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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 witnesses and witnesses produced and examined by the Commissioners named in the Commission hereunto annexed, as far forth as you are directed and employed by the said Commissioners to take, write down, & transcribe the said depositions, or any of them.

So help you God.

Interrogatories

Moses Grabel, Jacob Grabel and others

No 3222 Equity

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County in Equity

Aaron Grabel

Interrogatories to be proposed to witnesses to be produced on the part of the Complainants

1st Are you or not acquainted with the parties to this suit, or either, and which of them? If yes, how long have you known them and each of them? - 2nd Are you or not acquainted with the real Estate of which a certain Moses Grabel died, seized and possessed? If yes, look at the papers now shown you marked Exhibits No 1, 2, 3 & 4, - Is or is not the land therein described all the land of which the said Moses Grabel died, seized and possessed? State fully all your knowledge herein. - 3rd Were you or not acquainted with one Moses Grabel formerly a resident of Frederick County? Is he dead or alive? If dead when and where did he die? and did he die testate or intestate? - 4th Was or was not the said Moses Grabel, married at the time of his death? If yes, who is his widow? Is she dead or alive, if dead, when and where did she die. - 5th - Did or did not the said Moses Grabel leave children? If yes, state how many, their names, ages and place of residence, - 6th Do you or do you not know of any other matters or things that would tend to the advantage of the Complainants in this cause, If yes state fully all your knowledge herein. - 7th Is the real Estate described in the Exhibits No 1, 2, 3 & 4, susceptible of partition among all the parties interest, without loss or injury to them, if no - state any circumstance within your knowledge that leads you to entertain such opinion?

Special Interrogatories to be proposed to Dr. Richard S. Hammond. -

Are you or not acquainted with a certain Aaron Grabel, the defendant in this cause, If yes, Is or is not the said Aaron Grabel of unsound mind incapable of taking care of himself or of his property, - State fully all your knowledge herein.

Wm J. & Chas W. Rob  
Sols for Complainants

Testimony

At the Execution of the annexed Commission issued out of the Circuit Court for Frederick County and to me directed and empowering me to examine evidences in the cause therein depending between Moses Grabel and others, as Complainants, and Aaron Grabel, as defendant, A. William S. Nelson, Commissioner therein named, did, on the 19th day of June Eighteen hundred and sixty five, at my office in Frederick City, Maryland, proceed to take the following testimony, as follows: The Complainants filed with the Commissioner, as evidence, Exhibits No 1, 2, 3 & 4 & 5 which are herewith returned and there being no witnesses present to be examined and further time being required for the production of evidences, I adjourned the said Commission to the 26th day of June Eighteen hundred and sixty five, at which time and at my office aforesaid, there being no witnesses present to be examined, I further adjourned said Commission to the 30th day of June Eighteen hundred and sixty five, at which time and at my office aforesaid, I proceeded to take the following depositions, to wit: Dr. Richard S. Hammond, a witness of lawful age, produced on the part of the Complainants, being duly sworn and examined to interrogatories filed with the Commissioner