The Easton Gazette.

Next door to Campbell's Drug Store,
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SATURDAY MORNING . . . . . APRIL 30, 1859.

RE-NOMINATION OF HUMPHREY MARSHALL.—Hon. Humphrey Marshall has been re-nominated for Congress from the seventh congressional district of Kentucky by the opposition.

A large number of colored people in Chicago are making preparations to emigrate to Hayti; having accepted an invitation from President Gaffrard to settle in the island.

SHOCKING STEAMBOAT EXPLOSION.—The explosion near Memphis, a few days ago, of the steamer St. Nicholas, resulted in the destruction of fifty-two persons, as well as the total loss of the boat and cargo.

WEATHER AT THE SOUTH.—A severe hail storm occurred at Augusta, Ga., last Friday, breaking considerable window glass and killing pigeons. At Richmond, Va., a severe storm prevailed on Friday and Saturday. There were rain, hail, thunder and lightning. All the mountains in Virginia were covered with snow on Saturday last.

THE PROBABILITY OF WAR IN EUROPE.—The New York Commercial has the following extract from a private letter written by an American gentleman now on the continent of Europe to his friend in New York city, the writer being in a position to observe correctly the current of affairs:—

In spite of the Congress to be assembled, there will be no peace. Neither France nor Austria wants peace. The peace party of Europe is confined to the Derby Ministry in England, to the anti-Austrian Regency party in Berlin, and to the Stock Exchange. The Derby Ministry is now powerless. Russia will remain neutral until Austria is attacked at home; and Russia aims at nothing but the humiliation of Austria.

War is necessary, even in a financial point of view. It is the only means of avoiding national bankruptcy, the only decent excuse for not paying the interest on the public debt in Austria or making a new loan in France. The war, however, may be confined to Austria and France.—In no case will the Emperor of France provoke a coalition.

A MARYLAND SLAVE'S VISIT TO RHODE ISLAND.—The schooner John H. Trovis, Captain Tolly, has arrived at Norfolk from Providence, R. I. Among her crew is Sam, a slave belonging to a gentleman in Dorchester county, Md. It appears from a statement in the Norfolk Herald, that while in Providence he was beset by a number of "freedom shriekers" and told that he was a freeman. Sam, however, declared that he was going back to the vessel—that he was as free as he wanted to be, his master having instructed him to runaway whenever he wished to leave his service. The shriekers then took up a collection of $50 or $60, which they offered Sam to remain with them. This, too, he refused, when they turned upon him with such curses and threats that he had to make his escape to the vessel, whither he was hotly pursued. Taking refuge in the gally, he valiantly defended himself with a broad-axe, and with aid of Captain Tolly, finally put to flight the whole crowd of abolition fanatics, and thus got back safe to the South.

THE BALL ROLLING IN VIRGINA.

By the following letter from Judge Robertson, it will be seen that he has consented to run for Congress in the Richmond District against the regular democratic nominee—Hon. John S. Caskie. Judge Robertson is a democrat himself, but not of the modern school, and, as he will no doubt command the united vote of the Opposition, together with thousands of the Conservative Democrats, his election may be set down as highly probable, if not as certain. The letter we copy from the Whig:

To the Voters of the Congressional District Composed of the City of Richmond, and the Counties of Henrico, Chesterfield, Goochland, Louisa, Hanover, King William and Caroline.

I respectfully offer to serve you, should such be your pleasure, in the next Congress of the United States.

After having some years past voluntarily withdrawn from public life, it is not without much hesitation, and unaffected diffidence that I now present myself before you. I do so, however, on mature reflection, and not so much, I frankly avow, because of the urgent solicitation of friends, as from a desire once more to record my vote in the journals of the Federal Legislature in support of the principles I have ever professed and maintained, and in opposition to the excessive prodigality, the manifold corruption, and the palpable and avowed usurpations of the Federal authorities.

The election is too near at hand to admit of my canvassing the district, even if such a course were altogether conformable to my own judgment and feelings.—I shall not, therefore, make the attempt.—I am conscious of my many deficiencies—perhaps not to their full extent. No man is a proper judge of the strength or weakness of his own pretensions. Mine, such as they are, I submit to your more unbiased judgment, simply referring you to my past life and published opinions. Your decision, what ever it may be, will meet with my cheerful acquiescence. Were I every way worthy to represent you, I could not have expected a party nomination, nor do I now solicit a mere party vote.—My humble services and paramount allegiance are due to the State which gave me birth; and my best efforts, whether in private or public life, have ever been, and will ever be, devoted to her welfare, her institutions, her rights, and her sovereignty.

JOHN ROBERTSON.

TO THE PUBLIC.

