Enoch A. Hall, at West Bloomfield, Ontario county, N. Y.

Matthew H. Stevens, at Shusan, Washington county, N. Y.

Jonathan K. Horton, at Greenwich, Washington county, N. Y.

Jerome D. Mosher, at White Creek, Washington county, N. Y.

John Harris, at Charleston, Middlesex county, Mass.

David Brigham, Madison, Iowa county, Wisconsin Territory.

Enos Smith, Racine, Racine county, Wisconsin Territory.

Jared Lake, South Port, Racine county, Wisconsin Territory.

Horace Hatch, Pike, Alleghany county, N. J.

Asahel Burrington, Burke, Caledonia county, Vt

Isaac Covington, Berlin, Worcester county, Md.

John C. Rouse, Argyle, Washington county, N. Y.

MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT AT ANNAPOLIS.—On Saturday morning last, while the son of James Murray, Esq. Secretary of State, of this State, and a youth, son of Mr. Carmon, teller in the Farmers Bank of Maryland, were playing together in the yard of Mr. Murray, the latter took up a gun near by, and presenting it at the former, fired and lodged the entire load in the left side of Murray—he lived but a few hours afterwards. The deceased was about 12 years of age. It is believed that young Carmon did not know the gun was charged.—Sun.

Melancholy Accident—Messrs. Henry Crandell and George Shipley left Annapolis on Wednesday the 10th inst., about two o'clock, in a small sail boat for West River, and when nearing the swamp shore in about three feet water, Shipley who was steering the boat with an oar, and sitting at the time on the side of the boat, by the our slipping was thrown overboard. He arose to his feet and called to Crandell to hasten to his assistance, but before Crandell could take in sail and get to him, a sea swept over him, knocking him down and he was seen no more.—He has left a wife & two small children to mourn their sudden loss.—[Md. Rep.

MCLEODS TRIAL POSTPONED.—In consequence of an error committed by the Clerk of Niagara county, in drawing a jury for the term of the Court to have commenced on Monday, the term would not be held, and the trial of McLeod will of necessity from this cause, independent of others be postponed till the next term of the Court.

From the Baltimore American.

VIRGINIA AND NEW YORK.—ANOTHER STEP IN THE CONTROVERSY.—It appears from an official publication in the Richmond Whig of Saturday, that a man named Curry, charged with forgery under the Laws of New York, has been arrested in the State of Virginia; and further that the Executive of the former State has in the usual manner demanded his surrender. The answer of Gov. Gilmer is that "the demand for the prisoner is in proper form, and will be complied with whenever a similar demand for the surrender of Peter Johnson, Edward Smith and Isaac Gansey, heretofore charged with felony under the laws of Virginia, shall be complied with by the governor or other authorities of the State of New York."

It is further ordered to be certified to the Governor of New York that measures will be taken for the detention of the said Curry for six months from the time of his arrest—a period which is believed to be long enough to enable the authorities of the State of New York to determine upon their course.

Such is the position of things at present. But we are rejoiced to see by the Richmond papers that the course of Gov. Gilmer does not meet with general approbation. It is declared that Virginia owes it to herself to act magnanimously, and to show her sacred regard for the constitution by a strict observance of its requisitions, though another State has not shown such regard in its action towards her. The Whig says:

Has not the case occurred when the the Governor of New York, under the Constitution of the United States, had a RIGHT to demand the surrender of a fugitive from the justice of that State? No man can or will deny it. Is the Constitution less operative upon Virginia, that New York in the case of the three fugitives who stole the negro, refused to deliver them up? It would be a strange and dangerous code of ethics which justified A in committing a crime, because B had also committed it.—Do two wrongs make a right? If New York violates the Constitution, does that authorise or excuse Virginia in doing it—Virginia who is always professing her undying allegiance to that sacred instrument? Rather, we would say, let Virginia embrace that opportunity to show her integrity. Let others do as they may, but in the sentiment of Holy Writ, and to parody its language, "let her serve the Constitution." The more others depart from its precepts and contemn its requisitions, the more does it become her to prove her fidelity.

The Compiler of Saturday states that a preamble and resolution are pending in the House of Delegates which disapprove of the course of Gov. Gilmer in declining to surrender the fugitive demanded by the Governor of New York. In the debate which took place on the subject, it is added that great unanimity prevailed, and that while the highest respect was evinced for Gov. Gilmer and a full appreciation of his patriotic motives, it was conceded on all hands to be due to the very principles contended for by Virginia in her controversy with New York, that the fugitive now claimed by the latter State should be surrendered. It is probable that some resolution recommending the giving up of the prisoner was passed by the House on Saturday.

