

Did said Mary E Shrove have a husband surviving her, if yes, is he living or dead, and if dead, when and where did he die

Answer— She did have a husband— He is dead— He died at the same place that my mother did in the autumn of the year 1861.

5th Int:

Did Mary E Shrove have any children surviving her at the time of her death, if yes, give their names, ages, residence, if any married, the names of their husbands and wives and if any of said children have since died, state which and when, and if any live children give the names of said deceased child or children's children their ages and place of residence— Also give the names, ages and residence of the children of Charles W Shrove and Anna O Shrove who married John E R Wood?

Answer: She did have children, viz— Daniel T Shrove, Benjamin F Shrove, Charles W Shrove, Thomas J Shrove, Mary Esther Shrove, Ann Olivia Shrove and Arthur B Shrove. All of said children now living are over twenty one years of age and reside in the State of Maryland, except Arthur B Shrove who has been residing in the State of Missouri, but now deponent believes, is residing in the State of New York. Daniel T Shrove who is now dead married in his life time, Margaret E Jones who is now living, Charles W Shrove, this deponent is married to Ann E Jones who is now living, and Thomas J Shrove, who is now dead, was in his lifetime, married to Rosalie Tilghman who is now living and Anna O Shrove is married to John E R Wood, and she and her husband are now alive, Benjamin F Shrove and Arthur B Shrove are living and have never married— Mary E Shrove died unmarried without issue, about the year 1862 or 1863. Daniel T Shrove died in the Autumn of 1873 leaving the following children viz: Richard T Shrove, Ann J Shrove, Daniel T J Shrove, Benjamin Shrove, and Belle Shrove, which last mentioned (Belle) died in the autumn of the year 1878. Carroll A Shrove, Thomas J Shrove, Bernard Shrove and Margaret E Shrove— all of them are alive except said Belle Shrove, and are all infants under the age of twenty one years, except Richard T Shrove who is over twenty one years of age, and they all reside in the State of Maryland. Thomas J Shrove died in the year 1869 or 1870 leaving the following children viz: Oswald T Shrove and Arthur L Shrove, both are infants under twenty one years of age, and reside in the State of Maryland. The children of deponent Charles W Shrove are Fanny B Shrove, Charles E Shrove, Thomas B Shrove, Richard B Shrove, Mary E Shrove, Anna B Shrove, Grafton D Shrove, Edward H Shrove and William A Shrove— they are all infants and reside in the State of Maryland. The children of Anna O Shrove, now the wife of John E R Wood are Paul S Wood, Mary E Wood, John Wood and Roger B Wood they are all infants and reside in Frederick County Maryland.

6th Int:

Has said Mary E Shrove seized and possessed of any real estate at the time of her death if yes, how much, and what was it, where situated, and what is it now worth?

Answer: She was possessed of real estate situated in Montgomery and Frederick Counties in the State of Maryland— Seven hundred and six and a half acres of land being in Montgomery County and one hundred and four acres of land being in Frederick County. It is farming lands and woodlands, and is worth about fifteen thousand dollars.

7th Int:

Look at the papers now shown you being No 159 Equity in the Circuit Court for Montgomery County for the year 1866, the case of Daniel T Shrove and others Complainants against Anna O Shrove and Arthur B Shrove defendants and filed as an exhibit in this case, and state whether the lands of Mary E Shrove of which she died seized and possessed in the State of Maryland are described in said papers?

Answer: I look at said papers, The lands left by Mary E Shrove of which I have spoken are the lands described in said papers.