my hand in relation to those matters.

7 Answer. There were no baths at that time in connection with this pipe when I laid it, but I have seen baths since, which were made to connect with this pipe. Mr. Hubbell, who made them, can give information about them. The water closets were made to connect with the pipe by Mr. Hubbell.

John Cushing Junior, a witness of lawful age, produced on behalf of the Defendants, being by us first duly sworn on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, being examined on the following interrogatories to him propounded in that behalf, makes oath, deposeth and saith as follows, that is to say.

First Interrogatory. State your age, residence and occupation.

1 Answer. I am nearly thirty four years old, I live in Baltimore City, and am book-keeper for the present firm of Bartlett, Robbins and Company, late Hayward, Bartlett and Company.

Second Interrogatory. Have you any knowledge of any work done by said firm of Hayward, Bartlett and Company at Barnum's Hotel? If yea, please state the work done, the years in which it was done, and the cost, and also state whether the amount charged for said work was paid or not, and, if known to you, by whom paid.

2 Answer. My knowledge is derived only from the books of Hayward, Bartlett and Company, since September, 1848. I have made a statement from the books of the dates, amounts and cost of said work which I file, marked Defendants Exhibit, Remanded Commission, J. C. No 1. the amount, thirteen thousand, three hundred and twenty two dollars and

eighty six cents was paid I dont know by whom, but I judge by the parties then in possession of Barnum's Hotel, as we generally sent our bills round there for payment,

Third Interrogatory. Are you able to state whether the work so done was for repairs merely or for permanent improvements?

3 Answer. The large majority of the work, according to the books, appeared to be for permanent improvements. I personally know that work was done on Barnum's Hotel by Hayward Bartlett and Company for permanent improvements to the boilers and balconies to the windows

Horace N. Robbins, a witness of lawful age, produced on behalf of the Defendants, being by us first duly sworn on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, being examined on the following interrogatories to him propounded in that behalf makes oath, deposeth and saith as follows, that is to say:

First Interrogatory. State your age, residence and occupation.

1 Answer. I am fifty three years old. I live in Baltimore City, and am a manufacturer of iron.

Second Interrogatory. Had you any connection, as a member thereof or otherwise, with the late firm of Hayward, Bartlett and Company of this City?

2 Answer. I was a partner since 1867.

Third Interrogatory. Have you any knowledge of the City Hotel, commonly called Barnum's Hotel, in Baltimore City, and how long have you known the same?

3 Answer. I have known it ever since I have been here, twenty one years.