☞The following persons were nominated by the Whig Meeting, held at Elkton, Cecil County, Md., June 17th:

For Sheriff: Reuben D. Jamar—*For State Senate:* George Ross Veazey—*For Delegates:* Dr. David B. Trimble, Oliver W. Lund, James Hogg, James S. Mitchell.

LOCOFOCO TICKET—The locofoco Convention presents to the voters of Cecil County, the following ticket:

For Sheriff: Benjamin Sargeant—*For State Senate:* Hiram McCullough—*For House of Delegates:* Andrew Orr, Wm. R. Maffit, Richard C. Hollyday, Noble Pennington.

What think you Whigs?—can't you beat that party? It is our notion you can.—*Whig.*

THE CONVENTIONS.—The locofoco county Convention was held on last Saturday (14th inst.)—the Whigs held theirs on Tuesday (17th) of this week. The night of the former was signalized by rioting, drinking and fisty-cuffing—before it was dark on the evening the latter was held, the town was as quiet as usual, and the night passed away without the slightest disturbance. No comment.—*Cecil Whig.*

CHANCELLOR KENT ON MEDICINE.—Chancellor Kent, in a letter to Dr. Turner, returning thanks for a medical book sent him, says.—"He is one of that class of persons who never have much faith in physic, and has rarely permitted himself to be subject to its discipline, and has always had great horror at the pernicious effusion practice of blood-letting, and prefers cold water effusion, simple diet, temperance, exercise and cheerfulness to the whole materia medica By this means, and with the blessing of Providence, he has enjoyed uninterrupted health from early life to this day, and he will be 82 in July."

THE CROPS.—We see it stated in the Hagerstown Herald of Freedom that the yield of wheat in Washington County will be a most bountiful one. Grain was cut in some parts of this county on the 11th instant, several days earlier than in any previous year. The Winchester Virginian of the 18th instant says that the farmers of Frederick, Clarke and Jefferson counties have commenced harvesting, with fair prospects of an average crop of Wheat. The heads are said to be well filled and the grain of excellent quality.

PERSONAL RELICS OF WASHINGTON. The Alexandria Gazette of Thursday says:—

We understand that it is the intention of the Managers of the Alexandria Museum, T. Mountford, Esq., to exhibit in the cities of Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, and Boston, during the present summer or fall, the personal relics of WASHINGTON, which were deposited in that Institution by his Executors, provided proper arrangements can be made. He was prompted to this intention by the earnest request of many distinguished residents of those cities, who have visited the Museum and witnessed them.

CONNECTICUT.—The Legislature of Connecticut adjourned on Saturday.—Among the last measures was the introduction of reports and resolutions in favor of the present tariff, and the distribution of the proceeds of the public domain, and against the annexation of Texas. The House declare that Hon. JOHN M. NILES, in voting for annexation in the Senate, acted in opposition to the feelings of a large majority of the people of Connecticut and of the United States.

LARGEST CYLINDER IN THE WORLD.—There was cast at the works of the West Point foundry on the 12th a blast cylinder of 126 inches in diameter and 11 feet in length, weighing 10 tons.—It is intended for the Mount Savage Iron Company, near Cumberland, Maryland, and is to blow four blast furnaces of the largest class, making 400 tons per week. The time occupied in running the iron from the furnaces to the mould was 63 seconds.

The Richmond Times says that the accounts of the tobacco crops in Virginia are extremely unfavorable. The destruction of plants by the late frosts and dry weather has been total in some cases. "The recent rains," remarks the Times, "will enable the planters, with favorable seasons, to get plants by the first of July, which would be very late, but might possibly be early enough to make the crop an average one."

SHOWER OF FISH.—They had a shower of fish during a gust at Louisville on Sunday. Some of them were four inches in length, and were alive and playful in the pools where they fell.

Died,

On Saturday morning the 21st inst., HENRY CLAY, infant child of Colmore and Eliza E. Thrift, aged 10 months and 29 days.

