was an unlettered man, and that the said writing was read to him the said John Booger and explained to him as some other writing and not as a Bond conditioned for the payment of money by him the said John Booger his Heirs, Executors, Administrators, or any of them: Whereupon the said John Booger giving credit to the reading and exposition of the writing aforesaid, and believing that the same was some other writing, and not a Bond conditioned for the payment of money by him the said John Booger, his Heirs, Executors, Administrators, or any of them, sealed the said writing and then & there delivered the same as his Deed: And so the said Henry says that the writing aforesaid here into Court brought containing in itself the Obligation above read conditioned for the payment of money by him the John Booger, his Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, and not containing in itself any other writing, is not the deed of him the said John Booger and of this he the said Henry puts himself upon the Country and the said Christopher doth the same. John Tillason for Defend.

Therefore let a Jury thereon appear before the General Court here on the second Tuesday of October next by whom &c who neither &c. to recognize &c. the same day is given to the parties aforesaid then and there &c.

And now here at this day, to wit the said second Tuesday of October being the fourteenth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety four come again here into the General Court the parties aforesaid by their Attornies aforesaid, and the Commissioners aforesd. to whom the Commission herein before mentioned was directed transmit to the General Court here the said Commission together with sundry Depositions thereto annexed, and which are of the tenor following to wit

Mr. Christopher Sites

Take notice that on the thirteenth day of November next the Commissioners will meet at the house of Alexander Dean in the Town of Huntingdon and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and will then proceed to execute the Commission from the General Court for the Western Shore of Maryland to them directed to take the depositions of Witnesses in a Suit depending in that Court between you Christopher Sites Plaintiff and Myself as Executor of John Booger Defendant

Oct. 25th 1793. signed Henry Schnebly

State of Pennsylvania, Huntingdon County, to wit.

This day 13th day of Nov. 1793 Personally appeared before me the Subscriber one of the Commonwealth's Justices of the peace in & for the County aforesaid and made Oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty

God that he delivered a true Copy of the within Notice to the within named Christopher Sites upon the twenty ninth day of October in the present year

Given under my hand this thirteenth day of November one thousand seven hundred and ninety three Robert Allison

John Patton

Mr. Christopher Sites

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Henry Schnebly

Oct. 25th 1793.

A Copy of the within delivered to Christopher Sites on Tuesday the twenty ninth day of October A.D. 1793 by me. Robert Allison

Christopher Sites Plaintiff
against
Henry Schnebley Executor of John Booger deceased Defendant

In Debt.

Interrogatories to be proposed to the Witnesses to be examined on the part of the Defendant.

Are you acquainted with George Elder late of the Woodcock Valley and how long have you known him? In what County and State or Commonwealth is the Woodcock Valley situate and how far distant is it from Hagerstown in the State of Maryland? 3d. How long has it been since George Elder removed from the Woodcock Valley and where does he now live? 4th. Do you know whether George Elder can speak or understand the German language or not: did you ever hear him say that he could or that he could not? 5th What is the General Character of George Elder, is he considered as an honest or as a dishonest Man, as a man fair and open in his dealings or as a designing Man, and a Sharper: does he support the Character of an industrious, hard working Man, or that of a man who lives by cheating and deceiving the ignorant and illiterate with whom he has dealings: is he considered as a man proper to be trusted with the drawing of any writings between Man and Man. 6th Are you acquainted with James Hale, where does he live, what is his general character, is he considered as an honest, hard working industrious man, or as an idle worthless man? Can James Hale speak, or understand the German language, did you ever hear him say that he could or that he could not?

8th Is there any connection that you know of between George Elder and James