

Interrogatories to be proposed to the witnesses to be produced and sworn on the part of complainants 1st Do you know the parties complainants and defendants in the title of these interrogatories named or any or which of them if you have long have you known them state fully all your knowledge herein 2nd Did you know John Gollinger if you is he living or dead if dead when did he die of what land did he die possessed look at exhibit N^o 1 now shown you does it or does it not embrace the lands of which said John Gollinger died seized and possessed 3rd Did John Gollinger die leaving a widow and children if you state their names residence and which are adults and which minors under the age of 21 years state all your knowledge herein 4th Did said John Gollinger die testate or intestate state your knowledge herein 5th are the lands of which John Gollinger died seized and possessed susceptible of dower among his children if not state your reasons if not susceptible of dower does or does not the interest and advantage of all parties concerned therein infants as well as adults require that the same should be sold if you state fully all your reasons for such opinion 6th Look at the paper now shown you marked exhibit N^o 2 are you the subscribing witness to that paper if you did you see the parties sign the same if you any they the same parties who are complainants and part of defendants in this suit state whether in your judgment a better sale could be made at public sale state all your knowledge herein and the purposes for which said instrument was signed 7th Do you know or have you heard of any other matter or thing that would tend to the benefit of the complainants in this cause if you state the same as fully as if you were specially interrogated thereby

J. P. Pollock
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Testimony

At the execution of the enclosed commission issued out of the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity and to me directed and requiring me to examine evidence in & cause pending in said Court between Peter Gollinger & others as complainants & Cleonora Gollinger & others as defendants being N^o 2770 on the Equity Docket of said Court I Grayson Orchelberg the standing and duly qualified Commissioner did proceed at my law office in Frederick on Thursday the 17th day of March 1855 at 10 O'clock A. M. to take the following depositions. Thomas Gurley a witness of lawful age produced on the part of the complainants being duly sworn & examined to interrogatories filed with me and herewith returned deposes and says In the first Interrogatory I do know the parties complainant & Defendant named in the title of the said Interrogatories I have known them for several years In the second Interrogatory I did know John Gollinger he is dead he died about six years ago I look at the paper now shown me marked exhibit N^o 1 it does embrace the lands of which said John Gollinger died seized & possessed. In the third Interrogatory John Gollinger died leaving Cleonora Gollinger as his widow and Peter Gollinger Reuben F. Mary A. Sarah A. Amy L. Cassandra A. Len Julia Ann and John A. Gollinger as his children & heirs at law they all live in this County Len John A. & Julia Ann are infants under twenty years of age the rest are adults In the fourth Interrogatory John Gollinger died intestate