Easton Star.

EASTON, MD.

TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 1878.

T. K. ROBSON, Editor

The voice of reform is heard throughout the land, and speaks of the "quiet time coming." So too the spirit of reform is working in the nurseries of the land to banish those ten-headed Opium and Morphine preparations, and establish useful vegetable remedies, of which Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup is acknowledged the very best for all the disorders of infancy and early childhood. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle.

The Chinese Railway to Baltimore.—Mr. C. C. Speed, the superintendent of the above composition, reports as follows: "I can bear unqualified testimony to the pain relieving and healing properties of Keline's Domestic Liniment. In use in my family, where it is constantly have been rapid and highly satisfactory. My man, who who have used it for various painful ailments, unanimously report wonderfully quick and curative effects, especially my foreman, who severely injured his back in heavy lifting, and was cured in a single day by its timely use." Sold everywhere at 50 cents a bottle.

Latest Foreign News.

The ratifications of the treaty of peace between Russia and Turkey have been exchanged. The congress is to meet about the middle of April. It is believed at St. Petersburg that England is determined on war, unless she is permitted to dictate the settlement of the Eastern question.

Pope Leo accepts the situation, and will officially acquiesce in the loss of temporal power of the Pope. He has ordered the bishops in Italy to legalize their positions, giving them liberty to demand an income tax from the government.

General Anderson, the Returning Board deputy collector of the New Orleans custom house, has been convicted of felony, and sentenced to serve two years in the State penitentiary; yet President Hayes keeps Anderson in office, and he continues to draw his pay. This is a most disgraceful state of affairs, which ought to fill the country ablaze with indignation. There must be a very corrupt tie which binds these two men together; to produce such an extraordinary state of affairs. Those who doubted that Mr. Hayes was placed in the Presidency by fraud, cannot doubt it now. Anderson's conviction, and the President's refusal to turn him out of office, and name his successor, is proof conclusive of his complicity in the fraud. Such indecent conduct exposes the hypocrisy of Mr Hayes' civil service reform, and degrades now the President to the level of the felon. It is a pity that it should be so, but so it is, and Mr. Hayes must take the consequences. General Grant, in all his shameless life, never did anything half so shameless as this.

(From the Baltimore Sun.)

MARYLAND LEGISLATURE.

Proceedings in Brief.

ANNAPOLIS, March 11th.

In the Senate favorable report was made on a bill authorizing the commissioners of Baltimore county to borrow eighty thousand dollars to make up a deficit in the county finances. A large number of local bills were passed. In the House there were personal explanations, denying the assertions made by Mr. William Daniel at the temperance meeting Sunday afternoon, at the Academy of Music, in reference to certain members, by Messrs Higgins, Burt, Morris, Brace and the Speaker, and an order offered by Mr Vandiver was adopted declaring them to be false. The enacting clause was stricken out of the bill to establish boards of charities in the several counties, and a State board of charities. The bill in reference to tramps was considered and amended. Unfavorable report was made on the bill to legalize the codification of the laws, by J. A. Thomas, and the House substituted the bill for unfavorable report. Bills were passed for the appointment by the Governor of ten State commissioners, to serve without pay, at the Paris exposition, and regulating fees of notaries. The Mechanicstown, Frederick county, local option bill was lost.

TUESDAY, 12.

In the Senate the bill regulating the insurance business in Maryland was passed, the insurance commissioner's office to be located at Annapolis. The bill to curtail the limits of Frederick city was lost for lack of a constitutional majority, and the vote was reconsidered. The bill confirming the comptroller's distribution of the public school fund was passed. In the House the "tramp bill" was defeated by being laid on the table. The bill providing for the office of a State tax commissioner, and for annual reassessments by Baltimore City Appeal Tax Court and by the assessors in the several counties, was amended by striking out the provision providing a State tax commissioner, and the bill was recommitted to the ways and means committee. The House bill providing for a monument to ex-Gov. Pratt was passed. The proposed change in the tax commission, making a commissioner and deputy, was rejected. The bill proposing a license of $100 for sale of spiritous liquors and $50 for sale of fermented liquors was rejected by a vote of 35 yeas to 35 nays.

WEDNESDAY, 13.

