THE SENTINEL.

ROCKVILLE, MD.

FRIDAY, :::::::: APRIL 13, 1860.

THE SCHOOL BILL.

We published, several weeks ago, the School Bill for this county, as adopted by the Legislature at its last session. It has now been read and considered by a large number of our citizens, probably a majority of them. While it finds favor and is approved of by a great many, yet there are some who are opposed not only to the particular features of this bill, but to the entire system of primary education. We had supposed that the sentiments of our people, upon this question, was well understood, and that our Legislators, who supported and procured the passage of this bill, but reflected the will of their constituents; and, indeed, we yet feel confident that the system, if once put into operation and properly understood, will be sustained and find favor with the people of this county. But the popularity of the system, or of the provisions of this particular bill, is not now for us to discuss. The Legislature has passed the law under which we are to act in the future, or as soon as it can be carried into effect, and it behooves every good citizen to lend a helping hand, and give encouragement to those whose duty it is to put it into operation. There are difficulties attending the carrying of this bill into operation, but none so formidable that time, experience and determination will not overcome. We say *time*, for we really think that is the great requisite. The necessary means—*the money*—the Commissioners cannot now command; but allow them *time*, and they will be able. School-houses are *to be built*; in *time*, they will be. So *time* is all important.

By a provision of this bill, the Commissioners of Tax can levy, in their discretion, for the support of schools, a tax of not more than twenty cents, nor less than ten, in the one hundred dollars.—Suppose they levy the minimum amount—only five thousand dollars will be raised from this source, and which amount will not be due, and subject to the order of the School Commissioners, before the first of January next. Four thousand dollars more will be received from the State Treasury next July—making only nine thousand dollars, an amount entirely too small to commence this new system of education. But let us take a more liberal view, and suppose the Commissioners of Tax will levy the maximum amount, and we will then have five thousand dollars more—making fourteen thousand dollars—ten thousand of it not due and obtainable before January next—a sum yet too small to develop the full benefits of this measure.

The most experienced and best informed among us, estimate the necessity of thirty school-houses for the county, at a cost of three hundred dollars each—making nine thousand dollars; the annual salary of a teacher for each house, is three hundred dollars—requiring nine thousand dollars more; so that for the first year of the adoption of this bill, eighteen thousand dollars will be required for teachers and school-houses alone—to say nothing of sundry minor expenses to be provided for, though by no means insignificant in amount. But we hope the per capita fee, which we have not taken into consideration, will cover these and other incidental expenses.

Without pursuing this subject further, with all deference, we would suggest to the School Commissioners, if the law will permit, the propriety of allowing the old system to dispense its great, though partial, benefits for a while longer, and delay the action of the new one until they can command the money to inaugurate it, and put it in full operation. In the meantime, sites for school-houses can be selected, contracts for building can be entered into, and houses may be erected. The Commissioners, well qualified to discharge their duties as we know them to be, can find much useful matter, in connection with this subject, to engage their attention, and at some future day, not very remote, this system of Primary Schools, under this bill, will be developed, in this county, in all its usefulness, dispensing its blessings to thousands yet unborn.

NEW TOBACCO WAREHOUSES.—We publish to-day the bill passed at the late session of our Legislature, providing for the building of new Tobacco Warehouses in the city of Baltimore, on deep water, and prefaced by an article from the pen of a correspondent of the "Gazette," of Prince George's county, upon the benefits to be derived from this measure.—We are quite sure that its great importance to a portion of our county will attract the attention of our tobacco growers, and we hope they may realize the full benefits of this measure as claimed by its advocates.

☞ Our old friends, Messrs. SMOOT & BURROUGHS, Georgetown, D. C., have just opened a magnificent stock of goods for spring and summer use. See their advertisement in another column.

