The Easton Gazette.

Next door to Campbell's Drug Store,
EASTON, MD.

SATURDAY MORNING . . . DECEMBER 3, 1859.

MILITARY.—The military company just started in Easton, by the name of "Smallwood Guards," under the command of Capt. R. Thomas, is prospering finely, and it is expected that they will in a short time, be uniformed and fully equipped. This company is not yet near the size that it should be. There are a great many young men living near Easton, in the surrounding country, that might enroll their names. It would not only acquaint them with military tactics, but it would, doubtless, be of vast advantage to their health and personal appearance, by giving them an erect form, and expansion of the chest, when most other exercises do not have that peculiar tendency.

While the military spirit is up why not go the whole figure? Why not have a mounted company? There was a fine military troop here some years ago. Why not have one now? There are more advantages for organizing military companies in this section now than there has ever been. There is just as much material to make them out of, and besides Easton affords better music at this time, than ever before.—The Sax-Horn Band, which has so often enlivened our town with its fine strains, through the past summer, is always on the spot, when heretofore on any extra occasion music had to be obtained from the city. Let the military spirit be aroused and our town once more be given a brisk and lively appearance.

Past experience has shown it to be a troublesome job to keep up a volunteer company from the fact that a considerable expense is necessarily incurred in uniforming, &c., and the companies generally being composed of men of very limited means.—This being the case we think it no more than right that the Legislature should make a yearly appropriation for the benefit of such companies in all the counties in the State.

THE ATTEMPTED EXCITEMENT IN TALBOT.—Since Sunday last, that being the day when the letter of an insurrectionary character was found in St. Michaels, there has been some little excitement in the county. When we say excitement we don't mean wild, crazy excitement. Though there may be a few of very excitable temperament, and magnify mole hills into mountains, our citizens generally, upon this subject, are calm, but *determined*, and if ever it becomes necessary will give the very best defense that the *market can produce*.

Owing to the present state of affairs in Virginia and some portions of Maryland, by request of a number of prominent gentlemen of the county, a meeting was called at the Court House on Tuesday afternoon, to adopt the most effective means for the protection of citizens and property. A few remarks were made by some of those present, when a committee from each district was appointed to take the matter in hand.

Many think the St. Michaels letter a complete hoax, while others think there are some things floating around that look equally mysterious, which strengthens their suspicions as to the letter's meaning. Be this as it may, the people here are ready and equipped for any ordinary emergency.

TRIAL OF THE EXPRESS RIOTERS.—We see by the Cambridge *Herald* of Saturday last, that the desperate characters which were on board the steamer Express, while making an excursion from Baltimore to Lloyd's Springs camp meeting, last August, and committed to Cambridge jail, on the steamer's way down, for rioting, have been tried in Dorchester county court, and convicted, as follows: John Skinner, indicted for assault with intent to murder a negro man, name unknown, is sentenced to be confined in the Penitentiary until the 21st day of August, 1862. He is also convicted of rioting, and sentenced to pay a fine of $1, and to be confined in jail until the 2d of December next. Jerry Donnelly, John Borsey and George Robinson, have also been convicted of rioting, and each sentenced to be confined in the county jail until the 21st of August, 1860.

CONGRESS.—Congress meets on Monday next, and judging from the past, it is a very supposable case, as there is to be a President elected next year, that after the election of speaker has been got through with, that there will be more attention given to President making than there will be action for the immediate good of the people.

TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION.—The Teacher's Association for Talbot county, will hold their next meeting in Easton, on the 10th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M. Question for debate—"Should corporal punishment be abolished in our schools?" All are invited to attend.

CUSTOM HOUSE APPOINTMENT.—Samuel Dickinson, Esq., of this county, has received appointment of a clerkship in the custom house in Baltimore city, in the place of B. F. Yoe, appointed as an inspector.

