ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

NAME OF CLAIMANT

#24 - Breeden, Amanda & Wesley

Number of	Acres: 75	
Location:	South Naked Creek waters.	
Roads:	Six miles good mountain road to	Elkton.

Soil: Fertile, but very stony; very deep in the bottom land where cultivated. Slopes are eroded.

History of Tract and condition of timber: Slope burned repeatedly; cove seems to have escaped. Timber on the eastern part of tract consists of mixed old white pine, hemlocks, and smaller hardwoods. Stand of merchantable saw timber of about 7 M. to the acre and additional wood of about 4 cords to the acre. Timber on cove is mixed hardwoods and hemlocks, but sycamores and oaks are prominent. (Over)

Improvements:

Dwelling: Frame, 16x26' with ell 20x24x10's and a porch 6x20' 6 rooms, shingled roof, 2 story, log walls, ceiled, fair condition, occupied by owner, spring water supply, pillar foundation. Barn: Log, 18x42x12', metal roof, poor condition. Garage: Frame, 10x12x8', paper roof, fair condition. Spring house: 10x12x3', metal roof, good condition. Granary: Log, 16x23x10', shingled roof, poor condition. Hen house: 12x12x8', paper roof, fair condition. Barn: Frame, 26x32x14', shingled roof, 17' shed, fair condition. 2 hen house: 8x10x6', poor condition. Stable: Log, 11x14x10', shingled roof, poor condition.

Acreage and value	of types:					
Types	Acreage		Value per acre	Total Value		
Ridge:						
Slope:	17	0	\$3 . 00	\$57.00		
Cove:	17	Q	5.00	85.00		
Grazing Land:	16	Q	20.00	320.00		
Fields Restocking:						
Cultivated Land:	23	@	35.00	805.00		
Orchard:	2	Q	60.00	\$1267.00 120.00		
Minerals:				1225.00		
Value of Land: \$	1267.00			350.00 50.00		
Value of Improvem	nents: \$1225	.00		\$3012.00		
Value of Orchard:	\$ 120.00					
Value of Minerals:	\$					
Value of Fruit: \$						
Value of Timber:	\$ 350.00					
Value of Wood: \$	50.00					
Value per acre for	tract: \$ 40	.16				
Incidental damages arising from the taking of this tract: \$ NONE						

Acreage and value of types:

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Timber on the western part of tract consists of mixed hard-woods and pine, largely oaks and chestnut up to 9" DBH. Rather thin stand of about 4 cords per acre. Estimated to cut 63 M. feet. Allow 200 cords wood for home consumption.

> County: Rockingham District: Stonewall

#24 - Breeden, Wesley & Amanda C.

Acreage Claimed: 74

Value Claimed:

Assessed 74 A. 147 P. Deed 74 A. 147 P.

" 1909 for \$625.00

\$1,335.00

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Location: South Naked creek waters.

Incumbrances, counter claims or laps: None.

\$6000.00

Fertile but very stony; very deep in the bottom land where culti-Soil: vated. Slopes are eroded.

\$330.00

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Six miles good mountain road to Elkton. Roads:

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100.00 \$289.00 Improvements: Dwelling: Frame, 16x26' with ell 20x24x10' and a porch 6x20', 6 rooms, shingled roof, 2 story, log walls, ceiled, fair condition, occupied by owner, spring water supply, foundation pillars. - - -Barn: Log, 18x42x12', metal roof, poor condition. - -Garage: Frame, 10x12x8', paper roof, fair condition. Spring house: 10x12x8', metal roof, good condition. - -Granary: Log, 16x23x10', shingled roof, poor condition. Hen house: 12x12x8', paper roof, fair condition Barn: Frame, 26x32x14', shingled roof, 17' shed, fair condition \$700.00 50.00 30.00 50.00 20.00 15.00 450.00 10.00 10.00

Acreage and value of land by types:

		Value	Total
Type	Acreage	per A.	Value
Cove	4	4.00	16.00
Slope	30	2.50	75.00
Grazing	16	10.00	160.00
Tillable	23	30.00	690.00
Orchard	ž	40.00	80.00
	75		\$1,021.00

Total value of improvements 1,335.00 Total value of timber - - 289.00 Total value of tract - -\$2,645.00 Average value per acre - - \$35.26.