DEATH OF A VALUABLE CITIZEN.—For want of the proper information in regard to the particulars, and expecting that some friend would furnish us the same, we have neglected, heretofore, the notice of the death of a citizen, who was so widely and favorably known, both in and out of the county, that we should not allow his demise to pass without record.—Dr. STEPHEN N. C. WHITE, died in Poolesville, on Tuesday, the 13th of March, in the 60th year of his age.—Dr. W. has been very extensively engaged in the practice of medicine in Medley's District, for a number of years, and was endeared to a large number of its inhabitants by acts of friendship and of kindness, upon whose memory his many virtues have left a deep and grateful impression. He has filled many places of important public and private trust during his active and useful life, and was, up to the time of his death, actively engaged in professional and other business, and had acquired an ample competence of fortune, which he managed with the thoughtful prudence of the steward who must render an account of his actions to that tribunal to which we are all hastening. In political life, and as a member of the State Legislature, Dr. W. had discharged the duties of his station with fidelity and satisfaction.—He was a full member of the Baptist church, and from his last words, and from the dying smile which illumined his features, we have satisfactory assurance that he felt himself accepted of the Great Head of the church. In his death, the community has lost a most valuable citizen, and an estimable family a head whose loss cannot be easily repaired.

DEATH OF MRS. GRIFFITH.—The sudden illness and death of the wife of our esteemed friend, Mr. THOMAS GRIFFITH, which occurred at her residence, near Laytonsville, in this county, on last Tuesday evening, has cast a gloom over a large circle of relatives and friends, who mourn her untimely end. The severity of the attack, and the rapidity with which it progressed to its fatal termination, shocked the entire community. The evening before, in the full enjoyment of robust health, she spent at a neighbor's house, and returned home after night. The next morning she had a slight headache, and eat nothing until about 3 o'clock, P. M., when she took a cup of tea, prepared for her by one of the house servants. Soon after taking it, she was taken ill with violent spasms of the stomach—distressing nausea and vomiting—great prostration—finally, cold extremities; and, after great suffering, died about 8 o'clock, an illness of less than five hours. Strong suspicions of her having been poisoned exists, inasmuch as the next morning two ladies of Mr. G.'s family, and three of his negroes, were similarly affected, but not so violently, and recovered after the administration of proper remedies. We have not heard that Mr. G. has made any effort to ascertain the truth of these suspicions, or that he suspects any one of so horrible an act.

THE COURT-HOUSE SQUARE.—The young trees in the Square are beginning to put forth foliage, and the turf is looking green and luxuriant. The improvements made within the last two or three years, add greatly to the appearance of the public square, and it should be the pleasure and pride of every citizen of the town to preserve these improvements from injury or destruction.

We are not inclined to find fault with any one, but certainly some one is liable to censure, for suffering those piles of broken brick and clay to remain on each side of the Court-House door, injuring, as they do, the grass, and presenting an ugly and disagreeable aspect to every visitor and resident. If it is the duty of no one to remove them, let the citizens employ some one to do it; we are quite sure no one will object to contribute his share of the cost. If it is the duty of any one, we say go and do it without delay.

APRIL SHOWERS.—For several days during this week, we have been favored with a succession of "April showers." Vegetation has rapidly advanced and many of the fruit trees are in blossom. Our farmers are smiling and eager to encounter the toil and labor of their vocation, and proud of the promise which they will doubtless realize; while their good wives, with the domestics, are busily engaged in the garden, a more limited, though not less important, adjunct in the maintenance of the family, or the obtainment of the comforts of life.

☞ We understand that the Honorable gentlemen composing the committees on the District of Columbia, in the two Houses of Congress, accompanied by the Mayor of Washington City, and a number of other gentlemen, contemplate a visit along the line of the Washington Aqueduct, to the Great Falls, on Saturday next. Wishing them a pleasant day, we hope they may see the propriety of an appropriation to complete the Aqueduct as soon as practicable.

☞ Advertisements omitted this week, will appear in our next issue.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.—On Monday last, Mr. RICHARD L. WEST, residing near Darnestown, in this county, was killed by lightning. His brother-in-law having arrived at his house as the storm was approaching, Mr. W. took his horse to the stable, and while haltering him beside another horse that was already in the stable, he and both horses were struck and killed by lightning. When Mr. W. was discovered, his body was found under the horse he had but a few moments before led to the stable.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS.—The Orphans' court, on Wednesday last, appointed Messrs. ROBERT SELLMAN and RICHARD R. WATERS, school managers, in the place of Messrs WILLSON and CRAWFORD, resigned. We hope both of them will accept, and meet their associates here on next Monday, the 16th instant.

☞ We are gratified to witness the spirit of improvement manifested by our neighbor, M. GREEN, of Quality Hill.—He has made quite a large addition to his store room, and proposes to enlarge his business. We wish him success, and hope to be able to publish his prosperity. But he must advertise in the "Sentinel," or "back down."

