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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

This document was promptly delivered to Congress on the meeting of that body on Monday. It being toolengthy for our columns, we present to our readers the following synopsis of its contents with some comments from the Baltimore *Sun:*

After prefacing that the past year has been one of "peace and plenty," the President begins his message by saying that it is to be regretted, however, that a free exercise of the elective franchise has by violence and intimidation been denied to citizens, in exceptional cases, in several of the States lately in rebellion, and the verdict of the people has thereby been reversed." It is to be regretted that the President should have felt it incumbent to make a statement which is obviously intended as an apology for the odious congressional election law and of the "precautionary measures" adopted by the government at some of the recent State elections. We believe that the cases in which the free exercise of the elective franchise in any part of the country was "by violence or intimidation denied" were indeed "exceptional," and for that reason we doubt whether in any case "the verdict of the people was reversed thereby." Now if we recall the magnitude of the military preparations in New York city, and the use made of the marines in Philadelphia, does it appear that the President's apprehensions at the time of the obstruction of the elective franchise by violence or intimidation were confined to "the States lately in rebellion."

Casting his eyes abroad, the President briefly states the steps taken in consequence of the European war, both to insure the neutrality of our own people, as well as to maintain our cordial relations with both of the belligerents, between whom the President observes that this government stands ready to employ its good offices whenever there is reason to believe that by their means the war can be shortened one hour. It is highly probable that the war will be closed without our mediation.

The first topic upon which the message enlarges to any extent is the importance of the acquisition of San Domingo, which is urged with great earnestness and from a variety of points of view. The same considerations and arguments formed the staple last session of a special message upon the subject. What the President asks for now is authority to appoint a commission to negotiate for the acquisition of the whole island.

In connection with foreign affairs, some Mexican custom arrangements, extradition treaties with the Central American States, the Venezuelan claims, the Tien-Tsin massacres, the rectification of our boundary line on the 44th parallel, the abolition of the mixed courts for the suppression of the slave trade, and the naturalization treaty recently negotiated with Great Britian come in each for a word of mention. The fishery troubles are next discussed more at length, and in a manner which will make this part of the message highly acceptable to Cape Cod. The President lays the blame upon "the semi-independent but irresponsible agent," known as the Dominion of Canada, and asks for authority, to suspend, by proclamation, the transit of goods, wares and merchandise in bond across the territory of the United States to Canada, and, if necessary, to exclude from the waters of the United States all Canadian vessels. Besides the unneighborly acts toward our fishermen complained of, allusion is made to the unfriendly disposition manifested on the part of Canada in the maintenance of a claim to exclude the citizens of the United States from a free navigation of the St. Lawrence. This, as our readers are aware, is an old story, having been the subject of negotiation between the governments of Great Britain and the United States as far back as 1818, and earlier.

The uuadjusted state of the Alabama claims against Great Britain is referred to only to say that the cabinet of that country appear unwilling to concede any negligence or act during our war by which the United States has justifiable complaint, and to suggest that authority be given for the settlement of the claims of our citizens by our own government, in order that the latter may have their ownership as well as the responsible control of all the demands against England.

The depressed state of the American shipping interests is alluded to, with the promise that several propositions shall be laid before Congress looking to a remedy for the evil. The message assumes that iron vessels cannot be built in this country without government assistance, and hints at the old exploded policy of encouraging ship building by means of bounties.

The evils of a fluctuating and depressed currency are deplored, as in the message a year ago, and it is suggested that, with the fall in the premium on gold, the time has probably come for wise legislation with the view of placing our currency once more on a specie basis.

On the subject of revenue reform the President says that "a true revenue reform cannot be made in a day, but must be the work of national legislation and of time. As soon as the revenue can be dispensed with, all duty should then be removed from coffee, tea and other articles of universal use not produced by ourselves.—The necessities of the country compel us to collect revenue from our imports. An army of assessors and collectors is not a pleasant sight to the citizen, but that or a tariff for revenue is necessary."

The reform of the franking privilege and adoption of the "correspondence card" in our postal system is recommended.

