

No 4858 Equity10th Comm Int.

At what stage of the bidding did Casper Ramsburg get there?

10th Ans. I can't tell that exactly but the sale was pretty well over when he came - more than half over, I know.

Charles S. Snook, a witness of lawful age produced on the part of the respondent being duly sworn and examined to Interrogatories filed with the Commissioners by the respondent's counsel and herewith returned deposes and says, to the

1st Int.

Were you present at the sale; if yes, at and about what time did it commence?

1st Ans. I was. It commenced, I suppose, at about half past ten O'clock A.M.2^d Int.

How long was the auctioneer engaged in selling the property? State your recollection?

2^d Ans. I would judge about 45 minutes.3^d Int.

Do you recollect the occasion and bidding previous to the property being knocked down by the auctioneer? If yes, please detail the circumstances and state what time elapsed between the last bid and the time the property was knocked down?

3^d Ans. I remember the last bid put on by Dr. Miller, which was \$57.⁷⁵ an advance of 50 cts per acre on the previous bid. I should judge full five minutes.4th Int.

What did the auctioneer do when about knocking the property off? Please state all that occurred?

4th Ans. All that I could state in regard to his conduct is that his conduct was about such as the conduct of an auctioneer usually is on such occasions. My recollection is that he gave warning that he was going to knock the property down. I can't repeat his exact language or what he said.5th Int.

What sort of warning did the auctioneer give bidders at said sale?

5th Ans. In regard to him warning them I don't think I could give you a better answer than I did in the last.6th Int.

Did he say that unless there was an advance he would knock the property off?

6th Ans. (Question excepted to as leading) I believe he did.7th Int.

Was the bidding at said sale spirited or otherwise?

7th Ans. (Question excepted to as leading) I was rather dull.8th Int.

You say that to the best of your recollection at least five minutes elapsed between the last bid and the knocking the property off. Was said time in your opinion sufficient to allow advance bidding on said property if one so desired?

8th Ans. It was sufficient.9th Int.

Did you see Casper Ramsburg at said sale?

9th Ans. Yes, sir I did.10th Int.

How many bids did Mr. Ramsburg bid on said property?

10th Ans. I can't know sir.11th Int.

Where was he at the time the property was knocked off?