☞ A number of copies of the testimony taken before the Commissioners on Elections, in the Baltimore city contested election cases, have been left at this office for distribution. Those desiring a copy will please call.

☞ The attention of our readers is directed to the advertisement of Mr. E. GUTMAN, Georgetown, D. C., to be found in another column of to-day's paper.—Those of our citizens visiting Georgetown, and in want of any thing in his line, will find it to their interest to give him a call.

THE CONTESTED SEATS.—A letter to the Buffalo Advertiser says: "The seat of Mr. Sickles will be awarded to Mr. Williamson, Mr. Cooper's to Mr. Howard, and Mr. Bartett's to Mr. Blair.—Mr. Anderson, Mr. Winter Davis, Mr. Morrison Harris, Americans, will be retained in their seats in spite of the energies and efforts of democratic contestants. So [illegible] wind seems to be blowing.

HICKMAN [illegible] The report of Mr. Hickman [illegible] the Judiciary Committee [illegible] special message of the [illegible] the House of Representatives [illegible] last, is as remarkable [illegible] facts as for what [illegible] The powerful report [illegible] has forced Mr. [illegible] ground on which [illegible] ordered, which is [illegible] Hickman [illegible] ument by [illegible] other powers [illegible] in other [illegible] committee," [illegible] committee of the [illegible] ure, which, according [illegible] has been appointed by [illegible] This is truly a degrading apo[illegible] what he and his black republican colleagues have done in this affair, but even this will not excuse them.

WITHDRAWAL OF MR. BOTTS.—Mr. Botts is suffering from the effects of ingratitude. The Richmond Whig has abandoned and now assails him, scolds him, rates him soundly. Mr Botts, in disgust and wounded sensibility, announces his withdrawal from politics.—The following is an extract from his letter:

"I shall offend in like manner no more; the '*impedencies*' of the party, which have fallen chiefly on my shoulders in this State for the last twenty years, and which have placed me in the position of being *foremost in every fight, and hindmost at every feast*, I cheerfully and gladly resign to any one of the numerous well-qualified persons who may desire to occupy it; henceforth the hard fighting of the party will have to be done, and the heavy blows of the democracy will have to be received, by somebody else, who may relish and enjoy it (if they do not profit by it) more than I have done."

A CONSPIRACY DISCLOSED.—It is declared in a despatch to the Baltimore Sun that the black-republicans mean to invoke the legislature of Connecticut to pass a law restricting the suffrages of naturalized citizens, in order to secure the vote of the State for the black-republican presidential candidate in November.—We have no doubt of the disposition of the Connecticut abolitionists to do something of this kind, in imitation of the disfranchising measure (two-years amendment) adopted by their Massachusetts brethren; but we very much doubt the courage of the conspirators who have contrived the scheme. If actually adopted by them, however, we have not the slightest doubt whatever as to what the result would be.

THE POTOMAC FISHERIES IN CONGRESS. In the Senate, on Saturday last, Mr. Brown, from the committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill for the protection of the fisheries upon the Potomac river, reported it with an amendment in the form of a substitute. This bill forbids fishing with gill-nets or seines of any kind within the District of Columbia during the months of March, April, May, and June, other than such nets or seines as may be laid out from, and hauled to and landed upon the shores of said river, and makes it unlawful to discharge coal tar or other refuse matter from gas factories during the above-named months—persons violating the act to be fined not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars for each offence, one-half to go to the informer and the other half to the levy court, to be applied to the repairs and improvement of roads in Washington county.

☞ The whole number of votes cast at the Connecticut election exceeds eighty-eight thousand, being eight thousand more than were ever before polled in the State. The whole Republican State ticket is elected, some portions of it by majorities of only three hundred votes.

The Past and the Future.

The result of the recent elections North and West are full of encouragement to the Democracy. Everywhere the Black Republican cause is on the wane, as is shown by the diminished vote in many places and total defeat in others. In Connecticut, where a short time back the Abolition candidates had over *five thousand* majority, on Monday last they had but over *five hundred*, and that five hundred obtained by some unexplained hocus pocus in a single district. In Rhode Island, where for many years it has reigned Supreme, Black Republicanism has been utterly routed. In Maine, the majorities have been largely reduced, while in the West, Democracy is everywhere increasing in strength and overcoming one after another the strongholds of Black Republicanism. In Cincinnati, the Queen City of the West, the Democracy have signally triumphed, sweeping out the last vestige of Black Republicanism and electing every city officer. Last year the majority against the Democracy for Mayor was two thousand, now they have an average majority of seven hundred. In Dubuque, Iowa, the Democracy have elected about half the officers. In Brooklyn, the Democracy have been victorious over all opponents. While in most of the inland towns of New York and other Western States, the same success has attended our cause.

