ing and giving his aid and countenance to so important a measure.

As it is all important that this meeting should be a very large and general one, and as for that purpose, it was thought necessary that there should be ample time given to circulate the invitation in all parts of the county; a day *after* harvest rather than a day *before* harvest has been thought of, as more convenient to the citizens generally, & particularly to the Farming interest of the county.

THE VOICE OF FRIENDS.

For the Easton Gazette.

Mr. Editor:—

The subject of Primary Education deeply concerns and agitates the public mind in these enlightened days, and it behooves all parents and guardians to consult together and devise the best and least burdensome and most effectual method by which instruction may be brought to every man's door in our county. There are but few cases in which local legislation ought to be at all tolerated, but I really apprehend, Sir, that this is one which absolutely requires such a system to ensure success. 'It would puzzle a Philadelphia Lawyer,' Sir, to draft a law which should embrace all the minutiæ of detail that would be applicable to 21 School districts into which our County is divided, by which the warring and jarring interests of a sparse population—scattered about the necks, and nooks and corners of our deeply indented land—and separated by creeks that never slumber in the storm—could be effectually and fairly secured. It does appear to me, that the only legislative act that is at all necessary, would be one, by which the Commissioners should be empowered to levy such sum or sums as each individual school district might require to be levied upon the taxable inhabitants within their own limits If men will only regard the warning voice of experience, they will find that all schools and colleges have their own peculiar rules and regulations, and that each, is, and of right, ought to be, perfectly free and independent of the other, and of all the world besides They cannot exist by any other tenure.

Now it would seem that there are some real, radical defects in the law relating to primary schools in Talbot county In the first place, we are not informed by *whom* the 'taxable inhabitants of each school district shall be notified to assemble together.' If they have not been notified, as is really the fact, they can not be said to have 'neglected or refused to assemble to levy a tax, &c.' Consequently the duty has not devolved on the commissioners to do that which the taxable inhabitants of the same have never refused or neglected to do. By the provisions of the 24 Section, the taxable inhabitants are to levy a tax on the taxable property of each district, or to raise a sufficient sum therefore in some other way to *build* a school house, purchase fuel, books and stationary, and in case of their neglect or refusal to do so, the Commissioners are directed to proceed to levy a tax for that purpose. Let us now pause to make some estimate of the sum that each district would have to raise A *site* must be purchased and a school house *must be built*, [There is no provision made for buying or renting,] which would probably require $150 whilst fuel, books and stationary might cost fifty dollars more, making for each district two hundred dollars and for the whole county $4200.

The 3d Section provides for the levying a poll tax of two dollars per annum on each individual, whether male or female, having one child or more between the age of six and fourteen years, and an annual income either from the product of his or her own labour or from any other source of one hundred dollars, and a poll tax of three dollars upon any one of the same description having an annual income of one hundred & fifty dollars, and after the sum raised in this manner shall be added to the existing school fund which may be received by Talbot county from the Treasurer of the Western Shore, the deficiency necessary for paying the Teacher &c. shall be raised by a tax on the taxable property in the county, as other charges are levied and raised. It has been partially ascertained that the average poll tax would probably very little exceed the salary to be paid by the provisions of the 8th Section, to the district clerks, which is fixed at 'fifteen dollars;' whilst the average school fund to each district will probably not exceed fifty dollars. The salary for each teacher would probably cost three hundred dollars, from which, if we deduct the school fund we shall have the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars to be provided for each district which being multiplied by 21 the number of districts, gives us the neat round sum of five thousand two hundred and fifty dollars to be levied annually upon the tax paying people of Talbot County exclusively for the support of primary schools. It the above conclusions are erroneous, some of your correspondents will be pleased to point out the same for the benefit of the public.