O, death! thou hast torn from the bosom of a kind and devoted mother, her tender babe! Weep not, mother! your little infant has gone to join the infant choir above; he is taken into the realms of bliss, where you may meet his happy spirit. M.

GEORGETOWN MARKET.

Flour, superfine per bbl.	$4 25		4 37
" Family,	4 75	a	5 00
Corn meal,	40	a	42
Rye Chop,	45	a	50
Wheat, per bushel, red,	90	a	95
" " white,	1 00	a	1 05
Rye,	50	a	52
Corn, white,	36	a	37
Do. yellow,	33	a	40
Do. in ears, per bbl.	1 75	a	2 00
Oats, from boats and waggons,	28	a	29
Do. from vessels,	23	a	25
Bacon, hog round, per 100 lbs.	7 00	a	7 50
Do. hams,	8 00	a	9 00
Do. shoulders,	6 00	a	6 50
Do. middlings,	7 00	a	8 00
Lard, No. 1, per lb.	7	a	3
Timothy, per bush.	2 25	a	2 50
Whiskey, common, pr. gal.	25	a	00
Do. rectified,	30	a	33
N. E. Rum,	33	a	35
Wool, washed, per lb.	24	a	28
Do. unwashed,	18	a	20
Plaster, per ton, retail,	4 00	a	0 00

Information Wanted.

A BOY named JOHN ENGLE, aged 14 years, left his employer, Amos Eastburn, of New Castle county, Del., on the 15th of January last, to visit his mother in Baltimore county, Md. He is supposed to have been seen at Kennedy's tavern, Baltimore, on the 17th of January, and from mistake to have gone towards Washington city, but has not been heard of since. Any information addressed to Henry M. Fitzhugh, Towsontown, Balt. Co. will receive attention. june 25

Notice.

THIS is to notify persons wishing to take Books from the Reading Room that the hour appointed by the Lyceum, for giving them out, is from 11 o'clock, A. M. to 12 o'clock, M. Subscribers will please send at that time.

june 25 A. C. CAMPBELL, Lib.

Servant Wanted.

THE subscriber wishes to purchase or hire a middle aged *COLORED WOMAN*, who is a good Cook and Washer, and acquainted generally with house work. For such a one, of good character, a liberal price or wages will be given. JAS. H. KIDWELL,

june 25—tf Georgetown, D. C.

General Stage Office,
Washington, D. C.

THE subscriber takes this opportunity of informing the citizens of Montgomery county and the public generally, that he continues to conduct the above establishment, nearly opposite Coleman's hotel, Pennsylvania Avenue, where he is prepared to accommodate visitors and boarders by the day or week. His *Table* will always be supplied with the best the market affords, and his *Bar* with the choicest Liquors.

The Baltimore, Frederick, Winchester and Leesburg lines of stages stop at his house. JAS. S. HALL.

june 25—y

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of three writs of venditioni exponas, issued out of Montgomery county court, and to the sheriff of said county directed, I will sell at the residences of Richard H. Griffith, Henry Griffith of Lyde, Jefferson Griffith, and Jeffrey P. T. Magruder, on SATURDAY, the 21st of June next, for cash only—at the residence of Richard H. Griffith, one *NEGRO MAN* Isaac, ten head of *CATTLE*, six head of *HORSES*, one *NEGRO MAN* Silas, one ditto George, one ditto Philip; at the residence of Henry Griffith, of L., one *NEGRO MAN* Milford, one ditto Bill, three *COWS*, and three *HORSES*; at the residence of Jefferson Griffith, one *NEGRO GIRL* Emma, five head of *CATTLE*, and five head of *HORSES*; at the residence of Jeffrey P. T. Magruder, twelve head of *CATTLE*, two Bay Mares, one Sorrel Horse, one Gray ditto, one Sorrel Colt, and twelve head of *HOGS*.

Seized and taken as the property of Richard H. Griffith, Henry Griffith, of Lyde, Jefferson Griffith, and Jeffrey P. T. Magruder, at the suit of Wm. Turnbull, adm'r of Nathan Magruder.

Sale to commence between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 5 P. M.

may 28 D. H. CANDLER, Sh'ff.

