# THE SENTINEL.

ROCKVILLE, MD.

FRIDAY, : : : : : : MARCH 16, 1860.


ADJOURNMENT OF THE LEGISLATURE.—On Saturday night last the session of the Legislature was brought to a close, by the constitutional limit. It has been, in many respects, a very important term, and certainly one of the most exciting that we have ever witnessed. The vast amount of business which is pressed into the brief session, by its biennial character, is necessarily productive of excitement. In addition to this, the character of the measures introduced before that body were calculated to elicit much more than ordinary feeling, as they involved large interests. From the commencement to the close of the session, there was a continued pressure from outside parties interested in the various measures presented for consideration. Such was the hurry of business, and the pressure from these various outside interests, that members had little leisure to mature business, or to give proper examination to such as were passed.

The appropriations have been unusually liberal, and although there is no one object that deserves to be condemned, yet, in view of the aggregate amount, it is too probable that it would have been wiser to have deferred some of them to a future session. We regret to see that the close of the session was disturbed by a collission between outside parties, in the rotunda of the capitol. The affray, however, was purely personal, provoked by the intemperate, abusive, and defiant language of the two parties.

☞ The Speaker of the House of Delegates has issued his warrant for a new election in Washington county, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the disqualification of George Fresner, Esq.—Also, for an election of ten delegates for Baltimore city, to fill the vacancies created in that body by the vote of the House, on Saturday, declaring there was no election in said city on the 2d of November last. Judge Krebs fills the vacant clerkship in his Court till the next general election. It is stated that Mr. Purnell will refuse to vacate the Comptroller's office to Mr. Jarrett, in accordance with the decision of the House of Delegates, but will resist the matter before the courts.

STATE CONVENTION.—The American party of Maryland are to hold a State convention in Baltimore city on the 19th of April. The following gentlemen have been elected to represent the State of Maryland in the national central executive committee of the constitutional Union party:

For the State at large.—Hon. John P. Kennedy and Ezekiel F. Chambers. For 1st Congressional district, James U. Dennis; 2d, H. W. Archer; 3d, Wm Chesnut; 4th, Wm. Price; 5th, Frederick Schley; 6th, Hon. A. Randall.

☞ The Annapolis Republican, speaking of the adjournment of the Legislature on Saturday last, says the adjournment of the House before midnight was brought about by the unbecoming conduct of parties, outsiders, disappointed by the failure of measures which had been persistently pressed upon the Legislature during the whole session.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ELECTION.—The New Hampshire State election, which was held on Tuesday last, has resulted in the success of the republicans. Goodwin, republican, is re-elected Governor by a majority of about 5,000. The Republicans have also elected four, and probably all five Councillors; nine of the twelve of the State Senators, and about 90 majority in the House of Representatives.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION IN GEORGETOWN. The election in Georgetown, on Wednesday last, for two members of council, resulted as follows:—R. P. Dodge, dem., 517; W. H. Tenney, American, 562; J. B. Davidson, American, 549; Davis, dem., 542.

IMPORTANT LAW.—The new code, on page 238, says "that if any person belonging to this State shall go out of this State, and there marry with any person belonging to this State, without license or publication, each of the said parties on conviction, shall be fined *one hundred dollars*."

☞ Gov. Hicks on Saturday notified the Legislature that he had received their address for the removal of Judge Stump from the Bench of the Criminal Court of Baltimore city, and that he would remove him.

☞ Henry C. Mackall, Esq., is appointed to incorporate the Acts of the late session of the Legislature in the Code, which is to be completed and published by the first of June next.

JUDGE MARTIN'S DECISION.—On Tuesday last, Judge MARTIN decided the case of the Police Commissioners vs. the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, in favor of the former.

SCHOOL BILL.—We publish, to-day, the School Bill for this county, as passed by the Legislature, having been matured and introduced by our Senator, Dr. DUVALL. We invite an attentive perusal from our Montgomery readers, and hope that it may meet their approval. If there be imperfections, time and experience will enable some future Legislature to correct them. The demands of the public and the increasing wants of the community required of our representatives a primary school system, and we congratulate them upon the one which will soon go into operation under the very able and efficient Commissioners appointed by our legislative representatives.

