MARYLAND LEGISLATURE.

ANNAPOLIS, April 28.

SENATE.—The Senate refused, by a vote of 19 to 5, to adopt the House amendments to the bill to allow the Baltimore and Susquehanna railroad company to construct a branch road to the Patapsco. On motion of Mr. Sellman, a message was sent to the House, asking it to recede from said amendments.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the amendments of the House to the Metropolitan Railroad bill; all of which was assented to, except that which imposes a capitation tax, and by amending the amendment of the House. On motion of Mr. French, a message was sent to the House, asking that body to recede from said amendment, imposing the capitation tax, and to assent to the amendment of the Senate to the 7th amendment of the House.

HOUSE.—The bill for the regulation, government and disposition of the free colored population of this State, was amended and ordered to be engrossed.

The House then resumed the order of the day, being the bill to regulate pilotage. The question being on the motion of Mr. Frazier to strike out the enacting clause, i. e., to reject the bill. On motion of Mr Poultney, the previous question was ordered, and the House refused to strike out the enacting clause—yeas 19, nays 31.

April 29.

SENATE.—Mr. Williams made a report from the judiciary committee to whom the subject was referred, in relation to the mandamus served upon the Treasurer at the instance of the late Comptroller in regard to his salary. The report states that the object does not come within the province of the Legislature, and should be left to the courts. Mr. Kunkle spoke in opposition to the payment claimed by the Comptroller, under any circumstances, and the report was laid on the table.

Bills passed—Giving the assent of the Legislature to such plan as may be adopted by the President of the U. States for supplying Washington with water. Incorporating the Patapsco Water Company.

HOUSE.—The message from the Senate, asking the House to recede from its amendment, imposing a capitation tax on passengers passing over the proposed Metropolitan Railroad, was taken up. Mr. Baker, of Baltimore city, moved to refer it to a select committee of five. After debate by Messrs. Crout, Waters, Coale and Baker, the motion was rejected.

The bill to regulate pilotage was then resumed, and after being read through and variously amended, the House adjourned before taking the vote upon its engrossment.

April 20.

SENATE.—The bill authorizing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, in their discretion, to provide for electing city officers by the people, was rejected.

The bill to promote temperance was also rejected.

HOUSE.—Mr. Waters submitted a message to the Senate proposing to close the present session on the 16th instant. On motion of Mr. Landing said message was laid on the table—yeas 25, nays 26.

Mr. Plummer offered an order, that the House will entertain no motion for an adjournment sine die, until the Senate bill to reduce the direct tax should be finally acted upon. Mr. Fleming moved to reconsider the oyster bill—lost. The order of Mr. Plummer was then adopted—yeas 30, nays 15.

The House resumed the order of the day—being the bill to regulate pilotage. The bill was amended and engrossed—yeas 28, nays 10, and made the special order of the day for Monday next.

May 2.

HOUSE.—Mr. G. H. Duvall presented a petition of John Lamb, of Annapolis, to be remunerated for services in arresting negro Richard Neale, charged with enticing slaves to run away from their owners.

Bills passed—Senate bill to carry into effect the provisions of the constitution relative to returns of elections. Senate bill relating to suits upon Constables' bonds. For the enforcement of judgments rendered by magistrates' courts, and record in the offices of clerks of Circuit Courts in this State. To make valid the receipts of married women for money deposited by them. To provide punishments for fraudulent practices at elections, as provided for by the Constitution.

The bill to regulate the sale of potatoes and apples was rejected—yeas 21, nays 19. Said bill was reconsidered, and recommitted to the committee on agriculture.

The bill to authorize the employment of an additional clerk in the office of the Comptroller was rejected—yeas 16, nays 23. On motion of Mr. G. H. Duvall, said vote was reconsidered.

May 3.

SENATE.—Mr. Willis offered an order to close the session on the 31st inst. Laid on the table.

Bills passed—Incorporating the town of Hillsborough in Caroline county. Changing the time of electing trustees of primary school in school district No. 3, in the upper election district of Caroline county, &c. For rebuilding, re-modelling or building anew the jail of Baltimore city and county, in the event of the separation of said city and county, &c.

