

Centreville State Rights.



TUESDAY MORNING, OCT. 9, 1860.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

For President, JOHN C. BRECKINRIDGE, OF KENTUCKY. For Vice President, GENERAL JOSEPH LANE, OF OREGON.

THE DEMOCRATIC MASS MEETING.

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of this Rule to forbid slaveholding. We appeal. 1st. To the circumstances under which the above Rule was enacted. In 1784, the date of our organization as a distinct Church, the General Conference enacted certain "Rules and Regulations" forbidding slaveholding.

The speech of Mr. Pearce was the eloquence of argument and the beauty of truth and candor. It was characterized by no extravagant denunciation, no tirade of abuse, but appealed to the reason and discretion of his auditors.

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And here mark this striking fact: While the attempt of the General Conference to make non-slaveholding a test of membership, met the most decided opposition from the Church itself, yet the history of the Church furnishes no instances of objection to this General Rule on the part of slaveholders.

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And though that body is the highest legislative and judicial authority in the Church, and though slaveholders, during all that time, were being admitted to the Church annually by thousands, and permitted, without molestation, to enjoy the privileges of members, yet never did that body pronounce slaveholding contrary to the General Rule, until it was done by an unconstitutional majority, in 1860.

Again, during the last 71 years, or since the enactment of the General Rule on slavery, the Bishops, who are the authorized expounders of law in the Annual Conferences and who have delivered quadrennial addresses, regularly, with slight exceptions, in the General Conferences, have, in no single instance, either individually, or as a Board, given an authoritative opinion that slaveholding is contrary to the General Rule on slavery.

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Interesting Political News from Oregon.—Douglas-Republican Coalition to Elect United States Senators—The Breckinridge Senators Break up the Quorum by Bolting.

The Oregon Legislature met at Salem on the 10th. The House organized by choosing Benj Harding, (a Douglas democrat who at the last two elections, voted for Mr. Logan, the republican candidate for Congress,) speaker; T. McP. Patten rep, chief clerk; Mr. Allen, Douglas democrat, assistant clerk, and Mr. Leverage, rep, sergeant-at-arms.

The Senatorial organization of the Assembly was regarded by the Breckinridge members as an indication that a Douglas-republican coalition was already formed to elect Col. Baker and S. W. Nesmith U. S. Senators.

The constitution of Oregon requires two-thirds of all the members elected to each House to form a quorum to do business. On receiving the news of the organization of the House, six of the Breckinridge Senators bolted, and left Salem on the morning of the 11th. The Senate was thus left without a quorum, and in that condition it has continued up to the latest accounts.

MARRIED.

On the 4th inst., by the Rev. J. E. Bryan James Eaton to Mrs Annie Maria Cooey, both of this county.

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In Centreville, Tuesday morning, Mrs. Ann Hopper, widow of the late Judge P. B. Hopper, in the 51st year of her age, leaving a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their irreparable loss.

GRAIN MARKET.

Only some 6,500 bushels Wheat were offered on Change this morning, and prices were steady at previous quotations, viz: 1 20a 1 35 for ordinary fair white, 1 40a 1 50 for good do., and 1 55a 1 63 per bushel for prime to choice do., red sold at 1 25a 1 30 per bushel for ordinary to prime. Of Corn only 1,000 bushels offered, and prices were unchanged, fair to prime white selling at 72a 75 cts and yellow at 68a 70 cts per bushel.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

IN pursuance of a deed of trust from John C. Tilghman and wife, the undersigned will offer at public sale, at the Court House door, in the town of Centreville, Md. on THURSDAY, the 8th of November next, at 3 o'clock P. M. the

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on which the said Tilghman now resides. This valuable property, containing 278 ACRES, is situated in Queen Ann's county, Md., on a public road, four miles from Centreville and Queenstown, near to Chester River, and at a convenient distance from landings on the water. It is divided into four fields, has on it a fair portion of

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and a fine stream of water passes through it. The soil is of good quality, and all of the arable land has been limed. The DWELLING HOUSE, is new and commodious with back building attached. The PEACH ORCHARD on this farm contains

3000 TREES,

selected with care from the best varieties. Of these 2000 were planted in the Spring of 1859, and 1000 in the Spring of 1860, and all are in a flourishing condition. There is also on this farm another Orchard of 66 trees in full bearing, besides other fruit. Persons wishing to purchase are invited to visit the premises, which Mr. J. C. Tilghman will be pleased to show them. TERMS OF SALE.—The terms of sale are—\$1,000 in cash on the day of sale (or in thirty days) and the balance in three equal payments, the purchaser giving therefor a negotiable note with approved endorsers, and payable in bank; and the residue of the purchase money to be paid in three equal installments, in six, twelve and twenty-four months, with interest from the 1st of January, 1860, when possession of the premises will be given.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of a deed of trust from Jno. C. Tilghman, the subscriber will sell at public auction, on FRIDAY, the 26th day of October instant, at the residence of the said Tilghman, the following property, to wit: ONE PAIR OF MULES, SIX HORSES, TWO YEARLING COLTS, A YOKE OF OXEN, 5 Mich Cows, TWO BULLS, TWO YEARLING CALVES, 25 Hogs and Shoats, 16 SHEEP, 2 CARTS, A LOT FARMING IMPLEMENTS, and a comfortable FAMILY CARRIAGE, in good order.

