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MY DARLING'S SHOES.

God bless the little feet that can never go astray,
For the little shoes are empty in the closet laid away!
Sometimes I take one in my hand, forgetting, till I see
It is a little half-worn shoe, not large enough for me;
And all at once I feel a sense of bitter loss and pain,
As sharp as when two years ago it cut my heart in twain.

O, little feet that wearied not, I wait for them no more,
For I am drifting with the tide, but *they* have reached the shore;
And while these blinding tear-drops wet these little shoes so old,
I put on them a value high above their price in gold,
And so I lay them down again, but always turn to say—
God bless the little feet that *now* so surely cannot stray.

And while I thus am standing, I almost seem to see
Two little forms beside me, just as they used to be!
Two little faces lifted with their sweet and tender eyes!
Ah me! I might have known that look was born of Paradise.
I reach my arms out fondly, but they clasp the empty air!
There is nothing of my darlings but the shoes they used to wear.

O, the bitterness of parting cannot be done away,
Till I see my darlings walking, where the feet can never stray;
When I no more am drifting upon the surging tide,
But with them safely landed there upon the river side;
Be patient, heart! while waiting to see their shining way,
For the little feet in the golden street can never go astray.

THE POWER OF THE TONGUE.

Eloquence, from the earliest stages, has justly been regarded as one of the greatest of all human attributes. Demosthenes swayed the listening masses of old just as Webster did a few years ago, and their sounding periods, were more powerful than the force of love or arms. An eloquent speaker plays upon his audience as upon an instrument—it is his "harp of a thousand strings," and wondrous are the chords and discords he can awaken from it.

The sentiments expressed are of little consequence, so far as their acceptation or rejection go, if they be clothed in ringing words, and delivered with earnestness and grace. The paltriest argument—the most transparent sophistry—are readily swallowed by the crowd, if the orator has the true tongue of honey and the eye of fire. It is a dangerous power, this eloquence, and as mighty as dangerous. It has been sadly abused, too, in all times and places.

The finest intellect and the most mellifluous voice have too often been employed in frightening innocent kindly men and women into a gloomy horror of death, or defending hardened and notorious criminals, from a punishment most richly merited. Let him who possesses this great power use it charily and warily. Let him remember that God has endowed him with a grand and terrible gift—that he is born to move his fellow-men as he lists—and let him also know that he will be held responsible for the deeds to which he persuades or excites his hearers.

The counsel who, in the face of reason, and against his own belief, assists the fratricide or the ignoble hired assassin to escape the penalty of his crime—who pours forth the wine of eloquence like a strong and sweet libation until the heads of the twelve honest but simple-minded jurors are fairly turned, and they think, for the moment, that black is white, and good is bad—such a one, we say, is actually, in the sight of Heaven, an accomplice in his client's criminality, and his fault is the greater, for that he has taken it upon himself deliberately and open-eyed.

In short, eloquence is like fire. In a good cause it is a boon and a blessing—it works wonders of usefulness; but in a bad cause it is a bane, a blight, and works naught but tenfold destruction.

BEWARE OF A PREVALENT VICE.—Boys, if by a few earnest heartfelt words you may be induced to keep clear of a vice now fearfully prevalent in this country, it will be worth more to you than a large present of money. We refer to the use of profane language. It is almost the only sin that has neither excuse, pleasure, or profit.—Offensive alike to God and good men, it marks a vitiated taste, a want of refinement, and a disregard both of virtue and the feelings of others. Instead of relieving the passion of anger as some declare, it only strengthens it by giving it expression. If it be urged that it is a habit difficult to be broken, this is a confession that disregard of right has become a settled part of the character. No boy old enough to know the meaning of words utters his first oath without a shudder; it by repetition he is able to swear without compunction, it is not that the sin is less, but because his own sense of right has been blunted; the crime and its penalties are the same. But the habit can be subdued. Scarcely a boy or man will use profanity in the presence of his mother; then, if he will, he can restrain it at other times.—Let every boy respect himself too much to yield to this habit, but to rebuke profanity whenever heard, by expressive silence and a good example, if not by words.

Go steadily forward. Rather consult your own conscience than the opinion of men, though the latter is not to be disregarded.

BLESSED.

