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GORMAN is perfecting his ticket. Hamilton is discussing his; and Whyte is said to be considering. Query—which of these has the highest claims tp be considered the people's ticket?—Cecil Democrat.

The one most maligned by politicians.

THE New York Sun talks by the book when it says: "There is no war, in fact or in feeling, between the two sections; and the common interest of North and South just now is to turn a corrupt party out of power and set up an honest and economical Government at Washington."

THE LETTER of Mr. James Hodges in another column will command general attention. Gov. Hamilton's renomination and the continuation of the reform policy of the present executive in this instance has the support of one of the leading private citizens of Maryland, who writes and talks over his own name.

THE TICKET is a very good one, but what hand did the people have in fixing it? Respectfully referred to those who have heard that the "bosses must go."—Cecil Democrat, May 26.

Having heard of the completion of but one slate thus far, it may fairly be presumed our friend alludes to that, namely, the one said to have been made at Barnum's last week. There is one fatal feature about this ticket; it leaves off Hamilton for Governor.

SUPPOSE Gov. Hamilton should die, or should refuse a renomination, whom would the DENNON JOURNAL advocate as standard-bearer then?—Easton Ledger.

For the present we respectfully refer our astute friend to Matt., 6th chapter, latter part of 34th verse, and in the meantime insist upon an answer to the JOURNAL's queries of last week, namely, "Will Gov. Hamilton fill the bill? If not, why not? And if not, who will?" These inquiries were propounded last Saturday, and did not escape our friend's eye, because he reproduces them in his last issue.

IT IS a Delaware clergyman who declares that the negro church members in his State are almost unanimously vicious. Stealing, lying, and licentiousness are their besetting sins, and the last is the most general. Most of them marry, but it is in most instances a mere form. The marriage vow is disregarded. He could not with the least decree of confidence point out a single virtuous couple. Such there may be but he would not know where to find one. He asked one of the better sort of colored men about it, and he acknowledged that he knew of only a single exception, and that was himself and his wife.

THE DISCUSSION pro and con. of the merits of Gov. Hamilton for re-nomination appears to monopolize the editorial space of a few of our contemporaries. All of which is distasteful to the general reader, and unprofitable to the Democratic party.—Kent News.

General readers of every well-established journal such as the News are composed of tax-payers, staid farmers, business men and property holders from whom taxes for State purposes are drawn. Strict attention to all the details of business, has enabled them to accumulate their property. Their accounts have been scanned at all times, and a watchful eye has told how the profits were coming or the losses going.

Such men are naturally interested in the outlay of their contributions to the support of the State government. They want the expenditures made honestly and according to law, and giving them information in their State financial affairs is one of the first duties of a public newspaper. Such statements are read with the keenest relish by the tax-payers.

The News can give no more generally entertaining reading matter than that which tells about the career of retrenchment and reform inaugurated by Governor Hamilton, and which the people want continued.

Local Interests in Politics.

The Rockville Advocate forcibly draws attention from the engrossing discussion of State politics by the Maryland press to the neglected local interests in the counties. Herein we believe is the cause of much of the unsettled and disturbed condition of our State politics. The counties do not attend to the primary details that are alone the guarantee of right doing in offices which are filled and in a large measure afterward conducted by the aid of the representatives of the counties themselves. "While it is important to name upon the State ticket men whose characters will be an earnest of the party's sincerity," says the Advocate, "it should not be forgotten that to suggest and recommend is all that a Governor can do in the first instance, and that the practical must be taken in the Legislature. Men of liberal minds, who have given some thought and study to public questions are needed for this work, and it is not too soon for the people to be looking about them for suitable candidates. No doubt, long before the primaries, there will be an abundance of material (so far as quantity is concerned) in the field; but the importunate office seekers are not always, or even in a majority of cases, the most competent officials. Legislation has to deal with such complex and antagonistic interests, and so many discontents to allay, that very few of any legislative body really grasp in all its details any imporiant questions; and the temptations and pitfalls are so numerous, that the voters of the party at the primary elections should weigh carefully the qualifications of all aspirants to the General Assembly. The next session of the Maryland Legislature will be in many respects an important one. Besides matters of practical legislation, it will have to elect a U. S. Senator, and all citizens are interested in securing as Senator Groome's successor one in whose hands the honor and prestige of the State will suffer no detriment.

