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 depositions of all and every the witness and witnesses produced and examined by the Commissioner named in the Commission hereunto annexed, as far forth as you are directed and employed by the said commissioner to take, write down, and transcribe the said depositions or any of them, So help you God. ~

Interrogatories — Mary C. Shriner vs Benjamin S. Dixon Eliza Amanda Dixon his wife and Henry Lorentz } No 3658 Equity ~ In the Circuit Court for Frederick County

Interrogatories to be proposed to the witnesses to be produced and sworn on the part of Complainant

1st Int. — Do you or do you not know the parties in the title of these interrogatories named, or any, or which of them? If yea, how long have you known them, or any of them, State all your knowledge herein? ~

2nd Int — Do you or do you not know the handwriting of Benjamin S. Dixon and Hugh McAleer? If yea, look at the papers now shown you marked Exhibits No 2 and No 3 — and state in whose hand writing is the signature to Exhibits 2 and 3, and in whose hand writing is the assignment of said Exhibits? State fully all your knowledge herein. ~

3rd Int — Look at Exhibit No 1 now shown you. Who is in possession of said premises at this time? State who is the owner of the property marked Exhibit No 1. And of the notes secured thereby, how much thereof is owing and to whom, and to what time has interest been paid on the Mortgage debt now owing? State all your knowledge herein. ~

4th Int. Look at Exhibit No 4 now shown you — who is the owner of said Mortgage? How much is due thereon, and of any payments have been made, to whom made — And to what time has interest, if any, been paid? State fully all your knowledge herein. ~

Lastly — Do you know or have you heard of any other matter or thing that would tend to the benefit or advantage of the complainant in this cause? If yea, State the same as fully as if especially interrogated thereto. ~

W J Ross
Chas W. Ross
Solicitors for Complainant

Filed Oct 14th 1871 ~

Testimony — At the execution of the annexed Commission issued out of the Circuit Court, for Frederick County, and to us directed, and empowering us to examine witnesses in the Cause therein depending, between Mary C. Shriner, as Complainant and Henry Lorentz et al as Defendants; We, Commissioners therein named, did on the Fourteenth day of October A.D. 1871, at the Office of William B. Nelson, in Frederick City Md., then and there proceed to take the following testimony, to wit:

The Complainant filed with the Commissioners as Evidence "Exhibits Nos 1, 2, 3, and 4, which are herewith returned by said Commissioners and there being no witnesses present to be examined the said Commission was adjourned to the Twentieth day of October A.D. at which time and at the place afore=