The policy inaugurated by the present administration of employing Friends and other missionary agencies for the purpose of civilizing and managing the Indians is declared to have worked well, and promises the best possible results.

The civil service reform also gets the benefit of the Executive approval. The following passage in the message will be hailed by all the advocates of that reform with especial pleasure, and if occasion should require hereafter, the President can remind the "adverse faction" of his words, and the propriety also of their embracing this wholesome policy of the people, in which the politicians have been left so far behind their uncorrupted and sovereign masters. Says the President sensibly and well:

"I respectfully call your attention to one abuse of long standing, which I would like to see remedied by this Congress.—It is a reform in the civil service of the country. I would have it go beyond the mere fixing of the tenure of office of clerks and employees who do not require the advice and consent of the Senate to make their appointments complete, I would have it to govern not the tenure, but the manner of all appointments. There is no duty which so much embarrasses the Executive and the heads of departments as that of appointments, nor is there any such arduous and thankless task imposed on Senators and Representatives as that of finding places for constituents. The present system does not secure the best men, and often even not fit men for public places. The elevation and purification of the civil service of the government will be hailed with approval by the whole people of the United States."

It is proof of the strong hold which the cause both of revenue and the civil service reform has taken upon the people of the country when the administration thus spreads its sails to catch the rising breeze. The hit at Senators and Representatives is not bad.

The President thinks that the day has passed for regarding the public lands as a direct source of revenue to the government. They should be rather administered in the interests of the whole country for the purpose of promoting emigration and the settlement of new States. The President makes another advance step also to the measure of the people's march, and discourages the policy of granting government subsidies to railroad and other corporations, either of land or money.—From the recommendations in favor of erecting new buildings for State and War Departments, we infer that the President has not taken stock in any of the capital moving projects which have been started.

After some minor suggestions, the message closes with the following summary of the policy of the administration, of which it can only be said that if the practice be as good as the theory, there can be no room for opposition or criticism:

"In conclusion I would sum up the policy of the administration to be a thorough enforcement of every law, a faithful collection of every tax provided for, economy in the disbursement of the same, a prompt payment of every debt of the nation, a reduction of the taxes as rapidly as the requirements of the country will admit, the reduction of taxation and tariff to be so arranged as to afford the greatest relief to the greatest number, honest and fair dealing with all other people, to the end that war, with all its blighting consequences, may be avoided, but without surrendering any right obligation due to us; a reform in the treatment of Indians and in the whole civil service of the country, and finally, in securing a pure, untrammeled ballot, where every man entitled to cast a vote may do so just once, at each election, without fear of molestation or proscription on account of his political faith, nativity or color."

Those expressions and concern about an "untrammeled ballot," &c., would, however, have much more consistency and force were they accompanied with that recommendation of general amnesty which would restore the elective franchise to the many intelligent and worthy citizens now arbitrarily deprived of it in the interests of party.

DESTITUTION IN GERMANY.—The social and domestic misery produced in Germany by the war is very great. A German paper states that in the province of Westphalia, at the beginning of October, there were 11,817 married women, the wives and widows of soldiers, together with 22,713 children, obtaining relief from the public funds. In Hanover, 9,624 women and 26,418 children were dependent upon the public for support. In the Rhenish provinces there were 14,312 married women and 29,619 fatherless children who were utterly destitute.—Thus in only three Prussian provinces there were, last October, 35,753 women and 78,750 children in a condition of misery and want, and it is believed that destitution to the same extent prevails in the other provinces of Prussia. The price of provisions is extraordinarily high.

The Great Pictorial Annual.

Hostetter's United States Almanac for 1871, for distribution, *gratis*, throughout the United States and all civilized countries of the Western Hemisphere, will be published about the first of January, and all who wish to understand the true philosophy of health should read and ponder the valuable suggestions it contains. In addition to an admirable medical treatise on the causes, prevention and cure of a great variety of diseases, it embraces a large amount of information interesting to the merchant, the mechanic, the miner, the farmer, the planter, and professional man; and the calculations have been made for such meridians and latitude as are most suitable for a correct and comprehensible NATIONAL CALENDAR.