In the Senate a memorial of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore was presented against the establishment of a second Criminal Court for Baltimore. Favorable report was made on a bill to send ten State commissioners to the Paris exposition, to serve without pay; also on the bill to prevent disclosures of confidential communications made to doctors of medicine.—The Senate bill to appoint a State tax commissioner was passed by 14 yeas to 8 nays, with amendment providing that the commissioner's duties shall be limited to assessment of stock of banks and other incorporated institutions, and to report the basis of assessment for State purposes. The Frederick city limits bill was passed. A local option bill was passed for the first, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth and tenth districts of Dorchester county. In the House of Delegates, the homestead bill passed, yeas 48, nays 32. The bill to repeal the Eastern Shore Senatorial law was rejected—yeas, 22, nays 54. A bill to regulate the manufacture and sale of illuminating oils was passed and is now a law. The Blair resolution on the title of President Hayes was rejected.

THURSDAY, 14.

In the Senate an imfectual effort was made to reconsider the vote by which the Frederick city extension bill was passed. On considering the free public schools bill an amendment, offered by Mr. Steiner, was rejected, to have the county school commissioners elected by the people every two years. Without concluding its consideration the Senate went into executive session. House bills were passed allowing use of the State ice-boat for gratuitous ice-year-hire also empowering Baltimore county commissioners to borrow the sum of forty thousand dollars to pay county debts, and to incorporate Havre de Grace. In the House the memorial of Lloyd Nutter as to tellers, &c., by officers of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal was refuse further consideration. Unfavorable report was made on Senate bill for promotion of agriculture in the State. The bill creating a lien on crops and produce for laborers' wages was killed by 32 yeas to 29 nays. The rogue and vagabond bill was ordered for third reading. Unfavorable report was made on the bill to reduce the price of real estate brokers' licenses. Bills were passed to regulate the sale of firewood in Baltimore, also to amend the law as to exemptions from taxation—the latter having passed by yeas 43, nays 25.

FRIDAY, 15TH.

In the Senate the Baltimore and Ohio railroad compromise bill was considered, and was defeated by Mr. McLane, Mr. Gorman and others, and was ordered for engrossment. In the House, the bill to abolish the office of supervisor-general of tobacco inspections was ordered to a third reading. House bill to exempt weighing of grain going through elevators was ordered to make the weighing optional with the owner of the grain, and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

FIFTEETH SESSION

OF THE

Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church.

FIRST DAY.

This highly respectable body of ministers and laymen met at the Methodist Protestant Church in Easton last Wednesday, at 9 o'clock A. M. Rev. Mr. Read, the pastor of the church, had previous to their arrival, secured homes for the members in the private families, hotels, and boarding houses of our citizens. A number of very talented ministers belong to the conference, and some of high culture and eminence. Among the most distinguished are Rev. Daniel W. Bates, President of the conference; Rev. L. W. Bates, D. D., Rev. J. J. Murray, D. D., Rev. S. B. Southerland, D. D., Rev. W. T. Dumm, D. D., Rev. J. T. Murry, D. D., Rev. David Wilson, M. D., Rev. J. L. Kilgore, M. D., Rev. E. E. Drinkhouse, M. D., and Rev. A. Webster, D. D. Dr. Webster is absent in consequence of sickness. Dr. J. J. Murray returned to Baltimore on Friday evening, in consequence of the sickness of one of his children. There are a number of young ministers of very fine talents, who will ably fill the places of the older members, when they shall have passed away. Rev. Dr. G. B. McElroy, of Adrian College, Michigan, and Rev. J. B. Walker, college agent, of the Ohio conference, are among the visitors. Dr. Walker, who wears the western polish, is a man of great force, and has been elected to present to the people within the bounds of the conference the claims of Western Maryland College. It appears that this college, which is owned by the M. P. Church, has a debt resting upon it of about $25,000, and it is important that it shall be liquidated, to prevent a foreclosure of the mortgage. Its sale and loss would be truly disastrous to the church. At this college are educated the sons of the preachers, and candidates for the ministry, and so highly is it identified with the interests of the conference and the prosperity of the church, it must be saved at any sacrifice. The M. P. Church, from its earliest organization to the present time, has set a high value upon an educated ministry, and it has always prided itself upon the culture of its clergy; but it only has been a few years that it has owned a first-class college, where young men could be educated in the tenets of the church, and the accomplishments of the pulpit, on such liberal terms as the conference should determine. Now to lose it, after so much of the scant earnings of the preachers have been invested in it, and their high hopes have been twined about it, would be like grinding the last ear of seed corn in spring time, before the season for planting. If each member of the church will give Mr. Walker a dollar, the debt can be paid off, and the property saved, before the assembling of next conference. Where is the Methodist Protestant who will not contribute his dollar for such a purpose? Many outsiders will also doubtless willingly contribute such a dollar for such a noble purpose.

