

the transfer or disposal of Benjamin's Property, if so please state what it was?

Answer, Yes, I saw and conversed with Vachel B. Todd while he resided with Benjamin, I never heard him say anything in regard to the transfer or disposal of Benjamin's Property until after he had been there for some time, and until after Benjamin had executed a deed and Vachel B. got possession of some Bonds & other Securities, the Deed referred to was the Deed from Benjamin Todd to his Grandsons, two of the Defendants - the Deed was executed and the Bonds and other Securities obtained. I had no Conversations in regard to the matter. Vachel never said anything until I accosted him I had heard from other sources that he had obtained a large amount of Bonds and other Property and thought it was unreasonable that he should have such a large amount, he told me not to be uneasy, that it would be all right.

8th Inter, What else did Vachel say at that time?

Answer, He told me if he could rally the old man (Benj. Todd) and get him to himself that his lady was sitting on his way very much. That there was a Resumption Policy in Ridgeville which was intended for John Brown that he intended to build a small portion to Mrs. Gove upon Mrs. Todd.

9th Inter, Was anything said at this interview, respecting the gift of the Bonds to Vachel by Benjamin Todd?

(Inter and ans. omitted to by docs. for Defendants)

Answer, There was nothing more said than that Benjamin had made him a donation of them.

10th Inter, Did Vachel say anything about the purpose his brother Benjamin had in making that donation?

(Excepted to by docs for Defs.)

Answer, He did not, he only said it was a donation.

11th Inter, Did you or did you not, while Vachel B. Todd was residing with Benjamin Todd during the year 1866 hear Vachel say anything about Benjamin executing a deed for the Medwich County lands to the children of Jesse Todd, Benjamin B. Todd and Jesse E. Todd, two of the Defendants in this Cause; and if you state what it was?

Answer, I never heard him say anything about it at all until it was done, there was very little said about it, that only that he had given some fifteen or fourteen hundred acres of land to the children called Ridgeville rights.

12th Inter, Did you or not during the time mentioned in the last preceding interrogatory hear Vachel B. Todd make any declaration in regard to the Compliment Ruth Ann or Ruth Todd band wife of Benjamin Todd in connection with the disposal of the Property of Benjamin Todd, and if so, please state what it was?

Answer, I have heard Vachel B. Todd frequently say that if he could rally the old man, that the Mrs. Todd would not get much, that if he could rally the old man there was a will to be made, there was a House