particularly whether he was not seised of a tract of land lying in Frederick County originally called the Discovery, and whether he did not take out a Warrant of resurvey thereon, And if on such resurvey he did not obtain Patent and if he did not execute to James Dickson a Bond of conveyance of one moiety, or how much thereof. Whether the bond filed and exhibited herewith is not a true copy of the original bond he executed to James Dickson, or if he executed any other and what Bond, And if he made any other and what contract touching the said Land with the said James Dickson, and when, and that the same be set forth, and that he set forth, whether the said James Dickson paid him and what consideration and when, for the land agreed to be conveyed in the aforesaid Bond, or if any part of the consideration and how much yet remains unpaid, and if he hath any Bond, note or Instrument of writing of the said James Dickson relative to the purchase money of the said Land, If the said James Dickson is not dead without issue or wife living, and if your Orator is not his brother and heir at Law, and that he be decreed to convey the said moiety according to the Bond aforesaid to your Orator in fee simple together with such further and other relief in the premises, as your Orators case may deserve; May it please your Honour to grant your Orator the States writ of Subpoena to the said Frederick Haffner directed, commanding him at a certain day and under a certain pain to be and appear before your Honor in this Court there to stand to, and abide by such order and Decree in the Premises as to your Honor shall seem meet &c.

Philip B. Key for Compltt.

Exhibit No. 1.

Know all men by these presents that I Frederick Haffner of Frederick County farmer am held and firmly bound unto James Dickson of Frederick Town in the County aforesaid in the just and full sum of Nine hundred pounds Sterling money of Great Britain to be paid unto the said James Dickson his heirs Executors, Administrators or assigns to the which payment well and truly to be made and done I bind myself my heirs Executors and administrators

firmly by these presents, sealed with my seal and dated this 11th day of May one thousand Seven hundred and sixty four. 1764

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Frederick Haffner his heirs Executors or administrators do and shall well and truly convey and make over unto the above named James Dickson his heirs Executors or administrators by a good and sufficient Deed of one full half of the Resurvey on the Discovery and now patented and called Haffner's Choice on or before the first day of July next ensuing the date hereof, Then the above obligation to be void and of no effect, else to be and remain in full force and virtue in Law —

Sealed and Delivered In presence of
(Signed) Stephen West
(Signed) Chris. Edelen

It is to be remembered that before signing and sealing, it is agreed that out of the above Tract, one hundred acres shall be laid off for Daniel Madeles, and then one half of the remainder is to be conveyed to James Dickson —

(Signed) Frederick Haffner (Seal)

(The above is a true Copy taken from the original Bond in the possession of George Dickson —

Whereupon accordingly issued Sub pena against the said Frederick Haffner returnable to the next Court, at which next Court to wit October Term Seventeen hundred and ninety Two, came the Sheriff of Frederick County and made return of said Subpoena thus endorsed "Summoned" And the said Cause so standing continued until May Term Seventeen hundred and ninety six the Complainant by his Sollicitor suggested the death of the Defendant and filed in Court his Bill of Revivor in the words following, to wit

To the Honorable Alexander Contee Hanson Esquire Chancellor of Maryland —

Your Orator George Dickson of Frederick County Sheweth That your Orator heretofore exhibited his Bill of Complaint in this Court against a certain Frederick Haffner of same County to compel the conveyance of a moiety of a tract of Land called Haffners Choice to your Orator in fee as