

answered, with said Commission is herewith returned. Closed under my hand & seal this fourth day of December. A.D. 1855. Wm. Mevine Com. Seal

Allen G. Duym & Alfred Ritter } In the Circuit Court for Ind. County.  
vs. } In Equity  
Susan A.R. Taylor & others. } To the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County  
The answers of Alexander M. Taylor by Daniel Rogers his guardian & Francis D. Taylor, Robert M. Taylor, Eugene A. Taylor Charles J. Taylor Ann V.C. Taylor Griffin E. Taylor & Victorine C. Taylor by their guardian having been taken, returned & filed in this Court, you are hereby required to issue a Commission to Robert Willson Esq. to take Testimony to sustain the allegations of Complainants Bill, according to the acts of assembly in such case made & provided.

Wm. Nelson

Maryland &c. The State of Maryland. to Robert Willson Esq. of Frederick County Greeting: Be it known - that you are appointed Commissioned to examine Evidences in a Cause depending, in the Circuit Court for Frederick County, as a Court of Equity between Duym & Ritter Complainants & Susan A.R. Taylor & others Defendants. You are therefore required, having first taken the Oath, herewith annexed, and also administered the annexed oath to the person 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 Evangelist of Almighty God, touching their knowledge or remembrance of any thing that may relate to the Cause aforesaid; and that you cause Note to be given to the parties, or their Attornies of the execution of the Commission before you execute the same, & having received the depositions of the Witnesses, so taken by you into writing, you send the same, with this Commission closed under your hand & seal, into the Court, as a Court of Equity, with all convenient speed. Witness The Hon. Madison Nelson, Judge of our said Court, the 7. day of January, Anno Domini 1856.

Edward Shuster, Clerk

Commissioner's Oath.

You shall, according to the best of your Skill, and Knowledge, truly, faithfully and without partiality to any or either of the parties, take the examinations and depositions of all & every witness, and witnesses, produced & examined by virtue of the Commission herewith 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 the said parties. So help you God.

Clerk's Oath.

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

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