These things are calculated to encourage the Democracy and prompt them to increased diligence and exertion. As to the construction of a Union party in opposition to Democracy, the thing is simply absurd. Here and there a few old played-out fogies, like Crittenden and Botts, and a few more ambitious demagogues of minor note, are blowing about the country, attempting to humbug the people with their grandiloquent boasting. But sensible men know that it is a humbug.—They remember the great *conservative Union* party of '56, with Fillmore at its head. They remember the boastings of that day and its ridiculous ending; and every sensible man knows that such will be the end of the present silly movement. The contest is between Democracy and Black Republicanism, and no honest, conservative man should be humbugged out of his vote upon any other issue.—Botts has about as much chance for the Presidency as a broken down spavined old dray horse would have of winning a race in opposition to Flora Temple, and the other candidates for this honor are in the same category. The question is Democracy or Abolitionism, and between these alone the people are called upon to choose.—*Balt. Republican.*

A LARGE BULLOCK.—Mr. John Shaffer, of Westminister District, on Tuesday of last week, killed a steer that weighed 1740 pounds net, which he sold, and the proceeds amounted to $275. If any one can beat this, we should like to hear from them. There is some sense in killing this kind of stock, but Mr. Shaffer is a sensible man, and we are not at all surprised that he should do sensible things.—*Carroll County Democrat.*

THE ARREST OF SANBORN.—Silas Carleton, the deputy sergeant-at-arms of the United States Senate, with three others concerned with him in the recent arrest of Mr. Sanborn, at Concord, Mass., have been held to bail in the sum of $2,000 each, to answer the charge of kidnapping.

THE PASSENGER RAILWAY ONE-FIFTH. The treasurer of the city passenger railway on Saturday paid over to the city register $8,464.62 for the park fund, being one-fifth of the gross receipts of the road for the quarter ending on the 1st of February last. The whole amount paid since the opening of the railway is $11,040.69.

THE IMPERIAL PRINCE.—The French Prince Imperial, having been born on the 16th of March, 1856, has fully entered his fifth year. He is exceedingly forward for his age, as he can already read and write, and ride.

INCENDIARY LANGUAGE.—A man named Wood, for using incendiary language relative to the John Brown foray, received thirty-nine lashes, in the public square of Abberville, S. C., a few days ago, under legal sentence, and was then shipped off on the cars.

ANOTHER DECLENSION.—Hon. A. H. Stephens has, in a private letter to a Georgia delegate to the Charleston convention, protested against the use of his name at said convention as a candidate for the Presidency.

CAN'T ENDORSE HIM.—Parson Brownlow of the Knoxville (Tenn.) Whig, will not support E. Bates, of Missouri, if "nominated at Charleston, Baltimore and Chicago."

☞ The Syracuse Courier reports a shower of black rain in that city, on Thursday. Fences, &c., looked after the shower as though they had been very copiously sprinkled from sponges dipped in black ink.

FISH.—Shad was selling in Alexandria, on Tuesday last, at $14 per 100, and herring at $12 per 1,000.

LECTURE!

☞ WM. H. KINSMAN will lecture on THE GREAT WEST, AT THE COURT-HOUSE, in Rockville, on SATURDAY EVENING, April 14th.

Mr. KINSMAN has traveled extensively in Iowa, Kansas, and Nebraska. Last summer he crossed the plains afoot from Council Bluffs to the Rocky Mountains, a distance of 800 miles, and explored the *Pike's Peak Gold Region.*

The Lecture will be interspersed with descriptions of life on the plains and in the mountains, with an account of those Terrible Prairie and Mountain Fires, Mountain Sheep, Wolves, Prairie Dogs, Antelope, Buffalo, and Indians.

The emigration to the mines last year and the frightful sufferings of some of the gold hunters. The killing of a huge buffalo with a Colt's revolver by the young wife of Capt. McKay. Starting for home, down the river in a "dugout;" getting wrecked and having to walk over the burning sands 350 miles to the frontier.

