

CHESTER TOWN, MD.

SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 2, 1837.

THANKS .- Prof. A. D. Bache, will accept our thanks for a copy of the report of the Superindent of the U.S. Coast Survey for 1855.

done in the way of planting corn, as yet, by our farmers. The weather continues cold, and most planters are waiting for it to moderate.

doing nothing, all of them has failed. The Gen. Walker. Private dispatches, howshad gillers are the only fishermen paying expenses.

Court .- The April term of Kent co. Court adjourned on Tuesday, after a session of seven days. The case of Alfred Reed, charged with the murder of Geo. Vansant, was again removed to Cecil .-John White, charged with horse stealing the Empire city yesterday. was discharged, the witnesses, in Pennsylvania, failing to appear against him.

La A letter dated New York, April 29, says:

riage with the deceased was postponed mount Chief Panda. On the 2d Decemindefinitely, to be called up at any time her the latter was defeated with immense after the trial.

tains the following items of expense for in his way. He, however, kept clear of lav. the year 1857 for the Criminal Court, the vicinity of Panda, who, by the latest jail, pelice, and lighting the city. Inci- intelligence was raising an army in defiand refitting up station houses, \$3500; number of persons slaughtered by the paying night watch, prior to the new po- victors must have been upwards of 30,000. lice system, for 1857. \$26,604; pay of Umbulazi was put to death with the ut- the warden will be laid before them .police, 1857, \$184,324; expenses of po- most barbarity, having been skinned a- Sun. liee and night watch, \$8,000; bills due live. The most careful calculations (says gas light company, 17,183,37; gas for the Notal Mercury of Jan. 1.) formed by jail. \$500; amount due on account of the cluding of course the women and children, late Criminal Court, \$520; amount due who form a large portion of the whole .on account of the Criminal Court, \$6,368; And this fact—the massacre of helpless expenses of the CriminalCourt, \$33 512; and unoffending women and childrenamount due on account of Baltimore co. shows in frightful colors the demoniacal Circuit Court, \$2,300; building new jail characters of this revolting and horrible \$14,000; expenses of Court House, fuel. | butchery. cases, \$5,000. Total \$896,083.87 .sum has to be paid out of the levy this year, and shows what the community pay in taxes to preserve order, and detect and punish criminals .- Balt. Patriot.

AFFAIRS IN KANSAS .- Address of Sec- citizens upon the Isthmus: resary Stanton .- The telegraph, some days ago, furnished a brief abstract of the ma and Aspinwall two independent muniaddress to the people of Kansas published of self-government, extending over the Conference and have addressed a letter and powerful engines,—to the lover of abounds in Fish and Terrapin. There are two fisheries, and a good granary upon by Mr. Stanton, the new Secretary of the territory ten miles wide on each side Territory. Speaking of the coming elec- the rail road-perfect freedom of the trantion for delegates to form a State consti- sit route-its neutrality and liberty guartution, he says:

I need scarcely say that all the power join in the guaranty. of the territorial executive will be exerted | Second. To cede to the United States with entire impartiality to prevent fraud, the full sovereignty of two small groups to suppress violence and to secure to eve- of islands in the bay Panama for a naval ry citizen a fair opportunity for the safe station, and all rights and privileges reand peaceful exercise of the election privi- served in the railroad contract, for ample lege; and it will be no less the duty than considerations. the earnest desire and great pleasure of Third. To pay for the damages occathe Governor or acting Governor of the sioned by the outbreak of the 15th of A-Territory to carry out, in good faith, the pril. policy avowed by the President of the U- Fourth. The sum to be paid by the Uni- lican. nited States in his recent inaugural ad- ted States. dress, in which he declares it to be "the imperative and indispensible duty of the rejects, and claims one hundred and fift government of the United States to secure thousand dollars from the United States to every resident inhabitant the free and for damages done at Panama to New independent expression of his opinion by Granadian citizens by Americans on the his vote. This sacred right to each indi- 15th of April, and that the United States vidual must be preserved," and "that owes reparation to New granada for the being accomplished, nothing can be fairer rude protest of Col. Ward, dated April, than to leave the people of the Territory 21st, and for the disrespectful letter of free from all foreign influence, to decide Commodore Mervine and captain Aailey their own destiny for themselves, subject | the notes of Louis Pombo and Gonzale only to the Constitution of the United are long, and full of false assertions and

