
William Fort and Patey his wife- John, S. Lowry
and Nancy his wife- Robert Dysart and Frances
his wife- James, S. Ingraham and Mary his wife-
Pleasant Pipes and Margarett his wife- and Thomas
S. Gorham and to Every of you-

You are hereby notified that on the
first day of the next Term of the Circuit Court
of the County of Randolph in the State of Miss-
-ouri to be holden at Huntsville in the ~~Said~~ Coun-
-nty on the third monday in August 1838 (or
as soon thereafter in the said Term as counsel can
be heard) I shall present to the said court a petit-
-ion, (a copy whereof is herunto annexed) pray-
-ing for the partition of the tenements in the
said petition mentioned.-

1st Term
1838

Sarah, F. Gorham by
W Fort & T. S. Gorham
her Guardians-

To the Circuit Court of the County of
Randolph in the State of Missouri.

The petition of Sarah, F. Gorham of
the County of Randolph a minor under the
age of twenty-one years by William Fort &
Thomas, J. Gorham her guardians duly constituted
according to law—

Respectfully Sheweth—

That Toumin, R. B. C. Gorham late of
the County of Randolph deceased &
John W. Honey late of the County of
Jefferson deceased were in their lifetimes
the owners in fee-simple ^{of land} as tenants in common
of the following tracts, with the appurtenances,
situate in the County of Randolph in the State
of Missouri, that is to say, the North West Quarter
of section Five (5) in Township Fifty-three
(53) of Range Fifteen (15) the West half of
the North East Quarter of the same section
Township and Range and the East half of the
south West Quarter of section Thirty-two (32) ~~is~~
in Township Fifty four (54) of Range Fifteen
(15) Containing in the whole by estimation three
hundred & twenty acres. that Thomas Gorham the
Father of the said Toumin, and John W. Honey
acquired the same by purchase from the United
states and that the said Toumin acquired
title to one equal & undivided half by deed of gift
from his said father, and that partition of the
said tenements has never been made between the

said Toulmin & John or their heirs or devisees or those claiming under them - - - - -

That the said John, W. Honey ^{intestate} died, seized of his aforesaid estate in the said tenements leaving the following Children, all minors under the age of twenty-one years, that is to say, Elias, F. Honey a nonresident of this State, John, W. Honey, Horace, A. Honey, Charles, A. Honey, Mary, C. Honey and Eliza Honey residents of this State, who were and are the only heirs at law of the said John, W. Honey deceased and as such are now entitled by descent as tenants in common to all the estate of their said Father in the said tenements subject to the right of dower of their father's widow therein, that the said John, W. Honey deceased also left at his death a widow now Mary, S. Williams late Mary, S. Honey, who is intermarried with Charles W. Williams as minor under the age of twenty-one years of the County of Jefferson. That the said Mary, S. Williams is entitled as for her dower to one third of one undivided half of the said tenements during her natural life & that the same has not been assigned to her and that the said Charles, W. Williams is ^{entitled} to demand and have the said dower interest of his said wife in the said tenements during the joint lives of himself and his said wife.

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham died seized of all his aforesaid estate in the said tenements ~~leaving~~ ^{leaving} a will, one child your petitioner & a widow Martha, A. F. Gorham of the County of Randolph. that the said

Toumin by his will devised one ^{undivided} third of all his real estate to the said Martha, A. F. Gorham during her natural life and all the residue of his real estate to your petitioner subject to the provision that if your petitioner should die leaving no child or children that then such real estate should descend to his brother & sisters in equal parts and that your petitioner is now entitled under the said devise to all the estate of your petitioner's Father in the said tenements subject to the said limitation over in the event of your petitioner's dying without leaving any child or children and subject also to the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand at her election either in right of her dower or under said devise one third of the estate of your petitioner's Father in the said tenements during her natural life and that no dower therein has been assigned to her —

That the said Toumin, R. B. C. Gorham also left at the time of his death the following brother & sisters who were and are the only brother or sisters or descendants of brothers or sisters of the said Toumin, that is to say, Thomas, J. Gorham Patey, F. S. Fort, late Patey, F. S. Gorham, who is intermarried with William Fort all of the County of Randolph - Nancy, M. Lowry, late Nancy, M. Gorham, who is intermarried with John, J. Lowry of Howard County - Mary, J. Ingram, late Mary, J. Gorham, who is intermarried with James, J. Ingram - Francis, G. Wyatt, late Francis, G. Gorham who is intermarried with Robert Wyatt

all of saline County, all of whom are brothers
or sisters of the whole blood - and Margarette Piper
who is intermarried with Pleasant Piper of the county
of Howard, who is a sister of the half blood only
and descended from the same mother -

That your petitioner and the said heirs of the
said John, W. Honey deceased are tenants in comm-
-on in fee of the said tenements - That your
petitioner is entitled to one undivided half of the
said tenements subject to the right of the said Martha
A. F. Gorham to demand and have during her natural
life one third of said undivided half and subject also
to the aforesaid limitation over; and that the said heirs
of the said John, W. Honey deceased are entitled to the
remaining undivided half of the said tenements subject
to the right of the said widow of the said John, W.
Honey deceased to demand and have during her natural
life one third of said remaining half of said
tenements -

Your petitioner therefore prays judgment
that the said tenements be divided between your
petitioner and the other persons aforesaid inter-
-ested therein as aforesaid according to their respec-
-tive rights therein and that your petitioners interest
in the said tenements may be set apart to her in severalty or that
the said tenements may be sold if partition there-
-of cannot be made without great prejudice to
the owners -

Sarah F. Gorham by
W. Fort & S. Gorham
her guardians

To Elias F. Honey, John W. Honey - Heorace

A. Honey-Charles, A. Honey- Mary, C. Honey
Eliza Honey- Charles, W. Williams & Mary his
wife. William Fort & Patsy his wife- John, J.
Lowry & Nancy his wife- Robert Wapart & Franc
-is his wife- James, J. Ingram & Mary his wife-
Pleasant Pops & Margaret his wife and Thomas
J. Gorham and to every of you

you are hereby notified that on the first
day of the next Term of the Circuit Court
of the County of Randolph in the State of
Missouri to be held at Mountsall in the
said County on the ~~third~~ Monday in May
1839 (or as soon thereafter in the said Term as
counsel can be heard) I shall present to the
said Court a petition (a copy whereof is herewith
-to annexed) praying for the partition of the
tenements in the said petition mentioned—

1st March 1839

Sarah, J. Gorham
by W. Fort & J. J. Gorham
her guardians

To the Circuit Court of the County of
Randolph in the State of Missouri

The petition of Sarah, F. Gorham of the
County of Randolph a minor under the age
of twenty one years by William Fort & Thom-
as, S. Gorham her guardians duly constituted
according to law -

Respectfully Sheweth

That Toulmin, R. B. & Gorham late of the
County Randolph deceased and John, W. Honey
late of the County of Jefferson deceased were
in their life-times the owners in fe-sim-ple
as tenants in common of the following tracts
of land with the appurtenances situate
in the County of Randolph in the State of
Missouri, that is to say, the North West Qua-
rter of Section Five (5) in Township Fifty three
(53) of Range Fifteen (15) - the West half of the
North East Quarter of the same Section
Township and Range and the East half of the
South West Quarter of Section thirty two
in Township Fifty four (54) of Range Fifteen
(15) containing in the whole by estimation three
hundred and twenty acres that Thomas Gorham
the father of the said Toulmin; and John
W. Honey acquired the same by purchase from
in the United States and that the said Toulmin
acquired title to one equal and undivided half
by deed of gift from his said Father and
that partition of the said tenements has never been

made between the said Toulmin and John or their heirs or devisees or those claiming under them -