ADDITIONAL.—RESIGNATION OF GOV. GILMER.

The foregoing article was prepared for yesterday's paper, but its insertion was prevented by the mass of foreign news which claimed place. Since then the intelligence has come from Richmond that Gov. Gilmer on Saturday resigned his office. The resolution expressing the disapprobation of the Legislature at his refusal to surrender the fugitive demanded by the Governor of New York was passed by a large majority in the House and unanimously in the Senate—accompanied however by expressions of high respect for his motives and of admiration for his patriotism. The Governor's resignation was sent to the two Houses on the same day.

It must be admitted that the action of the Legislature of Virginia in passing the Inspection Bill, by which the first example of retaliation was set in the controversy with New York, affords a sort of precedent for the further act of Gov. GILMER, which, he maintains, is only carrying out the same principle. The Legislature took the quarrel into its own hands as though the two States were sovereign, independent communities, without a common bond of Union and a common Government to which both owed allegiance. The Governor proceeded upon the same view. In his case the disregard of the Constitution was more palpable and direct than in the other; and the Legislature disapproved. It cannot be concealed that the reproof came with a bad grace from them, although we were glad to see it; for it indicated a sincere desire to obey the requirements of the Constitution which were not *knowingly* disregarded in the passage of the Inspection Bill. We say not knowingly disregarded—for it is a common thing to be blind to faults in ourselves, and to be able at the same time to discover the same with great clearness in another. With regard to the legislative act too a difference of opinion may be entertained concerning its constitutionality—although we have not much doubt about it ourselves. But in the Executive proceeding the disregard of the Constitution is unequivocal, and undeniable.

The resignation of Gov. GILMER is much to be regretted; but it would have been a matter of far greater regret if the cause which produced his resignation had been withheld. The sentiment of the Legislature, viewed in itself and apart from its implied inconsistency with their former act, was noble and magnanimous; honorable to Virginia and to the country.

GREAT FLOOD.—The Raleigh N. C. Register of the 19 instant says—

The unprecedented quantity of Rain, which has recently fallen, has caused an extraordinary rise in all our water courses—the greatest it is said, since 1794. At Smithfield, the River has overflowed its Western bank to the distance of nearly half a mile, while Waynesboro' is perfectly inundated. We understand, that the inhabitants there, as at Venice, visit each other in their Gondolas (*alias* Canoes) the street and lower parts of the houses being entirely submerged.

The "Fayetteville Observer" says that the River, at that place, *rose 55 feet* above low water mark, reaching within 11 feet of Clarendon Bridge, and baking water up Cross Creek over four mi'dams, to the very heart of the Town.

RUNNING FOR OFFICE.—The following good one is going the rounds.—Halloo, halloo, where are you going? 'I'm running for an office,' 'What office!' 'Squire Dox's—don't stop me—I'm sued.'

PRICES CURRENT.

Office of the Patriot, Thursday, March 25.

Wheat	(Red)	$0 87 a	0 93
	(white)	90 a	1 00
Corn	(yellow)	44 a	0 45
	(white)	43 a	0 00
	Oats	25 a	0 27

MARRIED

On Thursday last, by the Rev. Mr. Houston, Mr Samuel B. Merrick, to Miss Ann Jane Seymour, all of this county.

In this town on the 13th inst. by the Rev. Mr. Houston, Mr. William J. Hamilton of Baltimore, to Miss Caroline Kirby, of this county.

DIED

In this town on Monday night last, after a long illness, Edward, son of James C. and Elizabeth Hambleton, in the 17th year of his age, regretted by all who knew him.

In the Bay Side on Saturday last, the 20th after a short illness, Mrs. Maria, consort of John Kemp, Esq.

In Ferry Neck, on Thursday morning last, the 25th, Hugh, son of Hugh and Rebecca Valliant, aged 2 years 1 day.

Near Centreville, on the 23d inst. Mr. Edward Bourk.

A few days since in the upper part of Queen Ann's county, Mr. John T. Defford.

In the upper part of Queen Ann's county, on Wednesday last, Col. Tristram Thomas.

