POETRY.



INTEMPERANCE.

By Mrs. Sigourney.

Parent!—who with speechless feeling,
O'er thy cradled treasures bent,
Every year new claims revealing,
Yet thy wealth of love unspent;—
Hast thou seen that blossom blighted,
By a drear untimely frost,
All thy labor unrequited?
Every glorious promise lost.

Wife! with agony unknown
Shrinking from afflictions rod,
Is thy prop—thine idol broken,
Fondly trusted—next to God.
Husband?—o'er thy hope a mourner,
Of thy chosen friend ashamed,
Hast thou to her burial borne her.
Unrepentent—unreclaimed.

Child!—in tender weakness turning,
To thy heaven appointed guide,
Doth a lava poison burning,
Tinge with gall affections tide.
Still that orphan burden bearing,
Darker than the grave can show,
Dost thou bow thee down despairing,
To a heritage of wo?

Country!—on thy sons depending,
Strong in manhood, bright in bloom.
Hast thou seen thy pride descending,
Shrouded by the unbounded tomb.
Raised on eagle pinion soaring,
Rise!—like one of god-like birth—
And Jehovah's aid imploring,
Sweep the spoiler from the earth.

Valuable Farm

FOR SALE.

By virtue of a decree of Queen Ann's county court the subscriber as trustee will offer at public sale on THURSDAY 1st day of June, at Centreville at 12 o'clock, the farm known by the name of Prospect Bay, situated in Piney Neck, Q. A. County.

This farm is beautifully situated on Eastern Bay and Greenwood's Creek—where the various luxuries of the water can be had in great abundance, the shores afford a quantity of sea ooze and some shells, which make the farm very susceptible of improvement. The farm is of a sandy quality, and adapted to the growth of corn, is well divided with fencing principally of Chesnut. There are about 25 acres of Marsh, about 250 acres of arable land, and the residue in



WOOD LAND:

containing in the whole, by late survey

375 Acres and 1 Rood.

The improvements consist of a small



Two story frame Dwelling

Kitchen, meat house, Quarter, Windmill, Corn house, Stable, and a large Barn, embracing two corn cribs, granary, carriage house, and two sheds. To a person in want of a farm this cannot fail to please, as for beauty of situation and general advantage, it is surpassed by few.

It is presumed persons wishing to purchase will view the premises which will be cheerfully shewn them by W. A. G. Hobbs residing thereon.

The terms of sale as prescribed by the decree are, that the purchaser or purchasers shall give bond with approved security for the payment of the purchase money in three equal instalments of six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale. Upon the payment of the money and the ratification of the sale by the court, the trustee will execute a good and sufficient deed to the purchaser, free of all incumbrances.

VALENTINE BRYAN, Trustee.

april 15 ts

The Easton Whig and Gazette, the Caroline Advocate and the Kent Bugle, will please insert this advertisement until the day of sale—mark price and charge the Times Office.

TO THE PUBLIC.

I hereby forwarn all persons from receiving a sealed bill of mine, to Thomas Cloud, bearing date 17th March 1837, for $100 00. —Also another sealed bill of mine, to said Cloud, of same date for about $60 or 70. As I am determined to resist the payment of the same, the said Cloud having *secretly* the subscriber out of the same and since absconded.

ADAM) McKNETT.

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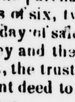
LUMBER, LUMBER.

For sale at Easton point, a cargo of White Pine Boards, and Shingles. Persons wishing to purchase, will please make early application, as the cost of removing it to town, will necessarily enhance the price.

J. H. McNEAL.

April 29

THE SLOOP



SALLY LLOYD,

Captain ROBERT A. DODSON, will after the 8th of April, be ready to receive freight from Skipton Creek or Wye River.

Apply to the Captain at Wye Landing.

April 1.

JAMES LL. MARTIN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

HAS taken the office on Goldsborough St. formerly occupied by Wm. Hayward.

Easton, May 13, 1837.

Tilghman's Island FOR SALE.

This Island is situated in the Chesapeake Bay, at the mouth of Choptank River, and contains by actual measurement 1869 acres of Land, of which at least 900 acres are heavily covered, with

Yellow Pine, and White and Red Oak Timber.