GET READY FOR THE CENSUS.—Next year will occur the great decennial census of the United States, made by the general government. Persons will be appointed for every locality in the States and Territories to gather statistics of the inhabitants, and of all the agricultural productions, manufactures, etc. Every cultivator will be asked for a concise, accurate statement of land occupied by him, the number of acres and the amount of each crop raised during the year ending June, etc. Those who were called upon in 1850 will doubtless remember the difficulty experienced in making up an accurate report of the various crops. As these reports will be called for in June, it will be necessary to give in the crops gathered this year, and the suggestion that we would now make is, that cultivators write down, while fresh in mind, the number of acres under cultivation, including the wheat, etc., already gathered. The number of acres of each kind, the amount per acre, and the gross amount, will be required. The milk products also, and the amount of pork, beef, etc., will also be asked for.

THE HANGING OF BROWN.—Yesterday being the day for the hanging of Brown at Charlestown, we presume the Baltimore papers by the steamer to-morrow will give full particulars of the transactions of the day

TALBOT COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.

Monday morning, Nov. 21.—Present, Hon. R. B. Carmichael, S. Sparklin, Sheriff. S. T. Hopkins, Clerk. Jas. L. Martin, State's Attorney.

Saturday, Nov. 26.—License granted to Francis Perkins, Isaac Wolfe, and James Askins James, free negroes, to keep a gun for one year.

Monday.—In the case of Jno. Porter vs. Md. and Del. Railroad, the judgment went in favor of plaintiff for $190.28. Martin and R. Holliday for plaintiff—Hambleton and Powell for defendant.

Wm. Cradic and others vs. M. T. Goldsborough, Adm'r of N. Goldsborough, dec'd, to recover reward for runaway negroes. This case still continues to occupy the attention of the court.

On Wednesday, owing to the vacancy occasioned by the absence of Wm. H. Nabb, the Cryer, the Court appointed Wm. H. Shepard Cryer and Wm. H. Bostick Bailiff.

On Friday the Court passed an order revoking all licenses to free negroes heretofore granted,

EXECUTION OF JOHN BROWN.—The preparations for the execution of John Brown, at Charleston, Va., on Friday, are nearly completed, and every precaution has been taken to guard against a surprise or disturbance of any kind. A dispatch from Harper's Ferry says:

"All applications for passes for civilians to attend within the military lines at the execution are refused by the governor on the ground that it would conflict with the military programme. He said that no civilian could, under any circumstances, be admitted within the military lines, the outer one of which would be nearly a mile from the scaffold. Not a word of what John Brown may utter, if he should say anything, will, therefore, be audible to the men forming even the line next the gallows. Gov. Wise stated the cause of this exclusion of all persons other than the military to be that, in the event of an attempted rescue, an order to fire upon the prisoner will be given, and that those within the lines, especially those sufficiently near the gallows to hear what Brown may say, would inevitably share his fate. The imposing solemnity of the occasion will indicate to the North the feeling here on the matter."

A dispatch from Charlestown says:

"Brown is engaged in preparing a long letter, to be published after his death, explaining his course, and correcting certain newspaper misstatements. He looks forward to his fate with perfect composure.—The other prisoners are also occupied with correspondence. All of them except Stephens are chained. Cook alone fails to retain his self-possession. The rope with which Brown is to be hung is on exhibition at the Sheriff's office. It is made of South Carolina cotton."

In pursuance of instructions from Gov. Wise, the military and civic authorities at Charlestown have issued the following proclamation:

"That, as heretofore, particularly from now until after Friday next, the 2d of December, strangers found within the county of Jefferson, and counties adjacent, having no known and proper business here, and who cannot give a satisfactory account of themselves, will be at once arrested. That on, and for a proper period before that day, strangers, and especially parties, approaching under the pretext of being present at the execution of John Brown, whether by railroad or otherwise, will be met by the military and turned back, or arrested without regard to the amount of force that may be required to affect this, and during the said period and especially on the 2d of December, the citizens of Jefferson and the surrounding country are emphatically warned to remain at their homes armed and guard their own property. Information received from reliable sources clearly indicates that by so doing they will best consult their own interests. No women or children will be allowed to come near the place of execution."

