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New Hat Store.

The subscriber has re-commenced the Hatting business in the Store next to William Loveday's and second door from the Bank He has just received a large supply of the best materials, and intends to manufacture

HATS,

AND

BEAVER BONNETS

at the lowest prices, (Wholesale and retail)
His assortment of Hats, &c. is very complete. He solicits a continuance of support from his old customers, and the public generally, and he hopes to be enabled to give satisfaction to those who may favor him with a call.

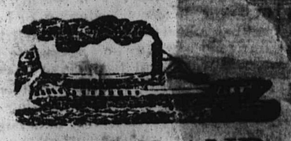
ENNALLS ROSZELL.

Easton, Jan 1, 1839.
N. B. The above business will be conducted by Mr. Thos. Beaston. E. R.

NEW
Tailoring Establishment.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform the citizens of Easton and its vicinity that he has take the room formerly occupied by Mr. James D Duncan as a Hat Store where he is prepared to execute all work entrusted to him with neatness and despatch, and in the most fashionable style.
If he fails to fit persons favoring him with their custom, he will pay them for their Cloth or make them another suit.
The public's ob't. servant,
ELISHA MECONNEKIN.
N. B. The subscriber receives the latest Fashions, quarterly from Philadelphia, and also is the agent for T. Oliver's late improved rule for cutting [illegible] M.

FOR ANNAPOLIS
THE STEAM BOAT



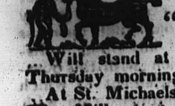
MARYLAND

Will leave Baltimore every Friday and Tuesday mornings, at 7 o'clock for the above places and returns on the next day. On Monday's she will go to Annapolis only, and return the same day, leaving Baltimore at 7 o'clock, from the lower end of Dugan's wharf.
Passage to Annapolis, $1
" to Easton, $2
" to Cambridge, $2
N. B. All baggage at the owner's risk.
LEM'L. G. TAYLOR.
March 12, 1839.

For St. Michaels and Easton.
THE STEAM BOAT
PAUL JONES,

Will leave Light Street wharf Baltimore, every Wednesday and Saturday morning at six o'clock, for the above named places, and arrive at Easton about 12 o'clock; leave Easton (from Ferry) at 1 o'clock, & arrive in Baltimore about 7 o'clock, P. M. the same day.
Passage $2.
N. B. Baggage at the risk of owners.
JAMES FOOKS, Captain.
April 2, 1839 tf
The Paul Jones from this date will leave Baltimore every Wednesday morning at six o'clock, (touching at St Michaels) arriving at Miles River Ferry for Easton between 1 and 2 o'clock and returning to Baltimore the same day.
Her route to Easton on Saturday is discontinued.
april 30, 1839.

THE THOROUGH BRED
HORSE,
"Maryland Eclipse,"



Will stand at Easton from Monday till Thursday morning, of every week.
At St. Michaels and Clover Fields, near Wye Mill, every other week alternately, from Thursday forenoon, until Saturday afternoon.
He will be on his Stand at St. Michaels on Thursday the 21st—at Easton on Monday the 25th,—and at Clover Fields, on Thursday the 28th instant; and will be let to Mares, at the sum of twenty dollars the Season—if paid by 20th day of September next, fifteen dollars, and thirty dollars to insure with foal—if paid by 20th day of January next, twenty-five dollars. Fifty cents in every case to be paid to the Groom. If any Mare be parted with before it is ascertained whether she be in foal, the person so parting with her, will be held liable for the [illegible] in-surance. Mares can be accommodated with pasturage at Clover Fields.
JAMES SEWALL.
N. B. Breders to Maryland Eclipse, will have their names with Wm. K. Lamdin, Easton Md.
March 19, 1839.

Look at This.

THE Subscriber having obtained the contract for the conveyance of the Mail from Church Hill to Easton would most respectfully inform the public, that he is prepared to cary passengers on said routes.
Having procured good and substantial Carriages and safe Horses for that purposes, he therefore earnestly solicits the patronage of the public.
JONATHAN EVANS.
April 30th, 1839.—

Farm for Sale.