Another most important consideration is the selection of a board of county commissioners. This body has charge of our local expenditures and the whole business of the county, and requires in its members men of large business experience and foresight.

The same business capacity which should characterize the commissioners is required in the judges of the Orphans' court. This tribunal has before it knotty questions, and the settlement of estates often requires so much discrimination and judgment that no man should consider this office beneath his acceptance. In dignity and importance it is second to none.

Indeed, every office is so far important that only the best talent available should be employed in discharging its duties. That party will best perform its duty to itself and its principles which employs the highest capacity in doing its public work, and by always regarding as the paramount consideration the welfare of the State and county. It therefore becomes the duty of the individual members of the party to act less from favoritism than from firm conviction of the ability of candidates to fill the positions they seek.

"Who Will Bell the Cat?"

Upon one occasion — so runs the fable—the community of mice were in a state of trepidation in consequence of the frequent assaults of their ancient enemy, the cat, whose vigilance and activity were about to prove fatal to them. Thereupon a conference of leaders was had at which it was determined that the safety of their community required that a bell should be hung about the neck of the cat in order by its tinkling to give warning of the enemy's approach and thus afford them ample time to escape. Capital as the suggestion appeared their perplexity was nevertheless greater than before in consequence of the inquiry started by one of their number. "But who," said he, "will bell the cat?" Considering the above little fable somewhat applicable to the present condition of politics in Maryland we shall seek for the golden point of every fable—the moral thereof.

In the first place, however, let us premise, that at present we find figuring in our State politics a Great Reform Cat! Next, that there are a considable number who appear to be "mightily afraid" of the Cat, and who therefore may be supposed to fill the role of mice! That these should find it desirable to frustrate the movements of their enemy and enjoy their savory titbits of the public cheese without fear of molestation we think under the circumstances quite natural. But the possibility of such quiet enjoyment of their plunder is each year becoming "beautifully less;" for the aforesaid Reform Cat keeps them in constant terror. Many a sleek and well-fed mouse, like Othello, has found his "occupation gone!" Banqueting and bargaining at Barnum's are played out. And now, alas, as well not be a mouse, as, being one, to have no cheese!

"But who will bell the cat?"—that is the question. Who, verily, in all this commonwealth can do it? Not a sly movement in the remotest nook or corner but is watched with the vigilant eye which guards the hard earnings of the people. These mice will filch scant plunder from the public crib while the eye of its protector is upon them. And he means to mind the duty entrusted to his keeping unceasingly. At this the mice become incensed. Hunger has made them ravenous. The bell! The bell! We are many and he but one; surely some one can be found to bell the cat, but who shall it be?

There is a considerable faction, fragments of the old ring and not a few who would willingly become adjuncts to a new one, who would gladly avail themselves of every opportunity to bring the people's cause—the great reform movement in Maryland—into disfavor and disrepute and thus ensure its abrupt and final termination. The matter is soon to be adjudged by the popular vote. Do the people of Maryland desire to reinstate the old dynasty of ring rule—be it republican or democratic? Do they want the manipulations of a few partizans to control and corrupt the politics of the State, bartering offices like merchandise, such as was done at Barnum's Hotel last Wednesday, dishonoring the ballot-box, defrauding the people, and bringing disgrace and ruin upon the State? If so, turn down the great reform movements, stultify its leaders, brand them as traitors and public enemies, and place the old party hacks in power again, or new ones, their friends and favorites. We must do the one thing or the other. We must be for reform or we must be against it; and, being for it, how can we be against its leaders? Is this a matter of mere leadership? No; unquestionably not! Provided the real object be honestly and persistently kept in view and followed even to the attainment and successful accomplishment, the matter of leadership is a secondary consideration.

But again, when we reflect that so much depends upon that leadership, let us pause ere we rashly change it. If we can do better, then by all that is sacred, tell us how and we will join you in doing it. But take not our truth away and feed us upon falsehood. Who are dissatisfied with the present management? Some honest men who personally dislike the present executive, and some others who are not so honest. But personal dislikes should be forgotten and buried if the party good requires it. If you are a democrat, do nothing to hand over the State at our next election to the republicans. If you hate Hamilton more than you do the memory of the tyranny, injustice, fraud and reckless extravagance of those evil days of rampant republicanism which accompanied and immediately succeeded the late war, then go poll your vote along with the republican party. Be honest and show your hand, for you are no democrat.