I would respectfully hope, sir, that strenuous efforts be made to repeal the existing law, and that some one more eligible and equitable be *proposed* and *prepared* for the consideration of our Delegates at the next session of the Assembly. If the sum of $1050 was levied upon the county & apportioned to each School district, this added to the existing school fund would make $100, as part of the salary of each Teacher If the Trustees and their clerk were selected from amongst those Parents or guardians having one or more children to educate, and of course interested therein, & if they were authorized or required to build, buy or rent a school house and contract with a Teacher, and were empowered to *constrain* the attendance of every child of suitable age in each district at such school, we might then possibly calculate, that the next generation in Talbot county would not be altogether so destitute of the first principles of education, as the present one. If it is an admitted maxim, that a diffusion of intelligence amongst the people, is the very life and soul of republicanism; and if the Parents and Guardians of the future hope of our country—if the rational beings that Providence has given them, cannot, or will not appreciate the vast importance of educating their children, the strong arm of the law should be extended over them, and provision made that the republic receive no damage from their obstinacy and neglect. For it is a lamentable fact, that there are many fathers and mothers in Talbot County, who ignorant & unenlightened themselves—& incapable of appreciating the valuable blessings of Education, are not only prepared, to impede, but actually to turn aside the benevolent current of primary instruction that may be flowing at their very threshholds. Now if such persons, shall have the ability, as they have the inclination, to thwart the designs of public benefactions and nullify the act of our Legislatures, why should taxes be levied and money expended for no purpose under heaven, since the property holders who are the only tax payers, can and do educate their own children without asking legislative aid, or proposing primary school bills. There are, perhaps, school houses in each district, and it only requires the exercise of prudence and discretion to carry the system into effect, without burthensome impositions upon the people.

A TAXABLE PARENT.

June 10th 1835.

PRICES CURRENT.

BALTIMORE, June 17.

Grain—The only transaction in Wheat is the sale to-day of a lot of 2900 bushels prime machined Maryland red, from store at $1.50 per bushel.

Corn is still advancing. A lot of Virginia mixed was sold yesterday at 97 cents, and several lots of Maryland, both white and yellow were sold at $1. A small parcel or two to fill up a vessel was sold at $1.01, but to-day the market is rather flat and the article will not bring $1. Sales of Rye at 97 cents a $1. A sale of Maryland Oats yesterday at 55 cents.

MARRIED

On Thursday evening last, by the Rev. Mr. Hazel, Mr. David McMahan to Mrs. Rebecca Bartlett, all of this county.

On the same day, by the same Mr Edward Davis to Miss Elizabeth Bartlett, all of this county.

MASONIC.

The members of Washington Lodge No 59, inform the fraternity that there will be a procession in Denton on Wednesday next the 24th inst. to which all Free and Accepted Antient York Masons are invited to join. Fancy Aprons and sashes will be worn; the Lodge will meet at 10 o'clock, A. M.

June 20

Agricultural Notice.

The Trustees of the Maryland Agricultural Society for the Eastern Shore will hold their next meeting at Otwell, the residence of Col. Ns Goldsborough, on Thursday 25th inst. at 11 o'clock. A punctual attendance of the members is requested.

M GOLDSBOROUGH, Sec'ry.

June 20

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Talbot County, will be sold at public sale on Wednesday 1st day of July next, at the late residence of Mary Ann Wrightson, in the Bayside, all the personal estate of said deceased (Negroes and Bank Stock excepted) consisting of Household and Kitchen Furniture, Farming Utensils, two Carts, one old Gig and Harness, Bacon and Lard, also

HORSES, CATTLE, SHEEP

and HOGS. And various other articles too tedious to enumerate

Terms of Sale—On all sums over five dollars, a credit of six months will be given, by the purchaser or purchasers giving note with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale, till paid. All sums of and under five dollars the cash will be required, before the removal of the property. Sale to commence at 9 o'clock, A. M. and attendance given by

JAMES L. WRIGHTSON, adm'r.
of Mary Ann Wrightson, dec'd.

June 20 2w

Primary School Notice.

The inhabitants of most of the School Districts, having failed to comply with the law requiring them to meet in their respective districts, to choose Trustees and clerks, and the duty of appointing them having by law devolved upon the Commissioners for Talbot county; this is therefore to request that, such information will be given to the Commissioners on or before the 30th inst. by some portion of the inhabitants of each district as will enable them to make such appointments as will be fit and acceptable. It being also requisite that school houses, stationary, fuel, &c. should be provided in each district it is desirable that the Commissioners be informed what districts are destitute so that they may make the necessary levies therefor.

