

John Gardner, Susan  
his wife, et al } No 3453 Equity ~  
or  
John P Gardner Julia S. }  
his wife et al } In the Circuit Court for Frederick County as a Court of Equity.

Charles Mountz Esq, Clerk of Circuit Court for Frederick  
County as a Court of Equity. ~  
Please enter a General Replication to the Answer of Lewis H. Beck, an infant  
defendant. ~  
Filed Sept 22<sup>nd</sup> 1869 ~ C. D. Levy, Solr for Complainant

Interlocutory Decree John Gardner, Susan } No. 3453 Equity ~  
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September Term 1869 ~

The order of publication heretofore passed in this Cause, having been duly  
published, and Frederick Beck and Elizabeth Gardner, the now resident adult  
defendants, having failed to appear and and answer the Bill of Complainants,  
and John P Gardner and Julia Ann Gardner, having been duly summoned  
to appear to the Bill of Complainants, and having failed to appear thereto. ~  
It is therefore this 21<sup>st</sup> day of September in the year Eighteen hundred and  
sixty nine, by the Circuit Court for Frederick County, as a Court of Equity, and  
by the authority thereof, adjudged, ordered and decreed, that the Complainants are  
entitled to relief in the premises. ~ But because it doth not certainly appear to what  
relief the Complainants are entitled, it is further adjudged and ordered that a Commission  
issue to the Standing Commissioners of this Court, to take testimony to support the allega-  
tions of the bill. ~  
Filed September 22<sup>nd</sup> 1869 ~ John A. Lynch

Petition of John Gardner and } No 3453 Equity  
Charles L. Kiemper Susan his wife et al. }  
or  
John P Gardner Julia } In the Circuit Court of Frederick County as a Court of  
Ann his wife et al. } Equity. ~

To the Honorable the Judges of the Sixth Judicial  
Circuit of the State of Maryland, sitting in the Circuit Court of Frederick  
County, as a Court of Equity. ~  
The Petition of Charles L. Kiemper of Frederick County, State of Mary-  
land, respectfully represents unto your Honors, that since the filing of the Bill of  
Complaint in this Cause - namely on the Twenty second day of July in the year Eight-  
een hundred and sixty nine, your Petitioner has been lawfully married to Ann  
Maria Catharine Gross, one of the Complainants in this Cause. ~  
Your Petitioner therefore prays your Honors that he may be admitted as  
a Complainant in this Cause, and as indertly found your Petitioner will  
ever pray &c. ~  
Charles L. Kiemper  
C. D. Levy, Solicitor