The nature, uses, and extraordinary sanitary effect of HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS the staple tonic and alternative of more than half the Christian world, are fully set forth in its pages, which are also intsrspersed with pictorial illustrations, valuable recipes for the household and farm, humorous annecdotes, and other instructive and amusing reading matter, original and selected. Among the Annuals to appear with the opening of the year, this will be one of the most useful, and *may be had for the asking.* Send for copies to the Central Manufactury, at Pittsburg, Pa., or to the nearest dealer in HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. The BITTERS are sold in every city, town and village, and are extensively used throughout the entire civilized world.

OVERCOATS! OVERCOATS!

IN FINE BLACK BEAVER CLOTH, gotten up in the most convenient style.
Heavy KERSEY OVERCOATS, very cheap.
SUPERIOR CASSIMERE CLOTHING, all just bought direct from the manufacturers.
Our stock of Ready-made Clothing generally will now be found very excellent, and is being offered at most reasonable prices.
Nov. 26. THOMAS S. WICKES.

Kerseys! Kerseys!

Of Mallalieu's best manufacture. Virginia Kerseys very cheap, and a large stock now on hand.
BLANKETS—a very full line of various qualities. Heavy Colored Blankets for servants' use, and a large stock of Staple Woolens for Men's and Boy's wear now being received by THOMAS S. WICKES.
November 26.

SALT for sale by the Sack.
THOMAS S. WICKES.
Chestertown, November 26, 1870.

TABLE CUTLERY—Just opened and for sale cheap by W. A. VICKERS,
oc22. People's Store.

HAMS.—Fine Sugar-Cured and Market Hams, Salt Shad and Mackerel, and salt, smoked and Scotch Herring, for sale by
sep3. C. A. THOMPSON.

FOR SALE:

600 Acres of Rappahannock Lands

THESE LANDS all lie immediately on the RIVER, are fertile, easily tilled, and well adapted to TRUCKING and FRUIT.
MARL in abundance—farm under fence and well improved with Buildings.
A YOUNG ORCHARD of 1,600 Fruit Trees coming into bearing.
For particulars, price, &c., address
J. L. SMITH,
n19 3m* Harmony P. O., Middlesex Co., Va.

Small Farm for Sale.

THE undersigned offers for sale his place in Worton, Kent county, containing
26 Acres, more or less.
It lies on the public road, near the property of Dr. J. W. Ivens, and within one mile of Worton Station, on the Kent County Railroad.
The Improvements are a TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING in good order, and a Pump of water in the yard. The arable land has been limed. With a small outlay and moderate enterprise it can be made valuable for Trucking purposes.
This property will be sold very low, as the owner has removed from the county, and is unable to give it the attention it requires.
Possession given on the 1st January next.
For further particulars, terms, &c., inquire at the Kent News Office.
E. L. USILTON,
oc8tf. 28 N. Water St., Philadelphia.

VALUABLE
REAL ESTATE
HELD AT PRIVATE SALE.

THE undersigned will sell at private sale either or all of the following Farms, situate in the lower section of Kent co., Maryland.

Tolchester Farm

is beautifully located on the Chesapeake Bay, opposite the mouth of the Patapsco river, and
Contains about Six Hundred Acres
all arable except a few acres of Meadow.
Large Mansion House,
with several small TENANT HOUSES, with good Out-Buildings; Large APPLE, PEACH AND PEAR ORCHARDS, in bearing. The farm is divided into six fields and two lots, all well watered and in a good state of cultivation.
OYSTERS.—Thousands of bushels of Oysters in beds, are located along the water front of this farm, within two hundred yards of the shore, and the best Fishing Grounds on the Bay, are located adjacent.