1. Blessed is he who does not make a cent for he will have no income tax to pay.
2. Blessed is the bald headed man, for his wife can not pull his hair.
3. Blessed is the homely man, for the girls shall not molest him; yea, thrice blessed is he, for when he asketh a lady to dance she shall answer him, saying, "I am engaged for the next set."
4. Blessed is he who polisheth his boots and not his morals, who maketh the outside of his head to shine, but neglecteth the inside thereof, for all the girls shall rise up with smiles at his coming and call him beautiful.
5. Blessed is the man who hath no brains, but brass in abundance, for he shall be the ladies' favorite. Selah!
6. Blessed is the man who giveth many and costly presents to young ladies, for great shall be his reward—in a horn.
7. Blessed is the man who is always flat broke, for no man saith unto him, Lend me five dollars.
8. Blessed is the Digger Indian, for unto him no man presenteth a subscription paper.
9. Blessed are ye when Kopperheads shall revile you, and speak all manner of evil concerning you falsely, for Abe's sake. Rejoice and be exceedingly glad, for even so spake they concerning your brothers who went forth with Sherman (whose name being interpreted is Shearman) because he sheareth the men of the South, even the ungodly Chivs who lifted up their hands against the old flag, to do it hurt, and to pull it down withal.—*Ureka Jour.*

SALT FOR THE THROAT.—In these days, when diseases of the throat are fatal, we feel it a duty to say a word in behalf of a simple, and what has been with us a most effectual preventive, if not a positive cure of sore throat. For many years past, indeed we may say during the whole of a life of over forty years, we have been subject to a sore throat, and more particularly to a dry, hacking cough, which was not only distressing to ourselves, but to our friends and those with whom we were brought into business contact. Last fall we were induced to try what virtue there was in common salt. We commenced by using it three times a day, morning noon and night. We dissolved a large table spoonful of common salt in about half of a tumbler full of cold water. With this we gargled the throat most thoroughly just before meal time. The result has been that during the entire winter we were not only free from the usual coughs and cold to which, as far as our memory extends, we have always been subject; but the dry hacking cough has entirely disappeared. We attribute it entirely to the salt gargle, and do most cordially recommend it to those of our readers who are subject to disease of the throat.

Many persons who have never tried the salt gargle, have the impression that it is unpleasant. Such is not the case. On the contrary, it is pleasant, and after a few days use, no person who loves a nice, clean mouth, and a first rate sharpener of the appetite, will abandon it.

IMPORTANT MILITARY ORDER.—The most important order which has yet emanated from General Halleck, at Richmond, and which it is believed will result in effectually dispersing bands of guerillas in the States in which it is operate, is one declaring "that all persons found in arms against the authority of the United States in the States of Virginia and North Carolina after the 20th instant will be treated as robbers and outlaws, and any persons in these States who shall assist or advise the organization or guerilla bands, or the continuation of hostilities against the authority of the United States, will be arrested, tried by a military commission and punished with death, or otherwise less severely, according to the circumstances of the case."

DEATH FROM THE BITE OF A CAT.—The *Gazette* says that a little daughter of Mr. Samuel Miller, near Elkton, died on Friday last from hydrophobia, produced from the bite of a cat which she attempted to pet. In a day or two she was attacked with spasms. At times she was sensible, and when anything white was taken near her she evinced painful sensations, which sometimes brought on the spasms.—When told that she must die, she requested her mother to bury her in her little silk dress and gaiters, and that nothing white should be placed about her. The cat was killed by a dog.

EMIGRATION FROM IRELAND.—A late number of the Cork Constitution says:

"Emigration has, within the last few days, experienced unwonted intensity.—Notwithstanding the numbers carried out by the last National and Inman boats, there are supposed to be fifteen hundred at this moment waiting in Queenstown, hundreds of whom will, even after the next dispatch, have to wait still further. They come from Galway, Mayo, Limerick, Clare, Kerry and the west of this county."

A GEM.

Oh! bury me by the garden gate,
Where flowers bloom and children play,
I'll love to have their little feet
Go pattering round the livelong day.
And, then, when summer's all gone by,
And wintry nightwinds howl and rave,
The light from out your window, Ma!
Will stream across my little grave.

