

runs towards the north, the general direction of the river is towards the north.

Q And I believe you stated these deposits were some sixty-two miles above Georgetown?

A They start at a point of about sixty-two miles above Georgetown and continue up the river about fifteen miles.

Q Now, when official surveys are to be made of lands in this colony, where the lands have lines adjoining other mineral land, what is the custom of the country if you know it, as to how the survey is made, or as to whether notice is conveyed by one of the adjacent owners to the other owner?

MR. SMITH: I object to that as incompetent and irrelevant, and there being no proper proof of any custom.

THE EXAMINER: I don't know, Mr. Whiteley. You want to go into something as to the survey, not the acquisition by this party.

MR. WHITELEY: I merely want to ask a few questions as to how the surveys of this land was made if they were made for the transport of title.

THE EXAMINER: All right.

MR. SMITH: Will you let us have an exception?

THE EXAMINER: Yes.

THE WITNESS: It is customary that adjoining land owners are notified before a survey is made, so that they can be present at the survey.

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