

## No. 8677, Equity.

It appearing from the proceedings in the above entitled cause that the Defendant, William H. Adam, has been duly summoned to appear in this Court, on the first Monday of March, A.D. 1911, to answer the Bill of Complaint herein, and has failed to appear in this Court either in person or by Solicitor.

It is thereupon this 27th day of December, A.D. 1911, adjudged ordered and decreed that the Bill of Complaint in this cause be taken pro-confesso, against the said Defendant, William H. Adam, and that leave be and the same is hereby granted the Plaintiffs, John W. Adam, Catherine C. Fout, Mary E. Mehrling, her husband, Clara E. Gavis and Charles E. Gavis - her husband, Emma Harrison and Frank Harrison, her husband, and Anne E. Carter to take their proofs before any one of the Standing Examiners of this Court to support the allegations of their Bill of Complaint.

John C. Ketter

## Testimony.

To the Honorable the Judges of said Court:-  
In pursuance of an order of the Court and notice given me by the Solicitors for the Plaintiffs, S. Albert S. Brown, one of the Standing Examiners of your Honorable Court, duly commissioned and qualified, did, on the 10th day of January, A.D. 1912, at the offices of Clerk & Writer, Esquires in the City of Frederick and State of Maryland, at the hour of 3:15 o'clock p. m., proceed to take the following depositions of the witnesses in this case, then and there proceed, as follows, to wit:

Mr. Milton S. Bruce of Solicitors for Plaintiffs. No appearance for the Defendant.

The following Exhibits, filed with the Bill, marked Nos. 1 & 2, are both filed with the Examiners (and so marked) as evidence,

Mr. George W. Heinlein, a witness of lawful age, produced on the part of the Plaintiffs, being first duly sworn, deposes and says, as follows:-

By Mr. Bruce:

1. Q. Will you know Wilhelm Adam, late of Frederick County, generally known by the name of William Adam?  
A. Yes, Sir.

2. Q. Is he living or dead?

A. He is dead.

3. Q. About when and where did he die?

A. He died in Frederick City, on West Patrick Street at the house where his family now reside, or part