It is now cultivated in three farms, all under good fencing, and well tilled—The improvements consist of three tenants houses, two large brick, and one framed quarter, three framed barns, and other necessary farm buildings. It will be sold entire or divided into two parts to suit purchasers, one fifth only of the purchase money will be required to be paid in cash, the balance to be paid in five equal annual instalments, with interest from the first day of January next, when possession will be given. This property is well worthy the attention of dealers in timber and wood, on account of its proximity to the Baltimore and other markets. The purchaser will have the privilege of seeding wheat this fall, and can obtain all the stock and farming implements on the Northern moiety of the Island at a fair price, and on a credit of twelve months. For further information apply to John H. Tilghman No. 2, South street Baltimore, or to

JOHN TILGHMAN,

Centreville, Queen Ann's county, Md.

April 1. 5t

N. B. Mr. Henry Burrows or Capt. Thos Smith, both of whom reside on the Island, will show the premises, to any person wishing to purchase.

LAND FOR SALE.

The subscriber having had bad health, for the last ten years, so much so as to deprive him from attending to his Farms, which is necessary to his interest, and being desirous to close his affairs as soon as possible, will dispose of the following property, below its value.

The farm on which Mr. Ezekial H. Cooper, resided, for the last two years, about five miles from the Trappe, and one or one and a half from Choptank river,

Containing **484 1-2** Acres.

This Farm is laid off in three fields and three lots, the latter is very fine land, capable of producing 150 Barrels of Corn—one of them well set in Clover,—the fields fine land to improve,—there is a new well of first rate water near the Dwelling, and also a fine mineral spring, about 300 yards from the Dwelling. A large quantity of





WHITE OAK TIMBER, AND WOOD, can be spared, enough I presume, to pay nearly double the mount of the purchase, which is convenient to deliver on the river,—the situation is considered to be as healthy as any in the neighborhood.

This Farm, was formerly in two, and persons wishing to purchase, can divide it with convenience. I have not rented this Farm for the present year owing to the difficulty of getting seed wheat, and possession can be had on the disposal of it.

Also, one half of the adjoining Farm, containing

150 Acres, more or less,

Belonging to the late Dr. Edward Harris' heirs and myself, with a good supply of

TIMBER,

And is rented for this year to Mr. Edward V. Davis. A part of the purchase money is required to be paid, and the balance on such credit as may be agreed to, and on the payment of the purchase money a good and sufficient deed will be given.

Persons not acquainted with these Farms, by application to Mr. Martin Goldsborough, will be shown them,—not being able myself, as I am confined to my room. For terms apply to

NICHOLAS THOMAS.

Anderton, Oxford Neck.

March 21, 1837. (W3t)

MARYLAND,

Talbot County Orphans' Court.

28th day of April, A. D. 1837.

On application of William Hayward and Joseph R. Price, administrators of William Hayward, late of Talbot county deceased—It is.

ORDERED, That they give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate and that they cause the same to be published once in each week for the space of three successive weeks in one of the newspapers printed in the town of Easton.

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of proceedings of Talbot county Orphans' Court, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office affixed this 28th day of April in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirty seven.

Test, JAS. PRICE, Register of Wills for Talbot county

In compliance with the above order

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

That the subscribers of Talbot county have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Talbot county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of William Hayward, late of Talbot county deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof to the subscribers, on or before the 10th day of November next, or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under our hands this 28th day of April, 1837.

WILLIAM HAYWARD
JOSEPH R. PRICE,
Administrators of
William Hayward, dec'd.

may 6.

Notice.

To all persons whom it may concern.—We the undersigned commissioners appointed by the Honorable Judges of Talbot County Court, to go upon and enter the lands of Clementina Hopkins deceased, and value and appraise the same in current money, and divide and make partition of the said lands among the Representatives of the deceased, according to law—if the said lands can be divided, without loss or injury to all the parties—In Execution of the said commission we will meet, on the premises, near the Trappe, on Monday, the fifth day of June next. Witness our hands, March 28th 1837.

Solo. Dickinson,
John Edmonson,
E. N. Hambleton,
Solo. Mullikin.