Claim of In the Circuit Court of Mochingham County, Virginia, No.____, At Law. The State Commission on Conservation and Development of the State of Virginia, Petitioner. vs._____ more or less, of land in <u>Management</u> County, Virginia, Defendants. The undersigned, in answer to the petition of the State Commission on Conservation and De-velopment of the State of Virginia, and in response to the notice of condemnation awarded upon the filing of said petition and published in accordance with the order of the Circuit Court of Many hand County, Virginia, asks leave of the Court to file this as his answer to said petition and to said notice. My name list and a gald selden My post office address is Millon 1/2 lave 3 I claim a right, title, estate or interest in a tract or parcel of land within the area sought to be condemned, containing about 74/2____acres, on which there are the following buildings and improvements Levelling 6 rooms spring how Marage Hogper & Henhouses Come 2 Bains I's are orachard Spager Pleaser This land is located about 5/2____miles from Clandon Virginia, in the Manual Magisterial District of said County. I claim the following right, title, estate or interest in the tract or parcel of land de-scribed above: (In this space claimant should say whether he is sole owner or joint owner, and if joint owner give names of the joint owners. If claimant is not sole or joint owner, he should set out exactly what right, title, estate or interest he has in or to the tract or parcel of land described above.) Onon 13 milerest, Sieden actor hess 5 underest at Thy near The land owners adjacent to the above described tract or parcel of land are as follows: North George Connard South Nandy Kam East J. Alladours _____ West Jarah Hensley I acquired my right, title, estate or interest to this property about the year_18_49____in the following manner: I claim that the total value of this tract or parcel of land with the improvements there-in and to this tract or parcel of land with the improvements thereon is \$6000____ I am the owner of_____ _acres of land adjoining the above described tract or parcel of land but lying outside the Park area, which I claim will be damaged by the proposed condemnation of lands within the Park area, to the extent of \$___ (In the space below should be set out any additional statements or information as to this claim which claimant desires to make; and if practicable he should also insert here a description of the tract or parcel of land by metes and bounds). Remarks: (Continue remarks if necessary on the back). Witness my signature (or my name and mark attached hereto) this 3/54 ____dav Ama of_1/119....., 193/.... electer STATE OF VIRGINIA, COUNTY OF Hat funghang., The undersigned hereby certifies that and the Buerdens the above named claimant personally appeared before him and made oath that the matters and things appearing in his above answer are true to the best of his knowledge and belief, ---- day of Mug this_____ .__, 193____. Clerk of the Court, or Special Investigator or Notary Public, or Justice of the Peace.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ROCKINGHAM COUNTY, VIRGINIA

State Commission on Conservation and Development of the State of Virginia

Cassandra Lawson Atkins, and others

vs.

On this, the <u>day</u> of December, 1935, same Amanda C. Breeden and Doctor Breeden, and on their motion, leave is given them to file their petition, and it appearing to the Court that \$3012.00 is the amount of award set out in the judgment of condemnation for Tract No. 24, heretofore paid into Court; and it appearing from the report of the Board of Appraisal Commissioners heretofore filed in this cause, and in the petition for judgment and condemnation heretofore filed herein, that in the opinion of petitioner, the said Amanda C. Breeden and Doctor Breeden are invested with a superior or better right or claim of title in and to said Tract No. 24; and that the record of this cause does not show any denial or dispute by any party or persons in interest as to the said tract or to the proceeds arising from the condemnation thereof; and it further appearing to the Court that all taxes due or assessable on said Tract No. 24 have been paid and there are no liens of record against said real estate;

Upon Consideration Whereof, it is adjudged and ordered by the Court that said sum of \$3012.00 paid into Court as just compensation for said Tract No. 24, be paid to the said Amanda C. Breeden and Doctor Breeden and the Clerk of this Court is directed to transmit a cartified copy of this order to the Treasurer of Virginia, who shall pay to the said Amanda C. Breeden and Doctor Breeden the sum of \$3012.00, the amount of award set out in the judgment of condemnation of said tract of land, taking from said Amanda C. Breeden and Doctor Breeden a receipt therefor and certifying such payment to the Clerk of this Court for appropriate entry thereof, as required by law.

