

The following paper was filed July 2/55.

June 28<sup>th</sup> 1855.

Old point Comfort Va.

S<sup>r</sup> Sir - I can offer no objection to the ratification of the sale in the case of Gassaway vs. Beam, and the objections may be considered withdrawn.

B. F. Johnson Esq.

Respectfully yours &c.

Wm. P. Maulsby

Whereupon the following decree was passed.

Noah A. Gassaway & Co. v. Jacob Beam & Adam Kahler. N<sup>o</sup>. 2523. Equity. In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, as a Court of Equity. February Term 1855.

To the Honorable, Madison, Circuit Judge, for the this Judicial Circuit of the State of Maryland, sitting in Equity. The Complainants come into Court, and suggest - that since the sale made and Reported, in this case, Worthington Ross, the surviving Trustee has departed this life, and they pray the Court to appoint a new Trustee.

N<sup>o</sup>. 2523. Equity.

Wm. J. Ross, Solicitor for Pet.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity February Term 1855.

Ordered by the Court, this 2<sup>d</sup> day of June, 1855. that William J. Ross be appointed Trustee in this cause, in place of Worthington Ross dec<sup>d</sup>. and that - before proceeding to act he shall file a Bond, with the Clerk of this Court executed by himself, and one or more securities in the penalty of four thousand and dollars, Conditions for the faithful performance of the Trusts contained in the original Decree, passed in this cause, W. Nelson.

The following Bond was filed 3<sup>d</sup> Aug<sup>th</sup> 55.

Maryland Stamp \$2. - Know all men by these presents, that we William J. Ross, and Godfrey Kootz of Frederick County State of Maryland, are held and firmly bound, unto the state of Maryland, in the full and just sum of Four thousand dollars, current money, to be paid to the said State, or its certain attorney, to which payment, well and truly to be made and done, we bind, ourselves, and each of us our, and each of our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly & severally - firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated this third day of August, eighteen Hundred, and Fifty five. Whereas the above named William J. Ross by Decree of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity - dated July 2<sup>d</sup>, eighteen Hundred and Fifty five, and passed in N<sup>o</sup>. 2523 Equity - has been appointed Trustee for the purposes therein expressed.

Now the Condition of the above obligation is such - that if the above bounden, Wm J. Ross shall well and faithfully execute the trusts contained in the original Decree passed in said cause, or any other which may be passed in said cause, then this obligation to be void.

Signed, sealed & deliv<sup>d</sup> in the presence of J. L. Storm.

William J. Ross.

Godfrey Kootz.

I Certify this Bond to be good.

Approved & filed Aug<sup>th</sup> 3/55.

Aug<sup>th</sup> 3/55.

W. G. Cole.

E. Shivers, Ck.

Statement of an account, between the Creditors of Jacob Beam & Wm. J. Ross, Trustee N<sup>o</sup>. 2523. Equity. In the Circuit Court, for Frederick County.

To amt <sup>o</sup> of Sale funds reported by Trustee.	\$	2165.00
To the estate of Worthington Ross former Trustee 1/10 of usual Comm <sup>o</sup>	\$	88.16
" State of Maryland 1/10 of said Commissions.	"	9.79
" To Trustee to publish order nisi of audit.	"	1.00