passed a Decree in the premises in the words and of the following to Wit.

Joseph H. Brown vs John Dean and Robert Thomas

In Chancery

In the cause this very destructively proved that Garrettson Reed in his lifetime, had enjoyed the possession of and use of the Lot of Land the subject of dispute called "Acorn's Chance" and further that he had sued for the same to one William Kelly. This possession goes back a period of some five and 20 years or more. The Land had belonged to the Heirs of William Reed and his sister Mary McTeest. There is also evidence going to show the Ownership of one of the defendants John Dean of the possession of the said Land by Garrettson Reed in his life and a total absence of all evidence of rival possession or claim by the Respondents of the Land in which the trespass and waste are alleged in the Bill were committed. The Complainant has proved an interest in the said Land and he prayed the injunction writ to be granted upon the assertion of that interest and of the damage and waste alleged in his Bill. Upon Consideration of all the allegations and proofs in the cause the Order of the Court in respect of the injunction is made perpetual.

Richd B. Carmichael, 12 Oct 1861.

And afterwards to wit on the 15 day of March in the year of our Lord 1862 the said John Dean and Robert Thomas by Geo. M. Russum Esquire their Solicitor filed in Court here the following Petition to Wit.

To The Honorable Richard B. Carmichael Judge of the Circuit Court for Caroline County. The Petition of John Dean and Robert Thomas of Caroline County Humbly shews that in a cause in this Court wherein Joseph H. Brown was Complainant and the petitioners were respondents the petitioners their or either of their agents servants or hirelings were enjoined to cease and desist from committing waste on the Real Estate in the proceedings in said cause mentioned your petitioner further states that the October Term of the Circuit Court for Caroline County sitting as a Court of Equity, Your Honor passed a Decree an order making the Injunction aforesaid perpetual. May it please your Honor to grant unto your petitioner an appeal from said Decree and an order directing that the Record in said cause be transmitted to the next Court of appeals. And as in duty bound &c.

Geo M. Russum Solr for Compts

Thereupon the Court passed the following order to Wit.

Joseph H. Brown vs John Dean and Robert Thomas.

Circuit Court for Caroline County
In Equity
Decree Perpetual

Ordered on the foregoing petition that the appeal therein prayed be granted and the Clerk be directed to transmit a copy of the Record to the Court of appeals within the time prescribed by Law. Provided the petitioner file with him their Bond in the penalty of One thousand dollars with good and sufficient securities conditioned for the further prosecution of their said appeal and upon payment of costs of Record.

Richd B. Carmichael

And afterwards to wit on the 17 day of March in the year of our Lord 1862

the said Dean and Robert Thomas filed in Court here the following Appeal Bond to wit.

Know all men by these presents that we John Dean Robert Thomas Thomas F. Carman and L. L. Chaffinch of Caroline County are held and firmly bound unto Joseph H. Brown or to his certain Attorney Executors administrators or assigns in the full and just sum of One thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves and every of us our and every of our Heirs Executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 15 day of March 1862. Whereas by a Decree of the Circuit Court for Caroline County passed in a cause therein between the said Joseph H. Brown Complainant and the said John Dean and Robert Thomas are respondents the said John Dean and Robert Thomas and each of them their and each of their agents were enjoined to cease and desist from further waste and destruction of the timber on the Real Estate in said proceedings mentioned and whereas the said John Dean and Robert Thomas is about to appeal to the next Court of appeals.

Now the Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound John Dean and Robert Thomas shall not cause a transcript of the Record and proceedings of the said Decree to be filed with the Court of Appeals within the time required by Law and pursue the same with effect and also satisfy and pay unto the said Joseph H. Brown his Executors administrators or assigns in case the said Decree shall be affirmed as and the Damages and costs decreed by the Circuit Court for Caroline County aforesaid to be paid by the said John Dean and Robert Thomas as also all costs and damages that shall be awarded by the said Court of Appeals then this Bond to be void else and effect otherwise of no effect.

Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of
Geo M. Russum
Asa S. John Dean

John his + mark Dean (Seal)
Robt Thomas (Seal)
Thos F. Carman (Seal)
L. L. Chaffinch (Seal)

On which said Bond is the following Endorsement to Wit

1862 March 17 Bond examined and approved.

Robt T. Temple Clk

It is thereupon Ordered by the Court here that a transcript of the Record and proceedings in the Decree aforesaid with all things thereunto relating be transmitted to the Court of appeals to be held for the State of Maryland, and the same is transmitted accordingly.

Test Robert T. Temple Clerk

State of Maryland Caroline County to wit

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy taken from and copied from the Record of proceedings of the Circuit Court for Caroline County

In testimony whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the seal of the Circuit Court for Caroline County this 11 day of November 1862.

(Seal)

Robert T. Temple Clerk