

Greenwood et al. } No 2592. Equity. In the Circuit Court for Frederick County.
January Term 1855.

Devilbiss et al. } Interrogatories filed with George K. Shellman, Com. in this case,

- Inty 1st Do you know the parties to this Bill - If yes how long?
- Inty 2^d Did you know Levi Devilbiss. Is he living, or dead, If dead, when did he die?
- Inty 3^d Did said Levi Devilbiss, leave a widow & children? If yes, name them; of the children state where they reside; which are adult, and which Infants; & of the females state which are married & to whom.
- Inty 4th Did said Levi Devilbiss leave any Real Estate, if yes, do you know said Real Estate? Look at papers shown you marked exhibits N^o. 1. to 13. inclusive & say whether they Comprehend the Real estate of said Levi Devilbiss.
- Inty 5th Do you know any other matter, or thing important to the parties, in the premises.

M.D. Luckett. Solicitor for Com.

At the execution of the annexed Commission, issued out of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity, and to me directed, and Empowering me, to examine evidences in the Cause depending, in the said Court, between John Greenwood and others, as Complainants, and Sarah Devilbiss, and others as defendants - I, George K. Shellman, the Commissioner therein named, having first taken the oath annexed to said Commission, did pursuant to previous notice thereof, given to the said parties, on the 2^d day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty five, at the Office of M.D. Luckett, Esq. in Frederick Town, in the County aforesaid, proceed to take the following depositions, to wit:

David W. Nail, a witness of lawful age, produced on the part of the Complainants, being duly sworn, and examined to Interrogatories filed with the Commissioner by the Complainant and herewith returned deposes and says. To the 1st Interrogatory, That he is acquainted with the parties to the Bill in this case aforesaid - That he has known most of them upwards of twenty years, and the rest of them, since their childhood.

To the second Interrogatory - That he did know Levi Devilbiss, mentioned in said bill - That said Levi Devilbiss died three or four years ago.

To Third Interrogatory - That said Levi Devilbiss, left a widow, named Sarah Devilbiss, and the following children living at the time of his death.

Ann M. Greenwood, wife of John Greenwood, John Lewis Devilbiss, George W. Devilbiss, Jesse S. Devilbiss, Sarah E. Devilbiss, Hannah Devilbiss, & Margaret A. Devilbiss, all of whom reside in Liberty District of Frederick County, in the State of Maryland, and all of whom except Hannah, and Margaret A. are over the age of twenty one years, and that said Hannah & Margaret A. are Infants, under twenty one years of age, and that none of the female children of said Levi Devilbiss are married except Ann M., who is the wife of John Greenwood.

To the fourth Interrogatory - That said Levi Devilbiss left real Estate - That witness knows said Real Estate, and that the papers filed in the aforesaid Cause, marked exhibits N^o. 1 to 13. inclusive contain descriptions of said Real Estate.

To the 5th Interrogatory, That witness knows nothing further of importance to the parties aforesaid in the premises.

There being no other witnesses to be examined, and no further time being desired for the production of evidences - The Commissioner, closed the said Commission & herewith returns the same, under his hand & seal, this 2^d day of January, 1855.

Geo. K. Shellman

The following petition was filed 2^d Jan. 1855.

Greenwood & Others } No 2592. Equity. In the Circuit Court for Frederick County.
January Term 1854. The Petition of Sarah Devilbiss, widow of Devilbiss, & others. } Levi Devilbiss, dec^d Shows - That as widow she waives her right to have her dower, laid out in the lands of said Levi Devilbiss. That she wishes said