- Q. Where have you lived since your marriage?
- A. Nowheres than where I am at.
- Q. What was the location of that property?
- A. near Quebeck Schoolhouse.
- Q. The property formerly owned by Isaso Michael?
- A. Yes sir.
- Q. What relation was your wife to Isaac Michael?
- A. She was his daughter.
- Q. Of what does the property where you now live consist?
- A. Well, I wouldn't say that there was ever two sores and a half.
- Q. What kind of a house is it?
- A. A log house, two-story.
- Q. How many rooms?
- A. Three or four rooms.
- Q. Any stable or outbuildings?
- A. No sir.
- Q. What, in your opinion, is the property worth?
- A. Well, I wouldn't think that the highest price would be over \$250.00; that is my opinion.
- Q. How long have you lived there, Mr Stillions?
- A. About 19 years.
- Q. Who lived there before you lived there?
- A. Nobody but my wife.
- Q. Do you know how long she lived there before?
- A. Mr. Thomas can tell you about that.
- Q. Has any other person had anything to do with the property since you were there?
- A. Not as I know of.
- Q. You paid the taxes on the property?
- A. I did, for 19 years. She paid them before I lived there.
- Q. Do you know enything about any deeds for the property?
- A. I never heard of any.
- Q. Do you know anything about the receipt which I now show you from Sheriff Zimmerman?
- A. No sir. I got it from my wife. My wife has been holding it for some years ever since her father
- died. Her father gave it to her, and told her to hold it the same as he did.

## (Excepted to)

- Q. State whether or not your wife, Mary Stillions, left a will.
- A. Yes sir.
- Q. What was done with the will, Mr Stillions?
- A. It was filed with the Register of Wills.

## CROSS EXAMINATION.

QUESTIONS BY MR. MATHIAS)

- Q. Mr. Stillions, you say your wife was living in the property when you married her, and you just went there and lived there also?
- A. Yes sir.
- Q. Did her brothers and sisters ever object to your living there?
- A. No sir, I never heard particular. They were against us getting married, but they never objected
- to my living in this house.
- Q. And you say you lived there about 19 years?
- A. Yes sir, about 19 years.
- Q. Did you ever pay any rent to any one for this house?
- A. No sir, nothing but the taxes. I paid the taxes on it for 19 years.
- Q. When did your wife die, Mr. Stillions?