REUNION MOVEMENT IN MISSISSIPPI.—Judge Burwell, of Mississippi, has just issued an address to the people of the State, calling for the appointment of delegates to a Convention to be held in Vicksburg on the first Monday of June, to re-establish the State Government, under the laws of the United States. The appeal has met with the approval of General Dana, commanding the Department, who assured the delegates of safe conduct to and from the city. Judge Burwell considers these propositions to be self-evident:—

"1. That forcible resistance to or attack on an established and, of course, supreme Government can be met and repelled by force only. Force must be, and of necessity always will be, met by force.—If the foes of a Government claim the right to assail it in any part, by arms, the friends and subjects of that Government have a right, and it is their duty, to defend it with arms.

"2. Secession, as an abstract principle, is inconsistent with the supremacy of Government. When put into practice Secession means civil war. Sugar-coat it as you will, Secession is levying war, and that is treason. Treason may be justified by successful revolution, and success is achieved by force."

EMIGRATION TO MEXICO.—It is very evident that the valuable region of country known as Mexico occupies a very considerable share of attention. Several organizations are being perfected in this city, all apparently acting under one head.—Similar movements are made in New York, having the same object in view. There is some publicity given to the efforts at organization, and report says that large numbers of returned soldiers, rebel refugees, repentant rebel soldiers, and other persons of civil professions, are swelling the lists daily with their names. It is reported that these men intend emigrating to Mexico as soon as possible, but for what purpose we cannot ascertain from an authentic source. There is considerable outside talk of a desire to enforce the Monroe doctrine in the most summary manner. It is said that over 50,000 in the city of New York alone have already enrolled themselves, and the business seems almost amounting to a *furore*. The New York Courrier des Etats Unis, (French organ,) looks upon all those who now emigrate to Mexico as fillibusters. It further states that recruiting for the Juarez army is going on quite fast in this city, and hopes that the French-men-of-war will receive instructions to watch the Mexican coast from the Rio Grande to Yucatan.—*Phila. Press.*

INCOME RETURNS.—It appears from a letter addressed by the Commissioners of Internal Revenue to an assessor in Maine, that the department has decided that neglect to make income returns on or before the first of May is not to be considered to be wilful until the assistant assessor calls upon persons in default, and in person asks for his or her return. In such case the person asked must furnish the return at once, or he or she will be deemed willfully in default, and liable to the twenty-five per centum penalty. If, no the other hand, the person in default is not at home, or at his or her usual place of business, when the assistant assessor calls, then the assistant assessor must give him or her notice of ten days to make the return before a penalty can be inflicted.

NORTHERN FARMERS EMIGRATING.—A gentleman who returned a few days since from the Eastern Shore of Maryland stopped at a hotel in a small town in that locality, and found thirty-six farmers from the Northern States who were there for the purpose of purchasing farms. In some cases eighty dollars an acre was paid for farming lands in Maryland and Delaware. This is, we believe, but the advance wave of that tide of emigration which there will be, not only to Delaware and Maryland, but to Virginia and the other Southern States, when peace shall have been declared and the country become open to the intelligent, enterprising and skilful mechanics and farmers of the New England States.—*Boston Journal.*

THE President has ordered that ex-Governor Aiken, of South Carolina, shall no longer be considered under arrest. It is understood that there was no just cause for his arrest by the military authorities at Charleston.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.—Measures are on foot among the ministers and laity of the M. E. Church of this (Easton) District to hold a Sunday School Convention in Smyrna on or about the 15th of June next.—*Smyrna Times.*

IT is easier to find a score of men wise enough to discover the truth, than to find one intrepid enough, in the face of opposition, to stand up for it.

PRAYER is the gate from the city of destruction, the pilgrim's pause at the well, and final toilet of the bride before the marriage supper of the Lamb.

Broken resolutions are worse than none at all; it only proves to us we do not carry out the dictates of our conscience, and exposes our weakness.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a Decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, sitting in Equity, the undersigned, as Trustee, will sell at PUBLIC SALE, on

TUESDAY, the 23rd of May, 1865,

at eleven o'clock, A. M., at the Voshell House, in Chestertown, all that

FARM,

Or PLANTATION,

situate and lying in Still Pond Neck, Kent County, Maryland, containing about

200 ACRES.

It was the property of the late John L. Moore.

This Farm is most eligibly located, being convenient to places of public worship, schools, Mills, &c. It lies within a mile of Still Pond Cross Roads, a neat and thrifty village, and but a few miles from Betterton Wharf on the Sassafras River.

The soil is naturally good, and well adapted to Peaches and other fruits.

Nearly the whole Farm is arable, and is at present divided into five fields, and under pretty good fencing.

