NON-RESIDENT NOTICE.

David Davis
vs
Absalom C. Tennisson,
Julia Sophia Tennisson,
Harry J. Miles &
Wm. B. Read.

In the Circuit Court for Saint Mary's County, sitting as a Court of Equity.

No 417 N. E.

THE object of this Bill is to procure a decree to set aside a certain deed from Henry F. Kerner and Ann M., his wife, and David Davis to William B Read, and a certain other deed from Wm B Read to Julia Sophia Tennisson, and for the sale of the Real Estate therein described, located on Smith's Creek in Saint Mary's County, Maryland, called and known as

OYSTERMAN'S RETREAT,

AND CONTAINING TWENTY-FIVE ACRES, MORE OR LESS.

The Bill states in substance, that in 1867 a certain Henry F Kerner sold and agreed to convey to a certain Wm B Read the aforesaid land at and for the sum of $1,500, the said Read paying to the said Kerner on account of said consideration the sum of $1,100, leaving the sum of $400 to be paid by the said Read to the said Kerner at the expiration of five years, to wit:—on the 12th day of October, 1872, that on or about the 7th day of September, 1870, a certain David Davis purchased said claim and vendor's lien of $400 from said Kerner, who, with his wife, conveyed to the said Davis all their interest in and to the aforesaid land.

The Bill further states, that after the aforesaid balance of purchase money became due, the said Davis called upon said Read for the payment thereof, when the said Davis was informed by said Read that he had sold said land to one A. C. Tennisson; that subsequently the said Davis was told by said Tennisson that the deed from Kerner and wife to said Davis was of no account, and that he, the said Tennisson, would give him, the said Davis, $250 in cash for his claim against said property, which, in view of said Tennisson's statement, he agreed to accept, and signed a deed, without having read the same, to which were already the signatures of Kerner and wife for said property.

The Bill further states, that the said $250 were not paid to the said Davis by the said Tennission, but that instead of the cash as promised, he gave him, the said Davis, a draft or order on Messrs. Miles & Roberts, Commission Merchants, which he was induced to take; that the said Miles & Roberts were at the time insolvent, and did not then and never have paid the said sum of money to the said Davis and that the deed from Kerner and wife, which the said Davis was induced to sign, was not made to the said Tennisson as he supposed, but to the said Wm B Read, and by him the said property was conveyed to Julia Sophia Tennisson, the wife of A C Tennisson.

The Bill further states, that the said Harry J Miles and Wm B Read are non-residents of the State of Maryland.

It is thereupon ordered this 8th day of February, 1876, the Complainant, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Saint Mary's Beacon, once in each of four successive weeks, three months before the 10TH DAY OF JUNE, 1876, give notice to the said absent and non-resident Defendants of the object and substance of this Bill, and warn them to appear in this Court, in person or by solicitor, on or before the said 10th day of June, in the year 1876, to answer the premises and show cause, if any they have, why a decree should not pass as prayed.

J FRANK FORD,
Clerk.

True copy—Test:
J FRANK FORD,
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Feb 10, 1876—4w.

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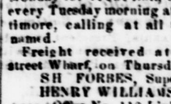

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Jan 20, 1875—tf.

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of

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Feb. 3, 1876—ts.

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June 8, 75—1m.

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Oct 8, 1874—1y.

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Jan 6, 1876—tf

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Dec 23 1875—tf.

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Test: JAS T H MATTY,
Register Wills of St Mary's county.

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Jan 6, 1876—6w.

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Aug 12, 1875—tf.

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LEONARDTOWN,

Jan 26, 1871—tf. MD.

JAS. H. WILSON,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

LEONARDTOWN,

Feb 10, 1870—tf.

D. S. BRISBOE,

Attorney & Counsellor-at-Law,

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Jan 16, 1873—tf.

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