INCORPORATED.—An act to incorporate the town of Rockville, as adopted by our citizens, passed both branches of the Legislature the last night of the session, and is now a law. The first Monday of May next is, we believe, the day fixed by the act for the election of three Town Commissioners and a Police officer.—SAMUEL C. VEIRS and LAWRENCE LUDDANE, Esqs., are appointed judges to hold the first election. We hope soon to have our streets graded and otherwise improved, and our sidewalks nicely paved, which must greatly enhance the value of our town property. Let us all unite as a unit in these much needed improvements.

COUNTY CONVENTION.—The Democratic County Convention will meet at this place, on to-morrow, to appoint delegates to the State and Congressional District Conventions, to be held in Baltimore on Thursday next, for the purpose of appointing two delegates from each to represent this State in the Charleston Convention, to nominate a candidate for President and Vice-President.

CIRCUIT COURT.—The Circuit Court for this county is still in session, but will probably adjourn to-day, as the petit jurors were discharged last evening—the grand jury was discharged on Saturday last. A large amount of business has been disposed of during the present term, but much has been postponed to November next.

☞ A number of State Chemist's Reports have been left at the office of the "Sentinel" for distribution. Those who would like a copy, had better call early, and obtain one. It is an able and interesting document.

### Metropolitan Railroad.

At a highly respectable meeting of the citizens of Montgomery county, held at the Court-House, on the 9th instant, SAMUEL T. STONESTREET, Chairman, and W. VEIRS BOYLE, Secretary, it was

*Resolved*, That the people of this county look with confidence to the committee heretofore appointed to urge upon Congress the passage of such measures as will aid in the construction of the Metropolitan Railroad, and express the hope that said committee will act as promptly as in their power.

*Resolved*, That in the opinion of this meeting, the Metropolitan Railroad, and the Passenger Railroad of Washington and Georgetown, ought to be so arranged as to be one continuous road, and which would promote the mutual interests of the people of this county and of the District.

*Resolved*, That these proceedings be published in the "Montgomery County Sentinel," and the newspapers of Washington city.

S. T. STONESTREET, Ch'n.
W. VEIRS BOYLE, Sec'y.

NO RATIFICATION OF THE MEXICAN TREATY.—*A War on the Rio Grande.*—A despatch from Washington says: Mr. McLane, our minister to the Juarez government in Mexico, will return to Vera Cruz in the steam frigate Brooklyn, which will receive him and Mr. Pickett at Hampton Roads. As all prospect of the ratification of the Juarez treaty seems to be abandoned, Mr. McLane's prospective return confirms the belief that a war upon Mexico will result from the state of things existing upon the Rio Grande, and, indeed, upon all the Mexican border. There is little prospect of the employment of Texan rangers, upon Congressional authority, in time to prevent the inroad upon Mexico, which Governor Houston's letter foreshadows.

HOWARD COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.—A convention of delegates from the several election districts of Howard county was held at Ellicott's Mills, on Saturday last. Hon. Ed. Hammond presided, and Henry R. Weotton, Esq., acted as secretary. On motion, the convention proceeded to the election of delegates to the State and Congressional conventions, at which nominations the delegates to the Charleston convention will be made, with the following results:—Delegates to the State convention—Gen. Ed. Hammond, John R. Brown, and T. B. Hobbs. Delegates to the Sixth Congressional convention—Peter Gorman, Joseph Hunt, and Joseph Hobbs. At the close of the convention an eloquent and forcible Union and Constitution speech was made by Gen. Hammond, and received with acclamation.

INTERFERING TO THE CHARLESTON DELEGATES.—It is stated that beef is already selling at Charleston at twenty-five cents a pound, in anticipation of the crowd the Charleston Convention will take to that city. Landlords say they are charged the most exorbitant rates for all the food they will need, and the additional accommodations required for the entertainment of the guests.

### Maryland Legislature.—What was Done, and what was not Done.

We have not been able to obtain a correct account of every thing that was done, or left undone, at the session of the Legislature, which closed on Saturday night last. We subjoin, however, some facts of general interest:

"WHAT WAS DONE."—A very stringent law was passed to suppress lotteries.

The bill to change the liquor license law now in force, and by which licenses are rated according to the rent paid by tavern keepers, and the stock in trade of dealers, passed both Houses and became a law. The licenses for dealers in liquor under the old and new laws are:

| *Stock in trade.* | *New Law.* | *Old Law.* |
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| $500 or less | $12 | $18 |
| Over $500 | 35 | 40 |
| $1,000 to $2,000 | 50 | 60 |
| $2,000 to $4,000 | 75 | 100 |
| $4,000 to $6,000 | 100 | 120 |
| $6,000 to $10,000 | 120 | 150 |
| $10,000 to $20,000 | 130 | 175 |
| $20,000 to $30,000 | 140 | 200 |
| Over $30,000 | 150 | 250 |

To sell spirituous and fermented liquors or lager beer in quantities not less than a pint $18, instead of $20, as in the old law.

