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**IN CHANCERY,**  
6th February, 1855.  
Carter Cithauden

George K. Hooper, William Van Dalsen, and William A. McKim.

**THE** object of the bill filed in this cause is to obtain a decree for the appointment of a trustee in the place and stead of the defendant, George K. Hooper, and that such trustee bring into this court the monies claimed under the deed of trust hereinafter mentioned, to the end that thereunto the complainant may be satisfied the amounts and interest and the costs of this suit.

The bill states, that the said William A. McKim heretofore made to the said William Van Dalsen, and delivered to him his said McKim's three promissory notes, copies of which are exhibited with the said bill, and which said notes are now held by complainant, having been duly passed to him for full and valuable consideration, and remaining unpaid, although the payment of each, as it became due, was demanded according to the terms of such note—that the said William A. McKim heretofore by deed conveyed to the said George K. Hooper, all his said McKim's interest and share and proportion, in and of the estate, real and personal, of his deceased uncle, Samuel McKim, late of Baltimore, in trust, in the first place to secure payment of the promissory note of which the aforesaid Exhibit marked A is a copy, and afterwards of all liabilities, debts and claims, due and owing by said McKim for, or on which said Van Dalsen was liable and responsible—that said William A. McKim, for said interest, share or proportion of his uncle's said estate, is entitled to a large sum of money, which complainant insists said claims should be applied to pay the said three promissory notes, as being provided for by said deed of trust, and they being, as complainant avers, the note in the first place provided for as aforesaid, and all the debts, liabilities and claims, due and owing by said William A. McKim, in said deed of trust mentioned—that said George K. Hooper, (as is also the fact, in relation to said McKim and Van Dalsen), resides out of the state of Maryland, and complainant, being desirous to obtain payment of his said demands on said promissory notes from the avails of said trust, is in consequence of said George K. Hooper not residing in Maryland, and not acting as trustee, as he might if a resident aforesaid, and not having acted as such at all but omitting altogether so to act, delayed in receiving payment as aforesaid, and cannot have his rights in the premises duly and promptly ascertained and adjusted in an effective and binding manner.

It is thereupon Ordered, That the complainant by causing a copy of this order to be published in some newspaper once in each of three successive weeks before the 10th day of March next, give notice to the said non-resident defendants, George K. Hooper, William Van Dalsen, and William A. McKim, of the substance and object of the bill, that they may be warned to appear in this court in person, or by a solicitor, on or before the 6th day of July next, to show cause, if any they have, why a decree should not be passed at right.

Test, W. M. S. GREEN, Ck.  
January 4. 3m.

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N. B. Will the Editors of papers be so good as to insert the above, and by so doing they will confer a great favour on an aged man, with a large family.  
**W. M. CATON.**  
Annapolis, Md. Sept. 12th 1857.

**ANNE-ARUNDEL COUNTY, Set.**  
On application to Nicholas Brewer, Esquire, Chief Justice of the Orphans Court of Anne-Arundel county, by petition in writing of Peter McRoberts, of Anne-Arundel county, stating that he is now in actual confinement, and praying for the benefit of the act of the General Assembly of Maryland, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at December session 1805, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms therein mentioned, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, so far as he can ascertain the same, being annexed to his said petition, and the said Peter McRoberts having satisfied me by competent testimony that he has resided two years within the state of Maryland immediately preceding the time of his application, and the said Peter McRoberts having taken the oath by the said act prescribed for the delivering up his personal appearance at the county court of Anne-Arundel county, to answer such interrogatories and allegations as may be made against him, and having appointed Beale Gaither his trustee, who has given bond as such, and received from said Peter McRoberts a conveyance and possession of all his property real, personal and mixed—I do hereby order and adjudge, that the said Peter McRoberts be discharged from imprisonment, and that he give notice to his creditors by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Anne-Arundel county, once a week for three consecutive months, before the third Monday in April next, to appear before the said county court at the court house of said county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said Peter McRoberts should not have the benefit of the said act, and supplements, as prayed. Given under my hand this twenty-seventh day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven.

**NICH'S BREWER,**  
Chief Judge of the Orphans Court, Anne-Arundel County.

Test, **W. M. S. GREEN, Ck.**  
December 20 3m.

