measures out to her in the same way as if she had been a field labourer. - She shows that this continued ill treatment accompanied by acts of violence & threats of continued maltreatment induced your petitioner for her own safety to separate herself from her said husband - She shows the said Elias has sold & otherwise disposed of all his real estate with the declared object of leaving your petitioner destitute & has further to carry his said object into execution removed all his negro slaves beyond the limits of this State & has removed also himself declaring he never will return during the life of your petitioner or until all prospects of relief to her becomes hopeless. -

She shows that she is now destitute & subject to the legal control of her husband & at the same time cast off by him that she is in continued fear of his return & further injuries at his hands liable to the disabilities of a married life & receiving none of its benefits making her existence burdensome to herself. -

Your petitioner prays that you will take her case into consideration that you will dissolve the ties which bind her to her husband & that you will grant all the relief which her