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Oct. 18, '77-1y.

The American Agriculturist

Of April 1st, contains its usual 50 engravings, illustrating animals, plants, buildings, labor-saving contrivances, etc; Work for the Month laid out in detail with practical suggestions; extended Humbug exposures; a $1,000 House; Livery Stable and Carriage-House plans; Among the Farmers, by one of them; Farm Crop Talks, No. 14; Goat-Raising for Profit; Root and Fodder Crops; Gardening Chapters; Plant One Grape Vine; Sandry Farm appliances, illustrated; Many Household Hints; Boys and Girls' Columns; Using the Microscope, with interesting illustrations; and a great variety of condensed useful articles and Items. Price 15 cents; $1.50 a year. Orange Judd Company, Publishers, New York.

St. Nicholas for April.

The stories of foreign life form a leading feature of the number. There is, first, Sara Keables Hunt's account of How Kitty was Lost in a Turkish Bazaar, in Egypt, illustrated by a frontispiece; then follows Old Nicolai, a tale of Russian peasant life, with a picture of a snow-storm on the Steppes; next comes Puck Parker, by Mr. Lizzie W. Champney, with two illustrations by Mr. J. Wells Champney, a story of a little boy's escape from beleaguered Paris in a balloon with his father and mother; and, after these, The Three Horseshoes, by David Ker, a tale of how Maurice de Saxe, Marshal of France under Louis XV., found a Dutch Blacksmith as strong as himself. Easter in Germany, with nine illustrations, deals with German country customs of the Easter time; and A Visit to a London Dog-show is a de-cription, with several pictures, of an exhibition of canine pets of all sorts, in Alexandra Palace, London.

The installment of Dotted Into Port, the serial story for boys, has a striking picture by Sol Eytinge, and describes a deeply interesting incident of school-boy country life in England; and the monthly portion of Under the Lilacs, Miss Alcott's story, tells about some funny and delightful Sunday experiences of Ben and his friends, and displays a fine illustration by Mary Hallock Foote.

In a lively short paper, entitled The Professor, Mr. Clarence Cook relates how a smart boy astonished his brother and sister and the nurse, with some curious scientific experiments.

Then there are some very funny Letters from Dick Hardin away at School; a laughable story, by Howard Pyle, entitled Wise catherine and the Kabouternannneken, which recites a shrewd girl's adventure with a gnome, and is copiously illustrated by the author; and some comical verses, written by Mrs. E. T. Corbett, and furnished with droll pictures by Mr. L. Hopkins, narrating the woes of Three Wise Women on land and sea.

Besides all this, there are poems, humorous and tender, four versified charades by Mr. C. P. Cranch, a comical full-page picture by M. Woolf; and an attractive talk with girls, under the title Always Behindhand.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

MONDAY.

The Maryland Senate was not in session Saturday. In the House about seventy bills of a strictly local character were passed. The bill authorizing the city council of Baltimore to subscribe to the capital stock of the Maryland and Delaware Canal Company, or to indorse the bonds of said company, was ordered engrossed for a third reading. The bill authorizing barbers' shops to be open Sunday was defeated.

Sister Electa, the head of the "Children's Home," (Catholic), at Harrison, N. Y., died Friday, after a few weeks' illness. She was a woman of singular beauty, and endowed with rare business qualities. Her "family" numbered about 150 little orphans, who will miss her constant and loving attentions. Several Sisters from New York and elsewhere went up to the home on being apprised of the sad event. Sister Electa was quite a young woman, and it is feared her early decease was hastened by the great strain upon her slender system made necessary by the increasing responsibilities which devolved upon her.

TUESDAY.