HOUSE.—Mr. Davis submitted an order, that when a call of the House is hereafter required, the clerk shall enter upon the record the names and number of members who may be present when the call is made. Adopted.

Bill passed—Giving the assent of the Legislature to such plan as may be adopted by the President of the United States, for supplying Washington city with water.

The resolution offered by Mr. Kilgour, that the Commissioners of public works use their efforts to procure a reduction of the rates of toll upon lime, guano, and other fertilizers transported on the public works of this State, was adopted.

The bill to reduce the direct taxes was taken up. The question being on the amendment of the committee on ways and means to reduce the direct tax sixteen and two-third cents in the one hundred dollars, instead of twelve and a half cents in the one hundred dollars. Rejected. Yeas, Messrs. G. H. Duvall, Wyse, Poultney, Ford, Buchanan, Baker, of Baltimore city, Miller, Kerney, Daniels—9. Nays 37.

The question then recurred on the amendment reported by the committee on ways and means, reducing the tax to 16 2-3 cents in the $100. Mr. Baker, of Baltimore, spoke at length in favor of the amendment, until the hour of adjournment.

May 4.

HOUSE.—A communication was received from the late comptroller, in reference to the proceedings instituted by him against the State Treasurer. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The House resumed the order of the day—being the Senate bill to reduce the direct tax. The question being on the amendment reported by the committee of ways and means, to reduce the direct tax to 16 2-3 cents in the $100, instead of to 12½ cents as proposed in the bill.

The vote was taken and the amendment rejected—yeas 22, nays 36.

Mr. Baker, of Baltimore, moved to reduce it to 15 cents in the $100, and spoke in its favor, and it was adopted, as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Thomas, of St. Mary's, Baker, of Kent; G. H. Duvall, Parran, Carpinter, Wyse, Poultney, Ford, Buchanan, Bosley, Waters, Frazier, Ricketts, Smith, of Cecil; Duvall, of Prince George's; Marshall, Brooke, Richardson, Coale, Baker, of Baltimore city; Davis, Morris, Stewart, Barnitz, Kerney, Daniels, Mealey, Kilgour, Hanson, Hughes—30.

Nays—Messrs. Franklin, Parker, Jenkins, Slade, Willis, Curtis, Fleming, Lankford, Tall, Morgan, Hearn, Landing, Anderson, Geyer, Ent, Bateman, Hope, Stephenson, Plummer, Goldsborough, Cushwa, Wolf, Strause, Dade, Frantz, Fairall, Everett, Ligget, Crout—29.

STOPPING THE U. S. MAIL.—SERIOUS DISTURBANCE ON THE HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD—ONE MAN SHOT.—A disturbance of rather a serious nature took place Wednesday afternoon in Hudson street, near Beach, in which one man was shot. It appears that Mr. Levi Peck, who is employed by the Hudson River Railroad Company to take charge of the mail and passenger trains, between the Chambers street and 31st street depots, has of late been subjected to much annoyance by processions of persons on a "strike," who generally parade on the tracks, and refuse to take the middle of the street. The 5 o'clock mail train, while proceeding along Hudson street last evening, in charge of Mr. Peck, when, on reaching the corner of Beach street, its progress was retarded by a procession of some three hundred coal heavers, who were preceding the cars on the same track. The agent told them to march on the side of the street, as the mail could not be detained on any account whatever. The men refused to comply with the request, and, as the horses approached the rear of their line, two or three of them became enraged, and seizing the horses, turned them crosswise on the track. The driver who interfered to keep the teams in their proper places, was knocked off the platform and severely beaten. Mr. Peck warned them to desist at the peril of their lives, but the train was surrounded by the mob, and Mr. Peck fearing his life was in danger, drew from his pocket a loaded revolver, and discharged one of the barrels at a man who was holding the horses across the track. The contents took effect in the fellow's thigh, and he fell at once to the ground. The rest were frightened and presently dispersed. In the meantime the wounded man was removed by his associates. Mr. Peck immediately proceeded to the office of Chief of Police, and surrendered himself to the authorities.—*N. Y. Express.*