☞**Postponed.**—The sale of the above property is postponed to THURSDAY, the 17th of July next, at the same place and hour.

june 25 D. H. CANDLER, Sh'ff.

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call and settle their accounts on or before the 1st of July next, as longer indulgence will not be given.

june 18—3t THOS. G. HARRIS.

FOR SALE.

THE subscriber has for sale a one or two Horse *WAGON*, a *SPRING WAGON*, a *BUGGY*, and a *HORSE CART*, which he will sell very low, for cash, if applied for immediately.

june 11—3t WM. BRADDOCK.

HONEY, MOLASSES, SYRUP, &c.—The subscriber has just received fresh strained *HONEY*, sugar house and common *MOLASSES*, Jamaica and New Orleans *SYRUP*, which he will sell low.

ap 16 WM: P. BRADDOCK.

MARYLAND, *MONTGOMERY COUNTY, SCT.*—Upon application by petition of ADAM G. YINGLING, in writing, to me the subscriber, a Justice of the Orphans' Court of Montgomery county, praying the benefit of the act of Assembly, entitled "An Act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors," passed at November session, 1805, and the several supplements thereto, a schedule of his property and a list of his creditors and debtors as far as he can at present ascertain them on oath, being annexed to his said petition; and being satisfied by competent testimony that he has resided sixty days in the State of Maryland immediately preceding the time of his application; and the said Adam G. Yingling having entered into bond for his appearance in Montgomery county court, on the second Monday of November next, to answer such interrogatories and allegations as may be put to or made against him; and having appointed John Braddock, jr. Trustee, who has given bond as such, and received from the said Adam G. Yingling a conveyance of all his property, real, personal and mixed, I do therefore order and adjudge that the said Adam G. Yingling be discharged from his confinement aforesaid, and that he give notice to his creditors by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper, published in said county, once a week for three successive months, before the second Monday in November next, to show cause if any they have why the said Adam G. Yingling shall not have the benefit of the act of Assembly and supplements as prayed. Given under my hand and seal this 17th June, 1845.

HY. HARDING.

Copy test, S. T. STONESTREET, Clerk.

june 25-3m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the subscribers have obtained from the Orphan's Court of Montgomery county, letters of adminstration on the personal estate of Evan Price, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, on or before the 18th day of June 1846; otherwise they may, by law, be excluded from all benfit of said estate. Persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. Given under our hands this 10th day of June 1845.

THOS. GRIFFITH,
MARY PRICE,

june 18 Administrators.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphan's Court of Montgomery county, letters of administration on the personal estate of Louisa H. Griffith, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 18th day of June 1846; otherwise they may, by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 10th day of June, 1845.

WALTER GRIFFITH,

june 18 Administrator.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphan's Court of Montgomery county, letters of administration on the personal estate of Massum Tuttle, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 10th day of June 1846; otherwise they may, by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Persons indebted to said estate are requsted to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 10th day of March, 1845.

JAMES R. WALKER,

june 18 Administrator.

Collector's Sale.

I WILL expose at public sale on the premises, the following property, to wit: One *LOT OF LAND*, adjoining the grounds of St. Peter's church, late the property of the heirs of Hugh Dunn, on FRIDAY, the 11th of July next; one *LOT OF LAND*. in Poolesville, late the property of the heirs of Elizabeth Williams, on SATURDAY the 12th July next. These lots are unimproved, but are in very eligible situations for building lots. Seized and taken by virtue of a distress for taxes due me.

The above described lots all lie in Montgomery county, Md., and will be sold without reserve.

The terms cash. The sale will commence each day at 2 o'clock, P. M.

JOHN T. VEIRS, *Col.*

june 11 3d Dis. Montg'y Co., Md.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias issued out of Montgomery county court, and to the sheriff of said county directed, I will sell in front of the Court House door, in Rockville, on THURSDAY, the 3d of July next, at 2 o'clock, P. M. for cash only, one

NEGRO MAN,

BENJAMIN. Seized and taken as the property of James H. Rawlings, at the suit of William Brown.

june 11 D. H. CANDLER, Sh'ff.

