

at the suit of Chilcote, and Now Marriott are subsisting Executions against this Defendant, &c the said Defendant having superseded the Judgments upon which said executions were issued. ~ This Defendant admits that Cour F Detrick has obtained a Judgment against this defendant, and has issued Execution thereon, and levied said Execution in part on the store goods in possession of this Defendant as Agent - And upon the interest of this Defendant in the firm of Griffiths and Mason, and that the interest of this Defendant will be amply sufficient to pay said Execution. ~ This Defendant admits that he was indebted to sundry merchants for goods sold, which debts he has settled, except a few debts which this defendant could not adjust. ~

This Defendant further states that he is indebted to sundry persons for money loaned, which he has not the ability at this time to discharge ~ This Defendant is quite willing that the alleged partnership should be dissolved and the partnership wound up, and the debts of the firm discharged, and the surplus proceeds divided between the said partners according to their respective rights and interest in the said firm.

Cour Defendant states that he has a claim for money paid and advanced by him for said firm - which he claims must be first paid, before any surplus of partnership assets should be divided. ~

And this Defendant is willing that the said partnership should be wound up under the Orders of this Court, and that such decree may be passed in the premises as to the Court may seem equitable, and he prays leave to be dismissed, ~

David P. Griffiths

State of Maryland
Frederick County

On this 3rd day of December 1869, before me the Subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for said County, personally appeared David P Griffiths and made Oath in due form of law, that the matters and things stated in the foregoing Answer are true as therein stated, to the best of his knowledge, information and belief. ~

Filed Dec 3rd 1869 ~

J. M. Harding

Recorder's Book

The Receiver's Bond referred to in the foregoing Order, having been duly approved and filed by Charles Mantz Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County Nov. 29th 1869, was the same day recorded in Liber B. Vol. No 9 folio 449, One of the Land Records of Frederick County. ~

Test - Charles Mantz, Clerk

Order directing Sale by Receiver

John S. Mason }
vs } No. 3571 Equity
David P. Griffiths } In the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity. ~
September Term 1869 ~

This Cause being submitted on Bill and Answer, it is therefore on this 21st day of December in the year 1869, by me John H. Gough One of the Associate Judges of the said Court, and by the Authority of said Court ordered, adjudged and decreed, that the Partnership heretofore existing between said Complainant and Defendant described in the proceedings in this Cause be, and the same is hereby declared to be dissolved. ~ And it is further ordered that the Receiver, John Ritchie heretofore appointed in this Cause do proceed to wind up the affairs of said Partnership; that he collect all debts due said Partnership, and he is hereby authorized to swear necessary for the re-