

The affidavit of George W. Sanders
latter and to be used as evidence in
a case depending in the United States
Circuit Court in which Boyd Coleman
Graham are plaintiffs and M. S. &
W. J. Mather are defendants -

This affidavit states that the
draft for three thousand dollars
by M. S. & W. J. Mather in favor
of affiant on Boyd Coleman &
Graham of New Orleans, was
drawn acceptance waived, and was
due 14 Jan^y 1867 - Respondent
states that the sole and entire
consideration of said \$3,000 draft
was the compromise settlement of
a note for \$4,480, due by R. R.
Sharkey to affiant - that M. S. &
W. J. Mather at the request of R. R.
Sharkey who was in bad health
and the father by adoption of M. S.
Mather, agreed to take up said
note for \$4,480 of said Sharkey and
gave affiant said draft for \$3,000
for said note - That neither M. S.
or W. J. Mather owed affiant anything
~~but the sole and entire consideration~~
of said draft for \$3,000 was the
settlement of the said note of R.
R. Sharkey for \$4,480 which note
is hereto attached - The endorsement
on said note was signed by me
on the day of the transaction -

By W. Sanders