the people in the declared intentions of been proposed to raise a loan of five hunthe territorial executive, and deptores the dred thousand dollars in case New Granevents that have marked the previous his- ada should be invaded by the United tory of the new territory. In order that States. he succeeded by peace and harmony, he relations with New Granada is creating recommends that a general amnesty be great excitement. Immediate war wit granted to all those in anywise involved the United States is apprehended. The in the previous difficulties. Such a mea- property holders of Panama had begun tion and peace, leaving the people free during the scenee which may yet transfrom apprehension in the future; so they pire before the settlement of the difficulty. can securely devote themselves to those For some weeks they have openty declared important labors which are destined to that no negotiations could settle the mas- ally killed, and vegetation very backward make the territory a great, prosperous and ter-that there certainly would be a ruphappy state.

Trial of McKim.

Hollidaysburg, Apr. 27 .- The court of Blair county met this morning, at this place, and organized. To-morrow morn | minister's salary, the Knoxville Whig ery, a Democratic member of Congress | before the 15th day of May next, as they will, ing the case of Stringer McKim, the al- suggests that all the members of his con- elect from this district, died at two o'clock after that date be compelled, in order to close leged murderer of Norcross, at Altoona. gregation hand over what they now pay this morning. Mr. Montgomery is a vic- law. will come up for trial.

LATER FROM CALIFORNIA.

New Onlerns, April 27 .- The steamer Empire City, with California dates to the 6th instant, is in the river, coming

ne steamer Illinois left Aspinwall fo

mocratic party.

The Pacific Express Company has fail-Business at California was dull, but Chinese products were advancing in price.

The Empire City has on board one hundred men belonging to Lockridge's Company, and seventy others, including Generals Wheat and Hornsby, are on board the Illinois, bound to New York. The rest remain at Aspinwall

The retreat of Lockridge is confirmed. CORN PLANTING. -But little has been The Costa Ricans have taken possession of Punta Arenas, and have also captured the steamer Rescue, with a large amount of ammunition and six pieces of artilery. Lockridge's men were taken to Aspin-

wall by the British vessels at San Juan. The steamer J. L. Stephens, at Aspin-Fish - The Fisheries in our county, are | wall, brought no further intelligence from ever, received at Aspinwall, represent his position at Rivas as being impregnable. He also has plenty of provisions, and will probably be able to hold out for months.

The transit is open to the Pacific. Private despatches received at Aspinwall also confirm the reported battle the last steamer, and state that another attack was expected on the 20th inst.

General Walker's brother died on board

CAFFRES. -One of the London papers con- avenue, near the looms where the extra tains an account of a terrible slaughter gates were kept and lighted, but it went among the Caffres, in which no less than out. On the following day Bowen b thirty thousand human beings perished. came frightened and fearing that Banks The trial of Eckel and Mrs. Cunning- It is stated that disturbances of a most would expose him insisted that he should ham for the murder of Dr. Burdell is to sanguinary character recently took place set fire to it the next time As prepare and yesterday, in view of the fact, the were caused by a contest between Ketchhearing as to Mrs. Cunningham's mar- wya and Umbulazi, two sons of the paralad of nineteen, after the battle divided

States upon New Granada, in view of the and two Aldermen. late difficulties and murder of American

First. To constitute the cities of Panaanteed-the sovereignty not to be changed, and other nations to be invited

All these demands Granada absolutely

incorrect deductions. He earnestly invokes the confidence of In the House of Representatives it had

sill heart-burnings and ill-feelings engen- A letter from Aspinwall, dated the ered by the past may be obliterated, and 20th, says: "The alarming aspect of our sure, he thinks, would be one of concilia- already to calculate the chances of loss ture, and the result would be the temporary posting of United States troops on

