

Court of Equity. - The subscriber being the Commissioner named in the enclosed Commission, hereby certifies, that in Execution of the powers thereby vested in me, I did on the 22^d day of February 1865, assign and appoint Charles W. Miller of Frederick County, Guardian to the infants named in said Commission and took the answer of the said infants by their said Guardian and under the oath of said Guardian by me administered to the bill of Complaint in said Commission mentioned, which said answer, with said Commission is herewith returned closed under my hand and seal this 22^d day of February A.D. 1865. -

John H. Keller. Com^r

Enclosed - The Execution of the within Commission will appear from the enclosed papers. -

John H. Keller Com^r

Order for Commission

John S. Jellman & Davilla Co. Jellman

No 3213 Equity

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity. -

Lydia A. Hester & Est

vs John W. L. Hartz Clerk

Please issue in this case a Commission to W. S. Nelson and Robert Wilson Esq^s to take testimony on the part of Complainants. -

Milton G. Uner
Sole for Complainant

Commission

Maryland Set

The State of Maryland, to William S. Nelson and Robert Wilson Esq^s of Frederick County, Greeting, - Be it known, that you are appointed Commissioners, to examine Evidence in a cause depending in the Circuit Court for Frederick County as a Court of Equity, between John S. J. Jellman and wife complainants and Lydia A. Hester & Est defendants. You are therefore required, having first taken the oath hereunto annexed, and also administered the annexed oath to the person whom you shall appoint as Clerk to attend the Execution of this Commission, that at such time and place as to you shall seem convenient, you come to know before you all such Evidence as shall be named and produced to you by either the Complainants or defendants, and that you examine them on their Corporal Oaths, to be by you administered upon the Holy Evangel of Almighty God, touching their knowledge or remembrance of any thing that may relate to the cause aforesaid, and that you cause notice to be given to the parties or their attorneys, of the Execution of the Commission, before you execute the same, and having reduced the depositions of the witnesses, so taken by you, into writing, you send the same, with this Commission, closed under your hand and seal, into the Court as a Court of Equity, with all convenient speed. - Witness the Hon. Madison Meloy Judge of our said Court, the 18th day of February A.D. 1865. -

Janed the 23^d day of February 1865. -

M. S. Uner

John W. L. Hartz Clerk

Commissioner's Oath. -

You shall, according to the best of your skill and knowledge, truly, faithfully, and without partiality to any or either of the parties, take the Examinations and depositions of all and every witness and witnesses produced and examined by virtue of the Commission herewith annexed, upon the interrogatories now, or which may hereafter, before the said Commission is closed, be produced to and left with you, by either of said parties. -

In help you God. -

Clerk's Oath

You shall truly, faithfully and without partiality to any or either of the parties in this