From the Marlboro' Gazette.

Free Negroes—Meeting in Charles County—Steps should be Taken in Prince George's county.

The time has arrived at last when I hope every white man in Prince George's will feel the necessity of ridding ourselves of the presence of that lazy, degraded, vicious and worthless class of citizens—*free negroes*—who infest our neighborhoods and disturb our peace. They are a very serious grievance. They render our slaves dissatisfied and unhappy. They encourage theft on the part of slaves by being ready recipients of the things stolen. They keep away from us a class of white men, who would otherwise settle among us, and be of service to the State and to the people of the State. By their presence, white labor in *the fields* has become degrading in the estimation of those whose lot it is to earn their living by the work of their hands, for an industrious white man will not put himself in a situation by which his only company is a lazy free negro, and by which his wages are to be regulated according to the hire of a free negroe. A free negro can afford to hire for one fourth the price that an active, honest, industrious white man can, because he will be at his work from "sun to sun," while the free negroe will be idle one-half of his time, one-fourth of his wages he will be sure to *steal*, and his work will only be half done. To illustrate this, a man will give $2 a day for a white man to cut wheat. He will cut six acres, and save it clean. A free negro will work for $1.50, he will cut three to four acres, if you watch him *all* day, and he will steal a pig or lamb, or some article of clothing, perhaps make arrangements with your negroes to furnish him ten bushels of your wheat, beside wasting while at work at least two bushels.

It is to the interest of the small farmer—it is to the great interest of the poor white mechanic—it is to the interest of all classes, native and foreign born, that this portion of the black race should be sent out of our county. It is to the serious injury, perhaps to the *slow* and *certain* ruin of the slave holder, that this class of people are suffered to remain among us. Our legislators pass laws and they are not acted upon—our courts are lenient—our public offices extremely remiss, and our juries are inactive. Under the laws as they now exist, if the law officers discharged vigorously their duties, we should get rid of half this abominable population, and the State would be benefitted, while the officer would be well remunerated for his trouble, besides receiving the thanks of a gratified public. But alas! they live on in their filth and laziness, rearing up broods to still further eat out the white man, and go on to increase, without working, without "any visible means of support"—with no license from the Orphans' Court, and living almost confessedly upon their *ill-gotten* stores. Shame upon us who complain of our taxes to the State, when we pay an *indirect, secret 'black mail'* to these marauders—these midnight thieves—these poor, degraded wretches.

Now is a fit time for us to take some stand of a decided character in regard to this subject. The course of events has forced Charles county to adopt strong, but proper and effectual measures to rid herself of this grievance—she will no longer be subjected to the ruinous consequences of the presence of such people within her borders, and her strict police will keep her slaves in good order, and insure thereby greater security to her white population, and greater happiness to her slaves. Let Prince George's follow her example, and we will reap like benefit. If we do not adopt a similar course, we shall be overrun, for our neighbor Charles will drive upon us all his, which, with those already here, will make it insufferable.

Let our Orphans' Court grant no more licenses to free negroes. Let our Prosecutor place the laws relating to free negroes before our next grand jury, and call its attention to them. Let him explain to the jury the particular provisions of these laws—let our sheriff and his officers look to their duties in this matter and faithfully discharge them. Let these things be done and we will be freed of a great pest—our moral and social condition improved, and our slave property be better secured.

Late events show that we sleep upon the very mouth of a volcano—its first rumblings have been heard and felt. There are spirits both *white* and *black* that are stirring up the fires, and unless we are on our guard we may be overwhelmed ere we appreciate the danger. The free negroes are never seen in any movement, but be assured they are the instruments that this vile work is carried on with. English school masters and school mistresses in particular are often the worst abolitionists. There is one in our borders whom I hope may read this, and consider it as a *writing on the wall*, and be guarded in future as to her conduct and language, or a Daniel may too late interpret the meaning thereof to her ruin. Under pretence of teaching the negroes their catechism, there is a scoundrel at ——— ———, who is teaching our negroes to read, and who has been forbid to do so, yet he persists in it, and the neighbors are now concocting a plan to put him in the Patuxent, by way of *cooling* his fondness for keeping a Sunday school. The grand jury ought to notice all these characters, as it is in this way our very lives are in danger. *This is the time for action.*

A CITIZEN.