That the said John, W. Honey died intestate seized of his aforesaid estate in the said tenements, leaving the following children, all minors under the age of twenty one years that is to say, Elias, F. Honey a non resident of this state, John W Honey, Horace, A, Honey, Charles, A, Honey - Mary, C, Honey and Eliza Honey residents of this State - who were and are the only heirs at law of the said John, W, Honey deceased and as such are now entitled by descent as tenants in common to all the estate of their said Father in the said tenements subject to the right of dower of their father's widow therein - that the said John, W. Honey deceased also left at his death a widow now Mary, S, Williams, late Mary, S. Honey who is intermarried with Charles, W, Williams, a minor under the age of twenty one years, of the County of Jefferson - that the said Mary, S, Williams is entitled as for her dower to one third of one undivided half of the said tenements during her natural life and that the same has not been assigned to her and that the said Charles, W, Williams is entitled to demand and have the said dower interest of his said wife in the said tenements during the joint lives of himself and his said wife -

That the said Toulmin, R, B, C, Gorham died seized of all his aforesaid estate in the said tenements leaving a will - one child your petitioner and a

widow Martha, A. F. Gorham of the county of Randolph - that the said Foulmer by his will devised one undivided third of all the real estate to the said Martha, A. F. Gorham during her natural life and all the residue of his real estate to your petitioner subject to the provision that if your petitioner should die leaving no child or children that then such real estate should descend to his brother and sisters in equal parts and that your petitioner is now interested under the said devise to all the estate of your petitioner's father in the said tenements subject to the said limitation over in the event of your petitioner's dying without leaving any child or children and subject also to the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand at her election either in right of her dower or under said devise one third of the estate of your petitioner's father in the said tenements during her natural life and that no dower therein has been assigned or to her -

That the said Foulmer, R. B. C. Gorham also left at the time of his death the following brother and sisters, who were and are the only brothers or sisters or descendants of brothers or sisters of the said Foulmer that is to say, Thomas, J. Gorham - Patsy, F. S. Fort, late Patsy, J. S. Gorham who is intermarried with William Fort. all of the County of Randolph - Nancy, M. Lowry late Nancy M. Gorham, who is intermarried with John, S. Lowry of Howard County, Mary, J. Ingram, late Mary, J. Gorham who is intermarried with James, S.

Ingram- Francis, G, Dysart, late Francis, G, Gorham who is intermarried with Robert Dysart all of Salem County, all of whom are brothers or sisters of the whole blood- and Margaret Pipo, who is intermarried with Pleasant Pipo of the County of Howard who is a sister of the half blood only, and descended from the same Mother —

That your petitioner and the said heirs of the said John, W. Hoony deceased are tenants in common in fee of the said tenements- That your petitioner is intitled to one undivided half of the said tenements subject to the right of the said Martha, A, F Gorham to demand and have during her natural life one third of said undivided half and subject also to the aforesaid limitation over and that the said heirs of the said John, W. Hoony deceased are intitled to the remaining undivided half of the said tenements subject to the right of the said widow of the said John, W. Hoony deceased to demand and have during her natural life one third of said remaining half of said tenements —

Your petitioner therefore prays judgment that the said tenements be divided between your petitioner and the other persons aforesaid interested therein as aforesaid according to their respective rights therein and that your petitioner's interest in the said tenements may be set apart to her in severalty or that the said tenements may be sold if partition thereof cannot be made without great prejudice to the owners —

Sarah, F, Gorham by
W. Fort & T. D. Gorham
her guardians —

To Elias, F. Honey, John, W. Honey, Horace, A.
Honey, Charles, A. Honey- Mary, C. Honey, Eliza
Honey Charles, W. Williams and Mary his wife
William Fort and Patsy his wife - John, J. Low-
ry and Nancy his wife Robert Dysart and Fra-
nces his wife - James, S. Ingram and Mary his
wife - Pleasant Phipps and Margaretta his wife
and Thomas, J. Gorham and to every of you -

You are hereby notified that on the
first day of the next Term of the Circuit
Court of the County of Randolph in the State
of Missouri to be holden at Mountville in
the said County on the third Monday in August
1838 (or as soon thereafter in the said Term as
Counsel can be heard) I shall present to the said
Court a petition (a copy whereof is hereunto an-
nexed) praying for the partition of the tenements
in the said petition mentioned -

~~1st term~~
1st " 1838 -

Sarah, F. Gorham by
W Fort & J. J. Gorham
her guardians -

To the Circuit Court of the County of
Randolph in the State of Missouri

The petition of Sarah, F. Gorham of the
County of Randolph a minor under the age
of twenty one years by William Fort & Thomas, J.
Gorham her guardians duly constituted according to
law.—

Respectfully Sheweth

That Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham late of the
County of Randolph deceased and John W. Honey
late of the County of Jefferson deceased were in their
life times the owners in fee simple as tenants
in common, of the following tracts of land with
the appurtenances situate in the County of
Randolph in the State of Missouri, that is to
say, the north west Quarter of Section Five (5)
in Township Fifty three (53) of Range Fifteen (15)
the West Half of the North East Quarter of the
same section, Township and Range and the East
Half of the South West Quarter of Section thirty
two (32) in Township Fifty four (54) of Range Fif-
teen (15) Containing in the whole by Estimation
three hundred and twenty acres. That Thomas
Gorham the father of the said Toulmin; and
John W. Honey acquired the same by purchase from
the United States and that the said Toulmin acquired
title to one Equal and undivided half by deed of
gift from his said father, and that partition
of the said lineaments has never been made between
the said Toulmin and Honey or their heirs or assigns

or those claiming under them.

That the said John, W. Honey did, intestate seized of his aforesaid Estate in the said tenements, leaving the following Children, all minors under the age of twenty one years that is to say, Elias, F. Honey a nonresident of this State, John, W. Honey - Horace, A. Honey - Charles, A. Honey - Mary, C. Honey and Eliza Honey residents of this State - who were and are the only heirs at law of the said John, W. Honey deceased and as such are now intitled by descent as tenants in common to all the Estate of their said Father in the said ^{tenements} tenants subject to the right of dower of their father's widow therein - that the said John, W. Honey deceased also left at his death a widow now Mary, S. Williams, late Mary, S. Honey, who is intomarrried with Charles, W. Williams, a minor under the age of twenty one years of the County Jefferson - that the said Mary, S. Williams is intitled as for her dower to one third of one undivided half of the said tenements during her natural life and that the said ~~Charles, W. Williams~~ same has not been assigned to her and that the said Charles, W. Williams is intitled to demand and have the said dower interest of his said wife in the said tenements during the joint lives of himself and his said wife. —

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham did seized of all his aforesaid Estate in the said tenements leaving a will - one child your Petitioner and a widow Martha, A. F. Gorham of the County of Randolph - that the said Toulmin by his will devised one undivided third of all his real Estate to the

said Martha, A. F. Gorham during her natural life and all the residue of his real estate to your petitioner subject to the provision that if your petitioner should die leaving no child or children that then such real estate should descend to his brother and sisters in Equal parts and that your petitioner is now entitled under the said devise to all the estate of your petitioner's father in the said tenements subject to the said limitation over in the event of your petitioner's dying without leaving any child or children and subject also the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand at her election in right of her dower or under said devise one third of the estate of your petitioner's father in the said tenements during her natural life and that no dower therein has been assigned to her -

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham also left at the time of his death the following brother and sisters who were and are the only brother or sisters or descendants of brothers or sisters of the said Toulmin that is to say, Thomas, J. Gorham Patsy, F. S. Fort late Patsy, H. S. Gorham who is intermarried with William Fort all of the County of Randolph - Nancy, M. Lowry late Nancy, M. Gorham who is intermarried with John S. Lowry, of Howard County - Mary, S. Ingram late Mary, S. Gorham who is intermarried with James, S. Ingram - Francis, G. Dysart late Francis, G. Gorham who is intermarried with Robert Dysart all of Saline County, all of whom are brothers or sisters of the

whole blood - and Margaret Pipis who is
intermarried with Pleasant Pipis of the County
of Howard who is a Sister of the half blood
only and descended from the same mother.