Rees' Corner,
Contains 340 ACRES,
Is well situated and believed to be the BEST LOCATION FOR BUSINESS IN KENT CO.
Large Brick Dwelling
AND BRICK
Store House,
Blacksmith Shop and Wheelwright Shop, with Dwellings for the use of the same. There are also SEVERAL OTHER DWELLING HOUSES under rent, the annual rent of which amounts to seven hundred dollars. Churches, Schools and Mills, all within a mile of the Store house. There are TWO PEACH ORCHARDS of 1000 Trees each. Out-Buildings in good order and ample for the use of the Farm. Land good.
This to an energetic person is one of the most desirable locations in the State of Maryland.

DALE FARM.

This Farm is well located near the waters of Swan Creek, and
Contains about 276 Acres of Land.
About forty Acres in WOOD, with Chestnut Timber sufficient for the farm. DWELLING and Out-Buildings in fair order. The farm is divided into four fields and two lots. Land in fair state of cultivation, and has all been limed within the last two years. This farm is very convenient for Schools, and one of the best Points for shipping grain or the delivery of lime is within one and a half miles of the farm.

PAGE'S POINT,

Is a shipping point, located on Swann Creek, and is a desirable location, either for a residence or a business point. The grounds contain about TEN ACRES, and there is a LARGE BRICK DWELLING HOUSE in excellent order, containing ten rooms and cellar, with ample Out-Buildings. Also a neat Frame Dwelling of four rooms, in nice order, with Granary and Wharf somewhat out of repair. There is also located TEN ACRES OF OYSTER BEDDING GROUND in the waters contiguous to the shore, and said to be the best planting ground on the Creek. Oysters in abundance and of fine quality; also fish, crabs, &c., in season.

☞ For farther particulars, terms, &c., consult my Attorney, RICHARD HYNSON, Esq., Chestertown, Maryland.
je4-tf. ABEL J. REES.

WM. H. HAMILTON,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER,

WILL ATTEND SALES in any part of the County. He may be seen at his Boot and Shoe Store, adjoining Post Office, in Chestertown. nov26-3t.

U. A. C. GARRETT,
Licensed Auctioneer,

IS prepared to conduct sales in any part of the county. His long experience in the business, and the general satisfaction given, is sufficient recommendation. Persons who cannot make it convenient to see me will secure my prompt attendance by placing my name as Auctioneer at the bottom of their advertisements.
U. A. C. GARRETT,
n19-tf Chesterville, Kent co., Md.

Orphans' Court Notice.

ORPHANS' COURT of KENT COUNTY, November 22d, 1870.

WHEREAS, by the Records of the office of the Register of Wills for Kent county, it appears that a considerable number of Administrators and Guardians are delinquent; and frequent complaint is made by securities, creditors, &c., relative to such delinquency. It is therefore Ordered by the Orphans Court of Kent county that the Register of Wills be and he is hereby directed to cite regularly such delinquents to return their accounts.

Ordered, also that the aforegoing be published three times in "Kent News" and "Transcript." Attest: E. CROUCH,
Register of Wills for Kent county.
November 26, 1870—3t.

NOTICE.

The undersigned as agent for Mary Ann Harrison, is prepared to furnish WOOD sawed and split to order in any quantities. He is conducting the wood yard formerly belonging to S. S. Usilton, and has on hand a large supply of GOOD WOOD which he is prepared to furnish at reasonable rates.
The patronage of old customers and of the public generally is solicited.
ENOCH HARRISON,
Nov. 12-3m. Agent.

CEMETERY NOTICE.

Persons wishing to improve their Lots in Public Cemeteries and Private Burial Grounds, will do well before purchasing elsewhere, to call and examine our large and new stock of
ITALIAN AND AMERICAN MARBLE
MONUMENTS,
MONUMENTAL TABLET HEAD
AND
FOOT STONES,
VASES AND STATUARY,
All of new and beautifully proportioned designs, at the STEAM MARBLE WORKS of
GADDESS BROS.,
ap3-y. Sharp and German sts., Baltimore.

BOOTS & SHOES! HATS & CAPS!

