

Ordered by the Court, upon hearing of the foregoing Petition that Caspar Mantz be and he is hereby appointed guardian ad litem for the said Mary Wackter, in said cause, and that he have power to answer said bill of Complaint, on behalf of said Non Compos, and do all other acts, and things in the progress of said cause necessary, and proper, for the protection of the Interests of said Non Compos. Richd. H. Marshall June 11. 1857.

Jacob Mednick & Elizabeth Staley et al

Philip Wackter & Mary Elizabeth Wackter his wife & Mary Wackter

N. 2353 Equity. In Frederick County Court, sitting as a Court of Equity. The separate answer of Mary Wackter, one of the defendants, being non-compos mentis by Caspar Mantz - her guardian, in that behalf appointed by the order of this Court, in this cause. This respondent by her guardian, answers says that she can neither admit, or deny the several matters, and things in said bill stated & charged, & being of unsound mind, and incapable of the management of her affairs, submits her rights in the premises, to the protection of this Honorable Court.

Caspar Mantz Esq. Ad litem of Mary Wackter

State of Maryland. Frederick County to wit. But remembered that Caspar Mantz, guardian as above described, appears before the subscriber a Justice of said County, and make oath, that the matters & things set forth, and stated in said answer are true, to the best of her knowledge & beliefs. Aug. 29 1857.

Sworn Before W. Patzall.

The answer of Philip Wackter, & Elizabeth his wife, to the Bill of Complaint of Jacob Mednick, Elizabeth Staley & others. These defendants admit the facts as set forth in the Bill of Complaint, and submits to such decree as to the Court may seem right and proper.

W. Patzall Sol. For Defendants.

N. 2353 Equity In Frederick County Court.

In this cause the Clerk will issue a commission to take testimony, to Messrs Lewis Wolfe & Robt. Wilson. Aug. 27. 1857. W. Patzall Sol.

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Maryland. To The State of Maryland to Lewis W. Wolfe & Robert Wilson Jr. of Frederick County Creating: Be it known that you are appointed Commissioners to examine evidences in a cause depending in Frederick County Court as a Court of Chancery, between Jacob Mednick, Elizabeth Staley et al. Complainants, and Philip Wackter, Mary Elizabeth Wackter his wife, and Mary Wackter defendants, you are therefore required, having first taken the oath herein to serve =