produced on the part of the Defendants being duly sworn on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, and examined to interrogatories filed with the Commissioner by the Defendants and herewith returned deposes and says.

1. First Interrogatory Waived by Counsel.

2. To the Second Interrogatory that She had a short conversation with Nathan Haines, same three or four Years before his death, respecting his property. He told her that he had given all his property away: that he was not worth anything: that he had, had his land run off and divided amongst his children. He did not tell Witness what property he had given to each child, except that he had given the home place and all that was on it to his daughter Mary: that he wished her to have more than the rest of the children, that she had done a great deal for him, and he thought she deserved something

3.4.5. Third, fourth, and fifth, Interrogatories waived by Counsel.

6. To the Sixth Interrogatory that She knows the land referred to. She thinks Nicholas Hardy was in posession of it four or five Years before said Haines death. She lives on the adjoining farm Nicholas Hardy made improvements on the place. She knows nothing about their Value.

7. To the Seventh Interrogatory that She knows the place referred to. She thinks he (said Mordecai) had been in posession of it some fourteen or fifteen Years at the time of Nathan Haines death. He (said Mordecai) planted an orchard on the place and put some lime on the land. She does not know the costs of Improvements.

Mary Ann Hardy, a Witness of lawful age produced on the part of the Defendants being duly sworn on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and examined to Interrogatories filed with the Commissioner by the Defendants, and herewith returned deposes and says

1. To the first Interrogatory that She has seen Nathan Haines write his name frequently and that the Signature attached to "Exhibit" A" is in his hand writing. He never wrote a great deal of late Years.

2. To the Second Interrogatory that She has frequently heard her Grandfather (said Nathan Haines) say that he hak made his will and divided his property and given each of his children, and Grand Children, their respective portions, that he had left the lime-kiln place to his Son Mordecai, and the next place to Witness mother (the Wife of Nicholas Hardy, and the Home place to his Daughter Mary, that she had done a great deal for him and should be paid. He said he had left the East place to the children of his Son Daniel, and that to the Children of his Son John he had left Money. When he was sick of his last illness witness heard him (said Nathan) regret that he had not had the Stones planted

to mark the boundaries. He said that all his business was fixed and that was the only thing that troubled him.

3. To the third Interrogatory that She is the Grand daughter of said Nathan Haines she was raised by him and always lived with him.

4. To the fourth Interrogatory that Witness Father Nicholas Hardy, always paid the taxes on the property claimed by him. She has seen him give the money to Nicholas Haines to pay it.

5. To the fifth Interrogatory that She has frequently heard Nathan Haines say that he had given some land to Mordecai Haines, That he (Mordecai) had done a great deal for him and that he had given him this land.

6 and 7. Sixth and Seventh Interrogatories waived by Counsel

John Orem, a Witness of Lawful age produced on the part of the Defendants being duly sworn on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, and examined to Interrogatories filed with the Commissioner by the Defendants and herewith returned, deposes and says.

1.2.3.4.5. First second, third, fourth, and fifth. Interrogatories waived by Counsel

6. To the Sixth Interrogatory that He knows the land referred to. He does not know how long it had been in the posession of Nicholas Hardy, at the time of Nathan Haines death. He knew nothing about it until he went to put up the buildings. Witness is a Stone mason and erected on the property a Stone dwelling for Nicholas Hardy. This was in 1844 or 1845. Witness contracted for the work with Nicholas Hardy, and received his pay from him. There were other improvements also. Witness does not know by whom. He does not know the cost of the dwelling spoken of.

7. Seventh Interrogatory Waived by Counsel

Cross q. Whereupon the Counsel for the Complainants exhibited his Cross Interrogatory to be put to said Witness which are herewith returned, and the said Witness being examined thereon deposes and says

To the Cross Interrogatory to him propounded That he first knew Nathan Haines when he went to erect the house spoken of for Nicholas hardy, which was in 1843. 1844. or 1845, he thinks it was in 1844 Witness and his workman, boarded at Nathan Haines house Witness agreement with Hardy was, that he (Hardy) was to board witness, and furnish him with attendance. He understood that said Hardy furnished him (Witness) and his workmen with board at Nathan Haines house That his (Hardys) own house was too far off and Nathan Haines, house, was the nearest one at hand. Witness knows nothing about said Haines mental and physical powers at that time.