WM. H. HAMILTON,

HAVING bought out the BOOT AND SHOE STORE of Mr. John W. Collins, adjoining the Post Office, has just returned from the city with a NEW STOCK OF GOODS, comprising a general assortment of
BOOTS, SHOES AND GAITERS.
Special attention is called to my goods for
Ladies and Children's Wear,
and GENTS' FINE WORK. Side-lace, front-lace, Button and Congress Gaiters; Gents' fine Calf-skin Sewed Boots and Gaiters, English Walking Shoes, Slippers, &c. Coarse Boots and Shoes of all kinds. Also, a large assortment of CHILDREN'S SHOES of every description, to which the attention of parents is invited. Also,
HATS AND CAPS,
for Men and Boys, of the latest styles, and for sale at the very LOWEST PRICES.
I have employed Mr. JOHN W. COLLINS to attend to the business until my removal to town. WM. H. HAMILTON.
Oct. 15, 1870—tf.

UP TOWN!
New Fall Goods.

I have just returned from the city with a well selected stock of
SEASONABLE DRY GOODS
Just Purchased, and now open.
NEW DRESS GOODS,
Colored and Black ALPACA,
KERSEYS, Cassimeres, Sattinets,
White, Red and Grey FLANNELS,
Black OPERA CLOTH,
Red, white and Blue Opera Cloth,
Josey Flannels, Bed Quilts,
White and Grey Blankets,
CANTON FLANNELS,
Bleached and Unbleached MUSLIN,
Ticking and Domestic,
Men's and Ladies' Gloves, Men's silk and linen Handkerchiefs, Ladies' Handkerchiefs, Children's Worsted Stockings, Men's Merino Shirts,
Ladies' Merino Vests, good quality, Balmoral Skirts, Ladies' Coats and Circulars, Bl'k Double Shawls, Double and Single Shawls, Ladies' and Children's Shoes, Crockery-ware cheap.
☞ Call and see, at
MRS. S. E. BARRETT'S
oc15-4m. Up Town.

District Court of the United States
FOR THE
DISTRICT OF MARYLAND.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

IN THE MATTER OF JOHN C. MONEY, BANKRUPT.

District of Maryland, ss:

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, that on the twenty-first day of November, 1870, a Warrant of Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Maryland, against the Estate of John C. Money of Hanesville, in the County of Kent, in said District, adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition: That the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said Bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; and that a meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt to prove their debts, and to choose one or more Assignees of his Estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at his office in Denton before GEORGE M. RUSSUM, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 27th day of December, A. D., 1870, at 10 o'clock, A. M.
EDWARD Y. GOLDSBOROUGH,
U. S. Marshal for said District.
Dec. 3, 1870—4t.

District Court of the United States
FOR THE
DISTRICT OF MARYLAND.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the Matter of JEREMIAH N. MOFFETT, BANKRUPT.

District of Maryland, ss:

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, that on the 31st day of October, 1870, a Warrant of Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Maryland, against the estate of Jeremiah N. Moffett, of Millington, in the County of Kent in said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt, on his own Petition: That the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said Bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at his office in Denton, before Geo. M. Russum, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 22d day of December, A. D., 1870, at 10 o'clock, A. M.
EDWARD Y. GOLDSBOROUGH,
U. S. Marshal for said District.
Dec. 3, 1870—2t

BURNS & SLOAN,
132 Light Street Wharf,
BALTIMORE, MD.,
OFFER FOR SALE A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF WELL-SEASONED
Building Lumber
LATHS AND SHINGLES,
FENCING AND PALES,
ASH, OAK & WALNUT,
AT LOWEST PRICES.
ALSO, DOORS, SASH & BLINDS.

TAKE NOTICE!

All persons indebted to the subscriber are hereby most respectfully requested to come forward and settle their accounts, as money is needed to prosecute my business.
All future patrons will please bear in mind that they will be expected to make a settlement on or before every first day of January and July. Interest will be charged on all bills outstanding from these dates until paid.
TILGHMAN SHAFER,
oc29-3m* Kennedyville.

PRICES REDUCED!

