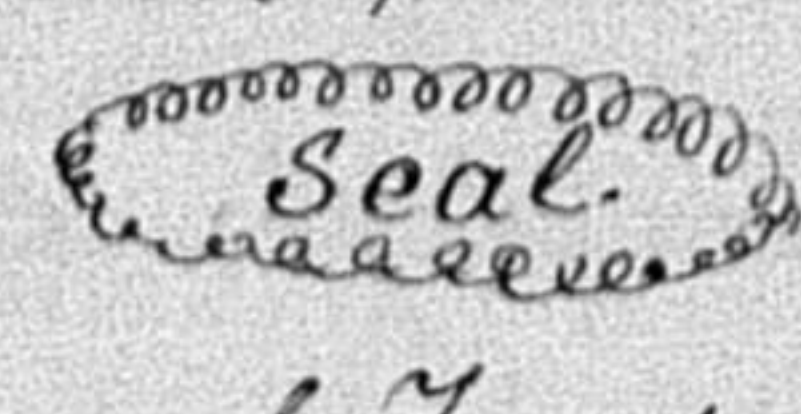


Thereupon the following Subpoena was issued

Maryland, Set. The State of Maryland, To Richard E Johnson, Jane Johnson, Thomas Johnson, Myrdham Johnson, Fanny Johnson, Catharine Virginia Johnson, and Mary Bedloe Johnson of Frederick County. - You are hereby commanded that all excuses set apart, you personally appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Chancery, to be held at the Court House in Frederick-town, in and for said County, on the first Monday of July next, to answer the bill and complaint of Thomas Johnson & Catharine Johnson his wife, & Edwin Johnson against you in our said Court exhibited, and so forth. - Hereof, fail you not, as you will answer the contrary at your peril. Witness the Hon. Madison Nelson, Judge of our said Court, the 23 day of February 1852 - Issued the 27th day of March 1852. "To the Sheriff of Frederick County." Edward Shriver Clk.



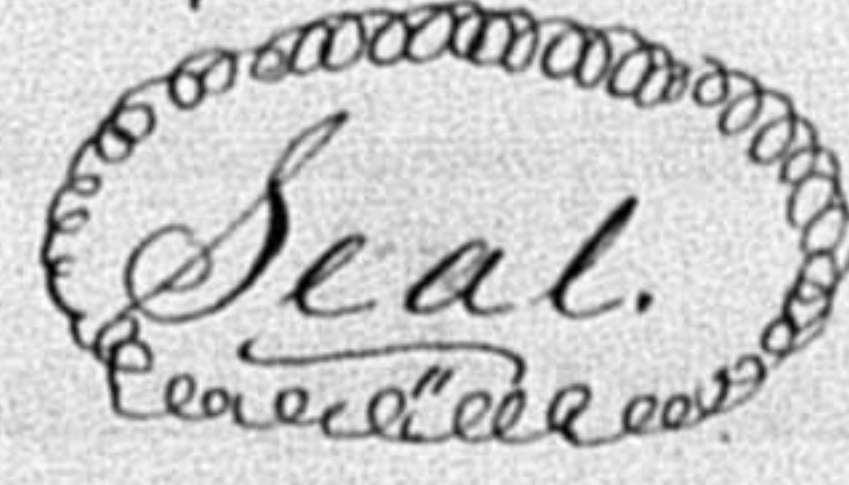
(P. & E) Which is thus endorsed - "Summoned" Casper Mantz Sheriff.

Thereupon the following order was filed May 17th 1852.

Tho: Johnson & Catharine Johnson & Edwin Johnson } No 2420 In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity. vs Richard E Johnson & others } Col. Edward Shriver Clerk. - You will please issue a commission in the above case to W. Thompson Palmer Esqr. to appoint a guardian and take the answers of the infant defendants in said case, they having been duly summoned. Grayson Eichelberger Solicitor for Complainants May 17 - 1852.

Whereupon the following Commission was issued.

Maryland Set. The State of Maryland, to Wm Thompson Palmer Esqr. of Frederick County, Greeting: Whereas Thomas Johnson & Catharine Johnson his wife, & others, have lately exhibited a Bill of Complaint before me in the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity, against Richard E Johnson, Jane Johnson, and others. And whereas I have, by my writ, lately commanded the said Defendants to appear before me in said Court, as a Court of Chancery, at a certain day now past, to answer the said Bill of Complaint, but for as much as the said Richard E Johnson, Jane Johnson, Thomas Johnson, Myrdham Johnson, Fanny Johnson, Catharine V Johnson, Mary B Johnson, are infants under age, and cannot answer the said Bill of Complaint, nor defend this suit, without having a guardian assigned in that behalf - Know ye therefore, that I have given unto you full power and authority in pursuance of the special order in said Court, to assign and appoint a guardian for the aforesaid infants, and to take the answer of the said infants, by such guardian to the said Bill of Complaint, and therefore I command you, that at such certain day and place as you shall think fit, you go to the said defendants if they cannot conveniently come to you, and assign and appoint a guardian for the aforesaid infants, and take the answers of the said infants, by such guardian, to the said Bill of Complaint on such guardian's corporal oath upon the Holy Evangelies, to be administered by you, the said answers being distinctly and plainly wrote; and when you shall have so taken the said answers, you are to send the same closed up under your seal, together with your certificate of your having assigned and appointed such guardian as aforesaid, and this writ, unto me in said Court. - Witness the Honorable Madison Nelson, Judge of said Court, the 23<sup>d</sup> day of February Anno Domini 1852. Issued the 17 day of May 1852. Just Edward Shriver Clk.



The Joint and several answer of Richard E Johnson, Jane Johnson, Thomas Johnson, Myrdham Johnson, Fanny Johnson, Catharine V Johnson, and Mary Bedloe Johnson, by