> Among other ways of increasing the ville, April 24. Hon. Jno. G. Montgomfor liquor, cigars and tobacco.

the Isthmus."

the officers, that he had heard the man few moments after. who worked next to him say on the day

part of the loom to mend his web, when in some unaccountable manner a broken he asked Boon to get him some shavings. point penetrated to the bone. The wound A about 21 years old this Spring, not mark-The party accused (Bowen) was called became inflamed, amputation was thus e , come to the subscriber's, near Millington, and charged with the offence, which he made necessary. We have the story from on or about the last of Mar, 1856. The owner persistently denied, and when confronted a young lady who is a friend of the now or owners are here by notified to come forward, with Boon still denied any knowledge of crippled-for-life victim of fashion, and may 2, '57 WM. S. SMITH. it. Another negro, named David Banks, can vouch for its authenticity .- Winstead whom Bower stated wished the shavings Herald for which he previously asked Boon, was then called in, and suspecting that Bowen had made some disclosures, said he Richmond, April 28 .- A fire at Oxford would make a clean breast of it and tell N. C., destroyed an entire block. Mesthe whole truth; that Bowen and himself srs. Hernden, Mitchell and Lynch are the were both guilty. He stated that they heaviest losers, their loss amounting to offered in this market. The great saving of lahad thought of setting fire to the building \$30,000. for some weeks, and had been several A fire at Montgomery, Alabama, on present. Four hands and two horses can thresh days making the preparations before they Sunday, burnt Carter's livery stables with bushels of wheat in a day—we have done it. accomplish their design. They procured thirty horses, including most of those be- I have been working one for two years and nea strip of coarse cotten goods about four longing to Orten's circus. The loss is ver expect to use any other kind. and a half feet long to which was attach- about \$30,000. ed several pieces of yellow cotton waste: This was prepared with brimstone, procured from the broom shop, with splin- New York, April 28 .- The Herald of ters of yellow pine wood, and then care- to-day says that an expedition is being fully folded to a length of about one foot fitted out here against Mexico by the and closely wrapped with twine. This friends of Santa Anna. A vessel has was prepared by Bowen at night in his been chartered and arms, ammunition and cell. On Tuesday afternoon previous to men are being procured. A DREADFUL SLAUGHTER AMONG THE the fire the package was placed on the

come off on Monday next, without fail, among the Zulus. These disturbances the torch would burn without emitting der to test its constitutionality any smoke or smell, and it was not expected that the building would take fire until a late hour at night. They exculpate all the other convicts from any participation slaughter. The victorious Ketchwya, a in the destruction of the building. The Spencer died in this city this morning. matter will be laid before the grand jury Expenses of the Criminal Court, Po- his army into three sections, and with at the May term and the parties brought lice, Jail, &c. - The general appropria- these scoured the country in all directions to trial. A number of the convicts are Association numbers over 5000 persons, tion bill, which passed the First Branch putting to death not only his enemies but now employed in clearing away the rains and has a cash fund of \$300,000; which,

On Monday night last the board of di- ly passed by the legislature. rectors adopted a resolution to appoint a eidentals, police office, \$500; repairing ance of his throne. It is said that the committee of three to investigate the cause of the fire, and they will meet to-day for that purpose. All the facts gathered by 000 to the American Colonization Soci- prong of the Choptank river. The Farm