ANOTHER EXCITED RUMOR.—We find in the Snow Hill Shield, of Friday last, the following excited rumors:

Just as we are going to press a gentleman from Newtown, in this county, informs us that the people of that section of the county are much alarmed and excited in consequence of Mrs. Dennis, a lady living near the Virginia line, and a large slaveholder, receiving an anonymous letter from Drummondtown, Va., informing her that the negroes of the Eastern Shore of Maryland and Virginia had fixed upon this (Friday) night for a general rising against the whites. Two citizens of Newtown were dispatched to Drummondtown to ascertain, if possible, the truth of the statement. We do not put the slightest faith in the rumor; yet it is well for our citizens to be vigilant, and guard themselves against a too sudden emergency.

The rumor above referred to very probably originated from the anonymous letter received at Norfolk last week, to the effect that an insurrection was about to take place on the Eastern Shore of Virginia. This, it will be remembered, was subsequently declared to be a hoax.

WE invite the attention of our lady readers at Trappe and vicinity, to the advertisement in another column, of Mrs. Eliza J. Gattin. Mrs. Gattin has been for a long time engaged in the millinery business and no doubt will use every effort to give satisfaction. Give her a call.

SPLENDID AURORAL DISPLAY OFF CAPE HORN.—The ship Southern Cross arrived at San Francisco on the 22d of October from Boston.

The Southern Cross, under Captain Howe, left Boston on the 10th of June, making the passage in 134 days. She passed the Straits of Le Maire, August 10, being sixty days to Cape Horn. Then she, of course, got the wind in her teeth, and being reduced to her small canvass, the stout ship battled the elements for twenty-three days off the Cape, the greater part of the time in heavy gales of wind, with frequent rain, hail, and snow squalls.

On the night of the 2d September, during a tremendous gale, a wonderful phenomena manifested itself. The rare spectacle or an aurora australis, or southern lights, was witnessed. It commenced about 2½ o'clock in the morning and increased in splendor until towards daylight, when it gradually faded before the light of day. Our informant states that the whole heavens were of a deep red, which color was reflected in the ocean, upon which a fearful sea was running. These were surmounted by combs, not of the usual white, but almost blood red. Some of the crew were much frightened. Once during the night a tremendous hail and snow squall hustled upon the ship. Through the whole of this the flames assumed the same roseate hue, and when a spray flew over the ship it fell to leeward in ruddy showers. Between the squalls in the clear places in the sky, the mysterious lights were seen shooting up in spiral streaks nearly to the zenith—now flashing out in the intense darkness with meteoric brilliancy, and now looming up against the horizon as with the blaze of some terrible conflagration, so that the glare was reflected upon the sails. Captain Howe and his officers say that they have never witnessed anything equalling this display for magnificence. During the gale, several times at night brilliant *coruscants*, or balls of electric fire, appeared flickering at the mastheads, yard-arms and other salient points.

THE BONNER FORGERY.—The correspondent of the Springfield Republican gives the following details of the Bonner forgery:

"I suppose you have read in the newspapers of the arrest of Leach and Bishop, charged with the forgery on Mr. Bonner, of the Ledger. But it has not been told in any newspapers just how that forgery came about. Not long ago a woman came to the Ledger office and said she wished to subscribe for ten copies of the Ledger for a friend, Miss——, of North Orange N. J., who had not time to call, and had, therefore, commissioned her to attend to the matter. In payment she offered a fifty dollar bank bill, and asked for a bank check for "change," instead of money. By means of the check she obtained Mr. Bonner's signature, and the name of the bank with which he had an account, and through it the forgery to the amount of $3,500 was committed. On its discovery, the woman who asked for the "check" was remembered, but, on sending to North Orange, no Miss ——was found, though the post-master was running about to find her, to pay the postage on the avalanche of Ledgers which had been flowing into the post-office for a month. The woman has also been arrested. She was helping her husband with a devotion worthy a better cause. They were taken on board the Europa, in which they had embarked for a European tour, their pockets lined with $100 notes from the Nassau Bank."

We very much doubt whether there is a single county in Virginia that would vote in favor of disunion, if the question were presented in such a shape that the people could vote yea or nay. We have seen no evidence of such a state of feeling in this vicinity, nor during recent visits through the counties of Dinwid die, Nottoway, Prince Edward, Cumberland, Appomattox, Campbell, Bedford, Roanoke, Montgomery, Pulaski, Wythe, Smyth, and Washington did we hear or see anything that would indicate that such a feeling is abroad in the State. These "sensation" papers manufacture much of the excitement that furnishes the text for their own comments, and their long jeremiads are spun out about the necessity for action, winding up usually with the stereotyped phrases about the nationality of the Democratic party—the necessity for *every* body to fall into line and run with the machine, in order to save the Union.—*Petersburg Intelligencer, November 24th.*

BOOK NOTICES.