The undersigned will dispose of his entire stock of LIQUORS, which is large and complete, at following reduced prices:

Pure Old Rye,	worth	$6.00,	reduced to	$4.00
Rye Whiskey	"	3 00	"	" 2.00
" "	"	2.00	"	" 1.50
Brandy	"	4.00	"	" 2.50
Gin	"	4.00	"	" 2.50
N. E. White Rum	"	4 00	"	" 2.75
Pure B.B. Brandy	"	4.00	"	" 3.00

Port, Sherry and Malaga Wines low!
These goods are all pure and will positively be sold at the above low rates.
dec3. J. B. SAPPINGTON.

T. W. ELIASON & SON,

RECEIVED THEIR SECOND SUPPLY OF
NEW FALL GOODS,
DURING THE PAST WEEK
They invite special attention to the following lines of goods:
KERSEYS,
OF EXTRA WEIGHT AND QUALITY.
Cassimeres, Sattinets, Flannels, &c.
BED QUILTS, COUNTERPANES, Blankets,
BL'K ALPACAS, CANTON FLANNELS,
BROWN MUSLINS, &c.
MEN'S HEAVY BOOTS of extra quality, made to our own order.
BOY'S Heavy BOOTS, made to our own order.
Ladies, Misses and Children's BOOTS AND SHOES of various styles and qualities.
Men's and Boy's WOOL AND FUR HATS,
WINDOW CAMBRICS, OIL CLOTHS,
AND CURTAINS.
GENT'S MERINO SHIRTS,
LADIES' MERINO VESTS, good quality.
PATAPSCO EXTRA FLOUR
for sale at Baltimore prices, by
oc8. T. W. ELIASON & SON.

Winter is Coming!

STOVES! STOVES!! STOVES!!

Those in want of Stoves will save time and money by going to the
Tin, Stove and Hardware Store of
J. K. ALDRIDGE,
and purchase a number one stove. The "Excelsior Cook Hot Blast," one of the best Cook Stoves in use—Patented March, 1870. Niagara, Ironsides, Continental, Columbia Cook, Quaker City, Carroll Cook, Pride and Champion Complete.
The Base Burning Morning Glory Stove, a very Popular Stove in the city: Parlor Light Base Burner and Self-Feeder, Token Reflector, Brilliant, Dawn, Comet, Air Tight Radiator, Myrtle Illuminating Base, The Casket, for wood or coal; The Egg Cylinder, for School Houses and Stores. WOOD STOVES: Union Air Tight Tuscan, with open front; Woodland, Flame and Wild Flower. The Novelty Parlor Cook, the best in use.
The Diamond and Parlor Queen FIRE-PLACE STOVE, to heat two or more Rooms at the same time with one fire. All kinds of Heaters repaired at Short Notice and in workmanlike manner. Coal Hods, Shovels, Pokers, and Coal Sieves on hand. Give me a call and price my goods. A large assortment of HARDWARE and House Furnishing Goods on hand. J. K. ALDRIDGE,
Oct. 22, 1870. Chestertown.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,

For Diseases of the Throat and Lungs, such as Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Asthma, and Consumption.

Probably never before in the whole history of medicine, has anything won so widely and so deeply upon the confidence of mankind, as this excellent remedy for pulmonary complaints. Through a long series of years, and among most of the races of men it has risen higher and higher in their estimation, as it has become better known. Its uniform character and power to cure the various affections of the lungs and throat, have made it known as a reliable protector against them. While adapted to milder forms of disease and to young children, it is at the same time the most effecual remedy that can be given for incipient consumption, and the dangerous affections of the throat and lungs. As a provision against sudden attacks of *Croup*, it should be kept on hand in every family, and indeed as all are sometimes subject to colds and coughs, all should be provided with this antidote for them.
Although settled *Consumption* is thought incurable, still great numbers of cases where the disease seemed settled, have been completely cured, and the patient restored to sound health by the *Cherry Pectoral.* So complete is its mastery over the disorders of the Lungs and Throat, that the most obstinate of them yield to it. When nothing else could reach them, under the *Cherry Pectoral* they subside and disappear.
Singers and Public Speakers find great protection from it.
Asthma is always relieved and often wholly cured by it.
Bronchitis is generally cured by taking the *Cherry Pectoral* in small and frequent doses.
So generally are its virtues known that we need not publish the certificates of them here, or do more than assure the public that its qualities are fully maintained.

