him or the descendants of any brothers or sisters, if you state their names, ages present places of residence and condition in life.

6. Was or was not the said William H Derrlbus at the time of his death seized and possessed of Real Estate situated in Frederick County, if you describe it Look at Paper now shown you marked Exhibit No 1 and state whether or not said Paper describes accurately said Real Estate

7 Is or is not the said Real Estate susceptible of advantageous partition among the parties thereto and can the same be so divided without loss or injury to the parties, state the reasons for the opinion you entertain on this subject

8. Would or would it not be to the advantage and benefit of all parties interested in said Real Estate infant and adult that the same should be sold and the proceeds of sale divided among the parties interested in proportion to their respective rights, State the reasons for the opinion you entertain on this subject, and state also the value of said Real Estate

9 Do you or not know any other facts that would be to the benefit of the Complainants in this cause, if you state the same fully.

C T G Levy
Solicitor for Complainants.

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Testimony

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 therein depending between Basil P Derrlbus wife & others as Complainants an Clayton Derrlbus as Defendant I William B Nelson Commissioner therein named did on the 31st day of October A D 1876 at my Office in Frederick City Md in the absence of John E R Wood Commissioner &c. and in the presence of the Complainants Solicitor then and there proceed to take the following testimony to wit The Complainants filed with the Commissioner as evidence Exhibits Nos 1 & 2 which are herewith returned by the said Commissioner

Adam W Derrlbus a witness of lawful age produced upon the part of the Complainants being duly sworn and examined to interrogatories filed with the Commissioner by the Complainants and herewith returned deposes and says to the 1st Int I know all the parties to this suit have known them all for years

to;

2nd Int Ans, He is dead, He died during the month of May 1876 at Johnsville Frederick County, Maryland

to;

3rd Int He left no widow surviving him

to;

4th Int He left no children surviving him or descendant or descendants of a child, He never had any children.

to;

5th Int He left a brother Paul P Derrlbus who is married and whose wife's name is Susan A M both adults and both residing in Frederick