The President, Rev. Daniel W Bates, opened the conference with religious services. The body consists of 112 preachers, and 89 laymen. Nearly all of the effective preachers answered to the roll call.

Dr. J. K. Nicols read the *dead roll*. This is a beautiful and touching service of respect to the deceased members. The following is the *death roll* for the conference of 1878: Rev. Daniel Evans Reese, D. D., an ex-President of the conference; Rev. Samuel Guest Vaillant; and Rev William C. Ames.

Dr. J. J. Murry, Dr. S. B. Southerland, and Dr L. W. Bates each pronounced a beautiful elogium upon the character of their ex-President and deceased brother, Dr. Reese. All testified to his spotless character, his deep piety, his indefatigable labors, his love of the church, his christian simplicity and his fervent love of the cause of Christ. Dr. Bates said:

"Dr. Reese had some of the most admirable qualities that falls to human nature; he had no bitterness, no resentments. Not that he was destitute of feeling, for at the close of his administration, he showed that he could feel intensely, and I pray God to take me to himself before I am called to pass through such an ordeal. He expected to die suddenly. He said to me, 'I will some day go out like a flash;' and he died suddenly; but he was in readiness: he lived to die at any moment. We treasure his memory, and I believe there is not a single human being who treasures a bitter or harsh remembrance of Daniel Evans Reese."

Dr. David Wilson and Rev. A. D. Melvin spoke in eulogy of their deceased brother Vaillant, and Rev. Dr. Nichols and Rev. J. B. Jones paid handsome tributes to the memory of Rev. Mr. Ames.

Religious services were then conducted by Rev. J. E. T. Ewell, after which the President made his Annual Report, pronouncing the past a very prosperous year; 2057 new members were returned from 58 charges. The report contains many items of interest to the church which we have not room to print. He congratulated the conference upon the reunion of the two dissevered branches of the denomination, which had been accomplished during the past year, and recommended a suitable celebration of the semi-centennial of the church. (Why not hold one in every charge, and devote the proceeds to liquidating the Western Maryland College debt?) The President announced the standing committees. The conference then proceeded to the election of a president, and Rev. Daniel W. Bates, was reelected without opposition.

SECOND DAY.

The conference opened with religious service by Rev. J. B. Jones.

The conference then elected the following officers:

Studying District Committees.—J. T. Murry, D. Wilson, J. W. Thompson, Caleb Freeland, J. W. Herring, S. A. Holdetzell, L. W. Bates, J. D. Kinser, C. W. Button, R. G. Price.

Secretaries.—B. F. Benson, J. D. Kinser, S. A. Holdtzell.

Conference Steward.—R. A. Rowe.

Missionary Steward.—A. W. Mather.

Superannuated Fund.—J. E. Maloy.

The following gentlemen were introduced to the conference by Rev. Dr. Southerland:

Rev. Dr. G. B. McElroy, Fraternal Messenger from the Annual Council of the M. P. Church; Rev. Josiah Clift, representative of the West Virginia conference (Mr. Clift is a native of Easton) and Rev. J. B. Walker, corresponding secretary of the Board of Ministerial Education. The conference, standing, welcomed the visitors through the President.

Dr. Nichols expressed his regrets that the obituary of Dr. D. E. Reese had not appeared in the church papers, an oversight which should be repaired.

Dr. L. W. Bates moved that Lexington street station, Baltimore, be stricken from the list of circuits and stations.

A number of motions and papers were referred to committees.

Dr. Bates moved that the conference rules on page 14 of the Manual, directing an investigation of the claims of superannuates by the committee be rescinded, and supported the motion in an able and earnest speech, claiming that the rule was inoperative. The motion gave rise to a lively debate, which was participated in by Rev. Mr. Dumm, Dr. Drinkhouse, Dr. J. J. Murray, Dr. Wilson, and C. W. Button. Those who opposed the motion claimed that no one had an absolute claim on the superannuated fund, and the law required that it should be distributed not pro rata, but according to the necessities of the superannuates and their widows; that the claims of those having an ample private income could not be met until after the most necessitous cases were satisfied; and that the so called inquisition was simply a means to acquire the indispensable information to authorize the committee to act intelligently. The motion was amended and referred to the committee on superannuated claimants.