Ship Timber for France.—Capt. Lucas, an agent, sent out by the Government of France, is now here, wishing to receive proposals for the furnishing and delivery of 1,000 cords of white oak per month, sawed and split, suitable for cooper stuff, and 7,000 knees for vessels—to be delivered at any point on the Canal and Railroad. The timber is to be transported by the Canal to Alexandria, and shipped at that port direct for France. Dr. R. S. McKaig has accepted the agency for shipping the same. He will convey it to Alexandria in his line of Canal boats, and contract with other parties for its conveyance to France. He expects to ship six hundred tons per week from Cumberland, and send out one ship load per month to France. This will take an immense amount of our most valuable timber, and many an acre that is now clothed with a super-abundance of trees will be entirely divested.—Timbered land commanded heretofore but a nominal value, but as the finer qualities of lumber are now in great demand for boat and ship building, the lands must take a rise.—Those holding them will eventually obtain large prices for their possessions.—*Cumberland Telegraph.*

PHILADELPHIA, Apr. 29.

THE MURDER OF RINK, &c.—The grand jury made a special presentment this morning in relation to the murder of Rink, embracing all the evidence which would seem to fasten the crime conclusively on Spring. They therefore found a true bill against the latter, and recommended the discharge of Jerome Freckert, in custody for the offence. Freckert is however held for an assault with intent to kill Wilson, a hack driver.

Judge Allison this morning overruled the motion for a new trial in the case of John Capie and Carson Emmos, for the murder of Sooban. The prisoners were then asked if if they had anything to say why sentence of death should not be passed upon them.—Their counsel presented papers from each, protesting their innocence. Emmos stated that Capie told him that Sooban had pushed against him and struck him, when he stabbed him. Sentence of death was then pronounced by Judge Allison.

NEW YORK, May 1.

Dreadful Steamboat Disaster.—The steamer Ocean Wave was destroyed by fire at 2 o'clock on Saturday morning, 50 miles above Kingston on Lake Ontario, while on her passage to Ogdensburg. Out of 50 passengers and the crew only 22 were saved, including Captain Wright, the mate and purser. When the fire was discovered, the boat was one and a half miles from the shore. Her upper deck was consumed in 15 minutes and her hull drifted off to the shore and sunk in 2 hours. Those saved were picked up by vessels passing at the time. The boat was owned by the Northern Railroad Company at Ogdensburg, and was fully insured.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—Whilst a colored servant, in the employment of Mr. Henry Bee, residing on Fayette street, nearly opposite McClellan, was in the act of putting an infant aged about two years, to bed, on Sunday evening last, the top of a camphine lamp she had in her hand came off, and the fluid becoming ignited, fell upon the child, burning it in a dreadful manner. The best medical assistance was obtained, but the injuries received were so great that the little sufferer died on Tuesday morning.—*Balt. Clipper.*

BOY STABBED.—Two boys about 12 years old, got into a fight at Neyport, Ky., on Monday last, when one named Hilder, stabbed his antagonist, Evans, in the heart. Hilder was arrested.

The Washington Republic states that there are seventy applicants for the mission to Naples.

EASTON GAZETTE.

EASTON, Md.

SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 7, 1853.

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WE learn from an Ohio paper, that the Hon. J. A. Pearce, of Maryland, has consented to deliver the annual address at the Ohio State Agricultural Fair, to be held at Dayton, in September next.

ROBERT S. HAYWARD, Esq., recently died at sea on the passage from Tampico to Florida, where he resided. He served as a lieutenant in the Florida volunteers during the Mexican war, and was a prominent lawyer. His father, Thomas Hayward, Esq., is an old citizen of Dorchester county, Md.

WE are indebted to the Hon. James A Pearce, of the U. S. Senate, for a copy of the last annual report of the Secretary of the Treasury, including the interesting and valuable report of Lorenzo Sabine, Esq., on the fisheries of the United States. Also to the Hon. Stephen A. Douglas, U. S. Senator from Illinois, for a copy of his speech on the Central American question.

