

the said stock to be transferred to, and held by and * in the name of the said trustees for the uses, intents and purposes **414** in the proceedings mentioned, and the interest or dividends thereon, as the same may become due and be collected, shall be paid by them unto the said Ann, the wife of the said Samuel, during her natural life; and after her death the said bank stock shall be disposed of and pass as is directed by the last will and testament of the testator. And for the purpose of making such investment, the money will be directed to be paid to the trustees when required, Provided that a copy of this order, together with a copy of the foregoing petition, be served on the said trustees on or before the twentieth day of February next.

The trustee Stockett, on the 16th of March, 1826, reported that he had received another sum of \$1,900, and requested to be authorized to invest that sum also; and said, that he had no interest adverse to that of the plaintiff's; and therefore was willing that the investment should be made as proposed, if the Court thought the fund secure.

BLAND, C., 18th March, 1826.—Ordered, that the said trustees be and they are hereby authorized and directed to invest the additional sum of about \$1,900 received lately by one of them, as stated, in stock of the Bank of Westminster, upon the terms and as prescribed by the order of the 20th of January last. And no cause having been shewn against the execution of the said order, the same is hereby declared to be absolute; and the said trustees are directed to invest the said sums of money accordingly.

The trustees Stockett and Wayman reported that they had, as ordered, purchased stock in the Bank of Westminster at \$1 per share above par, that is to say, that they had purchased capital stock to the amount of \$3,330 for the sum of \$3,552 in money. Which they prayed might be confirmed; and that the moneys deposited in Court might be applied accordingly.

BLAND, C., 20th April, 1826.—Ordered, that the said report be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed; and the register is directed to draw a check on The Farmers Bank of Maryland for the whole sum of money which has been deposited, or so much thereof as now remains to the credit of this case, in favor of the said trustees or either of them, or for so much thereof as they or either of them may require for the purpose of its being applied as stated in the said report.

* The parties agreed, that the case should be referred to the auditor to state an account of assets, &c. And of the **415**