April 1 1837

Temperance Convention, AT DENTON.

Pursuant to a resolution passed at the Temperance Convention held at Easton in June last,—a similar convention will be held at Denton Caroline County, Md. on the last Tuesday in May (30th inst.) All the Temperance Societies in the State of Delaware, and on the Eastern Shore of Maryland and Virginia, are earnestly desired to send Delegates; so that each County may have at least ten Delegates in the convention—It is to be hoped that the friends of temperance will be mindful of this convention; and appoint such delegates as will attend.

Easton, May 6, 1837.

The editors of Newspapers on the peninsula are respectfully requested to give the above a place in their respective papers until the convention.

NEW SPRING GOODS.

William Loveday,

Has just received from Baltimore, and is now opening at his Store House, a fresh supply of

STAPLE GOODS,

adapted to the approachingseason.

March 18. (W.eow 6

MARYLAND,

Talbot County Court, Equity side thereof

Bennett Tomlinson, vs. Thos G. Loockerman, and others. } Ordered, that the sale made by Bennett Tomlinson, Trustee for the sale of the real estate of Thomas G Loockerman, deceased, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the third Monday of May next, provided a copy of this order be published in some one of the newspapers published in Talbot County, once a week, for three weeks, two months previous to said third Monday, of May.

The Trustee states the amount of sales, to be two hundred and eighty three dollars.

E. F. CHAMBERS,
P. B. HOPPER.

True Copy,
Test, JAMES PARROTT, Clk.
March 4

NOTICE.

The Farmers of Talbot and the adjoining Counties are respectfully invited to examine a Grain Thrashing Machine, which the subscriber is now exhibiting at Mr. Lowe's Tavern in Easton; he flatters himself they will find it superior to any which has hereto fore been brought into the county.

GEORGE SMITH.

April 22 3tq

E. P. ROBERTS & SADNS & NEILSON

Having purchased the Establishment of the

FARMER & GARDENER.

Successor to the

AMERICAN FARMER,

And being desirous to place it within the reach of every agriculturist in the United States, have concluded to *reduce its subscription price from five dollars, to two dollars and a half*, per year, from and after the beginning of the next volume, which will commence in May next.

It is now nearly eighteen years since the American Farmer was first established. Prior to its institution, there were no paper exclusively devoted to agriculture in the country, and it will not be arrogating any thing but what it deserves, to say, that, as it was the pioneer in the good work, the labors of its former conductors must have been productive of much solid advantage to those for whose benefit it was established. In continuing its publication, the present proprietors flatter themselves that its pages will be found to contain matter at once calculated to instruct & interest the agricultural reader. So far as they are concerned, they are determined to conduct it with industry, unflinching perseverance, & with undivided attention to the great and important purposes which called it into existence. They feel certain that none of its patrons will have cause to complain, at the end of their subscription year, that they have left any effort unessayed to render it worthy of their confidence and support.

In reducing its subscription price, they have ventured upon an experiment full of risk and responsibility, and as they have done so under the influence of motives which they must be permitted to say should commend it to a greatly increased subscription—as they can alone look to *that* as the source of their remuneration—and as in so doing, their labor will be much increased—they appeal to its present patrons to aid them in giving it an extended circulation. They are confident that those who now honor them with their support, can, without personal inconvenience, in their own immediate neighborhoods, and among their persons' friends, by using their deserved influence, procure such an addition to their present list of subscribers, as will not only realize their fondest expectations; but place them under renewed obligations of interest and gratitude, to render the *Farmer and Gardener* a welcome visitor to the fireside of every farmer and planter.

The farmer and Gardener will at once be a faithful repository of original communications from practical agriculturists and horticulturists, and of judicious selections from every other available source. Foreign, and domestic agricultural, and scientific works, will be constantly resorted to, for the purpose of furnishing materials calculated to advance the prosperity and happiness of the country, and of adding to the intelligence of the American husbandman.

In fine, whatever concerns the business, of the *farm, domestic animals of all kinds, newly invented implements of husbandry, those of approved utility now in use*, together with the principles and practice of agriculture, horticulture, and gardening generally, will be regularly and conscientiously noticed. The *prices of produce* in this market, and the value of *bank notes* will be weekly laid before its readers.