Section twelve of the new law repeals all the sections of the new code, relating to licenses of eating and oyster houses, and inserts a new section, fixing the sum for each and every license at $50. Under the old law the license is rated according to the rent paid by the several establishments, as follows:—A rent of $50 is licensed at $50; of $100 at $75; a rent of between $100 and $200, licensed at $100; between $200 and $300, licensed at $125; between $300 and $500, licensed at $150; between $500 and $1,000, licensed at $200; rent of between $1,000 and $2,000, a license at $250; rent exceeding $2,000, licensed at $300. These are the rates of license under the old law, but the new one places them all on the same footing, large establishments alike paying $50.

The bill or measures concerning the free colored population became a law, but in such a form that it only prohibits future manumissions, unless the slaves be removed from the State, and also permits free colored persons to renounce their freedom. Another law was also passed to appoint a board of commissioners for the better control and management of the free colored population of St. Mary's, Calvert, Howard, Kent, Baltimore, Worcester, Caroline, Charles, Somerset, Prince George's and Talbot counties. It provides that all free negroes shall provide homes for themselves; that if they cannot support themselves they shall be hired out; all children shall be hired out until they are of age. The bill contains a clause which provides that the bill shall be submitted to the people at the next presidential election.

The general appropriation bills for two years were passed, also bills giving the Maryland Insane Asylum $10,000, the House of Refuge $20,000 for 1860 and 1861, the Deaf and Dumb Asylum $5,000, and the Home of the Friendless $5,000.

The bill appropriating the balance of one million of dollars to public improvements on the Eastern Shore, which became a law, proposes that the sum be paid from the surplus revenues of the State treasury within the next four years.

The new jury law for Baltimore city became a law. It provides that the city collector shall furnish the names of seven hundred tax payers, from which the judges are to select a certain number, out of which number the jurors for the several courts are to be selected by lot.

The charter of the Washington and Baltimore Turnpike Company was revoked.

The Baltimore police and election bills, and the bill for the sale of the State tobacco warehouses, both became laws.

Among other important matters accomplished during the session were the adoption of the new code, the election of United States Senator, State Treasurer, Librarian and Keeper of Records, the removal of Judge Stump, the unseating of the Baltimore delegates, State Comptroller and Clerk of Baltimore City Circuit Court.

"WHAT WAS NOT DONE."—Among the important measures which were either rejected or not finally acted upon, were the Brock or Baltimore City Passenger Railway bill; the Chesapeake and Ohio canal bill; the bill to increase the private stockholder directorship in the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company; the bill for a registry law in Baltimore; the exemption bill; the green grocers' bill; the bill to restore to the Governor the appointment of wood corders; the bill to call a convention to revise the State Constitution; the bill concerning the militia of the State; the bill to increase the capital stock of the Northern Central railroad company, and a large number of other bills, principally of a local character.

DEATH OF AN EDITOR.—Palmer C. Ricketts, Esq., the editor and proprietor of the Elkton (Md.) Whig, died on the 9th instant, in the forty-third year of his age. Mr. R. had been for several years in failing health, and his death was not unexpected to his numerous friends.

☞ Mr. Charles Boulden, of Cecil county, was thrown from his wagon on Thursday night of last week, and killed. An Irishman discovered the body and robbed it of $40, which was found on his person and which he confessed taking. He was committed to jail.

THE GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENTS.—The Senate confirmed all the civil gubernatorial appointments, except one at Port Deposit. The military appointments were all confirmed a few days previously.

☞ The Legislature of Mississippi has raised the taxes to seventy-five cents on each negro, instead of forty as heretofore; and to twenty cents on each $100 worth of land, instead of sixteen cents.

### THE BALTIMORE CONFERENCE.

The Baltimore Methodist Episcopal Annual Conference, held in Winchester, Va., brought its business to a close and adjourned *sine dis* on the 8th inst., having previously determined that the next Conference should be held at Stanton, Va., on the first Wednesday in March next.