Per order

THOS. C. NICOLS, Clk.
to the Commissioners of T. C.

June 20

LAND FOR SALE.

WILL be offered at Public Sale on Thursday the 30th inst at 3 o'clock, P. M. at the court house door in the town of Easton, to the highest bidder, on a credit of six months that valuable tract or parcel of land, generally known as the Parvin Property, situated within a few miles of Easton, on the Choptank river, and adjoining the land of Mr. Joseph Martin, and that heretofore owned by Cyrus Nowlin (now by Col. Hughlett) This valuable estate, which contains about 650 acres, might be very advantageously divided into two farms, with a large proportion of wood and timber land to each, and possesses advantages for improvement, far beyond any that I know of in the county, having an abundance of Marl in every direction of easy access and of the richest quality—and an inexaustible source of vegetable matter such as marsh mud, rich mould, &c.

THEODORE DENNY, agent.
of Susanna Parvin.

June 20

TRUSTEE'S SALE
OF
Valuable Real Estate on Pratt Street, Baltimore & on Choptank River, Caroline County, Md.

By authority of a decree of the High Court of Chancery of Maryland, I will offer at public sale, on the premises on Thursday the 9th of July next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., all that Lot of Ground & premises, No, 11, Pratt street, city of Baltimore two doors below Charles street, and four doors above the Baltimore and Ohio Rail road Depot. This lot is a parallelogram fronting twenty five feet on the south side of Pratt street and extending back eighty feet to an alley twenty feet wide—The improvements upon it consist of a three story Brick House with a two story back building attached thereto the front is divided into two stores, & now occupied by Mr. John Simonson, Chair maker & Mr. D. Smith Boot Maker. I understand this property from its location, is very valuable and offers strong inducements to those who are disposed to invest their money in productive real estate. The title is in fee simple clear of all ground rents, &c. Those who are disposed to purchase can examine the premises for themselves or enquire for particulars of Peter Gould, Esq., South Charles st., near Pratt-st

Under the same decree I will also offer at public sale on the premises on Thursday, the 16th of July next at 3 o'clock P. M., that beautiful property situated on the Great Choptank river Caroline county, Md., known as Richardson's or Gilpin's Point, now in the occupancy of Robert T. Keene, Esq, late Sheriff of said county. This tract contains about,

360 ACRES

of which a large portion is covered with valuable Timber very convenient to navigable water. The improvements thereon consists of a large frame mansion House, with kitchen, smoke house, wash house, quarters, &c., together with a large and commodious Store House, with a brick cellar; and there is also attached a substantial wharf recently re-built upon which there is a very ample granary for the reception of the produce of the country with valuable sheds and a carpenter shop appendant. As a stand for the sale of goods, &c. this situation is not surpassed perhaps by any country place on the E. Shore. The quantity of grain and other produce received, is, I understand, quite sufficient to keep a bay vessel constantly employ in running it to Market. Connected with this property there is a profitable Herring & Shad Fishery. This situation is highly desirable for business or pleasure, being about 12 miles from Easton and the same distance from Denton. The premises being supplied with a spring of never failing water, and remarkable for healthiness, may be considered amongst the most beautiful, pleasant and lucrative seats upon the Choptank, river, and offer great temptations to purchasers. Those who are disposed to purchase can examine the property for themselves, or, for information, may enquire of Gen. William Potter, of Caroline, or of Robert T. Keene, Esq., on the premises.

According to the Terms of Sale of the above property, prescribed by the decree, one third of the purchase money is required to be paid on the day of sale, and the residue in two equal payments of one and two years, with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by bond, with surety to be approved by the Trustee.

JAMES A STEWART,
Cambridge, June 20 3w Trustee.