With a view of keeping their patrons advised of all superior breeds of animals already introduced, or which may be hereafter imported, they will sieze the earliest opportunity of translating all such information to the columns of their journal.

TERMS, &c.

Price two dollars and fifty cents per annum or all subscriptions paid in advance, or within one month from the date of subscription—all subscriptions which remain unpaid beyond that period, will be charged at the rate of three dollars per year.

BLANKS

OF EVERY DESCRIPTIOIN FOR SALE AT THIS OFFCE.

ADDITIONAL SUPPLY OF Seasonable Goods,

STEVENS & RHODES

Are receiving and opening at their store rooms opposite the Court House, an additional supply of

Seasonable Goods;

which will be sold cheap for cash, or exchanged for kersey, linsey, wool, feathers, &c.

Their friends, and the public generally, are respectfully invited to give them a call.

nov 26

WANTED,

Immediately from 4 to 6 Journeymen Saddlers. Applications in writing can be made to the subscriber at Easton Maryland. None need apply but such as can come well recommended for sobriety and attention to business.

WILLIAM W. HIGGINS.

Sept 24

The Baltimore American will publish to the amount of two dollars and charge this office.

MARYLAND.

Talbot County Orphans' Court,

14th day of February, A. D. 1837.

On application of John S Martin, Adm'r of Thos. Martin, of Jos. late of Talbot county deceased—It is

ORDERED, that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, and that he cause the same to be published once in each week for the space of three successive weeks, in one of the newspapers printed in the town of Easton

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of proceedings of Talbot county Orphans' Court, I have hereunto set my hand, and the seal of my office affixed, this 14th day of February, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirty seven.

Seal.

Test JAMES PRICE, Reg'r. of Wills for Talbot county:

In compliance to the above order

Notice is hereby given.

That the subscriber of Talbot county has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Talbot county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Thos. Martin, of Jos. late of Talbot county deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof to the subscriber, on or before the 20th day of August next, or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 14th day of February 1837

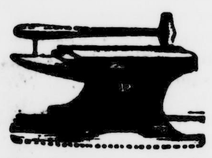
JOHN S. MARTIN Adm'r.
of Thomas Martin, of Jos. dec'd.

March 4 3w

JOHN BAKER,

Worker in Iron, Steel, &c.

Takes this method of informing his friend and the public generally that he has commenced and intends carrying on in all its varieties, (at the corner of West street and the Point road)



The Blacksmith's Business.

To those by whom he has heretofore been employed he deems it only necessary to inform them of his place of residence as he flatters himself that his work will recommend itself of the people of Easton and the County around, he solicits a share of patronage particularly in the line of

Horse Shoeing,

Plough & Cart work, &c &c

All he asks is cash enough to purchase materials; old Iron and Country produce will also be taken in exchange for work. J. B.

March 4, 1837. 3w3t.

NEW ESTABLISHMENT.

James S. Shanahan

CABINET MAKER.

HAS taken the shop on the West side of Washington street, next door to the corner below Dover street, in the large three story brick house, and nearly opposite Mr. John Camper's Store, where he intends carrying on the above business in all its various branches.

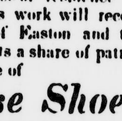
He has provided himself with a good

HEARSE,

And is now ready to execute all orders with eatness and despatch, and no pains will be ared to render general satisfaction, and pes to share a generous patronage.

April 22. tf

JOHN HENRY,



Sired by Valentine, will travel through the counties of Talbot and Caroline, & will be let to mares on the following reduced terms, viz: 6 dollars the spring's chance, 10 dollars to insure, and 4 dollars the single leap, 25 cts. to the Groom, in each case. Further particulars to will be made known in a handbill. Season to commence the 20th of March, and end the 20th of June.

ENNALLS MARTIN.

March .18 W)

FOR SALE,

The Subscriber wishes to dispose of his Farm, formerly the property of Mr. Manadier, situate in Talbot county, adjoining the farm of Mr. Harris. The farm consists of 72 acres, with a small dwelling, &c.

Also a Wood Lot of about 10 acres, adjoining said farm, will be sold on very low terms for cash.