Amongst the business which occupied the attention of the Conference was the following report on the slavery question:

Your committee, to whom has been referred the memorials from several of the appointments in our Conference on the subject of slavery, beg leave to make the following report:

The said memorials relate to *three distinct* points, viz: The expunging of the rule on slavery; the dissolution of our connexion with the Northern Conference, and the incessant agitation of the slavery question in our periodical literature.

We recognize in all our members the right to hold and fully to express their sentiments on all these subjects, and we are highly gratified with the affection and loyalty to our Conference which the memorials breathe. We also know and painfully feel the pressure which they have lately been made to suffer upon the question, which is the main subject of their appeal to us. But, at the same time, our conviction is clear that we can only stand as a church, nay, that we can only maintain our existence as a Conference, on the ground of the discipline as it is administered by us; neither yielding to the demands of extremists in the North or South. We are satisfied that should we give expression to some of the opinions which our dear brethren suggest in the memorials referred to, we should produce within the bounds of our Conference, and even in Virginia, a dissatisfaction much greater than that which they now seek to allay.

As to a separation from the Methodist Episcopal Church, we beg leave to say that this Conference has already declared what, in their opinion, would be a just cause for severance, viz. any violation of our *rights*, as now held under the discipline. This we have said time and again, and our brethren, the memorialists, know that for these rights we have always earnestly and faithfully contended. Our whole church in the bounds of our Conference has our solemn pledge, and our brethren in the North are well acquainted with our oft-repeated declarations.

In reference to the character of our literature, alluded to, while we deeply deplore the fact that it has, in some instances, become such as we can neither sanction nor circulate, yet we are glad to know, as far as the newspaper press is concerned, we have an advocate of our own at Baltimore, in the ability of whose editor, and in his fidelity to our interests, we can implicitly confide.

There is another fact which we beg leave to mention. The country is now unusually agitated upon the question of slavery, and the dissolution of the Union is spoken of with a freedom and even sought in some quarters with an eagerness that most painfully shocks our feelings of patriotism. God forbid that this Confederation of States should ever do aught to aid or promote these treasonable designs! And it is our deliberate conviction, that another division of the Church would have a fearful tendency in that direction. At present there is not a Church in the land, whose government is strongly connexional, which is divided by strictly State lines; not one. And we cannot but believe that any such separation must weaken the bonds which so happily hold us together as a nation.—If the two sections of the Union cannot hold together as Christians, will they be able to do it as citizens and civilians?

While we, therefore, deeply sympathize with our brethren, the memorialists, in the troubles which they allege are upon them, we would affectionately remind them that the General Conference is the place where all such memorials should be addressed—that body possessing the *sole legislative* authority of the Church, the Annual Conferences being clothed *only* with *administrative and judicial* functions.

In view of the foregoing considerations your committee recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

1. *Resolved*, That we sincerely deplore the agitation of the slavery question, both in the Church and the State, and earnestly hope and fervently pray that this discreditable and disastrous strife may speedily cease.

2. *Resolved*, That this Conference disclaims having the least sympathy with abolitionism. On the contrary, we are determined not to hold connexion with any ecclesiastical body that makes non-slaveholding a condition of membership in the Church, and that we are opposed to any inquisition upon the motives underlying the relations of the master and the slave.

3. *Resolved*, That the subject of slavery should be committed exclusively to the jurisdiction of the respective Conference in which it may be found to exist.

4. *Resolved*, That no action of the General Conference can influence us to violate our principles and practices, as indicated in the foregoing declarations; but that we will stand by the rights and interests of our people to the last extremity.

5. *Resolved*, That our mission, as ministers of the New Testament, is to preach the Gospel of the Son of God, both to master and slave, and to devote ourselves wholly to our appropriate work of winning souls to Christ.

6. *Resolved*, That we solemnly remonstrate against the continual aggressive discussion of the slavery question in the newspapers and periodicals of the Church.

7. *Resolved*, That the publishing funds, and establishments of the Church are common property, held in trust by the General Conference for our common and equal use.

8. *Resolved*, That any such use of our common publishing funds, newspapers, periodicals, &c. as precludes our people from the benefits of them, while they are in no false or illegitimate relation to the Union, but are faithful to its covenants, is an abuse of trust."