TALBOT COUNTY, to wit:

On application to me the Subscriber, one of the Justices of the Orphans' Court, of the county aforesaid, by petition in writing of Wm. James of Talbot County stating that he is pressed for debts which he is unable to pay, and praying for the benefit of the act of Assembly, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, for the relief of insolvent Debtors, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said acts—and the said William James having complied with the several requisites required by the said acts of assembly—I do hereby order and adjudge that the said William James be discharged from imprisonment and that he be and appear before the judges of Talbot county court, on the First Monday in November Term next, and at such other days and times as the Court shall direct, the same time is appointed for the creditors of the said William James to attend, and shew cause, if any they have, why the said William James should not have the benefit of the said acts of Assembly.

Given under my hand the sixteenth day of June 1835.

June 20 E. N. HAMBLETON.

TALBOT COUNTY, to wit

On application to me the Subscriber, one of the Justices of the Orphans' Court of the county aforesaid, by petition in writing of Joseph Floyd stating that he is under execution for debts, that he is actually unable to pay, and praying for the benefit of the act of Assembly, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, for the relief of insolvent Debtors, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said acts—and the said Joseph Floyd having complied with the several requisites required by the said acts of assembly—I do hereby, order and adjudge that the said Joseph Floyd be discharged from his debts and that he be and appear before the Judges of Talbot County Court, on the first Monday of November Term next, and at such other days and times as the Court shall direct, the same time is appointed for the creditors of the said Joseph Floyd to attend, and shew cause, if any they have, why the said Joseph Floyd should not have the benefit of the said acts of Assembly.

Given under my hand this eighteenth day of May; 1835.

LAMBERT W. SPENCER.

may 20

Talbot County, to wit.

On application to me the Subscriber, one of the Justices of the Orphans' Court, of the county aforesaid, by petition in writing of Alexander B. Joiner, stating that he is under execution, and praying for the benefit of the act of assembly, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, for the relief of Insolvent Debtors, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said acts—and the said Alexander B. Joiner having complied with the several requisites required by the said acts of assembly—I do hereby order and adjudge that the said Alexander B. Joiner be discharged from his debts, and that he be and appear before the judges of Talbot County Court, on the first Monday in November Term next, & at such other days & times as the Court shall direct, the same time is appointed for the creditors of the said Alex'r. B. Joiner to attend, and shew cause, if any they have, why the said Alexander B. Joiner should not have the benefit of the said acts of Assembly.

Given under my hand the 18th day of June, 1835.

may 20 LAMBERT W. SPENCER.

VENDUE NOTES DUE.

Those persons who purchased property at the sale of the estate of Wm. Shehan dec'd. are hereby notified, that their notes became due on the 17th inst. and that unless they are paid to my agent Thos. C. Nicols, Esq. forthwith, they will be put into the hands of an officer for collection.

SUSAN A. SHEHAN, Adm'rx.
of Wm. Shehan, dec'd.

June 20 3t

Talbot County, to wit.

On application to me the Subscriber, one of the Justices of the Orphans' Court, of the county aforesaid, by petition in writing of William Marshall, stating that he is pressed for debt which he is unable pay, and praying for the benefit of the act of Assembly, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, for the relief of Insolvent debtors, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said acts—and the said Wm. Marshall, having complied with the several requisites required by the said acts of assembly, I do hereby order and adjudge that the said William Marshall be discharged from his imprisonment, and that he be and appear before the judges of Talbot County Court, on the first Monday in November Term next and at such other days and times as the Court shall direct, the same time is appointed for the creditors of the said William Marshall to attend, and shew cause if any they have, why said William Marshall should not have the benefit of the said acts of Assembly.

Given under my hand the 12th day of May 1835.

E. N. HAMBLETON.

June 20

Cash for 30 or 40 Negroes.

Including both sexes, from 12 to 25 years of age. Persons having likely servants to dispose of will find it to their interest to give us a call, as we will give the highest cash prices for Negroes. Mr. Alexander S. Jones can be found at all times in Easton or Centreville.

OVERLY & SANDERS.

N. B. All letters addressed to Mr. A. S Jones in Easton or Centreville, upon the subject will be immediately attended to.

OVERLY & SANDERS.

June 20

CASH FOR NEGROES.

The Subscribers live in the State of Tennessee, & wish to purchase 30 or 40 young Negroes in families, for their own use and will give the highest prices. They will remain but a short time on this Shore, any note or information left with Mr. Wheeler will be punctually attended to. Women and children would be preferred.