In the Senate of Maryland, yesterday, favorable report was made on the House local option bill for Laurel and Mechanicstown. The bill providing for direction of the House of Correction was passed. The bill authorizing the city council of Baltimore to fund the floating debt of the city to the amount of $1,500,000 was passed; also a bill reducing the number of managers of the House of Refuge from twenty to fifteen; also the bill authorizing the A. M. E. Church of Fell's Point to sell certain real estate; also the bill to prevent cruelty to animals in Baltimore city. The bill for a monument to ex-Gov. Pratt was defeated. The House bill in regard to insolvents was defeated. The bill making appropriation for the support of the House of Correction failed for lack of a constitutional majority. The school bill also failed—only 11 votes being recorded in its favor. The House bill for promotion of mechanical arts and the bill to provide for commitment of dissolute females to the House of the Good Shepherd were passed. In the House the joint resolution providing for revision of the criminal code of the State was effectually quashed. Joint resolutions were passed asking aid from Congress for the Maryland and Delaware ship canal. A bill was passed authorizing Baltimore city council to fund its floating debt by issuing bonds to the amount of $1,500,000. The judiciary committee reported favorably a bill to extend the powers and duties of the comptroller of Baltimore city, requiring him to countersign all warrants on the city treasurer, and directing him not to allow any appropriation to be overdrawn under penalty of fine and imprisonment. The bill repealing compulsory inspection of tobacco was passed.

WEDNESDAY.

In the Maryland Senate, yesterday, favorable report was made on the House bill to protect oysters in Patuxent river. A bill was reported to repeal all the State laws as to war pensioners, it being argued that acts of Congress cover all proper cases in the premises. The Spring Grove Asylum bill was amended so as to define the duties of the treasurer of the institution. On considering the nine months' appropriation bill amendments were adopted restoring the usual appropriations to the State Normal School and to Maryland Agricultural College. The sum of $18,750 was inserted in the bill for support of the State Deaf and Dumb Asylum instead of $19,750, as stated in the bill. The sum of $20,000 was appropriated for improvements of the penitentiary. The House bill appropriating one thousand dollars per annum for five years to Charlotte Hall school was passed. In the House of Delegates a bill was favorably reported to pay $79,391 38 on account of State House repairs. A bill was passed authorizing Baltimore city to subscribe $500,000, or indorse bonds to that amount, for the benefit of Maryland and Delaware ship canal; also a bill authorizing the use of steam on the Baltimore and Towsontown railway. On consideration of the nine months appropriation bill the salary of the supervisor of tobacco inspectors was stricken out. The State Normal School appropriation was stricken out—yeas 37, nays 34; also the appropriation to colored normal schools; also to change the appropriation to State Agricultural College from $6,000 to $1, and to withdraw the remainder of the college endowment. The appropriation for the Boys' Home, Baltimore, was fixed at $500. The appropriation for the Colored House of Reformation was placed at $9,000. The bill was passed—yeas 65, nays 2. The appropriation bill for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1880, was passed. The enacting clause was stricken out of the bill authorizing the city authorities of Baltimore to sell or lease water fronts or wharves. The enacting clause of the printers' license bill was stricken out. A bill was passed to provide for funding the debt of Anne Arundel county, and a large number of local bills were passed.

THURSDAY.

In the Senate of Maryland, yesterday, unfavorable report was made on the bill authorizing Baltimore city authorities to subscribe $500,000 to the Maryland and Delaware ship canal, and the report was adopted. The nine months' appropriation bill was passed—yeas 19, nays 3. Amendments were inserted prohibiting the sale of articles in the State produced by convict labor at the penitentiary, and the admission of convicts from other States. Also there was inserted an appropriation of $75,000 for colored schools, to be separate from the appropriation for white schools. The militia bill was passed, and the grain-weighing bill was referred to the committee on inspections. A bill was passed—yeas 20, nays 1—exempting certain church property from taxation, and taxing property of certain corporations hitherto exempt. The House amendments to the Senate bill for the House of Correction were concurred in and the bill passed. Bills were passed authorizing repair and enlargement of Anne Arundel county jail; the merchandize brokers' bill; the landlord and tenant bill. The ex Governor Pratt monument bill was effectually killed. The appropriation bills for 1879 and 1880 were reported, and are open to amendments.

In the House of Delegates unfavorable report was made on the bill prohibiting physicians from disclosing confidential communications from their patients. A bill was passed incorporating a State board of managers for the House of Correction, and appropriating twenty-five thousand dollars per annum for expenses. The bills appropriating twelve thousand dollars per annum to St. John's College for two years, and appropriating seven thousand eight hundred dollars to Western Maryland College for two years, were passed. The bill providing for a tax commissioner for the State was passed. The bill providing for a State loan of five hundred thousand dollars was passed. The ways and means committee reported unfavorably on bills of indemnity for destruction of property during the July riots in Baltimore, and the report was adopted. The Senate bill authorizing the managers of the House of Correction to hire convicts to the Maryland Canal Company was passed; also the bill to prevent cruelty to animals in Baltimore.

FRIDAY.

In the Senate of Maryland, yesterday, the committee appointed to investigate the condition and management of the McDonough school fund was discharged from further consideration of the subject. A report was placed on the journal from the Conrad-Chancellor committee highly eulogistic of Dr. Conrad's management of Spring Grove Asylum. On consideration of the general appropriation bill for 1879 an amendment was proposed to pay 74,940 for repairs of the State House, and the bill passed by yeas 16, nays 5. In the House of Delegates the State elevator and pier bill was killed. The donation to the State Agricultural College was virtually continued. A bill was passed to prevent the sale of oleomargerine as butter. Mr. Blair's resolution instructing the attorney general of Maryland to institute proceedings to give effect to the electoral vote of the State was passed—yeas 46, nays 28. The nine months appropriation bill was passed with the Normal School appropriation, the riot expenses, the penitentiary and House of Correction appropriations being inserted. The appropriation for repairs of the State House was rejected—yeas 21, nays 53.

RHETORICAL GEMS.—A few rhetorical gems, culled from a speech by a Four Courts lawyer yesterday, are here given:

"I tell you, gentlemen, that the defendant is as innocent as the child that never was born.

"Gentlemen, I think I am guiltless of whatever I here assert, because I think I speak the truth."

"The prosecuting witness, gentlemen, is a man that carries weepins, and that is guilty of a man who came near being murdered by being shot at two weeks ago."

"The more younger the child is the more truth there is in it, and the ignoranter the man is the more like a child he is. The police can't give him riddles, because he can't answer them, and so he has to speak the truth and don't lie. So, you see, that witness of mine told the truth."

"I tell you, gentlemen, them police are simply damnable, and I'm after them like a leech."

The creator of the foregoing combinations was the same gentleman who, while the case was in progress, demanded to know of a witness, "Where was you on the —— day of ——, and if so, state whether you were there or not?" Then he frowned and grew angry because the witness wouldn't answer yes or no.—*St. Louis Republican.*

—No child can sleep soundly while suffering with Colic or teething. Remove the cause by using Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. Only 25 cents per bottle.

THE LARGEST HAMMER IN THE WORLD. The steam hammer recently completed at Creusot is the largest and most powerful instrument of the kind in the world. The hammer in the workshops of Herr Krupp, at Essen, weighs 50 tons, and descends through a maximum space of three metres; but the hammer of the Creusot engine, weighing between 75 and 80 tons, has a course of five metres; the energy of the blow struck by it being 412,500 kilogrammemetres, while the Krupp instrument can only develop 150,000 kilogram-metres of work. The foundation on which the above rests consists of masonry five metres in depth; the space between the level of the ground and the cast-iron table being filled in with stout wooden beams, disposed alternately in horizontal and vertical layers, so as to give an elastic bed. Altogether, 100 cubic metres of cast-iron, 100 cubic metres of wood, and 1,000 cubic metres of masonry have been employed to form this foundation. Special apparatus has also been provided for the transport and keeping in position of blocks of steel weighing from 100 to 120 tons, which can be forged by the new hammer, and four steam cranes are arranged round this latter, three of them capable of lifting and revolving with a weight of 100 tons, and one able to carry 150 tons. Each crane also, is provided with special machinery for causing the weight lifted by it to rotate about its own axis.

—The total loss by the great fire in Philadelphia Monday night, is estimated at $750,000, while the total insurances are $261,050, divided as follows: Foreign companies, $20,000; Philadelphia companies' $104,250; other United States companies, $133,800.

—What is home without a baby? Many children have coughs and colds just now, and should have the greatest care, and a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Legal Notices.

Sheriff's License Notice.

Notice to Merchants, Traders, and others.

ALL PERSONS and bodies corporate or politic in Howard County, who are or shall be exercising any business, or shall be doing any act or thing, or shall be in the occupation of any house or place for any purpose for which a license is made necessary by the laws of Maryland, are hereby warned to obtain a License, or renew the same,

On or before the first day of May, 1878,

under the penalty prescribed by said laws for the infraction thereof.

Those interested are notified of the following requirements of the License Laws:

TRADERS' LICENSE.

The amount to be paid by traders for a license, (the amount of stock at the principal season of sale to be given under oath), is as follows:

If the applicant's stock in trade does not exceed $1,000			$12.60
Over $1,000	and not over	$1,500	15.60
" 1,500	"	2,500	18 60
" 2,500	"	4,000	22 60
" 4,000	"	6,000	30 60
" 6,000	"	8,000	40 60
" 8,000	"	10 000	50.60
" 10,000	"	15,000	65 60
" 15,000	"	20 000	80.60
" 20,000	"	30,000	100.00
" 30,000	"	40,000	125.60
" 40,000			150.60

The applicant must either make oath, as heretofore, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county where he is engaged in business, of the amount of goods kept on hand at the principal season of sale, or the oath may be administered by a Justice of the Peace, when the person wanting a license applies through an agent.

Persons may sell salt to cure fish in March, April and May, without license. Venders of cakes and venders of beer and cider, who are the makers of such beer and cider, (lager beer excepted), are not required to pay license.

LICENSES TO ORDINARIES AND TAVERN KEEPERS.

The license to ordinaries and tavern keepers to sell spirituous and fermented liquors, or lager beer, in quantities less than a pint, at any one time, are as follows, the applicant to make oath before the Clerk as to the rate of rent or annual value of the house at or in which the business to be authorized by the license may be done, or intended to be done:

If the rental or annual value is not			
Over $ 100			$25.60
" 100	and not over $	200	40.60
" 200	"	300	55 60
" 300	"	400	60.60
" 400	"	500	70.60
" 500	"	750	90 60
" 750	"	1,000	100.60
" 1,000	"	2,000	150 60
" 2,000	"	3,000	180.60
" 3,000	"	5,000	250.00
" 5,000	"	10,000	400.00
" 10,000			450.60

LICENSES TO RETAILERS OF SPIRITUOUS OR FERMENTED LIQUORS OR LAGER BEER.

The amounts of license to be paid by retailers of spirituous and fermented liquors and lager beer are as follows: If the value of the stock in trade be $300 or less $18.60

Over	$ 500		35 00
From	1,000 to	$2,000	50.60
"	2,000 to	4,000	75.60
"	4,000 to	6,000	100 60
"	6,000 to	10,000	120.60
"	10,000 to	20,000	130.60
"	20,000 to	30,000	140.60
Over	30,000		150.60

OYSTER AND EATING HOUSES.

The license to be paid by the keepers of oyster and eating houses is $50.60.

Females vending millinery and other small articles, whose stock is not over $500, pay a license of $6 60; but if over that amount they are required to pay the same license as other persons—oath to be made as to the amount of stock at the principal season of the year.

LICENSES TO OWNERS AND KEEPERS OF STALLIONS AND JACKS.

The owner or keeper of every stallion or jack shall, before being permitted to stand or station such animal, pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of some one of the counties in this State, the highest sum which he intends to ask or receive for the season of one mare; and the receipt of the said Clerk, with the seal of his Court attached thereto for said sum, shall be the license for stationing or standing such stallion or jack from one year from the date thereof; provided, that in no case shall the sum directed to be paid by this section for such license be less than ten dollars; and that every stallion or jack upon which the said tax is paid shall be exempt from all other State tax.

JOSEPH HUNT,
Sheriff of Howard County.

March 23-6ts.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the estate of E. SEMOUR DUVALL, late of Howard County, deceased, are requested to settle the same with Mr. Edwin Warfield, Register of Wills for Howard County, who is authorized to transact all business in the matter of the settlement of the estate of said deceased.

MARY J. DUVALL, Administratrix.

March 9-tf.

SELLERS' LIVER PILLS

have stood for 20 years the Standard Remedy for the cure of *Liver Complaint, Costiveness, Sick Headache*, and *all* derangements of the Liver. Read: "Sellers Liver Pills cured me of Liver Complaint, which compelled me to quit work."—Wm. Ackroyd, Baltimore. "I can recommend Sellers' Liver Pills. They have real hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills."—Thos. Adams, Big Sandy, Kentucky. Price 25c. a Box. Sold by all Druggists and country Store Keepers. R. E. SELLERS & Co., Prop'rs, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Jan. 19, '78-1f.

Legal Notices.

ORDER NISI.

M. Bannon and Edward H. Fowler, Executors of Thos Cottingham.

vs

Henry Cregg and Mary E. Cregg.

In the Circuit Court for Howard County, No. 2[illegible]. In Equity.

ORDERED, this 25th day of March, 1878, that the sale made and reported by M. Bannon and Edward H. Fowler, Executors aforesaid, of the real estate in the proceedings mentioned, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the **11th day of May 1878;** *Provided,* a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Howard County, Md., once in each of three successive weeks before the 11th day of April 1878.

The report states the amount of sales to be $2500.00.

L. J. WATKINS, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
L. J. WATKINS, Clerk.

March 23-3ts

ORDER NISI.

Lewis Myers

vs

William H. Scott and Hannah Scott, his wife.

In the Circuit Court for Howard County, In Equity.

ORDERED, this 23d day of March, A. D., 1878, that the sale made and reported by Lewis Myers, Mortgagee of the property in these proceedings mentioned, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the **20th day of May next;** *Provided,* a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Howard County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 20th day of April next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $3250

L. J. WATKINS, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
L. J. WATKINS, Clerk.

March 23-3ts.

ORDER NISI.

Dawson Lawrence

vs

Benjamin Tayco.

Circuit Court for Howard County, December Term, 1877.

UPON the foregoing Petition it is ordered this 13th day of March A. D. 1878, that the sale made and reported by George W. Carr, Sheriff in these proceedings mentioned, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof, be shown on or before the **6th day of May next;** *Provided,* a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Howard County once in each of three successive weeks before the 6th day of April next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $122.

E. HAMMOND.

True Copy—Test:
L. J. WATKINS, Clerk.

March 16-3ts.

ORDER NISI.

Dawson Lawson

vs

Charles E. and Amelia Lechlider.

Circuit Court for Howard County, December Term, 1877.

UPON the foregoing Petition it is ordered this 13th day of March A. D. 1878, that the sale made and reported by George W. Carr, Sheriff in these proceedings mentioned, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof, be shown on or before the **6th day of May next;** *Provided,* a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Howard County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 6th day of April next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $375.

E. HAMMOND.

True Copy Test:
L. J. WATKINS, Clerk.

March 16-3ts.

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the subscriber of Baltimore City, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Howard County, in Maryland, letters Testamentary on the personal estate of

ELLEN BUCKINGHAM,

late of Howard County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the **28th day of September next;** they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 19th day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

JOHN W. BUCKINGHAM,
Executor.

March 23-6ts.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the subscriber of Howard County, has obtained from the Orphans' Court, in Howard County, in Maryland, letters of Administration on the personal estate of

SAMUEL S. DORSEY,

late of Howard County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the **28th day of September next;** they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 19th day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

SAMUEL F. DORSEY,
Administrator.

March 23-6ts.

NOTICE.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
March 21, 1878.

IT IS requested that any one knowing of the death or removal of any person whose name is now on the PENSION LIST of Howard County, or who has knowledge of any person receiving a pension to which he or she is not rightfully entitled, will communicate such information to the County Commissioners at once.

By order Commissioners,

DYE W. WORTHINGTON, Clerk.

March 23-6ts.

NOTICE.

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
Howard County, March 24, 1878.

ALL PERSONS who wish Transfers or Releases of their Taxable Property, will apply to the County Commissioners on or before their **Second Meeting in April next.** On and after that date the Books will be closed and no Transfers or Releases will be granted to any person whatever, and no deduction will be made on any Tax Bill after the Levy of May, 1878.

By order,

DYE W. WORTHINGTON, Clerk.

March 23 6ts.

NOTICE.

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
Howard County, March 24, 1878.

ALL PERSONS having claims of indebtedness against the county are hereby notified that they must present them to the Commissioners on or before their **Second Meeting in April next;** otherwise they will not be included in the Levy of 1878.

By order,

DYE W. WORTHINGTON, Clerk.

March 23-5ts.

JOB PRINTING of every kind done neatly, cheaply and after the latest Styles at the TIMES OFFICE.

Legal Notices.

ROAD PETITION.

THE Undersigned hereby give notice, that they shall apply to the Commissioners of Howard County at their second meeting in APRIL next to locate and open a public road, beginning at a point on the road leading from Shatterville to the Parrsville road and running from thence through the lands of Caleb Burdette, Albert Burdette, James Becraft and the late Thomas Hammond to intersect the county road leading to the Baltimore and Frederick Turnpike.

CALEB BURDETTE,
ALLEN BURDETT,
E. POTER,
UPTON MULLINEX,
ASBERY MULLINEX,
NATHAN BURDETT,
HENRY H. MULLINEX,
JONATHAN MULLINEX,
JOHN T. MULLINEX,
C. E. MULLINEAX,
A. D. MULLINEX,
JAMES BECRAFT,
C. H. HARDY,
JAMES PENN,
BASIL F. MULLINEX,
O. T. MULLINEX,
WM. A. BENNETT,
M. L. BECRAFT,
ELI MOLESWORTH,
ADAM C. WARNER,
T. H. SHAFER.

March 16-5ts.

EXAMINERS' NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that that the undersigned duly appointed by the Commissioners of Howard County Examiners to locate and lay out a county road commencing at a point on the St. James' road, near the Sykesville bridges, and running thence through the lands of J. M. Zimmerman, C. Brooks and J. D. Warfield, to the Gorsuch Switch road, near J. D. Warfield's barn, thence on the bed of said Gorsuch switch road to the western branch of the Patapsco, thence with or near said stream, through the lands of C. Brooks, J. D. Warfield, C. Schmann, William O'Neal, Perrin Naddy, Harman Schmann, Edward Woods, and Henry Devries to the Tunnel road and thence across said road, through the lands of Henry Devries, H. Unbach and Wm. Davis, on the most practicable road to Marriottsville; will meet at Sykesville, the place of beginning of said road, on **Tuesday, April 16, 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M.,** for the purpose of discharging the duties of their commission.

JOHN T. RIDGELY,
ARTHUR P. FORSYTH,
MILTON W. SHIPLEY,
Examiners.

March 16 5ts.

Executrix's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the subscriber of Howard County, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Howard County, in Maryland, letters Testamentary on the personal estate of

WALTER CLEMENTS,

late of Howard County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the **10th day of September next;** they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 5th day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight.

LYDIA CLEMENTS,
Executrix.

March 9-6ts.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the subscriber of Howard County, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Howard County, in Maryland, letters of Administration on the personal estate of

ELIJAH P. HAINES,

late of Howard County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the **10th day of September next;** they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 5th day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

JOHN WARFIELD,
Administrator.

March 9-6ts.

Administratrix's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the subscriber of Howard County, has obtained from the Orphan's Court of Howard County, in Maryland, Letters of Administration on the personal estate of

GEORGE R. SHANE,

late of Howard County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the **25th day of August next;** they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 19th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight.

MARGARET SHANE,
Administratrix.

Feb. 23-6t.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the subscriber of Howard County, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Howard County, in Maryland, Letters of Administration on the personal estate of

MARGARET A. HOLLAND,

late of Howard County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the **25th day of August next;** they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 19th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

JOHN R. HOLLAND,
Administrator.

Feb. 23-6t.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the subscriber of Howard County, has obtained from the Orphan's Court of Howard County, in Maryland, Letters of Administration on the personal estate of

THOMAS BAYNES,

late of Howard County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the **25th day of August next;** they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 16th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

JOHN G. ROGERS,
Administrator.

Feb. 23-6t.

NOTICE.

THE **ORPHANS' COURT** will meet on the FIRST AND THIRD TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH for the transaction of business.

By order,

EDWIN WARFIELD, Register.

June 4 '70-1y.

NOTICE.

THE **COUNTY COMMISSIONERS** will meet on the FIRST AND THIRD TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH for the transaction of business.

By order,

DYE W. WORTHINGTON, Clerk.

Dec. 19, '69-1y.

Ellicott City.

THOMAS H. HUNT,

DEALER IN

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,

BOOTS, SHOES & NOTIONS, &c., &c.

Respectfully

Informs the Public

that he has constantly

hand a large and well-assorted

Stock, embracing

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Dress Goods,

Cloths, Cassimeres, Casinetts, Jeans,

Muslins, &c., &c.

Hardware, Irons, Liquors, Cutlery, and a general assortment of Hardware

Country Produce bought and sold.

CALL AND EXAMINE.

Jan. 1 '70-1y.

TAKE NOTICE.

GENTS' BOOTS Five Dollars to Six Dollars. Boys' Boots and Shoes

one Dollar to Two Dollars.

LADIES' GAITERS $1 TO $2.50.

MOROCCO BOOTS $1.50 to $2.50.

Children's Boots 50 Cents to One Dollar and a Half.

SLIPPERS AT ALL PRICES AT

BEALHELM'S SHOE STORE,

Main St., near the Howard House.

July 5 '78-tf.

PAINTS AND OILS.

Having made all necessary arrangements with the principal Factories it enables me to furnish to the public every and all kinds of Paints, either mixed or otherwise at Baltimore prices. I keep a full assortment of French and American Window Glass.

LEADS: Lewis, White Oak, Fairmount, Durable, French Zinc, G. S., French Zinc, R. S., Snow White, R. S.

COLORS IN OIL: English Coach and Drop Black, Lamp Black, Black Paint, Prussian Blue, Ultramarine Blue, Turkey Umber, Italian Sienna, Vandyke Brown, Sylvan Green, Chrome Green, Verdigris, Patent Dryer, Indian Red, Venetian Red, Chrome Yellow, French Ochre; Linseed Oils Boiled and Raw, Varnishes, Putty and a complete line of Dry Colors,

FOR SALE BY

WM. W. RADCLIFFE.

ELLICOTT CITY.

April 14, '77-6m.

STEPHEN HILLSINGER,

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ELLICOTT CITY, MD.

Burial Cases,

Metallic and Wooden Coffins

of all sizes and styles, on hand or furnished to order.

Funerals attended at short notice, and on the most accomodating terms.

March 15'78-tf.

C. T. MAKISON,

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Farm, Light Wagons, Buggies, Carriages, etc., made to order and repaired in a neat and substantial manner at short notice.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Shop in the rear of George W. Ireae's Blacksmith Shop.

Jan. 12, '78-1y.

CHARLES SCHROD,

Bell Hanger,

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One door east of Tabler's Store

Umbrellas repaired neatly and cheaply

June 19 '75-1y.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

THE Subscriber has for sale or rent a very desirable property in the village of Lisbon, Howard County, Maryland, embracing more than an ACRE OF LAND, with shade and choice fruit trees, and excellent water. The buildings and grounds which can be still further enlarged and improved, if necessary, make the property very desirable for different purposes. It will answer for a Boarding-School, a Hotel, a House for summer boarders, a Private Residence for one or two families, &c. One of the buildings will answer for a Store or shop of some kind.



The above described property adjoins the Baltimore and Frederick Turnpike, 26 miles from the former city, and 3 miles from Woodbine Station, on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. For further information, apply at this Office, or address

WILLIAM T. CRAPSTER,
Feb. 23-tf. Lisbon, Howard Co., Md.

