Inty 13th Would it or not be to the interest and advantage of the said Infant to have the Real Estate mentioned sold and her Proportion of the Proceeds thereof distributed to her?

Examined Filed Jany 26th 1877. Wm B Nelson Commissioner

Charles H Maulsby Solicitor for Complainant

Testimony

At the execution of the within 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 William H. Hildebrand and others, as Complainants, and John F. Hildebrand and others as Defendants, I William B. Nelson Commissioner therein named, did on the 26th day of January 1877, at my Office in Frederick City Md, in the absence of John E. Wood Comm. &c & in the presence of the Solicitor for the Complainant then and there proceed to take the following testimony to wit.

The Complainants filed with the Commissioner as evidence "Exhibits A and B" which are herewith returned by the said Commissioner,

Cornelius Staley 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 & says to the

1st Interrogatory Cornelius Staley aged 68 Years, I am a Farmer & live in Frederick County Md,

2d Int, I have known all the Parties for some years,

3d Int, I was, He is dead, He died in Frederick County Md, during the Year 1875.

4th He left both Real & personal Estate in Frederick District Frederick County Md.

5th Int, He did become possessed under the last Will and Testament of his father Joseph Hildebrand Deceased, It consists of between 25 and 30 acres of land situate in Frederick Co. Md,

6th Int, He did. Her name was Lydia Hildebrand, she is dead. She died in Frederick County Md, last summer,

7th Int, He left the following children and Heirs at Law, namely William H. Hildebrand Lewis A. Hildebrand whose wifes name is Amanda, Martha married to Simon C. Pest; Lydia A. Elizb married to Charles G. Orison; John F. Hildebrand whose wifes name is is Sophia; Josiah Edd Hildebrand, Mandallilina married to Peter Ens Louisa Cath. married to Hiram Hargate and who died before the said John Hildebrand and leaving Charles E. a Minor Seaman Dauda Daughter Jeanette who is an infant under twenty one years of age, Margaret Ann Sophia married to Hiram Hargate all residing in Frederick County Maryland

8th Int, They are all living except Louisa Catharine Hargate who is dead

9 Int, Jeanette Cath. is still living & lives E. Hargate & Geo. W. Albaugh are Dead,