

No. 5984. Equity.

to answer the Bill and Complaint of Allen Sparrow et al. surviving mortgages against you et al. in said Court exhibited, and as forth.

Should fail you not, as you will answer the contrary at your peril.



Witness, the Honorable James H. Chase, Chief Justice of the said Court, the 4th day of July A.D. 1892. Donec the 1st day of September A.D. 1892.

John B. Jordan Clerk

To the Sheriff of Frederick County.

Public Administrator 5th 1892 (U.S. & M.)

Enclosed, Summoned and Copy of Subpoena left with Sarah E. Croff Mother of said infant. Wm. S. Cromwell Esq.

Petition for Appointment of Guardian ad litem for Katie Croff.

Allen Sparrow, Loyal N. Wyatt et al.

No. 5984. Equity.

Sarah E. Croff widow et al.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity.

To the Honorable, the Judges of said Court: - The Petition of the Plaintiffs in the above entitled case respectfully shows unto your Honors that Katie Croff the additional infant defendant in the above case has been duly returned and summoned but being an infant she can not answer and defend this suit, wherefore your Petitioners pray your Honors to appoint a Guardian ad litem to answer and defend this suit for said infant.

And as in duty bound  
Wm. S. Cromwell & Wm. S. Cromwell  
Solicitors for Petitioners

Ordered this 6 day of September A.D. 1892, by the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity, that Joseph W. Caver be and he is hereby appointed Guardian ad litem to appear and answer for Katie Croff the above named infant defendant.

Just M. Sheriff

Answer of Guardian ad litem

Answer of Joseph W. Caver Guardian ad litem, Allen Sparrow et al.

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In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity.

The Answer of Katie Croff an infant under the age of twenty-one years, by Joseph W. Caver Guardian ad litem, to the Bill of Complaint of Allen Sparrow et al. against her et al. in the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity exhibited, this Defendant cannot admit any of the matters and things alleged in the Bill and being an infant of tender years, submits her rights to the protection of this Court.

Public Administrator 6th 1892.

Joseph W. Caver Guardian ad litem