THE PLOUGH, THE LOOM AND THE ANVIL.—The May number of this periodical is peculiarly attractive, not only from the variety of subjects which it contains, but for the number of illustrations. It is edited by F. G. Skinner and Myron Fynch, and published by the latter in New York, at $3 per annum for a single copy; $5 for two copies; or $10 for five. Subscriptions received at this office.

WE are desired to call the attention of our readers to the advertisement in to-day's paper of the sale of a portion of "Plaindealing," the estate of Mr. T. R. Loockerman. The portion offered for sale is said to be excellent land, and is delightfully situated. It is undoubtedly worthy the attention of all persons wishing to purchase a water situation in Talbot, it being one of the best in the county.

A small paragraph appeared in our last paper, stating that Gov. Bigler had withdrawn his requisition for McCreary, of Elkton, charged with kidnapping. The Annapolis correspondent of the Sun says that this is an error, Gov. Lowe having had the matter under consideration, and just made his decision in the case. The decision has not been made public, but it is understood the Governor refuses to surrender McCreary.

THE House of Delegates have agreed upon 15 cents in the $100, as the rate of State Taxation. The Senate fixed upon 12½ cents, but it is presumed that the House amendment will be agreed to. After the passage of this bill, we are pleased to learn, a speedy adjournment is anticipated. Three or four weeks more will probably suffice to enable the present Legislature to complete its *arduous* duties. We heartily wish them a safe and *speedy* return to their respective homes.

Dr. Thomas C. Worthington, of P. George Co., indicted for the murder of Mr. Charles Crook, was tried in Anne Arundel County Circuit Court last week, and acquitted on the ground of *insanity;* the jury being out but one hour. Messrs. James S. Franklin, and A. R. Sollers appeared for the State, and Messrs. Reverdy Johnson, Thomas G. Pratt, J. M. S. Causin, Wm. P. Maulsby, Samuel Berry, John B. Brooke, Sr., and John B. Brooke, Jr., for the accused.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.—At a meeting of the Democratic members of the State Legislature, at Annapolis on the 26th ult., it was recommended that the State Convention of the Democratic party, for the nomination of Governor, Comptroller of the Treasury, and Lottery Commissioner, be held in the city of Baltimore on Wednesday, the 10th day of August next, and that the several counties and the city of Baltimore be represented in that Convention by a number of delegates corresponding to the representation of such counties and the city of Baltimore, in both branches of the Legislature.

In the selection of the Candidate for Governor, our friends of the other side have a very pretty job of work to perform. The respective friends of several of the aspirants are exceedingly zealous in their behalf, and have created considerable animosity and hard feeling among the different factions. Some pretty hard knocks are already exchanged in the columns of the Baltimore Sun, and the contest appears likely to increase in warmth as the time for the meeting of the Convention approaches. But, judging from former controversies of the kind, the breach will be healed with but comparatively little damage to the party, which renders it necessary for, and the duty of, the Whig party to earnestly and cordially unite upon some good candidate, discarding particular preferences, and go zealously into the fight for the choice of the majority. In this manner we may hope for and expect to achieve a brilliant victory. "The darkest hour is just before the dawn," and if the Whigs of Maryland are true to themselves, the party will arise, Phœnix-like, from the ashes of their late defeat, purified and strengthened by the contest.

HON. Charles J. Faulkner, M.C. from Virginia, who was so often quoted during the late Presidential campaign as one of the distinguished Whigs who would not support Gen. Scott, has received the Locofoco nomination for re-election to Congress in his District. It seems passing strange that "conscientious scruples" about supporting one Whig, should make a good Democrat of a man, and change his views in regard to a tariff, internal improvements, &c. It does not, however, appear *very* strange when we recollect that Mr. Faulkner's district is Democratic. Some of the party express fears that he will be defeated, as many Democrats will not vote for him, owing to his recent conversion from the "heresies of Whiggery." If he is defeated, we may expect to see him back into the Whig ranks before the assembling of the next nominating Convention.