For Sale,

A light four wheel carriage, nearly new and made in the latest style; Also a young



BAY MARE, 5 years old this spring; goes well under the saddle and broke to harness—The subscriber will sell the above horse and carriage together or separate for good guaranteed paper, or on a credit of six and twelve months by the purchaser giving his note with approved security bearing interest from the day of sale.

CHARLES ROBINSON.

Easton, Md., March 27, 1841—3w

Branch Bank, Easton.

The President and Directors of the Farmers' Bank of Maryland, have declared a dividend of 3 per cent, on the Stock of the Company for the last six months, which will be payable to the Stockholders in the Branch Bank aforesaid, or their legal representatives, on or after the first Monday in April.

WM. H. TILGHMAN, Cashier.

March 27, 1841—3w

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, by an Act of Assembly of this State, passed at December session 1832, it is provided, that "if a special or extra session of Congress should be called to commence at such period as to make it necessary in the opinion of the governor and council, that the representatives in Congress from this State should be chosen before the time fixed by law for such election, then it shall be the duty of the governor, by Proclamation," to appoint a day for the election of said Representatives in Congress: And Whereas the President of the United States has, by his proclamation of the 17th inst. an official copy of which has been received, convened the two Houses of Congress to meet on the 31st day of May next, I do therefore appoint Monday, the 17th day of May next as the day for the election of Representatives from this State to serve in the Congress of the United States.

Given under my hand and the great seal of the State this twenty-sixth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one.

WM. GRASON,

By the Governor, Governor of Maryland.

JAMES MURRAY,
Secretary of State.

March 27

To be published once a week in every paper in this State till the election.

GAY STREET CHIAR WARE ROOMS.



THE proprietors of the GAY STREET CHAIR WARE ROOMS would respectfully inform their patrons and the public generally, that they have now finished their

SPRING STOCK

of Chairs; comprising probably, the greatest variety to be found in any one establishment in the Union. Amongst the assortment they have various patterns of the real wood, such as Mahogany, Birds-eye, Maple, Curled Maple, Plain Maple, Cherry and Walnut, also painted Chairs in imitation of the various woods, besides the greatest variety of Fancy Chairs, of stuff, cane and wood seats, all of which they will be happy to dispose of on the most accommodating terms

A & J. B. MATHIOT.

Baltimore, March 27, 1841.

Caroline County Court, sitting as a Court of Equity.

March Term, 1841.

Jacob Charles, Adm'r. of Brannock Smith, vs. Algernon Smith & others children and heirs at law, of William Smith, other wise called William J. Smith	The Bill in this cause and the Bill supplemental thereto state, that William Smith of Caroline county deceased, departed this life in the year eighteen hundred and one, having previously executed his last will and testament in due form of law, which after the death of the said William Smith was duly proved as the law requires in the Orphans' Court of Caroline County; that the said William Smith to and by the said will devised to his son William otherwise called William G. Smith, all his the testators house and farm or plantation upon condition that he the said William Smith should pay unto the testator's other son Brannock Smith, one hundred pounds: that the said William G Smith, has departed this life, without having paid he said legacy of one hundred pounds to the said Brannock Smith, and also without having left any personal estate out of which the same can be paid; that the said Brannock Smith is also dead and that administration of his personal estate hath been granted to the complainant the said Jacob Charles, by the Orphans' Court of Caroline county by reason whereof the complainant is entitled to have and receive the said legacy of one hundred pounds: which cannot be paid without a sale of the said lands or of some part thereof, the Bill supplemental states that since the exhibition of the original bill, William Smith who was at that time a minor has arrived at age and resides out of the State of Maryland and beyond the process of this Court, being a resident of the State of Delaware. In the said original Bill a decree for the sale of the land is prayed for, at October Term eighteen hundred and forty, an order of publication was issued by this Court giving notice to the said William Smith of the filing and object of the Bill and that he be and appear in this Court on the second Monday of March instant to show cause if any why the said decree should not be passed as prayed for, but the publication of the same has been neglected. It is therefore this 15th day of March eighteen hundred and forty-one, ordered adjudged and decreed by Caroline county Court, sitting as a Court of Equity, that the said complainant by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in one of the newspapers published at Easton, Talbot county, once a week for three successive weeks at least three months prior to the second Monday of October next, do give notice to the said William Smith of the filing and objects of this Bill, and that he be and appear in this Court on the second Monday of October next, to shew cause if any he have, why the said decree should not be passed as prayed for, otherwise the said Bill will as to the said William Smith be taken pro confesso.