THE IMPROVEMENTS are a

FRAME DWELLING,

with a KITCHEN attached, a Meat House, and the usual OUT-BUILDINGS.

THE TERMS OF SALE

As prescribed by the Decree are as follows: One fourth of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, or on the final ratification thereof; the residue in six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale, to be secured by the bond of the purchaser, bearing interest from the day of sale, with security to be approved by the Trustee.

RICH'D HYNSON, Trustee.

April 29, 1865—tds.

CLOSING OUT

Our Entire Stock

OF

GOODS,

AT

GOLD PRICES.

We call the attention of all purchasers to the fact that we are closing out our entire Stock of Goods at Gold Prices,

WITHOUT REGARD TO COST.

Our present stock embraces all the different styles and qualities of

Foreign and Domestic DRY GOODS,
FANCY GOODS, Notions, Hardware,
Table and Pocket Cutlery, China,
Glass and Queensware.

BOOTS, SHOES, and Brogans, HATS, CAPS, Woodenware, Ironware, Buckets, Brooms, &c. Also, all kinds of GROCERIES, Teas, Spices, &c., &c., with many other articles too lengthy to enumerate.

☞Call before purchasing.☜

JAMES R. CHANCE & SONS,
CHESTERTOWN.

April 29, 1865.

GREAT DECLINE!

AS I have just returned from the city with a new and well selected Stock of GOODS, I am now prepared to offer

Great Inducements

in all kinds of Goods, such as

ALPACCAS, DELANES, AND NORWICH PLAIDS.

CALICOES,
MUSLINS,
DELAINES,

CLOTHS, Cassimeres and Vestings, together with a large Stock of READY MADE CLOTHING, BOOTS & SHOES.

GROCERIES and Provisions very cheap.

You will do well by giving me a call and examining my stock, before purchasing elsewhere.

R. P. STEWART,

April 29, 1865—1m. Head of Sassafras.

Latest Arrival

FROM NEW YORK!

PRIME ARTICLE of TEAS at $1.50a2.00 per lb. Syrup Molasses at 50, 75 to 1.25 per gallon. Goshen Butter only 35 cents, nice article. Long handle Shovels only $1.00.

TAKE NOTICE!

That we have the

LARGEST STOCK OF GOODS IN THE COUNTY,

bought at the lowest figures, which we are willing to close out at low prices, without regard to the last advance. Call and see them, and we will guarantee satisfaction.

WANTED.—500 Dozen Spring CHICKENS, for which we will pay the highest price in cash at REES' CORNER.

A LARGE IRON GREY HORSE, a fine traveller, for sale low.

ABEL J. REES & CO.

Rees' Corner, May 6, 1865.

Something New!

J. W. BRODLEY'S
New Patent Duplex Eliptic
SPRING SKIRTS.

These Skirts are composed of Duplex Eliptic Steel Springs, braided tightly and finely together, making the most flexible, elastic, and durable Spring ever used.

Any Lady, having enjoyed the pleasure, comfort, and great convenience of wearing the duplex Eliptic Spring Skirt for a single day will never afterward dispense with the use of them.

For Children, Misses and young Ladies, they are superior to all others; they are of the best quality in every part, and the lightest, most desirable, comfortable and convenient Skirt ever made, for sale by

May 6, 1865. A. W. SPARKS.

Heavy Decline in Gold.

Prices Still Further Reduced!

IN consequence of the heavy decline in Gold, the undersigned has further reduced his Prices, and WILL CLOSE OUT HIS STOCK

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE,

without regard to cost.

Those first-rate CITY-MADE KIP BOOTS reduced from $8.00 to $7.00.

CALL AND SEE. I. FRANK.

March 18, 1865.

VERY NEAT BOYS' SUITS, at moderate prices, by I. FRANK.

Commission Card.

BALTIMORE, May 3, 1865.

HAVING located myself permanently in Baltimore for the purpose of transacting a GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS, I am prepared to receive consignments of GRAIN, Country Produce, and Live Stock. It is my purpose to devote my personal attention to all consignments, and give my best efforts to afford satisfaction to all who may favor me with their patronage, by prompt attention to their interest.

A. M. RUSSELL,
No. 96 Light Street Wharf,
(Near the Eastern Shore Steamboat Landing.)

☞Ample room for storage, with a large yard for Live Stock. All orders with cash enclosed for the purchase of goods will receive prompt attention, and be filled at the lowest market rates. my6-3m.

