

Thomas S Witherow } N<sup>o</sup> 2949 Equity In Circuit Court for  
 John Witherow et al } Frederick County in Equity  
 By Clerk of Circuit Court Frederick County  
 Enter a general application to answer of John S Witherow —  
 Elizabeth Witherow Scott Hay Witherow Robt Fayette Witherow  
 and Thomas H. Witherow the infant defendants.

Wm J. Robt Solicitor  
 for Complainant  
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 the answers of defendants having been filed You are hereby author-  
 ized to issue a Commission to Wm J. Robt Esq. to take testimony  
 Wm J. Robt Solicitor for  
 Complainant

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 The State of Maryland to Wm J. Robt Esquire of Frederick  
 County Greeting Be it known that you are appointed Commissioner  
 to examine witnesses in a cause depending in the Circuit Court  
 for Frederick County as a Court of Equity between Thomas S Witherow  
 Complainant and John Witherow and John A Martin Advers-  
 te of the goods &c John Robt Witherow dec<sup>d</sup> and other defendants  
 You are therefore required having first taken the oath required  
 annexed and also administered the annexed oath to the person  
 whom you shall appoint as Clerk to attend the execution of the  
 Commission that at such time and place as to you shall seem  
 convenient you cause to come before you all such witnesses as  
 shall be named and produced to you by either the Complainant  
 or defendants and that you examine them on their solemn 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 send  
 the same with the Commission duly under your hand & seal  
 into the Court as a Court of Equity with all convenient speed  
 Witness the Honorable Madam Nelson Judge of our said Court  
 the second day of July Anno Domini 1800. Given the 24<sup>th</sup>  
 day of September 1800  
 (Robt) R. B. Fitzhugh Clerk

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 John Witherow doth } Court for Frederick County in Equity  
 Interrogatories to be proposed to the  
 witnesses to be produced and sworn on the part of the Complainant