Order to issue Commission to take Testimony

Samuel Dutrow
vs
Arthur Delashmutt and Benj W Duvall Extors. of Grafton Duvall decd. Columbia F Duvall and others

No 3522 Equity ~

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County in Equity ~

To Charles Mantz Esq Clerk ~

Issue a Commission in the above Entitled Cause to Francis Brengle and John E R. Wood Esqrs to take testimony on the part of the Complainant ~

Filed March 13th 1870 ~

W J Ross
Charles W Ross
} Solicitors for Complainants

Commission

Maryland, Sct

The State of Maryland, To Francis Brengle and J E R. Wood Esqrs. 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 Samuel Dutrow Complainant, and Arthur Delashmutt and Benjamin F. Duvall Executors of Grafton Duvall decd. and Columbia F. Duvall, 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 Evangely 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 closed under your hand and seal, unto the Court as a Court of Equity with all convenient speed ~ Witness the Honorable William P. Maulsby, Chief Judge of our said Court, 21st day of February Anno Domini 1870 ~

Charles Mantz
Clerk

Commissioners 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 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. So help you God. ~

Clerk's Oath

You shall truly, faithfully and without partiality to any or either of the parties to this cause, take, write down, and transcribe, the deposi