DANIEL McGINNEY.

May 6

Caution.

I hereby caution Merchants, and others from trusting any person on my account, without a written order.

THOMAS PARSONS.

Talbot County, April 22

COACH, GIG &



HARNESS MAKERS.

The undersigned respectfully present their thanks to their friends and the public of Talbot and the adjacent counties for the many favours and flattering support, they continue to receive in their line, and now beg leave to inform them, that they are prepared to furnish

Coaches, Barouches, Chariotees
Gigs, Sulkies,
BUGGIES, CARRY-ALLS,

or any description of Carriage, at the shortest notice in the most fashionable and substantial manner, and on the most accommodating terms, they assure those gentlemen and ladies who are so worthy of ease and pleasure that there is no necessity of sending to the cities for handsome and good carriages, as their work will bear comparison and examination with the besteity work, and has stood the test of time and criticism; they will also say, that they will use every exertion to merit the unbounded confidence and patronage, their work has received from a generous and discerning public nearly all over the Eastern Shore of Maryland

Having enlarged their establishment considerably, and keeping constantly on hand a *Large and complete assortment of*

MATERIALS,

with the assitance of the best of workmen. they will be thankful to fill all orders. Gentlemen and Ladies at a distance have only to specify the kind of carriage and price and have it brought to their own door free of charge. All kinds of repairing done at the shortest notice, in the best manner, and on the most pleasing terms. Silver Plating of every description done in the establishment, and all kinds of Steel Springs, made and repaired.

They have now on hand, a handsome assortment of carriages, both new & second hand, of various kinds and prices, and they solicit an early call from their friends and the public generally.

The public's obedient servants,

ANDERSON & HOPKINS.

They have for sale, a pair of handsome young Horses, well matched, color, blood bay, warranted sound and kind to harness, also a first rate gig horse.

Wanting three apprentices at the above business of moral habits, from 14 to 16 years of age.

Easton Talbot county, April 9th, 1836.

The Eastern Shore Whig and Cambridge Chronicle will copy the above and discontinue our last.

THE SATURDAY NEWS AND *LITERARY GAZETTE*

A WEEKLY FAMILY NEWSPAPER

Devoted to Literature, Criticism, the Fine Arts, General Intelligence, News, &c.

Price Two Dollars per annum—payable in advance.

On Saturday, July 2, 1836, the subscribers will commence, in Philadelphia, the publication of a new weekly newspaper under the above title.

The *News* will embrace every variety of light literature, including, Tales, Poetry, Essays, Criticism, Notices of the Fine Arts, the Drama, &c. The original matter will be supplied by writers of the first eminence. A regular correspondence will be maintained with Washington, and the principal Cities of the Union, and arrangements are in progress by which letters from Europe will be constantly furnished.

Attention will be paid to securing at the earliest possible date the choicest productions of the English periodical press. Popular novels will occasionally be given, though they will not be suffered to interfere with a general variety The latest news, and all items of interesting intelligence will invariably form part of the contents.

The *News* will be printed on a folio sheet of the largest class, and will furnish as large an amount of reading matter as any weekly paper now published in this country. It will be conducted in a spirit of the most fearless

LOUIS A. GODEY,
JOSEP C. NEAL,
MORTON McMICAEL,

Agents of this paper will be allowed the usual commission.

Six copies furnished for ten dollars.

All payments to made in advance.

Orders, free of postage, must be addressed to L. A. GODEY, & Co.
No 100 Walnut St. Philadelphia

June 11

Our editorial friends in the country will oblige us by inserting the above prospectus, and accepting a free exchange.

THE STEAMBOAT



MARYLAND

Will on Tuesday next, resume her regular trips, leaving Baltimore for Annapolis, Cambridge and Easton every Tuesday and Friday mornings, at 7 o'clock, return the next days.

L. G. TAYLOR, Captain.

March 11

Commissioners Notice.

The Commissioners for Talbot County, will meet on Tuesday, the 21st inst, when applications for the Office of Constable will be received. The appointment of Constables will take place on Tuesday, the 28th inst. Supervisors of roads, will be appointed on Tuesday the 4th of April. Those supervisors who are willing to continue, to serve the present year, will please make their assent known to the Clerk. All persons having claims against the County, will bring them in legally authenticated and deposit them with the Clerk. The Commissioners will set twice a week, on Tuesdays, and Saturdays, for four successive weeks, commencing on Tuesday, the 24th of April, to hear appeals.

