

Middle School Mock Trial 2025 *Connecticut Colony v. Cruff et al.* Errata Sheet

Please note:

The errata sheet serves to clarify or correct errors in the Mock Trial case and/or rules, and does not address team strategy, coaching, or judging protocol.

Errata - 3/27/2025

<u>Special Note:</u> OCLRE will be increasing the team size for the 2025 Middle School Mock Trial Showcase to a maximum of 13 students this year. We will be updating the Showcase Guidelines to reflect this change.

1. On page 40, lines 30-31 state: He took in Katherine because he has a strong sense of duty, and I know her worked hard to acclimate her to our life. Would the first "her" actually be "he"?

This is a typo. The text should read "He took in Katherine because he has a strong sense of duty, and I know he worked hard to acclimate her to our life."

Errata - 11/18/2024

1. On the page with "Special Notes" (page 10), second full paragraph: it says "Colony of Massachusetts." The rest of the text refers to Connecticut.

This is a typo. *The Witch of Blackbird Pond* and, subsequently, this Middle School Mock Trial case is set in 1687 in the Colony of Connecticut.

2. Hannah Tupper's statement: Page 13, line 48 – the text says "piece of mind"

This is a typo. The text should read "He knows I can get lonely, so it gives him a peace of mind that someone's around to keep me entertained."

3. Kit Tyler's statement: Page 22, line 119: The text says "sites"

This is a typo, page 22, line 119 should read: "Unfortunately, the angry mob that had come for Hannah turned their sights on me, and I was charged with being a witch."