IN the Star of the 19th ult., I find a letter addressed, not to you, but to myself, over the signature of A. H. Mackey. I am well aware that you must be disgusted with this controversy. The attempt with fiendish malignity to fasten on me the charge of falsehood and desire to gratify personal feeling on my part towards an individual by the secret agency of another, must plead my apology for further taxing your patience.—I did suppose my first card with the statement of Mr. Harris reported by me of what Mr. Mackey himself had stated of the charge as originally made by Mr. Martin against me, would be satisfactory to all candid minds. By an artful dodge however in the certificate of Mr. Mackey as published by Mr. Martin, the public as well as myself were misled it seems. I did suppose that the original charge was that the enclosure in the note of Tuesday night to Mr. Mackey contained the alleged obnoxious language in reference to Mr. Martin and so met it.—Mr. Mackey in his certificate of March 12th said, "This was the *second* letter prepared by Mr. Hambleton for me to copy and send to Mr. Gundaker." Again "I hereby certify that a few days before I paid to Mr. Martin the distributive share, ect." This italicised word "*second*," and the assertion that this "*second*" letter was written only *a few days* before the payment of the money, which was on or about the first of March, 1858, whereas the note of Tuesday night was written on the 26th of January, 1858, and the enclosure of same date it is to be presumed; together with the total silence as to Mr. Harris' statement, led me to suppose, the charge that the note of Tuesday night covered the obnoxious draft of letter to Gundaker, was abandoned. The public as far as I know were so led to believe. Many persons stated to me this view of the matter. Mr. Harris' statement as published by me was not denied or impugned; and he was told on all hands that he had nothing further to do with the subject matter of controversy. Now however there is no mistake about the charge. The note of Tuesday night, the 26th of January, is alleged to have contained the draft of letter for Gundaker, and the obnoxious language in reference to Mr. Martin. Upon my denial and full statement of the contents of that letter respecting the question of interest heretofore made by me, and the statement of Mr. Harris as to what Mr. Mackey alleged on the 8th of March in reference to that draft of letter enclosed to him, in the note of Tuesday night, the matter must rest.

Mr. Mackey in his last letter to me says "I had copied and sent a letter previously prepared by you respecting the interest.—He (Gundaker) promptly replied in substance that he was willing to any thing agreed to by his counsel, Mr. Martin. That correspondence ought now to be in your possession." I aver unhesitatingly that I never saw, read or heard of any such letter from Gundaker, or any thing in the shape of a letter from him, until I saw this statement in Mr. Mackey's letter. Of course I have no such letter in my possession. Mr. Mackey, as I have before stated, told me he had not copied and sent the letter enclosed to him in the note of Tuesday night (which was solely in reference to the question of interest)—that he had resolved to ask no favors of them but to stand on his legal rights. If this letter was previous to the 26th of January, as it must have been, it was more than "a few days" before the payment of the money, which was on or about the first of March. "A few days" is indefinite it is true—like the words "*some time afterwards*," as to when he alleges he gave Mr. Martin notice of the contents of the enclosed draft of letter. The "*some time afterwards*," was very short. Mr. Martin states he got possession of the note of Tuesday night on the 8th of February last; on the 15th of February Mr. T. S. Hayward communicated the alleged contents to Mr. Harris and on the 16th I addressed Mr. Martin on the subject. The report was then rife in the county. I have now answered Mr. Mackey's letter to me so far as the true and only issue involved is concerned. The other parts of it I trust I shall not be expected to notice. No one in the community imagines Mr. Mackey composed it. I presume Mr. Mackey will not so state. Who did this work for him and made him the channel for vent of their malignity towards me, I leave the community to judge. I have no proof and make no charges on suspicion. Professing to expose an alleged similar act of secret malignity on my part, they are now over Mr Mackey's signature perpetrating the act they profess to censure and expose.

SAM: HAMBLETON.

Apr. 29th, 1859.

TO THE PUBLIC.

I SEE a piece in the last Star over the name of Mr. A. H. Mackey, in which my name is used as follows: "And what transpired at the interview between Mr. J. H. Harris and myself is also of no importance, one way or the other, when Mr. Harris comes before the public over his own signature, and attempts to give that conversation, it will be time enough for me to meet any statement he may make, in conflict with my certificate published by Mr. Martin." Also in the same piece "Subsequently Mr. Harris, whether at your instigation or not, I will not say, paid me an unexpected visit to ascertain all about the Gundaker letter and where it was to be found, &c." Justice to myself compels me to reply to this language.