Test, JO. RICHARDSON, Cl'k.

True copy.

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March 27—3w

TUSCARORA.



WILL make his next season at the stable of the subscriber in Oxford Neck.

Terms.—Spring's Chance five Dollars.—Insurance ten dollars.

T. TILGHMAN.

March 27

Postponed Sale.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a Decree of Talbot County Court, as a Court of Equity, the subscriber will offer at public sale, on the premises, on Thursday the 25th day of February next, between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 4 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, all that farm or plantation, now occupied by William Willson, of which William Atwell, late of Talbot county, died seized,—agreeably to a plott in the possession of the subscriber, this farm contains about Three Hundred and Forty-One acres of Land, more or less, of which there are fair proportions of arable and wood land. The terms of Sale as directed by the Decree are,—a credit of six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest on the purchase money. The purchaser or purchasers to execute to the subscriber, his or their Bond or Bonds with approved security for the payment of the purchase money—On the payment of the whole purchase money and interest the subscriber is authorized to execute a deed or deeds for said land.—Those who wish to view these premises are referred to Mr. Willson who resides on them. The plott will be exhibited, whenever desired, by the subscriber. Further particulars made known on the day of sale.

T. R. LOOCKERMAN, Trustee.

Jan 30—ts

The above sale is further postponed till Thursday next the 1st day of April, to take place as above.

T. R. LOOCKERMAN, Trustee.

March 27

MARYLAND:

Talbot County, Orphans' Court.

19th day of March, A. D. 1841.

On application of Jeremiah Leonard, Ex'r of William Leonard, late of Talbot county, dec'd.

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 19th day of March, A D. 1841

Test,

JAS PRICE, Reg'r. of Wills,
for Talbot County.

In compliance to the above order

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

That the subscriber of Talbot county hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Talbot county in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of William Leonard, 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 1st day of February 1842, or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 19th day of March, 1841

JEREMIAH LEONARD, Ex'r.
of William Leonard, dec'd.

March 27—3w

MARYLAND,

Talbot County Orphans' Court.

26th day of March, A. D. 1841.

On application of James H. Hopkins, adm'r. of John Hopkins, late of Talbot county, dec'd.

It is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, & 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 26th day of March in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and forty-one.

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 have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Talbot County in Maryland, letters of Administration on the personal estate of John Hopkins late of Talbot 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 subscriber, on or before the 30th day of September next, or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 26th day of March, A. D 1841.

JAMES H. HOPKINS, adm'r.
of John Hopkins, dec'd.

March 27—3w

THE IMPORTED MALTESE ASS



Peter Simple,

Will stand for mares at Easton and at Deep Water Point, near St. Michaels, the farm of John N. Hambleton, at 6 dollars the spring's chance, and 25 cents to the groom. The season to commence in Easton, on Monday 29th March and end the 29th June.

On Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays of each Week, the Jack will be in Easton and on Fridays and Saturdays at Deep Water Point.

JAMES AULD, Manager.

March 27—4t

NOTICE.

The subscriber respectfully informs those persons who gave their notes to him on 30th of September 1840, that they will be due on the 30th of this month, and that punctual payment is expected, otherwise they will be placed in an officers hands for collection.

STEPHEN C. HARRINGTON.

March 27—3wq

A CARD.

The subscriber returns his heartfelt thanks to the citizens and firemen of Easton for their generous efforts (though unavailing) to rescue his property from the flames during the burning of his office on Saturday morning last.

N. B. Those persons desirous of closing their accounts can find the subscriber at the office of H. E. Bateman, Esq. where he will attend for the purpose of closing his business.

GEO. W. SHERWOOD.

March 20th, 1841.

NOTICE.

The subscriber having removed to that large and comfortable three story brick building, situated at the corner of Washington and Cabinet streets, in the town of Easton, is now prepared to accommodate with board, six or eight persons, by the week, month or the balance of the present year.

SAMU'L. S. SATTERFIELD.

March 20, 1841

MILLING.

The undersigned, having rented the Mill now owned by Wm. H Tilghman, Esq. in the Chapel District, possibly better known as Holt's Mill, begs leave to inform the citizens of Talbot and the adjacent counties that he is prepared to accommodate all those who may be disposed to try him with their custom, conscious that he can be able to give general satisfaction—having served a long time at the business with a good Miller in Queen Ann's County, and since then been a considerable time employed in the best merchant Mill in the State, and the Mill he now has rented has recently been put in excellent order—he therefore hopes to share a liberal portion of the public patronage.