All of which is respectfully submitted by the committee.

| *Ministers.* | *Laymen.* |
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| John Bear, | John S. Berry, |
| Samuel Register, | Robert Ricketts, |
| John Lanahan, | W. P. Conway, |
| S. Samuel Roszel, | J. S. Carson, |
| James N. Davis, | P. Herring, |
| A. Burhman, | A. L. Pitzer, |
| James S. Gardner. | Henry Stewart. |

This report and resolutions having been read, their adoption was advocated in a short speech by the Rev. S. S. ROSZEL; after which the question was taken by yeas and nays, when they were unanimously adopted—yeas 132, nays none.

The appointments for the ensuing year were announced on the 8th inst. Those for Rockville and Montgomery Circuits are as follows.

*Rockville.*—T. A. MORGAN and J. A. WILLIAMS.

*Montgomery.*—J. L. GILBERT and A. B. DOLLY.

### A Shooting Affray at Annapolis.

About 4 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, while the House was in session, two rapid shots from a pistol were heard in the rotunda, which caused a general rush of the members and spectators from the hall to ascertain the cause of the shooting. On reaching the rotunda, Mr. John W. McCoy was just rising from the floor, near the Senate side of the stairway leading to the Library, with his head and face bloody, and dress disordered, and the excitement of those crowding around was very intense.

The Sheriff immediately came up and arrested him on the charge of shooting Thomas Gardner, Clerk of the Criminal Court of Baltimore city, between whom and Mr. McCoy, considerable ill-feeling had been known to exist. This ill-feeling grew out of a speech which Mr. McCoy, as one of the Committee of the anti-Brock meeting, had made before the Committee on Corporations of the House of Delegates, about ten days previous, in which he denounced Mr. Gardner in very strong language, impeaching the reliability of his testimony and using language derogatory to his personal character, concluding by saying that he held himself personally responsible for the language he had used. A collision had been expected between them for some days.

An examination of Mr. McCoy was subsequently held at the court-house; the State's Attorney appearing for the State, and J. D. Hambleton for the defence.—Upon the conclusion of the testimony it was thought by the magistrate that even though there was no testimony against Mr. McCoy of a serious nature, yet the evidence of Mr. Gardner would be mainly relied upon in case the matter was taken into court. The case was evidently a bailable one, and he could not consent to let the accused go without demanding it. Mr. McCoy was then held to bail in the sum of $1,200 for his appearance at the April term of the court, Mr. Wm. T. Walters becoming his security.

☞ The Charleston papers confirm the statement that $5 a day will be the established prices for board at the hotels of that city during the holding of the Democratic National Convention.

OHIO.—The black-republican State convention was held on the first, and appointed delegates to the Chicago convention. Resolutions in favor of S. P. Chase were adopted.

☞ The dwelling houses of Messrs. Wm. F. Smyth and J. A. Edwards, at Millington, Kent county, were destroyed by fire on Sunday morning last.

☞ A son of Mr. E. Day of Howard county, Md., was shot dead on the 3d instant, by the accidental discharge of his gun.

☞ Howard county (Md.) court, meets on Monday next. Talbert, charged with the murder of Goldsborough, is then to be tried.

☞ In Louisiana, there is one lunatic out of 2,177 negroes; in South Carolina, one in 2,999; in Massachusetts, one in 43; in Maine, one in 14.

☞ Dr. Stewart, of Prince George's county, has sold his farm to Dr. Benjamin Lee for $50,000.

☞ The Chicago convention meets on Gov. Seward's birthday. He will then be 59 years of age.

☞ To-day is the day designated for the execution of Stevens and Hazlett at Charlestown, Virginia.

## The Markets.

BALTIMORE, March 14, 1860.

GRAIN.—Only some 5,000 bushels of Wheat were offered on Change this morning, and prices were firm at $1.50 a $1.60 for fair to good, and $1.63 a $1.70 per bushel for prime to choice white; fair to prime red sold at $1.40 a $1.45 per bushel. Of corn 5,000 bushels offered, and white sold at 71 a 72 cents; yellow sold at 74 a 75 cents per bushel. Oats, Maryland and Virginia sold at 42 a 44 cents; Pennsylvania 45 a 48 cents per bushel. Rye, 90 a 91 cents per bushel.

SEEDS.—The demand for Clover continues fair, sales to-day comprising some 250 bushels fair to prime at $4.50 a $4.75 per bushel.—*Sun.*


GUANO! GUANO!

THE subscriber invites the attention of Farmers to his Stock of GUANO, consisting in part of,—

*PERUVIAN,*
*MEXICAN,*
*NAVASSA, and*
*MINIBULATED.*

All of which he warrants to be No. 1 in quality, and which will be sold on favorable terms.