That your petitioner and the said heirs of
the said John W. Honey deceased are ~~tenants~~^{tenants} in
common in fee of the said tenements that your Petition-
er is entitled to one undivided half of the said ten-
ements subject to the right of the said Martha
A F Gotham to demand and have during her natural
life one third of said undivided half and subject
also to the aforesaid limitation over, and that the said
heirs of the said John W. Honey deceased are entitled
to the remaining undivided half of the said tenements
subject to the right of the said widow of the
said John W. Honey deceased to demand and have
during her natural life one third of the
remaining half of said tenements

Your Petitioner therefore prays
for judgment that the said tenements be divided
between your Petitioner and the other persons
aforesaid interested therein as aforesaid according
to their respective rights therein and that your
Petitioner's interest in the said tenements may
be set apart to her in severalty or that the said
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Sarah F Gotham
by W Foster & J S Gotham
her guardians

To Elias, F. Honey, John, W. Honey Horace, A.
Honey, Charles, A. Honey, Mary, E. Honey, Eli-
za Honey, Charles, W. Williams & Mary his wife
William Fort and Patsy his wife John, J. Lowry and
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on, (a copy whereof is herewith annexed) praying
for the partition of the tenements in the said
petition mentioned -

1st June 1838

Sarah, F. Gorham by
W Fort & J. J. Gorham
her Guardians

To the Circuit Court of the County Randolph
in the State of Missouri -

The petition of Sarah, F. Gorham of the
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of twenty one years by William Fort & Thomas
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Respectfully Sheweth -

That Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham late of
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and Range and the East Half of the South
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ship Fifty four (54) of Range Fifteen (15) contain-
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of the said Toulmin; and John, W. Honey acq-
uired the same by purchase from the United States
and that the said Toulmin acquired title to one Equ-
al and undivided half by deed of gift from his
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has never been made between the said Toulmin & John, or their heirs or devisees or those claiming under them. - That the said John, W. Honey died intestate seized of his aforesaid Estate in the said tenements, leaving the following Children, all minors under the age of twenty one years that is to say, Elias F. Honey a non resident of this State - John, W. Honey - Horace, A. Honey - Charles, A. Honey - Mary, C. Honey and Eliza Honey residents of this State who were and are the only heirs at law of the said John, W. Honey deceased and as such are now intitled by descent as tenants in Common to all the Estate of their said father in the said tenements subject the right of dower of their father's widow therein - that the said John, W. Honey deceased also left at his death a widow now Mary, S. Williams, late Mary, S. Honey, who is intermarried with Charles, W. Williams, a minor under the age of twenty one years, of the County of Jefferson - that the said Mary, S. Williams is intitled as for her dower to one third of one undivided half of the said tenements during her natural life and ^{that} the same has not been assigned to her and that the said Charles, W. Williams is intitled to demand and have the said dower interest of his said wife in the said tenements during the joint lives of himself and his said wife

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham died seized of all his aforesaid Estate in the said tenements leaving a will - one child your petitioner and a widow Martha, A. F. Gorham of the County of Randolph - that the said Toulmin by his will devised one undivided third of

all his real Estate to the said Martha, A. F. Gorham during her natural life and all the residue of his real Estate to your petitioner subject to the provisions ^{at} ~~that~~ your petitioner should be leaving no child or children that then such real Estate should descend to his brother and sisters in equal parts and that your petitioner is now intitled under the said devise to all estate of your petitioner's Father in said tenements subject to the said limitation over in the event of your petitioner's dying without leaving any child or children and subject also to the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand at her election either in right of her dower or under said devise one third of the Estate of your petitioner's Father in the said tenements during her natural life and that no dower therein has been assigned to her —

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham also left at the time of his death the following brother and sisters, who were and are the only brother or sisters or descendants of brothers or sisters of the said Toulmin that is to say, Thomas, J. Gorham Patsy F. S. Fort late Patsy, F. S. Gorham who is intermarried with William Fort all of the county of Randolph — Nancy, M. Lowry, late Nancy, M. Gorham who is intermarried with John, J. Lowry, of Howard county — Mary, J. Ingram late Mary, J. Gorham who is intermarried with James, J. Ingram — Frances, G. Dysart late Frances, G. Gorham who is intermarried with Robert Dysart all of Saline County all of whom are brothers ~~and~~ sisters of the whole blood — and Margaret Pipes who is intermarried with Pleasant Pipes of the county of Howard who is a sister of the half blood

only and descend from the same mother —

That your Petitioner and the said heirs of the said John, W. Honey deceased are tenants in Common in fee of the said tenements. That your petitioner is intitled to one undivided half of the said tenements subject to the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand and have during her natural life one third ^{of said} undivided half and subject also to the afore said limitation over and that the said heirs of the said John, W. Honey deceased are intitled to the remaining undivided half of the said tenements subject to the right of the said widow of the said John, W. Honey deceased to demand and have during her natural life one third of ~~the~~ said remaining of said tenements

Your petitioner therefore prays judgment that the said tenements be divided between your petitioner and the other persons aforesaid interested therein as aforesaid according to their respective rights therein and that your petitioner's interest in the said tenements may be set apart to her in severalty or that the said tenements may be sold if partition thereof cannot be made without great prejudice to the owners —

Sarah, F. Gorham
By W. Fort & T. A. Gorham
her Guardians

To Elias, F. Honey, John, W. Honey, Horace, A. Honey, Charles, A. Honey, Mary, C. Honey, Eliza Honey, Charles, W. Williams & Mary his wife — William Fort and Patsy his wife — John, S. Lowry Nancy his

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gram and Mary his wife- Pleasant Piper and Mar-
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ri to be holden at Huntsville in the said County
on the third monday in August 1838 (or as soon
thereafter in the said Term as counsel can be
heard) I shall present to the said Court a petition
or (a copy whereof is herewith annexed) pray-
ing for the partition of the tenements in the
said petition mentioned-

1st June 1838

Sarah, F. Gorham by

W Fort & J, G. Gorham

her Guardians

State of Missouri }
County of Randolph } Sec.

To the Circuit Court of the County of
Randolph in the State of Missouri -

The petition of Sarah, F. Gorham of the
County of Randolph a minor under the age of
twenty one years by William Fort and Thomas, S.
Gorham her guardians duly constituted according to
law -

Respectfully Sheweth

That Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham late of the
County of Randolph deceased and John, W. Hoony late
of the County of Jefferson deceased were in their
life-times the owners in fee-simple as tenants in
Common of the following tracts of land with
the appurtenances situate in the County of Randolph
in the State of Missouri, that is to say, the
North West Quarter of Section Four (5) in Township
Fifty three (53) of Range Fifteen (15) - the West Half
of the North East Quarter of the same Section,
Township, and Range and the East half of the
South West Quarter Section thirty two (32) in
Township Fifty-four (54) of Range Fifteen (15) containing
in the whole by estimation three hundred and
twenty acres that Thomas Gorham the father
of the said Toulmin; and John, W. Hoony acquired
the same by purchase from the United States and
that the said Toulmin acquired title to one equal
and undivided half by deed of Gift from his
said father and that partition of the said ten-
=ments has never been made between the said Toulm-
=in and John, or their heirs or devisees or those claiming

under them -

That the said John, W. Honey died intestate seized of his aforesaid estate in the said tenements, leaving the following children, all minors under the age of twenty one years, that is to say, Elias, F. Honey - a nonresident of this state; John, W. Honey - Horace, A. Honey Charles, A. Honey Mary, C. Honey and Eliza Honey residents of this state - who were and are the only heirs at law of the said John, W. Honey deceased and as such are now entitled by descent as tenants in common to all the estate of their said Father in the said tenements subject to the right of dower of their father's widow therein - that the said John, W. Honey deceased also left at his death a widow now Mary, S. Williams, late Mary, S. ~~Hill~~ ~~Williams~~ Honey, who is intermarried with Charles, W. Williams a minor under the age of twenty one years, of the County of Jefferson - that the said Mary, S. Williams is entitled as for her dower to one third of one undivided half of the said tenements during her natural life and that the same has not been assigned to her and that the said Charles, W. Williams is entitled to demand and have the said dower interest of his said wife in the said tenements during the joint lives of himself and his said wife -

