Commission to appoint Guardian

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The State of Maryland, To Robert G. McPherson of Frederick County Greeting:

Whereas, Nelson D Ramsburg & Thomas C Ramsburg have lately exhibited their Bill of Complaint before me in the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity, against Charles Alberts, Thomas Alberts, Rachel Alberts and Adam & Mary Alberts: 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 Charles Alberts, Thomas Alberts & Rachel Alberts 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 make 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 answers 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 answers being distinctly and plainly wrote; 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 Nelson, Judge of said Court, the 12th day of February Anno Domini, 1866.

Issued the 30th day of July 1866.

Test: Jos. W. L. Carty, Clerk.

No. 3309 Equity.

To The Hon Madison Nelson, Judge 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 30th day of July A.D. 1866, assign and appoint Joseph W. L. Carty, of Frederick County, Guardian to the infants named in the 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 in said Commission mentioned, which said answer, with said Commission is herewith returned, closed under my hand and seal this 30th. day of July A.D. 1866.

R. G. McPherson (Seal)
Comr.

The answer of Charles Alberts, Thomas Alberts & Rachel Alberts infants, under the age of twenty one years by Joseph W. L. Carty, their Guardian, to the Bill of Complaint of Nelson D. Ramsburg & Thomas C. Ramsburg against them in the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity, exhibited These Defendants, cannot admit any of the matters