Enter:

MWA Judge

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and by deed from Wesley Breeden and Amanda C. Breeden to Amanda C. Breeden and Doctor Breeden, dated December 18, 1909, recorded in said Clerk's Office in Deed Book No. 92, at page 252, the original of which said deed is filed herewith, marked Exhibit Doctor Breeden deed; all of which deeds are prayed to be read as a part hereof.

The undersigned aver that the record in this suit does not disclose any denial or dispute by any party or persons in interest as to the title to said Tract No. 24, or to the proceeds arising from the condemnation thereof, and the said statement in petition of condemnation as to the title of the undersigned is true.

That all taxes due the County of Rockingham and State of Virginia are paid, as shown by the certificates of the Clerk of the Court and the Treasurer of said County, filed herewith, marked Exhibits Nos. One and Two.

That there are no liens of record against said real estate and that the undersigned have title as aforesaid and pray the Court that it will order and direct the payment of said sum of \$3012.00 to the

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Habert H. Hymeet Witness', A. Styant ananda C. Breeden

State of Virginia, County of Rpckingham, to-wit:

I, A. E. Wyant, a Notary Public of and fortthe County of Rockingham, in the State of Virginia, do certify that on this the <u>4</u> day of December, 1935, personally appeared before me in my said County Amanda C. Breeden and Doctor Breeden and made oath that the statements claimed in the foregoing petition are true.

Given under my hand this $\underline{\mathcal{H}}$ day of December, 1935.

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Whereas by a decree of the Circuit Court of Greene County, Virginia, entered at its June term, 1899, in the Chancery suit therein pending of E. A. McDaniel vs. Wesley Breeden, Administrator c. t. a. of R. B. Hensley, dec'd, and others, said Wesley Breeden was appointed a Special Commissioner of said Court to make sale of the lands of which said R. B. Hensley died seized and possessed; and

Whereas said Special Commissioner after due advertisement, as required by said decree, did on the 28th day of August, 1899, make sale at and on the premises to the highest bidder for one-third cash and balance on a credit of one and two years, of the said 74 acres 3 roods and 29 poles of land of which said tes'tor died seised and possessed, situate in the eastern part of Rockingham County, Virginia, and composed of two tracts bounded as follows:

First: Beginning at a Lynnand small chestnut oak at the junction of two creeks, corner of said R. ^B. Hensley, thence S 30 W 86 poles to a white oak and red oak, thence S 62 E 60 poles to a chestnut and two chestnut oaks, thence S 25 E 42 poles to Spanish oak on hill, thence N 80 E 33 poles and 16 links to a white walnut and ash, corner of John Hensley tract, then down the branch with John Hensley's line thence N 8 E 20 poles and 16 links to a chestnut oak and walnut, thence N 1/4 W 52 poles to a red oak and hickory, thence N 9 E 34 poles to an ash and red oak in the branch, thence N 24 1/4 W 30 poles to a white pine, and chestnut oak, thence N 36 1/2 E 12 poles to a chestnut oak, maple and pine on the bank of South Creed, corner to the John Hensley tract and then down the creek, thence N 62 W 40 poles to a white pine and chestnut oak on the bank of the creek, thence N 33 1/4 W 20 poles to two white oaks in or near the James Hensley line, thence S 30 W 24 1/4 poles to the beginning and the

Second: Beginning at a chestnut oak and Lynn corner to the old Embry and Hensley line on the bank of South Naked Creek, thence N 60 3/4 W 25 poles to two pines on the side of a piny mountain, thence S 34 3/4 W 79 poles to a Spanish oak, thence S 63 E 28 1/2 poles to

"Sthitset Wesley Breeden Deed"

a white oak in a line of said R. B. Hensley and corner the Jonothan Breeding tract, thence with the same N $32 \ 1/2 \ E \ 78 \ 1/2$ poles to the beginning.

And whereas Amanda Caroline Breeden became the purchaser thereof at the price of \$625.00 that being the highest bid made for the same, and paid one-third of said purchase money in cash, and executed her two several bonds each for the sum of \$208.33 1/3 payable at one and two years for the balance.

