

No. 4408 Equity

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 aforesaid 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 Gospel, to be administered by you, the said answer being distinctly and plainly written; and when you shall have taken said answer, 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. Bourne, Chief Judge of said Court the seventeenth day of February, Anno Domini, 1879

Issued the first day of May, 1879

Tell

Thomas Corauck, Clerk

Filed May 1st 1879

Joseph J. Fox and wife et al
vs
George Harkness and wife et al

No. 4408 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

Guardian's
Commission

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 10th day of May A. D. 1879, assign and appoint Edward Young Esq. of Frederick County, Guardian to the infant named in said Commission; and took the answer of said infant by his 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 first day of May, A. D., 1879

Adolphus Fearhake Jr
Commissioner

Filed May 1st 1879

Answer of
Infant's Reply

The Answer of Marcella M. Fawcett, Clara S. Hanner, Alice S. Hanner, Annie M. Hanner and Emma S. Hanner, infants under the age of twenty-one years, by Edward Young Guardian, to the Bill of Complaint of Joseph J. Fox and wife et al against them in the Circuit Court for Frederick County sitting as a Court of Equity (Exhib. Dec.)

These defendants cannot admit any of the matters and things alleged in the Bill, and being infants of tender years, submit their replies to the jurisdiction of this Court.

Edward Young, Guardian

4th May 1st 1879

Guardian's
oath

On this 1st day of May A. D. 1879, the abovesaid Edward Young, Guardian appeared before me, the Commissioner and in deponeth that the matters and things stated in the foregoing answer are true to the best of his knowledge and belief

Adolphus Fearhake Jr
Commissioner

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