No. 4826 Equity

Issued the Fifth day of February, 1883.
Adolphus Fearhake Jr. Clerk,

(Seal)

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 hereunto annexed, upon the interrogatories now, or which may hereafter, before 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 depositions of all and every the witness and witnesses produced and examined by the Commissioner named in the Commission hereunto 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.

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Testimony

At the execution of the annexed Commission issued out of the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity, and directed to Clayton O Keedy and William Wilson, Commissioners therein named, and being also the Standing Commissioners of said Court, duly appointed, qualified and sworn, and empowering them or either of them to examine evidence in a cause therein depending in said Court between Justus Mumott, Easter Houston, Peter Williams and Benjamin Williams, Complainants, and Mannie Brown and William Brown her husband, and all other heirs-at-law of Eliza Spriggs, deceased, defendants — I, William Wilson, one of the said Commissioners named in said Commission, having met at my office in Frederick City, Frederick County, Maryland on the Seventh day of February A. D. 1883, pursuant to previous notice thereof given, and in the absence of Clayton O. Keedy, Commissioner as aforesaid, did then and there proceed to take the following testimony, to wit:

The Complainants filed with the Commissioner as evidence "Exhibit" No. 1, which is herewith returned by said Commissioner

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Mrs. Luther Deakins, a witness of lawful age produced on the part of the Complainants, being duly sworn and examined to interrogatories filed with the Commissioner, and herewith returned, deposes and says to the

1st Interg. Are you or not acquainted with the parties to this suit? If so how long have you known them and each of them?

1st Answ. I know most of the parties to this suit, and have known them for some time.