From the Baltimore Sun of Monday.

THE SUSPENSION OF SPECIE PAYMENT BY THE BANKS.

The fact that the banks of Philadelphia would suspend specie payments on Saturday, was announced in the *Sun* of Saturday morning. The effect of this news was anticipated with wonderful promptness by the banks of Baltimore, the principal officers of these institutions having assembled at an early hour on that day, for the purpose of deciding on a uniform course of action.—The process of deliberation was brief and decisive, but we have only the following report of proceedings furnished for publication:

BALTIMORE, Sept. 26, 1857,

At a meeting of the Presidents of all the Banks of the city of Baltimore, this day.

On motion of Mr. Johns Hopkins, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved. That the Banks of Philadelphia having suspended specie payments, it is necessary for the protection of the interests of the city of Baltimore and of this State, that our Banks suspend also.

This decision is made under an absolute conviction of the entire soundness of our Banks, and of their ability to resume at an early day, to which end the business of the Banks will be carefully conducted.

Beyond this report we learn that Dr. J. Hanson Thomas President of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank objected to the resolution and voted and protested against it.—One or two others we are informed, though coinciding with the majority, were not originally disposed to advocate it. The meeting had not concluded upon its course until after bank hours, and in the interim considerable amounts of specie had been paid out both to note-holders and depositors. Afterwards in individual instances various small sums, and occasionally to large depositors for convenience or paying hands $50 and $100 were given out, and it is said to be the purpose of the Banks to continue to do this. The Farmers' and Merchants' Bank continued to redeem its notes throughout the day, and certainly is entitled to public esteem for such an effort single-handed to maintain its position.

The Chesapeake Bank redeemed the checks given to the delegates to the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, for their per diem and mileage, after the hour of suspension, partly in coin. The checks ranged from about $50 to $500, and in the latter case the holders received $100 in gold when desired, the others in proportion down to $20. There were in all about one hundred checks. All the other Banks, we believe, redeemed their fives and tens as presented, until they closed at 3 o'clock.

There was very naturally, considerable excitement in the community upon the announcement of the suspension, but though the propriety of the proceeding was questioned by many and its alleged necessity often freely controverted, the fact caused no alarm. There was confidence in the solvency of our monetary institutions, and the questions provoked by the circumstance referred mainly to the convenience of trade and its effect upon the commerce of the city immediate and remote.

The Savings Banks were visited by an unusual number of their customers, at first for the purpose of withdrawing deposits, but upon ascertaining that payment would only be made in bank notes, the demand soon subsided, and some who had withdrawn their funds, restored them. The act of withdrawal, however, it should be understood to forfeit the claim to the extra dividends.

We are not disposed at this moment to advert to the evils which have induced the present monetary convulsion, or to examine the validity of any plea for the suspension. It is a calamity to be deplored, but it is incumbent upon all to bear and forbear, to look for a speedy restoration of the usual monetary condition, or something better, hereafter. In this connection we quote some judicious remarks from the Philadelphia *Press*, as follows:

"Deeply as we regret that the banks have concluded upon suspension, and steadily as we have labored to produce a better state of things, we have new duties to discharge, to ourselves, our fellow men, and our great city and State. The first of these duties is to see that no harm comes to our great producing classes—to the farmers, mechanics and laborers—and last, not least, to those energetic and public spirited merchants, who have bravely stemmed the torrent which set against our institutions and interests from New York, New England and the West.

"The men who are rarely parties to the profits of Banks, but who always bear the burden of a general bankruptcy, demand our utmost solicitude. Rash measures will harm them most. The Banks are still in a condition to inflict injury upon the community, and while many of those who have enjoyed the favors of these institutions will escape the blow, yet it will fall heavily upon those who have been toiling in their humble avocations, content with the scanty rewards of honest industry. Let us bear this leading fact, in our minds in the course of our action upon the present emergency.

"We are glad to know that several of the *leading Banks have resolved to take immediate steps preparatory to resumption*.—When we reflect that all the great interests of agriculture are in a condition of prosperity, we cannot but hope that the present gloom will pass off in a comparatively short time; and when we remember the stringent laws against suspension, we may realize that it is the true interest of every Bank to take steps to resume specie payments before the law has had time to operate.

