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JOHN RODNEY,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 23d day of March, 1897, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscribers.

Given under my hand this 18th day of August, 1896.

EDWARD W. RODNEY,
August 22, 1896—4t. Administrator.

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Given under my hand this 28th day of July, 1896.

WILLIAM T. NICHOLSON,
August 1, 1896—4t. Administrator.

Number 1204 Chancery.

Order Nisi.

Charles W. Slagle, Mortgagee,
versus
John Gale, Mortgagor.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

ORDERED, this 24th day of July, 1896, that the sale of the Real Estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by PHIL. H. TUCK, Attorney named in mortgage, from John Gale to Charles W. Slagle, dated the 17th day of January, 1889, and recorded in Liber S. B., No. 11, folio 493, &c., a Land Record Book for Kent Co., be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 25th day of Sept. next;—Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 25th day of August next.

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