Some committees were ordered to consider some papers which the President laid before the conference.

A half hour before adjournment of each day is devoted to a prayer meeting. The singing at these meetings is very fine.

In the afternoon a motion was made by Dr. Nichols, directing the Treasurer of Sister Mary Ann Vaden be restored as a claimant on the superannuated fund. A number of letters were read and referred.

Dr. Bates moved that Dr. Ewell be restored as a claimant on the superannuated fund. The conference manifested an affectionate interest for the venerable and venerated Thomas Max[illegible] of Baltimore, and out of respect to the mother, remained standing while he prayed. A committee of three was appointed on adjustment, viz: E. E. Drinkhouse as chairman, to examine the journal of the General Convention and report what action is necessary to harmonize the work of the conference with the new law of the church.

The thanks of the conference was expressed to John L. Caldwell, Esq., superintendent of the Md. & Del. railroad, for his kind offer of a free passage to Seaford, which the business of the conference compelled it to decline.

Communications and reports from the Educational Endowment Society, the board of missions, and the book directory, all of which were referred to appropriate committees. The report of the directory of the book concern and periodicals was read. The income of publishing the Methodist Protestant during the past year have been reduced, while the circulation has increased.

The committee on Itinerancy and orders reported P. T. Hall, G. S. Arnett and W. W. White for Orders; for the itinerancy, J. M. Brown recommended to the President J. L. Lenich and Frederick Klein. The report was adopted.

A letter from Rev. John R. Nichols containing a criticism upon the course of the conference towards Lexington street church, was arrested in the reading.

Rev. A. C. Berryman was appointed assistant secretary in the place of Rev. S. A. Holblitzel, declined.

THIRD DAY.

The conference opened with religious service by Rev. T. S. Rowe. A letter was read from the 1st Church, Pittsburg, Pa., asking the return of Dr. J. J. Murray to that station. Referred. The $20 in the hands of the Publisher was appropriated to paying the assessment of the district for convention of journals, and a distribution of the journals ordered in proportion to amount paid by the several charges.

Communications of President and trustees of Westminster College were read and referred, Dr. Zollicoffer, agent of Educational Endowment Society, made a report, which was adopted.

An interesting discussion without result, grew out of a proposition submitted by a special committee, that each station and circuit be directed to raise funds to pay the expenses of members of the conference, where entertainment was not provided in private families. Dr. L. W. Bates, Hon. C. W. Button, and others taking part in it. Mr. Button thought there is no equitable plan for raising money for the purpose. He thought the interest and enjoyment of the conference would be lost if the members were billeted at the boarding houses. He expressed his regret that the conference did not furnish nightly preaching as formerly. If the conference would give the people the nightly preaching they would doubtless cheerfully give the members entertainment.

In the afternoon the conference resolved itself into the Superannuated Fund Society, the President in the chair. Dr. E. J. Drinkhouse was elected first, and Dr. J. T. Murry Second Vice Presidents, and Walter Graham and A. Mathers, Secretaries. Board of Managers, Dr. Drinkhouse, Dr. Bates, R. S. Norris, J. M. Holmes, Dr. Zollicoffer, W. H. Griffith, and Jas. W. Cole.

Dr. Zollicoffer, Treasurer, reported the invested fund of the Society to be $63,613.65. The income of the fund this year is $3,247.33. It was resolved to memorialize the Legislature of Maryland to amend the charter so as to allow an increase of property to $100,000.

The consideration of the question of entertainment of members of the conference was resumed. Dr. J. T. Murry moved to refer it to the quarterly conference. Lost. A motion was made that each minister and layman make arrangements with his quarterly conference to devise means to meet the expense. Mr. Button called for a vote by orders. Before the vote was taken, the order of the day was announced, namely, the Report of the Committee on Western Maryland College.