THE LATE COMPTROLLER.—Ex-Governor Thomas makes rather a novel claim upon the Treasury, having filed a petition in the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel County, praying for a rule against the Treasurer, to show cause why a mandamus shall not issue, compelling the Treasurer to pay to him a certain amount of his salary dating back to the time of his election, some three months before qualifying and commencing upon his duties. Dr. Owens, the Treasurer, contends that the salary only commenced at the time of his qualification and entering upon the duties of his office. The amount directly in controversy is about three hundred dollars. Hons. Reverdy Johnson and J. V. L. McMahon are to appear as the counsel for the Comptroller, and Charles F. Mayer, Esq., for the State. If the principle is established that officers can claim their salaries from the time of *election*, instead of when they enter upon their duties, of course Judges, Clerks, Members of the Legislature, &c., could with equal propriety come in for the "extras." It will be seen that Mr. Kunkel, who probably speaks for the Governor, addressed the Senate in opposition to the claim.

CASE OF HEARTLESS DESERTION.—Some time since, a man calling himself Stewart paid attention to a young girl who was then residing in Philadelphia. The result of the case was that they were married in that city about a week since, all the circumstances giving assurance of the usual felicity resulting therefrom. Stewart, however, representing himself as a resident of Easton, Md., proposed to visit that place with the intention of making it their residence, and they started, and yesterday morning went aboard of the steamer Osiris. Stewart seeing his wife in the cabin, went ashore, he told her, for the purpose of obtaining tickets at the office, but in reality to run off, for he jumped in a hack and, with his trunk attached, was driven off; previously however, informing one of the colored waiters of his intentions, with directions to tell his wife at a certain time. The poor, distracted girl heard of it when the boat was below the Fort, when the Captain kindly placed her on a steamer approaching this city, and she returned, but was unable to receive tidings of the faithless one. She is stopping at the residence of Captain John North, whose wife is endeavoring by every kindness to make her comfortable and happy.—*Balt. Sun.*

Mr. Gray, Editor of the Cleveland Plaindealer, has been appointed postmaster at that place. He is an ultra abolitionist. Throughout the late Presidential canvass, he spoke of the well known report of Gen'l Pierce's New Boston speech as true, and kept the most obnoxious of its sentence from week to week at the head of his paper. He avowedly considered the alleged utterance of those sentences by General Pierce as the reason why he should be elected President. He even continued to publish the sentences as authentic after Pierce himself had denied ever having spoken them. And now this man Gray, the vilest abolitionist, is appointed to the largest office in the city in which he lives! What do the people of the South think of this sort of distribution of President Pierce's patronage?—*Louisville Courier, April 25.*

SINGULAR.—A recent census of the Sandwich Islands exhibits some startling facts—The present population of the seven islands forming the group is 80,641. The deaths during last year were 7,943, while the births were only 1,478—an average of six deaths to one birth. The foreigners number only 1,787. This is an extraordinary state of things, and we doubt whether its parallel can be found in the history of the world. In the time of Capt. Cook, this people numbered 400,006—thus in 70 years they have decreased 320,000! In 1836, they numbered 108,579—decrease in 17 years nearly 28,000 At this rate of decrease, another generation will blot this people from the face of the earth.

EARTHQUKE AT WHEELING.—The Wheeling Gazette states that a slight shock of an earthquake was felt in that city on Monday, about 15 minutes past 9 o'clock, A. M. It was so sensibly felt in all directions, and shook the building occupied by the Linsely Institute so violently that the tearchers, fearing its fall, dismissed the scholars. No sound was heard, and, although the rocking of the earth was but momentary, it was so sudden and powerful as to excite alarm. The compositors in the Wheeling Argus office were frightened from their stands in consequence of the severity of the shock.

U. S. CONSULS.—The following appointments of Consuls, not before announced, it is said, have been made. Robert A. Frazer, Halifax; John F. Babon, Nassau; Amos S. York, Zante, Ionian Islands; G. W. Fletcher, Chagres; Isaac Giddings, Laguira; Alexander Thompson, Maranham Islands; H. B. Dewey, Para.

Mrs. Myers, a widow, residing about 7 miles from Hagerstown, was accidentally drowned on Sunday last. She had gone for water to a spring, and it is supposed that in falling into the water, which was only 18 inches deep, she struck her head upon a stone in the spring, rendering her senseless.