MARRIED,

At Newtown, Charles County, Md., August 5th, 1845, by the Rev. Isaac Collins, of the Baltimore Conference, Mr. THOMAS PENN, of Charles County, to Miss CATHARINE JANE COLLINS, daughter of the above Reverend gentleman, late of Frederick City, Md.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned Trustees of District School No. 2, will meet at the school house on the 16th of SEPTEMBER 1845, for the purpose of appointing a Teacher for the ensuing year. The salary from the State is two hundred dollars, and the trustees anticipate an additional sum of one hundred dollars more by private subscription, which they feel confident from the alacrity by which subscribers have come forward will be fully realized and perhaps more. Good board can be obtained in the neighborhood. Applications can be made to either of the subscribers.

JOHN T. STODDERT,
HENRY R. HARRIS,
ZEPH. TURNER,
WILLIAM SIMPSON,
NOTLY T. DUTTON,
Aug. 21—tm. *Trustees.*

NOTICE.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued by James D. Carpinter, Chief Justice of the First Election District Court of Charles County, at the suit of Perry & Smith against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Thomas Groves, to me directed, I have seized and taken in execution all the estate, right, title, interest, property, claim and demand at law and in equity of the said Thomas Groves in and to the following tracts or parcels of land, commonly called or known by the following names, to wit—*Douglass' Venture*, containing 85 *Acres; Washington's Discovery*, containing 15 *Acres*; and *Perry's Hope*, containing 35 *Acres*,—making in the whole 135 *Acres*, more or less, lying and situate in Nanjemoy, Charles county, adjoining the lands of John T. B. Perry, Mrs. Isabella Dent and others. The improvements thereon are a *Dwelling House, Kitchen*, &c. There is good water on said land. I hereby give notice that on the 17th day of September next at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises, I will offer for sale the said property so seized and taken in execution, by public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

WILLIAM BAKER, Jr., *Constable.*
au. 13—4t* 21pt

NOTICE.

WAS COMMITTED to the jail of Prince George's County, as a runaway, on the 12th of August, 1845, a negro man, who calls himself

WILLIAM SPENCER.

He is about twenty-four years old, six feet high, and quite black. He had on when committed a suit of blue nankeen clothes. Says he is free, and is from Philadelphia, and last sailed with Capt. Hand in the packet "Argo," from that place to Alexandria. Says he can be identified by Mr. Dagerty (or Dugherty) merchant, at the corner of Camberton and Eighth streets, Philadelphia. The owner, if any, of the above described negro, is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away; otherwise he will be discharged according to law.

ELI S. BALDWIN, *Sheriff.*
Aug. 15, 1845—3w. 21pt

NOTICE.

WAS COMMITTED to the jail of Prince George's County, on the 4th of August, 1845, as a runaway, a negro man, who calls himself

MOSES FRANKLIN.

He is about forty years old—five feet six inches high—and quite black. He had on when committed a suit of white cotton clothes. Says he once belonged to Dr. Skinner, of this county, but is now free.—The owner, if any, of the above described negro, is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away; he will otherwise be discharged according to law.

ELI S. BALDWIN, *Sheriff.*
Aug. 15, 1845—3w. 21pt

NOTICE.

WAS committed to the jail of Prince George's county, as a runaway, on the 4th of August, 1845, a negro man who calls himself

IGNATIUS FARMER.

He is about twenty-two years old—five feet five inches high—quite black, and has a fresh sore on the heel of his left foot. He had on when committed blue kersey pantaloons, blue cloth coat and black satin vest. He says he belongs to Mrs. Newman of Washington city—but has been for some time past in the employ of Mr. James Oliver, at the Alms House, near Port Tobacco, Charles county, Maryland. The owner of the above negro is requested to come and prove property, pay charges and take him away; he will otherwise be discharged according to law.

ELI S. BALDWIN, Sheriff.
Aug, 14, 1845—3w.

STONE WARE—Just received and for sale the following:—
Jars, Pans, Pitchers and Jugs of all sizes.
ANDERSON & HUTTON.
je 19.

CHARLES COUNTY LEVY FOR 1845.

THE INHABITANTS OF CHARLES COUNTY TO SUNDRIES.