But finding our Great Reform Cat too vigilant for them to "bell" the enemies of reform of all shades of opposition will do well to cease their efforts in that direction and submit to the manifest destiny before them. Otherwise republicanism will not only "bell" the cat, but at the next election will likewise "bell" our entire party. The inquiry will then be answered, but will the answer be satisfactory?

Why the Change?

From the Crisfield Leader, Ind.

In the past ten days a decided change has taken place; several democratic papers now boldly claim that Hamilton is the man the people want—the man the tax-payers want, and that it will not do to antagonize them. The reason for the change, viz: the tax-payers want him, is a good one, and if the ring organs who are charging their party-brethren with inconsistency because they have come out on the side of the taxpayers, and who are insinuating that they will "bolt" if Hamilton is renominated, will only cast self behind them they will discover a strong sentiment in their own bailiwick in favor of Hamilton. We believe that the Democratic journals now advocating the renomination of Governor Hamilton, are actuated by the purest and best motives, but regret to say that we cannot speak thus of those who are opposing. The ring organs know that if Hamilton is successful there is no probability of a return to the old system of publishing the State laws. The Greensboro' Free Press, democratic, is very much opposed to Hamilton's renomination, and in taking the DENTON JOURNAL to task for espousing the Hamilton cause, clearly intimates that the ring organs would refuse to support Hamilton if nominated and that an independent democratic candidate for Governor would be placed in the field and endorsed by them. While the ring is pleading for harmony and holding the olive-branch in one hand, it holds the flail in the other, indicating that it wants peace if a ringite is the nominee, but if Hamilton is renominated then look out for war. This is the exact meaning of the Free Press' language, and it is capable of no other construction. Now, the large body of intelligent men who favor the renomination of Governor Hamilton cannot be intimidated by threats of a "bolt;" neither can Hamilton be scared off the track by such means, and it seems a little short-sighted on the part of the mouth-piece of the ring to threaten, in advance of the primaries to "bolt" if Hamilton secures a renomination, because the Hamilton men can treat the ringites to a dose of the same medicine should he fail to secure a renomination. The day is gone when politicians can crack the party-whip and compel members of the party to close up the ranks in support of the candidates selected by them. We are glad that such is the case. Voters are becoming more independent every day, and they vote for men whom they think are best fitted for the places to be filled. Of course there are a great many voters who will sustain party, but the wise leader will now urge the nomination of men who will receive the support of this independent class, and not men who will simply favor this or that man for high honors.

The campaign this year will be one of the liveliest ever known in the history of the State, and as ever before the Leader will be found battling for the people in oppositson to "bossism."

Things Which We all Do Know.

From the Hagerstown Mail.

In considering all the premises in respect to the coming election, we give it as our opinion that the tax-payers are to settle the results. It is they who want reformation and amendments wherever required, who want economy and good government, good legislation and good administration. One thing is evident to them, that just before Governor Hamilton came into office the Treasury of the State was bankrupt and the State in order to carry on the common affairs was obliged to borrow $625,000, of that $500,000 was in the shape of a loan to run fifteen years, called the Treasury Relief Loan, and for which we are now taxed 1½ cents on the $100. When he retires from the office in January next, there will be a milllion or more than a million surplus in the Treasury, including that invested in the sinking fund securities made during his administration, That the oyster system, which had been a drain on the Treasury for years, will be more than self-sustaing, and so with the tobacco warehouses; that the unseemly legislative excesses are somewhat corrected; that some abuses are abolished and some few offices done away with; that we had a fair registration of the voters of the State and that fair elections are absolutely secured in Baltimore, and as far as the representative and moving public sentiment can do it, also in the counties; —in fact, during his administration there is a manifest progressive improvement in almost everything. It may be said that he did not do it all. This is true, but he was persistent to have it all done, and much more; and as against all kinds opposition he persevered in pressing all reformatory and economic measures. When the Legislature of 1880 refused to do this he made an issue before the people. His letter to Gen. Gill and others and his speech at the Maryland Institute covered every measure of reform, of economy, and of general and of financial administration. His messages and official papers, before and after, were earnestly intent upon all these great purposes. So that it can, we think, in truth be said that what we have we got mainly through his instrumentality. Had he been quiet and submissive; had he coalessed with "rings" and leaders — submitted to their dictation or been caught up by their brandishments, devices and artifices—he would have had ease and comfort in office. Instead of the fierce hostility of the "Set" and of a large portion of the press, he might had their smiles and it might be their services for further promotion. But taking the office with the determination to carry out what was promised and what was expected by the masses of the party to be done, he did not hesitate as between duty and hostility, and as between right and favor; and as it was in the beginning, so it is with him to-day. In respect to to fair registration and fair elections in the city, it was all with the Governor. He had the appointment of of the registers and also the appointment of the supervisors who made the judges of election.

