

No 5441 Equity

me by the Solicitor for the Plaintiffs in the above entitled Cause, J. Clayton O'Shedy, One of the Regular Examiners, of said Court duly appointed, qualified and sworn having met at my Office in Frederick City, and assigned the 6th day of July A D 1888 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 Exhibits "A" "B" and "J B" which are herewith returned

Abraham Lohr, a Native of Lawful age produced on the part of the Plaintiff being duly sworn and examined to Interrogatories, deposes and says To the

1st Int. State your name, age, and residence, and whether you know the parties to this suit?

Ans. Abraham Lohr, 67 years, near Graceham in Frederick County,

Testimony. I know all of the parties to this Suit?

2nd Int. Did you know the late John W. Martin in his lifetime; Is he living or dead; if dead when, and where, did he die; Did he die Testate or Intestate? Was he married, and if yea to whom? And is his Widow living, or dead, and if living, Where? What children did he leave? And what are their several names, ages, and residences?

Ans. I know him He is dead. He died on the 23rd of April 1888 at his home in Frederick County. He left no will; I am the Administrator on his personal Estate. He was married. He married my daughter Laura V. Lohr, aged about 31 or 32 Years who is yet living in Frederick County. He left four children viz— Edna Jane W. Martin aged about 12 years Florence Grace Martin, about 9 years of age Bessie O'Dell Martin, about 3 years of age and Mabel Gertrude Martin, about One Year of age all of whom reside with their Mother in Frederick County, Md.

3rd Int. Do you know the property in these proceedings mentioned? If yea describe its quantity, quality, situation and Value, and look at Exhibits A & B. now shown you, and state if they describe the said Real Estate?

Ans. I know the property well. It is 112 Acres, of land situated in Emmittsburg District, improved by, a good dwelling, stable, and other out-buildings and is worth about \$3200 = in my Judgment. I look at Exhibits A & B, and they do describe said real estate.

4th Int. State if you can what incumbrances if any, are on said Land, and what Amounts of Money, are due under the same?

Ans. There is one Mortgage to Joshua Biggs to secure a loan of \$1700 = of which \$1500 = is due as to principal, and interest from the 25 day of April 1888 as correctly appears from the Exhibit B. heretofore filed and Exhibit J. B. now filed.

5th Int. Did John W. Martin leave any personal estate, if yea, what is its Value, and will it be sufficient to pay, all of the debts of the said John W. Martin, and the Costs, of Administration?

Ans. He left some which amounted to about \$809 = at the Administrator's Sales. It will be sufficient to pay, all his indebtedness including