Mr. Mackey must know that I would not for more than a month suffer a statement to appear in the newspapers as coming from me, if it was untrue. Besides we have frequently met since on the friendliest terms; if he regarded my statement incorrect, he should have stated so to me. I now being called out by the language of his piece, say, that the statement made by Col. Hambleton in his first piece of the 9th of March, of the interview and conversation between Mr. Mackey and myself is entirely correct. I further state that the whole conversation between Mr. Mackey and myself was in relation to the letter enclosed in the note of Tuesday night to him. We talked of no other letter. It was of that letter so enclosed and to be copied and sent to Gundaker that he said he had burnt it. Upon my asking him why he did not state his recollection of the contents of that letter to Hambleton as he had requested, Mr. Mackey replied he could not do so, he did not recollect what it contained. I then said to him, have you never stated to Martin, that the letter contained the charge, "If Martin gets your money you will never get a dollar of it." Mr. Mackey at once replied, I never so stated to Mr. Martin or any body else.

I further state that I did not hold that conversation and interview with Mr. Mackey at the instigation of Mr. Hambleton.—He read his first piece to myself and some other friends; his friends suggested that in justice to all parties some mutual friend should see Mr. Mackey before he published his piece. They insisted I should do so, as they were sure some mistake existed about the matter.

Apr. 28, 1859–1t J. H. HARRIS.

Why will you suffer? Dyspepsia is a brief, but comprehensive term for the numerous diseases which affect the stomach, liver, and in fact, the whole system. Until Dr. Green discovered the Oxgenated Bitters, medical science had exhausted itself in vain attempts to cure this disease.

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Prices Current.

BALTIMORE, April 27, 1859.

WHEAT—About 1,500 bushels offered. Sales as follows:

Medium to fair,	1 47a$1 53
White—fair to good	1 57$a1 80
Good to Prime,	1 75a$1 80
Red—	1 56a$1 58
CORN—White and yellow,	80a82 cents
OATS—	47a52 cents
RYE—	95 cents

PHILADELPHIA, April 27.

WHEAT—Red,	1 52 a 1 58
CORN—for yellow	89 cents.

Marriages.

ROBINSON—CHAPLAIN.—On Wednesday, April 20th, in the Methodist Episcopal Church, at Trappe, Talbot county, Md., by Rev. John F. Chaplain, Mr. James L. Robinson, of Charleston S. C., to Miss Sarah Chaplain, of the first named place.

SEYMOUR—CALLOWAY.—In this county on the 26th inst, George H. Seymour to Arrena Calloway.

Deaths.

FISHER.—In this county, on the 2d of April, James A. Fisher, after a long and lingering illness in the 47 year of his age. The deceased was universally esteemed for his amiable disposition and upright character, and his death is mourned by a large circle of relatives and friends.

COLBURN.—Departed this life on Tuesday 19th inst., Mrs. Elizabeth Colburn, consort of Mr. Gilbert J. Colburn, in the 35th year of her age. By this melancholy dispensation of Divine Providence an affectionate husband and seven small children have experienced an irreparable loss.

CRACKERS.—Mason's superior Soda, Water and Wine Crackers, and Tea Cakes, constantly fresh, at (apr 30) H. C. MACKEY'S.

THE METHODIST.—The Methodist in 2 vols. Price $2 00 just received and for sale by (apr 30) CHAS. ROBINSON.

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SICKLES TRIAL.—A lot of "Sickles Trial" in full, embelished with Plates, will be received by Tuesday's Steamer and for sale by
apr 30–1t CHAS. ROBINSON.

GOLD WATCHES & CHAINS.—The subscriber has on hand several Gold Watches and Chains, which he will sell at about cost for Cash. Call and see
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NOTICE.

I SHALL charge on and after the 1st day of May, 25 cents for a horse feed of one gallon grain, and 12½ cts. whether he be fed or not.
J. Q. A. HADDAWAY.
Easton, Apr 30–2t Brick Hotel.

TO FARMERS.—I have a large lot of Plows Minor and Horton, with a supply of Moulds, Shares and Points, also double and treble Plows, Cultivators, Shares; Points, Heels, &c., for Patuxent, Chenowith and Moore Delaware Plows—with a full supply of Farming Implements; Rope Traces and Cordage of all kinds—always on hand, and for sale cheap by H. C. MACKEY.
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ALEX. H. MACKEY, Ex'tr
apr 30–2wS of Sam'l Mackey, dec'd.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

PERSONS who gave notes at the sale of the personal property of the late Nicholas Martin, Jr., on the 12th day of November last, are hereby notified that their notes will be due on the 12th day of May, 1859, when prompt payment will be expected.

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1859.

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MARION AND HIS MEN,

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New York Mercury for April 30.
where the first of these sparkling and popular sketches will be found.

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apr 23 J. P. BLAKE.

FLOUR! FLOUR!!—The subscriber has just received a large supply of Gambrill's Patapsco Mills Family, Extra and Super Flour, to which he would invite the attention of buyers as it will be sold at a very small advance on Baltimore prices for Cash. (apr 23) J. P. BLAKE.

