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And the said Mary Ann Smith by her attorney aforesaid files in Court here the following Interrogatories which are of the tenor and in the words following to wit.

Mary Ann Smith vs John Hanna and others. | In Harford County Court – Action of Trespass Quare Clausum Fregit. Interrogatories to be put to Levi Reevens a witness to be sworn and examined before James M. Borden Esquire commissioner for taking testimony in the above cause. 1st. Do you know the parties in the case, if yea, how long have you known them?

2d. Were you or not present, when John Hannah and some of his sons broke and entered the field and barn of said plaintiff? if yea, state what you know in relation thereto?

3d. Did you or not at any time see John Hannah or any of his sons enter any of the fields, or the barn of said plaintiff? if so, State what field or barn, which of said persons, (that is John Hannah or his Sons) entered, and at what time, as near as you can state? Lastly Do you know any other matter or thing that would be advantageous to the plaintiff, if yea, State the same?

Otho Scott, Pltffs. Atty.

And the said defendants by their attornies aforesaid file in Court here the following interrogatories to wit: Mary A. Smith vs John Hannah and others. | In Harford County Court – Defendants cross interrogatories to Levi Reevens. 1st When the defendants, or some of them entered the plaintiffs barn, as testified by you in answer to plaintiffs interrogatories state whether the Lock of the barn was broken or unlocked?

2d. Did not Robert Hanna, or some one else of the defendants go to the house of the plaintiff and apply to the plaintiff for the key of the barn before the same was entered at the time spoken of by you?

3d. Did not the defendant John Hanna at the time he entered the barn as before stated, ask Mrs. Smith the plaintiff why she had not refused to let them enter the barn, or forbidden him to do so on the morning proceeding, when he had mentioned the subject to her, and what was her reply to this inquiry?

A. M. Bradford Atty. for Defts.

Copies of which said interrogatories were made and enclosed with said commission and forwarded to the said James M. Borden Commissioner aforesaid, whereupon further process of and upon the premises aforesaid between the parties aforesaid, and by consent of the said parties and their attornies aforesaid, and by order of the Court here thereon is further continued until the second Monday in August next. At which said second Monday in August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven come again into the County Court here the parties aforesaid by their attornies aforesaid; And the said Mary Ann Smith by her attorney aforesaid declares against the said defendants in the plea aforesaid as follows to wit:

State of Maryland Sct. Harford County to wit. John Hannah Alexander Hannah Robert Hannah and William Hannah late of Harford County yeoman were attached to answer unto Mary Ann Smith in a plea, wherefore with force and arms and so forth they broke and entered the close of her the said Mary Ann Smith situate in said County and then and there trod down and destroyed the grass and herbage then and there growing and broke open the barn of the said Mary Ann there being and other wrongs to the said Mary Ann then and there did to the great damage of the said Mary Ann and against the peace government and dignity of the State of Maryland. And whereupon the said plaintiff by Otho Scott her attorney complains, for that the said defendants to wit, on the first day of August in the year eighteen hundred and thirty at Harford County aforesaid with force and arms and so forth broke and entered a certain close of the said plaintiff situate and being in the County aforesaid and then and there trod down trampled upon consumed and spoiled the grass and herbage of the said plaintiff of great value to wit of the value of one hundred dollars then and there growing and then and there broke and entered the barn of the said plaintiff then and there being and the doors locks and floors of the said plaintiff of great value to wit, of the value of one hundred dollars then and there being broke and injured and other wrongs to the said plaintiff then and there did to the great damage of the said plaintiff and against the peace government and dignity of the State. And for that the said defendants to wit, on the day and year aforesaid at the County aforesaid with force and arms and so forth, broke and entered a certain other close of the said plaintiff situate and being in the County aforesaid and then and there cut and broke down the fence and bars of the said plaintiff of great value, to wit, of the value of fifty dollars there being and then and there trampled upon, trod down and consumed the grass and herbage of said plaintiff then and

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there growing of great value to wit, of the value of fifty dollars and other wrongs to the said plaintiff then and there did to the great damage of the said plaintiff and against the peace government and dignity of the State. Wherefore the plaintiff saith that she hath sustained damage to value of three hundred dollars and therefore she brings suit and so forth.

Otho Scott, Atty. for Pltff.

Pledges: John Doe, Richard Roe.

And the sheriff and surveyors of Harford County aforesaid to whom the said warrant of Resurvey was in form aforesaid directed make return thereof to the Court with three plats and certificates thereto annexed and the following depositions taken before them to wit:

Mary Ann Smith vs John Hannah and others. | In Harford County Court action of Trespass Q. C. F. to August Term 1837.

