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The company which as near as collect amount to $8000.00 or $9000.00 and there are notes in the American National Bank of Washington D.C. amounting to about $4300.00

13th. In your investigation of the assets and liabilities of the Company was the Solvent or insolvent at the time of the filing of the Bill of Complaint in this Cause?

(Excepted to.)

Ans. I should say it was insolvent.

14th. Has said Company any property in the District of Columbia other than has been reduced to money in the hands of the Receivers in said District?

Ans. Some few outstanding accounts owing.

15th. State if there - any Tax or other lien in the Frederick County Maryland property of said Corporation if you know?

Ans. Yes I think there are some Taxes still unpaid on the property.

16th. Have you the tax Bills, if so produce and file same?

Ans. I have & file same with Examiner (Tax bills filed and marked Exhibit "Tax Bills")

17th State if said Taxes are due by the Builders Supply Co. a property owned by it?

Ans. I believe them to be so - Yes Sir:-

They were handed to the Receivers here by the proper Tax officials.

Cross Examined by Mr Boyd.

1st In reply to one of the 1st interrogatories you stated you had looked over the books of the Company with Mr Allen did you or not make a careful examination of those books?

Ans. No: Sir - I cant say I did make a careful detailed examination I was not familiar with the Books, and Mr Allen went thro, the Books and made up a Statement of acts. of debtors to the Company and turned them over to Mr Kimbal and myself. We sorted over all the papers to find out the Creditors of the Company.

2nd & Was Mr Allen the bookeeper of the builders Supply Co.?

ans. I didn't know he was the only one we could apply to in their office for assistance in these matters.

3d Don't you know as a matter of fact that Mr Allen was never connected with the office of the Company?-

Ans. No I do not. We found his name on the Books as an employee, and in receipt of a weekly Salary & under the order of the Court, We Continued him,