The report states that financial aid to the amount of $25,000 is immediately demanded; that that sum will entirely relieve the property; and it was proposed to secure pledges by notes, which notes are not to be due and payable, until enough is pledged to pay off the entire indebtedness. When the debt is thus paid off, the trustees shall convey the property to the Conference Educational Society by deed of mortgage. In case of failure to raise the $25,000, the money and notes to be returned to the subscribers. Rev. J. B. Walker was elected agent to carry out the plan. He made a strong appeal to the members of the conference to come forward at once and subscribe for the relief of the college, and several thousand dollars were immediately subscribed.

FOURTH DAY.

The conference was opened with religious services by Rev. A. T. Melvin. The report of the Faculty of Instruction was received and adopted.

Continued on First Year Class—S. A. Willey, S. J. Smith, William T. Vaillant.

Continued in Second Year Class—J. D. McFadden.

Passed to the Third Year Class—J. W. Trout, C. B. Middleton, T. A. King, S. R. Murray, A. C. Merryman, Thomas H. Lewis, and William E. Thompson.

The Committee on Boundaries made the following recommendations: That Harmony and Bethesda be set off from Cecil circuit; that the name of Prince William Mission be changed to Guilford circuit; that Cainoetaogue be set off as a Mission, to be supplied by a married preacher; that Pittsville and Wattsville be joined to Snow Hill circuit, to be supplied by two preachers.

The recommendations were approved. The recommendation to divide Harper's Ferry mission was referred to the committee on missions.

The committee on missions recommended the sale of the property of Lexington street station, Baltimore; that money enough from the proceeds of the sale of Broadway church be loaned to the Home Missionary Society to pay the ground rent due on Lexington station; and that the Board of Managers of the Home Missionary Society be authorized to use the residue of the Broadway church money to build a chapel in the northwest of Baltimore, but that said property must not be encumbered with a single dollar of debt.

The recommendations gave rise to some debate, Doctors Bates and Drinkhouse supporting the report, and Dr. J. T. Murray opposing the conference engaging in new church enterprises. Rev. J. B. Jones spoke generally against churches running in debt. No vote was taken on the subject before the conference adjourned.

On Thursday evening the Conference Sunday School Convention was held. The congregation filled the church, many having to leave, not being able to even secure standing room. Rev. T. D. Vaillant occupied the chair; Mr. L. Dodson, Jr., presided at the organ. Eloquent addresses were made by Rev. J. B. Walker, Rev. D. L. Greenfield, Professor R. L. Brockett, Rev. Samuel T. Graham, Dr. Drinkhouse, and Rev. B. J. Jones. The Sunday school choir favored the conference with some fine music.

The Anniversary of the Superannuated Fund Society was held on Friday evening, the President of the conference in the chair, Rev. B. F. Benson, Secretary. An eloquent address was made by Rev. Mr. Tagg, followed by a few remarks by Rev. Mr. Rowe. Rev. Mr. Hammond then assumed direction of the "begging" operations, and from the way the members were made in rapid succession until a late hour in the evening, one would suppose that "hard times" is one of the things that have not been known in Easton. Mr. Hammond's way of "hanging" three or four poor fellows up at the same time, and then piteously calling upon his audience to stop the bill, and relieve their distress, is irresistible. Our sympathies were especially exercised for the dangerous condition of the "Leader of the Choir," who was "hanging" over the audience, for some time, until informed by a friend, that he was in no danger, and he had been "hung" so a dozen times before, but it did not disable him from using his tuning fork.

Whom Shall We Trust?

When afflicted with a complication of disorders, and the limited resources of the family physician have been exhausted without benefit, the all important question is, whom shall we trust? Many physicians are bidding for the patronage of this class, and it becomes the afflicted to thoroughly examine into a physician's claims, and know upon what they are based, before trusting him. R. V. Pierce, M. D., of Buffalo, N. Y., is one of the most successful and widely known authors and physicians in America. He has recently erected a Grand Invalid's Hotel, in Buffalo, at the enormous expense of half a hundred thousand dollars, it being the most complete and elegant sanitarium in the world. Dr. Pierce has originated a system of diagnosis by which he is enabled to distinguish most chronic diseases without seeing the patient. This scientific system is fully described in his Common Sense Medical Adviser, which is sent to any address on receipt of 21 cents. Address R. V. Pierce, M. D., Grand Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

The doctor is endorsed by the press as well as by the medical profession throughout the land. We have seen letters by the hundred among the urgent thousands to which he refers:

Hon. A. I. Boreman, Ex-Governor of West Virginia, and late U. S. Senator; C. R. Fairchild, M. D., Seneca, N. Y.; Rev. Jacob Ditmars, Fairfax, Iowa; Sargt. McClellan, M. D., Guernsey, Ill.; Rev. W. F. Hazleton, M. D., Silver Lake, Kan.; F. S. Turner, M. D., Veazie, Me.; Geo. Dieterich, M. D., 305 Vine Street, Baltimore, Md.; J. H. Sherrod, M. D., Bluff, Ind.; Geo. B. Chapman, M. D., Plattsmouth, Neb.; J. Schooner, M. D., Springfield, Ohio; James H. Porter, M. D., Gorham, N. H.; D. E. Wells, M. D., Bristol, N. H.; A. Miller, M. D., San Leandro, Cal.; W. H. Crumbaugh, D. D., Baltimore, Md.; H. Josephs, M. D., Cumberland, Md.; Geo. W. Harmon, Elbalt, Ohio; [illegible] Kan.; [illegible] Long, [illegible] Indiana, [illegible] Washington, D. C.; Rev. [illegible] Ohio; Rev. [illegible] Pittsburg, Pa.

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[illegible] Maryland paper [illegible] Hon. Richard [illegible] county, we urge his nomination as the successor of Gov. Carroll for the Senate. Mr. Holliday has held the office of Secretary of State for the past two years, is a lawyer of the attainments and large experience, and has served with distinction in the Legislature and Constitutional Conventions of our sister Commonwealth. He would thus bring to the high office a thorough familiarity with its duties, and along with it a dignity of bearing, a strength of character, and that bowing courtesy which so adorns official station.

It is our good fortune to be well acquainted with Mr. Holliday, and we can well appreciate the zeal with which the Easton *Star* says, "his legion of friends throughout the State will press his nomination." We agree, too, with the *Star* in the opinion that "no man in Maryland is more familiar with the duties of the Gubernatorial office, or would fill the position with more honor to the State."

Our proximity to, and business relations with our sister State, to say nothing of those closer social relations which have subsisted from the old colonial days, cause us to feel an interest in all that concerns her welfare, second only to what we feel for Virginia, and this will explain, if explanation be needed, why the many Virginia friends of Secretary Holliday would be gratified to see him elevated to an office which he so richly deserves and is so worthy to fill.—*Winchester (Va.) Times.*

A Little too Modest.

A lady on the northside wishing to test the merits of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup thought it would never do to ask the druggist in the name of "Bull." Why, dear me, she couldn't say Bull to save her life, and called at last on a neighbor woman for suggestions on the matter. "Cow's, Dr. Calf's, Dr. Buffalo's and Dr. Oxen's Syrup were all mentioned. The latter suited. "Yes, that will do—Dr. Oxen—the very things to a druggist will understand that." A walk of two squares found her at the counter of Dr. H—'s store, when the following dialogue occurred:

"I wish a bottle of Dr. Oxen's Cough Syrup."

"Dr. Ox—Ox—, I don't believe I know that. You mean Cow's Live Syrup, don't you?"

"Oh, no, I mean, mean Dr. Oxen," and their she seemed wrapped in solemn thought for a moment, when a bright idea seemed to beam forth, "Has not Dr. Oxen got a relation or—"

"Oh, yes, you mean Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, yes, yes." The lady sat down a moment and all was over.—*Indianapolis Exch.*

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APPEAL TAX COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the COUNTY COMMISSIONERS will meet to hear Appeals for Transfers and Abatements in the Assessable Property of Talbot County for the year 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M., each day of Tuesday, 19th, Thursday, 21st, Saturday, 23d, Tuesday, 26th, Thursday, 28th, and Saturday, 30th of March.

By order of the Board

mar12-3t WM. H. G. HARPER, Clerk.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Talbot county, and to me directed, [illegible] Davis [illegible] Charles W. Haddaway and Thos. S. Haddaway, I have seized and taken in execution all of the said Charles W. Haddaway's right, title and interest, both at law and equity, in and to ½ of an acre of land, more or less, with the building thereon, called and known as the "Old school house," in which James [illegible] Cheney now resides, situated in Island Creek Neck, Trappe district, Talbot county, adjoining the lands of Geo. M. Jenkins and John E. Coale.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on Tuesday, the 2nd of April prox., between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M., and 3 o'clock P. M., I will offer, at public auction, in front of the Court House, in the town of Easton, the above described property, to the highest bidder, for cash, to satisfy the aforesaid execution, debt, interest and costs, now due and to become due thereon.