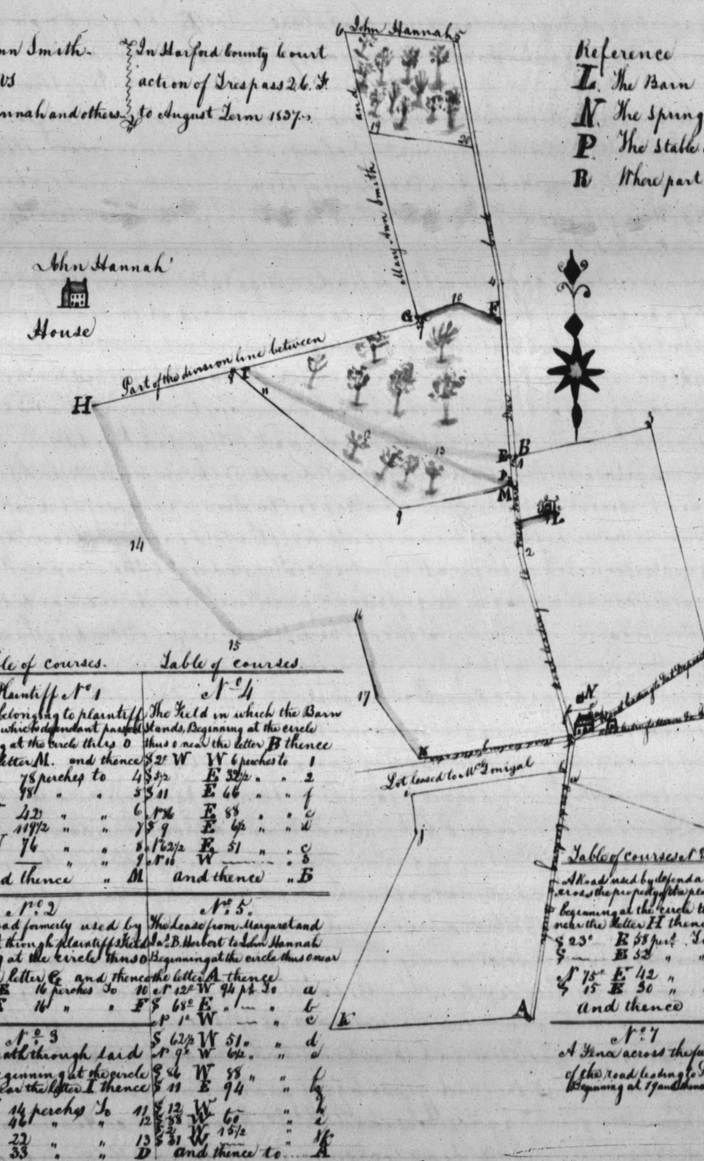

Table of courses. No. 1. The Field belonging to plaintiff through which defendant passed. Beginning at the circle thus o near the letter M. and thence

N 32° W	78 perches to	4	
N 50° W	98 "	5	
N 55 W	42 "	6	
S 14 E	119 1/2 "	7	
S 77 W	76 "	8	
S 61 E	— "	9	
and thence	"	M	

Table of courses. No. 4. The Field in which the Barn stands. Beginning at the circle thus o near the letter B thence

S 21 W	W 6 perches to	1	
S 5 1/2	E 32 1/2 "	2	
S 41	E 66 "	3	
N 76	E 88 "	4	
S 9	E 64 "	5	
N 12 1/2	E 51 "	6	
N 81	W — "	8	
and thence	"	B	

No. 2. The old road formerly used by defendant through plaintiff's field. Beginning at the circle thus o near the letter G and thence

S 52 1/2° E	16 perches to	10	
S 70 E	16 " "	F	

No. 5. The lease from Margaret and B. Hurlock to John Hannah. Beginning at the circle thus o near the letter A thence

N 22° W	94 pls to	1	a
S 68° E	— " "		b
N 1° W	— " "		c
S 62 1/2 W	51 "		d
N 9° W	64 "		e
S 4 W	58 "		f
S 11 E	94 "		g
S 12 W	60 "		h
S 38 W	60 "		i
S 21 W	165 1/2 "		k
and thence to			A

No. 3. The old path through said field beginning at the circle thus o near the letter I thence

S 55° E	14 perches to	11	
S 74 E	46 " "	12	
S 19 E	22 " "	13	
S 64 E	33 " "	D	

No. 6. A road used by defendants across the property of the plaintiff. Beginning at the circle thus o near the letter H thence

S 23° E	58 pls to	14	
S — E	52 " "	15	
S 75° E	42 " "	16	
S 15 E	30 " "	17	
and thence	"	18	

No. 7. A fence across the field used of the road leading to Street Town. Beginning at 17 and thence to 20

No. 8. The defendant's way or road leading from his dwelling to the road. Beginning at the circle thus o near the letter C and thence

S 32° E	16 pls to	19	
and thence			F

No. 9. The Barn yard used at the time of the alleged trespass. Beginning at one end of L thence

N 75° E	2 pls to	1	
S 7 W	4 1/4 "	2	
W	4 "	3	
S 55 W	1-4 "	4	
S 4 W	1-3 "	5	
and thence		6	

Scale 40 pls to an Inch. Given under my hand and seal,

David Pyle S. H. Co. (Seal)

"Certificate."

Mary Ann Smith vs John Hanna and others. | Action of Trespass Q. C. F. In Harford County Court. To August Term 1837. By virtue and in pursuance of a warrant of resurvey issued out of Harford County Court on the 28th day of March 1837. No. 1. I have located at the instance of the plaintiff all that field, belonging to plaintiff as proven by Josiah Bailey through which defendants passed, beginning at the circle o (marked on the accompanying