of his publication of notice to Creditors the Certificate of the assignee and petition for discharge in the words following to wit.

Notice to Creditors

Notice in Bankruptcy

Notice is hereby given to all the Creditors of Thomas Smoot (Farmer) of Dorchester County and State of Maryland a Petitioner in Bankruptcy, who have proved their debts and to all other persons in interest, that thursday the 15th day of June 1843 at 10 o'clock A.M. hath been fixed by the District Court of the United States for the District of Maryland for them to shew Cause before said Court at its Court Room in the City of Baltimore why a discharge and Certificate shall not be granted to said petitioner pursuant to the act of Congress in such Case made and provided

State of Maryland City of Baltimore to wit

On this fifteenth day of June in the year eighteen hundred and forty three before me the Subscriber a Commissioner in Bankruptcy appointed by the District Court of the United State for the District of Maryland, under the act of Congress entitled an act to establish a uniform System of Bankruptcy throughout the United States personally appeared Charles F. Edmondson one of the Proprietors and publishers of the Republican and Daily Argus and made oath that the prefixed advertisement giving notice to the Creditors of Thomas Smoot a petitioner for Bankruptcy to show Cause (why a discharge and Certificate should not be granted to said petitioner) was published in said Newspaper once a week for ten successive weeks, the first publication having been made on the 8 day of March 1843.

Sworn before Wm Gwynn
Com. in Bankruptcy



Notice of Creditors

Notice of Decree in Bankruptcy

Notice is hereby given to all the Creditors of Thomas Smoot (Farmer) of Dorchester County a Petitioner for Bankruptcy, who have proved their debts and to all other persons in interest that the fifteenth day of June 1843 at 10 o'clock A.M. hath been fixed by the District Court of the United States for the District of Maryland for them to shew Cause before the said Court at its Court Room in the City of Baltimore why a discharge and Certificate should not be granted to said Petitioner pursuant to the act of Congress in such Case made and provided

State of Maryland Dorchester County, to wit.

On this tenth day of June in the year eighteen hundred and forty three, before me the Subscriber a Commissioner in Bankruptcy appointed by the District Court of the United States for the district of Maryland under an act entitled "an act to establish a uniform System of Bankruptcy throughout the United States personally appeared Joseph R. Coolest[on] proprietor and publisher of the Cambridge Chronicle and made oath that the prefixed advertisement giving notice to the Creditors of Thomas Smoot of his Petition in Bankruptcy was published in said Newspaper once a week for ten successive weeks, the first publication having been made on the 18 day of March 1843

Sworn before Wm H Stewart
Com. in Bankruptcy

Assnt Certificate

In the matter of Thomas Smoot a Bankrupt } In the District Court of United State for the District of Maryland

The assignee in this Cause leave to Certify and does Certify That the said Bankrupt hath Bona fide surrendered to him all his property and rights of property as set forth in the Inventory annexed to his petition with the exception