JONATHAN WEBSTER and
J. H. WEBSTER.

June 20 3wq

FOR SALE,

Upon a liberal credit, or exchange for land, the commodious Dwelling House and lot, formerly the residence of Mrs R. L. Kerr, in Easton.

For Rent, several farms—An Overseer wanted for the next year.

JOHN LEEDS KERR.

Easton, June 13 3w

ATTENTION.

The Subsriber respectfully informs the Farmers of Talbot County, that he will travel through the county during the latter part of the present and first of next month, to castrate colts Persons wanting his services will please leave a note for him with Mr. Solomon Lowe, in Easton, stating the number of colts they want altered and their ages.

JAMES FICKEY.

June 13 3t

VENDUE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Talbot county, will be sold, at Public Sale, on WEDNESDAY the 24th inst., at the late residence of Dr. Ennalls Martin, dec'd all the personal estate of said deceased, consisting of Household and Kitchen Furniture, one double carriage, two milch cows, Horses, Cattle and Carts, also a wood lot at Ivey Town, well Timbered.

Terms of Sale.—On all sums over five dollars a credit of six months will be given, the purchaser or purchasers giving note with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale—on all sums of five dollars and under, the cash will be required, before the removal of the property.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M. and attendance given by

JAMES G. MARTIN, Executor
of Dr. E. Martin, dec'd.

N. B. The House and Lot in Easton, (the late residence of Dr. Ennalls Martin, dec'd) advertised to be sold on the 9th inst. not being disposed of on that day, will be offered for sale at the same time.

J. G. M., Ex'r.

June 13

FARM FOR SALE.

The Subscriber wishes to dispose of a small farm pleasantly situated on a branch of the Choptank river from which is derived an abundant supply of the best fish and oysters to be found in the State, the soil is fertile and in a high state of cultivation, the neighborhood agreeable and proverbially healthful, such an opportunity for securing an eligible situation on the salts rarely occurs and those disposed to purchase would do well to make an early application.

SAMUEL T. WATTS.

June 13 (W) 3tq

Talbot County, to wit:

On application to me the Subscriber, one of the Justices of the Orphans' Court, of the county aforsaid, by petition in writing of William Benny, stating that he is pressed for debt which he is unable to pay, and praying for the benefit of the act of Assembly, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, for the relief of Insolvent Debtors, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said acts—and the said William Benny, having complied with the several requisites required by the said acts of assembly, I do hereby order and adjudge that the said William Benny be discharged from his imprisonment, and that he be and appear before the judges of Talbot County Court, on the first Monday in November Term next, and at such other days and times as the Court shall direct, the same time is appointed for the creditors of the said William Benny to attend, and shew cause, if any they have, why said William Benny should not have the benefit of the said acts of Assembly.

Given under my hand the 9th day of June 1835.

LAMBERT W. SPENCER.

June 13th.

We are requested to say that the above named petitioner is *not* William Benny of Jonathan.

New Wholesale and Retail
HAT STORE.

168, MARKET STREET, BALTIMORE,
Between Charles and St. Paul's Streets.

The subscriber having taken the store lately occupied by Bremond & Co. Hat Manufacturers, wishes to inform his friends and the public, that he has now, and intends keeping on hand, a good assortment of HATS, of various fashions and qualities, and such as he can, with confidence recommend to those who may be disposed to favor him with their custom. He respectfully invites Merchants and others, visiting the city, to call and see his Stock before purchasing elsewhere; and as he will employ none but experienced and faithful workmen, and will endeavor to sell no Hats, which he cannot believe, will give entire satisfaction, he hopes to merit and receive a share of public patronage.

FRANCIS S. CORKRAN.

Baltimore, 6th mo. 6th tf

FOR SALE.

