

Maryland &c. The State of Maryland, to Robert Wilson, of Frederick County Greeting
 (P.L.) Be it known, that you are appointed Commissioner to examine evidences in a
 cause depending in the Circuit Court, for Frederick County, as a Court of Equity
 between Noah A. Gasaway, and John W. Ross, partners, trading as Noah A. Gasaway
 & Co. Complainants, and Jacob Beam & Adam Kahler, - defendants, you are there
 fore required, having first taken the Oath hereunto annexed, and also adminis
 tered the annexed Oath to the persons whom you shall appoint as Clerk to attend
 the execution of this Commission, that at such time, and place as to you shall
 seem convenient, you cause to come before you, all such evidences, as shall be
 named, and produced to you by either the Complainants, or Defendants, and
 that you examine them, on their Corporal Oaths, to be by you administered upon
 the Holy Evangel of almighty God, touching their knowledge, upon the Subject matter of the
 exceptions, filed in the cause, which evidence is to be used upon the day of hearing of the
 exceptions, to wit: on the 30th day of October, 1854, and that you cause notice to be given
 to the parties, or their attorneys of the execution of the Commission, before you execute the
 same; and having reduced the depositions of the Witnesses, so taken by you into writ
 ting, you send the same, with this Commission, close under your hand & seal, into the
 Court, as a Court of Equity, with all convenient Speed. Witness - the Honorable Madison
 Nelson, Judge of our said Court - the 16th day of October, Anno Domini, 1854.
 Issues 21st day of Oct. 1854. Edw. Shriver Ck.

Commissioners Oath.

You shall, according to the best of your skill, and knowledge, truly, faithfully, and
 without partiality, to any of the parties, take the examinations & depositions of
 all and every witness, and witnesses, produced, and examined by virtue of the
 Commission hereunto annexed, upon the Interrogatories now, or which may
 hereafter, before the said Commission is closed be produced to and left with
 you, by either of said parties So help you God.

Clerks Oath.

You shall truly, faithfully, and without partiality to any or either of the par
 ties in this cause, take, write down, and transcribe, the depositions of all and
 every the witness, and witnesses, produced, and examined by the Commission
 named in the Commission hereunto annexed, as far forth as you are directed &
 employed by the said Commissioner to take write down, and transcribe the said Deposi
 tions, or any of them. So help you God.

Gasaway & Co. } N^o 2523, Equity, Ordered by the Court this 21st day of March
 " } 1855, that the Commissioner to take Testimony in this case
 Beam & Kahler } heretofore issued to Grayson Eichelberger Esq be returned,
 into this Court, on or before the 2^d day of May, A.D. 1855. Provided that a copy of
 this order be served on said objector to ratification, in this case, or on Mauley
 & Nelson his attorneys, on or before said day W. Nelson.

The following Copy was filed 21st March 1855.

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 said day W. Nelson.

State of Maryland, Frederick County Set. I hereby certify, that the foregoing is
 a true Copy, of the Original, filed in 2523 Equity - In the Circuit Court for Frede
 rick County. In Testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand & affix the Seal -