The public's obedient servant,

THOS. J McKENNY.

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☞P. S—Any person who will furnish five bushels of good wheat, weighing 60 lbs free from all filth, shall receive a barrel of good flour of the common weight and any citizen of Easton or its vicinity, that may wish to give him a trial and will send their wheat to the store of Bathell & Hambleton in Easton, they shall have no further trouble with it, except to send to the store again for the flour, as my cart shall convey it to the mill and back again free of charge

T. J. McK

SALE OF

Valuable Real Estate.

By virtue of authority derived from Talbot County Court, as a Court of Equity, I will sell on Tuesday, the 6th of April next at the Court House door in the Town of Easton, in Talbot County, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M. all the real estate of which John M G. Emory, died, seized—consisting of a tract or parcel of Land, containing the quantity of Three Hundred and Eighty-Eight Acres, more or less, situated on the main road leading from Easton to Acres Ferry, and within a mile of said Town.

I propose to sell that portion of said tract of land laying on the right hand side of said road, in lots of five and ten acres each to suit the convenience of purchasers. There will then be enough on the left side of the road to make a handsome farm—on this part of the farm there is an excellent mill seat.—The land is generally good, and with a little expense might be made very productive.—There is several wood lots a short distance from the farm, which will be sold as part thereof. I will also sell at the same time, the House and Lot on the Dover street, in Easton, at present occupied by Mrs Emory, as a Dwelling. Also a lot on same street opposite the property of Wm. W Higgins, Esq.

The terms of sale, as prescribed by the Decree are—one hundred dollars to be paid on the day of sale, and the balance in four equal instalments of six, twelve, eighteen and twenty-four months, with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by bond and security to be approved by the Trustee.

I hereby advise the creditors of John M. G. Emory, deceased, to exhibit their claims to the Clerks office of Talbot County Court, within four months from the day of sale, with the vouchers thereof.

JAMES LL. MARTIN, Trustee.

March 20—3w

IN CHANCERY.

13th March, 1841

Foster Pritchett, vs Nancy Pritchett & Peter Bayard Pritchett and others.	The object of the bill filed in this cause is to obtain a decree for the sale of the Real Estate whereof Collison Pritchett died seized, lying and being in Caroline County, for the purposes of division, the same not being susceptible of partition.

The bill states that the said Collison Pritchett hath departed this life intestate, seized of Real Estate lying and being in Caroline County, and leaving Nancy Pritchett his widow, and the following persons his children and heirs at law to wit, the complainant Foster Pritchett, and Peter Bayard Pritchett, Edward Pritchett, James Wesley Pritchett, Arianna Pritchett, Sarah Ann Pritchett, William Henry Pritchett, Thomas Burchenal Pritchett and Collison Pritchett to whom the said Real Estate has descended; that the said Real Estate is not susceptible of division so as to be of advantage to the parties entitled, that the said Arianna, William Henry, Sarah Ann, Thomas Burchenal and Collison Pritchett are infants under the age of twenty-one years. The bill also states that the said Nancy Pritchett the widow, Peter Bayard Pritchett, James Wesley Pritchett, Arienna Pritchett, Sarah Ann Pritchett, William Henry Pritchett, Thomas Burchenal Pritchett and Collison Pritchett reside in the State of Maryland.

It is therefore adjudged and ordered that the complainant by causing a copy of this order to be published in some newspaper once in each of three successive weeks before the 24th day of April next, give notice to the said non residents defendants of the substance and object of the bill that they may be warned to appear in this Court in person or by a solicitor on or before the 13th day of August next, to shew cause, if any they have why a decree should not be passed as prayed.

True Copy,

Test, RAMSAY WATERS,
Reg. Cur. Chan.

March 20

COLONIZATION.

At the Annual Meeting of the Maryland State Colonization Society held at Annapolis, it was determined to hold a Convention of the friends of colonization, in the City of Baltimore, and THURSDAY, the 3d of JUNE next, has been fixed upon for its assembling.