Dr.		Cr.	
To allowance to Justices of Orphans' Court,	$317 50	By John W. Guy, Inspector at Pomonkey Warehouse,	$6 60
" ditto Judges and Clerks of Elections,	192 00	" William Nevitt, Collector for last year, for this amount levied to repair the Court House,	250 00
" ditto Grand and Petit Jurors	1,758 00	" 39 per centum on $3,735,510, it being the amount of assessable property of the county,	14,568 48
" ditto Witnesses in criminal cases,	104 00		
" ditto Bailiffs to County and Commissioners' Courts,	184 00		
" ditto Commissioners of Ch's County,	265 00		
" ditto Constables for suppressing tumultuous meetings of negroes,	56 00		
" ditto Overseers of Public Roads,	944 00		
" amount for building Bridge at A. Fresh,	500 00		
" the Treas'r of the Western Shore for the transportation of Free Negroes to Liberia,	446 66		
" the President and Directors of the Maryland Hospital for the support of Wm. Clements, a lunatic pauper,	125 00		
" Public Schools,	3,000 00		
" Trustees of the Poor for the support of the poor and out-pensioners,	2,500 00		
" Incidental charges,	2,730 68		
" Joseph Stone, Collector, for 6 per cent on $22,533 17, it being the am't of State and County Tax,	1,351 99		
" amount overrated,	350 25		
	$14,825 08		$14,825 08

True copy—Test,
J. R. ROBERTSON, Clerk Com. Charles County.

$200 REWARD.

RANAWAY from Pickawaxen, in Charles county, Md., sometime during the present month, two negro men belonging to the estate of Miss A. G. Vincent, late of this county, deceased. One named BEN or BENNETT, is rather a likely negro, of dark complexion, about 5 feet 11 or 12 inches in height, of slender make, and about 24 years of age. The other, called WARREN, is a mulatto, thick set, about 5 feet 8 inches in height, has a slight impediment in his speech, and is between 40 and 45 years of age. It is not known what clothes they took with them.

I will give, for the apprehension of said negroes, if brought to me or lodged in any jail, so that I get them, the above reward of two hundred dollars if taken out of the State of Maryland, or one hundred dollars for either of them; and if taken in the State of Maryland, or District of Columbia, one hundred dollars—or fifty dollars for either of them.

WALTER MITCHELL, Ex'r
of A. G. Vincent.
may 22—tf

COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I SHALL offer at public sale, on TUESDAY, the 26th instant, in Port Tobacco, Charles county, a *HOUSE* and *LOT*, the property of the late Walter Fearson, levied on and taken for Taxes due the State and County for the years 1843 and 1844. Terms of sale, cash.

WM. NEVITT,
aug 7. Collector Charles County.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Charles county, letters testamentary on the personal estate of JOHN TIPPETT, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate, are hereby warned to exhibit the same to the subscriber, properly authenticated, on or before the 1st day of February next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's estate.

Given under my hand this 10th day of July, 1845.

JOHN H. MONROE,
ju 10. Executor of John Tippett.

FOR SALE.

THE subscriber will offer his LAND for sale on which he now resides, to the highest bidder, on MONDAY the 15th day of SEPTEMBER next, contoining

160 *ACRES*, *more or less.*

The soil being of good quality is susceptible of a high state of improvement from clover and plaster, and is well adapted to the growth of the common staples of the State.

☞ Sale to commence at 11 o'clock, A. M. on the premises.

Terms of sale made known on day of sale.

WM. K. DENT.
july 17—ts.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE undersigned is authorized to sell two tracts or parcels of Land, situate and lying in Nanjemoy, Charles county. The one called and known by the name of Tettershel's Gift, containing four hundred acres, more or less—and the other known as Martin's Freehold, and containing one hundred and fifty acres. These two tracts of land lie contiguous to each other and bind on the Potomac river about forty miles below Alexandria. The soil being of good quality, is susceptible of a high state of improvement from clover and plaster, and is well adapted to the growth of the common staples of the State. Each tract has upon it a comfortable dwelling-house and all the other necessary out buildings.—The location is one particularly desirable on account of the facilities afforded for a ready transportation of produce to the District, or any other market. Persons wishing to purchase can have the privilege of buying one or both tracts, as they are for sale separately as well as jointly.

All who may wish to view the premises can be gratified by calling upon Mr. Francis J. Brummett, of Nanjemoy. For terms, apply to

JAS. FERGUSSON,
feb 27—6m Port Tobacco.

COZADORA CIGARS—A lot of superior just receeived by
ANDERSON & HUTTON.
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They also publish the following works, which are extensively known and circulated:—

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Rags and Country Quills

taken in trade, or the highest cash price given.

