

N<sup>o</sup> 4183. Equity.

order to issue a commission as to take answers of Defendant  
John C. Hardt, and Heiman Kreefer partners trading as Hardt & Kreefer  
Dawson V. Hammond Extr  
of Thomas Hammond dec'd  
& Others.

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In the Circuit Court for Frederick County in Equity.

J. Thomas Gouch Esq Clerk

Issue a commission in the above Entitled Cause to Harry Kreefer to take the answers of the infant, defendants in the above Entitled Cause.

Filed April 4. 1877.

Wm P Mailsby, Jr.  
Chas. W. Ross  
Sole for complainants

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State of Maryland. Sc.



The State of Maryland Do  
Harry C Kreefer of Frederick County Greeting  
Whereas John C Hardt & Heiman Kreefer  
partners trading as Hardt & Kreefer have lately exhibited their Bill  
of Complaint before us in the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting  
as a Court of Equity Against Dawson V. Hammond Extr of Tho.  
Hammond and Others. And Whereas We have by our writ lately commanded  
the said defendant to appear before us 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 Mollie K. Griffith, Thomas Griffith, Rezin Griffith  
Lyde Griffith Jr. Harry Griffith, Jennie Griffith and Johnson Griffith  
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 we 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 we 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 to 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 Evangelists to be administered by You, the said answer 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 us in said Court. - Witness the  
Honorable Richard J Bowie Chief Judge of said Court the 19th day of  
February, Anno Domini 1877, - issued the 4th day of April 1877.  
Jest. Thomas Gouch Clerk

order for  
comm to  
App. Guardian

partners trading as Hardt & Kreefer have lately exhibited their Bill of Complaint before us in the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity Against Dawson V. Hammond Extr of Tho. Hammond and Others. And Whereas We have by our writ lately commanded the said defendant to appear before us 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 Mollie K. Griffith, Thomas Griffith, Rezin Griffith, Lyde Griffith Jr. Harry Griffith, Jennie Griffith and Johnson Griffith 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 we 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 we 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 to 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 Evangelists to be administered by You, the said answer 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 us in said Court. - Witness the Honorable Richard J Bowie Chief Judge of said Court the 19th day of February, Anno Domini 1877, - issued the 4th day of April 1877. Jest. Thomas Gouch Clerk

answer of  
Dawson V.  
Hammond