In the Circuit Court, for Frederick County, Sitting as a Court of Equity
February Term 1853.

Ordered by the Court this 17 day of March 1853 that the sale made and Reported by Philemon M Smith Trustee for the sale of the Real Estate of John H M. Smith dec^d be ratified & Confirmed, unless cause to the Contrary thereof be shown, on or before the Second monday of April next, provided a Copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Frederick City once in each of Three successive weeks before the said Second monday of April next

W. Nelson.

We certify that the annexed - notice was Published in the Frederick Herald, for Three successive weeks prior to the second monday of April 1853

Sappington & Miller

The following Ratification Filed 11 Apr 1853. No 2455 Equity
In the Circuit court for Frederick County Sitting in Equity
February Term 1853

Ordered this 18 day of April 1853 That the Sale made & Reported in the above named Case, be and the same is hereby ratified & Confirmed no cause to the Contrary thereof having been made, although notice having been given as directed by the preceeding Order The Trustee is allowed for Commission and personal Expenses the usual allowance, and for such expenses as he shall produce Vouchers for.

The auditor is hereby directed to proceed to state an account in this case, under the Instruction of the Counsel

W Nelson.

The following petition of A M Anderson was filed April 14. 1853.
No. 2455 Equity In the Circuit Court for Frederick County Sitting as a Court of Equity Thomas A Smith and others v Cornelia A. Smith and others The Petition of A Mortimer Anderson Respectfully Shews, to this Court, That the proceeds of Sale of the Real Estate, in this cause made, and Reported by the Trustee for that purpose appointed a certain share devolves upon, certain of the parties to this cause, to wit: Thomas A Smith, Chas C Smith, Charles Ramey Sam E his wife Joseph Smith, and Mary A Smith as the surviving brothers & Sisters of the whole blood of William H Smith dec^d one of the heirs under the will of John H M Smith dec^d who died after the decease of said testator intestate & without leaving issue - That your Petitioner is a creditor of said Wm H Smith for medical services rendered to him, in his last sickness, and for more than two years prior to his decease, & that the said William H. left no personal Estate, out of which his debts could be paid, and no other property whatever besides his Interest in the Lands in this cause mentioned, and that no administration has ever been taken out, upon his personal Estate, your Petitioner further shews that prior to the filing the Bill of Complaint, against the several heirs at Law above named of said William - praying for a sale of his Interest in said Real Estate, for the payment of the debts of said deceased but that the said parties have never answered said bill - and the repeated attempts of your Petitioner to cause process to be served upon them have all proved unavailing as by reference to the proceedings, in said cause, which is number 2454