HIGHLY VALUABLE REAL & PERSONAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a deed of trust from Gen. Thomas T. Wheeler, the undersigned, as Trustee, will offer at public sale, on WEDNESDAY the 16th of July next, at 11 o'clock, A. M., at the residence of Gen. Wheeler, the following described real and personal property:

The beautiful and well improved FARM, now occupied by Gen. Wheeler, lying in Montgomery County, about one mile from Conrad's Ferry and the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, containing about

400 Acres of Land,

Laid off into eight fields: two Meadows of seven or eight acres each, and several smaller Lots adjoining the farm buildings. The improvements are a large and commodious *BRICK DWELLING*, 34 by 40 feet, two stories and a basement, three rooms and a passage to each story, and four cellar rooms in the basement, where vegetables may be preserved free from frost; a Brick Kitchen, Meat House, Oven, and covered way from dwelling to meat house; a Quarter, containing one large eating room, eight bed rooms, and one large room in the second story, 16 by 18 feet; two Tobacco Houses, 24 by 32 feet each; a Frame Switzer *BARN*, 72 feet by 34, on a brick basement, and a Straw House attached, 24 by 32 feet; a Cow House and Stabling detached from the barn, and other convenient out houses. A constant flow of water through the barn yard. Also—

17¼ *Acres of River Bottom,*

lying between the canal and river; well set in timothy, producing more than two tons per acre this year. The above lands will be sold in Lots to suit purchasers, if desirable.

ALSO—A Wood Lot,

of ONE HUNDRED ACRES, in the Sugar Loaf Mountain, well covered with chesnut timber. Also,

FOUR SLAVES,

Two Negro Women, one Man, one Boy.

TERMS OF SALE.—As to the real estate, one-fourth in hand, the residue in twelve, eighteen, and twenty-four months, to be secured by bonds or single bills, bearing interest from date, payable annually, with security approved by the trustee. On the payment of the purchase money, and not before, the trustee will convey to the purchaser all the right, title, and interest, at law or in equity, vested in him by the aforesaid deed of trust.

The personal property will be sold on the following terms: All sums of $10 and under, cash; all over $10, nine months credit—the purchaser giving notes with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale.

No property to be removed until the terms of sale are complied with.

RICHARD J. BOWIE,

june 11 Trustee.

NEW DRY GOODS.

THE subscriber has just received a fine assortment of Spring and Summer *DRY GOODS*, consisting in part of the following articles:

CLOTHS { Blue, black, brown, and other colors, 6-4 wide, from $2 to $6 per yard;
CASSIMERES, (French & American) of latest style;
VESTINGS, of a beautiful style;
LINENS, plain and fancy, for pants;
TWEEDS and *JEANS*;
Neck Handkerchiefs and Stocks;
Irish Linens; Penitentiary Plaids;
Nankeens, Diaper, Holland, Cotton yarns
Barlaps, No. 1 at 15 cts, No. 2 at 14 cts, No. 3 at 12½ cts per yard;
Brown Cottons, from 6¼ to 10 cts per yd;
Twilled, brown and bleached, do;
Bleached, do;
Osnaburgs; Linen & cotton Table Cloths.

He respectfully invites the Ladies to call and examine his

Balzarines, Cotton Lawns, Silks & Prints
Gloves, fine Cambrics, Linen Cambrics
Fancy Handkerchiefs, and
Fancy Goods, too tedious to mention.

Gentlemen can be supplied with—

Fine calfskin and morocco *BOOTS*, of the neatest order;
Fashionable Beaver, Silk, Cassimere and Leghorn *HATS*;
Also, a large stock of coarse Boots and Shoes, for men and boys;
Hardware and Crockery;
GROCERIES and *DRUGS*;

All of which he can sell at prices suitable to the times. All that he asks is, that those who wish to purchase may give him a call, and he feels assured he will induce them to call again.

ap 30 WM. P. BRADDOCK.