Ayer's Ague Cure,

For Fever and Ague, Intermittent Fever, Chill Fever, Remittent Fever, Dumb Ague, Periodical or Bilious Fever, &c., and indeed all the affections which arise from malarious, marsh, or miasmatic poisons.

As its name implies, it does *Cure*, and does not fail. Containing neither Arsenic, Quinine, Bismuth, Zinc, nor any other mineral or poisonous substance whatever, it in nowise injures any patient. The number and importance of its cures in the ague districts, are literally beyond account, and we believe without a parallel in the history of Ague medicine. Our pride is gratified by the acknowledgments we receive of the radical cures effected in obstinate cases, and where other remedies had wholly failed.
Unacclimated persons, either resident in, or travelling through miasmatic localities, will be protected by taking the *AGUE CURE* daily.
For *Liver Complaints*, arising from torpidity of the Liver, it is an excellent remedy, stimulating the Liver into healthy activity.
For Bilious Disorders and Liver Complaints, it is an excellent remedy, producing many truly remarkable cures, where other medicines had failed.
Prepared by Dr. J. C. AYER & Co., Practical and Analytical Chemists, Lowell, Mass., and sold all round the world.
PRICE, $1.00 PER BOTTLE.
Sold by JOHN L. STAM, Chestertown, J. P. IRELAND, Galena, and all Druggists and dealers in Medicine everywhere. WM. H. BROWN & BRO., Baltimore, wholesale agents.

Ratification Notice.

ISAAC CAULK, use S. S. USILTON, use of JOHN K. WILLIS,
vs.
ISAAC CHAMBERS.

Judgment before James Graves, Esq., Justice of the Peace, for $48.88, with interest from Oct. 11th, 1869, until paid and costs.

THE subscriber having purchased the real estate of the above named defendant, at a sale thereof in virtue of an execution issued upon the foregoing judgment, made on the 26th day of February, 1870, by John H. Greenwood, Constable, hereby gives notice that he intends to apply to the Judges of the Circuit Court for Kent county, at its next session to be held in Chestertown on the third Monday of January next, for a confirmation of said sale; when and where the said defendant or his creditors, or any other person or persons claiming any interest in the matter, will have an opportunity of stating their objections, if any they have, why the sale should not be confirmed, and for that purpose are hereby warned to appear.—The property purchased by the subscriber consists of two acres of land, situated on the road from the Fountain to Still Pond, adjoining lands of John Lusby, and opposite to lands of Sewell Hepbron, and was struck off for the sum of forty-one dollars ($41.)
d3-4t JOHN K. WILLIS.

Ratification Notice.

MOSES LAMBSON,
versus
Jeremiah Moffett and Arsula Moffett.

On the Equity Side of the Circuit Court for Kent County, December 1, 1870.

ORDERED that the report by GEORGE VICKERS, Trustee for the sale of the Mortgaged Real Estate in the above case, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown before the Tenth of February, 1871; Provided a copy of this order be inserted once in each of three successive weeks in some newspaper printed and published on the Eastern Shore of Maryland before the Tenth day of January next.
The report states the amount of sales to be $2500. JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.
True Copy,—Test:
JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.
December 3, 1870—4t.

PURE CIDER VINEGAR for sale by
je4. W. F. BAKER.

☞ THE OLDEST ☜
ESTABLISHED
CLOTHING HOUSE
ON THE
EASTERN SHORE.

JOSEPH A. CATLIN,
SUCCESSOR TO
TURKHEIMER & CATLIN,

After an experience of years, a thorough acquaintance with the City Markets, and a knowledge of the wants of the trade in this locality,

Offers to the citizens of this and the adjoining Counties,
A COMPLETE
AND
CAREFULLY SELECTED STOCK
OF
CLOTHING.

MEN & BOYS'
CLOTHING,
OF EVERY KIND,
AND AT ALL PRICES.

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