State of Maryland, St. Mary's County, to wit:

I hereby certify that on this 4th day of May 1871, before the Subscriber, a Justice of the Peace, in and for St. Mary's County Maryland, personally appeared John T. Norris, and acknowledged the foregoing deed to be his act.

Walter L Dent, J.P.

State of Maryland, St. Mary's County to wit:

On this 4th day of May 1871 personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for St. Mary's County, Maryland, John L. Lancaster, the mortgagee named in the within deed, and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that the consideration in said mortgage is true and bona fide, as therein set forth.

Walter L Dent, J.P.