WILMINGTON, DEL., May 3d.

Wilmington Municipal Election.—The Whigs carried the city to-day. John A. Allderdice was elected Mayor by one hundred and fifty majority. The Whig Alderman and Treasurer are elected by handsome majorities. The City Council is also Whig.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 4.

Election of U. S. Senator in Rhode Island.—Philip Allen, democrat, was elected U. S. Senator to-day, without opposition.

PHILADELPHIA, May 2.

Warrant for the Execution of Spring.—The warrant for the execution of Arthur Spring on the 10th of June, was read to him this afternoon by Sheriff Allen. He manifested not the slightest concern, professing his readiness to die immediately, but asseverated his innocence, and the guilt of his son.

PHILADELPHIA, May 3.

Death of Judge Gibson.—Judge Gibson, Chief Justice of the State of Pennsylvania, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, died at the United States Hotel, where he was sojourning, at an early hour this morning. The deceased was highly esteemed in all the relations of life, and his death produces not only a serious loss to society, but to the profession of which he was a distinguished member.

PROVIDENCE, May 1.

Reply to Governor Lane's Proclamation.—Commissioner Bartlett addresses a communication to the Journal of this city, in reply to the proclamation of Governor Lane, of New Mexico. He contends that the valley of Mecilla has always been in the undisputed possession of Mexico.

The same paper gives information received from high authority, that the king of the Sandwich Islands has made another strong appeal to the United States to interfere against the designs of France, which clearly threaten the subjugation of his dominions.

HALIFAX, April 29.

From Halifax—Trial of the Crew of the Ship Winchester.—In the trial of the crew of the ship Winchester for outrages at sea upon the female passengers, Kingman, the boatswain, pleaded he was an American, born in Boston. The Court admitted the validity of the plea, by discharging him. Linton was acquitted, he having not been proved a British subject. Clark, a naturalized American, born in Ireland, was twice tried upon different charges, and was acquitted by different juries. It is supposed the indictments against the others will not be proceeded with.

[Correspondent of the Balt Sun.]

WASHINGTON, May 5, 1853.

The administration has taken no position relative to the annexation of the valley of Mecilla. Gov. Lane will be removed because he is a whig. His successor may receive instructions to hold Mecilla. If so, that will become a new State.

About twenty clerks were dismissed from the office of the Third Auditor to-day, notwithstanding the assurance of the Hon. Francis Burt that no one should be removed for opinion's sake.

Hon. Judge Constable, of Md., is appointed Solicitor of the Treasury, vice Judge Legrand declined.

Yesterday all the New York postmasters over $1,000 per annum were appointed, except about twelve or fifteen. There are over forty such. In this last distribution the Barnburners have rather the advantage.

The places of all the Land Office clerks dismissed on Monday were filled up to-day. Among the dismissals was the brother of Gen Waddy Thompson, of S. C.; also, of Hon Edward Stanly.

The appointment of Mr. Dix as Minister to France is a confirmed statement. Henry A. Wise is here, but wants nothing for himself.

There is a general exodus of the New York Borers of both factions now, the lucrative appointments being settled. XX.

LEAHY SENTENCED.—Edward Leahy, the recusant monk of La Trappe, who has been on trial in Portage city, Wisconsin, for the deliberate murder of Bernard Manly, has been found guilty of the charge, and sentenced to be imprisoned in the State prison for life. It will be recollected that Leahy killed Manly in August last, in Columbia county, Wisconsin, on pretence that the latter had been guilty of improper conduct with Leahy's wife. The trial, which was pending at the time of the murder, showed the suspicions to be unfounded.

Col. POLK, of Maryland, it is stated, has received the appointment of bituminous coal agent of the Navy Department.

DOCT: SAM'L: B. MARTIN, one of the most experienced of the *Medical Faculty* in the City of Baltimore, writes of *Stabler's Anodyne Cherry Expectorant* and of *Stabler's Diarrhœa Cordial*, "I have carefully examined the component parts of them, and find them *both valuable compounds*, the doses safe and consistent with medical practice, and I do not hesitate to *recommend* them."—See advertisement in another column.

PRICES CURRENT.

