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**New York State Court of Chancery (3rd Circuit) Clerk's
Register of Guardians, Committees, and Receivers J1054**

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Overview of the Records

Repository:	New York State Archives
Summary:	This series is a listing of information on cases in which a guardian, committee, or receiver was appointed by the Vice Chancellor in the Third Circuit.
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Arrangement

Chronological by appointment date.

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Administrative History

Chapter 12 of the Laws of 1788 gave the Court of Chancery the responsibility for overseeing the well-being and property of persons deemed idiots or lunatics and infant trustees (persons under the age of 21 whose person and estate are under the care of a trustee or guardian). This responsibility was extended to habitual drunkards by Chapter 109 of the Laws of 1821. Power to appoint a guardian for an infant was conferred by Chapter 106 of the Laws of 1815.

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Scope and Content Note

This series is a listing of information on cases in which a guardian, committee, or receiver was appointed by the Vice Chancellor in the Third Circuit. The information in this series is organized in columns. Each entry contains: the name(s) and place and county of residence of the infant, lunatic, or drunkard; the name(s) and place and county of residence of the appointed guardian, committee, or receiver; the date and amount of their bond; the name and place and county of residence of their surety; date of filing of the dependent's property inventory and annual reports of accountings; and notes regarding the case.

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Related Information

Related Material

J0054Series J0054, New York State Court of Chancery Register's Register of Guardians, Committees, and Receivers, is also in this volume.

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Other Finding Aids

Available at Repository

Alphabetical index to dependents' names is available at the repository.

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Use of Records

Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions regarding access to or use of this material.

Administrative Information

Custodial History

The Court of Appeals placed these records on deposit at the Historical Documents Collection, Queens College, from 1973 to 1982.

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Access Terms

- Adjudicating
- Courts
- Equity
- Judicial records
- New York (State)
- Guardian and ward
- New York (State). Court of Appeals
- New York (State). Court of Chancery (3rd Circuit)