And whereas said Special Commissioner made report to the said Court it its November term, 1899, of said sale, and said Court by its decree made and entered at its said last November term ratified and confirmed said report of sale and to said Amanda Caroline Breeden and provided the she might anticipate the payments of the bonds for the deferred purchase price aforesaid and appointed said Wesley Breeden a Special Commissioner of the Court to make to her a deed to said land as soon as she should have paid off the said bonds.

And whereas said Amanda Caroline Breeden has well and truly paid all the aforesaid bonds and is therefore entitled to a deed to said land.

Now, therefore, this deed made this 24th day of January, 1900, by Wesley Breeden Special Commissioner of the Circuit Court of Greene County, Virginia, as aforesaid, of the first part, and Amanda Caroline Breeden of the second part,

WITNESSETH:

That in consideration of the premises and especially in consideration of the aforesaid sum of \$625.00 to the party of the first part in hand paid by the party of the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and in virtue of the provisions of the decree last aforesaid, he the said Wesley Breeden as Special Commissioner doth grant and convey unto her the said Amanda Caroline Breeden, with special warranty of title the aforesaid 74 acres 3 roods and 29 poles more or less of land situate in the eastern part of the County of

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Rockingham, State of Virginia, adjoining the lands of Wesley Eppard, Sarah Lam and others.

Witness the following signature and seal this 24th day of January, 1900.

\$1.00 stamp Witness his WesleyxBreeden Seal mark

State of Virginia,

County of Rockingham, to-wit:

I, W. J. Runkle, a Notary Public for the County of Rockingham in the State of Virginia, do certify that Wesley Breeden whose name is signed to the writing hereto annexed, bearing date on the 24th day of January, 1900, has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 22 day of May, 1900. W. J. Runkle, N. P.

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Rockingham County. March 18th, 1901. THIS DEED from Wesley Breeden, Special Commissioner, to Amanda Caroline Breeden was this day presented in the office aforesaid and is, together with the certificate of acknowledgment annexed admitted to record.

Teste:

J. S. Messerly, Clerk

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This deed made this 15 day of March, 1901, between Amanda Caroline Breeden party of the first part and Wesley Breeden, party of the second part, both of Rockingham County, Virginia,

WITNESSETH:

That in consideration of \$416.66 2/3 Dollars cash in hand paid by the said Wesley Breeden to the said Amanda Caroline Breeden, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged the said Amanda Caroline Breeden doth grant and convey with general warranty of title unto the said Wesley Breeden two-thirds interest in the two tract of land conveyed to the said Amanda Caroline Breeden by the said Wesley Breeden by deed dated, January 24th 1900, said tracts lying in the eastern part of Rockingham County, containing as a whole 74 as 3 r and 29 p. and bounded as follows:

First: Beginning at a Lynn and small chestnut oak at the junction of the two creeks, corner to R. B. Hensley tract, thence S 30 W 86 poles to a white and red oak, thence S 62 E 60 poles to a chestnut and two chestnut oaks, thence S 23 E 42 poles to a Spanish oak on a hill, thence N 80 E 33 poles and 16 links to a white walnut and ash corner to John Hensley tract, thence down the branch with John Hensley line, thence N 8 E 20 poles and 16 links to a chestnut oak and walnut thence N 1/4 W 52 poles to a red oak and hickory, thence N 9 E 34 poles to an ash and red oak in a branch, thence N 24 1/4 W 30 poles to a white pine and chestnut oak, thence N 36 1/2 E 12 poles to a chestnut oak, maple and pine on bank of South Creed corner to the John Hensley tract, thence down the creek, thence N 62 W 40 poles to a white pine and chestnut oak on the bank of creek, thence N 34 1/4 W 20 poles to two white oaks in or near James Hensley's line thence S 30 W 24 1/4 poles to the beginning, and Second beginning at a chestnut oak and Lynn corner to old Embry & Hensley line on the bank of South Naked Creek, thence N 60 3/4 W 25 poles to 2 pines on the side of a piny mountain, thence S 34 3/4 W 79 poles to a Spanish oak, thence S 63 E 28 1/2 poles to a white oak in a line of R. B. Hensley tract and corner of Jonothan Breeden tract, thence with the same N 32 1/2 E 78 1/2 poles to the beginning, the two tracts containing as a whole 74 acres, "It hibit amonto "Preeden Deed"

3 roods and 29 poles, the said 2/3rds interest in said two tracts to the said Wesley Breeden, his heirs and assigns forever.

