5. 1826 to 1830: Second Floor of Franklin Institute, Seventh Street South of Market Street

After a two year stay at Congress Hall, the Court relocated again. A ten-year lease, effective January 1, 1826, was signed for the use of the second floor of the Franklin Institute on Seventh Street, just south of Market Street, Philadelphia. The Court occupied that venue only until April 1, 1830, when the United States Marshal, who had responsibility for leasing court space and paying the rent, negotiated a release of the Government's obligations to the Franklin Institute. The building still stands and now houses the Philadelphia History Museum at the Atwater Kent.