"Meanwhile, friends, be of good cheer! Do not give way to inconsiderate action—Bear and forbear. This is no time for violent impulses."

An impression having gained currency here that a suspension of specie payments by the Banks of Maryland forfeited their charter under the new constitution, we may as well state the fact that the new constitution contains no such provision. Under the general banking law of 1853, it is enacted that "Banks failing to pay their notes in gold and silver shall pay 6 per cent. interest thereon from the time of the demand," &c. Let us hope that in the present instance the the period will be very limited.

The experience of to-day will possibly develop a uniform and decisive course of action. In the meantime the most prudent course will be to wait on the progress of events.

The Baltimore *American* says:

According to a rigid construction of the charters of our Banks they forfeit their corporate franchises by the suspension, but inasmuch as it has been general and was invoked by an unavoidable necessity, to disregard which would have produced the worst results, there will be no hesitation on the part of the Legislature in taking any action that the contingency may require.

WASHINGTON.—The intelligence received on Friday of the Bank crash in Philadelphia produced a profound sensation in this city, which on Saturday morning, when it was heard that the Baltimore Banks had in mass and at one stroke declared themselves suspended, increased to excitement and with some to alarm. As to be expected in such circumstances, the Banks here were the centres to which were attracted scores or rather hundreds of depositors and note holders, testifying to the existence of something very like a panic. Under these circumstances the Bank of Washington and Patriotic Bank, after bearing a run for an hour or two, resolved on imitating the Baltimore institutions, and suspended specie payments, though they continued to cash notes of the lowest denomination of five dollars. The Bank of the Metropolis was also exceedingly busy from noon to three o'clock, but it bore all without flinching. It is said to be the intention of the Bank to continue paying, feeling itself able to meet every emergency. The Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank of Georgetown was very calm all day, suffering nothing like a run either by noteholders or depositors. We are informed that it will go on as usual. The general eye seems to be now directed to New York city, and the financial fate of the whole country is considered to depend upon the course to be pursued there.—*National Intelligencer.*

THE TIMES.

PORT TOBACCO, MD.

THURSDAY MORNING, OCT. 1, 1857.

We are requested to call a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Charles County Agricultural Society, to be held at the usual place on Tuesday next, the 6th inst.—Business of importance to the Society requires that the members be punctual in their attendance at 3 o'clock P. M.

TOURNAMENT.—It will be seen, by reference to proceedings in another column, that a Grand Tournament is to come off at Piscataway on the 17th November next. A meeting of the subscribers to the Tournament will be held in that village on the 10th inst.

We are requested to give notice that the Boarding School, at St. Thomas' Manor, is discontinued.

Mr. F. Pliny Bryan, of Piscataway District, Prince George's county, has withdrawn from the canvass as an Independent candidate for the House of Delegates, being unwilling to lend his name to an implied opposition to the principles and organization of the Anti-Know-Nothings of the county.

We notice that an Independent "People's" ticket for the various city and judicial offices has been brought out in Baltimore; and that a similar ticket for the Legislature is recommended.

The papers contain a rejoinder by the Connecticut memorialists to President Buchanan's rebuke. They still insist that he ought to have taken Kansas under his special protection and expelled the "invaders." They seem to have forgotten that last year their members of Congress voted against supplies for the army.

The President has been made an honorary member of the Young Mens' Christian Association of Washington. He gracefully acknowledges the compliment in a letter.

THE LOST DAUGHTER.—Mr. T. B. Peterson, Philadelphia, Pa., has just issued a most fascinating work of the above title, by Mrs. Caroline Lee Hentz. The title and the name of the author is sufficient to guarantee a large sale of the work. Those who have read the productions of the pen of Mrs. Caroline Lee Hentz, will be impatient for it, and procure it at once. It will be issued in one large duodecimo volume, neatly bound in cloth, for $1.25; or in two volumes, paper cover, at $1.00. Address T. B. Peterson, and enclose the published price, and the work will be sent to any part of the United States free of postage.

GRAND TOURNAMENT.