CALEB GRIFFIN,

mar12-4t Sheriff.

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THE subscriber intending to discontinue housekeeping, will offer at Public Sale at his residence, on the Trappe road, near Hambleton, on

Wednesday, 27th instant,

if fair, if not, the next fair day,

Household and Kitchen Furniture!

consisting of

Beds, Bedding Bedsteads, Bureaus, Tables, Chairs, Cook Stoves, &c.

1 Carriage Horse, 1 Family Horse, 2 good Cows now giving Milk, 4 fine Sheats, Cider Mill, Wheat Fan, Wheat Rake, Shovels, Spades, &c.

TERMS:

All sums of and under $5 cash; on all sums over that amount a credit of nine months will be given the purchaser giving note with approved security bearing interest from day of sale. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with. Sale to commence at 10 A. M.

N. J. FOXWELL

Jno. Sullivan, Auctioneer.

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Office Maryland Steamboat Co

Baltimore, February 22, 1878.

THE Steamer Highland Light will be withdrawn for repairs early in March. The steamer ENTERPRISE having been converted into a first-class Night Boat, will continue the route as now run until early in April, when after the completion of the Highland Light she will continue on the river on the alternate nights with the Highland Light, thus making a boat every night to and from Baltimore, for the principal landings on the Choptank, and a Boat three times each week to Denton. We hope to receive that patronage from the people which will enable us to continue a Boat every night.

On and after Saturday, March 2, 1878, First Class passage, each way, will be $ .00
Second Class, .50
State Rooms, .50
Very Passage, from 25 to 50

HOWARD B. ENSIGN, President.

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Black Harness Soap

SOMETHING new. This soap is not only adapted to the cleansing and oiling of Harness, but is peculiarly suited to the oiling of boots, shoes, carriages and buggy tops, or any article made of leather or rubber. Give it a trial, and you will be pleased with it. For sale by Henry & Goldsborough.

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Rubber Goods.

GENT'S Rubber Boots, Gent's Snow Excelsiors, Ladies Snow Excelsiors. Also Rubber Shoes for Gents, Ladies, Misses and children. Cheap as the cheapest. Call and see.

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A live Baltimore Daily Newspaper, one cent per copy. Mailed to any address for 20c per week.

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FARMERS,

Look to Your Interest!

and get the Chemicals to make the

Home Fertilizer,

it costs only $13.75 per Ton, (with a liberal discount for Cash), and is pronounced by Farmers who have used it to be equal to the Best Fertilizers in the market—that cost $40 to $50 per Ton. It contains

Dissolved Bone,
Ground Plaster,
Nitrate of Soda,
Sulphate of Soda,
Sulphate of Ammonia, &c.,

in the right proportions. It is equally good for CORN as for WHEAT. For sale by

E. J. TRIPPE,

Agent for Talbot county

Potatoes—

Prime Early Rose Potatoes, just received at Trippe's.

Garden Seed,
Garden Seed,
Garden Seed

Just received. Fresh Lot.

Landreth's Celebrated Garden Seed.

There is no need to send away for your Garden Seed. We can sell them as low as any first class Seed House in the country, when bought in same quantities.

Ferry's, Shaker's, & Briggs's Garden Seeds.

All at reduced prices. For sale at Trippe's.

DIARIES for 1878, a nice assortment for sale at Trippe's.

Farms Wanted.

WANTED, 100 Farms of all sizes for Eastern buyers. Owners of land desiring to sell will please send full description with prices and terms to F. L. MCKLING, Woodbury, Md. mar12-5t

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THE IMPROVED TYPE WRITER,

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FOR SALE BY LEADING HARDWARE DEALERS.

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BEST business you can engage in. $5 to $20 per day made by any worker of either sex, right in their own localities. Particulars and samples worth $5 free. Improve your spare time at this business. Address STINSON & CO., Portland, Maine. mar12.78yr

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Commission Merchants

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WHOLESALE GROCERS,

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THOS. J. DAIL,
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Personal Attention given to Sales of Grain. Commission on Grain received by Schooners one (1) cent, and by Steamboats (1½) one-and-a-half cents per Bushel. mar12yr

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MERCHANT TAILOR

AND DEALER IN

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS

I INVITE my customers and the public generally, to my large and well selected stock of

NEW GOODS!

which I have just received. They are of the latest styles and quality.