A LARGE MAP OF THE WEST, prepared by the war department, will be used in illustrating the Lecture, and the various routes to the gold mines will be carefully pointed out. The Lecture is interesting to ladies as well as gentlemen.

ADMISSION 15 cents. Doors open at 7 o'clock—Lecture will commence at 8.

Tickets for sale at JOHN H. ENGLE'S store.

The Markets.

BALTIMORE, April 11, 1860.

GRAIN.—The offerings of Wheat were again limitid this morning, not exceeding 3,000 bushels, we quote fair to good white at $1 60 a $1 68, and prime to choice do. at $1 70 a $1 75 per bushel; red sold at $1 45 a $1 50 per bushel for fair to prime. Of Corn 12,000 bushels offered, and white sold at 73 a 76 cts per bushel do. for do.,—demand fair. Of Oats 2,500 bushels offered, and Maryland and Virginia sold at 42 a 45 cts, and Pennsylvania at 45 a 48 cts per bushel. Some 300 bushels Pennsylvania Rye sold at 90 a 95 cts per bushel—we quote Maryland and Virginia do. at 85 a 88 cts per bushel.—*Sun.*

TO THE PUBLIC.

HAVING recently rented the mill of Mr. JAMES HAWLINS, near Snell's Bridge, I publish the following testimonials, in order to satisfy those among whom I have recently located of my qualifications as miller, and my character for honesty and a faithful discharge of duty.

HEZ. W. TRAIL.

ROCKVILLE MILLS, April 9th, 1860.

Mr. HEZEKIAH TRAIL acted as miller for me nearly three years; first, as assistant, and afterwards as foreman. I consider him competent, and have no reason to doubt his honesty.

SAM'L C. VEIRS.

ROCKVILLE, April 9th, 1860.

I used and sold flour for Mr. VEIRS, while Mr. Trail was miller for him, and his flour gave, I may say, perfect satisfaction.

D. H. HOUCK.

ROCKVILLE, Md., April 9th, 1860.

I do hereby certify, that I sold Mr. Sam'l C. Veirs's flour whilst Mr. Hezekiah Trail was foreman at the mill, and I can safely say that his flour generally gave satisfaction.

JOHN W. JONES.

ROCKVILLE, April 9, 1860.

Whilst Mr. Hezekiah Trail was employed by Sam'l C. Veirs, I obtained the flour for my family from the mill, and it gave me satisfaction. Mr. Trail is a man of integrity and industry.

W. VEIRS BOUIC.

ROCKVILLE, April 9, 1860.

I have known Mr. Hezekiah Trail for ten years, (as a miller,) and have never heard his honesty questioned. He was miller for Mr. S. C. Veirs for several years, and during that time the flour made at the Rockville Mills was of a superior quality, and was in great demand, at the highest figures. It gives me pleasure to bear testimony to the integrity and honesty of Mr. T.

C. A. HARDING.

I concur in the above. M. FIELDS.

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LADIES' DRESS GOODS IN GREAT VARIETY.

SMOOT & BURROUGHS,

No. 119 Bridge St., Georgetown, D.C.

HAVE received and offering at very low prices, a large and beautiful assortment of new style SPRING & SUMMER DRESS GOODS—to wit:

Rich Chenes, plaid and plain Silks, very cheap
Broaders, Blk Gro de Rhine and Mourning
Light Foulard Silks, Poplins and Bereges
Poil de Chevres, Lavellas & Norwich Lustres
Rich flowered Berege and Organdie Robes
Shalies, Mouslin de Lains, and Alpacas
Berege, Anglais & other traveling Dress Goods
French and English Chintzes
Plain Brilliants and Percales
French, English and American Lawns and Jaconets
Plain blk and blk and white Jaconets
New style Ginghams; heavy do
Blk Bombazines, Crape Maretze and Bereges
Lace and Stella Shawls
Lace and Silk Mantillas
Lace Veils, Collars, Embro'd Muslin Collars and Sets
Embroidered, hemstitched and plain Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs
Alexander's Kid and Silk Gloves
Thread and Neapolitan Gloves and Gauntlets
Parasols, Bonnet Ribands and Trimmings
Best white Cambrics, Nainsooks and Dimity
Swiss Muslin, Plaid Jackonet and Nainsook
Laces, Notts, Undersleeves, Veil Tissues and Bereges
Best quality Steel Spring Skirts, new shapes
With other kinds of desirable Goods to complete a lady's wardrobe.