Pursuant to notice, a meeting of the subscribers to the Tournament was held in Piscataway, on Saturday last, the 26th Sept., when, upon motion, Major EDMUND BRISCOE was called to the Chair, and JOSEPH M. PARKER, was appointed Secretary; whereupon, the following gentlemen were selected officers of the Grand Tournament, to be given upon the lands of Major Edmund Briscoe, about two miles from the village of Piscataway, on the 17th November next, viz:

Orator of the Day—BARNES COMPTON, Esq., of Charles county.

Marshal—Col. JOHN H. SOTHORON, of St. Mary's county.

Judges—Judge John H. Hardesty, of Prince George's county; Leven Skinner, Esq., of Calvert county; Col. John W. Jenkins, of Charles county; Col. George W. Hughes, of Anne Arundel county; Col. Edmund Plowden, of St. Mary's county.

Managers—Major Edmund Briscoe, Benjamin F. Marbury, Esq., Capt. John Manning, John F. Chesby, Esq., Thomas Marshall, Esq., James M. Marshall, Esq., Ignatius Gwynn, Esq., Ignatius A. Gardiner, Esq.

Committee of Invitation—George R. Marshall, Esq., Joseph C. Hatton, Esq., Dr. Alfred Edelen, Dr. A. R. White, Dr. Thomas Hurtt.

Heralds—Bennet F. Gwynn, Dr. Joseph Blandford, Joseph B. Edelen, Francis M. Bowie, Walter P. Griffin, Dr. Edward H. Wyville.

Orator to address the Knights after the performance—Fendall Marbury, Esq., of Prince George's county.

Treasurer—Joseph M. Parker, Esq.

There will be a further meeting held at Mr. John H. Howell's Hotel, in the village of Piscataway, on Saturday, the 10th of October, for the purpose of completing all the necessary arrangements for the Ball, &c., at which time and place it is desired that the Managers and all who feel an interest in advancing the cause will attend.

Ordered, that the proceedings of this meeting be published in the county papers of Prince George's, Charles, and Saint Mary's.

EDMUND BRISCOE, *President*,
JOSEPH M. PARKER, *Secretary*.

The U. S. practice ship of the Annapolis Naval School about which there was considerable uneasiness, has returned all safe.—The ship arrived in Annapolis harbor on Sunday.

Some of the New York papers propose another Bankrupt Law!

THE PROSPECT OF RAISING THE CENTRAL AMERICA.—Some papers have been giving currency to reports that the Boston Submarine Armor Company had proposed to the Underwriters to raise the Central America and save her treasure. The mate gives her position when she went down, lat. 31° 45′, lon. 78° 15′. From that point to the nearest land (Cape Roman) is 95 miles, and the soundings show 600 fathoms of water.—From these facts the absurdity of attempting to raise the vessel or her treasure must be apparent.

AMERICAN MEETINGS.—It is the purpose of the American party of St. Mary's to hold a meeting in each of the six districts of the county. Wm. Alexander, of Baltimore, will address them. The places and days are as follows: St. Inegoes, Friday, Oct. 9; Clifton Factory, Saturday Oct. 10; Oakville, Monday, Oct. 12; Leonardtown, Tuesday, Oct. 13; Chaptico, Wednesday, Oct. 14; Harrisburg, Thursday, October 15.—*Beacon.*

The Cunningham case has turned up once more in the Supreme Court, on the petition of the defendant to remove her bogus-baby trial from the Court of Sessions to the court above. The petition was, after argument, granted.

It is said that the seeds of the Chinese Sugar Cane, are an excellent substitute for *chocolate*. If, as the accounts affirm, this new product is to give us Sugar, Molasses, and Chocolate, besides fodder for our cattle, it will certainly be a "great thing for the country."

HIGH PRICES.—We learn that W. A. & W. W. Padgett, of Baltimore, sold lately 16 hhds. of Tobacco, a part of Mr. John A. Burroughs' crop, of Charles county, for the neat little sum of $2,122 80, or $158. 67 per hogshead.—*St. Mary's Beacon.*

It is estimated that there are about four millions of female snuff-takers in the United States, using on an average two pounds per annum, or eight millions of pounds, at an expense of two millions of dollars!

Parson Brownlow, of Tennessee, proposes to go through New England next Spring, lecturing against the Abolitionists—and telling them exactly what he thinks of them.

The Mormons are making some stir in England and Scotland. They are raising a good many recruits—but, occasionally, they excite the indignation of the people, and a fight takes place, in which the Mormons are drubbed.

WHAT A NEWSPAPER DOES FOR NOTHING. The following article should be read and pondered by every man who takes a newspaper without paying for it:

The result of my observation enables me to state, as a fact, that the publishers of newspapers are more poorly rewarded than any class of men in the United States, who invest an equal amount of labor, capital and thought. They are expected to do more service for less pay, to stand more sponging and "dead heading," to puff and defend more people without fee or hope of reward, than any other class.

They credit wider and longer, get oftener cheated; suffer more pecuniary loss; are oftener the victims of misplaced confidence, than any other calling in the community.

People pay a printer's bill more reluctantly than any other. It goes hard with them to expend a dollar on a valuable newspaper, than ten on a needless gew-gaw; yet everybody avails himself of the use of the editor's pen and the printers' ink.

How many professional and political reputations and fortunes have been made and sustained by the friendly, though unrequited, pen of the editor? How many embryo towns and cities have been brought into notice and puffed into prosperity by the press? How many railroads, now in successful operation, would have foundered but for the assistance of the "lever that moves the world?" In short what branches of industry or activity has not been promoted, stimulated and defended by the press?

And who has tendered it more than a miserable pittance for its mighty services? The bazaars of fashion and the haunts of appetite and dissipation are thronged with an eager crowd, bearing gold in their palms, and the commodities there needed are sold at enormous profits, though intrinsically worthless, and paid for with scrupulous punctuality; while the counting room of the newspaper is the seat of jewing, cheapening, trade, orders and pennies. It is made a point of honor to liquidate a grog bill, but not of dishonor to repudiate a printer's bill.

THE MARKETS.

BALTIMORE, Sep. 29, 1857.

FLOUR.—We quote Baltimore ground family at $8 50, and extra do. $7 50. Howard Street and Ohio extra at $6 75a$7.

GRAIN.—*Wheat*—The market for all descriptions of Grain was very heavy to-day. Receipts of Wheat fair, and prices declined fully 10 cts. per bushel. Sales of good to prime red at 115a120 cts, and fair dry white at 120, good to prime do at 125a135, and choice family flour white at 140 cts.

Corn—Receipts light, and the prices 3 to 4 cts per bushel lower, with but little inquiry. We quote prime white at 70 cts, and prime yellow at 70a72 cts per bushel.

Rye—Maryland Rye at 60a65 cts.

Oats—Oats were sold at 26a32 cts for good lots of Virginia and Maryland.

[From the American of Saturday last.]

TOBACCO.—The receipts of Maryland Tobacco are not very large this week, and the transactions at the inspection shippers show more inclination to purchase, but are unwilling to pay advanced prices; indeed former rates are maintained with difficulty. The sales of the week include a large portion of the receipts, the owners in some cases determining to hold back for higher prices than can be obtained now. We quote:—

Maryland Brown Leaf, as in quality, $9 a $9.50; inferior short seconds, $7a $7 50; brown leafy, $9 a$10; and extra at $11a$14.

The inspections of the week are 646 hhds. Maryland, 26 hhds. Ohio, and 10 hhds. Virginia—total 682 hhds.

ALEXANDRIA, Sep. 28, 1857.

GRAIN.—*Wheat*.—The market is unsettled.—Offerings on 'Change fair. Buyers and sellers being unable to agree, the transactions were very limited. Small sales of white were made at 125 a130 cts, and red at 120a125 cts, for inferior.

Corn.—Corn is in fair request, with sales of fair white and mixed at 70a75 cts.

Rye—Small sales were made on 'Change at 70 cts. Market dull.

Oats are in limited request at 30 cts.

DIED,

On the 18th instant, after a long and painful illness, which he bore with christian fortitude and resignation, THOMAS H. EDELEN, in the 58th year of his age. He leaves a disconsolate widow and numerous relatives and friends to mourn their irreparable loss.

Lonely the house and sad the hours,
Since thy sweet smiles have gone;
But, O! a brighter home than ours,
In Heaven, is now thy home. M.

Died, at Walnut Grange, Prince George's county, Md., (her late residence,) MARY HERBERT, relict of the late Hon. JOHN C. HERBERT, in the 73d year of her age.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.

☞The Third Quarterly Meeting of the M. E. Church, for Charles Circuit, will be held at Pomonkey Chapel, on the 7 and 8th of November next.

☞Rev. CHARLES GRIFFIN will preach at the Court House, in Port Tobacco, on SUNDAY afternoon, October 4th, at 4 o'clock.

POLITICAL NOTICE.

THE Democratic Candidates for Senate and House of Delegates will meet the voters of the subjoined Districts at the following times and places:

First District.

At Mr. THOMAS SKINNER'S STORE, on WEDNESDAY the 7th of October.

Second District.

At ALLEN'S FRESH, on SATURDAY the 17th of October.

Fourth District.

At BRYANTOWN, on SATURDAY the 24th of October.

The public generally are invited to attend.

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NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the undersigned are requested to come forward and close their accounts immediately, either by cash or note. Should this request be disregarded, the accounts will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection.

TENNISON, DONNELLY & LLOYD.
Allen's Fresh, Oct. 1, 1857—tf

NOTICE.

PERSONS indebted to me personally or officially are hereby notified to make payment by the first of November next,

oct 1 R. S. REEDER.

AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION.

THE TENTH ANNUAL EXHIBITION OF the Charles County Agricultural Society will be held in Port Tobacco, on TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, the 10th, 11th and 12th of November next.

LIST OF PREMIUMS OFFERED.

Horses and Mules.

For the best Stallion,	$5
best Brood Mare, thorough bred,	5
best Colt or Filly, th. bred, 3 years old,	3
best Colt or Filly, " 2 years old,	2
best Colt or Filly, " 1 year old,	1
best Brood Mare, common breed,	4
best Colt or Filly, com. breed, 3 yrs old,	3
best Colt or Filly, " 2 yrs old,	2
best Colt or Filly, " 1 year old,	1
best pair Horses for general draft, raised in the county,	3
best pair Carriage Horses, do	3
best Single-Harness Horse, do	2
best Saddle Horse, do	2
best pair Mules, do	5
best Mule Colt, 3 years old, do	3
best Mule Colt, 2 years old, do	2
best Mule Colt, 1 year old, do	1
best Jack,	2

[Colts to be considered 3 years old until they shall have completed their 4th year.]

Cattle.

For best Bull, improved breed,	$4
best Bull, common breed,	3
best Milch Cow, improved breed,	4
best Milch Cow, common breed,	3
best Heifer, imp. breed, 1 to 2 years,	2
best Heifer, com. breed, 1 to 2 years.	2
best Calf of any breed, under 1 year,	1
best yoke of Oxen,	4

Sheep.

For best Buck, improved breed,	$3
best pair Ewes, improved breed,	3
best Buck, common breed,	2
best pair Ewes, common breed,	2
best lot Lambs, not less than 4,	2
best Slaughtered Mutton,	2

Hogs.

For best Boar,	$2
best Sow,	2
best Sow and Pigs, not less than 6,	2
best Pork Hog,	2

Agricultural Productions.

For best hhd. Tobacco, not less than 600 lbs.	$4
best field of Wheat, not less than 5 acres,	5
best acre of Wheat,	3
best acre of Oats,	2
best field of Corn, not less than 5 acres,	5
best acre of Corn,	3
best ½ acre of Irish Potatoes,	2
best ½ acre of Turnips,	2

Products of the Garden.

For best bushel Irish Potatoes,	$1
best bushel Sweet Potatoes,	1
best specimen Cabbage, not less than 6,	1
best lot Beets, not less than 1 dozen,	1
best half bushel Parsnips,	1
best half bushel Carrots,	1
best lot Pumpkins,	1

Home Manufactures.