EMBROIDERED COLLARS.—An elegant assortment of Ladies' French Work'd Collars.—newest styles and very low. Cambric and Swiss Edgings and Insertings. Dimity Ruffling some very handsome, just rec'd The Ladies are invited to examine them.
apr 23 J. H. GRACE.

FOR SALE.

A VALUABLE *House Servant, Waiter* and *Hostler*; is 23 years old, of sound constitution, and excellent character. He is sold for no fault, and will be disposed of upon very reasonable terms to a good home in the county.—Apply to the Editor. [apr 23–tf

Trustee's Sale.

IN virtue of authority derived from the Circuit Court for Talbot county, sitting in equity, I will, as Trustee, offer at public sale in the town of Easton, on
Tuesday, the 3d day of May next,
at 2 o'clock P. M., that House and Lot, situated on Talbot street, in the town of St. Micheals, adjoining the property of Alfred Harrison and Nathan C. Harrington, and which was conveyed by deed of mortgage from John R. Pursely to Hugh Marshall, containing one hundred and twenty feet in depth, and eighty feet in width.

The terms of sale, as prescribed by the decree are one-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the balance in two equal instalments of six and twelve months from the date of sale, to be secured by the bond of the purchaser, with security to be approved by the Trustee, bearing interest from the day of sale.
JAMES LL. MARTIN,
apr 23–ts Trustee.

Trustee's Sale.

IN virtue of authority derived from the Circuit Court for Talbot county, in equity the undersigned, as Trustee, will offer at public sale, in the town of Easton, on
Tuesday, the 3d day of May next,
at two o'clock of that day, in front of the Court House, the Real estate of which Francis Baker, late of said county, died, seized and possessed, consisting of the tracts or parcels of Real Estate, as follows:

A lot situated on the north west side of the county road leading to Howell's Point, containing seventeen and a quarter acres of land,

And a Lot in Trappe, containing 3 roods and twenty-eight perches, together with a lane eighteen feet wide, and twenty-two perches long, leading to the said lot.

The above lands are all situated near the village of Trappe, are in good condition for agricultural purposes, and offer inducements to purchasers of small parcels of land rarely to be met with.

The terms of sale, as prescribed by the decree, are, one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid in cash, on the day of sale; and the balance in three equal installments, at six twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale, with interest thereon to be secured by the bond of the purchaser with security to be approved by the Trustee.
JAMES LL. MARTIN,
apr 23–ts Trustee.

NEW MILLINERY FOR THE SPRING & SUMMER TRADE AT
Mrs. M. C. Stewart's
MILLINERY STORE, AT THE CORNER OF WASHINGTON AND DOVER STREETS.

THE Subscriber begs leave to inform the citizens of Easton and Talbot county, that she has just returned from the city, with a very elegant assortment of Millinery, and other Goods in her line. She is prepared to furnish the latest styles of
Straw,
Neapolitan, and
Gossamer Gimp Bonnets
Leghorn and Straw Flats.
Children's Hats.
French & American Flowers,
Ribbons,
Laces Collars,
Umbrellas,
Veils, &c.

Together with Embroideries in great variety, and also the latest styles and most approved materials for making Bonnets.

Having for her assistants in the above business Young Ladies thoroughly acquainted therewith, she is prepared to execute all orders at the shortest notice and in the neatest manner.
apr 23–3t M. C. STEWART.

FASHIONABLE MILLINERY AND FANCY STORE.

MRS. E. A. MASON would respectfully inform the Ladies of Easton and the county generally, that she has just returned from the city, and is now opening at her store room in Easton a much larger and more elegant selection of Millinery and Fancy Goods, suited to the season than she has heretofore offered to the public. Her present assortment embraces a general variety of
Fashionable Bonnets,
RIBBONS,
TRIMMINGS, &C.
Among which she would mention some very fine split straw, crotchet, (a new article) white chip, plain & fancy neapolitan, linen & hair Bonnets; a general variety of plain and fancy straw Bonnets, for children, together with *Bonnet materials* of every description—Children's FLATS and SHAKERS of different styles and quality; also Boys Hats, RIBBONS of almost every color and quality, and a rare collection of FLOWERS. Her stock of Fancy goods embraces a general variety of articles, such as, lace & net mantillas, white berage for shawls; new style mourning viels, together with veils of all other kinds. Best quality extension Hoop Skirts, in fact every article necessary to complete a stock of fancy goods. Dress Trimmings of the latest styles in great variety.

All of the above goods have been selected with great care, and cannot fail to please those who favor me with a call.

Having obtained from the city the services of a Lady thoroughly acquainted with the millinery business who will have charge of that department, she feels confident of giving entire satisfaction, to all who may patronize her.

The **Mantuamaking** will be conducted as heretofore, under her especial management, and she solicits a continuance of public patronage in this department of her business.

☞ She is still at the old stand between the Town Hall and the M. E. Church.
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