Commission to Appt Guardian

Maryland Sch:—

The State of Maryland, To Herman C. Koehler of Frederick County, Greeting:

Whereas, Elizabeth Penn 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 Sarah Penn, Argine Daily, Sarah Penn Louisa Penn, Charles Penn Cassie Penn and Perry Penn 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 said Bill of Complaint, but for as much as the said Argine Daily, Sarah Penn, Louisa Penn, Charles Penn, Cassie Penn and Perry Penn, are infants under age, and cannot answer the said Bill of Complaint, nor defend this suit, without having a guardian assigned in that behalf — Know Ye, therefore, that I have given unto you full power and authority in pursuance of the special order in said Court, to assign and appoint a guardian for the aforesaid infants, and to take the answer 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 answer of the said infants, by such Guardian, to the said Bill of Complaint, on such Guardian's Corporal Oath upon the Holy Evangely, to be administered by you, the said answer being distinctly and plainly wrote; And when you shall have taken the said answer, you are to send the same closed up under your hand and 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 Richard I. Bowie Chief Judge of said Court, the 11th day of December Anno Domini 1872. ~

Issued the 29th day of January 1872 ~

Filed Janry 30th 1872 ~

Charles Mantz, Clerk

Appt of Guardn

Elizabeth Penn et al
vs
Sarah Penn et al.

No 3743 Equity
In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity. ~

To the Honorable, 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 29th day of January, A.D 1872, assign and appoint Arthur Pitts Esq., of Frederick County Guardian to the infants named in said Commission, and took the answer of said infants by their Guardian, under the Oath of said Guardian by me administered, to the Bill of Complaint in said Commission Mentioned, which said Answer with said Commission, is herewith returned, Closed under my hand and Seal this 29th day of January A.D. 1872. ~

H. C. Koehler (Seal)
Commissioner

Filed Janry 30th 1872 ~

Answer

The Answer of Argine Daily, Sarah Penn, Louisa Penn, Charles Penn, Cassie Penn, and Perry Penn, infants under the age of twenty-one years, by Arthur Pitts their Guardian to the Bill of Complaint of Elizabeth Penn et al. 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