BENJ. DARBY,
mar 16—2m 87 Water St., Georgetown.

Clover Seed.

STRICTLY PRIME, both late and early, for sale, by JESSE T. HIGGINS,
mar 16 Poolesville, Md.


## Deaths.

DIED, in Rockville, on the 13th instant, at the residence of his son-in-law, Rev. D. S. ROSZEL, Mr. JOHN HUDDLESTONE, in the 78th year of his age.

He was a native of England, but for the last thirty-five years a citizen of the United States. A large and widely extended relationship mourn his departure; and by all who knew him and can appreciate true nobility of character, his memory will be respected. An eminent presentation of the oft repeated saying, "An honest man's the noblest work of God," he now "rests from his labors."

[Alexandria papers please copy.]

DIED, on Tuesday, the 6th instant, at the residence of his father, P. PALMER, near Sandy Spring, in this county, ALBERT G. PALMER, late of the firm of MARRY & PALMER, late of Washington city, in the 31st year of his age.

DIED, in Poolesville, on the morning of the 11th instant, FANNIE E. POOLE, aged 19 years, daughter of FREDERICK and MARY POOLE.

How hath the light of that household gone out, and that sweet voice is hushed in death! How inscrutable are the ways of Providence, and his judgments are past finding out! We who have loved her in life, now mourn her exit from this transitory life with many tears; we shall miss her warm, affectionate welcome, and the glad tones of her voice, that endeared her to a large circle of much-loved friends. But it is God who has called her away in the spring-time of life, and his judgment is unerring.

She was the idol of the home circle, the centre round which many fond hearts clustered—a dutiful and affectionate daughter to her now bereft and stricken parents. She was one in whom the qualities that most adorn the female sex were combined. But she is gone!—passed away with a meteor-like rapidity! Now her vacant chair, her empty room, the desolated hearth, all bear witness that our longing eyes shall no more welcome her glad return.

"Around us each dissevered chain in sparkling beauty lies"—

But no earthly hand can again unite them; we must submit to the mandate of heaven! It is sweet to remember, on that bed of languishing, how gentle, how lamb-like she was, and earnestly, amid her sufferings, she sought that arm of power—Eternal God was her refuge—and how comforting and consoling to her mourning parents she was not forsaken by the unslumbering Shepherd of Israel. Her dying words were:

*"My trust is in thee, O God!"*

A blessed privilege it was
To gather round her pillow,
And feel His solemn presence near,
Who stills the raging billow.

Her parents' fond and faithful hearts
Bowed very low beside her,
Whose hearts through circling years had prayed
No evil might betide her.

At last she pained us, day by day
Her glowing cheek grew paler,
Her eyes sent forth too bright a ray,
As vigor seemed to fail her.

Earth had strong magnates still for her,
Our hearts thronged round about her;
How could we let our treasure go,
How could we live without her?

But in the end no cloud arose
To dim her spirit's vision,
Why lingered she in suffering here,
To finish her earth's mission?

Can friends forget, can they neglect,
Such sweet and solemn teaching—
The Lord was pleased our souls to grant
Her deep and silent preaching.

Can we forget her faith and hope,
On bounteous love relying—
So wholly on the Lord of life
She cast herself in dying.

Her work for us seemed done, and while
We waited for some token,
The silver chord of life was loosed,
The golden bowl was broken.

A FRIEND.


TO THE THOUGHTFUL.

SAMUEL PHILLIPS, Artist, would inform the Ladies and Gentlemen of Rockville and vicinity, that he has just arrived in town with his large SKY AND SIDE LIGHT

Ambrotype Saloon,

and will give a GOOD LIKENESS, to those who may favor him with a call, at a very moderate price.

No work done on the Seventh Day Sabbath, (Saturday.)

COME ONE—COME ALL—without delay, Secure the shadow ere the substance fades away.

☞ Mr. PHILLIPS has Watch Crystals, and Repairs Jewelry—Mends Broken Glass or China Ware. mar 16—tf

BUTCHERING.

THE subscriber having located himself about half a mile above Rockville, on the Frederick road, and erected a slaughter house, would inform the citizens of Rockville and the county, that he will at all times be prepared to furnish them with

Fresh Meats,

on very moderate terms, FOR CASH. He will bring meats into the village every Tuesday and Saturday mornings.