IN consequence of a settled disease, I have had for more than two years, deprives me of paying that attention to my farms, that is necessary to my interest, and I have come to the conclusion of disposing at private sale my farm, lying within four miles of the Trappe, and about one mile from Great Choptank river, containing 484 1 2 acres of land—this farm is now laid off in three lots, and three fields, the former is well improved, and the latter can be made so, as the soil is chiefly white oak land, there is a new brick well of first rate water in the yard, and also a fine Mineral Spring within 300 yards of the dwelling, this tract of land was formerly in two farms, and can be made so again, if persons should be disposed to purchase together—the TIMBER is very abundant, being much more than is necessary for the farm, which could be disposed of to great advantage by a person living on the estate. The timber consists chiefly of white oak. The situation is considered healthy Persons disposed to purchase, will of course view the property.

Terms of sale.—On the delivery of the estate, one fourth of the purchase money must be paid in cash, and the balance in 1, 2 and 3 years, equal payments with approved security, interest from the date until paid—and on the payment of the whole purchase money, and not before, a good and sufficient Deed will be given. Apply to the subscriber, residing on his farm in Oxford Neck, Talbot county.

NICHOLAS THOMAS.

Anderton, may 9 6w

The editor of the Caroline Advocate, will please copy the above, and charge Easton Gazette office.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

The Subscriber respectfully begs leave to inform his customers and the public in general, that he has just returned from Baltimore and is now opening a large assortment of the above articles, consisting of Gentlemens Boots, Montoes, Shoes and Pumps, boy's ditto Ladie's Lasting, Kid, Morocco, Seal and leather Shoes, Childrens Lasting, Morocco and leather boots, of all sizes and various colours, infants ditto—also a handsome assortment of Patta leaf

HATS

Blacking, &c. all of which will be sold on the most reasonable terms, together with a good assortment of

Materials,

which will be manufactured in the best manner to order. The subscriber having been engaged for a long time in the above business and endeavored so far as he was able, to give general satisfaction, feels a confident hope that he will still continue to receive that liberal share of the public patronage which has been so liberally extended to him heretofore.

The public's obedient servant

JOHN WRIGHT.

april 25 tf (W.3)

TAILORING.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs the Inhabitants of Easton and its vicinity, that he has commenced the above business in all its varieties at the shop next door to the Post Office, where he will attend to all orders in his line, with punctuality and dispatch.

Having served his time in one of the first establishments in Baltimore, and studied the art of Cutting to perfection, he feels confident of giving satisfaction to all who may honor him with their patronage. He has made arrangements to receive the

FASHIONS

regularly, as they come out; and hopes from his unturing disposition to please, to merit and obtain a share of public patronage.

The public's obedient servant,

JOHN SATTERFIELD.

SYTHE CRADLING.

THE undersigned, grateful for past favors informs his customers and the public generally that he has on hand a first rate assortment of the best materials for cradling Sythes and is prepared to make or repair to order, on the most approved plan,

WHEAT CRADLES,

of either sprung or sawed stuff, provided early calls be made. He would also request such of his customers as have old Sythes that want repairs, to send them to his shop as soon as possible, to enable him to have them done in time.

The public's obedient servant,

JNO. B. FIRBANKS.

June 6 tf

House, Sign, Ornamental and FANCY PAINTING,

The subscribers having entered into partnership for the purpose of carrying on the above business, leave to assure the public that all orders left at their shop, opposite McNeal's & Robinson's Store, will be strictly and faithfully executed Old Chairs handsomely repainted, Stands, Immitations of wood, Marble, &c. Also Odd Fellows Aprons and Banners neatly executed. Orders from a distance specifying any of the above, will have immediate attention. They respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

E. S HOPKINS,
JAS. HOPKINS.

P. S. E. S. Hopkins continues to paint Portraits and Miniatures at the Shop Back of Mr. John Wright's Shoe Store. Likeness warranted and Painting well executed. Those who wish to avail themselves of this opportunity, will please to call early as he wishes to pay a visit to the adjoining counties in a short time.

june 6 3w (W)

NEW SPRING GOODS

Wilson & Taylor

HAS just returned from Philadelphia and Baltimore and have opened their usual supply of

SPRING GOODS.

to which they invite the attention of the friends and the public generally.

april 25

Day Labourers Wanted.

