

The answer of Baltzer Mort and Mary Mort his wife Dana Young and Margaret Young his wife of Frederick County State of Maryland to the Bill of Complaint of William Delaplaine and others filed in the Circuit Court for Frederick County as a Court of Equity against themselves Baltzer Mort and others these defendants for answer to said bill wife answer and say that they admit the facts to be true as charged and agree that a decree may be passed appointing some suitable person trustee to execute the trusts of the Will of said William Delaplaine deceased and do agree that the real and personal estate may be sold by a Trustee appointed under a decree of this Court

Witness  
 John W. Ranick  
 Baltzer Mort  
 Mary Mort  
 Dana Young  
 Margaret Young

William Delaplaine  
 Jacob Delaplaine and others  
 To wit Baltzer Mort and Mary Mort his wife & others

No 2742 Equity. In the Circuit Court for Frederick County in Equity

To Clerk of Circuit Court for Frederick County, The Subpoenas issued in this cause having been returned summoned you are authorized and required according to the act of the General Assembly of Maryland to issue a Commission to William Cole authorizing him to appoint a guardian for Peter Delaplaine and John Delaplaine the infant defendants and take the answers of said infants by their said guardian

Wm Cole  
 Solicitor for Complainant

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 The State of Maryland to William Cole Esq of Frederick County Greeting Whereas William Delaplaine and others have lately exhibited their Bill of Complaint before me in the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity against Baltzer Mort and Mary Mort his wife and others and whereas as 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 Peter Delaplaine and John Delaplaine are infants under age and cannot answer the said Bill of Complaint nor defend themselves without having a guardian assigned in their behalf I am therefore that I have given unto you full power and authority in pursuance of the special order in said Court to assign and appoint

Common Guardian of