**Anne-Arundel County, Set.**  
On application to the Judges of Anne-Arundel County Court, by petition, in writing, of William Murdock, of Anne-Arundel county, stating that he is now in actual confinement, and praying for the benefit of the act of the General Assembly of Maryland, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at December session 1805, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms therein mentioned, a schedule of his property and a list of his creditors, on oath, so far as he can ascertain the same, being annexed to his petition, and the said William Murdock having satisfied me by competent testimony that he has resided two years within the state of Maryland immediately preceding the time of his application, and the said William Murdock having taken the oath by the said act prescribed for the delivering up his personal appearance at the county court of Anne-Arundel county, to answer such interrogatories and allegations as may be made against him, and having appointed Robert Welch of Ben. his trustee, who has given bond as such, and received from said William Murdock a conveyance and possession of all his property, real, personal and mixed, it is therefore hereby ordered and adjudge, that the said William Murdock be discharged from imprisonment, and that he give notice to his creditors by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Anne-Arundel county, once a week for three consecutive months before the third Monday of April next, to appear before the said county court at the court house of said county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said William Murdock should not have the benefit of the said act and supplements, as prayed. Given under my hand this 24th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven.

Test, **W. M. S. GREEN, Ck.**  
January 4. 3m.

**JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS**  
Of the House of Delegates of the State of Maryland,  
DECEMBER SESSION, 1857.

**WEDNESDAY, February 28th.**  
The speaker announced the following message as having been received from the senate on yesterday, viz—

The bill, to allow Thomas Perry, former sheriff of Charles county, further time to complete his collections.

Also, the bill, for the relief of Basil D. Hall, of Anne Arundel county.

And, the bill, to authorise Philemon Warfield, of Anne Arundel county, further time to complete his collections.

Severally endorsed, "will pass," and the bills severally ordered to be engrossed.

And delivered a bill, originated in and passed by the senate, entitled, a supplement to an act, to incorporate the Trustees of Prince Frederick town Academy, in Calvert county.

Mr. Giles, presented a petition of Frederika Meyer, of the city of Baltimore, praying to be divorced from her husband, George Meyer.

Also, a petition of Margaret M. Dickehu, of the city of Baltimore, praying to be divorced from her husband, Henry F. Dickehu.

Mr. Giles, also a memorial of George Stonebraker, Moir and Hopkins, and others, of the city of Baltimore, praying for an act to incorporate the Lombard Hotel company.

Mr. Carter, a petition of William Orrall, Joshua Clark, and Edward B. Hardecastle, of Caroline county, praying to be discharged from the payment of certain interest therein mentioned.

Mr. Wilmer, a petition of John Tilghman and others, trustees of the poor for Queen Anne's county, praying for the repeal of certain laws therein mentioned.

And, Mr. Hopewell, a petition of Peregrine H. Jones, of St. Mary's county, praying further compensation for the condemnation of a part of his land, as a public road.

On motion of Mr. Parrah, the house took up for consideration the bill reported by Mr. Kent, entitled, an act for the encouragement of Primary schools in Calvert county.

The said bill was then read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

Mr. McDaniel, from the committee on corporations, made a favourable report upon the bill from the senate, entitled, a supplement to an act, to incorporate the Trustees of Prince Frederick town Academy in Calvert county.

The said bill was then read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

Mr. Giles called for a revision of the question, which was put on striking out—and

Determined in the negative.

The question then recurred and was put, on the amendment as offered by Mr. Causin—and

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Williams, said bill was amended by inserting after the words "two thousand dollars," in the fifth line thereof, the following:—"to be in full for all services," the law does now or may hereafter require said officer to perform."

On motion of Mr. White, said bill was further amended by inserting after and at the end of the amendment just adopted, the following, "and they are hereby required to reside at the seat of government."

The said bill was then read the second time as amended, and passed.

On motion of Mr. Giles, the house resumed the consideration of the unfinished order of yesterday, being the report submitted by Mr. Alexander, chairman of the committee on ways and means, on the 8th ultimo, in relation to the subscription of the State to certain internal improvement companies.

The house again resolved itself into a committee of the whole house upon said report, (Mr. Maulsby, being in the chair), and after some time spent in committee, the speaker resumed the chair, and the chairman reported that the said committee had, in obedience to order, had said report again under consideration, and having made some progress therein, had directed him to ask leave to sit again, which leave was granted by the house.

The house adjourned until 4 o'clock, P. M.

**FOUR O'CLOCK, P. M.**  
The house met.  
Mr. Simmons, chairman of the committee on engrossed bills, delivered the following report:

The committee on engrossed bills beg leave to Report,

That they have carefully examined and compared the engrossed bills of the house of delegates, from number one to number seventy-three inclusive and also the engrossed bills of the senate from number seventy-four to ninety-three inclusive, with the originals thereof, as heretofore passed by both houses of the Legislature of Maryland since the commencement of the present session, and that they have found the same to be truly engrossed.

All which is respectfully submitted.  
**CEPHAS SIMMONS, Chairman.**  
The house adjourned until tomorrow morning ten o'clock.

**THURSDAY, March 1st.**  
Mr. Maulsby presented a petition of sundry citizens of Harford county, praying that mileage may be allowed to the county commissioners of said county.