Per order,

THOS. C NICOLS, Clk.

March4 8t (W

For Sale, or Hire,

THE COPPER FASTENED



SCHOONER TAMALEPAS.

Now lying at St. Michaels. She registers upwards of 58 tons, and will carry from 22 to 25,00 bushels of grain, or forty cords of Wood. For tems apply to

JAMES M. LAMBDIN,
near the Oak, Talbot County.

April 22 3t

Wanted,

For the ensuing year, a man well qualified as a Teacher; of sober and moral habits, to conduct the school in district No. 1 Election district No. 2. For such a man, a liberal salary will be given.

Joshua E. Leonard,
John Dawson,
Jas. M. Lambdin.

Dec. 3, 1836.

JACK INDEPENDANCE.



Will be let to mares this season, commencing on the first of April, and ending on the 20th of June. The terms are, five dollars the spring's chance, and three dollars the single leap. 25 cts. to the Groom, in each case. He will stand at Hillsborough, the Trappe, at the Glebe Farm near Easton, and at the residence of the subscriber near the Chappel, once in two weaks, two days at each stand.

ENNALLS MARTIN.

March, 18. (W)

Collector's Last Notice.

All persons indebted for County taxes are hereby notified, that unless they come forward and make payment before the 20th of this month (February) they will be dealt with agreeably to law. My deputies have positive orders to proceed with execution after that time.

WM R. TRIPPE, Collector.

Feb. 4 tf

In my absence Mr. Harrington will attend to the business. W R T.

Wanted,

For the present year, a man well qualified as a Teacher, of sober and moral habits, to conduct the school No. 5, in the Lower District in Caroline county. For such a man, a liberal salary will be given.

Henry Towers,
Tilghman Sullivan,
Isaac Dukes,
Walter Jenkins,
Short A. Willis.
Trustees.

Feb 25

For Sale or Rent.

A very valuable Tan Yard in the Town of Easton, Maryland To an active and enterprising young man, with some capital, this property might be made very profitable, being in a neighborhood where there is a large consumption of leather, and a considerable supply of raw hides. The facilities of communication with the city of Baltimore are very great; ss two Packets and a Steam Boat ply constantly when the navigation is open. For farther particulars enquire at this office.

March 5, 1836.

The Delaware Journal and the paper at Dover will copy the above once a week for 8 weeks and forward account to this office for collection.

To the Public.

The undersigned, intending to resume the practice of Law, respectfully offers his professional services to the Public. His office is on Washington Street, nearly opposite the Methodist Protestant Church.

WM. R. PRICE.

Easton April 22, 1837.

New Spring Goods.

W. H. & P. GROOME,

HAVE just returned from Philadelphia with a very extensive assortment of

DRY GOODS,

Groceries, Liquors, China,

GLASS, &c.

Which added to their stock on hand, renders their assortment very complete. The public generally are respectfully invited to call and examine them.

April 29. 6t eow

MISS E. C. STUART,



MILLINER,

Feeling sensible of the gratitude which she owes to the public for the very liberal patronage, that she has received, since she commenced business, she again takes the liberty to inform them that she has just returned from the city with a

NEW ASSORTMENT OF

BONNETS,

OF THE LATEST FASHIONS,

She still continues at the stand which she occupied last year, on Washington Street, nearly opposite Mr. James Willson's Store, and next door to Mr. Samuel Hambleton's office, where she invites the attention of the Ladies and humbly hopes to share a part of their patronage.

Look at this.

All persons indebted to the subscriber on note or open account are requested to come forward, on or before the twelfth of May next, and settle the same, those neglecting this notice will be proceeded against at May Term.

H. GOLDSBOROUGH.

April 29

NOTICE.

At a meeting of the Talbot County Temperance Society, held on Monday the 1st inst. pursuant to notice Delegates were appointed to attend the Convention to be held in Denton on the last Thursday in the present month.

May 6.

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