A JURY IN THE BURDELL CASE. -The society is organized. year 1857, \$38,500; oil for lamps for persons intimately acquainted with the New York papers state that the drawing 1857, \$12,000; additional lamps, pillars Zulu country, and with current events, of a panel of Jurors for the next session &c., \$6.000; fitting up the marshalls of- represent the total loss of human life at of Over and Terminer, before which the fice, \$136.50; preparing plan for new not less than one hundred thousand, in- Burdell murder case is to be tried, was commenced on Saturday week last at the office of the county clerk, and terminated on Monday. A panel has been drawn of nary panels for this. Court are 40 men Philadelphia, &c., &c.—From Chester the farm, also a good ORCHARD of well 500 men from 4,000 names. The ordifrom 200 names. The object of drawing Town to Betterton 12 miles; a pleasant to the water and facility of getting to maramount due for removed criminal cases, \$8,000; expenses for removed criminal cases and driver. Fare 75 cts. the premises, a large and the Burdell case who have not also many in the present instance is to meet ride through a pleasant country, with a ket, is of great value. There are upon and New Grannda-War Apprehen- ready formed an opinion as to the guilt From Betterton (a wild place, picturesque comfortable Frame of the parties charged with the alleged -the Chesapeake washing its feet,) to Quarter, Dairy, Laundary, murder In compliance with the usual Havre De Grace 12 to 14 miles, by Stea- Barn, Corn crib, stabling, and also Car-NEW YORK, April 29-P. M.-The stature the drawing took place in the prefollowing are the demands of the United sence of the Sheriff, the County Clerk

> ninsular News states that the Congregation at Lewes, Del., have refused to re- mer to Perryville; (beautifully working bounded upon one side by the creek, which to that effect to Bishop Scott. At Berlin machinery a treat. Refreshments on the Check they refused to allow their appointee to board, Coffee, etc., economical or luxugo into the parsonage and he returned to rious-just as you please.) From Perry the county road, being three quarters of examine for themselves. his former home. At Canterbury it is ville to Philad'a by Cars. A combina- a mile from the rail road. Is convenient next Sunday, on account of some dissatisfaction in relation to arranging the prea- See advertisement chers appointments. Piety the grand requisite of a true minister, is no longer in demand. The people desire handsome, dashing, flowery gallants as ministers .--The Rev. Mr. Kalloch would suit them-We advise some of our disatisfied congregations to give him a call .- Del. Repub- Flour-extra,

A HOAX .- Boston, April 27 .- A few Bye. days since the Rev. Mr. Kallocn, of this Clover Seed, -prime, city, received a letter enclosing a check for \$2,000, purporting to be signed by Dr. David Jayne, of Philadelphia, which was represented as intended for a present to the reverend gentleman. The check turns out to be a forgery, and was evidently intended for a hoax.

New York, Apr. 27 .- The check mentioned in the above dispatch was cashed by a gentleman in this city before it was known to be a forgery.

We understand that at the fisher. ies on the Potomic river very little is be- ly of Kent co. Md. done. Seine-haulers are scarcely meeting expenses.

On the Susquehanna, also, but very THERE WIEL BE DIVINE SERVICE at the little is being done. Fishermen say that | L Catholic Church near George Town Cross the scarcity of fish and the dullness of Roads on SUNDAY MORNING, 10 o'clk, May the season has not been equalled for ma- 3rd, 1857 ny years. Shad are now selling at \$14 per hundred .- Harford, (Md.,) Times.

Snow .- Abingdon, (Va.,) Democrat says that for the week preceding Tuesday I have just received Hussey's Improved Reap r last, snow had fallen daily in Washing- They run lighter, last longer, and can cut more ton county. The fruit trees are gener- than any other Mower used. throughout the southwest section of the State. Many cattle are dying.

THE NATIONAL HOTEL EPIDEMIC .-Death of a Member of Congress .- Bantim of the National Hotel epidemie.

The Fire at the Penitentiary .- Con- Subten Death. - John Van Lear, Esq. Jessions of the Incendiaries .- On Tues- for many years the cashier of the Washday morning the discovery of the parties ington County Bank, in Williamsport, who set fire to the penicentiary on Thurs- Md., died suddenly on Friday last, in the day night last was made by the confes- 70th year of his age He resided a short sion of the incendiaries. It appears that distance from Williamsport, and was seion the morning after the fire a negro con- zed with illness on the road, but managed vict named Boon told Mr. Schley, one of to reach his house, where he expired in a

before that he would burn the shop. He A FACT .- A young lady in Brooklyn, is a negro named John Bowen, who com- N. Y., has recently had her leg ampuplained that he was badly treated, and tated midway between the hip and knee rally rewarded. would put up with it no longer. He had in consequence of a wound caused by a Chestertown, May 2, 1857. occasion on Wednesday to go to the back broken hoop. The hoop was steal, and

Rumored Expedition Against Mexico.