LADIES HOME MAGAZINE.—This sweet little favorite is on our table. A charming number it is too. Every mother in the land ought to take this work. It is not made up of puerile wit, or love-sick sentimentality; but its pages are filled with sound wholesome and interesting mental nourishment. The present—December—number closes the fourteenth volume; and the proper time to subscribe is *now*. T. S. Arthur, Philadelphia, is the publisher. The new volume promises to be even better than the former ones, both in style and matter. The subscription price is $2.00.

GODEY FOR DECEMBER is a captivating number.—It is beautiful in execution, and excels even itself in illustrative beauty.—The engravings, of which there are three on steel, are finished in the highest style of the art. Two of them, "The Departure" and "The Return," are match plates and decidedly pleasant to look at. The Fashion Plates we know will please the ladies. We have in this number the promised Boarding House Story, which is worth the price of a single copy just to read it. If there is a young lady in Easton who has not yet subscribed, she should "join the ranks" at once, and not be any longer an isolated case of literary self-neglect.

LADY'S AMERICAN MAGAZINE for December is also upon our table. Its steel engravings are pretty, its fashion plates brilliant, and its reading matter interesting. This handsome periodical is published in New York by Henry White, No. 7 Beekman Street.

The "LADIES' WREATH" for December is also at hand. This is an excellent and cheap magazine for young ladies. One copy one year $2. Address Jno. Scoville, No. 8 Spruce street New York.

The Loss of the Steamer Indian.

FULL PARTICULARS.

Ship and Cargo a Total Loss—The Passengers Plundered—The Plate, Stores, etc., All Stolen—Twenty-seven Persons known to be Lost.

BOSTON, Nov. 26.—The British schooner Wave arrived at this port from Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, reports having picked up, on the 21st inst., when off Mary Joseph a boat containing five of the crew of the steamer Indian and brought them to this port. There were only 38 passengers on board of the Indian.

The war steamer Gladiator has returned to Halifax with the remainder of the survivors of the Indian.

The ill fated steamer has totally broken to pieces, and a small portion of the stern is visible. Very little of her cargo has drifted ashore, and it is so damaged as to be worthless. Complaints are made of the robbery and plunder of the passengers by the natives, and legal inquiry will be made.

The mails have been saved, and forwarded via Windsor, in care of the purser. She had eight cabin and thirty steerage passengers. The latter are mostly Germans and Hungarians. The crew numbered seventy seven men. The cargo consisted of two hundred tons of bale goods, one hundred tons of iron, and the balence coal.

The ship ran on the ledge while on a speed of eight knots an hour. The weather at the time was hazy but not thick. The captain was deceived by the soundings, and supposed he was off Cape Sable.—When the vessel struck she tore off her bottom and filled almost instantly. The engineers opened the valves of the boilers, thus preventing an explosion.

Boats of numbers one, two and three were got out and lowered, when a sudden crash took place, and the vessel parted amidships. The steerage passengers now made a rush for the boats, and sunk numbers one and two, drowning the engineers, several of the crew and passengers, and two women and children.

Boat No. 4, under command of Mr. Smith, the second officer, was blown off thirty miles. Boats Nos. 5, 6 and 7 were sunk or damaged. Mr. Tibbetts, the fourth officer's boat, broke adrift, leaky, and it was supposed was lost on the shore. A boat, with three ladies, accompanied by their husbands beat about nine hours in a cold sleet and a high sea, but landed safely.

The forward part of the ship disappeared at day-light. The plate, stores and everything of that kind have been lost or stolen. Twenty-seven persons are dead. None of their bodies have been recovered.

A dispatch from Thomas Robertson, the purser of the Indian, dated on Saturday, says that all the cabin passengers have been saved.

