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cert one 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 Oath, and that upon the State Evangelists to be administered by you, the said answer being duly 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 16th day of September Anno Domini, 1878

Issued the 19th day of Sept. 1878

Test

Thomas Gorsuch, Clerk.

Wm. A. Brightwell & Susannah Brightwell his wife
vs
Samuel A. Emry, John W. Emry et al

No. 4385 Equity
In the Circuit Court for Frederick County
Sitting in Equity

Guardian's Commission

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 Power thereby vested in me, I did, on the 19. day of Sept. A.D. 1878, assign and appoint Clayton O Keedy, Esq of Frederick County, Guardian to the infants named in said Commission, and take the Answer of 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 19th day of September A.D., 1878.

C. C. Pickrodt (Seal)
Commissioner

Answer of Infant Defts.

The answer of Alice Ham, Laura Ham, Kenly Ham, Annie Ham and Mary Butler, infants under the age of twenty-one years, by Clayton O Keedy, their Guardian, to the Bill of Complaint of William A Brightwell & wife, filed 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 in the Bill, and being infants of tender years, submit their rights to the protection of this Court

Clayton O Keedy
Guardian

Guardian's Oath

On this 19 day of September A.D. 1878, the above named Clayton O. Keedy appeared before me, the Commissioner, and made oath that the matters and things stated in the foregoing Answer are true, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

C. C. Pickrodt,
Commissioner.