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All the people know these things, for they were not done in a corner, and knowing them, we believe that in a contest before the people the Governor would wield a power that could not fail.

STATE PRESS.

Calvert Journal, Dem.

We have always believed that Gov. Hamilton would be the strongest candidate that the party could nominate. No man in Maryland has done more, and under greater difficulties, to redeem the pledges of the party made to the people in 1879; to establish honest methods of government; and to secure strict economy in the affairs of the State. The people of the State fully recognize this and are not likely to forget his patriotic services in their behalf. The signs of the times point to him as the choice of the people through their delegates in convention assembled, and should he be nominated, we predict for him a larger majority in the State than he received in 1879.

Hagerstown Mail, Dem.

The press is Democratic in profession, and we think with far the greater portion of it, it must be so in practice, and being so, it could not seriously dissent from the Governor. There is one public measure—that of the publication of the laws—which did more, probably, to alienate some of the press from the Governor than any other cause. But we do think, that could the press consider the subject from an impersonal standpoint, there could be no rational cause of difference even here.

Centreville Record, Dem.

All members of the party seem to be contented and happy except the office-seekers and those who wish to exercise exclusive control. The latter class may not desire office just now, yet they want to name those who shall hold them. There is one way to break this nefarious system up, and that is for the masses of the party to attend the primaries irrespective of factions and vote for good men and not those the "Bosses" want.

Greensboro Free Press.

A few papers are urging the renomination of Gov. Hamilton; the Centreville Record has for some time favored Wm. McKenny and Tuesday the Caroline Democrat joined in the cry for McKenney. Of the nine names that have been considered in one way or another in this connection it appears to us that at present Hon. Robert McLane, of Baltimore city, stands forth as the coming man.

Annapolis Gazette, Rep.

There is a good deal of talk about Hon. Hart B. Holton for Governor. He is young, able, energetic and a thorough-going Republican; and he has the prestige of a splendid victory over his Democratic competitor last fall. If he goes into the contest there will be a rattling among the dry bones.

Rockville Montgomerian, Dem.

Gorman knows that in case the Democratic Convention renominates Gov. Hamilton, that it will probably nominate a Comptroller in sympathy with the Governor, and that he will thus be able to control the election of the board of directors, and the president of the canal, and turn out its present board of managers with very few exceptions.

Leonardtown Beacon, Dem.

Factional or improper nominations will place the party making them at seriods disadvantage. The demand in both parties appears to be for new men to the front and new methods of handling parties.

Annapolis Advertiser, Dem.

The general theory that the Democratic party of Maryland must have a "boss" is utterly fallacious, subversive of independent thought and should not be entertained.

Marlborough Gazette, Dem.

In our State there is no fear of danger if personal ambition is laid aside, and we trust there is sufficient patriotism among leaders to recognize the demand and satisfy it.

Westminster Advocate, Dem.

Pledged delegates, or delegates owned by any one, are not the kind to consult for the best interests of the party.

SOME of the leading politicians of Maryland appear to think the State government is a benevolent institution organized and run for their comfort and advantage. They act and talk as though the public offices belong to them and not to the people.

Strength to vigorously push a business, strength to study a profession, strength to regulate a household and strength to do a day's labor without physical pain. Do you desire strength? If you are broken down, have no energy, feel as if life was hardly worth living, you can be relieved and restored to robust health and strength by taking Brown's Iron Bitters, a sure cure for dyspepsia, malaria, weakness and all diseases requiring a true, reliable, non-alcoholic tonic. It acts on the blood, nerves and muscles and regulates every part of the system.