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. G. Gorham died seized of all his aforesaid Estate in the said tenements leaving a will - one child your petitioner and a widow Martha, A. F. Gorham of the County of Randolph - that the said Toulmin by his will devised one undivided third of all his real

estate to the said Martha, A. F., Gorham during her natural life and all the residue of his real estate to your petitioner subject to the provision that if your petitioner should die leaving no child or children that then such real estate should descend to his brother and sisters in equal parts and that your petitioner is now intitled under the said devise to all the ~~real~~ estate of your petitioner's father in the said tenements subject to the said limitation over in the event of your petitioner's dying without leaving any child or children and subject also to the right of the said Martha, A. F., Gorham to demand at her election either in right of her dower or under said devise one third of the estate of your petitioner's father in the said tenements during her natural life and that no dower or therein has been assigned to her —

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham also left at the time of his death the following brother and sisters, who were and are the only brothers or sisters or descendants of brothers or sisters of the said Toulmin that is to say, Thomas, S. Gorham Patsy, F. S. Fort, late Patsy, T. S. Gorham who is intermarried with William Fort — all of the County of Randolph — Nancy, M. Lowry, late Nancy, M. Gorham, who is intermarried with John, S. Lowry, of Howard County — Mary, S. Ingram, late Mary, S. Gorham, who is intermarried with James, S. Ingram — Francis, G. Dysart, late Francis, G. Gorham, who is intermarried with Robert Dysart all of Salem County all of whom are brothers or sisters of the whole blood — and Margaret Pipps, who is intermarried with Pleas-

ant Pipes of the County of Howare, who is a sister of the half blood only and descended from the same Mother -

That your petitioner and the said heirs of the said John, W. Honey deceased are tenants in Common in fee of the said tenements -

That your petitioner is intitled to one undivided half of the said tenements subject to the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand and have during her natural life one third of said undivided half and subject also to the aforesaid limitation over and that the said heirs of the said John, W. Honey deceased are intitled to the remaining undivided half of the said tenements subject to the right of the said widow of the said John, W. Honey deceased to demand and have during her natural life one third of said remaining half of said tenements

your petitioner therefore prays judgment that the said tenements be divided between your petitioner and the other persons aforesaid interested therein as aforesaid according to their respective rights therein and that your petitioner's interest in the said tenements may be set apart to her in severalty or that the said tenements may be sold if partition thereof cannot be made without great prejudice to the owners -

Sarah. F. Gorham
by W. Fort & J. S. Gorham
her guardians -

To Elias, J. Honey, John, W. Honey- Horace, A.
Honey- Charles, A. Honey- Mary, C. Honey- Eliza
Honey- Charles, W. Williams and Mary his wife
William Fort and Patsy his wife- John, S. Low
-ry and Nancy his wife- Robert Dysart and Fra-
-nces his wife- James, S. Ingram and Mary his wife
wife- Pleasant Pipes and Margaret his wife
and Thomas, S. Gorham and to every of you-

You are hereby notified that on the
first day of the next term of the Circuit
Court of the County of Randolph in the
State of Missouri to be holden at Huntsville
in the said County on the third monday in Au-
gust 1838 (or as soon thereafter in the said
Term as counsel can be heard) I shall present
to the said Court a petition, (a copy whereof
is herewith annexed) praying for the partition
of the tenements in the ^{said} petition mentioned
1st June 1838.

Sarah, F. Gorham by
W. Fort & J. S. Gorham
her Guardians-

To the Circuit Court of the County of
Randolph in the State of Missouri

The petition of Sarah, F. Gorham of
the County of Randolph a minor under the
age of twenty-one years by William Fort & Thom-
= as, F. Gorham her guardians duly constituted
According to law—

Respectfully sheweth
That Toulin, R. B. C. Gorham late
of the County of Randolph deceased &
John W. Honey late of the County of Jeff-
= erson deceased were in their lifetimes the owners
in fee-simple as tenants in common of the
following tracts ^{of land} with the appurtenances situate
in the County of Randolph in the State
of Missouri, that is to say, The North West Qua-
= rter of section Five (5) in Township Fifty-three
(53) of Range Fifteen (15), The West half of the North
= West East Quarter of the same section Township
& Range and the East half of the south West
Quarter of section Thirty-two (32) in Townsh-
= ip Fifty-four (34) of Range Fifteen (15) Conta-
= ining in the whole by estimation three hundred
and twenty acres. That Thomas Gorham the
Father of the said Toulin and John W.
Honey acquired the same by purchase from the
United States and that the said Toulin acquired
title to one equal & undivided half by deed of gift
from his said father, and that partition of the
said tenements has never been made between the

said Toulmin & John or their heirs or assigns or those claiming under them - ^{intestate}

That the said John W. Honey died, ^{intestate} of his aforesaid estate in the said territories leaving the following children, all minors, under the age of twenty-one years, that is to say, Elias F. Honey a nonresident of this state, John W. Honey - Horace A. Honey - Charles A. Honey - Mary, C. Honey and Eliya Honey residents of this state, who were and are the only heirs at law of the said John W. Honey deceased and as such are now entitled by descent as tenants in common to all the estate of their said Father in the said territories subject to the right of dower of their father's widow therein, that the said John W. Honey deceased also left at his death a widow now Mary, S. Williams late Mary, S. Honey, who is intermarried with Charles W. Williams a minor under the age of twenty-one years of the County of Jefferson - that the said Mary, S. Williams is entitled as for her dower to one third of one undivided half of the said territories during her natural life & that the same has not been assigned to her and that the said Charles, W. Williams is entitled to demand and have the said dower interest of his said wife in the said territories during the joint lives of himself and his said wife -

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham died seized of all his aforesaid estate in the said territories leaving a will, one child your petitioner & a widow Martha, A. F. Gorham of the County of Nanamouth - that the said Toulmin by his will devised one undivided

Third of all ~~his~~ real estate to the said Martha, A. F. Gorham during her natural life and all the residue of his real estate to your petitioner subject to the provision that if your petitioner should die leaving no child or children that then such real estate should descend to his brother & sisters in equal parts and that your petitioner is now entitled under the said devise to all the estate of your petitioner's Father in the said tenements subject to the said limitation over in the event of your petitioner's dying without leaving any child or children & subject also to the right of the said Martha A. F. Gorham to demand at her election either in right of her dower or under said devise one third of the estate of your petitioner's Father in the said tenements during her natural life and that no dower therein has been assigned to her

