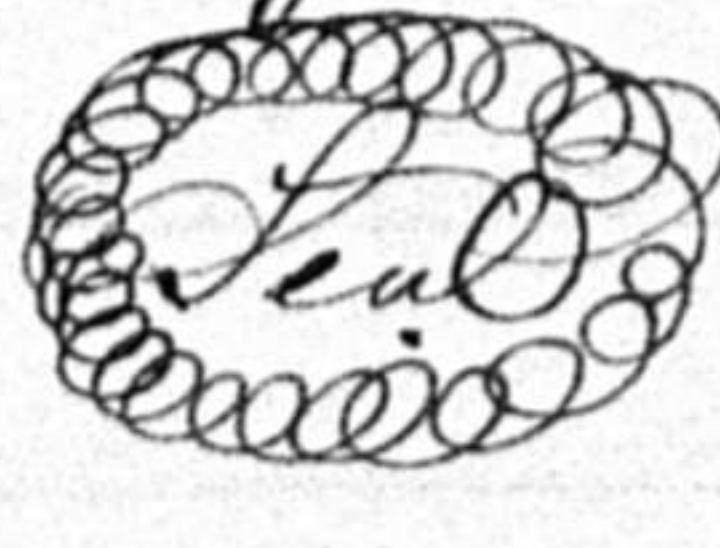


Exhibit. State of Maryland. Frederick County to wit. George Hoskins. Register of wills
 N. 2. for Frederick County. do hereby Certify, that on the 2^d. day of April 1855. letters of admin-
 istration were granted by me to John B. Picking on the Estate of Catharine Gaste late
 of Frederick County dec^d. the said John B. Picking. having given bond, with Ezra Shunk
 and John Reed sureties in the sum of one hundred dollars current money, for the due
 performance of his said administration. In testimony whereof I have set my
 hand & affix the seal of office this 22^d. day of May. 1855.



Test. George Hoskins. Reg^r. of wills.
 For Frederick County Maryland.

Exhibit. N. 3. Catharine Gaste.

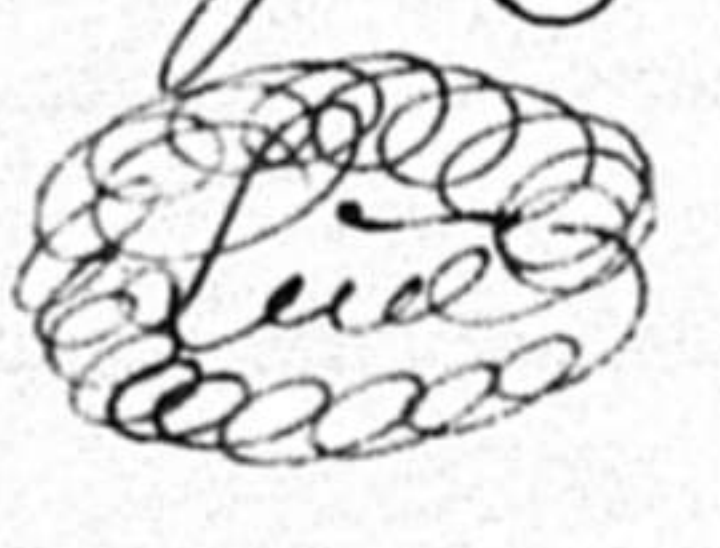
To Abraham Rhoads. dr.
 1854. To a Ton of Hay. \$8.00
 1855. " Do Do. " 13.00
 \$ 21.00

State of Maryland. Frederick County &c.
 On this 18th. day of May. 1855. personally appears Abraham Rhoads, before me the
 Subscriber, one of the justices of the peace, for said County. & makes oath on the
 Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that the above account, as stated is
 just & true, and that he hath not directly, or indirectly received
 any part, or paid security, or satisfaction for the same sworn before me
 December 11th 1855
 John B. Gilbat.

By the Orphans Court. Will pass when paid.

Test. Geo. Hoskins Reg^r.

Maryland. Sec. The State of Maryland. to John B. Picking of Frederick
 County. Greeting. You are hereby Comanded, that all excuses,
 set apart, you personally appear before the Judge of the Circuit
 Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity, to be
 held at the Court House, in Frederick Town. in & for said County, on the 12th
 Monday of July next, to answer the Bill and Complaint of Abraham Rhoads
 against you, in our said Court exhibited, and forthwith.



Hereof fail you not, as you will answer the contrary at your peril.
 Witness The Hon^{ble} Madison Nelson, Judge of our said Court, the 12th. day of
 February. 1855. Issued 22^d. day of May. 1855. To the Sheriff of Frederick County.
 Edw^d. Shivers. ckr.

"Endors^d." "Summon^d."

J. C. D. Neul Shff.

Abraham Rhoads. } N. 2615. Equity. In the Circuit Court for Frederick
 John B. Picking & } County, sitting as a Court of Equity
 the unknown heirs } February Term. 1855.
 of Catharine Gaste dec^d. } The object of the Complainants bill of Complaint
 of the Real Estate of Catharine Gaste dec^d. } in this case is to obtain a Decree for the sale
 The Bill of Complaint states, that Catharine Gaste dec^d. } intestate
 seized and possessed of certain Real Estate, situate in the neighborhood
 of Mechanics-town - in Frederick County. That letters of administra-
 tion, were by the Orphans Court of Frederick County, granted to John B.
 Picking, that said Catharine Gaste was indebted to said Complainant
 in the sum of twenty one dollars, and that the personal Estate is in
 sufficient for the payment of the debts of the said Catharine Gaste.