

the same willingly and freely and without being induced thereto by fear or threats of or ill usage by her husband or fear of his displeasure. & had further that we personally know and recollect to be the person named in the foregoing instrument of writing.

Taken and certified the day and year above written.

Before Thomas Johnson of W^o
Jacob Thomas

State of Maryland Frederick County Jct^o

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original as recorded in Liber A. S. No. 9 folio 428 B. C. One of the Land Records of Frederick County.

Testimony whereof I hereunto set my name and affix the seal of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, this 2nd day of May 1864.

Perry G. Rice and Louisa Rice his wife, John Rice and Ann Rice his wife, Perry G. Thomas & Mary Thomas his wife and others.

A. W. S. Cady Clerk
No 3165 Equity

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, as a Court of Equity.

Benjamin Rice and Rebecca Rice his wife, Maria G. Lamar and Rebecca his wife, John Shindler and Sarah A. Shindler his wife and others.

February Term 1864.

The object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of so much of

the real Estate of Perry Rice, late of Frederick County, State of Maryland, dec^d as was devised by said deceased, to his wife Martha Rice, during her natural life, for the purpose of discharging the proceeds of sale, among the parties interested therein.

The bill states that said Perry Rice departed this life in the year A. D. 1841 and that said testator in his last will, devised to his said wife, certain tracts or parcels of land, being the farm bought of Benjamin Lamar and a tract of wood land in said County mentioned in said will. That said Martha Rice died on the 5th of April A. D. 1854. That said lands descended to the children of said testator on the death of said Martha Rice, that said testator had twelve children viz: Rebecca, Anna, Elizabeth, Perry G. Lewis, Benjamin, Mary, James, William, Thomas, Martha and George B. That said Rebecca married Samuel G. Lamar, and now resides in the state of Kentucky; that said Anna married Samuel Leckie and resides in Frederick County; that said Elizabeth married Eliza Rhodes, but she is now a widow and resides in Frederick County; that said Perry G. and Louisa his wife, reside in Frederick County; that said Lewis and Ann his wife, reside in Frederick County; that said Benjamin and Rebecca his wife, reside in the state of Indiana; that said Mary and Perry G. Thomas her husband, reside in Frederick County; that said James died prior to the year A. D. 1841, leaving three children viz: James W., Edward J. and Reuben D., that said James W. and Margaret his wife, Edward J. and Maria his wife and Reuben D., all reside in Frederick County; that said William died about ten years ago, leaving several children in the state of Ohio, whose names are unknown, and who of living, are adults; that said Thomas died about the year A. D. 1856, leaving three children viz: Perry A., Sarah A. and Mary A. that said Perry A. died in the year A. D. 1859, leaving a widow and several minor children, in the state of Pennsylvania, but whose names are unknown; that said Sarah A. married John Shindler and both reside in the state of Ohio; that said Mary A. married Schaeffer that she died about two years ago, leaving an infant child named Edward Schaeffer, who lives in Frederick County; that said Martha died about fifteen years ago, leaving eight children viz: George Willard married to Polly Cuggard and lives in Frederick County; Abraham

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