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W. J. REYNOLDS, JR., Etc., PLAINTIFFS.

-Against- / DEPOSITIONS FOR DEFENDANTS.

JOHN Q. HARRIS, Etc., DEFENDANTS.

The deposition of John G. Johns and others, taken at the law office of Walter S. Harkins in the city of Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, on 3rd day of October, 1912, to be read as evidence on behalf of the defendant in an action pending in the Floyd Circuit Court wherein W. J. Reynolds, Jr., etc., is plaintiff and John G. Harris & others, are defendants.

The witness, John G. Johns, being of lawful age and by me first duly sworn, testified as follows:-

DIRECT EXAMINATION BY WALTER S. HARKINS:-

Q. Mr. Johns, please state your age and where you reside?

A. I will be seventy four years old at my next birthday, which is the third day of March. Winchester, Ky.

Q. Beforeg oing to Winchester, Kentucky, did you reside in Floyd county, Kentucky? If so, state how long?

A. Well, my life has been spent in Floyd County previous to 1889. Born in Floyd County and resided there up until that time.

Q. During the time you resided in Floyd County, what business were you engaged in?

A. Well, I first started as clerk of the Floyd County Court in 1862, and I followed the mercantile business and