Sober, attentive, and industrious day Labourers will be wanted at the New Church about to be erected at Miles River Ferry—wages paid weekly in cash. They who wish to be employed there will make immediate application to

R. H. Goldsborough,
one of the Building Committee.

march 28

TO RENT
For the ensuing Year,

AND possession given on the first of January eighteen hundred and thirty-six, my FARM in Edmondson's Neck called "Cook's Hope," at present occupied by Mr. Barnett Parrott. Also, the Farm adjoining Perry Hall, called 'Morlings,' now in my own cultivation, To a suitable tenant the above farms will be leased on accommodating terms. Apply to

MARIA ROGERS.

Perry Hall. May 30 tf

To the Farmers and Gardeners.

The undersigned having made arrangements for disposing of the valuable SHELL MARL which exits on her estate in Talbot county, informs the agriculturists on and near the navigable waters of the Chesapeake Bay that her agent, Mr. Thomas Martin, is prepared to deliver the above article, in any quantities that may be required.

A platform or stage has been run out into deep water, where vessels of 12 feet draft of water may lie in safety. The Marl may be taken from the banks at the price of one cent a bushel cash.

The fertilizing properties of calcareous marl are now so well known, that it is unnecessary to advert to the subject—in reference to this deposit it may be stated that it consists of Sea shells, with very little admixture of earth, and contains from 2 to 4 times the quantity of lime that is contained in the best English Marl. Those wishing to purchase will please address Mr. Thomas Martin, Trappe, near Easton, Md. or the undersigned, Baltimore.—Vessels going for it will pass up the Great Choptank until the Dover bridge appears in sight—they will then come to Barkers landin where they will find the lands of the undersigned on the west bank of the river Samples of the marl can be seen at Messrs. Tyson & Fisher's, Market street

ISABELLA SMYTH.

Baltimore, may 30

The following is an extract from the report of the Geologist appointed by the state of Maryland to make a minute geological survey of the State.

"But perhaps the most valuable beds of shell marl in this part of Talbot county, inasmuch as they may be made extensively available to the public demands for the article, are those which were fully described in the preceding report. They occur three miles below Dover bridge, forming the high bank from fifteen to twenty feet above tide, being one compact mass of fossil shells, and extending nearly a mile along the river, on the farms of the late Col Smyth and Mr Atkinson. These beds are in contiguous strata, apparently successive, and consist of vast accumulations principally, in the according order, of oyster shells succeeded by clam shells intermixed with other marine shells, scollop, clam and scollop, and uppermost principally of scollop. Endeavor was made to bring these beds into notice, with a view of enlisting them into the public service, by giving to their proprietors what was deemed proper directions for extracting the materials, and salutary advice as to a just estimate of its value, in order to secure a constant and permanent disposal of it. The subject is now in progress of experiment. South of these banks on the Choptank, no other deposite of marl is known to occur."

may 30

JOHN W. MILLIS,
COACH, GIG, & HARNESS

MAKER

MOST RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public generally of Talbot and the adjacent counties, that he has just returned from Baltimore with

a first rate assortment of the

BEST MATERIALS

in his line, which he is prepared to manufacture in the best manner and at the shortest possible notice. By the assistance of some experienced workmen and his own attention to business he feels satisfied that he shall be able to give satisfaction to all who may patronize him. His shop is on Washington street near the Tan Yard of Messrs. H. E. Bateman & Co. and immediately fronting the Bay Side road.

He pledges himself that no exertions will be wanting on his part to render his work equal to any manufactured on the Eastern Shore in point of style and durability.

All kinds of repairs done at the shortest possible notice and on accommodating terms.—Old Gigs taken in exchange for work of any kind, or in payment of debts due the subscriber; or, he will give fair prices in cash for such as will bear repairing.

april 11

P. S. He feels called on to say to his customers that his absence from his shop during the winter was owing to circumstances beyond his control, but he has surmounted them all, and is permanently fixed with a determination to fill up the vacant space his absence caused for the time in his business.

☞ The subscriber wishes to obtain a BODY MAKER. Constant employment and the highest cash price will be given.

J. W. M.

FOR SALE.

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