TAILORING!

Having secured the services of two first-class Cutters, Mr. I. N. Elston, of Easton who for a number of years has given the people of Easton and the surrounding country general satisfaction in all work turned out by him, and Mr. E. A. Anderson of Baltimore, who has for the time been employed in my establishment, and has the reputation of being thoroughly acquainted with his business.

We guarantee all suits to be made in the latest fashions and to fit.

I have also a fine assortment of

HATS AND CAPS

which cannot be surpassed, in both style and quality in this market.

Don't fail to call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere

mar5 J. A. SHANNAHAN.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Talbot county, in the State of Maryland, letters of administration d. b. n. c. t. a. on the personal estate of

JAMES ARRINGDALE,

late of Talbot county deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same properly authenticated to the subscribers, on or before the 5th day of September, A. D. 1878, otherwise they may be by law excluded from all benefits of the said deceased's estate.

J. F. BATEMAN,
Admr. of James Arringdale, dec'd.

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Tinware—

Every description on hand or made to order. Orders for Roofing and Spouting solicited and promptly executed. T. C. Nicols.

Fruits, Nuts, &c.

I have just received a fresh supply of Oranges, Lemons, Figs, Dates, Raisins and Nuts of all kinds. John M. Mason.

Salt Fish for Sale—

All kinds, at the Provision Store of H. T. Hubbard, on Dover street.

Candies! Candies!!

I am receiving constantly fresh Candies, both stick and French. I can sell a good French mixture for 25 cents per pound. John M. Mason.

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Spring is now here, and farmers will soon commence active duties. I am prepared for them, and offer such inducements as have never been offered here. Besides my superior stock of

HARDWARE

I have the most complete assortment of

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

ever in Easton, and at prices that must command attention. I have all the leading novelties of the day, for any work. A new ground low is offered subject to any test desired.

The Farmer's Friend,
Heckendorn, Concave,
Patuxent, Minor & Horton,

and others, are all particularly known. Castings for all plows. Drag Harrows of all styles. Cultivators, &c. A full supply of

Garden and Field Seeds.

Clover, Timothy, Orchard,
Kentuck Blue, Mixed
Lawn

and other Field Seeds.

Garden Seeds:

Early Potatoes, very fine;
Seed Oats;
Onion Sets, very superior;
Every kind of Garden Tools,
Farming Implements of all descriptions,
Harness, very cheap,
Collars, Bridles, Hames,
Traces, &c., in large supply.

Besides my usual unsurpassed assortment of

HARDWARE,

Cutlery, Iron, Seeds,

Farming Implements,

&C., &C.

I have the largest and most varied stock ever before on the Peninsula.

Call and see me, one and all. You are welcome at all times; and if you want good goods, CHEAP goods, and ALL KINDS in my line of business, here is the place.

Call. Examide price and quality. I'll suit you if you can be suited.

THOS. C. NICOLS

NEW

Family Grocery Store

ON

Market Space.

MY friends and the public are respectfully informed that I have just opened a new Family Grocery Store on Market space Easton next door to Norris' Shoe store, where I shall be pleased to supply them with anything they may want in my line of business.

WHITE AND BROWN SUGARS,
Coffees, Flour, Molasses,
SYRUP, COAL OIL,
Hams, Bacon, Lard, Fish,
Dried Beef, Pepper, Salt,
Canned Fruits and
Vegetables, Spices,
Buckwheat Flour,
Hominy, Meal,
Rice, Butter, Eggs, &c., &c.

At lowest market prices.

ALSO,

A large assortment of

Glass and China, Queensware, Stone Ware, Willow Ware, Wooden Ware, Brooms, &c., &c.

My stock has been purchased at the lowest cash prices, and are offered at a small profit. Call and see me.

G. LACY EATON

Easton, Feb 26th, 1878.

$66 a week in your own town. $5 outfit free. No risk. Reader if you want business at which persons of either sex can make great pay all the time they work, write for particulars to H. HALLET & Co., Portland, Maine.

Oranges,