To the Public.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Montgomery county, that he will attend as *AUCTIONEER* any sales that he may be called upon to make; and that he will discharge the duties with care and promptitude.

The public's ob't serv't,

ABRAHAM DAWSON.

Rockville, April 16, 1845-3m

GROCERY AND COMMISSION BUSINESS,
IN ALEXANDRIA, D. C.

THOS. McCORMICK and his Son T. M. McCORMICK, have commenced the above business, under the firm of *T. M. McCORMICK & CO.* in that large and well known building, the *Alexandria Theatre*, where they have now, and intend keeping, a large and general assortment of *GROCERIES*, which they will sell wholesale and retail, as low as they can be obtained in the District.

They will also attend to the *COMMISSION BUSINESS* generally. The senior partner of this concern having had long experience in the tobacco business, in Baltimore, he is prepared to render important service to growers of that article, particularly those who send their tobacco by the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal.

Our store-house being a very large and substantial one, and convenient to the Canal Basin, we are prepared to receive all kinds of goods and produce on storage, particularly flour, grain, horse feed, bacon, &c. &c.

T. M. McCORMICK & CO.

Theatre Building, Alexandria, D. C.

☞We have for sale, on commission, *WHEAT FANS*, of the most approved kind; also, Eastman's celebrated Cylindrical *STRAW CUTTERS*.

june 4 T. M. McC. & CO.

WOOL! WOOL!
Carding, Fulling & Manufacturing in General.

THE subscriber, grateful for past favors, informs his friends and the public generally, that he is now prepared to *CARD WOOL, FULL CLOTH*, or *MANUFACTURE ALL KINDS* OF *WOOLLEN GOODS*, on very reasonable terms. Having considerably increased his machinery, and put it in the best order, he is now prepared to do a great deal more work than usual, and will warrant it to be well done.

Wool will be carded either in the old or new style, as directed by the owner, and one-third more work put on it than usual, as it will be carded twice over.

The cash price for carding will be 5½ cents per pound; or if I furnish the oil 7 cents. If the cash is not paid on delivery, the price will be 6¼ and 8 cents per pound.

Wool will be received at all times by Messrs. VEIRS & HIGGINS, Rockville; and by Mr. TURNER BALL, on the Georgetown and Rockville turnpike, where the subscriber will attend to receive wool and deliver work every two weeks, commencing on the second Saturday in July.

The subscriber keeps on hand a general assortment of *WOOLLEN GOODS* which he will sell, or exchange for wool, on reasonable terms. He will also receive wool in payment for work, at the market price. THOS. FAWCETT,

COLESVILLE, Montgomery county, Md.

may 14—3m

James Dezelum and others, *versus* John Braddock, *et al.* } Montgomery County Court as a Court of Equity.

THE complainants in this cause, by Richard J. Bowie, their Solicitor, hereby give notice that they will move for a final ratification of the sales, made by the Trustee on the 21st of May, and reported this day, on the first Monday of July next. RICH'D J. BOWIE, Solicitor for Comp'ts.

Copy Test, S. T. STONESTREET, Clerk.

June 10, 1845.

DENTISTRY.

S. BAILEY tenders his professional services to his friends generally, and invites all who have occasion for the services of an EFFICIENT and PRACTICAL Dentist, to call on him, learn his terms, and examine his professional qualifications. Feeling assured that he can give as good satisfaction as any dentist in the country. ☞*Room at Mr. A. Dawson's.*

N. B. Mr. BAILEY, being frequently called from home on professional business for the space of a week or so at a time, persons residing in the country wishing his services are requested to make known to him by letter their intentions a few days previous to their coming. may 28

TO THE PUBLIC.

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THE subscriber having purchased the exclusive right to make and vend in this (Montgomery) county, Dr. R. Thompson's Apparatus, for the cure of *PROLAPSUS UTERI*, OR FALLING OF THE WOMB, (by external pressure,) and *HERNIA* or *RUPTURES*, offers it at such prices as will place it in the hands of every patient.

C. F. WILLETT, M. D.

Rockville, April 16, 1845.