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SEALED PROPOSALS will be received until June 12th for building a school house at Denton, to be built as follows:

Size of main building 30x50 ft.—back building 24x24 ft.—Vestibule 8x24 ft.—Height 14 ft.

The frame to be thoroughly seasoned heart pine or hemlock.

Siding to be No. 1 ⅞ white pine, clear of knots.

Flooring, No. 1 Georgia pine, ⅞ inches thick.

Shingles, No. 1 heart rived cypress.

House painted outside with two good coats of oil and lead.

Underpinned flush and pillars under the girders; height of brick work 2 ft. 8 in. Also three chimneys.

Belfry on vestibule.

For detailed specification, call at the office of the School Board. The Board reserves the right of rejecting any bids.

6-2tf JAMES SWANN, Sec'y.

IOH Grand Excursion

DENTON TO CAMBRIDGE AND OXFORD.

CHOPTANK Conclave No. 28, I. O. H., have chartered the steamer Enoch Pratt and will give an excursian to Cambridge and Oxford on

Saturday, June 16, '83,

leaving Denton wharf at 10 o'clock A. M. Returning, steamer will leave Oxford at 6:30 P. M., giving excursionists from two to three hours at that place.

Brass band in attendance. Refreshments served on board. Bar closed.

TICKETS, 50 CENTS.
Children half price.

WM. W. LOWE,
Chairman Com. of Arrangements.

CHESTER RIVER STEAMBOAT COMPANY

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On and after Monday June 4, 1883, the Str. FORD will leave Chestertown at 7 a m daily except Sunday for Baltimore, stopping at Rolphs, Booker, Quaker Neck, Greys, Queenstown, and Kent Island. Returning will leave Baltimore every day, Sundays excepted, at 2.30 p. m. for above named landings.

On and after the same date, April 9, 1883, the Steamer CORSICA will leave Chestertown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12 o'clock midnight for Centreville, via Corsica Creek, thence to Crumpton, stopping at the intermediate landings. Returning will leave Crumpton every Tuesday and Thursday at 3 o'clock P. M., Chestertown at 6 o'clock P. M., stopping at Rolphs, Bookers and Quaker Neck, and will leave Centreville (Corsica Creek) at 8 o'clock P. M. for Baltimore. On Saturdao will leave Crumpton at 12 M., Chestertown at 3 P. M., and Centreville at 5 P. M., arriving in Baltimore before midnight.

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Freights to Denton are stored in our ample warerooms and safely kept until called for.

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Ample storeroom is provided in a building set apart for shelter of phosphate, and it will be kept dry until sufficient time for its removal.

Persons wanting purchases made in Baltimore can leave their orders at any time with me, which will be cheerfully attended to.

Thanking the patrons of the Steamboat Co. for past favors, I am now better than ever prepared to serve them. M. FINN, Agent.

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We especially invite your attention to our stock of ready-made clothing, boots and shoes, hats of different kinds and as low as 8 cents. we have enlarged our store room by fitting up an extra room in the rear where a large amount of goods are kept from public view. We have been compelled to do this because of our increasing trade and for lack of room, but if you do not see what you want ask for it. Our stock is large and complete. we will do our best to give satisfaction to our customers.

GIVE US A CALL AND TRY US.

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Has been so frequently and satisfactorily proven that it seems almost superfluous to say anything more in their favor. The immense and constantly increasing demand for them, both in this and foreign countries, is the best evidence of their value. Their sale to-day in the United States is far greater than any other cathartic medicine. This demand is not spasmodic, it is regular and steady. It is not of to-day or yesterday, it is an increase that has been steadily growing for the last thirty-five years. What are the reasons for this great and growing demand?

Dr. Schenck's Mandrake Pills contain no mercury, and yet they act with wonderful effect upon the liver. They cleanse the stomach and bowels of all irritating matter, which, if allowed to remain, poisons the blood, and brings on Malaria, Chills and Fever, and many other diseases. They give health and strength to the digestive organs. They create appetite and give vigor to the whole system. They are in fact the medicine of all others which should be taken in times like the present, when malarial and other epidemics are raging, as they prepare the system to resist attacks of disease of every character.

