

turn 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 min-
eral 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 owners?

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. Whitely. You
want to go into something as to the survey, not the acqui-
sition by this party.

MR. WHITELY: 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.

BY MR. WHITELY: