THE EASTON GAZETTE

SATURDAY MORNING, - FEBRUARY 27, 1864.

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Primary Meetings.

The unconditional Union men of Talbot County, are requested to meet in their respective districts on SATURDAY, the 27th of February, at 3 o'clock P. M., to select five delegates from each district to meet in County Convention at the Court House, in Easton, on Tuesday, the 1st of March, at 2 o'clock, to nominate three candidates to represent Talbot county in the State Conititutional Convention which is to assemble at Annapolis, on the 27th of April next.

CHAS. R. MULLIKIN,
SAM'L. T. HOPKINS,
feb 20-2t Cen. Committee.

NEWS SUMMARY.

The Mobile *News* says that General Bishop Polk had been completely outgeneraled by Sherman, who had got between Polk and Montgomery, Alabama, and they give up all hopes of being able to successfully resist Sherman's advance. Altogether, Sherman seems to have made a remarkable vigorous march.

From Charleston. Operations were becoming more active. The Rebel desertions were numerous, and the crew of General Beauregard's barge, recently came in and gave themselves up to the navy. Two more fires had occured in Charleston, and the condition of affairs in the city was desperate. The Rebels were still experimenting with their torpedo steamers.

Details of the operations in Florida of General Seymour state that the advance into the interior of the State results in the capture of eight guns, and the capture and distruction of an immense amount of Rebel property. One hundred prisoners were captured. A document emanating from the Rebel Commissariat Department at Quincy, which fell into the hands of our troops, reveals the desperate condition of the enemy. Beef and bacon are entirely exhausted throughout the South, and from all quarters cries are arising for relief from Florida. This circular was intended only for private circulation among "the prudent people of the South."

Up to the middle of this month nearly two thousand four hundred citizens have taken the oath of allegiance at Little Rock, Arkansas.—Five thousand privates and eleven commissioned officers of the Rebel army have also taken the oath, and of these over five hundred have entered the Union army. No order has been issued requiring the oath to be taken. The step was voluntary on the part of all.

Large numbers of deserters from the Rebel army continue to arrive at Chattanooga daily.

Parson Brownlow is reported to be dangerously ill at Knoxville. A letter says: "His recovery is a question of serious doubt. He says, however, that he is not going to give up the ghost until every leader swings and the Union is restored. He is confined to his room and much of the time to his bed."

General Grant has, within a few days formally, peremptorily, and in most decisive terms, rejected direct offers made to him lately by leading Democratic politicians to secure his nomination for the Presidency by their National Convention.

The National Executive Committee of the Union party, which met in Washington yesterday, decided that the National Convention to nominate the Union candidates for the Presidency and Vice Presidency shall meet in Baltimore on the First Tuesday (7th) of June Next.

In the House of Delegates on Saturday, Mr. Speaker Kemp submitted a series of resolutions asserting the right of property in slaves, condemning emancipation without compensation, and urging our Senators and Representatives in Congress to use their exertions to secure an appropriation from the United States Treasury of ten millions of dollars for the compensation of slaveowners.

From information in possession of the Navy Department, the Rebels have almost entirely suspended work upon their iron-clads. Three are completed at Charleston, and two are in process of construction there. The scarcity of material will delay their completion several months There is but one iron-clad in the James River, the Richmond. Two are nearly completep, but their guns have been removed to the fortifications of Charleston.

Several ladies, refugees from Richmond, by way of Fredericksburg, arrived in Washington on Monday last. On their way to Baltimore, they were assisted in their escape by rebel pickets.

These ladies report that within the last month, the rebel authorities at Richmond have made several raids upon the city markets, and seized all the meats, which they forwarded for the relief of General Longstreet's army.

Another terrible marine disaster is recorded this morning. The steamship *Bohemian*, from Liverpool for Portland, struck on a rock, on Monday night, off Cape Elizabeth, Maine.—She had on board three hundred and seventeen persons, of whom two hundred and ninety-eigh were saved. The ship and cargo will be a total loss estimated at $1,000,000.

Chattanooga, Feb. 28.—The latest report gives no particulars confirming Longstreet's retreat across French Broad River. It is thought here that having failed to accumulate a force sufficient for prompt energetic operations on our communications he has grown fearful of concentrations against him or Johnston, and is now endeavoring to form a junction with the latter at Dalton before the spring campaign can open.

The largest estimate gives him 20,000 infantry and fifty field pieces. Johnston is known to have at Dalton six Divisions of infantry about 30,000. The two armies concentrated will probably muster 60,000 men. Great dissatisfaction still exists, and evidences of the demorzliaing of the Rebels are numerous. Provost Marshal-General Parkhurst's reports for January and half of February will show a total of 3276 deserters from Johnston's army alone.

General Palmer's force occupied Ringgold on the 23d inst. Our mounted infantry, in advance, drove out a small Rebel patrol found at Colorado, two miles from here. This town is a perfect desert, only seven families are left in the place, which formerly had three thousand inhabitants.

The Union State Convention met in Baltimore on Wednsday last, the 22d instant. Hon. Mr Creswell was elected President on the permanent organization of the Coavention, Mr. S. F. Streeter, having president during the temporary organization. In the several counties from which contesting delegates appeared the Coavention recognised those delegates who were elected as Unconditional Unionists. The resolutions adopted instructe the delegates elected to the National Convention to vote for Mr. Lincoln, as the Presidential nominee, "first, last, and "all the time." They also approve the policy of the present Administration, and declare in favor of immediate and unconditional Emancipation in Maryland, and the abolition of Slavery everywhere in the rebellious States as the imperative condition of their reinstatement in the Union.

The following were the Delegates chosen:

STATE AT LARGE.

Western Shore—Hon. H. W. Hoffman, of Baltimore city, and Hon. A. C. Greene, of Allegany county.

Eastern Shore—Hon. H. H. Goldsborough, of Talbot county, and Hon. J. A. J. Creswell, of Cecil county.

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS.

First District—W. J. Leonard, of Worcester county, and L. E. Straughn, of Dorchester county.

Second District—Joseph J. Stewart, of Baltimore county, and E. M. Allen, of Harford county.

Third District.—Hugh L. Bond and Archibald Stirling, Jr., of Baltimore city.

Fourth District—Fred. A. Schley, of Frederick county, and Isaac Nesbit, of Washington county.

Fifth District—John C. Holland, of Baltimore county, and W. L. W. Seabrook, of Anne Arundle county.

Capture of Selma, Alabama

CAIRO, Feb. 24.—Memphis advices of the 22d state that an important mass meeting of the people of West Tennessee, with a view to the reconstruction of that State, had been organized, but that no action had yet been taken.

General Johnston was expected to be present before the final adjournment of the meeting.

The steamer *Fanny*, from Vicksburg, on the 20th, reports that Sherman's forces are in possession of Selma, Alabama. Five hundred new recruits arrived from Springfield to-day, going south.

☞ As there has been considerable speculation lately as to what constitutes loyalty, and a number of inquires made on that subject, by persons who appear to be ignorant of their *status* on this question, we can furnish them with an unfailing idex by which they can easily define their position on this important matter. It is this—whenever a man feels a sudden depression of spirits on hearing the news of Federal success he may set himself down as a disloyal man. So, also, when he feels a thrill of joy on hearing the intelligence of a rebel victory. These systoms are unmistakable. A little observation will also enable him to detect with unfailing certainty the loyal status of all his neighbors and friends.—Those whose countenances beam with gladness on hearing the report of rebel successes, who salute each other with smiling faces and with whispered congratulations that, "all's going on right;" we may safely class as traitors at heart and enemies of their country. So, also, when they wear long and solemn countenances after a Union victory, as at Gettysburg. These are some of the plainest and most outspoken demonstrations. But there are others equally reliable. Whenever you find a man talking all the time against the Government, and saying nothing against the Rebellion; who denounces the administration of Lincoln but is silent as to that of Jeff. Davis; who speaks of the habeas Corpus, suppression of the press and the hardship of the draft, and says nothing of rebel conscription, despotism and cruelty, you may set him down as disloyal. Whenever you find men and women busying themselves in making up contributions for rebel prisoners and giving none to the Union soldiers, you may safely conclude they are disloyal. Whenever you hear a man say "that he is as loyal as any man in the State," that he 'observes the laws' and "pays his taxes," and at the same time withholds his moral support and sympathy from the government, you may know that he is, what in his heart he knows himself to be, disloyal. Whenever you hear a man speak of the Union as it was and the Constitution as it is, who says that he is in favor of the Government but only opposed to the administration, who disapproves the enlistment of negroes on the ground that it will prevent our poor whitemen from fighting for their country, and who would be in favor of prosecuting the war *if it were done on strictly constitutional grounds*, you may safely infer that his loyalty is about on a discount with the Confederate currency and with a downward tendency. In short, the indications on this subject are innumerable and a little attention will enable any ordinary observer to detect the symtoms with unfailing accuracy.

☞ AMONG other questions to come before the Constitutional Convention to assemble in Annapolis in April next, will be that of the political status of all those in this State who have smypathized with the rebels and given them aid and comfort. They having by their own acts forfeited the rights of citizenship, the question arises, how are they to resume those rights thus voluntarily renounced? The Convention bill itself, recognizes the fact of disloyalty as a disgualification in a voter. In many cases the acts have been open and undisguised, in others more secret and insidious, and it may be hard to designate between the latter class and those who ought to be included in a sort of general amnesty.—The more prominent offenders, it is contended, should be subject to a system of naturalization or probation, some contending for a period of five years and some ten, and indeed we are of opinion that a citizen of a loyal State who should turn traitor, or sympathize with traitors, is far less worthy of the privilege of citizenship than the most bigoted foreigner that could land on our shores.

THE LADY'S FRIEND.—The March number of The Lady's Friend maintains, we think, the high reputation of this new periodical. It opens with a beautiful steel engraving called "The Pet Bird." Then we have a handsome *double* Fashion Plate—such as the public are not accustomed to expect in a two-dollar magazine—and a fine piece of music, called the "Chattanooga Grand March." Among the letter-press we notice two more fine engravings, illustrative of "The False Arrest" and "The Transformed Village;" and a larger number of engravings illustrative of Novelties and Fashions.

Among the stories are 'Loss and Gain,' by Virginia F. Townsend; 'The False Arrest,' by Miss Donnelly; 'Mabel's Mission;' 'At Last,' by Mary J. Allen; 'The Transformed Village,' &c. We also notice two articles treating pro and con the idea which some adventurous New York ladies have started, of riding horseback *en cavalier*. The editor in a sensible, well written article in her department, takes strong ground against any such innovation.

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☞ THE prospect for the speedy suppression of the Rebellion was never better than just now. The rebels are circumvented on all sides. Our forces are pressing forward in all directions.—The Spring campaign has commenced auspiciously. Longstreet is in danger and fearful of being cut off. Sherman has outgeneraled Polk, cut off his communications, threatning Mobile, and spreading terror through the rebel ranks, while in Florida and Texas our armies have been everywhere successful. One vigorious effort on the part of the Government and the rebellion will be crushed.

COUGHS, HOARSENESS, and the various Throat affections to which Public Speakers, Military Officers, and Singers are liable, relieved by "Brown's Bronchial Troches." Having a *direct* influence to the effected parts, they allay Pulmonary Irritation.

☞ COL. LEONARD, the new Provost Marshall of this district, has arrived in town and entered upon the discharge of his duties. We are gratified to learn that Chas. R. Mullikin, Esq., of this county, has received the appointment of Commissioner of Enrollment recently filled by David Blocksom, Esq.

SENATOR HICKS.—We are pleased to announce to our readers, that a letter was received on Monday night last, from Washington, stating that our distinguished Representative was much better, and is out of danger. His disease was erysipelas in the leg and foot.

☞ The celebration of Washington's birthday was pretty general throughout the country, as is shown by telegraph despatches from the various cities.

☞ WE are requested to state that an oration will be delivered before the Easton Lyceum at the Court House, on Friday evening next, at 8 o'clock P. M., by James M. Tharp, Esq. The public generally are invited.

☞ THE Ladies' "Union Relief Association" will hold their next meeting at the residence of Mrs. Samuel T. Hopkins, in Easton, on Thursday next, at 3 o'clock P. M.

☞ SEVERAL communications have been received but are unavoidably deferred until our next issue.

Affairs in the South.

Afraid of Greenbacks—Charleston Fast Crumbling—Wilmington Blockade Runners—Capitol of North Carolina Ready for the Stars and Stripes.

NEWBERN, N. C., Feb. 20.—The Charleston *Mercury* says that "Secretary Chase is making every exertion to flood the South with greenbacks, which, unless immediately checked, will submerged our currency and thus inflict a morta blow on the success of the cause."

The Same paper says that "the constant dropping of the enemy's shot and shell is telling upon the lower part of the city."

The Wilmington (N. C. *Journal* announces the arrival of the steamer *Alice*, from Nassau, on the 3d; also, that the steamer *Spunkie* is aground under the guns of Fort Campbell, and likely to go to pieces, though most of her cargo will be saved.

The Newborn *News* says:—"The late Rebel raid has strengthened the Union feeling. We cannot for a moment doubt that should a strong Federal force move on Raleigh and unfurl the old starred banner from the capitol, it would be hailed with shouts of intense joy by tens of thousands."

A rumor says that General Pickett will be Court-Martialed for not capturing Newbern.

Colonel Dutton, of the Twenty-first Connecticut, has been announced as the Chief of Staff by General Peck. Large numbers are enlisting in the Second Union North Carolina Regiment.

MEANNESS OF THE CHIVALRY.—In a recent debate in the rebel Congress, on conscripting negroes, free and slave, into the service, some of the members took the ground that poor whites and the free negroes were on an equality, and were to be treated in that light. Another member proposed to employ the negroes, but to make a distinction in regard to the pay—that the owners of the slaves should receive compensation for service thus rendered, but that the free negro should be compelled to serve without any pay. Perhaps there is no case on record of a more contemptible evidence of meanness than is here exhibited by those who have prided themselves heretofore on their *chivalry* than is presented in this proposition.—*Cambridge Herald.*

WAR DEPARTMENT.
PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, D. C., Feb. 20th, 1864.

David Blocksom, Esq.,
Commissioner, 1st District, Md.,
Easton, Maryland.

SIR: By direction of the President, your resignation as Commissioner of the Board of Enrollment, of the First District of Maryland, is hereby accepted, to take effect on the 15th instant.

I am, sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
JAMES B. FRY,
Provost Marshal General.

Thro' Lt. Col. N. L. JEFFRIES,
A. A. Pro. Mar. General,
Baltimore, Md.

DENTISTRY.

J. N. BAIRD, D. D. S.
EASTON, Md.

MARKETS.

BALTIMORE, Feruary 25, 1864.

Sales as follows:	
WHEAT—Fair to prime, White,	1 80a$2 00
Red,	1 70a$1 83
CORN—White,	1 14a1 15cts.
Yellow,	1 15a$1 17 cts.
OATS—Maryland,	90a92 cts
RYE—	1 40a$1 45 cts

Administrators Sale.

Sale of Valuable Personal Property.

THE subscriber, as Administrator of William Townsend, late of Talbot county, deceased, will offer at public sale, at the "Home Farm," near Royal Oak, Talbot county, on

WEDNESDAY, 16th of March,

(if fair, if not, the next fair day,) all the personal property of the said deceased, consisting of

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE,

together with the

FARMING IMPEMENTS

of two large Farms, including CARTS, PLOWS, HARROWS, &c., &c.

1 Wheat Thrasher & Horse Power,
2 Wheat Fans,
2 Corn Shellers.

Also one DOUBLE CARRIAGE and ONE "YORK WAGON."

LARGE AMOUNT OF STOCK;

6 HORSES, 1 PAIR MULES, COWS, STEERS, SHEEP & HOGS,

8000 LBS CORN BLADES.

TERMS:

The cash will be required for all sums under 10 dollars. On all sums over 10 dollars a credit of six months will be given, the purchaser giving note with approved securiety, bearing interest from the day of sale; no property to be removed until the terms are complied with. Purchaser to pay for note stamps.

Sale to commence at 9 o'clock, A. M.

SYLVANUS TOWNSEND,
Administrator of Wm. Townsend.
feb 27-ts J Wm. K. Rathel, Auctioneer.

Public Sale.

I WILL offer at public sale, at the "Emory Farm," on

THURSDAY, the 10th day of March,

my stock of

Horses, Mules, Cattle, Carts, Fans, Plows, 1 Wheat Cutter, 1 Wheat Drill, 1 Good Horse Power and Thrasher, 1 Edle's Chain Horse Power & Thrasher, 1 Foder CUTTER, &c., &c.

TERMS.

Six months credit on all sums over five dollars with note and approved security; all sums of five dollars and less the cash will be required.

feb 27-ts ALEX. H. MACKEY.

List of Uncalled for Letters

Remaining in the Post Office at Easton, Md., Feb. 27, 1864.

Brooks, Charlott	Martin, Mrs. Edward
Beckwith, Jno	Okerray, Charles W.
Bartlett, John	Oliver, Marry Jane
Baty, David	Perims, Charles Y.
Colamnae, C. N.	Pentz, Marion A.
Callihan, George	Piney, Miss Martha
Cormean, Jno C.	Parrott, Chas. W.
Cole, Irvin	Rasinbery, Wm. S.
Collins, Spenploe	Roe. W. F. B. T.
Coal, Mrs. Anna	Right, Charles
Cox, Daniel P.	Roberts, Mrs. Nancy
Dillen, Wm. H.	Ryan, Miss Kate
Davis, Miss Cane G.	Stanford, James
Fisher, Mrs. Ann M.	Shaw, Robert
Fitchett, Sylvie	Summers, Jno
Frampton, Mrs. Mary	Sherwood, Mrs. Nancy
Gibbs, Ann M.	Stewart, Mrs. Soloman
Harvey, Daniel	Sprouts, Emiline
Hall, Mary H.	Smith, Mrs. Caroline
Henry, Miss Matilda	Tarbutton, Wm
Harvy, Jacob F.	Thomas, Mary
Legoe, Wm. S.	Tarbutton, Miss M. E.
Lane, James	Wilson, Mrs. Henna
Laine, Miss Francis A.	Willis, John S.
Lewis, Mrs. Miranda	Warner, Jno W
Lockwood, Mrs. Chas	Warner, Fayett
Lockerman, Miss E. A2	Willis, Lewis
Marhan, Mr. Charles	Wilson, Mrs. Mary A.
Mathews, James C.	

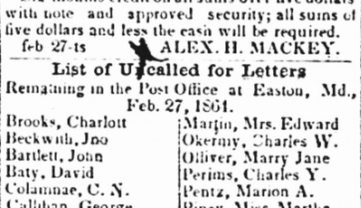
Persons calling for the above letters, will please say they are advertised.

feb 27-1t WM. T. HARDESTY, P. M.

Notice.

CAME to the subscribers on or about the first of February, inst., a fair sized brood Sow, no ear mark. The owner is requested to come forward, settle charges and take her away.

JOHN WYATT,
feb 27-3t* Near Chapel.



JUST opened a supply of Landreth's fresh Garden Seed, embracing nearly every variety adapted to this latitude, and for sale by

feb 27 DAWSON & BRO.

SHOVELS AND FORKS.—Ames', Rowland and Thomas' Shovels and Forks, jcst received and for sale by J. W. CHEEZUM.

FOR 1864.

Landreth's Rural Register,
Ayres' American Almanac,
Jaynes' Family Almanac,

for gratuitons distribution, by

feb 27 DAWSON & BRO.

Take no more unpleasant and unsafe Medicines

For unpleasant and dangerous diseases, use HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT, BUCHU,

Which has received the endorsement of the most PROMINENT PHYSICIANS IN THE U. S. so now offered to afflicted humanity as a certain cure for the following diseases and symptoms rginating from al diseases and abuse of the Urinary or Sexu Organs.

General Debility,
Mental and Physical Depression,
Imbecility,
Determination of Blood to the Head,
Confused Ideas,
Hysteria,
General Irritability,
Restlessness and Sleeplessness at Night,
Absence of Muscular Efficiency,
Loss of Appetite,
Emaciation,
Low Spirits,
Disorganization or Paralysis of the Organs of Generation,
Palpitation of the Heart,

And, in fact, all the concomitants of a Nervous and Debilitated state of the system.

To insure the genuine, cut this out.

ASK FOR HELMBOLD'S. TAKE NO OTHER.

CURES GUARANTEED.

See advertisement in another column.

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TO CONSUMPTIVES.

Consumptive sufferers will receive a valuable prescription for the cure of Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, and all Throat and Lung affections, (free of charge,) by sending their address to

REV. E. A. WILSON,
Williamsburgh,
feb 6-6t Kings Co., New York.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Talbot co., in the State of Maryland, letters of Administration on the personal estate of Wm. Townsend late of Talbot county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same properly authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 13th day of February, 1865, otherwise they may be by law excluded from all he benefits of the said deceased's estate.

SYLVANUS TOWNSEND, Adm'tr
of Wm. Townsend, dec'd.
feb 27, 1864-3t

HOME AGAIN.

SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING!

NOW OPENING AT THE OLD STAND

ON FRONT STREET,

A Large and Superior Stock of

Fashionable Ready Made CLOTHING!

MOSES HERZ, would inform his patrons and the public generally that he has just returned from the city with a large and elegant assortment of FASHIONABLE READY-MADE CLOTHING, which he offers for sale very cheap. His stock embraces Coats, (sack and frock) of all sizes, quality and price; Pants and Vests of every description: Shirts and Collars in variety; Neck Ties and Suspenders; Hats and Caps of the latest styles; Trunks, Carpet Bags, and other articles. A well selected assortment of Boys' and Servants' Clothing.—Also, Oil Cloth Fishing Coats, &c., &c.

The above goods have all been selected with great care—purchased unusually low for cash, and will be disposed of at very small profits.

The undersigned returns his grateful acknowledgements to a generous public for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended towards him and respectfully solicits a continuance of public favor.

feb 13 MOSES HERZ.

LAND AGENT

FOR

TALBOT COUNTY.

THE subscriber has opened an office for the purpose of buying and selling Real Estate on Commission—and is ready to receive any Real Estate that may be entrusted to him for that purpose. Commissions moderate.

Easton, Feb 20-tf R. THARP.

FOR RENT.

A HOUSE AND LOT, at the Chaple, for the balance of the year. Apply to

feb 20-tf J. L. HARWOOD.

NOTICE,

ANY person having a copy of the *Gazette* of May, 1828, and will furnish me with three of that month they will confer a favor and shal be suitably rewarded.

feb 13-3t PETER TARR.

Oysters, Wild Fowl & Terrapins,

ALSO

Fine Farming Land.

THOSE wishing such situations will find it to their advantage to inform the subscriber. These lands present particular inducements for settlers, capitalists and white labor—the colored inhabitants having been removed. Apply to

GEORGE P. SPENCE, Land Agt.,
feb 13-2w Snow Hill, Md.

New Goods.

J. W. Cheezum,

HAS returned from the city with an additional supply of

NEW GOODS,

adapted to the present and approaching seasons to an inspection of which he invites his friends and the public generally before purchasing.

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Becker's Eye Balsam.

A *CERTAIN* and *effectual* cure for chronce sore, inflamed and weak eyes, for sale by

feb 27 DAWSON & BRO.

Shaker's Seeds,

AN assortment of choice Garden Seeds put up by the society of Shaker's at New Lebanon, just received and for sale by

feb 27 DAWSON & BRO.

TO THE LOVERS OF GOOD SMOKING TOBACCO.—Just received 200 lbs. of Big Lick Smoking Tobacco.

Also, 100 lbs. of Danville and Killickinick, in store and for sale by

feb 20 SAM'L. PATCHETT.

FRESH FIGS, in large and small drums,
Fig Paste,
Grape Paste,
Chocolate Cream Drops,
Gum Drops,

just received and for sale by

jan 30 L. H. CAMPBELL.

PURPLE TOP RUTA BAGA, and Large Red or Strap-leaved Turnip—the best variety for the table for winter use, for sale by

aug 1 L. H. CAMPBELL.

SILK.

A GOOD assortment of Black Silks also a few fancy Dress Silks in store and for sale by

may 23 JAMES D. MANSFIELD.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

OF

A VALUABLE FARM

In Bay Side District, Talbot Co.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Talbot county, the undersigned as Trustee will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in Easton, on

TUESDAY, the 22d day of March next,

between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock, P. M., of that day, the beautiful farm of William H. Fairbank, in Broad Creek Neck, whereon he now resides. This farm contains

180 ACRES OF LAND,

and is beautifully situated on the waters of "Broad Creek." The buildings consist of a commodious TWO STORY DWELLING, in good order, with all necessary out-buildings, including two tenements for the accommodation of laborers. The TIMBER is amply sufficient for the use of the Farm. There are some fine fruit trees on the Farm. The waters at the door of the House abound in all the luxuries of the salt water—

WILD FOWL, OYSTERS, FISH AND TERRAPINS.

It is convenient to Church and School Houses The land is very fine and has been highly limed. It has been one of the most productive farms in that fine neck of Land where it is located, and is one of the most desirable places likely to be in market for some time.

TERMS:

One third of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale; one third in six months, and the remaining third in twelve months from the day of sale, secured by bond and approved surety.

SAM'L. HAMBLETON,
Trustee.

N. B.—The creditors of William H. Fairbank are hereby notified to file their claims with the vouchers thereof with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Talbot county, within four months from the day of sale. S. H.

☞ Baltimore Daily Gazette copy twice a week until day of sale.

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NOTICE.

THE following Petition to divide School District No. 26, in Chaple district, Talbot county, was filed before the Board of Commissioners, on the 26th day of January, 1864, to wit:

To the Commissioners
of Talbot county.

THE petition of the undersigned, citizens of Talbot county, interested in the School situated near the old Chaple, would respectfully represent that the School House in said district is too small to accommodate the school, and that the number of scholars is too large for any district taught by one Teacher. We therefore petition your honorable body to appoint Commissioners to lay down two or more districts out of this and the adjacent district, and your petitioners will ever pray, &c.

Barret Stoops,	Henry Warner,
Wm. Dulin, Jr.,	Anderson x Parker,
Wm. T. Lee,	Thomas Baker,
Jno. D. Moore,	John R. Hall,
Wm. Quimby,	Hinson F. Kirby,
H. B. Leaverton,	Aaron Vansant,
William P. Roe,	John Wilson,
William x Willson,	Wm. F. Forman,
William Scott,	John Goldsborough,
Solomon M. Love,	N. F. Gannon,
Ed. Y. Davis,	William H. Kirby,
Wm. H. Conner,	Joseph Windall,
Jas. T. Kirby,	Edward T. Roe,
Jno. x Brown,	Robert H. Jump,
John G. Greenhawlk,	William Western.

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Proclamation by the Governor.

STATE OF MARYLAND,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT ANNAPOLIS,
February 8, 1864.

TO MARYLAND VOLUNTEERS PROPOSING TO ENLIST IN THE MILITARY SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES:

I have the satisfaction of announcing to you the fact, that the General Assembly of the State has just passed an act authorizing the payment of a liberal bounty in addition to that already offered by the General Government.

To every volunteer, except slaves, who will enlist before the *first of March* next, for three years, in regiments or batteries already existing or to be here-after organized, the State will pay a *bounty of three hundred dollars*, of which, one hundred and fifty dollars will be paid when the volunteer is mustered into service; twenty dollars per month, at the end of every month, for five months thereafter, and the residue, viz: fifty dollars, at the end of his term of service, or whenever honorably discharged therefrom.

To volunteers who have already been six months in the service the same payments will be made as above, with an additional $25 at the end of their term of service, or whenever honorably discharged.

To the owner of every slave enlisted as aforesaid $100 will be payed by the State when such slave is with the owner's consent mustered into service and the owner has executed and filed in the proper office a valid deed of manumission of such slaves.

To the slave himself so enlisted, $100 will be paid by the State, of which $50 will be paid when he is mustered in and a like sum when he is discharged from the service. In case of the death of any volunteer whilst in service, leaving wife or children, the residue of the bounty above provided remaining unpaid at his death is secured to the use of such wife or children, except when they are slaves.

The assurance of these additional bounties to those already provided by the Government will I trust ensure such a prompt response on behalf of our citizens as will enable Maryland, without the necessity of a further draft, to support her proportion of all that is required to deal the last blow at the Rebellion.

It will be in my power, I hope to announce in a few days the quota of each county, and of the city of Baltimore, of the number of volunteers last called for by the President, and these counties and the city will be credited respectively, with all the volunteers so enlisting, and the above mentioned bounties will be disbursed by the Treasury through the local authorities.—They will be furnished hereafter with the proper forms of certificates, &c., to enable them to draw upon the Treasury. In the meantime, let it be borne in mind by all that the State bounties above mentioned, as well as the bounty of the Government, WILL ONLY BE PAID TO THOSE ENLISTING BEFORE THE FIRST OF MARCH NEXT.

A. W. BRADFORD.

By the Governor— WM. B. HILL,
feb 13-3t Secretary of State.

GROCERIES.

JUST received a full stock of Groceries.

Crushed, Granulated & Bro. Sugar.
Java,
Laguyra and Rio Coffee.
French & American do.
Roasted Rye,
Molasses, &c.

jan 23 JAS. H. GRACE.

APPLES, APPLES.—30 barrels Baldwin, Spitzenberg, Greening, Sweetings and Gillflower, apples, in prime order, just received and for sale by (dec 12) DAWSON & BRO.