We shall be pleased to see our Lady friends from Montgomery, before they make their Spring purchases.

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NEW

Spring & Summer Goods, FOR GENTLEMEN.

SMOOT & BURROUGHS,

No. 119 Bridge St., GEORGETOWN, D.C.

HAVE RECEIVED from the New York Importers a general assortment of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS for Gents' and Boys' Wear—to wit:

French Black CLOTHS
Doeskins and Summer Cloths
French, English and American Cassimeres
Marsailles and Silk Vestings
Black and fancy Ties, Cravats and Scarfs
Silk and White cord'd bord'd Linen Handk'fs
Summer Merino, Cotton Undershirts, Drawers
Irish Linens and Shirting Cottons, best makes
Shirt Bosoms, Gloves and Hosiery of all kinds

—ALSO—

A first-rate assortment of—
Linen and Cotton Sheetings, of all widths
Table Damasks, Napkins, Towels Huckaback
Scotch Diapers, Nankeinetts, Cottonades
Denims, Tweeds, Linen and Cotton Checks
Kentucky Jeans, French Drillings
White Drillings, Undressed brown Linens,
Shirting Prints, Heavy twilled Osnaburgs
Farmers Drills, Plaid Osnaburgs,
Osnaburg Prints
And all kinds of heavy Goods for servants wear.

We shall be glad to see our Gentlemen friends from Montgomery before they make their Spring purchases.

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New Goods!
Good Goods!
Cheap Goods!

JUST OPENED a large and well selected Stock of SPRING & SUMMER

Dry Goods,

to which I invite the attention of my old customers and the public generally. I name in part, as follows:

Dress Silks at 31 cts.; very fine do 87 cts
Poil de Chevres, Valentias, Traveling Dresses
Stella Shawls and Mantillas
Lace Talmas and Raglans
Lace, Chantilla and Shetland Veils
Swiss and Lace Collars; all kinds Embroidery
Plaid Jackonets; plain and figured Swisses
Parasols and Sun-Umbrellas, Kid Gloves
Long and short Mits, Gloves, Hosiery
Cravats, Hoop Skirts of the best makes
Table Damask, Napkins, Towelling
Best bleached and brown Sheeting & Shirting Cottons
Cassimeres, Cassinets and Jeans, for Men and Boys' Wear

ALSO—In MILLINERY—

Fine Fancy and Straw Bonnets and Flats
Ribands and Flowers

☞ Bonnets and Hats bleached and trimed at the shortest notice. My motto is,

"First in Fashion—Cheapest in Price!"

which is fully carried out in my establishment.

I will be pleased to show my Goods whether purchases are made or not.

Call and see for yourself; the price will be made to suit. at E. GUTMAN'S,

No. 117 Bridge street, Georgetown, D.C.

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Valuable Real Estate AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber, as Executor of the last will and testament of JONATHAN GRANGER, late of Montgomery county, deceased, and under an order of the Orphans' Court of said county, will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder,

On TUESDAY, 8th day of May next,

at the Court-House door, in Rockville, at the hour of 2 o'clock, P. M., the following very valuable Real Estate—to wit:

THE HOME FARM, whereon said deceased resided at the time of his death, situated immediately on the west side of the public road leading from Rockville to the Great Falls of the Potomac, about two miles from the former and six from the latter place, and containing

239 Acres, more or less,

about 35 Acres of which are in Wood—has a fair proportion of beautiful Meadow Land—is well watered, and under tolerable enclosure. This farm is in a fair state of cultivation, easily improved, and well adapted to the growth of wheat, rye, oats, corn, &c.

The improvements consist of a Two-Story FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, with a 1½-story Frame and Shed attached, two Barns, &c.—within fifty or sixty yards of the dwelling is a never-failing Spring of water, with a good Dairy.

ALSO—Another FARM, situated on the east side of said road, about equal distance from Rockville, containing

167 ACRES, more or less,

between 20 and 25 Acres of which is beautiful Chestnut TIMBER and the largest portion of the remainder is in pine and other wood. The improvements consist of a small

Frame Dwelling,

Stable, &c. There is on this farm a very good Apple Orchard.