KIRBY'S

Combined Reapers and Mowers

AND SINGLE MOWERS.

THESE Reaping and Mowing Machines are PERFECT MOWERS and PERFECT REAPERS Combined. They have perfect Hand Rakes and perfect Self Rakes. The Machine throughout for 1865 is very highly improved. The Self Rake is now admitted to be all right. There is no machine made in America that stands as high to-day as the Kirby does as a combined one. Four large factories are trying to supply the national demand. They are sold in all the States, and are constantly increasing in popularity all over the country. In Maryland, where they have been sold for years, they stand so high that some years the demand could not be supplied. All good Farmers should most certainly have one of these Combined machines. Hundreds of them are now and have been for eight years past doing good work in every county of the State, from the rugged Alleghany to the sun-lit shores of Old Woster. They are made mostly of Iron and Steel, are easy work for two horses; no side draft; Adjustable Reel for both Mowing and Reaping; Flexible Finger Bar, open Guard with Steel Base, side delivery for grain; can reap a field without binding it, as the machine clears itself as it goes.

Farmers wanting these Machines will please order early. Cash Price in Baltimore, Large Combined Reaper and Mower with Hand Rake $180. Self Rake $35. Single Mower $125; extra Parts for Repairs always on hand. Each warranted separately.

For sale by D. M. OSBORNE & CO.
E. G. EDWARDS, Gen'l Ag't for Md.,
29 Light street, Baltimore.
CHAS. STANLEY, Local Agent, Chestertown, Kent county. [May 6—tJy1.]

Paper Hangings, &c.

WM. H. GRIFFITH,

No. 13 N. Gay street,

A few doors North of Baltimore street,

BALTIMORE,

INVITES the attention of persons wishing Goods in his line, to his new stock of Goods, selected with great care, and equal to any to be found in the city.

In his stock are included a fine variety of GOLD AND PLAIN PAPERS, suitable for Parlors, Chambers, Dining Rooms, &c., together with Oak Paper and Decorations, Bordering, Mouldings, and every variety of Gilt Shades, Holland Curtains, &c., all of which he offers at the very lowest cash prices.

A careful Paper Hanger sent to any part of Maryland, when expenses are paid.

Satisfaction guaranteed in all cases. a1-y.

BOLTON BROTHERS,

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WEST PRATT STREET, BALTIMORE,

DEALERS IN

Glass, Oils, Paints and Lamps.

WHITE LEAD,	COAL OIL,
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CHROME GREEN,	BOILED OIL,
" YELLOW,	WHALE OIL,
PATENT DRYER,	SPERM OIL,
WINDOW GLASS,	MACHINE OIL,
PUTTY & BRUSHES,	NEAT'S FOOT OIL,
COPAL VARNISH,	SIGNAL OIL,
JAPAN do.	SPTS TURPENTINE,
BLACK do.	BENZINE,
VERDIGRIS,	LAMP CHIMNEYS,
CONCENTRA'D LYE,	SIGNAL LIGHTS,

TAR, OAKUM, PITCH and ROSIN, together with a general assortment of Goods in our line, which we offer to the trade or others in want, at lowest prices. ap8y.

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197 Baltimore Street,

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LATEST PARIS and LONDON STYLES

Ph. Courvoisier's — Paris Kid Gloves.

SHIRTS AND DRAWERS.
SILK, COTTON AND MERINO UNDERWEAR.
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HOSIERY, GLOVES, SCARFS, TIES, HANDKERCHIEFS.
MILITARY GAUNTLETS.
TRAVELING SHAWLS.
HAND TRUNKS, BAGS and Satchels.
BRUSHES, COMBS, and SOAPS. ap8y.

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Candy Manufacturers,

And Dealers in all kinds of

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FOREIGN FRUITS, NUTS,

Segars, &c.

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Importers and Dealers in

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CANDY MANUFACTURERS,

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WM. A. MEGRAW & CO.,

Brush Manufacturers,

No. 210 Pratt St., near Charles,

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☞A full assortment always on hand.

☞Our Motto:—"Our Goods our best Reference." ap15y.

NEW SPRING AND

SUMMER GOODS.

WE most respectfully call the attention of the public to our LARGE STOCK OF GOODS, which we offer at prices suiting the times. Our stock consists of every article kept in a well regulated store. We name in part:

DRY GOODS.