A LETTER TO JOHN BROWN.—The following is from a Charlestown correspondent to the Baltimore Sun:

The following is a copy of a genuine letter received at our postoffice. The letter is authentic beyond question, as the main facts can be corroborated by a number of persons now here. I received it but a moment ago, and hasten to lay it before your readers. It will be read to John Brown this morning.

To John Brown, commander of the Army at Harper's Ferry, Charlestown, Jefferson co., Va. Care of Jailer, Charlestown.

Chattanogo, Tennessee, Nov. 20, 1859.

John Brown—Sir: Altho' vengeance is not mine, I confess that I do feel gratified to hear that you were stopped in your fiendish career at Harper's Ferry with the loss of your two sons. You can now appreciate my distress in Kansas, when you then and there entered my house at midnight and arrested my husband and two boys, and took them out of the yard, and in cold blood shot them dead in my hearing. You can't say you done it to free our slaves; we had none and never expected to own one, but has only made me a poor, disconsolate widow, with helpless children. While I feel for your folly, I do hope and trust you will meet your just reward. Oh, how it pained my heart to hear the dying groans of my husband and children. If this scrawl gives you any consolation you are welcome to it.

MAHALA DOYLE.

N. B.—My son, John Doyle, whose life I begged of you, is now grown up, and is very desirous to be at Charlestown on the day of your execution; would certainly be there if his means would permit it, that he might adjust the rope around your neck, if Gov. Wise would permit. M. D.

A party of gentlemen at once subscribed the amount, but the letter being detained it was ascertained young Doyle could not arrive in time.

The contents of the dead letter office are advertised to be sold, the department being unable to find their owners. They consist of coats, hats, socks, drawers, gloves, scarfs, suspenders, patent inhaling tube, gold pens, pencils, and all kinds of jewelry imaginable; undersleeves, fans, handkerchiefs, box of dissecting instruments, pocket bibles, children's dresses, lace collars, books, buttons, cloth, purses, slippers, chemises, bed-quilts, boots, shirts, gaffs for game fowls, cornfield hoe, black silk basque, hoods, shawls, gaiters, cigar case, snuff box, spectacles, false teeth, night-caps, brogans, aprons, pantalettes, ear-trumpet, shoulder braces, silk flag, razors, one hundred catechisms, watch crystals, nipple-glasses, demi-veils, edging, and a thousand other things, such as are usually embraced in a pawnbroker's sale of unredeemed pledges.

BURNING WOODS IN NORTH LOUISIANA.—The Morehouse (La.) Advocate of the 13th Nov., says:—The woods and canebrakes in some places in this parish have been on fire for the last past ten days, and we have understood that it has swept everything before it. A friend told us that a portion of the gum ridge, known as the "Bird Roost," had burnt off, and that thousands of acres were left destitute of every thing except the large timber, and that it too was all killed by the fire. It is a modern way of clearing land, and this burn will make it more valuable in that section of country. Our swamps are fast being brought into notice, and it is by far the best lands we have.

BALLOON VOYAGE TO EUROPE POSTPONED.—The balloon exhibition of Prof. Lowe, of New York city, is finally closed for the season, and the promise aerial trip to Europe postponed—mainly on account of the weather—all the apparatus having been removed from the Palace grounds on Thursday.

Organization of the House—Office Seekers.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—It appears in a reliable quarter that Morton McMichael, of the Philadelphia North American, will be supported for printer of the House by the republicans of Pennsylvania.

The best opinion in regard to the organization of the House is that the Southern Americans will not support for speaker a caucus nominee of the republicans. Mr. Sherman, of Ohio, is doubtless the favorite of the latter, but as Mr. Corwin claims that his position is satisfactory to the Southern Americans, it is thought he will succeed if no other than an informal meeting of the opposition be held.

Mr. Douglas strongly urges the concert of all democrats, and it is now believed that most of the anti-Lecompton men from the middle States will go into caucus.

There is an immense influx of office seekers, though members drop in slowly. Representatives are already making their seats upon the benches in the House hall. This defeats the intention of the last Congress in this respect, which was that the practice in the British House of Commons should prevail. There, only ministerial or opposition leaders have permanent seats while members generally take seats as it happens, except upon extraordinary occasions, when seats are held for the day by placing cards upon them at prayer hours.