It is hoped, that the representation from every part of Maryland will be full. That each county will appoint and send at least thirty delegates; and this communication is addressed to you, in the hope that you will use your influence in your vicinity to call attention to the subject. The necessity of so important a measure will be found in the following brief abstract of statistics. In the year 1790, there were but 8,043 free coloured people in the State—there are now 61,937. In 1790, every 27th free man in Maryland was a Mulatto; now the free black population is to the white population, nearly as 1 to 3. In several of the counties, the free coloured is to the white population, as 1 to 3; and, in one instance, where it was as 1 to 10 in 1790, it is now as 1 to 2. Excluding the increase in the City of Baltimore, the white population in Maryland has *diminished*, in the last 10 years; and the free coloured population has increased 17 per cent. Even with the increase in Baltimore, the whole white population has increased but 8¼ per cent.; but half the rate of increase of the free coloured population. In nine of the counties of the State, there has been a gradual *decrease* of the white population since 1790, and a rapid increase of the free coloured population. In one instance, the white population has, during this period, nearly halved, and the free coloured population more than doubled.

In the year 1790, there were 105,036 slaves in Maryland, and the slaves increased until 1810, when there were 111,552 in the State; they afterwards decreased—now the number of slaves is 89 819.

The whole coloured population, slave and free, in Maryland in 1790, was 111,079, and it reached its greatest amount in 1830, when it was 155,932. It is now 151 556, the diminution having been caused in the face of the increase of the free coloured people, by the large exportation of slaves to the South during the last few years.

Thus statistics shew, that the free coloured population is increasing, and the slaves are diminishing; & if, as is probable, but few slaves are sent to the South for some years to come, the next census may shew, that while the entire coloured population is not diminished, yet that it is changing its character, and is becoming a free coloured population; and when this change takes place, the relations of the white and coloured population must necessarily cease to be of the harmonious character which it has heretofore been; and that process will commence, by which the stronger and more vigorous population displaces the weaker and the less active. The material increase of the whites, and the European immigration will fill the avenues of labour, and the coloured population, yielding to the elastic pressure of a free white race, will be compelled of necessity to remove. Whether their removal takes place without conflict, depends upon the facilities and inducements to remove that may be held out to them. And to promote this, as the only means of obviating a state of things, which is otherwise inevitable, there is no agency known but colonization.

The increasing consequence too, and importance of the colony of Maryland in Liberia and its claims to a continuance of countenance and support, and new additions of emigrants, demand a deeper interest and more general, efficient and systematic action to carry out the intents of the Society and the State, than have heretofore been exercised in this behalf.

The subject is one that will not admit of neglect. It possesses a daily increasing interest. It calls for the deliberate consideration of the friends of Maryland and of humanity. It appeals to the patriot, the christian, and the philanthropist, to consider it, and to consider the subject of colonization, and all matters therewith connected, the Convention of the 3d of June next has been called. The influence which the proceedings of this Convention will exert upon the public, will depend much upon its being a full representation of the people of Maryland; and the hope is again expressed, sir, that you will use your exertions in procuring the appointment of delegates from the county in which you reside. The secretary of the meeting, at which delegates are appointed, should transmit a copy of the proceedings to Dr. JAMES HALL, General Agent of the State Colonization Society, Baltimore. I am, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

JOHN H B LATROBE,
Prest. Md. State Col. Society.

NOTICE.

In pursuance of the above, meetings will be held in the several election districts of Talbot county as follows—at the Trappe on Monday the 5th day of April next; at Easton on Tuesday the 6th; at the Chapel on Wednesday the 7th; and at St. Michaels on Thursday the 8th—all to commence at 2 o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of appointing eight delegates from each district to attend the above mentioned convention. The Agent of the Society will be present at each of the said meetings and will deliver an address explaining more fully the objects of the Convention.

March 20, 1841.

STEAM MILL.

The Subscribers wish to inform their patrons and the public generally, that they have commenced running their Steam Grist and Saw Mill at Easton Point, where they intend keeping a constant supply of

FLOUR AND MEAL,

of the best quality, so that their customers may be supplied at any time they may wish.

The Saw Mill will also be kept constantly running in order to accommodate those who may favor them with their saw timber.

The subscribers having in their employment an experienced, sober, *honest* and industrious Miller and Sawyer, hope by paying strict attention themselves to receive a generous patronage, both in the Flour, Meal and Lumber business.

JOSEPH K NEALL.
THOMAS KNIGHT.

March 20

P. S. The Subscribers intend keeping a good pair of Timber Wheels and team for the accommodation of those who may want to get logs to the Saw Mill.

J. K. N. & T. K.

BLANKS,

Of every description for sale at this Office.

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