Mc Elfish and are you well acquainted with his general character for truth and veracity?

Int 3d. From your knowledge of the general character of the said John McElfish would you believe him upon oath and what is his general character for truth and veracity?

Int 4th. Do you know Elza McElfish and how long have you known him?

Int 5th. Do you know his general character for truth and veracity? and what opportunity have you had to know his general character for truth and veracity?

Int 6th. From your knowledge of his general character for truth and veracity would you believe him on oath.

State of Maryland . Allegany County towit:

Personally appeared before me the subscriber a Justice of the Peace in and for Allegany County aforesaid, John Boward and made oath on the Holy Evangelys of Almighty God in answer to the aforegoing Interrogatories as follows towit.

To the first Int. He answers and says I know him and have known him for fifteen or twenty years.

To the second Int. He answers and says I have lived within about a mile of him for fifteen years, and am well acquainted with his general character for truth and veracity. He lived within a mile of Flintstone and was constantly drinking, insomuch that you could hardly ever find him sober. And was frequently drinking and drunk with James Robinett the Complainant.

To the third Int He answers and says that from his general character for truth and veracity, he would not believe him upon his oath: and that his general character is very bad.

To the fourth Int. He answers and says, that I have known him fifteen or twenty years, he is a brother of John's

To the fifth Int He answers and says, I do know his general character for truth and veracity; I lived in his neighbourhood for fifteen or twenty years

To the sixth Int He answers and says. His general character is not so bad as Johns, but it would depend on circumstances whether I could believe him on oath, he is dissipated and frequently gets drunk.

Sworn before Wm Taylor J.P.

It is admitted that the above named John Boward is the Brother in Law of said Kezia Wilson.

Thomas J McKaig
Sol for Kezia Wilson

The Complainant excepts to the deposition of John Boward Because the interrogatory 2nd 3d 5th and 6th are not legal and proper interrogatories. and because the answer of said John Boward to the said second, third, fifth and sixth interrogatories ought not to be read, the said interrogatories being illegal and such as cannot be proposed to witnesses &c.

And afterwards towit on the day last aforesaid. The parties aforesaid by their Solicitors aforesaid file in the cause the following agreement.

James Robinett
vs
Kezia Wilson & George R Wilson.

In Allegany County Court
Chy 462.

In this cause it is admitted by the defendant, that exhibit B has been executed by the said George R Wilson, and was acknowledged by him, and the same shall be read in evidence as if taken under a Commission. It is also agreed that all affidavits before Justices of the Peace and filed in the cause shall be read as if taken before a Commissioner, the same having been taken by consent and that said exhibit B was recorded on the 21st day of January 1841 and that the receipt of the said George R Wilson, for his share of the estate is a correct copy of the receipt acknowledged before Charles Heck Regr and recorded in the Orphans Court of Allegany County.

Thomas Perry
Solicitor for Complainant
Thomas J McKaig
Sol for Deftt

And Afterwards towit on the same day the solicitors aforesaid file in the cause their agreement in the words following towit:

James Robinett
vs
Kezia Wilson

In Allegany County Court as a Court of Equity.

In this cause it is agreed that the papers filed marked exhibit J R No 1 J R No 2 and J R No 3 may be read as evidence in the cause

Thomas Perry
Solicitor for Complainant
McKaig & McKaig
Sol for Defendant

J R No 1 We the undersigned being called on by James Robinett to say what we believe to be the value of the negroes now in possession of Kezia Wilson do certify that we believe that the whole of said negroes is worth Thirteen hundred & fifty dollars. Given under our hands and seals this 10th day of December 1847.

Geo Slicer (seal)
Elias Wilson (seal)

J R No 2. For value received I assign to James Robinett a Judgment in favor of Dyson, Divine and Company against Samuel Magruder for about fifty six dollars, the exact amount not now recollected for which the said James Robinett, John Doves & George Robinett gave me their note dated April 30th 1842 and which the said James Robinett now has paid me, The said Judgment was superseaded by George R Wilson, This Judgment is assigned without recourse to me or to Dyson Divine & Co to enable them to save themselves.

Thos J McKaig
Atty for Dyson Divine & Co

J.R. No 3 April Term 1844.

James Robinett
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Amos McElfish

Appeal 8th 25th submitted to the Court Judgt affirmed for $30. 60 Debt with Interest from the 24th day of April 1841 and Cost before Justice $1.76 and Court Costs $14. 56¾

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