THE TERMS OF SALE, as prescribed by the Court, are as follows: One-fourth of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale, or the ratification thereof; the balance in three equal annual instalments of one, two and three years, the purchaser or purchasers giving note with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale. Upon the ratification of the sale and the payment of the whole purchase money, (and not before,) the subscriber, as executor aforesaid, will convey to the purchaser or purchasers of said land, all the right, title, claim and interest, both at law and in equity, of said deceased, of, in, and to said land, at his, her, or their cost, as the case may be.

WILLIAM GRANGER, Executor.

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In the Circuit Court for Montgomery County, March Term, 1860.

In the matter of the Petition of Benjamin Cooley for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws.

ORDERED by the Court, this 10th day of March, 1860, that Michael H. Letton, of said county, be, and he is hereby appointed, Trustee, for the benefit of the creditors of Benjamin Cooley, an insolvent petitioner, mentioned in the annexed petition; and the said Trustee shall give bond to the State in the penalty of two thousand dollars, with surety for the faithful performance of said trust. And it is further ordered by this Court, that the Fourth Tuesday of July next, be, and the same is hereby fixed for the said Benjamin Cooley to appear, and answer such interrogatories or allegations as his creditors, endorsers or sureties may propose or allege against him: Provided, notice of said day be given by said Benjamin Cooley to his creditors, by publishing a copy of this order in some newspaper printed in said county, once a week for not less than three months before the said Fourth Tuesday of July next.

MICH. BREWER, Cir. Judge.

Copy—Test:

ap 13—3m JAS. G. HEMING, Clerk.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY, TO WIT:

I HEREBY certify that Joseph Stang, of Montgomery county, brought before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace, in and for said county, on this 5th day of April, 1860, as a stray, trespassing upon his enclosures, A *SORREL GELDING*, supposed to be about 16 or 18 years old, a small wart on the left ear, paces, and is in poor condition. Given under my hand.

SAMUEL DARBY, J. P.

The owner of the above described horse is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

ap 13—3t JOSEPH STANG.

RED BUCK.

I WILL stand this well known Stallion, every other week the present season, at my farm, one and a half miles from Rockville. TERMS—same as last season.

ap 13—tf WM. P. HOWSER.

FOR SALE.

TO those who are desirous of improving their stock by a cross with a thorough bred DURHAM BULL, from the herd of CHAS. B. CALVERT, of Prince George's county, would do well to call and examine one I now offer for sale. He will be 7 years old this Spring.

ap 13—3t JOHN L. DUFIEF.

NOTICE.

HAVING determined to go west, I have placed all my accounts, notes, judgements, &c., in the hands of G. COVINGTON WOLFE, who is authorized to receipt the same for me. All persons wishing to save cost, had better settle the same before the 1st of July. After that time I have instructed him to place them in the hands of an officer.

LEVI T. HYATT.

ap 6—3t

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Montgomery county letters testamentary on the personal estate of

ALTHA BECKWITH,

late of said county, dec'd. 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 3rd day of April, 1861; 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 3rd day of April, 1860.

JOHN B. BELT, Executor.

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REESE'S MANIPULATED GUANO.

ON HAND, and for sale by

J. G. WATERS,

ap 6 103 Water street, Georgetown, D.C.

REGISTER.

AT the solicitation of many friends of Montgomery county, Messrs. Wm. Coombs and J. E. Coad, of St. Mary's County, Md., have consented to stand their celebrated Horse, the ensuing season, at the following places:

☞ At the Farm of JOHN P. WARING, Esq., near Middlebrook, commencing on the 9th of April, and remain one week; then at Poolesville, on the 16th, and remain one week; and every alternate week at each of the above named places throughout the season.

All those who are desirous of improving their stock by a cross with a thorough-bred, would do well to breed from Register. The great desideratum in a horse is bone and muscle, and it is a well known fact, that the blooded horse is better developed in both of these necessary and indispensable constituents than any other horse; and hence his powers of endurance, action and spirit are unequalled.

TERMS.—Fifteen Dollars the season, if paid on or before the 4th day of July next; otherwise an addition of $5 will be charged; 50 cents to the groom *for* each mare. Season to commence the 9th of April and end 9th of July.

Performances of Register.