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham also left at the time of his death the following brother and sisters, who were and are the only brother or sisters or descendants of brothers or sisters of the said Toulmin, that is to say Thomas, J. Gorham, Patsy, F. S. Fort, late Patsy, F. S. Gorham, who is intermarried with William Fort all of the county of Randolph - Nancy M. Lowry, late Nancy, M. Gorham, who is intermarried with John, J. Lowry of Howard County - Mary J. Ingram, late Mary, S. Gorham, who is intermarried with James, S. Ingram - Francis, G. Dygart, late Francis, G. Gorham, who is intermarried with Robert Dygart all of Saline County, all of

whom are brothers or sisters of the whole blood
& Margarette Peps, who is intermarried with Pleasant
Peps of the county of Howard, who is a sister
of the half blood only and descends from the
same mother—

That your petitioner and the said heirs of the
said John W. Stony deceased are tenants in comm-
-on in fee of the said tenements— That your
petitioner is intitled to one undivided half of the
said tenements subject to the right of the said
Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand and have during
her natural life one third of said undivided half
of & subject also to the aforesaid limitation over
and that the said heirs of the said John W. Stony
deceased are intitled to the remaining undivided
half of the said tenements subject to the right
of the said widow of the said John W. Stony
deceased to demand and have during her natural
life one third of said remaining half of said
tenements—

Your petitioner therefore prays judgment
that the said tenements be divided between your pe-
-titioner and the other persons aforesaid intitled th-
-erein as aforesaid according to their respective rig-
-hts therein and that your petitioner's interest in
the said tenements may be set apart to her in
severalty or that the said tenements may be sold
if partition thereof cannot be made without great
prejudice to the owners—

Sarah, F. Gorham by
W. Fort & J. E. Gorham
her guardians

To Elias, F. Honey John, W. Honey -
Morace, A. Honey - Charles, A. Honey - Mary
C. Honey - Eliza Honey - Charles, W. Williams
& Mary his wife - William Fort & Patsy his
wife - John, S. Lowry & Nancy his wife - Robert
Dysart & Francis his wife - James, S. Ingram &
Mary his wife - Pleasant Pope & Margaret his
wife and Thomas, S. Gorham and to every of
you -

you are hereby that on the first day of the
next Term of the circuit court of the county of
Randolph in the State of Missouri to be holden
at Mountville in the said County on the
third monday in May 1839 (or as soon
thereafter in the said term as counsel can be
had) I shall present to the said court a petition
(a copy whereof is herunto annexed) praying for the
partition of the tracts in the said petition mentioned

1st March 1839

Sarah F. Gorham by
W. Fort & T. S. Gorham
her guardians

To the Circuit Court of the County of
Randolph in the State of Missouri

The petition of Sarah, F. Gorham of the
County of Randolph a minor under the age of
twenty-one years by William Fort & Thomas, Jr
Gorham her guardians duly constituted according to
law—

Respectfully Sheweth

That Toussaint, R. B. C. Gorham late of the
County of Randolph deceased and John, W. Honey
late of the County of Jefferson deceased were in their
life times the owners in fee simple as tenants in
common of the following tracts of land with
the appurtenances situate in the County Randolph
—in the State of Missouri, that is to say, The North
West Quarter of Section Forty-five (45) in Township fifty-
three (53) of Range fifteen (15), The West half of the
North East Quarter of the same section, Township
and Range and The East half of the South West
Quarter of section Thirty-two (32) in Township fif-
ty-four (54) of Range fifteen (15) containing in the
whole by estimation three hundred and twenty acres
that Thomas Gorham the father of the said
Toussaint, and John, W. Honey acquired the same
by purchase from the United States and that
the said Toussaint acquired title to one equal
& undivided half by deed of gift from his said
father and that partition of the said tenements
has never been made between the said Toussaint
& John or their or divers or those claiming under
them—

That the said John W. Mooney did intestate ~~survive~~ of ~~all~~ his aforesaid estate in the said territories, leaving the following children all minors under the age of twenty-one years, that is to say, Elias F. Mooney a nonresident of this state John W. Mooney, Morace A. Mooney- Charles A Mooney- Mary, C. Mooney and Eliza Mooney residents of this state, who were and are the only heirs at law of the said John W. Mooney deceased and as such are now entitled by descent as tenants in common to all the estate of their said Father in the said territories subject to the right of dower of their Father's widow therein, that the said John W. Mooney deceased also left at his death a widow now Mary, S. Williams, late Mary, S. Mooney, who is intermarried with Charles, W. Williams a minor under the age of twenty-one years of the County of Jefferson- That the said Mary, S. Williams is entitled as for her dower to one third of one undivided half of the said territories during her natural life & that the same has not been assigned to her and that the said Charles, W. Williams is entitled to demand and have the said dower interest of his said wife in the said territories during the joint lives of himself and his said wife

That the said Tolman, B. B. & Gorham did ~~survive~~ of all his aforesaid estate in the said territories, leaving a will, one child your petitioner & a widow Martha, A. F. Gorham of the County of Randolph. That the said Tolman by his will devised ^{unassigned} one third of all his real estate to the said Martha, A. F. Gorham during her natural life and all the residue of his real estate to your petitioner subject

To the provision that if your petitioner should
die leaving no child or children that then such
real estate should descend to his brother and sisters in
equal parts and that your petitioner is now entitled
under the said devise to all the estate of your petitioner's
Father in the said tenements subject to the ~~above~~
said limitation over in the event of your petitioner's
dying without leaving any child or children and sub-
ject also to the right of the said Martha, A. F.,
Gorham to ~~demand and have during her natural~~
demand at her election either in right of her dower
or under said devise one third of the estate of your
petitioner's Father in the said tenements during her
natural life and that no dower therein has been ap-
-pointed to her—

That the said Toumin, N. B. C. Gorham also
left at the time of his death the following bro-
-ther and sisters, who were and are the only brother
or sisters or descendants of brothers or sisters of the
said Toumin, that is to say, Thomas, J. Gorham
Patsy, J. S. Fort, late Patsy, J. S. Gorham, who is
intermarried with William Fort all of the county
of Randolph—Nancy, M. Lowry, late Nancy, M.
Gorham, who is intermarried with John S. Lowry
of Howard County—Mary, J. Ingram, late Mary
J. Gorham, who is intermarried with James, S.
Ingram—Francis, G. Dyart, late Francis, G. Gor-
-ham, who is intermarried with Robert Dyart, all
of Sabine County, all of whom are brothers or sisters
of the whole blood and Margaret Pipps who is
intermarried with Pleasant Pipps of the county of
Howard who is a sister of the half blood only

and descended from the same mother—

That your petitioner and the said heirs of the said John W. Hoony deceased are tenants in common in fee of the said tenements—

That your petitioner is ~~not~~ entitled to one undivided half of the said tenements subject to the right of the said Martha A. F. Gorham to demand and have during her natural life one third of said undivided half and subject also to the aforesaid limitation over; and that the said heirs of the said John W. Hoony deceased are entitled to the remaining undivided half of the said tenements subject to the right of the said widow of the said widow of the said John W. Hoony deceased to demand and have during her natural life one third of said remaining half of of said tenements—

Your petitioner therefore prays judgment that the said tenements be divided between your petitioner & the other persons aforesaid interested therein as aforesaid according to their respective rights therein and that your petitioner's interest in the said tenements may be set apart to her in severalty or that the said tenements may be sold if partition thereof cannot be made without great prejudice to the owners—

Sarah F. Gorham
by W. Fort & T. C. Gorham
her guardians

To Elias F. Hoony, John W. Hoony—Moran
A. Hoony—Charles A. Hoony—Mary C. Hoony

Eloza Toney Charles W. Williams & Mary
his wife - William Fort & Patsy his wife -
John I. Lowry & Nancy his wife - Robert Dyart
& Francis his wife James S. Ingram & Mary his
wife - Pleasant Phipps & Margaret his wife and
Thomas S. Gorham and to every of you -

you are hereby notified that on the first day
of the next Term of the circuit court court of
the county of Randolph in the State of Missis-
sippi to be holden at Huntsville in the said
county on the third Monday in May 1839 (or as
soon thereafter in the said Term as counsel can
be heard) I shall present to the said court a
petition (a copy whereof is hereto annexed) pray-
ing for the partition of the tenements in the
said petition mentioned