For best Kersey, not less than 5 yards,	$2
second best Kersey, not less than 5 yards,	1
best striped or plaid Linsey,	2
second best striped or plaid Linsey,	1
best striped or plaid Cotton,	2
second best striped or plaid Cotton,	1
best Cassinett, not less than 5 yards,	3
second best Cassinett, not less than 5 yds.	2
best Domestic Flannel,	2
best home-made Yarn Counterpane,	2
second best home-made Yarn Counterpane,	2
best Cotton Counterpane,	2
best home-made Quilt,	3
second best home-made Quilt,	2
best lot home-made Yarn Socks,	2
second best home-made Yarn Socks,	1
best lot home-made Yarn Stockings,	2
second best lot home-made Yarn Stockings,	1
best lot Cotton or Mixed Socks,	2
best lot Cotton or Mixed Stockings,	2
second best lot Cotton or Mixed Stockings,	1
best lot Tapestry,	4
second best lot Tapestry,	3
best Fancy Needlework other than tapestry,	2
second best Fancy Needlework, "	1
best Plain Needlework,	2
second best Plain Needlework,	2
best home-made Wine,	2
second best home-made Wine,	2
best lot Preserves,	2
second best lot Preserves,	1
best Potted Butter, not less than 5 lbs., to be potted before 1st of October,	3
second best Potted Butter, " "	2
best lot Fresh Butter,	3
second best lot Fresh Butter,	2
best home-made Wheat Bread,	2
second best home-made Wheat Bread,	1
best home-made Corn Bread,	2
second best home-made Corn Bread,	1
best home-made Hard Soap,	2
second best home-made Hard Soap,	1
best home-made Soft Soap,	2
second best home-made Soft Soap,	1
best sample home-made Candles,	2
second best sample home made Candles,	1
best sample home-made Starch,	2
second best sample home-made Starch,	1

Fruit.

For best peck of Apples,	$2

Poultry

For best pair Turkeys, male and female,	$1
best pair Geese, " "	1
best pair Ducks, " "	1
best pair Barn-yard Fowls,	1

Agricultural Implements.

For best Horse Power,	$5
best improved Reaper,	5
best Fresher,	3
best Wheat Fan,	3
best Ox-Cart, suitable for general use,	3
best Horse-Rake,	3
best Horse-Mill,	3
best Corn Sheller,	1
best 3-horse Plough,	1
best 2-horse Plough,	1
best 1-horse Plough,	1
best Hill-side Plough,	1
best Tobacco Cultivator,	1
best Carriage Harness,	3
best Wagon do	2
best Buggy do	1

☞WM. B. RICHARDS, Jr., dealer in French Bonnets, Flats, Gypsies, Flowers and Millinery Goods generally. Also, American Millinery, Ribbons, Dress Trimmings, Buttons, Laces and Edging, French Work, Fancy Working Materials, Combs, Brushes, Perfumeries, Sewing Materials, Hosiery, Mitts, Fans, Work Boxes, Writing Desks, and Fancy Goods generally,

No. 110 King Street,
ALEXANDRIA, Va.

Bonnets made to order. Orders filled punctually and satisfaction invariably guaranteed.
feb 26—1y.

NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MR. EDITOR: Be pleased to announce WILLIAM HENRY THOMAS, Esq., of St. Mary's county, as an Independent candidate for Congress, in the Sixth Congressional District. The friends of Mr. THOMAS in presenting his name to the people of this district, expect nothing less than the united and candid support of all who are opposed to the Democratic party and its nominee, as he is a man every way worthy of their confidence and respect VOTERS OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY.
oct 1—te

At the solicitation of many friends I announce myself a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace in the third election district. Should I be elected I will discharge the duties of the office with fidelity. S. W. H. McPHERSON.
oct 1—te

MR. WELLS, will please announce JOHN H. BARNES, Jr., as a candidate for Constable in the first election district. He will deservedly receive a large support for the above named office.
oct 1—te A FRIEND TO PERSONAL MERIT.

☞We are authorized to announce THOMAS S. DENT as a candidate for Road Supervisor for the first election district. oct 1.

MR. WELLS: You will please announce me as a candidate for Justice of the Peace for the first election district, and oblige, &c.
oct 1—te W. P. FLOWERS.

NEW GOODS AT BEANTOWN.

I RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of my customers and the public generally to my fresh supply of *FALL & WINTER GOODS*, purchased on the best terms, and which I will sell very low for cash, or to punctual customers on the usual time. Those in want of NEW & SEASONABLE GOODS will please call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. All kinds of PRODUCE taken in exchange for Goods.
PHILIP A. SASSCER.
Beantown, Oct 1, 1857—tf

500 TONS BRIGHT DRY SHUCKS WANTED, for which a fair price will be given. FITZPATRICK & BURNS,
Manufacturers of the best curled Hair, Cotton, and SHUCK MATTRESSES; also, Spring Beds and Spring Lounges, Cotton Bats, &c.
Alexandria, Va., Oct. 1, 1857—3m

NEW GOODS.—We are now receiving a full supply of *FALL & WINTER GOODS*, to which we invite the attention of our customers and the public in general. Call and examine our stock before purchasing.
MEYENBERG, BRO. & CO.,
oct 1 Sarepta Hall, Alexandria, Va.

WM. J. TUBMAN,
WITH
WATERS, ZIMMERMAN & CO.,
EXTENSIVE
LUMBER MERCHANTS,
On the Wharf, foot of Cameron Street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
☞All orders promptly attended to.☜
oct 1—tf

FERGUSSON, MURPHY & CO.,
121 LOMBARD STREET,
BALTIMORE,

Have on hand a large and well selected stock of GROCERIES, choice WINES, LIQUORS and TEAS, which they are prepared to sell as low as any house in the city.

Our *personal* attention also given to the sale of TOBACCO and GRAIN.
Baltimore, Oct. 1, 1857—3m

A VERY DESIRABLE FARM
FOR SALE.

WE WILL SELL, AT PRIVATE SALE, our Farm, "INDIANTOWN," lying in Charles County, Maryland.

This Farm lies upon Nanjemoy Creek. Produce can be shipped to Baltimore or Alexandria from nearly every field. The Farm contains about

940 ACRES,

about 300 acres of which are now well set in clover; 250 acres have this Spring been limed with 25 bushels to the acre. The land is generally in high state of cultivation; 125 acres will be seeded in wheat this Fall. It has upon it a good DWELLING HOUSE and every necessary out building, some of them new. Wild Fowl, Fish and Terrapin abound in the water immediately in front of the house.

If desired by the purchaser, all the NEGROES, FARMING UTENSILS and STOCK will be sold, or any part of them the purchaser may desire to buy with the Farm.

For the larger portion of the purchase money an extended credit will be given. Possession given at such time as purchaser desires. The property will be shewn and all further information given by

B. M. & W. L. CAMPBELL,
Baltimore.
Or, FREDERICK STONE,
Port Tobacco, Maryland.
Oct. 1, 1857—4w

[Nat. Intelligencer, Marl. Gazette, Alexandria Gazette, and St. Mary's Beacon, insert once a week 4 weeks and send bills to this office.]

NOTICE.

THE County Commissioners for Charles County, will meet at their office, in Port Tobacco, on MONDAY, the 26th of October, when the Collectors who have not settled with the Commissioners are hereby notified to be present.

By order,
J. R. BATEMAN, Clerk.
Sep. 24, 1857—tm

FARM FOR SALE.

THE subscriber will sell at Public Sale, on TUESDAY the 6th of OCTOBER, in front of the Court house, in Port Tobacco—if not previously disposed of at private sale—the

FARM called "ASHLEY,"
containing
401 ACRES,

more or less, and situated near Newtown, and on the road thence to Port Tobacco.

Said Farm has on it all necessary OUT-BUILDINGS, OVERSEER'S HOUSE, BARNS, CORN HOUSE, QUARTERS, &c

TERMS: One-third of the purchase money in cash, and the remainder in two equal annual instalments, with bond and approved security, bearing interest from the day of taking possession.

E. J. HARRIS,
Sep 17, 1857—tf Allen's Fresh P. O., Md.

SUGAR—Crushed and Clarified—for preserving purposes, just received and for sale by
sep 10 WM BOSWELL.

FALL PRINTS—A lot of new fall styles of Prints, for sale by WM BOSWELL.
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