BALTIMORE, May 5.

GRAIN.—The receipts of Wheat continue light. We note sales of red at 1 10 a $1 14; white do., at 1 18 a $1 22 to $1 27 per bushel as to quality. Maryland Rye 85 cents, and Pennsylvania do. 90 cents per bushel. White Corn is selling at 53 a 54 cents, yellow do. 58 a 59 cents. Maryland Oats 39 a 40 cents, Pennsylvania do. 42 a 43 cents.

A BOY WANTED, to learn a trade in Baltimore. Inquire at this office. my 7-4t

A VERY handsome selection of fine *French-worked collars, Under-sleeves, chimisettes, &c*, may be found at

MANSFIELD & HARRISON'S,
may 7—y s St. Michaels.

Notice to Debtors.

NOTICE is hereby given that all claims due the Estate of Levin Seymour, deceased, remaining unpaid after the 17th inst., will be placed in proper hands for collection according to law.

Latest Arrival.

CHEEZUM & EMORY, have just received from Philadelphia an additional supply of *LADIES DRESS GOODS*, to an examination of which the Ladies are particularly invited before purchasing elsewhere
may 7
my 7—tw THOS. HUGHLETT. Adm'r

Agricultural Notice.

THE Trustees of the Maryland Agricultural Society for the Eastern Shore, will hold their next meeting at "Compton," the residence of ex-Governor Stevens, on Thursday, the 12th instant. By order, M. T. GOLDSBOROUGH, Sec'y.
may 7 S 1t

Choice Goods.

THE subscribers have just received from Philadelphia a fine and handsome assortment of Embroidered Bobbinett and Swiss Window Curtains, of new styles and designs suitable for drawing rooms or parlors, to which they invite the attention of the Fashionable.
may 7 S. MACKEY & SON.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber will offer at public sale at the Court House door in the town of Easton, on *Tuesday, the 10th of this month*, between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock P. M., a negro man called "Levi Perry." Terms Cash.

Shawls, Fancy and Mourning Barèges, &c.—The subscribers invite the attention of the public to their small and select stock of the above goods, which they will dispose of nearly at cost. (may 7) S. MACKEY & SON.

Groceries, Hardware, Queensware, China, Glass, Stone-ware, Paints, Oils, Brushes, Buckets, Plows and Plow Castings, &c, kept constantly on hand and for sale by

MANSFIELD & HARRISON,
may 7-y s St. Michaels.

BOOTS, SHOES, GROCERIES, TIN WARE, &c.

W. H. SHEPARD has removed his stock of Goods to the store room on the corner of Washington and Dover streets, opposite the market, where he will sell Boots, Shoes, Groceries, Tin Ware, &c., cheap for Cash or Country Produce. W. H. SHEPARD.

N. B.—50,000 bushels of best Shell Marl, and 3000 bush. Lime for sale. may 7—s 3t

Notice to Ladies.

GOLDSBOROUGH & DAWSON having made an arrangement with one of the most fashionable Trimming Establishments in the City to supply them with *every variety and style of Trimmings, &c.* respectfully inform the Ladies who are in want of anything in the trimming line, that by leaving their orders with them they will be supplied in the shortest possible time. Orders for any particular style of *Dress Goods*, will be promptly attended to. [may 7

LUMBER!

THE subscriber is now receiving his spring supply of Lumber direct from Port Deposit, amongst which will be found *W. P. Culls*, 4-4 and 6-4 *Selects*, 4 and 6 4 Hemlock Plank, Bridge plank, Scantling, Joists, Shingles, Laths; 4 and 4½ feet Palings, &c, which will be sold cheap for *Cash*, or in exchange for Wheat, Corn, Oats, Wool, Dry Hides, or any other produce usually brought to market. R. THARP.

Bricks, Lime, Hair, &c., furnished to order.

☞ All orders to Baltimore promptly attended to. may 7

FARMERS' BANK OF MARYLAND,

ANNAPOLIS, 30th April, 1853.

