

It is agreed that the suit of J. B. Bowman vs S. W. Crotcher and R. M. Michael now pending in the Clark Circuit Court be adjusted on the following terms viz:—

1<sup>st</sup> — Plaintiff's Attorney to confer the depositions filed to their Petition by ~~defendant's~~ Attorney, and then <sup>file</sup> an amended Petition averring that the language used in the publication means and was intended to charge bribery and corruption on plaintiff in letting the N. A. Steels, and on the Curator who purchased it.

2<sup>nd</sup> — Defendant's Attorney will then file an answer to the amended Petition denying that the language used means or was intended to charge bribery or corruption on plaintiff in letting the Steels or on the Curator who purchased it.

3<sup>rd</sup> — On filing said Answer Plaintiff's Attorney agree to dismiss the suit at plaintiff's cost.

4<sup>th</sup> — After the suit is dismissed it is agreed that if plaintiff or his Attorney desires that the depositions filed in the case be