this James Sweeny containing about one hundred and three acres of land and adjoining lands of Joseph Culbertson, John Wolford, Samuel Motter and others situate in the fifth Election District of Frederick County in fee simple.

Witness my hand and seal,

Test. Geo. W. Trowell
J. E. Pearson

Mary E. Sweeny (Seal)

Which is thus Endorsed viz:

State of Maryland Frederick County to wit:

I hereby certify that on this fourth day of December in the year Eighteen hundred and fifty six before the subscriber a Justice of the peace in and for said County personally appeared Mary Elizabeth Sweeny and acknowledged the aforegoing deed to be her act.

George W. Trowell

State of Maryland Frederick County Set:

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy taken from the original deed recorded in Liber J. S. No 9 folio 250, One of the Land Records of Frederick County. In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of the Circuit Court for Frederick County this 18th day of September 1865.

Seal

Jno. L. Crouty Clerk

Subpoenas

Maryland Set:

The State of Maryland to James Sweeny and William W. Sweeny of Frederick County Greeting. You are hereby commanded that all excuses set apart, you personally appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity, to be held at the Court House in Fredericktown, in and for said County, on the first Monday of January next to answer the bill and Complaint of Thomas Smith and wife against you in our said Court exhibited and so forth. Hereof, fail you not as you will answer the contrary at your peril. Witness the Hon Madison Nelson, Judge of our said Court, the 3d day of July 1865. Issued the 18th day September 1865.

To the Sheriff of Frederick County

Jno. L. Crouty Clerk.

Rep.

Endorsed "Non Est".

Jno. A. Steiner Shiff

Subpoenas

Maryland Set:

The State of Maryland, to James Sweeny and William W. Sweeny of Frederick County, Greeting. You are hereby commanded that all excuses set apart, you personally appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting as a Court of Equity, to be held at the Court House in Fredericktown, in and for said County, on the first Monday of January next to answer the bill and Complaint of Thomas Smith and wife against you in our said Court exhibited and so forth. Hereof, fail you not, as you will answer the contrary at your peril. Witness the Hon Madison Nelson, Judge of our said Court, the 16th day of October 1865. Issued the 23d day of December 1865.

To the Sheriff of Frederick County.

Jno. L. Crouty Clerk.

Rep.

Endorsed "Summoned".

Wm. B. Adler Sheriff

Order of Publication

Thomas Smith and Francena Smith his wife vs James Sweeny Et al

No 3245 Equity.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County in Equity.

July Term 1865.

The object of this suit is to procure a decree for a sale of certain real estate in Frederick County State of Maryland of which a certain Christina Sweeny died, seized and possessed. The Bill states that a certain James Caldwell of Frederick County State of Maryland by his last will and testament devised certain

Answer of Jas. Sweeny