=first taken the oath hereunto 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 Evangels of Almighty God, touching their knowledge or remembrance of any thing that may relate to the cause aforesaid; and that you cause notice to be given to the parties or their attornies, of the execution of the Commission, before you execute the same, and having reduced the dep=ositions of the witnesses, so taken by you, into writing, you send the same, with this Com=mission, close under your hand and seal, into the Court as a Court of Equity, with all con=venient speed. Witness the Honorable Madison Nelson, Judge of our said Court, sixth day of July Anno Domini 1863. Issued the 15th day of July 1863.

W. J. & C. W. Rob — B. G. Fitzhugh 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 and every witness and witnesses produced and examined by virtue of the Commission hereunto annexed, upon the interogatories 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.

Clerk's Oath — You shall truly, faithfully and without partiality to any or either of the parties in this cause take, write down, and transcribe, the depositions of all and every the witness and witnesses produced and Examined by the Commissioner named in the commission hereunto annexed, as far forth as you are directed and employed by the said commissioner to take, write down, and transcribe the said depositions, or any of them.

So help you God.

Interogatories — John Hamilton & others vs Ellen & Lucretia Hamilton } No 3098 Equity — In the Circuit Court for Frederick County in Equity.

Interrogatories to be propounded to witnesses to be produced on the part of the complaint.

1st Are you or not acquainted with the parties to this suit or either or which of them? If yes how long have you known them and Each of them?

2d — Are you or not acquainted with a certain Margaret Ann Jacobs formerly a resident of Frederick County? Is she dead or alive? If dead when and where did she die? did she die testate or intestate —

3d — Did or did not the said Margaret Ann Jacobs leave any Children? If no, — Did she leave any brothers and Sisters or Children of brothers and Sisters if yes, State their names ages and present places of residence,

4th Was or Was not the said Margaret Ann Jacobs seized in fee of the real Estate described in the paper marked Exhibit No 1, — If yes State fully all your knowledge herein, State also if said real Estate is susceptible of partition among the heirs at law of the said Margaret Ann Jacobs State fully all your knowledge herein,

5th — You say that the lands mentioned in your answer to interogatory No 4 are not susceptible of division without loss or injury to the parties interested therein, State fully your reasons, and whether the interest and advantage of all parties interested infants and well as adults will be promoted by a sale of the same and a division of the money among the parties concerned, Lastly do you —