5 ans. It has been in possession since that time, and still holds possession at the present time.

6th int. Please look at the paper now shown you, marked "Complainants' Exhibit No. 4," and state what it is?

6 ans. It is a deed from John Jacob Peter, administrator d. b. n. of Henry Schroeder, dated 22d of March, 1858, to the Trustees of the Zion Church of the city of Baltimore; Mr. Schroeder was the last of the trustees named in the original deed from Brendle; its object was to vest the title of the last surviving trustee under the old Brendle deed in the church by its corporate name, "The Zion Church of the City of Baltimore".

7th int. Please now look at the paper marked "Complainants' Exhibit No. 5," and explain what you know about that paper?

7 ans. This paper I recognize as the one having been in the hands of the vestry of the church as long as I remember; it is a plat of the burial ground on Columbia street to which I have referred, containing the names of the persons who have lots in the ground; it is divided into two parts by a main-isle running through the centre, and the lots on the north side are numbered from 1 forward, and the lots on the south side are numbered from one, forward; the names on the plat indicate the names of the original lot-holders to whom certificates were issued, as indicated on each lot.

8th int. Look at the paper now shown you marked "Complainants' Exhibit No. 2," and state what it is?

8 ans. It is a plat of the grave yard property; the lines in green indicate the outlines of the property; the plat of the lots just shown me fits in there, the northern part being that on Columbia street, and the eastern that on Parkin

street; and the division between the two sections would be somewhere about St. Peter street.

9th int. Please look at the papers now shown you, marked "Complainants' Exhibit No. 3," and say what they are?

9th ans. One being in German, and the other in English, represent the form in which the certificates of ownership of burial lots were issued by the church.

10th int. Please look at the two papers again, and state whether the English form of certificate is the same as the German?

10 ans. Yes, they correspond; the English is a literal translation of the German.

11th int. Do you know of any original certificates of ownership of lots in the said burying yard ever being issued to any other persons except the persons named on the plat filed?

11 ans. No; I do not know of any other certificates being issued, except to those who are named on the plat?

12 int. Are you, as pastor of the church, acquainted with all the original paying members of your church?

12 ans. I am acquainted with every one, and have always been so since my connection with the church.

13th int. Please to state whether or not you have examined the list of names upon the plat filed as Exhibit No. 5; and if yea, will you please to state how many of the persons named on the said plat, or their heirs or assigns, there are at this time who are paying members of your church, and who they are?

13 ans. I have carefully examined all the names on the burial ground plat, and I have made a list of their names, and found that there were of them and their heirs and assigns only five of them, who I suppose are entitled to claim; they are: