

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 he doth
 conveniently come to you and assign and appoint a guardian
 for the aforesaid infant and take the assent of the
 said infant by such guardian to the said Bill of Complaint
 or such guardian Corporate oath upon the Holy Evangelists to
 be administered by you the said assent being distinctly
 and plainly made and when you shall have so taken
 the said assent you are to sign 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
 Honourable Nelson Judge of said Court the 11th day of February
 Anno Domini 1856. Signed the 17th day of April 1856
 Test. C. Shriver Clerk

No 2666 Equity

To the Honourable Madison Nelson Judge of the Circuit Court
 for Frederick's County as a Court of Equity.

The Subscriber being the Commissioner named in the
 annexed Commission do hereby certify that in execution
 of the power thereby vested in me I did on the 17th day of
 April 1856 Cause William Poole the infant mentioned in
 said Commission to be brought before me in Frederick's County
 and then and there in the presence of said infant assigned
 and appointed of Frederick's County guardian of
 said infant and took the assent of said infant by his
 said guardian and under the oath of said guardian
 by me administered to the bill of Complaint in said Commission
 mentioned which said assent with said Commission is
 herewith returned closed under my hand & seal this 17th
 day of April 1856

Bradley J. Johnson (Seal)
 Commissioner

The assent of William Poole an infant under the age
 of 21 years William Mahony his guardian to the bill of
 Complaint of John T. Simmons & James C. Simmons
 against him in the Circuit Court for Frederick's County sitting
 as a Court of Equity exhibits. The defendant cannot
 admit any matter and things alleged in the said bill &
 being an infant of tender years submits his rights to the protection
 of this Court.

On the 17th day of April 1856 the above named
 appeared before me Commissioner & made oath that the
 matters & things stated in the foregoing assent are true
 to the best of his knowledge and belief

Bradley J. Johnson