The Loco Foco members of the next Legislature have agreed to meet at Barnum's Hotel, on Thursday, the 15th of December, to consult about the organization of the two Houses, and concoct measures to disfranchise the City of Baltimore, for that is the sum and substence of Reform, is as plain as the nose on a man's face. It will prove, we opine, as difficult to do, as the famous proposition to "bell the cat."

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The Tribune says that Governor Wise has written a letter to Mrs. Brown enclosing an order for the safe conduct of her messenger to Charlestown, and that the remains of Capt. Brown will be decently committed to his care

FIRE AT CHESTERTOWN.—We learn that a fire occurred at Chestertown on Sunday evening, which consumed the stables of John N. Ussilton, Esq. Two valuable horses and a cow perished in the flames.

Death of Washington Irving.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—Washington Irving, the distinguished author, died last evening at Irvington.

TO CURE DYSPEPSIA, has long been a "consummation devoutly to be wished" by the Physician and the patient. The cures effected by th Oxygenated Bitters, should satisfy both classes, that under whichsoever of its Protean forms this disease appears, it readily succumbs to this remedy.

Prices Current.

BALTIMORE, Nov 30, 1859.

Wheat—About 6000 were offered. Sales as follows.

Common to with,	1 30@1 35
Fair to good,	1 35@1 40
Prime to choice,	1 40@1 50
Red,	1 18@1 22
Corn—White and yellow new,	58@61 cts
Oats—	
Maryland and Virginia,	38@40 cts
Pennsylvania,	43 cts

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30, 1859.

Wheat—White,	1 40@1 46
Red,	1 35@1 35
Corn—new yellow,	35@39 cts

NEW YORK, Nov. 24, 1859.

Corn—old yellow	91 cts.

Deaths.

PRICE.—Suddenly near Easton, on the 23d ult., Mr. Henry Price, in the 63d year of his age.

WRIGHTSON.—At his residence, in Bay Side, James L. Wrightson, 50 years of age.

CAUTION.

ALL persons are hereby forwarned from trespassing with dog or gun on my farm known as "Pleasant Valley," situated in Goldsborough's Neck, as I am determined to enforce the law against all such offenders.

dec 3-3t MARY HUGHLETT.

Special Notice.

FROM this day I shall commence to close out my *Fall & Winter* stock of *Ladies' Dress Goods* at very reduced prices, also Embroidered Collars &c., &c. The public will do well to call and see at what low prices they can buy Dress Goods, it being my determination to close them *entirely* out without regard to cost.

dec 3 J. H. GRACE

Town Commissioner's Room.

EASTON, December 1st, 1859.

RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the town of Easton—that no negro be allowed to come within the limits of the town, after sun down, without an order from his or her master, mistress, or employer, until further notice.—By order of the Board,

LEVIN H. CAMPBELL,
dec 3-1t S M Secretary.

TEACHER WANTED.

THE subscribers, Trustees of Primary School District No. 10 election District No. 4 of Talbot county, want to employ a teacher to take charge of said school for the year 1860. None need apply unless they can come well recommended to teach the books adopted by the Commissioners of the county, also, as bearing unexceptionable moral character. Applications will be received till the 15th of December next. Address the subscribers through the Easton Post-Office.

F. E. RUSSUM,
JOHN JOHNSON,
THEODORE BLAKE,
dec 3-1t Trustees.

A CARD.

THE subscriber having located in the town of Trappe he takes this method of informing the citizens of that vicinity that he will carry on the carpenters business in all its branches. He also wishes to inform his friends and old customers in Easton that he will still undertake jobs of work there when desired. He will be in Easton frequently on public days and orders for work will be promptly attended to in Easton as well as in Trappe District.

dec 3-1y CHAS. G. GATTIN.

FASHIONABLE MILLINERY ESTABLISHMENT.

MRS. ELIZA J. GATTIN, most respectfully informs the citizens of the town of Trappe and vicinity that she has just fitted up and is now opening in the new store room adjoining Mr. Thos. S. Haddaway, a full assortment of new and fashionable Millinery Goods of various styles and prices. She thinks from her long experience in the above business in Easton that she can give perfect satisfaction to those who may favor her with their custom. All she asks is a trial.

dec 3-1y

AXES—AXES—a fine assortment of Cutting AXES on hand (dec 3) J. H. GRACE.

