you on the farm on which Edw.d Norwood now lives then the property of Edward Norwood during your servitude. — Ans.r Yes. — Quest 3.d Did you do any plantation work during your servitude on the farm. —

ans.r I did I fed cattle raised stocks maked gates & done other things particularly during the winter season. —

Quest.n 4 Do you recollect any articles being delivered Thomas Constable. —

Ans.r I do recollect two steers 20 cord of Wood & a load of wheat being delivered to Thomas Constable about the year 1774 to the best of my recollection. —

Question put to Geo: Patterson by Plantiff. — Ans.r I served six years on the plantation of Edward & Saml. Norwood. —

Quest: What was the term of years you came into this country for. — answer seven years. — Quest: 3.d whether or no had you your liberty at the expiration of six years. — Ans.r my Indentures were not delivered up to me but I was permitted by Edw.d & Saml. Norwood to go & work for myself as a freeman. —

Quest: 4.th Who done the brick work on the farm the plantiff lives on. — ans.r I did the greatest part of it having had an assistant but for two weeks. —

Quest: 5.th Who done the plastering work of said house. —

Ans.r I did all that was done during my servitude which was the greatest part of the work. —

I do hereby certify that the foregoing depositions of John Dorsey Arch.d Moncrieff & Geo: Patterson each of whom first sworn on the holy lo angels of Almighty God were taken before on the 30.th day of december 1799 at Wm. Evans tavern city of Balt.e given under my hand and seal this 30.th day of december 1799. —

Geo: Buchanan (Seal)

December 31. 1799 commission under the foregoing agreement opened & Wm. Russell by.d called before the parties & sworn on the holy lo angels of almighty God answers as hereunto. —

Quest. 1. Whether or no have you ever had any dealings with Saml. Norwood.

Ans.r not to the best of my knowledge. — Queston 2.d Do you recollect of Edward Norwood ever having paid to you the sum of £57.4.7 as specified in the last charge in acc.t marked DD for Saml. Norwood. —

ans.r my accounts were always kept against Edw.d Norwood who paid me monies at different times but none on acc.t of his brother

Samuel to my knowledge and I always considered it was on his own account he paid me the money. — Questions put to Wm. Russell by plaintiff. —

Quest: 1 Do you know from whence or on what account the dealings between you & the plaintiff proceeded from or of what nature. —

answer. They were for groceries and for dealings in servants. —

Question 2.d What do you suppose the Groceys were for. —

answer. They were for some family but who I cannot say for you (the Plantiff) had no family at that time. —

Dec.r 31.st 1799 Archibald Moncrieff appeared & again sworn on the holy lo angels of Almighty God deposeth as follows by way of Question & answers. —

Questions 1.st Who did you conceive the acc.t marked E.E. was with. —

ans.r I conceived it was joint account with Edward and Samuel Norwood. —

Question 2.d Were not the sums marked thus IB specie Obligations settled in continental money by Edw.d Norwood. —

Ans.r They were & the bonds & note delivered up to said Edward Norwood. —

Questions put to Archibald Moncrieff by Plantiff. —

Question: 1.st Who did you pay the Item of £200. to as expressed in said account marked E.E. —

Answer I do not know, it is charged to cash only I hunted for it in the books to day but could not find it. —

Question 2.d To the whole of the debit & credit of the account E.E continental money or not. —

Answer. yes the whole of the acc.t is continental money. —

Question 3.d As the acc.ts marked CC & E.E appear to be the same in respect to the Items and aggregate sums why are they drawn out differently. —

Answer I cannot recollect why but believe it was by request of either the plaintiff or defendant but that the acc.t marked E.E is a true extract from the books as it there stands stated. —

I hereby certify the foregoing depositions of Wm. Russell & Arch.d Moncrieff taken before me on 31. 1799 were taken at Wm. Evans's given under my hand & seal this 31.st day of dec.r 1799 —

Geo: Buchanan. (Seal)