THE subscriber will sell at private Sale the farm situated near the Three Bridges, in Chappel District, and containing about four hundred acres of land, about 125 of the same is in good timber and now in the occupancy Mr. James Tolson—The terms of sale will require the payment of $900 to the Bank, and the balance to be paid in 9 & 18 months with interest. If it is not sold at private sale before the first Tuesday in September; it will be sold at public Sale on that day, at the hour of 3 o'clock.
CHARLES W. BENNY.
March 5, 1839. tf

Blacksmithing.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally that he still carries on the
BLACKSMITHING BUSINESS
in all its various branches, at his old stand (Hook Town) about 2 miles from Easton where he will punctually attend to all orders in his line.
The subscriber is well known for his superior manufacture of Cast-Steele and Edge tools. Horse-shoeing and plating done—Also, guns, locks and keys, &c. repaired at the shortest notice and on reasonable terms.
The public's Obedient Servant,
JOSIAH C. ROBINSON.
N. B. Customers will be expected to close their accounts at the end of every year.
J. C. R.
March 5, 1839.

NOTICE.

LEWIS F. SCOTTI'S INTELLIGENCE OFFICE.
Old Establishment, No. 2 West Fayette street, basement story of Barnum's City Hotel, and nearly opposite the [illegible] Strangers [illegible] visiting this city, would do well to call at this office.
LOST CHILDREN kept at this office uncalled for.
SLAVES.—Persons having Slaves for life that wish to dispose of them, either out or in the State, can find purchasers for them at this office.
Any commands will be thankfully received and promptly attended to. Charges moderate and particularly be it understood, all communications through the post office must be post paid.
In order that strangers may be informed as to general character of the advertiser, for industry and prompt attention to business and general knowledge and experience, he is kindly permitted to refer to the following gentlemen.
Reverdy Johnson, Esq. Samuel Moale, Esq James M. Buchanan, Esq. James Purviance, Esq. David Barnum, City Hotel; William Frick, Port Collector.
LEWIS F. SCOTTI.
Baltimore, Nov. 6, 1838.

AMERICAN HOTEL.

The Subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally that he has taken this large and convenient establishment, situated in Pratt St. *between* Hanover *and* Sharp, formerly known as PEACOCK'S HOTEL and is now ready to receive visitors. He trusts the eligible situation of the AMERICAN, aided by unceasing attention and an assiduity on his part to please, will yield general satisfaction. Board can be obtained by the day, week, month or the year, upon the most accommodating terms.
WILLIAM GIST.
Baltimore, March, 10, 1839--7w

NEW BOOTS & SHOES.

The subscribers respectfully announce to their friends & the public generally, that they have just received their spring supply of
BOOTS, SHOES, TRUNKS, &c.
Comprising a general assortment, selected with care, and a due regard to durability and fashion, and at such prices as will suit the times.
Also MATERIALS of the best quality. Orders for Boots will be thankfully received and executed in a style not inferior to any in the State and on pleasing terms.
SHEPARD & McNEAL.
April 30 eow3t (G)
N. B. Persons whose accounts have been standing for twelve months or more are earnestly requested to call and settle as soon as possible,
S. & McN.

[BY AUTHORITY.]

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

A PROCLAMATION.

