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more advantageous and economical, for all parties concerned, than would be the advertisement and sale of the property at public auction.

WHEREFORE, your Petitioners ask leave of your Honorable Court to amend the Bill of Complaint, or rather to treat this Petition as an amended Bill of Complaint, and, to that end, to decree and ratify the sale of the property to the said LEWIS <sup>DAVID</sup> STONE and EMMA VIRGINIA STONE, his wife, after proof "by the depositions of at least two discreet and respectable witnesses, to be taken before an Examiner for that purpose," as provided in Section 60 of Article 16 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland.

And as in duty, etc.

Attorney for Petitioners.