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This would appear to be the document behind the entry in Loudoun Co order book T, p. 369. Why the decree had to be amended twice is beyond me. This order is dated in Feb 1800 and the entry for the same subject is dated 15 July 1800 in the order books. Mildred abstracted the order book on p. 106 in vol. 1 of her compilation.

By now, hopefully, no will be confused into thinking that just John Romine was an infant but will see that the word "infant" was used to refer to anyone under the age of 21.

Francis & others
vs
Rebeckah Romine
Amended decree
Feb 1800

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Upon inspecting the former proceedings and decree in this cause It appears to the Court that Sarah and Rebeckah Romine Infants under the age of 21 years were not made parties to the proceedings altho' they were the children of Jno. Romine decd. and equally intituled with his other children to a share of his said Estate. It is therefore decreed and ordered by and with the consent of the parties concern'd that the said Sarah and Rebeckah be made parties and defendts to the said suit, and that they be represented in the said suit and in the division of the said Estate by Rebackah Romine their mother and guardian ant it is further decreed and ordere'd that the Commissioners mentioned in the said decree together with Wm Woodferd who is hereby added thereto shall proceed to divided the Estate of the said Jno Romine decd agreeably to the spirit and

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content of a [insertion: the aid for the distribution of intestators estates among the widow & her children, excepting however they allott to the said Sarah and Rebeckah an equal share of the said Estate with the other children--The Commissioners or any three of them are hereby authorised to act and to report their proceedings herein to April Court next---

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 vs } Cond; Decree
Romine }
1800 feby 11th Ord.

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