

No. 8686. Equity.

Court's Order

Ordered this 27th day of January, A.D. 1912, by the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity that leave be and is hereby granted to the parties to this cause to take testimony as prayed in the foregoing petition before one of the Standing Examiners of this Court.

Hammond Viner

Testimony

In pursuance of the annexed order of the Court and notice given me by the Solicitor for the Plaintiffs in the above entitled cases, I Clayton O. Keedy one of the Standing Examiners of said Court, duly appointed, qualified and sworn, having assigned the 2nd day of February, 1912, at my office in Frederick, Maryland, at the time and place for taking the testimony 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 testimony, to-wit:-

The Plaintiffs filed with the Examiner as evidence Exhibit A. & B. which are herewith returned by the said Examiner.

Fannie E. Gernand, a witness of lawful age produced on the part of the Plaintiff being duly sworn and examined viva voce deponer and says as follows:-

My name is Fannie E. Gernand, I am 46 years of age, and reside near Johnsville in Frederick County. I am the widow of Charles E. Gernand, late of Frederick County. I am the widow of Charles E. Gernand late of Frederick County, deceased. My said husband Charles E. Gernand died intestate in Frederick County on February 10-1911. He left surviving him myself his widow, and the following named children as his only heirs at law: viz-

Harry L. Gernand; Amy C. Gernand; Fannie H. Gernand; Ruth P. Gernand, and Charles Foster Gernand, all of whom are infants under 21 years of age, and reside with me in Frederick County, Maryland, and are parties to this cause. The said Charles E. Gernand was at the time of his death seized and possessed of a farm situate in said County, and consisting of a parcel of 162 Acres and 28 Sq. perches of land, is particularly described in a Certified Copy of a deed therefrom, and now filed with