

On this tenth day of February A.D. 1866 the above named Geo. W. Carby appeared before me the Commissioner, and made oath that the matters and things stated on the foregoing answer, are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

R. G. McPherson
Clerk

Which is thus Endorsed

The execution of the within Commission will appear from the papers inclosed ~

R. G. McPherson
Clerk

Answer of Louisa Chesley

The separate answer of Louisa Chesley to the Bill of Complaint of William Chesley next friend to Adolphus Gray and others filed against the defendant and others in the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity.

This Defendant for answer says that she admits the various matters and things alleged in Complainant's Bill of Complaint, and consents to a decree for the sale of the property mentioned in said Bill for the purposes therein stated.

This Defendant for further answer, says, that she has a life estate in said property as stated in said bill, but that she hereby consents to relinquish the same for the benefit of the infant children mentioned in said Bill.

Mrs. Louisa Chesley

Order to issue Com^{rs} to take testimony

William Chesley next friend of Adolphus Gray et al

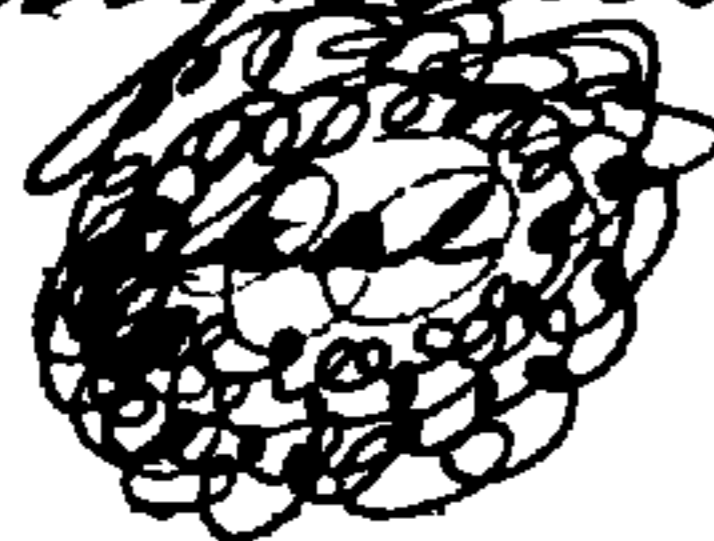
Seth H. Nichols et al

N^o. 3248 Equity ~
In the Circuit Court for Frederick County ~
The Clerk will please issue Commissions in this case to William B. Nelson and Robert Hillson to take testimony.

Fredrick J. Nelson
Sol^r for Complainant

Commission

Maryland, Et.



The State of Maryland, to W^m. B. Nelson and Robert Hillson Esquires of Frederick County, Greeting.

Be it known, that you are appointed Commissioners, to examine Evidences in a cause depending in the Circuit Court for Frederick County as a Court of Equity, between William Chesley next friend of Adolphus Gray et al, Complainants, and Seth H. Nichols et al, Defendants. You are therefore required, having 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 Complainant or Defendants; and that you examine them on their Corporal oaths, to be by you administered upon the Holy Evangelij 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 this Commission, close under your hand and seal, into the Court as a Court of Equity, with all convenient speed.

Witness, the Honorable Mediamo Nelson, Judge of our said Court
Fifth day of February Anno Domini 1866.

Issued the 12th day of February 1866 ~

(S. J. N.)

Geo. W. Carby, Clerk

Interrogatory

Testimon