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which said answer, with said Commission, is hereunto returned, closed, under my hand and seal this 23rd day of September A. D. 1881.

Alfred Ritter (Seal)
Commissioner

Answer of Infant Defendants

The Answer of G. Bussard, Samuel P. Bussard, Margaret C. Bussard, Martha A. Bussard, John H. Bussard, Ida B. Bussard, infants under the age of twenty-one years, by William H. Hilleary, their Guardian, to the Bill of Complaint of Martin T. Bussard, 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.

Wm. H. Hilleary, Guardian

Guardian's Affidavit

On this 23rd day of September, A. D. 1881, the above named William H. Hilleary 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.

Filed Sept 23, 1881

Alfred Ritter, Commissioner

Martin T. Bussard
vs.
George H. Bussard, Samuel P. Bussard and others

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In the Circuit Court for Frederick County in Equity.

To Adolphus Leonhake Jr. Esq
Clerk of Ct of Ct for Frederick County

Order to issue Com. to take testimony

Issue in the above entitled Cause, a Commission to William B. Nelson and John E. R. Nevil Esqs. standing Commissioners, a Commission to take testimony on the part of the Complainant.

Wm. J. Rose
Chas W. Rose
Sols for Complainant

Filed Sept 23, 1881

PLACE OF SEAL

MARYLAND, SCt.

The State of Maryland. To W. B. Nelson and Jno. E. R. Nevil Esquires of Frederick County, Greeting.

Be it known, That you are appointed Commissioners to examine Evidences in a Cause depending in the Circuit Court for Frederick County as a Court of Equity between Martin T. Bussard, Complainant, and George H. Bussard, Samuel P. Bussard, Margaret C. Bussard, Martha A. Bussard, John H. Bussard and Ida B. Bussard, Defendants, (You are therefore required) having first taken the Oath hereunto annexed and also administered the annexed Oath to the person whom you shall appoint as Clerk to attend the execution of this Commission, that at such time and place as to you shall seem convenient, you cause to come before you all such Evidences as shall be named and produced to you by either the Complainant or Defendant, and that you examine them on their Corporal Oaths, to be by you administered upon the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, touching their knowl-