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testator named in this Will sign and seal the same, and that he heard him pub-
lish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and testament, and that at
the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of sound disposing mind
memory and understanding and that he together with the other subscribing witness
respectively subscribed their names as witness to this Will in the presence and
at the request of the testator and in the presence of each other - Before
Samuel S. Hodgkin Register.

And the said Caveatees here, resting their case the said Caveators
thereupon exhibit the Court here the following Interrogatories to be
propounded to witnesses who are to be produced and sworn on the part
of said Caveators. Which is as follows to wit:

Jane Sedwick and
John C. Sedwick -
vs.
John A. Sedwick and others

Orphan's Court of Calvert County -
Caveat against admission to probate of
the Will of Joshua Sedwick deceased -
Interrogatories to be put to witnesses to be
produced on the part of Caveators. -

1st. Were you or not acquainted with the said Joshua Sedwick lately deceased
in his life time; If yea how long did you know him? 2d. Were you or not on terms
of familiar intercourse with said Joshua Sedwick for some time prior to his
death? 3d. Had you or not opportunities of ascertaining the feelings of the said Joshua
towards the Caveator Jane his then wife and the Caveator John his child? were
his feelings towards them kind and affectionate or the reverse? State all you
knowledge on this subject. 4th. Had you or not at any time after the birth of
the Caveator John any conversation with the said Joshua in regard to the manner
in which he would have his property disposed of? If yea state such conversation
fully and particularly. 5th Do you or not know the land which is mentioned in the
deed from Alexander Freeman to the said Joshua Sedwick deceased dated eight
____ day of December 1840 and of which a copy is now shown to you - If yea
what was its value at the date of said deed and at the time of the death of said Joshua?
6th. What was the price paid from by the said Joshua for the land sold to
him by you, and described in the bond of conveyance from you to the said
Joshua already offered in evidence - 7th - What is the value of the land de-
vised in the paper exhibited as the last Will and testament of the said
Joshua unto his brother John and his nephew John C. son of his brother James
C. Sedwick - 8th - What is the value of the real estate devised by the said
Joshua to Dr. John A. Sedwick? 9th - What is the value of all the real estate
left by the said Joshua - 10th - Do you or not know that the said Joshua in
his life time was married to the Caveator Jane? Were you present at the celebra-
tion of marriage between them? If yea when did it take place?
11th Did or not the said Joshua in his lifetime and the said Jane whist together
as man and wife? And did or not the said Joshua in his lifetime acknowledge the said
Jane to be his wife? If yea state when they commenced to live together?
12th - Was or not the Caveator John on all occasions acknowledged
by the said Joshua as his child and treated by him as his child born of the
said Jane? If yea, when was the said child born?
13th - On the occasion to which you allude did or not the said Joshua ad-
dress the said Jane as his wife and treat her as such? - Did he or not address,
or speak of her as Mrs. Sedwick, and his wife?

And also produced here Charles M. Frazier a witness of lawful age
who being first duly sworn and examined on said Interrogatories Do-

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-poseth as follows: To the 1st. Interrogatory and saith that he was acquainted
with the said Joshua Sedwick in his lifetime and has known him for thirty years
To the 2d. Intergy. answerth I have frequently visited the said Joshua Sedwick
in his lifetime.

To the 10th. Interrogatory answerth that he was not at the celebration of the
marriage between Joshua Sedwick and the said Caveator Jane and does
not know of their marriage.

To the 11th Interrogatory answerth that he cannot say they were man and
wife, but had seen her the said Caveator Jane at the said Joshua Sedwick
and that she sat at the head of the table acting as his wife or as any other
mans wife would act, and that he the said deponent, never heard the said
Joshua acknowledge her as his wife but had called her his dear.

Whereupon Doctor John C. Parker a witness of due and lawful age being
produced on the part of the Caveators and being offered to be sworn in chief.
the counsel for the Caveatees required the said witness to be examined on
his voir dire and the said witness being so sworn answers to the follow-
-ing interrogatories tendered by the Caveatees and deposeth that the said
Caveator Jane is administratrix on the estate of the said Joshua
Sedwick and that the said witness is security on her administration
bond; thereupon the Caveatees object to the admissibility of the said Doctor
John C. Parker as a witness, on the part of the Caveators subject to said
objection, the said witness is sworn on the part of the Caveators in
chief and being examined on the interrogatories already filed on the
part of the Caveators.

To the 1st. Interrogatory answerth that he was acquainted with the said
Joshua Sedwick in his lifetime and knew him for twenty years before
his death.

To the 2d. Interrogatory answers, that he was

To the 11th - Interrogatory answers that the said Joshua and Jane
did live together as man and wife, he does not recollect the said
Joshua deceased acknowledged the said Jane as his wife in so many
words, but expressed it in every way, which a man usually acknow-
-ledges his wife he heard they were married in December eighteen hundred
and forty one, as he understood he knows of nothing of their living together
as man and wife until January eighteen hundred and forty two except
from hear say, in January eighteen hundred and forty two he visited the
said Joshua Sedwick's and his personal knowledge of their living together
dates from that time.

To the 12th - Interrogatory answers that the said Caveator John was acknow-
-ledged and treated by the said Joshua, as his child - by the said Jane, the
said John was born about January 1842, about two weeks after his birth,
the deponent was at Mr. Sedwick's house and Mr. Sedwick invited wit-
-ness in the room where Caveator Jane and child was, he showed the child
to the said witness and asked him if he was not a verry fine boy or a
fine little fellow; he spoke of the child as his child, and treated the child
as his child and appeared as fond of the child as any parent could be of
his child.

To the 13th - Interrogatory answers that the said Joshua treated the
said Jane as his wife on said occasion and addressed her and spoke
of her as Mrs. Sedwick and his wife. -