

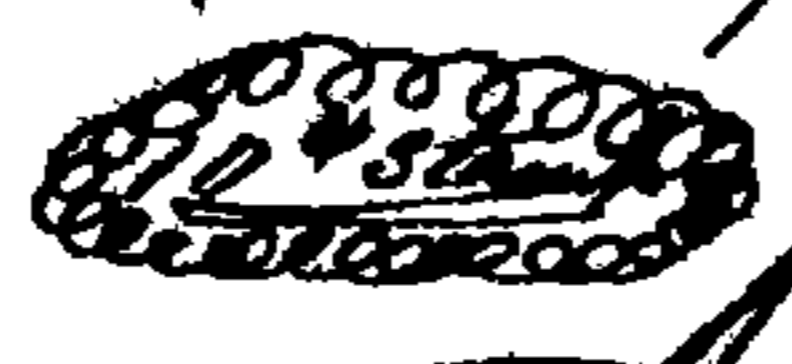
which was then returned viz: State of Maryland Frederick County to wit,

Be it remembered that on the 30th day of March 1837 personally appeared Henry Shefer before us two Justices of the peace in and for the County and State aforesaid and did acknowledge the foregoing instrument of writing to be his act and deed and the lands and premises therein described to be the right and Estate of the within named John Arnold his heirs and assigns forever according to the purport true intent and meaning thereof and the acts of Assembly in in such case made and provided. And at the same time and place also appeared before us Mary Shefer wife of Henry Shefer aforesaid and did sign and seal the foregoing deed and acknowledged the same to be her act and deed and the lands and premises therein mentioned to be the right and Estate of the aforesaid John Arnold his heirs and assigns forever who was also privately examined by us a part from and out of the hearing of her said husband and acknowledged that she doth make this acknowledgment of the same willingly and freely and without being induced thereto by fear or threats of ill usage by her said husband or fear of his displeasure, and we hereby certify that we are satisfied of our own knowledge that the said Henry Shefer and Mary Shefer his wife who appeared before us and made this acknowledgment as aforesaid are the persons named and described as and purporting to be the party grantor in the foregoing deed or instrument of writing. Acknowledged before and Certified by. -
J. G. Hightough Clerk
Emanuel Shefer

State of Maryland Frederick County, to wit:

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true copy of the original deed as recorded in Liber N. B. 3. to 3 folio 538^r one of the land records of Frederick County.

My testimony whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the seal of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, this 14th day of February A. D. 1860.



J. G. Hightough Clerk

At the request of John Arnold witness the following deed is recorded 24th March 1837 viz:

This indenture made this 19th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty, between John Locker of Frederick County in the State of Maryland of the one part and John Arnold, Jacob Hufferman and John Asherman of the County and State aforesaid of the other part, Witnesseth that the said John Locker for and in consideration of the sum of six hundred dollars current money of the United States to him in hand paid by the said John Arnold, Jacob Hufferman and John Asherman before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof, he the said John Locker doth hereby acknowledge & hath granted bargained, sold, aliened, conveyed and confirmed and by these presents doth grant, bargain, sell alien, convey and confirm unto the said John Arnold, Jacob Hufferman and John Asherman their heirs and assigns all that part of a tract of land lying and being in the County and State aforesaid, being part of a tract of land called The Recurvey or Masons Paddy beginning at a stone now planted marked A standing at or near the end of 6 1/4 perches on the 15th line of the whole tract called The Recurvey or Masons Paddy and running thence South 31 1/2 deg East 11 1/10 pt. to a stone planted South 8 deg East 10 perches to a stone planted at the end of the 8th line of John Shefer Sr deed for part of the said land North 57 deg East 20 perches North 30 deg West 20 1/4 perches to intersect the aforesaid 15th line of the Recurvey or Masons Paddy then with a straight line to the beginning stone containing two acres of land more or less, Together with all and singular the buildings, improvements, woods, ways, water courses & right, liberties, privileges, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining and the reversions and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof & all

Exhibit No. 7