Witness the following signature and seal. her Amanda Caroline x Breeden (Seal) mark

Rockingham County, to-wit:

I, Wm. B. Hensley, a Notary in and for said County of Rockingham, in the State of Virginia, do certify that Amanda Caroline Breeden whose name is signed to the writing above bearing date on the 15th day of March, 1901, has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 16th day of April, 1901. Wm. B. Hensley, N. P.

VIRCINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County. March 15, 1907. This Deed from Amanda Caroline Breeden to Wesley Breeden was this day presented in the office aforesaid and is together with the certificate of acknowledgment annexed, admitted to record.

Teste:

D. H. Lee Martz, Clerk

This deed made This 18 day of December 1909 beleven Wesley Maleden and Amanda & Breede his wefe party of the first part and amande le Maéders partie of the second part and bloctor Dreeden party of the Therd part. Wilnesseth: That in consideration of Phreekunded Dollars. (# 300.00) Cash in hand paid by the said amanda la Breeder to the said Wesley Breeder The receipt where of is hereby a strowedged by the David Mesley Breeder: The said party of the first part dorth grant and convey with general warracely of telle unto the said amaceda 16. Breeden wife of the said Wesley Breeden the Two Thirds interest owned by The saece Wesley Breeden in The two tracts of land conveyed by The saece amanda la Breeden to The said Wesley Breedeer by deed dated March 15-1901 The said Two Thirds bring an undivided interest in a whole hack containing Seventy Four acres Three roods and Diventynine poles, silicoled in the Easterio part of Rochingham Cauly state of Virginice near Nensleys church and banded as follows. Biginning at a Rym and small chestneet out at the junction of two creeks corner to The R. B. Hensley Track thence \$ 30° W 86 poles to a white oak and Red Oats, Thence & 62° E 60 poles to a chestneet and two chest nut oaks, thenee \$ 23° E 42 poles to a spanish oak on a hill Thence N 80° & 33 poles and 16 links to a white "Sphilit Doctor Breeden Dead"

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and agreed That The land herie convy ed shall pass to the said Doclor Breeder cend his title to same shall troome fresimple but shaced the death of the said Doclor Dreeden ocaur forior to that of his mother The Daid amanda & Breeder The The title to the land herice converger shall be versled in the said amanda 6. Breeden and her title shall there traume fee simple and poinded far ther That The said Doctor Breeden shall after he treames Twenty one years of age fay to his mother the said Emanda le. Breeden Hior Hendred Dollars in such fayments and at such doles as she the Daid Amanda 6 Breeden may require. as his part of the consideration in this convergance. Witness The following signatures and seals. Witness Wesley & Dreedue Amande Chan Dreeden HASC Guilier (Seare) amy M. Bheeden! (Seal) Stale of Virginice County of Rostenghans Tour I It. I Sinting a notary Public for saide Conceleg Certify that Wesley Breedere and Amanda b. Breiden whose names are signed to the foregoing deed training date an the 18: day of Desene ter 1909 persanally appeared tofon me in said county and

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Acknowledges the Dame. Given under my hunce This 210t day of February 1910. HA. C. Gueling M.P. my Cammissiane experier Feb, 12-1911.

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County,

THIS DEED from Merley Breeden twife June 9. Amanda & Breeden to Amanda 6. Breeden

was this day presented in the office aforesaid, and is, together with the certificate of acknowledgment annexed, admitted to record. Teste,

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Wit Lee Marta, Clerk. PG

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Recording Per

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the taxes for the year 1933 on the tract of Mountain land, containing 75 acres and designated in the Park Condemnation suit as Tract No. 14, situate in Rockingham County, Virginia, and assessed in the name of _____

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have been paid.

Given under my hand this 6th day of December, 1935.

MAN Hormson Treasurer of Rockingham County, Virginia.

Shibit \$ 700

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that the records in my office do not show any delinquent taxes against the tract of Mountain land, containing 75acres and known and designated in the Park Condemnation Suit as No. 24, situate in Rockingham County, Virginia, said tract of land standing in the name of Amonto Conceden Ellesley Breeden

Given under my hand this _____ day of December, 1935.

Clerk of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, Virginia. By Margorel Branum D.C.

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