

made oath that the matters and things stated in the foregoing answers are true to the best of his knowledge & belief
Marion B. Mank

Maryland &c
The State of Maryland to Grayson Eschylberger Esquire
of Frederick County, Sherriff. Be it known that you are
appointed Commissioner to examine evidence in a cause
depending in the Circuit Court for Frederick County, as a
Court of Equity between Jacob M. Wachtel Complainant
and Baltimore Branch Way & Branch et al. Defendants
You are therefore required having first taken the oaths
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 evidence as
shall be named and produced to you by either the Com-
plainant or defendants and that you examine them
on their Corporal oaths to be by you administered upon
the Holy Evangelists 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 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 writing -
you sign the same with this Commission Close under
your hand and seal into the Court as a Court of
Equity with all convenient speed. Witness the Honorable
Madison Nelson Judge of our said Court the 10th day of
October Anno Domini 1858

Witness the said day of December 1858
Lynch R. 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 interrogatories now or which
may hereafter before the said Commission is closed
be produced to and left with you by either of said
parties To 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