ROAD NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned, Examiners, appointed by the Commissioners of Talbot county, to lay down a new public road in Chapel District, running through the lands of John Reese, Silas Hubbard and others, near Lewistown, from Tuckahoe Creek till it intersects the main road leading from King's creek to Hillsborough, thence across said road through the lands of a certain Mr. Ridgely, running parallel with the division line between John Reese and Mr. Ridgely, thence through Wright's and others, until it intersects the public road leading from Easton to Tuckahoe creek, at or near a bridge across said road between John Sullivan's and Lofton's field, will meet at Lewistown, on Thursday, the 5th day of January next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to enter upon the duty for which we have been appointed.

dec 3-tm PURNELL TODD,
WM. J. THOMAS,
H. P. HOPKINS.

KEROSENE OIL,

MANUFACTURED BY THE
Portland Kerosene Oil Company,
PORTLAND, MAINE.

THE most beautiful article ever offered in this market—it gives a brilliant light and is *Entirely Free from Smell and Smoke while burning.*

Being the sole agents of the Portland Kerosene Company we have, constantly, a large stock on hand and consumers can rely upon getting the genuine article. Also

Kerosene Lamps with all the recent improvements in burners, Chimneys, Globes, Shades, Wicks, &c., &c.

For sale by DOBBIN & WARFIELD,
Sole Agents of the Portland Kerosene Oil Co.
No. 7 South Street, Baltimore, Md.
dec 3-6m

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Talbot County the subscriber will offer at public vendue, on

Wednesday, the 14th inst.,

at the late residence of Henry K. Smith, dec'd, in Broad creek neck, all the personal estate of said dec'd., consisting of



Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs,
One four wheel Carriage,
FARMING IMPLEMENTS,
Household & Kitchen Furniture,
and many other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS.—A credit of six months will be given on all sums over five dollars—the purchaser giving note with approved security bearing interest from the day of sale—upon all sums of and under $5 the cash will be required, in all cases, the terms to be complied with before the property is removed.

Sale to commence at 9½ o'clock A. M., and attendance given by

JOHN L. SMITH, Adm'r
dec 3-8 2w of Henry K. Smith, dec'd.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber intending to leave the State at once, in consequence of his recent loss by fire, will offer at public sale at his residence, East Avon, in Oxford Neck, Trappe District, on

Wednesday, the 14th of December next,

the following property to wit:—

Household and Kitchen Furniture,
his remaining
FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

Consisting of a Bickford & Huffman wheat and Guano Drill, Wemple Thresher and Cleaner, Horse Power Montgomery Fan, Maury Reaper and 3 Carts.



A Stock of improved Cattle, ored by M. T. and J. N. Goldsborough, of which 5 head are now at the pail.

Also, 1 horse, 2 boats and other articles not herein specified.

TERMS OF SALE.—On all sums of and under $10 the cash will be required—on all sums over that amount a credit of 6 months will be given—the purchaser giving note with approved security bearing interest from day of sale. No property to be removed until the terms of sale are complied with—sale to commence 9½ o'clock A. M.

N. GOLDSBOROUGH.
dec 3-ts A. J. LOVEDAY, Auctioneer.

DENTISTRY.



J. N. BAIRD, D. D. S. has the pleasure of announcing that he will be in Easton on the 20th inst., and can be found at his office on main St. until the 22d of December next.

Cambridge, Nov. 26-3t

NOTICE.

THE Commissions of the various county officers have been received at this office and the parties are notified to come forward and qualify on or before the 25th of December next.

SAML: T. HOPKINS,
nov 26-3t Clerk Circuit Court.

Easton Bank of Maryland.

NOVEMBER 25th, 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given that the President and Directors of this Institution have declared a dividend of THREE AND A HALF PER CENT, *clear of the State Tax*, for the last six months, payable to the Stockholders or their legal representatives, on or after Monday, the 5th of December next. RD: THOMAS, Cashier.

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SATURDAY EVENING POST.

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