N. B.—Orders promptly attended to. All the new works as they appear are received from publishers as soon as issued from the press.

Remember the number, (151 Pratt street,) a little east of Charles and half a square from Light street wharf. je 5—6m.

SADDLE AND HARNESS-MAKING.

THE undersigned most respectfully informs the citizens of Charles County and the public generally, that he is continuing the SADDLE and HARNESS-MAKING BUSINESS, IN PORT TOBACCO, IN ALL ITS VARIOUS BRANCHES, superintended by Mr. MILLER, who can be found at the establishment at any time during business hours. From the acquaintance I have with Mr. Miller, I can most confidently recommend him as every way calculated to give satisfaction to all who may favor me (as I hope they will) with their patronage.

P. DAVIS.
je 12—tf.

UNION HOTEL,
LEONARD TOWN, MD.

THE subscriber having leased this well known stand, formerly in the occupancy of Mr. Alexander Milburn, invites his friends and the public to give him a call. He pledges himself to accommodate them with the best the market affords. His stables are commodious and his hostlers capable and attentive; and no exertion shall be spared upon his part to give satisfaction to all who may honor him with their patronage.

☞ His Bar will be always well supplied with superior Liquors.

☞ Drovers accommodated on the most reasonable terms. JOSEPH MORGAN.
ju. 10—3t.

NEGROES WANTED.

O. C. & S. Y. HARRIS, of Upper Marlboro', wishes to purchase any number of Negroes, for which they will give the highest market price in *Cash*. They will be in Port Tobacco once in every week. Any communications left in their absence with Mr. LYNE SHACKELFORD will be promptly attended to.
ju 24.

LOOK OUT FOR HIM!

$100 REWARD.

RANAWAY from the estate of Henry C. Bruce, deceased, on the 3d instant, negro man Townsend, calling himself

TOWNSEND NEWMAN,

aged about 40 years. This negro is about 5 feet 6 or 8 inches high, dark copper color, nearly black, and has a slight impediment in his speech. Had on when he went away a white fur hat, blue nankeen jacket, and white linen pants.—He also took with him a black frock coat of summer cloth, and a pair of black cassinet pantaloons.

Thirty Dollars will be paid if taken in the county; $100 will be paid if taken elsewhere, and delivered in some safe jail so that I get him again.

JOHN R. FERGUSSON.
aug. 5—3t

DR. THOMAS CAMMACK

OFFERS his professional services to the citizens of Port Tobacco and vicinity. His Office is in the house recently occupied by George W. Barnes, Esq.

REFERENCES.

Washington, D. C.—Prof's. Miller and Lindsly.
Georgetown, D. C.—Prof. Riley, Dr's. Lauck and Magruder. aug. 7.

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600 yds plaid, striped, shaded and fancy dress Silks
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300 yds do mourning do do do
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200 yds printed Lace do, for evening dresses
200 yds pink, blue and white plain Barages, for evening dresses
300 yds Organdy and French Ginghams
100 yds buff and white lace do
Plain and printed Tarleton for robes
600 yds Lace Cambric, Book and Swiss Muslin
300 yds 4-4 French Chintzes
7000 yds Calico, of every style and price
200 yds sup silk warp bl'k Alpacas
300 yds low price do and Bombazines
5 pes Cambric and Furniture Dimity
3 pes French do
Dimity Collars and Schemizetts, and Dimity Bands,
Cambric and Muslin Edging and Insertings
Thread do do
20 doz ladies' sup and low-priced Kid Gloves
10 doz bl'k, white and col'd English Silk do
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500 doz white and col'd Cotton Hosiery, all prices
20 doz Silk and Moravian do
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Embroidered damask and striped white Crape Shawls
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15 pes do French & English Linen Drilling
3 pes White Navy do
4 pes sup bl'k French Drap D'Ete
2 pes do Arcadian and Wellington Drills
10 pes Summer Cloth, bl'k and colored
20 pes fancy plaid and plain Gambroons
50 pes fancy, plain, and plaid Pant Stuff
100 pes Nankeen
250 yds Marseilles and Cashmere Vesting
50 pes sup bl'k Levantine and Satin do
Sup Silk and Madras Cravats
do bl'k Satin Scarfs
do Kid, Silk and Lisle Thread Gloves
Linen Bosoms and Collars
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je. 26. Alexandria, D. C.

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aug. 7. 3m* Agent for B. M. Campbell.

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