Col. Thompson writes: "The Spring REGISTER was three years old, I made three entries in sweepstakes, mile heats, at Alexandria, Washington and Baltimore—all of which he started for and won with ease. The same Fall I entered him in three two mile stakes at each of the above places, all of which he started for and won with the greatest ease imaginable. Being anxious to test his powers of endurance, I entered him for the three-mile purse at Baltimore, the same week. He won this race with 94 lbs. up, (8 lbs. over his proper weight) and made the first heat in 5 45, coming home hard in hand, and had scarcely a competitor in the second heat. The Spring he was four years old, he was not trained, but the following Fall he ran against Blue Dick, at Baltimore, and beat with ease in 7 50, 7 49, immediately after which I was offered $6,000 cash for him."

Pedigree of Register.

REGISTER, gr. h., by imported Priam, out of Maria Louisa Tonson, by Monsieur Tonson; her dam, Nanon de l'Enclos, by Rattler, (by Sir Archie;) g. dam Dairy Cropper, by Ogle's Oscar; g. g. d. by Diomed; g. g. g. d. Hall's Union; g. g. g. g. d. by Leonidas; g. g. g. g. g. d. by Othello; (son of imp Crab.) g. g. g. g. g. g. d. by George's Juniper, (imp.;) g. g. g. g. g. g. g. d. by Morton's Traveller, (imp.) out of Tasker's Selina, by Godolphin Arabian.

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NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS!

Mrs. R. V. Braddock,

Quality Hill,

HAS just received a very large and beautiful stock of *SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.* Her stock consists of

BONNETS, Ribands, Rouches, *MILLINERY GOODS, Etc.*
Black Lace *CAPES and SHAWLS*
Stella Shawls; Embroideries, Trimmings, Fringes, &c.
Ladies' Dress Goods, in great variety
Ducals, Valentias, Challie de Lains, Bereges
Lawns in the piece or patterns, and Robes, very handsome
WHITE GOODS, of every description
Spring-Steel Extension SKIRTS, from 75c. up
GLOVES and HOSIERY

Umbrellas and Parasols

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

Suited to all classes & conditions of life.

☞ Gentlemen wishing Clothes made to order, will find also an excellent assortment of

CLOTHS,
CASSIMERES,
AND VESTINGS,

In the piece, of the very latest and best makes.

Youths' & Children's Goods,

A Great Variety.

HATS of every description, direct from the Manufacturer.

BOOTS and SHOES.

Very large assortment; some of them worth double the price we ask for them—auction bargains.

Domestics of every description

HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE,
PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, PUTTY
PLOWS and PLOW CASTINGS,
PATENT MEDICINES

Fresh Groceries

Receiving Daily.

Indeed, every thing usually found in a first class country store; all of which will be sold at unusually low figures, and upon terms to suit the times.

Give me a call before purchasing, and avoid the regret of paying more for your goods than your neighbors.

mar 30 R. V. BRADDOCK.

A. GREEN'S EXTENSIVE FURNITURE EMPORIUM,

WASHINGTON CITY, D. C.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Montgomery county, Md., and the public in general, that he has now completed his

Stock of Furniture,

and is prepared to sell, AT LOW PRICES, every description of the best quality Furniture. I enumerate, in part:

Fine Mahogany, Walnut, Cherry, and other Wardrobes;
Fine Mahogany, Walnut, Cherry, Jenny Lind, Cottage and other Bedsteads and Mattrasses;
Fine Mahogany and Walnut Sofas, Chairs and Ottomans;
Fine Mahogany Walnut, Marble-top Centre and other Tables;
Fine Mahogany and Walnut Dressing and other Bureaus and Sideboards;
Fine Mahogany and Walnut Ladies' Cabinets, Workstands and What-Nots;
Fine Walnut and Cane-seat Chairs and Rockers; China, Glass, Crockery and Hardware—with a very large assortment of other

House-Furnishing Goods,

which he deems unnecessary to enumerate—all of which is of good quality and will be sold at very low prices.

The subscriber flatters himself that no person wishing to purchase good Furniture will go away dissatisfied after giving him a call, at the Corner of 7th and D Sts. No. 525 7th Street, Washington city.

jan 20—y A. GREEN.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Montgomery county letters testamentary on the personal estate of

MARY E. 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 subscriber, on or before the 3d day of April, 1861; 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 3d day of April, 1860.

CHARLES M. PRICE, Executor.

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Fertilizers! Fertilizers!!

BONE DUST, ON HAND, and for sale, by

J. G. WATERS,

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Turner's Excelsior,

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