Emanuel Stansbury, all the doings of which said Joseph, Emanuel and Jane Stansbury are contrary to Equity. To the end therefore that said Jane Joseph and Emanuel may on their Corporal oaths answer the premises as particularly and fully as if again here repeated and they were thereto particularly interrogated. That said pretended assignment may be declared to be void and of no effect that said Leasehold may be declared to be vested in your orator, that said Defendants may be decreed and ordered to deliver up the possession of said pretended assignment to be Cancelled and of the said Leasehold Estate to your Orator. that said Emanuel and Jane and Joseph may render an account of the rents and profits of said Estate by them or any of them heretofore before and after the death of said John Lamb received and to pay over to your Orators such sum as shall be found due to him on taking an account, and that said defendants may deliver up all deeds and writing relating relating to said Estate, and that said Defendants may render an account of the personal Estate of said Lamb which has come to their hands and may be directed to pay over the same to your orator, and that your orator may have such further and other relief as his case may require &c.

May it please your Honors to grant unto your Orator the State of Maryland writ of Subpoena against said Joseph Stansbury of Carroll County Maryland, and Emanuel Stansbury and Jane Stansbury his wife of Baltimore City Commanding them to appear in this Court on some certain day to be therein named and answer the premises on their Corporal oaths and abide by and perform such decree as may be passed therein & as &c.

James M Buchanan
John Sell Cullot
Compltts Solrs

The State of Maryland to Joseph Stansbury of Carroll County Greeting

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We command and enjoin you, that all excuses set aside you be in your person before the Judges of Baltimore County Court at the Court house in said County on the first day of July next to answer the Complaint of George Gelback administrator of John Lamb dec^d against you in the said Court exhibited, Hereof fail not as you will answer the Contrary at your peril. Witness the Honorable Stevenson Archer Chief Judge of our said Court the 1st day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty four. Issued the 11th day of June 1844.

Thos Kell Clk

Received the 19th day of June 1844 and forthwith delivered the same to the Sheriff of Carroll Co.

Jacob Shower Clk.

Summoned I H Hoffe Shff

The State of Maryland To Emanuel Stansbury and Jane Stansbury his wife of Baltimore County Greeting

Seal

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Thos Kell Clk

Sum^d Amb^s N Tracy Shff

The Separate answer of Joseph Stansbury of Carroll County to the Bill of Complaint of George Gelback administrator of John Lamb recently filed against him and others in this Honorable Court This Respondent having to himself all manner of exceptions to the various errors imperfections and informalities of the said Bill of Complaint for answer thereunto or to so much thereof as he is advised that it is material for him to answer says, that he knows nothing of the various matters alleged in the Complainants Bill except that he was appointed by the deed of trust referred to therein Trustee for Mrs Emanuel Stansbury in whose favor said deed was executed that he knows nothing of the fraud and Contrivance alleged in said Bill against all the Defendants. but on the Contrary believes and charges that said deed was signed and executed by the said Lamb of his own free will, without any influence Contrivance or fraud of any description exerted towards him the said Lamb by any person or persons, so far as this Respondent is concerned he expressly denies all the allegations in said Bill and puts the Complainant to proof of the same, and he expressly denies that he this Respondent in any form or shape exercised any influence over the said Lamb, but on the Contrary he knows and charges that at the time of the execution of said deed said Lamb was perfectly sound in mind though weak and sick in body and that he executed the same freely and voluntarily with a perfect knowledge of what he was doing else this Respondent would not have consented to accept the said Trust

And he prays to be hence dismissed with his costs &c.

Witness William Stewart Joseph Stansbury

Wm F Frick Sol^r for Joseph Stansbury.

State of Maryland Baltimore City Set on this twenty eighth day of June A. D. 1844 before me the subscriber a Justice of the peace of the State of Maryland in and for the City aforesaid personally appeared Joseph Stansbury and made oath that the matters and facts stated in the aforegoing answer are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Sworn to Before me William Stewart

The Joint and several answer of Emanuel Stansbury and Jane Stansbury his wife to the Bill of Complaint of George Gelback administrator of John Lamb recently filed against them and Joseph Stansbury in this Honorable Court.

These Defendants saving to themselves the benefit of all manner of exceptions to the said Bill of Complaint and to the manifold errors imperfections and informalities thereof for answer thereunto, or to so much thereof as they are advised that it is material for them to answer say That they admit that the said John Lamb was at one time, in his life time the owner of the Lot of Ground and premises, referred to in said Bill that previous to his death, on the fourteenth of February A. D. 1841 he executed a deed of the said property to Joseph Stansbury brother of