The New York Liquor Law.

Albany, April 28 .- The liquor dealers held a meeting in this city last night and the following property, viz: BEDS, and adopted a resolution to disregard the new | BEDDING; HOUSEHOLD & KITCH excise jaw, and to take the first prosecu- EN FURNITURE, &c., &c. tion under it to the highest courts, in or-

Death of Hon. Joshua Spencer. Utica, N. Y.. April 25 .- Hon. J. A.

The New York Liquor Dealer's of the City Council, last evening, con- all neutral or doubtful subjects who came and the shep will be rebuilt without de- it is said, will be expended in testing the constitutionality of the license law recent-

> Esq., of Mississippi, recently gave \$25, Maryland, immediately upon a navigable ety. On Friday last, he sent a check to contains the society for \$20,000 additional, to be applied to the purposes for which that

Ex-President Tyler has consented to deliver the address at the celebration of the 250th anniversary of the settle- for the use of said Farm. The land is in ment of Jamestown.

THE BAY LINE TO HAVRE DE GRACE, mer. (Scenery fine; Spesucie Island, the riage, Meat, Ice, Cow and Poultry houses Fisheries, Elk, Sassafras, North East, and all in good repair. Also a good house for the great Susquehanna, with Port Deposit in two farms,) which makes it quite a de-TROUBLE IN THE CHURCHES.—The Pe- in the distance; an interesting excursion.) sirable situation.

> BALTIMORE MARKETS. [CARECTED FROM THE "SUN" OF THURSDAY. Wheat White-good to prime, Family

PHILADELPHIA GRAIN MARKET Philadelphia, April 29, 1857. Editor Kent News :-- Annexed we hand statement of to-day's market:

Wheat-white-\$1.05 a 1.68, . red-1.60 Yellow corn; new-74. 84a 85c., 58 a 55

Yours; &c.

DEATHS.

LEFEVRE, BLACK & Co.

On Wednesday 29th inst., at his residence in Queen Ann's county, Henry M. Evans, former-Baltimore and Philadelphia papers copy.

HUSSEY'S IMPROVED

Reaper & Mower.

R. A. STAM, Agent.

TAKE NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice to all' those who purchased property at the sale of the personal estate of the late Hiram Jones, D. & R. W. JONES. may 2, 47, Admrs Hiram Jones:

SAMUEL METTLER & SONS, Commission Merchants, For the sale of GRAIN, FLOUR, &C.

90 West Street, New York. may 2, 1857-6m\*

ASTRAYED.

A STRAYED from, the subscriber A on the 16th of April a her whereabouts thankfully received, and libe-

A STRAY red and white BULL, with horrs,

Farmers, Read!

THE undersigned having been appointed by Gilbert & Rittenhouse, as agent, to sell their Railway Horse Power & Thresher, in this county, made at Norristown, Penn., and is the strongest and cheepest machine ever bor, in using the Railway, is quite an item, at

Price of a two horse Power and Thresher, Shaker and Bands, all complete, \$150-one horse Power, all complete, \$120. Persons wanting one will let me know on month before they wish it delivered.

JOSHUA CLARK, Still Pond X Roads.

### Vendue.

THE undersigned will sell at public sale at the late residence of Mrs. Araminta Robinson, dec'd, in Chestertown, on THURSDAY, 7th May, inst.,

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A.M.,

when the terms will be made known. I. J. COLEMAN.

May 2, 1857. 1t.

# A Valuable Har man

THE undersigned offers for sale his A SPLENDED DONATION .- David Hunt | valuable Farm situate in Talbot County.

