

for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity, against Sarah Carlisle, Admin^{tr} of Robert B Carlisle, de^{ce}. et al. ~ 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 Bill of Complaint, but for as much as Cora Bell Carlisle, Charles Abby Carlisle, Anna Laura Carlisle & Robert B Carlisle, are infants under age, and cannot answer the Bill of Complaint nor defend this suit, without having a Guardian assigned in that behalf ~ Now Ye, therefore, that I have given unto you full power and authority in pursuance of the special order of said Court, to assign and appoint a Guardian for the aforesaid infants, and to take the answers of the said infants, 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 assign and appoint a Guardian for the aforesaid infants, and take the answers of the said infants, by such Guardian to the said Bill of Complaint on such Guardian's Corfeom oath upon the Holy Evangelis, to be administered by you, the said answers being distinctly and plainly written, and when you shall have taken the said answers, you are to send 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 Honorable Madison Wilson, Judge of said Court, the 11th day of May Anno Domini 1868 ~

Issued the 17th day of June 1868 ~

Jest. Charles Hauty, Clerk

No 3398 Equity ~

To the Hon. the Judges of the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity.

The Subscriber being the Commissioner named in the annexed Commission hereby certifies that in execution of the powers thereby vested in me, I did on the 17th day of June A.D. 1868 Appoint Herman C Koehler 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 on said Commission mentioned, which said answer, with said Commission is herewith returned closed, under my hand and seal this 17th day of June A.D. 1868 ~

Arthur Potts
Comm^r

The Answer of Cora Bell Carlisle, Charles Abby Carlisle, Anna Laura Carlisle, and Robert B Carlisle, by H C Koehler, their Guardian to the Bill of Complaint of Warren Garrett and Job Muller, partners &c against them in the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity, Exhibited ~

These Defendants cannot admit any of the matters and things alleged in the said Bill, and being infants of tender years submit their rights to the protection of this Court. ~

H C Koehler

On this 17th day of June A.D. 1868, the above named H C Koehler, appeared before me the Commissioner and made oath that the matters and things stated in the foregoing answer are true to the best of his knowledge & belief, Filed June 17th 1868 ~

Arthur Potts
Comm^r

Gen^l Replication

Order to Issue
Comm^r to take
Testimony

Commissioner