

No. 5071 Equity

the Bill.

J. W. Pearce
Sol for Plaintiffs.

John Gaither, Charlotta Lockett
Mary Junck et al.

Sarah Gaither, Miranda &
Florence Butler

No. 5071 Equity.
In the Circuit Court
for Frederick Co
March Term 1885

Suggestion &
Leave to take
Testimony

This cause being at issue upon the answer of all the defendants, and General Replication of Plaintiffs, the said plaintiffs crave leave of the Court, to Notify Clayton O. Keady, Regular Examiner of the Court heretofore appointed - and to furnish him with telling to houses and names of Witnesses, to be summoned to testify -

James W. Pearce -
Sol for Plaintiff -

Testimony

On the aforesaid Petition, leave is hereby granted the Plaintiffs to take Testimony before C. O. Keady Esq. to sustain the Allegations of their Bill of Complaint April 16. 1885 -

John A. Lynch
Judge of the Cir. Court

John Gaither, Charlotta Lockett
and Others.

Sarah Gaither and others

No. 5071 Equity
In the Circuit Court for Frederick
County sitting as a Court of Equity

In pursuance of the Court and notice given me by the Solicitor for the Plaintiff in the above entitled cause, I, Clayton O. Keady, one of the Regular Examiners of said Court, duly appointed, qualified, and sworn, having met at my Office in Frederick City on the 16th. day of April A. D. 1885, and assigned the 26th day of April A. D. 1885, at the place aforesaid as the time and place for taking the evidence in this cause, and having given due notice thereof to the parties concerned, did at the appointed time and place proceed to take the following evidence, to-wit: - The Plaintiffs filed with the Examiner as evidence "Exhibit A" which is herewith returned by the said Examiner.

Testimony

William Clay of P. a witness of lawful age, produced on the part of the Plaintiffs being duly sworn and examined viva voce by the Counsel for the Plaintiffs deposes and says, as follows. -

My name is William Clay of P, my age 51 years; I reside in Woodville District in Frederick County and I know all the parties to this proceeding well and have known them from infancy. I know Ephraim Gaither formerly a resident of Frederick County; he is dead having died in the latter part of January 1885, at his residence in Frederick County; he left no will; he was married at the time of his death and he left a widow, Sarah Gaither, who is still living in Frederick County. He left children as follows