—Washington dinners are described by a correspondent of the Boston *Post*. It is a fact capable of proof by history, according to this authority, that no man ever became very influential in Congress who did not give good dinners, or "gander parties," as the possibly jealous ladies term them. From the same source we learn that a knowledge of how to give good dinners made Colfax Speaker; that Blaine uses the same seductive means of success; that Simon Cameron is a peer of the great Sam Ward himself; that Henry Wilson rose by dinners, and at last physically sucumbed to too much eating; and that Sumner did not despise to reach men's heads through their stomachs. The most frequent and best giver of dinners nowadays is said to be Mr. Hewitt, of whom the writer says: "His own stomach surrendered to his artistic palate years ago, but his science is still in its prime. There is hardly a day in the seven that a dozen knees are not knocking, neighborly under his mahogany." Fernando Wood is set down as a liberal entertainer; but his dinners are too much like grand banquets, and the guests too numerous. Nevada Jone's dinners are elaborate feasts. Thurman's are quiet and enjoyable, and Bayard's are eaten mostly by Western members. Of Butler it is said: "The mantle of Simon Cameron seems to have alighted upon Ben Butler. Those seductive little champagne lunches which earned the Foreign Affairs Committee room the sobriquet of 'Cameron's pantry,' are spread now in the stone palace across the way. Until I learned the mystery of those lunches, and saw how easy it was to slip a member or a Senator out while an important bill was pending, I never understood why Butler built his house where it stands, two miles nearly from the fashionable quarter of the city."

Ellicott City.

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WM. N. BUZBY

is the ONLY AGENT, and the SINGER the only

SEWING MACHINE

represented in Howard County.

The GENUINE Singer has the *Trade Mark*, and the Company's name printed on the top of the arm of the Machine—all others are Bogus.

Singer Company's sales for 1877, were 252,512—an increase of 29,496 machines over sales for 1876.

Prices the lowest. Terms unprecedented.

Hereafter, I will LEASE Machines, on the Instalment plan at $3.00 per month, and at the Singer Manufacturing Company's Lowest Prices, giving each and all an opportunity to become the possessor of one of these Household Blessings.

Machines delivered and instruction at your homes FREE OF CHARGE.

Needles for all Machines. Also Oil, and Machine Findings in General.

Repairing promptly attended to.

WM. N. BUZBY, Agent,
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Sept. 2, '72-tf. Ellicott City.

THE WEED FAMILY FAVORITE Sewing Machine

Stands in the front rank of first-class Machines as possessing in a preeminent degree

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Its wonderful simplicity, faultless mechanism, durability, ease of operation and cleanliness, have assisted in building up its immense

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Its ever ready adaptability to all classes of light and heavy work makes it absolutely

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WEED SEWING MACHINE CO.,
58 North Charles St.,
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H. S. DAWLEY, Manager.

Jan. 27, '77-3m.

D. SPRECHER.

Farmers can find a good Market for what they have to sell or wish to buy at D. Sprecher's,

DEALER IN

GENERAL MERCHANDISE,

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Hats & Caps, Ready-Made Clothing, Cloths,

HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, WOOD AND WILLOW WARE.

GROCERIES

OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,

Sugar, Coffee, Tea, spices, &c., and also Green Groceries and Fruits, Oranges, Lemons, Apples, &c. Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods. Heavy Goods delivered.

Also Agent for Howard County for Horner's celebrated Fertilizers, viz: Horner's Maryland Super-phosphate; Horner's Pure Dissolved Bone; Horner's Pure Bone Meal; Horner's Pure Bone Dust.

Farmers! Remember you run no risk in loading at D. Sprecher's as his Fertilizers are kept at a distance from the cars.

Furnished at the lowest possible rates. Store in former Union Hotel and Warehouse in yard of same.

Also Plaster and always keep on hand the best quality of *Lump White Wash Lime. Garden and Field Seeds* always on hand in season. Also Agent for the *Sweepstakes Thrasher, Eclipse Engine*, Horse Powers, the *Hagerstown Wheat Guano and Seed Drill, Horse Rakes, Plows, Masticators* and *straw and Fodder Cutters, &c.*

March 14, '74-tf.

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TIN AND SHEET IRON WORKER,

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Roofing, Spouting and repairing of Stoves, Ranges and Furnaces, neatly and cheaply done.

SHOP nearly opposite TOWN HALL.

March 2, '78-3m.

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