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All sums not exceeding \$5 to be paid in cash, and for all sums over that amount notes, with approved security, payable in six months, with interest, will be taken. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. LLOYD TILGHMAN, Trustee. Oct. 9, 1860—tds.

MARYLANDERS AT A REPUBLICAN MEETING.

The Rev. French S. Evans, of Baltimore, addressed a republican meeting at Germantown, Pa., on Thursday. According to a sketch of his remarks in the Philadelphia Press, he announced himself as the son of a Virginia slaveholder, and a political friend of Lincoln. He is reported to have further remarked:

"The South was too weak, too poor, to exist apart from the North. Kindred associations couple Maryland and Pennsylvania—Baltimore and Philadelphia—hallowed battle-ground. John M. Botts was referred to by the speaker as three-fourths a republican. In a few years every Southern State would be swarming with open republicans."

Hon. JOHN M. BOTTS.—This gentleman "defined his position" in a speech at Richmond, Va., on Monday evening. He took substantially the same ground with Henry Winter Davis, of Baltimore—declaring himself for Bell and Everett, but opposed at all hazards to the democracy, and anxious primarily and principally for their defeat.

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POSTPONED

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an order of the Circuit Court for Queen Ann's County, the undersigned Commissioners will offer at public sale on SATURDAY, The 3rd day of November next, at Stevensville on Kent Island at 12 o'clock P. M. all the Real Estate of which Harris C. Legg, late of Queen Ann's County died seized, lying and being on Kent Island in county aforesaid called

"DUNN'S HAZARD CORRECTED."

containing 22 ACRES 1 ROOD 25 PERCHES of land more or less, to be sold free of the widow's claim of dower. Soil is good, about two thirds arable land, remainder in WOOD suitable for fuel—the whole under good enclosure.

TERMS OF SALE.

One hundred dollars cash one seventh of the whole purchase money with interest thereon to be secured by bond of the purchaser with approved security and payable in 6 months from day of sale; the residue of the purchase money with interest thereon to be secured by bond of purchaser to the State of Maryland with approved security, and payable in two equal installments of twelve and eighteen months from day of sale, said Bond to be in penalty double the amount intended to be secured thereby.

CHARLES STEVENS, BENJAMIN FOLSON, FRANKLIN BRIGHT, WM. B. GOODLAND, WELTER K. WHITE, Commissioners. Oct. 9, 1860—tds.

Public Sale.

THE undersigned will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, on his farm purchased of Alexander S. Reed, on

THURSDAY.

The 25th day of October next, the following property to wit:

TWELVE COLTS,

of four years old and under; SIX MARES AND TWO HORSES, all good road and farm horses; 15 OR 20 HEAD OF YOUNG CATTLE, among which are a good yoke of broken Steers, several good Milch Cows and the balance young Heifers in fine order and fit for market.

TERMS OF SALE.—A credit of six months upon note with approved security. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. JOHN S. SKINNER At the Alex Reed Farm. Sep. 25, 1860—tds.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons not to gun or otherwise trespass upon our premises. The law will be enforced against all offenders. STEWART B. EMORY, JOHN R. EMORY, W. THOMAS EMORY. Oct. 9, 1860—tds.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Habeas Corpus issued out of the Circuit Court for Queen Ann's County and to me directed at the suit of Lennel Roberts use of W. I. Gibson, against the goods and chattels lands and tenements of James P. Crossley and Mary C. Crossley. I have seized and taken in execution and will offer at public sale on

Tuesday the 23rd day of October instant,

between the hours of 12 and 4 o'clock, in front of the Court House in the town of Centreville the following property to wit:

A TRACT OF LAND,

containing 100 ACRES MORE OR LESS, improved with a one story frame dwelling and the usual outbuildings, all in good repair adjoining the lands of E. F. Chambers, and Mrs. Clements and others. Seized and taken to satisfy said writ debt interest and cost due and to become due thereon and will be sold for the same on the above mentioned day for cash. J. ST. JURY, Sheriff. Oct. 2, 1860—tds. [S2.50]

Public Sale.

THE undersigned intending to discontinue farming, will offer at public sale, on the premises where I now reside, on

WEDNESDAY,

The 31st day of October next, the following property to wit:

ONE PAIR OF MULES,

THREE HORSES, 7 HEAD OF CATTLE, A LOT OF HOGS AND PIGS, HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE, FARMING IMPLEMENTS AND UTENSILS, ONE HANT CORN SHELLER AND A LOT OF CORN BLADES.

TERMS OF SALE.

All sums of five dollars and under cash; over that amount a credit of six months upon note with approved security drawing interest. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. WM. C. REED. Sep. 25, 1860—tds.

GODDARD'S NEW ENGLAND COUGH SYRUP.

A supply of this article for coughs colds and whooping-cough, asthma and spitting of blood; just received and for sale by

April 24, '60. HOPPER & WILMER.

6 CTS. REWARD.

PANAWAY from the subscriber on the 8th of August last, my apprentice boy Howard Lee. The above reward will be given for his apprehension and return to me. All persons are warned not to harbor said boy. WM. GOULD. Sep. 25, 1861—tds.

HATMON'S TINCTURE, for sale by

JAMES A. DRUKSON,