1st March 1839

Sarah F. Gorham by
W Fort & T. S. Gorham
her guardians

To the Circuit court of the county of
Randolph in the state of Missouri

The petition of Sarah, F. Gorham of
the county of Randolph a minor under the
age of twenty-one years by William Fox &
Thomas, J. Gorham her guardians duly constituted
according to law—

Respectfully sheweth
That Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham, late of the
county of Randolph deceased and John W.
Honey late of the county of Jefferson deca-
~~se~~ were in their lifetimes the owners in fe-
simple as tenants in common of the following
tracts of land with the appurtenances situate in
the county of Randolph in the State of Missou-
ri, that is to say, the North West Quarter of sec-
-tion five (5) in Township fifty-three (53) of Range
Fifteen (15), the West Half of the North East of
the same section, Township & Range and the East
half of the south West Quarter of section Thirty-
two (32) in Township Fifty-four (34) of Range Fif-
-teen (15) containing in the whole by estimation thir-
-ty hundred & twenty acres that Thomas Gorham
the Father of the said Toulmin & John W. Honey
acquired the same by purchase from the United
States and that the said Toulmin acquired title to
one equal & undivided half by deed of gift from
his said father and that partition of the said ten-
-ants has never been made between the said
Toulmin & John or their heirs or assigns or

Those claiming under them—

That the said John W. Honey did intestate seized of his aforesaid estate in the said tenements leaving the following children all minors under the age of twenty one years, that is to say, Chas. F. Honey a nonresident of this state, John W. Honey—Horace, A. Honey—Charles, A. Honey—Mary, C. Honey & Eliza Honey residents of this state, who were and are the only heirs at law of the said John W. Honey deceased and as such are now entitled by descent as tenants in common to all the estate of their said Father in the said tenements subject to the right of dower of their father's widow therein, that the said John W. Honey deceased also left at his death a widow now Mary, S. Williams late Mary, S. Honey, who is intermarried with Charles W. Williams a minor under the age of twenty one years, of the County of Jefferson—that the said Mary, S. Williams is entitled as for her dower to one third of one undivided half of the said tenements during her natural life and that the same has not been assigned to her and the said Charles W. Williams is entitled to demand and have the said dower interest of his said wife in the said tenements during the joint lives of himself & his said wife—

That the said Toulmin, R. B. & G. Gorham did seized of all his aforesaid estate in the said tenements leaving a will, one child your petitioner and a widow Martha, A. F. Gorham of the County of Randolph—that the said Toulmin by his will devised ^{undivided} one third of

all his real estate to the said Martha, A. F. Gorham during her natural life and ~~the~~ the residue of his real estate to your petitioner subject to the provision that if your petitioner should die leaving no child or children that then such real estate should descend to his brother & sisters in equal parts and that your petitioner is now ~~in~~ under the said devise to all the state of your petitioners Father in the said tenements subject to the said limitation over, in the event of your petitioners dying without leaving any child or children and subject also to the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand at her Election either in right of her dower or under said devise one third of the Estate of your petitioners Father in the said tenements during her natural life & that no dower therein has been assigned to her—

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham also left at the time of his death the following brother & sisters, who were and are the only brother or sisters or descendants of brothers or sisters of the said Toulmin, that is to say, Thomas J. Gorham, Patsy, F. S. Fort, late Patsy, F. S. Gorham, who is intermarried with William Fort all of the County of Randolph Nancy, M. Lowry late Nancy, M. Gorham, who is intermarried with John, J. Lowry of Howard County— Mary, J. Ingram, late Mary, J. Gorham, who is intermarried with James, S. Ingram— Francis, G. Dysart, late Francis, Gorham, who is intermarried with Robert Dysart all of Saline County all of whom are

Brothers or sisters of the whole blood - & Margaret
Pipes, who is intermarried with Pleasant Pipes of
the county of ~~Howard~~ ^{Howard}, who is a sister of the
half blood only & descended from the same mo-
-ther -

That your petitioner and the said heirs of the
said John, W. Honey deceased are tenants in
common in fee of the said tenements. That you
-ur petitioner is entitled to one undivided half of
the said tenements subject to the right of the
said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand and
have during her natural life one third of said
undivided half and subject also to the aforesaid
limitation over; and that the said heirs of the said
John W. Honey deceased are entitled to the re-
-maining undivided half of the said tenements sub-
-ject to the right of the said widow of the said
John, W. Honey deceased to demand and have dur-
-ing her natural life one third of said remaining
half of said tenements -

Your petitioner therefore prays judgment
that the said tenements be divided between your
petitioner & the other persons aforesaid interested
therein as aforesaid according to their respective
rights therein and that your petitioner's interest
in the said tenements may be set apart to
her in severalty or that the said tenements may
be sold if partition thereof cannot be made
without great prejudice to the owners -

Sarah F. Gorham
by W. Fort & J. J. Gorham
her guardians

To Elias, F. Honey, John, W. Honey
Horace, A. Honey, Charles, A. Honey, Mary
C. Honey, Eliza Honey, Charles W. Wil-
-ams & Mary his wife - William Fort & Patsy
his wife - John, S. Lowry & Nancy his wife
Robert Dwyer & Francis his wife - James
S. Ingram & Mary his wife - Pleasant Phipps
& Margaret his wife & Thomas, J. Gorham
and every of you

You are hereby notified that on
the first day of the next term of the
Circuit Court of the county of Randol-
-ph in the state of Missouri to be hold-
-en at Huntsville in the said county on
the third Monday in May 1839 (or as
~~soon~~ thereafter in the said term as Counsel
can be heard) I shall present to the said
Court a petition (a copy whereof is here
unto annexed) praying for the partition of
the tenements in the said petition mentioned

1st March 1839

Sarah, F. Gorham
by W. Fort & J. L. Gorham
her guardians -

To the Circuit Court of the County of Randolph in the State of Missouri.

The petition of Sarah. F. Gorham of the County of Randolph a minor under the age of twenty-one years by William. Fort & Thomas. J. Gorham her guardians duly constituted according to Law -

Respectfully Sheweth

That Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham late of the County of Randolph deceased & John. W. Honey late of the County of Jefferson deceased were in their lifetimes the owners in fee simple ^{of land} as tenants in common of the following tracts with the appurtenances situate in the County Randolph in the State of Missouri, that is to say, The North West Quarter of section Five (5) in Township Fifty-three (53) of Range Fifteen (15) the West half of the North East Quarter of the same section Township and Range and the East half of the South West Quarter of section Thirty-two (32) in Township Fifty-four (54) of Range Fifteen (15) Containing in the whole by estimation three hundred & twenty acres, that Thomas Gorham the Father of the said Toulmin ~~acquired the same~~ & John. W. Honey acquired the same by purchase from the United States and that the said Toulmin acquired title to one

equal & undivided half by deed of gift from his said father, and that partition of the tenements has never been made between the said Touchin & John or their heirs or devisees or those claiming under them.