REFERENCES—Drs. H. Lindsley and Thomas Miller, Washington city, D. C.

Maryland, Montgomery County, to wit:

UPON application, by petition in writing, of BROOKE STABLER, to me the subscriber, a Justice of the Orphans' Court of Montgomery county, praying the benefit of the act of Assembly, entitled "An Act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors," passed at November session, 1805, and the several supplements thereto, a schedule of his property and a list of his creditors and debtors, as far as he can ascertain the same, on his solemn affirmation, being annexed to this said petition; and being satisfied by competent testimony that he has resided sixty days in the State of Maryland preceding the time of his application, and the said Brooke Stabler having entered into bond for his appearance in Montgomery county court, on the 2nd Monday of November next, to answer such interrogatories and alligations as may be put and made against him, and having appointed Thomas L. F. Higgins Trustee, for the benefit of the creditors of the said Brooke Stabler, who has also given bond as such, and received from the said Brooke Stabler a conveyance of all his property, real, personal, and mixed:—Therefore, I do hereby order and adjudge that the said Brooke Stabler be discharged from confinement, and that he give notice to his creditors, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in said county, once a week for three successive months before the said second Monday of November next, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Brooke Stabler shall not have the benefit of the act of Assembly, and the several supplements as prayed. Given under my hand and seal this 11th June, 1845.

HY. HARDING.

Copy test, S. T. STONESTREET, Clerk.

june 18-3m

Maryland, Montgomery County, Sct.:

UPON application, by petition in writing, of JOHN HILTON, of Thos. to me the subscriber, a Justice of the Orphans' Court of Montgomery county, praying the benefit of the act of Assembly, entitled "An Act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors," passed at November session, 1805, and the several supplements thereto, a schedule of his property and a list of his creditors and debtors, as far as he can ascertain them, on oath, being annexed to his said petition; and being satisfied by competent testimony that he has resided two years in the State of Maryland preceding the time of his application; and the said John Hilton, of Thos. having entered into bond for his appearance at Montgomery county court, on the second Monday of November next, to answer such interrogatories as may be put and made against him; and having appointed John G. England Trustee, for the benefit of the creditors of the said John Hilton, of Thos., who has also given bond as such, and received from the said John Hilton, of Thos. a conveyance of all his property, real, personal, and mixed:—Therefore, I do hereby order and adjudge that the said John Hilton, of Thos. be discharged from confinement, and that he give notice to his creditors, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in said county, once a week for three succesive months before the said second Monday in November next, to show cause, if any they have, why the said John Hilton, of Thos. shall not have the benefit of the act of Assembly and the several supplements, as prayed. Given under my hand and seal this 28th May, 1845.

HY. HARDING.

Copy test, S. T. STONESTREET, Clerk.

june 18—3m

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facais, issued out of Montgomery county court, and two writs of fieri facias issued by a Justice of the Peace of said county, and to the sheriff directed, I will sell in front of the Court-house door, in Rockville, on THURSDAY the 3d day July next, for cash only, all the right, title, claim and interest of Benj. Curran in and to an improved Lot, in Rockville, No. 86, first addition to Rockville. Seized and taken as the property of the said Benj. Curran, at the suits of Margaret Willson, Edward M. Linthicum, Otho M. Linthicum, Adam Robb, and Eleanor Busey. Sale to take place at 10 o'clock, A. M.

june 11 D. H. CANDLER, Sh'ff.

REFECTORY.

THE subscriber takes pleasure in informing the citizens of Rockville and the public generally, that he has opened a *REFECTORY*, at the south-west corner of the Square, where lovers of good *ALE* can, at all times, be accommodated. His Bar will be constantly supplied with the best Liquors.

He will also keep *OYSTERS*, when they can be conveniently procured.

He most respectfully invites all who are fond of good cheer, to give him a call—bearing always in mind that the cash must be paid.

GEORGE HARDT.

N. B. The subscriber still continues his **Tailoring** as usual; and requests of his customers a continuance of their patronage. [feb 19-1y] G. H.

MAGISTRATES BLANKS for sale at this office. mar 19