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Dr. Schenck's Book on Consumption, Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia, in English or German, is sent free to all. Address Dr. J. H. SCHENCK & SON, Philadelphia, Pa.

Public Sale

OF A VALUABLE

Tuckahoe Neck Farm.

By virtue of competent authority I will offer at public sale in front of the Court House door in the town of Denton, on

Tuesday, June 19, 1883,

between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock, P. M. of that day, all that farm in Tuchahoe Neck of which James Roe died seized and possessed, containing

105 Acres More or Less.

Eighty acres of this land is cleared and one the finest grain-growing tracts in the county. The remaining 25 acres in well set in wood and timber, much of which is valuable white oak. The buildings consist of an ordinary single-story

Dwelling House

and the necessary outbuilding. There is a small peach orchard which affords enough of that fruit for the use of the farm; also, an excellent

Apple Orchard

of 50 trees in full bearing.

This tract of land has a red clay subsoil, well improved, and is very profitable in the growth of all crops common to this section. The location is exceptionally good, being but a few hundred yards from a school and about 1½ miles from Denton.

The county and State taxes upon the property will be paid by the undersigned up to January the 1st, 1884, and all rents and profits of the farm will be reserved up to that date, when possession will be given the purchaser, who will have the privilege to sow a wheat crop the approaching fall.

TERMS OF SALE.

One-third of the purchase money must be paid on the day of sale; the residue in two equal instalments of 12 and 18 months, to be secured by negotiable notes of purchasers, bearing interest from January 1st, 1884, and with security thereto to be approved by the undersigned.

Title papers at purchaser's expense.

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ORDER PUBLICATION.

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County in Equity.

Sarah A. Culbreth
vs.
Henry C. Culbreth, Thomas B. Culbreth, Isaac W. Mitchell, Edward B. Mitchell, John Daily, Margaret Breeding, Frank Breeding, Eugene Breeding, Anniton Breeding William Breeding and Kate Breeding.

The object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of about five hundred acres of land situate in the first election district of Caroline county, in the State of Maryland, known as Poplar Neck, being the same land upon which Henry C. Culbreth and others now reside, and which was devised to the said Henry C. Culbreth by his father Samuel Culbreth; portions of said land having since been conveyed to Isaac W. Mitchell, Edward B. Mitchell, John Daily and William H. Breeding, for the payment our of the proceeds of said sale arrears of annuity due to Sarah A. Culbreth, and for the investment of the balance of said proceeds for the purpose of securing to the said Sarah A. Culbreth the payment of the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars yearly. The amended bill states that Samuel Culbreath devised said land to Henry C. Culbreth and his heirs, said Henry C. Culbreth and his heirs however to pay to Sarah A. Culbreth the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars yearly, to be collected out of profits thereof so long as she may live; that at the death of the said Samuel Culbreth that the said Henry C. Culbreth entered upon said land; that he and said assignees have since occupied said land, and that the profits of said land have been annually the full sum of one hundred and fifty dollars or more, after complying with all the other requirements of said bill and have been received by the said Henry C. Culbreth and his said assignees; that arrearages of said annuity, amounting to two thousand dollars are due the said Sarah A. Culbreth;

That William H. Breeding is dead; that his heirs at law, Margaret Breeding, Frank Breeding, Eugene Breeding, Anniton Breeding, William Breeding and Kate Breeding, have been made parties defendants to said amended bill; that Margaret Breeding and Frank Breeding reside out of the State of Maryland, and that against Edward B. Mitchell, one of the respondents, two successive subpenas have been returned non est.

It is thereupon ordered by the Court that the complainants by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Caroline county once a week for four successive weeks before the thirtieth day of June next, giving notice to said absent defendants and the said Edward B. Mitchell of the object and substance of said amended bill, and warn them to appear in this Court in person or by solicitor on or before the twenty-eighth day of September next to answer the premises and show cause if any they have why a decree ought not to pass as prayed.

LUTHER H. GADD, Clerk.

True copy, Test—
LUTHER H. GADD, Clerk.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber, of Caroline county, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Caroline county, Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of

MATTHEW PATTON,

late of Caroline county, deceased.—All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 14th day of November next (1883), or they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

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