Mr. Kent, a petition of sundry citizens of Calvert county, praying an alteration in the license laws.

And, Mr. Bowie, a petition of William Crown praying he may be placed on the pension roll of the county.

On motion of Mr. Causin, Ordered, that the committee on grievances and courts of justice enquire into the expediency of remodelling the judicial system of this State.

On motion of Mr. Giles, the house resumed the consideration of the unfinished business of yesterday, being the bill reported by Mr. Ford, entitled, a supplement to the act to fix and make permanent the salaries of certain officers of the civil government.

The question before the house being upon the motion to fill the blank in said bill

Mr. Williams's motion being to fill the blank with "thirty-five hundred," and Mr. Bowie's to fill the blank with "five thousand."

Mr. Simmons moved to refer said bill and amendments to the consideration of the next General Assembly.

Determined in the negative.

The question then recurred and was put, on filling the blank with "five thousand" (being the largest sum,) and

Determined in the negative.

Mr. White moved to fill the blank in said bill with "thirty-six hundred."

Mr. Beam moved to fill the blank with "forty five hundred."

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Townsend moved to fill the blank in said bill with "four thousand two hundred."

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Causin moved further to amend said bill by inserting after the word "dollars," in the fifth line thereof, the following—"and that the present Governor shall receive for the current year the salary of three thousand nine hundred and sixteen dollars."

Which was read.  
Mr. Simmons moved to amend said amendment by striking out "\$3,916," and inserting in lieu thereof "\$4,200."

The question then recurred upon the motion of Mr. Simmons, to amend the amendment as offered by Mr. Causin, by striking out "\$3,916," and inserting in lieu thereof "\$4,200."

Mr. Causin called for a revision of the question, which was put on striking out—and

Determined in the negative.

The question then recurred and was put, on the amendment as offered by Mr. Causin—and

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Williams, said bill was amended by inserting after the words "two thousand dollars," in the fifth line thereof, the following:—"to be in full for all services," the law does now or may hereafter require said officer to perform."

On motion of Mr. White, said bill was further amended by inserting after and at the end of the amendment just adopted, the following, "and they are hereby required to reside at the seat of government."

The said bill was then read the second time as amended, and passed.

On motion of Mr. Giles, the house resumed the consideration of the unfinished order of yesterday, being the report submitted by Mr. Alexander, chairman of the committee on ways and means, on the 8th ultimo, in relation to the subscription of the State to certain internal improvement companies; also, the report from the majority of said committee on the 10th ultimo, and the report from the minority of that committee, on the 17th of February.

Said reports were referred to the committee of the whole house.

On motion of Mr. Giles, The house again resumed itself into a committee of the whole house upon the unfinished order of yesterday, being the report submitted by Mr. Alexander, chairman of the committee on ways and means, on the 8th ultimo, in relation to the subscription of the State to certain internal improvement companies; also, the report from the majority of said committee on the 10th ultimo, and the report from the minority of that committee, on the 17th ultimo, upon the negotiation of a loan for the promotion of internal improvement; Mr. Maulsby being in the chair, and after some time spent in committee, the speaker resumed the chair, and the chairman reported that the said committee had, in obedience to order, had said reports under consideration, and had directed him to report the following resolutions for the consideration of the house.

Resolutions reported by the committee of the whole house.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the act for the promotion of internal improvements, passed in June 1830, chap. 395, provides that, upon the performance of certain conditions by the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, and the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company, "the treasurer of the western shore" shall subscribe to the capital stock of each of said companies, the sum of three millions of dollars; and pay for the same in the manner and upon the terms prescribed in said act.

Resolved, That the said conditions having been complied with, and the treasurer having subscribed to the stock of each of those companies the sum of three millions of dollars, as required by said act, the said subscriptions are now binding upon the State, if the sums necessary for the payment of the same can be obtained upon the terms and conditions therein mentioned.

Resolved, That according to those terms, certificates of stock or bonds of the State to the amount of eight millions of dollars, were to be sold by commissioners to be appointed for that purpose, at a premium of twenty per cent. and the money arising from the sale thereof to be paid into the treasury, and applied to the use of the different companies mentioned in said act, in the proportions and upon the conditions therein specified.

That the commissioners appointed to sell said bonds, entered into contracts with the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, and the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company, on the 31st day of March last, for the sale of a part of said bonds, amounting to three millions of dollars to each of said companies, which contracts have been so made as to leave it doubtful in what manner the money arising from said sale is to be applied, and whether in making such contracts with the said parties, the commissioners have complied with the intention and meaning of the said act of Assembly.

Resolved, That if the said contracts were set aside it would still be incumbent upon the State to renew and continue the attempt to dis-