That the said John, W. Honey died ^{intestate} seized of his aforesaid estate in the said tenements leaving the following children, all minors under the age of twenty-one years, that is to say, Elias, F. Honey, a nonresident of this State, John, W. Honey, Horace, A. Honey, Charles, A. Honey, Mary, C. Honey and Eliza, Honey residents of this State, who were and are only heirs at law of the said John, W. Honey deceased and as such are now entitled by descent as tenants in common to all the estate of their said Father in the said tenements subject to the right of dower of their father's

Widow ther ~~with~~ that the said John, W. Honey deceased also left at his death a wife now Mary, S. Williams late Mary, S. Honey, who is intermarried with Charles, W. Williams a minor under the age of twenty-one years of the County of Jefferson that the said Mary, S. Williams is entitled as for her dower to one third of one undivided half of the said tenements during her natural life & that the ~~said~~ ^{same} has not been assigned to her and that the said Charles, W. Williams is entitled to demand and have the said dower interest of his said wife in the said tenements during.

the joint lives of himself and his said wife.
That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham died seized
of all his aforesaid estate in the said tenements
~~leaving~~
~~leaving~~ a will, one child your petitioner & a widow
Martha, A. F. Gorham of the County of Randolph
that the said Toulmin by his will devised ^{undivided} one ~~third~~
of all his real estate to the said Martha, A. F. Gor-
ham during her natural life and all the residue
of his real estate to your petitioner subject to the
provision that if your petitioner should die
leaving no child or children that then such
real estate should descend to his brother and sisters
in equal parts and that your petitioner is now
in ~~possession~~ under the said devise to all the estate
of your petitioner's Father in the said tenement
-nts subject to the said limitation over, in the
event of your petitioner's dying without leaving
any child or children and subject also to the
right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to dem-
-and at her election either in right of her
dower or under ~~the~~ devise one third of the estate
of your petitioner's Father in the said tenement
-ts during her natural life and that no dower
therein has been assigned to her -

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham
also left at the time of his death the fol-
-owing brother and sisters, who were and are the
only brother or sisters or descendants of brother
or sisters of the said Toulmin, that is to say,
Thomas, A. Gorham, Palsey, F. S. Fort, late Palsey F.
S. Gorham, who is intermarried with William

For all of the County of Randolph
Nancy, M. Lowry, late Nancy, M. Gorham, who
is intermarried with John, J. Lowry of Howard
County - Mary, J. Ingram, late Mary, J. Gorham,
who is intermarried with James, J. Ingram - Fran-
-cis, G. Dyart, late Francis, G. Gorham, who is
intermarried with Robert Dyart all of Saline
County all of whom are brothers or sisters of the
whole blood, and Margaret Pipps who is in-
-termarried with Pleasant Pipps of the County
of Howard, who is a sister of the half blood
only and descended from the same mother -

That your petitioner and the said heirs of
the said John W. Honey deceased are tenants in com-
-mon in fee of the said tenements - That your
petitioner is entitled to one undivided half of
the said tenements subject to the right of the
said Martha, A. J. Gorham to demand and have
during her natural life one third of said undivided
half and subject also to the aforesaid limitation
over; and that the said heirs of the said John W.
Honey deceased are entitled to the ^{undivided} remaining half
of the said tenements subject to the right of the
said widow of the said John W. Honey deceased to
demand and have during her natural life one
third of said remaining half of said tenements -

Your petitioner therefore prays judgment that
the said tenements be divided between your petitioner
and the other persons aforesaid interested therein as
aforesaid according to their respective rights therein &
that your petitioner's interest in the said tenements
may be set apart to her in severalty or that

The said tenements may be sold if parti-
-on thereof cannot be made without great
prejudice to the owners—

Sarah F. Gorham by
W. Fort & J. L. Gorham
her guardians

To Elias F. Honey—John W. Honey—Norace,
A. Honey—Charles A. Honey—Mary C. Honey—
Eliza Honey—Charles W. Williams & Mary his
wife—William Fort & Patsy his wife—John
J. Lowry & Nancy his wife—Robert Hyatt &
Francis his wife—James S. Ingram & Mary his
wife—Pleasant Phipps & Margaret his wife &
Thomas S. Gorham and to every of you—

you are hereby notified that on the
first day of the next Term of the Circuit
Court of the County of Randolph in the Sta-
-te of Missouri to be holden at Huntsville in
the said County on the third Monday in March
1839 (or as soon thereafter in the said Term
as counsel can be heard) I shall present to the
said Court a petition (a copy whereof is heren-
-to annexed) praying for the partition of
the tenements in the said petition mentioned—

1st March 1839

Sarah F. Gorham
by W. Fort & J. L. Gorham
her guardians

Children of Matthew
of Can. noted by
Examiner

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To the Circuit Court of the County of
Randolph in the State of Missouri

The petition of Sarah, F. Gorham of the
County of Randolph a minor under the age of
twenty one years by William Fort & Thomas, J.
Gorham her guardians duly constituted according
to law -

Respectfully Sheweth

That Toulmin, R. B. & Gorham late of
the County of Randolph deceased and John, W.
Hoony late of the County of Jefferson deceased were
in their life times the owners in fee simple as
tenants in common of the following tracts of
land with the appurtenances situate in the
County of Randolph in the State of Miss-
ouri, that is to say, - the North West Quarter
of Section Five (5) in Township Fifty three (53)
of Range Fifteen (15) - the West Half of the North
East Quarter of the same section, Township and
Range - and the East Half of the South West
Quarter of Section thirty two (32) in Township Fif-
ty four (54) of Range Fifteen (15) containing in the
whole by estimation three hundred and twenty acres
that Thomas Gorham the father of the said Toulmin;
and John, W. Hoony acquired the same by purchase
from the United States and that the said Toulmin acq-
uired title to one equal and undivided half by deed of
Gift from his said Father and that partition of the
said tenements has never been made between the said
Toulmin and John, or their heirs or assigns or those

claiming under them -

That the said John, W. Hoony died intestate seized of his aforesaid estate in the said tenements, leaving the following children, all minors under the age of twenty one years, that is to say, Elias, F. Hoony a non resident of this State, - John, W. Hoony, Morace, A. Hoony, Charles, A. Hoony - Mary, C. Hoony and Eliza Hoony residents of this State, who were and are the only heirs at law of the said John, W. Hoony deceased and as such are now intitled by descent as tenants in common to all the estate of their said Father in the said tenements subject to the right of dower of their Father's widow therein - that the said John, W. Hoony deceased also left at his death a widow now Mary, S. Williams, late Mary S. Hoony, who is unmarried with Charles, W. Williams a minor under the age of twenty one years of the County of Jefferson - that the said Mary, S. Williams is intitled as for her dower to one third ~~of one~~ ~~third~~ of one undivided half of the said tenements during her natural life and that the same has not been assigned to her and that the said Charles, W. Williams is intitled to demand and have the said dower interest of his said wife in the said tenements during the joint lives of himself and his ^{said} wife -

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham died seized of all his aforesaid estate in the said tenements leaving a will - one child your petitioner and a widow Martha, A. F. Gorham of the county of Randolph - that the said Toulmin by his will devised one undivided third of all his real estate to the said Martha, A. F. Gorham during her natural life and all the

the residue of his real Estate to your petitioner subject to the provision that if your petitioner should die leaving no child or children that then such real estate should descend ~~to~~ his brother and sisters in equal parts and that your petitioner is now intitled under the said devise to all the estate of your petitioner's father in the said tenements subject to the said limitation over in the event of your petitioner's dying without leaving any child or children and subject also to the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand at her election either in right of her dower or under said devise one third of the estate of your petitioner's father in the said tenements during her natural life and that no dower therein has been assigned to her —