Whereas a convention between the United States of America and the Republic of Texas for marking the boundary between them was concluded and signed at Washington on the twenty fifth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, which convention is word for word as follows:
Convention between the United States of America and the Republic of Texas, for marking the boundary between them.
Whereas the treaty of limits made and concluded on the twelfth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight between the United States of America on the one part and the United Mexican States on the other, is binding on the Republic of Texas, the same having been entered into at a time when Texas formed part of the said United Mexican States.
And whereas it is deemed expedient in order to prevent [illegible] collisions between the United [illegible] in regard to the boundary [illegible] countries as designated in [illegible] a portion of the same should be ascertained without unnecessary [illegible]
The President of the United States has appointed J[illegible] and the Re[illegible] has appointed Memucan Hunt [illegible] plenipotentiary:
And the said plenipotentiaries, having exchanged their full powers, have agreed upon and concluded the following articles:
ART. 1 Each of the contracting parties shall appoint a commissioner and surveyor who shall meet before the termination of two months from the exchange of the ratifications of this convention, at New Orleans, and proceed to run and mark that portion of the [illegible] Boundary which extends from the mouth of the Sabine, where that river enters the Gulf of Mexico, to the Red river. They shall make out plans and keep journals of their proceedings, and the result agreed upon by them shall be considered as part of this convention, and shall have the same force [illegible]
foregoing article, [illegible] ties shall continue [illegible] all territory over [illegible] hitherto been exercised, [illegible] ing portion of the said boundary [illegible] run and marked at such time hereafter as may suit the convenience of both contracting parties, [illegible] until which time each of the said parties shall exercise without the interference of the other, within the territory of which the boundary shall not have been so marked and run, jurisdiction to the same extent to which it has been heretofore usually exercised.
ART. 3. The present convention shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at Washington, within the term of six months from the date hereof, or sooner if possible.
In witness whereof, we, the respective plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have hereunto affixed our respective seals.
Done at Washington, this twenty fifth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight, in the sixty second year of the independence of the United States of America, and in the third of that of the Republic of Texas.
[L. S] JOHN FORSYTH
[L. S] MEMUCAN HUNT.
And whereas the said convention has been duly ratified on both parts and the respective ratifications of the same were exchanged at Washington on the twelfth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight, by Aaron Vail, acting Secretary of State for the United States and Anson Jones, Minister Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Texas, on the part of their respective governments;
Now, therefore, be it known, that I, MARTIN VAN BUREN, President of the United States of America, have caused the said Convention to be made public, to the end that the same, and every clause and article thereof, may be observed and fulfilled with good faith by the United States and the citizens thereof.
In witness whereof, I have hereunto [L. S.] set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.
Done at the City of Washington, this thirteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight, and of the independence of the United States the sixty-third.
M. VAN BUREN.
BY THE PRESIDENT:
A. VAIL, Acting Secretary of State.

No. 3.

A RESOLUTION to authorize the purchase of an island in the river Delaware, called the Pea Patch, and for other purposes.
Resolved, By the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby authorized and required to take all necessary measures to try the title of the United States to the island in the Delaware commonly called the Pea Patch, by submitting all the questions growing out of the conflicting claims of the United States and the individual claimants, to the courts of law; and if it shall appear to the satisfaction of the said Secretary, that the title is not vested in the United States, and that the possession thereof is indispensable to the public interests, he is hereby authorized to purchase the same from the legal owner or owners thereof, either by appraisement or such other manner as he may deem most expedient; subject to the approval of Congress.
JAMES K. POLK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives;
RH. M. JOHNSON.
Vice President of the United States, and President of the Senate.
APPROVED, March 3d, 1839.
M. VAN BUREN.

No. 4.

A RESOLUTION authorizing certain certificates of deposite to be cancelled and reissued.
Whereas sundry persons have deposited sums of money in the Treasury of the United States, under the provisions of the second section of the act making further provision for the sale of the public lands, approved twenty-fourth of april, eighteen hundred and twenty, and received certificates therefor, and, supposing the same to be assignable, have assigned the same, for a valuable consideration, to other persons; and whereas the said section is so construed by the Treasury Department, that such receipts or certificates are not available to the assignees; be it therefore.
Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Treasurer of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized and required, on the presentation of any such certificate by an assignee or bona fide owner thereof, to allow said assignee or holder to render the same to be cancelled, and to issue a new certificate in the name of said assignee or holder, in lieu of the one so surrendered; which new certificate shall be received in payment for public lands, in the same manner as the original would have been if not been transferred by the person [illegible] the deposite; but the certificates to be issued under this resolution shall not be assignable.
[illegible]oved, February 28th, 1839.

POETRY.

From the New York Era.

AARON GO BRAY.

TUNE—Erin go braugh.

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