

No. 4787 Equity.

of this Commission, before you execute the same; and having reduced the depositions of the witnesses taken by you, into writing, you send the same, with this Commission, closed under your hand and seal into this Court, as a Court of Equity, with all convenient speed.

Witness, the Honorable John Ritchie, Chief Judge of our said Court the Eighth day of May, Anno Domini, 1882.

Issued the Seventh day of June, 1882.

(Eckstein)

Adolphus Fearhater Jr. Clerk.

Commissioner's Oath

You shall, according to the best of your skill, and knowledge, truly, faithfully and without partiality to any or either of the parties, take the examinations and depositions of all and every witness, and witnesses produced, and examined by virtue of the Commission herewith annexed, upon the Interrogatories, now, or which may hereafter, be for the said Commission is closed, be produced to and left with you, by either of said parties.

So help you God

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 deposition of all and every the witness and witnesses produced, and examined by the Commissioner named in the Commission herewith 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.

(Issued under Interlocutory decree)

At the execution of the annexed Commission issued out of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as court of Equity and directed by John E. R. Ford and Clayton O. Keedy, Commissioners therein named, and empowering them or either of them to examine Evidences in a cause depending in said Court between Christian H. Eckstein Complainant, and Grandison Gallaway's heirs, Defendants, I, Clayton O. Keedy, one of the Commissioners named in said Commission, having met at any office in Frederick City Maryland, on the Seventh day of June, A. D. 1882, pursuant to previous notice thereof, given, and in the absence of John E. R. Ford, Commissioner, did then and there proceed to take the following testimony to wit: \_\_\_\_\_

The Complainant filed with the Commissioner as Evidence Exhibit No. 1, which is herewith returned by said Commissioner. \_\_\_\_\_

Charles J. Warner, a witness of lawful age produced upon the part of the Complainant, being duly sworn and examined to Interrogatories filed with the Commissioner and herewith returned, deposes and says, to the \_\_\_\_\_

1st Int. - Do you know the parties to this suit? If yes, how long have you known them?

Testimony

1st Ans. - I know them, and have known them for a number of years. I know Grandison Gallaway, in his life time but he and his wife are both now deceased.

2d Int. - Where do you reside, and what is your business?

2d Ans. - I reside in Frederick City, and am Warden of the County Jail.