It is divided into fields and two lots, with quite a sufficiency of

TIMBER, a high state of cultivation, well adapted to the growth of wheat, corn, oats. &c. There is an abundance of marl upon

DWELLING-HOUSE,

Across the Susquehanna by huge stea- | The location is high, level, and healthy

The farm is situated imediately upon to churches of all denominations; also convenient to Mills. Schools, Stores, Blacksmith shops, and is considered one of the finest gunning farms in the county for wild ducks, water-rail, and other wild game, and in season is resorted too by \$1.60 a 1.65 gentlemen from all sections of country .-1.47 a 1.49 The title to said farm is indisputable.

For further particulars address, PERRY G. STEVENS. Near Hillsboro' Caroline Co., Md. May 2, 1857.—1t.

Bel. Republican & Smyrna Times \$7.00 a 7.25 copy 1t. and send bill to advertise.

THE subscriber will offer at Public Sale, at Chesteatown, on

TUESDAY,

THE 23rd DAY OF JUNE, NEXT

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situated in Kent county, Maryland, about two miles from George Town X Roads. CULBRETH FARM.

It lies on the main road leading to Chestertown, and runs to the Sassafrsa River. on which it has a good landing. Fish, Wild Geese, Ducks, and all kinds of game on the premises. It is divided into five fields (two of which are in clover)

of Fine Natural Soil, and has been improved by Ten Thousand Bushels of Lime. It has a very large growth of Young Chesnut, CEDAR

more than ample for the farm. The surplus will more than pay for all the Lime and Guano required for it. It has on it good, NEW and sufficient out-buildings. and a comfortable

AND LOCUST. .

TWO-STORY

It is adapted to the growth of Grass and Clover, in a pleasant neighborhood, close to Mill, Church, and Post Office, and containing

Of which about 353 are cleared.

The Terms of Sale. One-fourth cash, and the residue in equal instalments of one two and four years .-Interest on the whole purchase money unpaid from January 1, 1858, at which time possession will be given, and interest to

be paid annually from said date. The Bond of the purchaser, with security, to be approved by the undersigned. to be given for the credit portion of the

purchase-money. Sale to take place at 11 o'clock, A. M. Mr. Hollis, who resides on the premises, will show them to any one desirous of purchasing.

Further particulars made known on application to either of the undersigned. THOMAS O. CULBRETH, CRAWFORD CULBRETH.

Address T O. Culbreth, 162 Market St., below Fifth, Philadelphia, or, C. Culbreth Dover, Del. May 2, 1857.—tds.

FARMERS & TRADERS,

ATTENTION. WE would respectfully call the attention of Farmers and Traders to our improved Mix Horse Power,

which are unrivalled for strength and working light. Also our improved combined Threshing and Cleaning Machines,

we are manufacturing and have for sale. We have sold a number of each last year, which have given every satisfaction that cou'd be desired, and can produce numerous certificates recommending them to the public. Those wanting machines may rely upon being supplied after the 15th of May. We invite all to call and

BOWMAN & ELLIOTT. Machinists, Commerce st. Smyrna. Del. May 2, '57.

Lumber, Rails, Flooring, &c. LOT of Hemlock Rails, Yellow Pine Floor-A ing, Pales and Siding just received and now landing from the vessel. By recent arrivals from Port Deposite, we have received an assortment of all kinds of Lumber, which will be sold on reasonable terms. Come and see our stock and we know you will buy. Let's look

at your phiz anyhow.

may 2, 1857. R. A. STAM, Agent. FINE lot of Diamond-back TERRAPINS, and first rate OYSTERS for sale by WM. PERKINS.

## 1857. May 1857. NEW SUMMER GOODS! WICKES & BRO.,

Are this day opening one of the best assortment of Summer Goods, ever before brought to this market. Inviting purchasers to call and examine their STOCK, they deem it useless to

> go into any enumeration of it here-but would merely state that it is Heavier and More Varied, this season, than it has ever been hereto-

Their purchases of DRESS GOODS,

CLOTHING Have been made with unusual care, and persons in want of either would find it to their advantage to give them a call before buying.

N. B. Highest prices paid for country

May, 2. 1857. ve mont so