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham also left at the time of his death the following brother and sisters, who were and are the only brother or sisters or descendants of brothers or sisters of the said Toulmin that is to say, Thomas, J. Gorham Patsy, F. S. Fort, late Patsy, J. S. Gorham who is intermarried with William Fort, all of the County of Randolph — Nancy, M. Lowry, late Nancy, M. Gorham who is intermarried with John, S. Lowry, of Howard County Mary, S. Ingram, late Mary, S. Gorham, who is intermarried with James, S. Ingram. Francis, G. Dygart, late Francis, G. Gorham, who is intermarried with Robert Dygart, all of Saline County, all of whom are brothers or sisters of the whole blood — and Margaret Pipes who is intermarried with Pleasant Pipes of the County of Howard who is a sister of the half

blood only and descended from the same Mother -

That your petitioner and the said heirs of the said John, W. Honey deceased are tenants in common in fee of the said tenements. That your petitioner is entitled to one undivided half of the said tenements subject to the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand and have during her natural life one third of said undivided half and subject also to the aforesaid limitation over and that the said heirs of the said John, W. Honey deceased are entitled to the remaining undivided half of the said tenements subject of the right of the said widow of the said John, W. Honey deceased to demand and have during her natural life one third of said remaining half of said tenements -

your ~~the~~ petitioner therefore prays judgment that the said tenements be divided between your petitioner and the other persons aforesaid interested therein as aforesaid according to their respective rights therein and that your petitioner's interest in the said tenements may be set apart to her in severalty or that the said tenements may be sold if partition thereof cannot be made without great prejudice to the owners -

Sarah, F. Gorham

by W. Fort & J. B. Gorham

her guardians -

To Elias, F. Honey, John, W. Honey - Horace, A. Honey - Charles, A. Honey - Mary, C. Honey - Eliza, Honey - Charles, W. Williams and Mary his wife William Fort and Patsy his wife - John, S. Lowry and Nancy his

wife- Robert Gysart and Frances his wife- James, S. In-
gram and Mary his wife- Pleasant Phipps and Mar-
garet his wife and Thomas, G. Gorham and to every
of you -

You are hereby notified that on the first
day of the next Term of the Circuit Court of the
County of Randolph in the state of Missouri
to be holden at Mountville in the said county on
the third Monday in August 1838 (or ~~at~~ as soon
thereafter in the said Term as counsel can be heard)
I shall present to the said Court a petition, (a copy
whereof is here unto annexed) praying for the par-
tition of the tenements in the said petition men-
tioned -

^{1st Term}
1st / 1838

Sarah, F. Gorham by
W. Fort & T. G. Gorham
her Guardians -

To the Circuit Court of the County of
Randolph in the State of Missouri

The petition of Sarah, F. Gorham of the
County of Randolph a minor under the age
of twenty one years by William, Fort and
Thomas, F. Gorham her guardians duly con-
stituted according to law

Respectfully Sheweth.

That Toulmin, R. B., G. Gorham late of
the County of Randolph deceased and John
W. Hoony late of the County of Jefferson
deceased were in their life times the owners
in fee simple as tenants in common of the
following tracts of land with the appurtenant
ances situate in the County of Randolph in
the State of Missouri, that is to say, the North
West Quarter of Section Five (5) in Township
Fifty three (53) of Range Fifteen (15) the West
Half of the North East Quarter of the same
Section, Township and Range and the East Half
of the South West Quarter of Section Thirty two
(32) in Township Fifty four (54) of Range Fifteen
(15) containing in the whole by Estimation three
hundred and twenty acres that Thomas Gorham
the father of the said Toulmin; and John W.
Hoony acquired the same by purchase from the
United States and that the said Toulmin acquired
title to one equal and undivided half by deed of
Gift from his said father and that partition

of the said tenements has ~~not~~^{never} be made between the said Toulmin and ~~John~~ their heirs or devisees or those claiming under them -

That the said John, W. Honey died intestate seized of his aforesaid estate in the said tenements, leaving the following Children, all minors under the age of ~~twenty~~ one years that is to say, Elias, F. Honey a non resident of this State - John, W. Honey, Horace, A. Honey, Charles, A. Honey Mary, C. Honey and Eliza Honey residents of this State - who were and are the only heirs at law of the said John, W. Honey deceased and as such are now entitled by descent as tenants in common to all the Estate of their said father in the said tenements subject to the right of dower of their father's widow therein - that the said John, W. Honey deceased also left at his death a widow now Mary, S. Williams, late Mary, S. Honey, who is intermarried with Charles, W. Williams, a minor under the age of twenty one years, of the County of Jefferson - that the said Mary, S. Williams is entitled as for her dower to one third of one undivided half of the said tenements during her natural life and that the same has not been assigned to her and that the said Charles, W. Williams is entitled to demand and have the said dower interest of his said wife in the said tenements during the joint lives of himself and his said wife. -

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham died seized of all his aforesaid Estate in the said tenements leaving a will - one child your petitioner

and, a widow Martha, A. F. Gorham of the County of Randolph - that the said Toulmin by his will, ^{devised} one undivided third of all his real Estate to the said Martha, A. F. Gorham during her natural life and all the residue of his real estate to your petitioner subject to the provision that if your petitioner should die leaving no child or children that then such real estate should descend to his brother and sisters in equal parts and that your petitioner is now intitled under the said devise to all the Estate of your petitioner's father in the said tenements subject to the said limitation over in the event of your petitioner's dying without leaving any child or children and subject ~~also~~ to the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand at her election either in right of her dower or under said devise one third of the Estate of of your petitioner's father in the said tenements during her natural life and that no dower therein has been assigned to her. —

That the said Toulmin, R. B. C. Gorham also left at the time of his death the following brother and sisters, who were and are the only brother or sister or descendants of brothers or sisters of the said Toulmin that is to say, Thomas, G. Gorham Patsy, F. S. Fort, late Patsy, F. S. Gorham - who is intermarried with William Fort all of the County of Randolph - Nancy, M. Lowry, late Nancy, M. Gorham who is intermarried with John, G. Lowry of Howard County - Mary, G. Ingram, late Mary, G. Gorham who is intermar-

- and with James, S. Ingram - Francis, G. Dysart, late Francis, G. Gorham who is intermarried with Robert Dysart all of Saline County, all of whom are brothers or sisters of the whole blood - and Margarett Pipes who is intermarried with Pleasant Pipes of the County of Howard who is a sister of the half blood only and descended from the same mother -

That your petitioner and the said heirs of the said John, W. Honey deceased are tenants in common in fee of the said tenements -

That your petitioner is entitled to one undivided half of the said tenements subject to the right of the said Martha, A. F. Gorham to demand and have during her natural life one third of said undivided half and subject also to the aforesaid limitation over and that the said heirs of the said John, W. Honey deceased are entitled to the remaining undivided half of the said tenements subject to the right of the said widow of the said John, W. Honey deceased to demand and have during her natural life one third of said remaining half of said tenements. -

Your petitioner therefore prays judgment that the said tenements be divided between your petitioner and the other persons aforesaid interested therein as aforesaid according to their respective rights therein and that your petitioner's interest in the said tenements may be set apart to her in severalty or that the said tenements may be

Sold if partition thereof cannot be made
without great prejudice to the owners. -

Sarah, F. Gorham
by W. Fort & T. J. Gorham
her guardians

To Elias, F. Honey, John, W. Honey, Horace,
A. Honey, Charles, A. Honey Mary, C. Honey - Eli-
za Honey - Charles W. Williams & Mary his wife
William Fort and Patsy his wife - John & Lou-
ry and Nancy his wife - Robert Dysart and Fran-
ces his wife - James, S. Ingram and Mary his
wife - Pleasant Pipes and Margarette his wife
and Thomas, J. Gorham and to every of you -

You are hereby notified that on the first
day of the next Term of the Circuit Court
of the County of Randolph in the State
of Missouri to be holden at Huntsville
in the said County on the third Monday in
August 1838 (or as soon thereafter in the said
Term as counsel can be heard) I shall pre-
sent to the said Court a petition (a copy where-
of is here unto annexed) praying for the part-
ition of the tenements in the said person
mentioned.

1st June 1838 -

Sarah, F. Gorham by
W. Fort & T. J. Gorham
her guardians