

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 witnesses in the cause depending in the said Court between Joshua Motter Complainant and Charlotte A. Hoover and others as defendants. I William B. Nelson Commissioner as therein named did on the 21st day of June 1862 At my law office in Frederick Maryland. Proceed then and there in the presence of the Complainant's Solicitor to take the following depositions to wit: David Agnew a witness of lawful age procured on the part of the Complainant, being duly sworn and examined to interrogatories filed with Commission by the Complainant and herewith returned, depose and say

To the 1st

Interrogatory That he was acquainted with all the parties to this and has known them for many years.

To the 2nd

Interrogatory That he was acquainted with Jesse Hoover - he is dead - he died during the fall of 1861 - he left three children namely John D. and William A. Hoover both above the age of twenty six years and James D. Hoover now about twenty one years of age - he married Charlotte A. his last wife seven or eight months before his death - deponent thinks late in the spring of 1861 - certainly since the execution of the Mortgage filed as Exhibit No 2 in this case

To the 3rd

Interrogatory That he was acquainted with the hand writing of Jesse Hoover, deceased; has frequently seen his write and has seen a great deal of his handwriting - The signature attached to the paper marked Exhibit No 1 is in the proper hand writing of said Jesse Hoover.

At the same time Complainant filed with the Commission as evidence the paper marked Exhibit No 2 which is herewith returned. There being no other witnesses to be examined and no further time being desired for the production of evidence the Commission close the said Commission and herewith returns the same under his hand and seal this 21st day of June 1862. (W. B. Nelson Seal) Comm

Commissioners fees \$4. - Witnesses - \$5.75
W. B. Nelson (Seal) Comm

Joshua Motter }
vs }
Charlotte A. Hoover }
& others }
No 3027 in the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity.
July term 1862

Bill

This case has been submitted to the Court upon the bill answers exhibits testimony & other proceedings which being read and duly considered it is thereupon this 21st day of July in the year eighteen hundred and sixty two by Madison Nelson Judge of the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity