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she first saw him, and from that time to the time of his marriage and indeed to the time of his death she saw him often driving his wagon and engaged in other things

Examination in Chief resumed.

When deponent first saw Stephen he wore a frock and she did not see him from that time untill he wore a jacket and trousers at the time she heard Mr Boone address Stephen as my son Stephen, he was well grown, a young man driving the wagon, often heard his father address him as my son Stephen, when he was a good smart boy Before Stephen was big enough to do any work she has seen him with his father and heard his father say come my son let us go home, she does not know that Stephen was the same child she saw at Mr Boones in the frock except from there being no other white child there

Cross Examined

The name of the lady she saw at Mrs Boones was Betsy — what her other name was deponent does not know

Deposition of Ann Granberg

That she was born on the sixteenth day of December — A.D. 1771. Knew old John Boone very well he was often at deponents house, her husband kept a tavern and store in Hooketown in Baltimore County, said Boone lived about two miles from their house and used to buy liquor and so forth at their store and sometimes he would come himself and sometimes he would send his son Stephen. He directed them to let his son Stephen have what he would call for and he (Old John Boone) would call and pay for it, and he did call and pay for the things Stephen got at his store, when Stephen would thus call for goods he Stephen would say that his father or daddy had sent him for them. She did not know Stephens Mother. She always heard that John Boone was —

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married to Stephens Mother, she never heard the reverse, after the death of Stephens Mother, there was one Betty Hale lived with said John Boone, but the reputation in the neighbourhood was that they were not married, after Stephen — grew up John Boone came to deponents husband house and said that he had given his son Stephen some land and had the logs ready to put up a House for him and he — asked her husband to get some of the Neighbours to help to put the logs up, deponents husband went to Mr Rudolph Hook and got him, but that was not enough and her husband went and got more of the neighbours to help. Old John Boone always appeared to be very fond of his son Stephen, and there seemed to be no one like Stephen with him. The whole neighbourhood were fond of Stephen. Deponent knew John Boone very well, said John Boone was a great deal at their house, Betty Hale was not buried in the Boone Grave Yard, but was — buried in Griffiths Yard, which was her own grave yard, as Osmond Griffith married her (Betty Hales) daughter, was at the burial of old John Boones Mother, and also of John Boones son Stephen, both of them were buried in the Boone grave yard. John Boones mother died many years after the death of Stephens Mother

Cross Examination

deponent does not know that Betty Hale was not married to John Boone but the reputation in the neighbourhood was that she was not. Deponent never heard that Betty Hale and John Boone were married, some called her Betty Boone and some called her Betty Hale. The talk and cry in the neighbourhood was that she was not married to John Boone, Betty Hale was buried in her grave yard and John Boone in his, deponent was well acquainted with her as neighbours, back & forwards