Bleached and unbleached Muslins,
Flannels, Drillings, Domestics,
Ginghams, Shirtings, Checks and Stripes, Cottonades, Cassimeres,
Cassinets, Delaines, Challies, Calicoes

and a general assortment of

Ladies' Dress Goods.

BOOTS & SHOES.—Ladies' and Misses English and French Lasting Gaiters, Dressed and undressed Morocco Balmorals, Men's and Boy's fine Calf Boots, Oxford Ties, Gaiters, Slippers. Also a large assortment of low-priced Shoes for farm hands, Children's Boots & Shoes, &c.

Woodenware, Queensware, and Hardware,

in great variety. Building Hardware, Bridles, Collars, chain and rope Traces, Plow Lines, Manilla and Cotton Rope, white-wash, scrub, and Paint Brushes, Linseed, Laid, Coal and Lubricating Oils.

GROCERIES.

Coffee, Sugar, Teas, Spices, &c.
Smoking and Chewing Tobacco, and Segars.

☞The above Goods have been purchased at low rates and will be sold accordingly.

Call and examine.

WM. VANNORT.

April 29, 1865.

NEW SADDLE AND HARNESS SHOP.

THE undersigned having rented the Room recently occupied by George Vickers, Esq., in the Masonic Hall building, will

MANUFACTURE TO ORDER

and keep on hand

CARRIAGE, WAGON, CART AND PLOUGH HARNESS,

Also, SADDLES, BRIDLES, COLLARS, and all other articles usually kept in a well furnished Saddle and Harness Shop.

SADDLES & HARNESS

NEATLY REPAIRED.

Having located in Chestertown, it will be my object to do my work in such a manner, and at such prices as will give satisfaction and insure the confidence of the public.

JOHN F. HOWARD.

Chestertown, March 4, 1865.

MARYLAND, *Kent County Orphans' Court,* MAY 9th, 1865.—On the application of John W. Jones, Executor of Daniel Jones, late of Kent county, deceased:

Ordered, That he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, in Kent county, Md., and that the same be published once in each week for the space of four successive weeks, in the Kent News, printed and published in Kent county.

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of the proceedings of the Orphans' Court of the county aforesaid I have hereto set my hand and the seal of office affixed this 9th day of May, 1865. (SEAL) Test, JOS. P. IRELAND, Reg. of Wills for Kent county.

In compliance with the above order this is to give notice, that the subscriber, of Kent county, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Daniel Jones, late of Kent county, dec'd. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated to GEORGE W. JONES, Kennedyville, Kent county, Maryland, on or before the 5th day of December, 1865; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 9th day of May, 1865. JOHN W. JONES,
my13-4t. Exec'r of Daniel Jones, dec'd.

MARYLAND, *Kent County Orphans' Court,* May 2d, 1865.—On the application of Martha Amanda Wilson, Executrix of Robert Wilson, late of Kent county, deceased;

Ordered, That she give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, and that the same be published once in each week for the space of four successive weeks, in the *Kent News,* printed and published in Kent county.

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of the proceedings of the Orphans' Court of the county aforesaid I have hereto set my hand and the seal of office affixed this 2nd day o May, 1865. (SEAL) Test, JOS P. IRELAND, Reg. of Wills for Kent county.

In compliance with the above order, this is to give notice, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent County, Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Robert Wilson, late of Kent County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 21st of November, 1865; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of May, 1865. M. AMANDA WILSON,
my6-4t. Ext'x of Robert Wilson, dec'd.

MARYLAND, *Kent County Orphans' Court,* APRIL 25, 1864.—On the application of Joseph J. Howard, George W. Howard, and James Hamon, Executors of Benjamin Howard, late of Kent county, deceased;

ORDERED, That they give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, and that the same be published once in each week for the space of four successive weeks in the Kent News, printed and published in Kent county.

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of the proceedings of the Orphans' Court of the county aforesaid I have hereto set my hand and the seal of office affixed this 25th day of April, 1865. (SEAL) Test: JOS. P. IRELAND, Register of Wills for Kent county.

In compliance with the above order, this is to give notice that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent County, Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Benjamin Howard, late of Kent county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers on or before the 14th day of November, 1865; they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 25th day of April, 1865. JOS. J. HOWARD,
GEO. W. HOWARD,
JAMES HAMON,
ap29-4t. Exec'rs of Benj. Howard, dec'd.