

Cross Examination By Mr. Richard E. Zimmerman:

Q. You say you have been living on this farm about 40 years?

A. At the first sale Mt. Barrick, what was your bid?

A. I bid \$31.00 myself and I had Mr. Ceiss to bid \$35.00 to make it appear he was not bidding for me. That is why I bid the \$31.00.

Q. Was the sale well attended?

A. You mean the first sale?

Q. That is right.

A. I just forget. There were not many people bidding on it. I was on the outside, the auctioneer got hit bids on the inside. The auctionner motioned insude for the bids. I was not in there.

Q. You refused to buy the property at \$35.00 at the first sale?

A. I bid on it. That is as high as I told him to go.

Q. Were you satisfied to buy the property at \$35.00?

A. Sure, I bid it in good faith.

Q. Did you or did you not refuse to place an offer when asked to do so by Mr. DeLauter, the Trustee?

A. When was that?

Q. After the first sale?

A. I do not understand the question at all.

Q. After the first sale and at the time at the Court House door, did you or did you not refuse to place an offer?

A. No, I did not say anything to him about the sale at all. Mr. Ceiss bod \$35.00 and that was all.

Q. Did Mr. DeLauter ask you to put another price on it?

A. No, I figured it was a fair price and I said, "Boys you had better let it go for \$40.00." I figured that was a fair amount.

COURT: Did the auctionner state that the property would not be sold at that time?

A. I don't remember anything about it, I went on home.

Q. Did Mr. DeLauter on the day of the first sale ask you to put a price on it.

A. No, sir, I said, "I am going home, it is a fair price and the time to see it."

Q. Did you know why it was not sold at that time?

A. I said it was not enough money. The lady in Baltimore wanted \$13,000.00. I said, "don't forget land has not come down any."

Q. Mr. Barrick, will you state the conditions on this farm?

A. They are in very good shape.

Q. How is the road leading into the farm?

A. Very good.

Q. How far are the buidlings.from the County road?

A. I expect 400 or 500 yards.

Q. Is it a hard road?

A. Sometimes it is hard when it is frozen.

Q. How far is it from a paved road?

A. I expect about a mile or maybe only 3/4 of a mile.

Q. Is the property equipped with electricity or telephone.

A. No.

Q. Do you ship milk?

A. Yes, I ship milk to Baltimore.