June Term 1843.

Attest Geo. Brown Clk. Gideon Pearce Commr.

William Dine of Somerset County aged thirty three years or thereabouts being produced sworn and examined on behalf of the Complainant named in the above general title doth depose as follows to wit.

To the first Interrogatory propounded on the part of the Complainant, he saith" I know the Complainant and all the defendants that are now living, with the exception of Margaret, the wife of John H. Barley & Edward Stratton and Mary Ann his wife, and have known them for many years"

To the second Interrogatory he saith" I know nothing of the matters enquired after by this Interrogatory"

To the third Interrogatory he saith" I know nothing of the matters enquired after by this Interrogatory"

To the fourth Interrogatory he saith I know nothing else which would in any manner tend to the interest of the Complainant in this bill" and further this deponent saith not.

Taken Certified and subscribed this 24th day of September in the year 1825.

Attest Geo. Brown Clk. Gideon Pearce Commissioner.

James Wilson of Somerset County aged thirty seven years or thereabouts, being produced, sworn and examined on behalf of the Complainant named in the above general title doth depose as follows viz:

To the first Interrogatory propounded on the part of the Complainant he saith" I have known for a considerable time, all the parties that are now living, and did also know those that are dead."

To the 2nd Interrogatory he saith" I have been particularly acquainted with the affairs of George S. Wilson deceased, ever since his death, having been appointed one of his Executors in Conjunction with Col. George Handy, and do know that most if not all, of his personal estate, has been exhausted in the payment of claims of preference against him to the exclusion of the whole amount of the Claim of the Complainant, or nearly so"

To the third Interrogatory he saith" I am entirely ignorant as to the situation of Capt. Thomas Curtis estate, from any facts within my own knowledge."

To the fourth Interrogatory he saith" I do not know any thing else that would tend to the interest of the Complainant" and further this deponent saith not-

Taken Certified and Subscribed this 10th day of November in the year 1825.

attest Geo. Brown Clk. Gideon Pearce. Commissioner

Memorandum. The interrogatories numbered 5 and 6 and also the accompanying papers or exhibits marked A and the other B with the signature of the Commissioner thereon endorsed respectively were filed and left with the Commissioner by the Solicitor of the Complainant E. K. Wilson Esq. subsequent to the taking of the above deposition of James Wilson.

Witness Gideon Pearce Comr.

An account of the expenses Costs and charges attending the execution of the aforegoing Commission viz.

To Gideon Pearce Commissioner for 5 days Service @ $4	$20.00
To George Brown Clerk for 1 day's service	4.00
To Robert Stewart Shff. for summoning 5 Witnesses @ 38⅓ cts	1.91⅔
	$25.91⅔

Attest Geo. Brown Clk. Gideon Pearce Comr.

Interrogatories to be put to Witnesses on the part of the Complainant upon the execution of a Commission to take testimony in the Cause —

1st Do you know the parties in this Cause, Complainant and defendants or any of them, and which of them, and how long have you known them? answer

2nd Are you acquainted with the affairs of George S. Wilson deceased named in the said bill? have not all his personal effects been exhausted in the payment of claims of preference against him to the exclusion of the Complainants claim against him stated in his bill? answer

3rd Are you acquainted with the situation of the personal effects of Thomas Curtis named in said bill in the hands of his Executors? Have not all the effects been wasted by by the executors, and Can any of them be come at by the Complainant, in the hands of the said Executors, or any of them? answer

4th Do you know of any thing else which would tend to the Interest of the said Complainant? If so state as fully and at large, as if you were thereto particularly interrogated.

E. K. Wilson for Complainant

87 5th Are you acquainted with Littleton D. Teackle, one of the defendants and do you know of his having taken the benefit of the insolvent laws of Maryland?

6th Look at the paper marked — Are you acquainted with the hands writing of the parties thereto? are the signatures thereto of the respective hands writing of the parties?

E. K. Wilson

And thereupon the said John H. Anderson Comes and makes answer to the premises as follows to wit: The answer of John H. Anderson, one of the defendants to a bill of Complaint of John C. Wilson Senr. This defendant now and at all times hereafter reserving to himself all and all manner of benefit and advantage of exception to the manifold errors, uncertainties imperfections and insufficiences in the said Complainants said bill of Complaint Contained, for answer thereunto or unto so much and such parts thereof, as he this defendant is advised is material for him this defendant to make answer unto, he this defendant answering saith that he admits that John C. Wilson Senr. the Complainant was seized of the property mentioned in the bill of complaint marked Exhibit No. 1 and this defendant also admits that Geo. S. Wilson was appointed agent for and on behalf of the persons mentioned in the said bill of Complaint, to purchase the said property as stated by the Complainant and marked Exhibit No. 2 — and this defendant also admits that George S. Wilson, Thomas Curtis and John H. Anderson this defendant gave their notes jointly and severally to the said John C. Wilson Senr. for the sum of six thousand dollars, payable upon the terms expressed in the said notes in the possession of the Complainant — But this defendant does aver that the said notes were given by the persons as alleged by the Complainant, for and on behalf of and as agents for Robert S. King, Littleton D. Teackle, George S. Wilson, John H. Anderson, Thomas Curtis, Isaac F. Williams, William Flemming, George S. Atkinson Arnold E. Jones, John C. Wilson Junr. and James Wilson; and this defendant does further say and state that George S. Wilson, Thomas Curtis and John H. Anderson, did on behalf and for the said Company and as their agents, give their bonds to the said Complainant for the whole purchase money; and this defendant also states and avers that instead of the sum of two thousand five hundred and ninety five dollars and fifty 4/3 cents and stated by the Complainant to have been received by him, there has been paid to him the sum of five thousand one hundred dollars towards the purchase money, of the said property, which this defendant is ready to prove and make appear before this honorable Court — as to all the rest of