Persons having Beeves, Calves, Muttons, Lambs, &c. for sale, will always find a market for them at his place, and the highest cash price paid. THOS. J. GARDINER.
mar 16—tf


NOTICE.

THE COMMISSIONERS for Montgomery county will meet at the Court-House, in Rockville, on

MONDAY, the 2d day of April next,

and continue in session one week, for the purpose of hearing appeals in relation to, and noting transfers of, the assessed property in said county, agreeably to the acts of the General Assembly of Maryland.

Executors and Administrators neglecting to comply with the law, will be charged with the taxes for the year 1860.

mar 16 U. FORREST, Ct'k to Com'rs.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned, citizens of Montgomery county, Md., hereby give notice that they will petition the Commissioners of said county, at their FIRST MEETING, *Thirty Days after the publication of this notice*, to change the location of the road leading from Gaithersburg to the Union meeting house, through the lands of Ignatius Fulks.

JOHN L. DUFIEF,
C. J. MADDOX,
J. B. GAITHER,
CHAS. SAFFLE.
mar 16—4t

Examiners' Notice.

THE undersigned Examiners, appointed by the Commissioners of Montgomery county to ascertain whether the public convenience requires the opening of a public road, commencing on the New-cut road, near John Snyder's new dwelling—thence through the lands of the heirs of John Gassaway, on the line of Henry Pumphrey and John H. Gassaway, and the heirs of John Gassaway, crossing Seneca at Riffle ford—thence through the lands of Mrs. L. Philips, I. Soper, M. J. Case, and the heirs of James R. Beall, to the Poolesville road, crossing said road—thence with a line of division of the heirs of J. R. Beall, as far as practicable, to the land of Erasmus West, through said West's land, Benj. F. Eliot, John L. Dufief, to the road leading to the Chesapeake and Ohio canal, at the Mouth of Muddy branch—hereby give notice that they will meet on the New-cut road, near John Snyder's new dwelling, on Wednesday, the 18th of April next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and proceed to execute said commission.

JOSEPH BRUNER,
RICH'D H. BURDETT,
JOSEPH T. BAILEY,
mar 16—td Examiners.


A GUANO CARD.

THE undersigned having noticed in the Rockville "Sentinel" an advertisement over the signatures of certain dealers in Guano in the District, would respectfully state to all Farmers, who trade in Washington, that, since his accession to business, he has *uniformly* and *steadily* resisted *all efforts* either at *combinations or high prices*, as all his friends, and the *dealers themselves*, must bear witness.

On the contrary, he has every season sought to keep the price of Peruvian Guano as near cost, as possible, as his advertisements to that effect, and the *less* price at which the article have been purchased from his establishment, will testify.

He is aware (and tenders to the public his acknowledgments for the same) that notwithstanding *certain* innuendoes to the contrary, *his* Guano stands in the *highest* repute among farmers of the surrounding sections of Maryland and Virginia, as always the purest and best article to be had.

As the undersigned has thus far, in his business career, been able to make a "LIVING" profit on what he has sold, and as he believes every one has the right to regulate his own prices, he now has the pleasure to say, that, *for this Spring*, or until the price of the agents of the Peruvian government is changed, he will sell for ANY and ALL quantities the *Purest Article of A No. 1 PERUVIAN GUANO*, WARRANTED and INSPECTED, at

$57.00 per 2000 Pounds,

Cash, in current funds.

Farmers are *particularly* assured that the Peruvian Guano sold by *me*, is *all* of the purest character, as I receive *none* that does not come direct from the agents' Depot in Baltimore, *every bag* bearing the *inspector's mark*.

Farmers are further assured, that *I keep no second class* Peruvian Guano, and that my *efforts*, as heretofore, will be to keep the price as *low down as possible*.

Bear in mind, that it is *your interest* to buy a *pure article*, at the *lowest price*, at my Guano Depot, No. 519 7th Street, above the Avenue.

EDW. F. SIMPSON,
mar 16 Washington city.

ROMULUS B. GRIFFITH,

GUANO & PHOSPHATE OF LIME AGENCY,

No. 88 Exchange Place, Baltimore,

OFFERS FOR SALE—

White and Brown *MEXICAN GUANO*, in bulk or barrels;

Sombrero and Navasso *GUANO*, in bulk or barrels.

*MANIPULATED GUANO*, at less than market rates.

