

The mill property is perishable and in a dilapidated condition and the proceeds of the sale of the property will yield a greater income than the land does in rent. ~ To the 7th Feb
Yes you left no nearer relations than the parties named in the bill. ~

There being no other evidence, I closed the said Commission and herewith return the same closed under my hand and seal this 17th day of May 1859.

Thayer Eichelberger Comr

Enclosed ~ The execution of the within Commission will appear by certain Schedules hereto annexed.

Thayer Eichelberger Comr

No 2841 Equity.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County as a Court of Equity. ~
February Term 1859. ~

Order to appoint
in
apt Guardian

Charles Gross et al
Elizabeth Lakin and
George W. Brown

The Clerk will issue a Commission to appoint Guardian ad litem to take the answer of Elizabeth Lakin a Lunatic defendant in this case and issue the same to Lewis H. Dice Esq.

John A. Lynch
Soc for Complainant

Commission

Maryland etc

The State of Maryland, to Lewis H. Dice Esq of Frederick County, Circuiting. Whereas Charles Gross and wife, Henry Suter wife et al have lately exhibited their bill of Complaint before me in the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity, against Elizabeth Lakin and George W Brown, and whereas I have by my writ, lately commanded the said defendants to appear before me in said Court as a Court of Equity, at a certain day now past, to answer the said bill of Complaint but for as much as the said Elizabeth Lakin is a Lunatic and cannot answer the said bill of Complaint nor defend this suit, without having a Guardian ad litem assigned in that behalf. Now 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 Lunatic and to take the answer of the said Lunatic 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 defendant if they cannot conveniently come to you, and assign and appoint a Guardian for the aforesaid Lunatic and take the answer of the said Lunatic, by such Guardian, to the said bill of Complaint on such Guardian's Oath and upon the Holy Evangel, 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 do 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 Hon Madison Nelson, Judge of said Court, the 14th day of February A D 1859. ~
James the 19th day of May 1859. ~

Sub

J J Fitzhugh Clerk

No 2841 Equity In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, as a Court of Equity. ~

To the Hon, Madison Nelson Judge of Circuit Court for Frederick County as a Court of Equity.

The subscriber being the commissioner named in the annexed Commission hereby certifies that in execution of the power thereby vested in me I did, on the 20th day of May A D 1859, assign and appoint J. W. L. Karty of Frederick County, Guardian ad litem to the Lunatic named in said Commission and took the answer of the said Lunatic by her 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 20th day of May A D 1859 ~

Lewis H. Dice Comr

The answer of Elizabeth Lakin the Lunatic named in this case by J. W. L. Karty her Guardian