NOTICE is hereby given in conformity to a resolution adopted by a majority of the Directors of this Bank, and of the Branch Bank pursuant to the provisions of the 22d section of the act of 1804, incorporating said Bank, that a general meeting of the stockholders will be held at the Banking house in the city of Annapolis, on *Thursday, the 22d day of June next*, at 11 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of taking into consideration the subject of a recharter of the Bank, and whether said Bank should be rechartered with or without the Branches; or whether it should take the necessary steps to wind up. By order
may 7—6t S T. W. FRANKLIN, Cash.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE Fair announced to take place during the May session of the Circuit Court for Talbot county, will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 17th and 18th of May inst., commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. each day and closing at 10 o'clock P. M. This Fair is held for the purpose of liquidating the debts of St. Peter's Parish, and its object appeals to the generosity of the public.

A handsome dinner will be prepared each day at 12½ o'clock, P. M. at reasonable rates. At night refreshments will also be prepared during the fair. Contribution in provisions and any other articles from the friends of the object in the country and town are solicited. The Fair will be held at the store room recently occupied by Wm. H. Shepard, Esq., on Washington st, immediately adjoining his residence. [may 7

SPRING AND SUMMER HATS
1853,
AT THE OLD STAND.



I AGAIN avail myself of the pleasure of returning my *sincere* thanks to the citizens of Talbot and adjoining counties for the *very* liberal support with which they have favored me during the last fifteen years. I would further state that I am still at the "old stand," and as much as ever *determined* (so far as in my power lies,) to give perfect satisfaction to ALL who may think proper to patronize me. Selling Hats and Caps being my sole dependence, by which to keep soul and body together decently, it is my *interest* as all may perceive, to make it an *advantage* to every one, (who can find it convenient) to buy their "head dress" at my establishment. I discount 5 per cent for "the ready," and scarcely ever *dun* except "just before court." BEASTON.

Easton, may 7 6t

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers at private sale, that beautiful situation immediately opposite the old town of Oxford, in Talbot County, well known as "Goose Neck Point," together with a sufficient quantity of first rate TIMBER LAND, to make the quantity of

Two Hundred Acres,

being part of the estate called "Plaindealing."—This land is beautifully situated on Tred Haven Creek, which abounds with fine Fish, Oysters and Wild Fowl in their season. It is believed to be as susceptible of improvement as any land in the County, and will require but little fencing to enclose it. As a healthy location it cannot be surpassed, and is certainly one of the handsomest sites for a country residence on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. This land is naturally fertile and having inexhaustible resources, may be made to produce abundantly.

☞ If the above property is not disposed of at Private sale, before TUESDAY, the 17th of May next, it will upon that day be offered at public sale, before the Court House in Easton. Terms made known on the day of sale. Information in regard to them may be had previous to that time, by application to the subscriber.

T. R. LOOCKERMAN.
A. J. LOVEDAY, Auctioneer. [may 7—ts

NEW
Stove, Tin, and Sheet Iron
MANUFACTORY.

THE subscriber takes this method of informing the citizens of Talbot and the adjoining counties, that he has opened in the room under the Sons of Temperance Hall, in the town of Easton, an establishment for the manufacture and sale of all the various articles appertaining to the *TIN* and *SHEET IRON* business, which for cheapness, quality and workmanlike finish, cannot be surpassed in either country or city. He respectfully solicits the liberal patronage of a generous public, and particularly those who buy to sell again, promising to make it to their advantage to deal with him. **Roofing and Spouting,** to which branches he pays particular attention, done at the most moderate rates, (costing little more than good shingles) in the best manner and satisfaction ensured or the money refunded. The attention of persons purposing to build is called to the fact that while metallic roofs cost but very little more, they make a much neater and safer covering and are much more durable than shingles; taking this into consideration, I solicit a call from all purposing to build, feeling assured that I can give them satisfaction.

STOVES.

I have some very good Cook and other stoves of different patterns on hand, and towards Fall purpose laying in a large assortment. Persons in want of these indispensable articles are requested to call and examine for themselves. My prices are low for Cash. ALL KINDS OF REPAIRING in the respective branches done with neatness. Old Castings, old Copper, [illegible] Clarke & Co. exchanged for [illegible] for sale by DAWSON & BRO.

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