*ALSO*—At Manufacturers' prices:

Super *PHOSPHATE OF LIME*, made by Penn City Chemical Works, in bbls., No. 1 Extra.

Mapes, Hoyt, Dedburg, Coe & Co., Rhodes & Co., Whitelock & Co., and other makes.

National Fertilizing Co.'s superior *FERTILIZER*, No. 1 Extra.

*GROUND BONES*, in their original state, and with the Oil extracted, but not the Gelatine—so highly recommended by P. T. Tyson, Esq., our State agricultural chemist.

*ANIMAL COMPOST*, or Cereal Fertilizer; *POUDRETTE, PLASTER* in bags or bbls.; *LIME*, &c. [mar 16—2m

NOTICE.

THE undersigned, citizens of Montgomery county, Md., hereby give notice that they will petition the Commissioners of said county, at their FIRST MEETING after the 16th day of April, 1860, to make the road publicly leading from the Washington road to the Baltimore road, near the mouth of Hawling's river, through the lands of E. E. Tyson, Edw. Lea, C. P. Iddings, C. L. Hammond, and others, and, also, to change the location of the Western end of said Baltimore road, through the lands of Thomas Lea, Sally Lea, and others, keeping on the north side of Hawling's river.

EDW. LEA,
C. LEWIS HAMMOND,
C. P. IDDINGS,
mar 16—4t THOS. LEA.

Examiner's Notice.

THE undersigned Examiners, appointed by the Commissioners of Montgomery county to ascertain whether the public convenience requires the construction of a Bridge over Seneca, on the Georgetown and Frederick road, hereby give notice that they will meet at Middlebrook, on Wednesday, the 16th day of April next, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M., to execute said commission.

ROBERT SELLMAN,
JOHN GARDINER,
WM. A. COOK,
mar 16—td Examiners.

NOTICE.

WE, the undersigned citizens of Montgomery county, Md., hereby give notice that we will petition the Commissioners of said county, at their FIRST MEETING, *Thirty Days after the publication of this notice*, for the construction of a Bridge over Sligo, on the road leading from near Jackson's meeting house to the line of the District of Columbia.

JOHN W. RICHARDSON,
SAMUEL DAVIS,
JAMES I. FOWLER
JACOB COBOURN,
mar 16—4t and others.

TO THE BREEDERS OF STOCK.

In Medley's District.

IT is respectfully requested that all gentlemen, in Medley's District, who have lired from my horse, BLACK HAWK, will meet in Poolesville, on Saturday, the 17th instant, and have on the ground their Black Hawk Colts; at which time the old Horse will also be on the ground. All those who have not bred from Black Hawk, are respectfully invited to be present. WM. P. HOWSER.
mar 9—2t

CALIFORNIA GUANO.

THE subscriber has in store a lot of superior *CALIFORNIA GUANO*, (one of the best fertilizers for Corn,) which he offers for sale at *No. 73, Water Street*, and also at his Warehouse, next to Taylor's Mill.

A. YOUNG,
mar 9—2m Georgetown, D. C.

FOR SALE.

A VERY VALUABLE FARM, situated about six miles from Rockville, adjoining the lands of Messrs. J. L. Dufief, M. F. Harris, E. L. Hayes, and others, containing 173½ *ACRES*, in the Home Farm, and a lot of 48 *ACRES OF WOOD LAND*, detached. It is in a fair state of cultivation, with a comfortable Dwelling and necessary out-buildings. It is within a short distance of a church, post-office, and mill.

For further particulars apply at this office.
mar 9—tf

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

WE, the undersigned, dealers in *PERUVIAN GUANO*, in Washington and Georgetown, possessing every facility for obtaining our supplies at the lowest market rates, have this day agreed to sell the same throughout the SPRING OF 1860, unless there is a change in the agent's prices, at

$38 per 2,000 lbs.,

assuring the Farming community that a *PURE ARTICLE*, No. 1, *PERUVIAN GUANO*, cannot be sold in this District, to afford the seller a living profit, at a less price.

MORGAN & RHINEHART,
J. F. BARTHOLOW,
BUSEY & HARNARD,
BENJ. DARBY.
District of Columbia, March 1, 1860.
mar 9—tf

PLOWS & PLOW CASTINGS.

A GREAT VARIETY, at prices less than can be had for in this city, at

R. M. JOHNSON & CO.'S
Agricultural Seed & Guano Warehouse,
9th St. near Canal, Washington, D. C.
feb 3—tf