proceedings in No. 4281 Equity, which she prays may be taken as part of this her Petition. Your Petitioner further states that since the death of her — she and the Children of said John Derr have resided on said lands and have received the rents issues and profits thereof. Your Petitioner therefore prays your Honors to pass an order directing a commission to issue to five discreet and sensible men, & authorizing them or a majority of them to lay off and locate the dower of your Petitioner in all the Lands whereof her said husband John Derr died seized and possessed. And your Petitioner will ever pray &c

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Solicitor for Petitioner.

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Interlocutory Decree in Dower appointing Commissioners

In the matter of the Petition of Elizabeth Derr, widow of John Derr, late of Frederick County, State of Maryland, deceased.

In No. 4281 Equity
Circuit Court for Frederick County, in Equity.

The Petition of Elizabeth Derr with the Exhibits and all other proceedings were read and considered. It is thereupon this Second day of October in the year Eighteen hundred and seventy seven by the Circuit Court for Frederick County, as a Court of Equity adjudged, Ordered and Decreed, that Elizabeth Derr widow of John Derr deceased, is entitled to dower in all the Lands and tenements in the proceedings mentioned, which are now held by the Children and heirs at law of said John Derr deceased. And to the end that the Court may be enabled to make a just assignment to the said Petitioner of her dower in the said lands and tenements — it is Ordered that a Commission issue to Isaac Cronise, Samuel Hoke, Joseph Cronise, Theodore Schultz and William J. Worman, five discreet, sensible men, of Frederick County, State of Maryland, Authorizing them or any three of them to go upon, walk over, survey, lay off and designate one third part of said premises in value, as and for the dower of the said Petitioner in the same; And that the said Commissioners be directed in the Commission to make out a plant and Certificate Exhibiting an accurate description of the third part in value, or dower so by them laid out — And the said Commissioners shall make return of their proceedings to this Court as soon as may be subject subject to its further order on the same. And to the said Commission shall be annexed the usual oath of Office

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John A. Lynch
Judges of the Cir Court

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