

CORNS! CORNS!

Always willing to give any information conducive to the melioration of my fellow-sufferers, I humbly tender the following receipt for eradicating the most inveterate Corns:

Take a little unwrought cotton, lay it on the part affected; wear it for a week or two, and you will find in an unaccountable manner the corn will be dislodged, and nothing left to console the proprietor but the cob.

I had been hugely afflicted for a considerable time, with a concomitant of this kind, and finally was obliged to wear an old shoe, put down at the heel, to my great mortification and peril at this inclement season; was advised to the above stated remedy, and am very happy to find, after wearing the cotton for ten days, the corn was completely gone, and pleased myself with the consolatory idea of to-morrow putting on my "Bennet's royal best" and "Bedford's up to the knees."

JACOBUS.

Private information from Cadix states that a squadron was fitting out there to act in concert with the French. There was a vague report that an army was to be raised, placed under the command of Moreau, and sent against Gibraltar. [Dost. pap.]

A letter from Tripoli, written in November last, states, that our unfortunate countrymen, in captivity, are in good health and spirits, and are treated with more humanity than they were before the bombardments by our squadron, under the command of commodore Preble.

A letter from the city of St. Domingo, says—Flour is 30 dollars per barrel, and that no vessels will be permitted to trade in the Spanish part of the island, unless they bring a certain portion of their cargo in flour.—Phil. pap.

On Sunday last, Messrs Detreslian, Sauve and Derbigny, composing the legation from Louisiana, left this city for New-Orleans. It is with unfeigned pleasure that we embrace this occasion of attesting the assiduous attention paid by these gentlemen to the duties of their office, and the respectful attentions they received from those who had the pleasure of their acquaintance; attentions richly merited by the respectability of their characters and conduct. Though the prayer of the remonstrance they urged, has not, in all respects, been complied with, yet much strong ground has been gained. Their admittance into the union, without an amendment of the constitution, has received the legislative sanction; and although this event, according to the act passed this session, is rendered dependent on the inhabitants of Louisiana amounting to 60,000, yet should circumstances recommend an earlier admission, all constitutional restraint is removed. Of one thing we speak with absolute confidence. The government of the United States, in all its departments, feels no other sentiment than that of friendship to our brethren of Louisiana; and will rejoice in the arrival of the period which shall give them equal rights with ourselves. And in the mean-time, though the entire rights of self government are not conferred upon them, they may rest assured of their protection from every species of oppression. [Nat. Intell.]

The following TURKISH officers, viz—Mustapha, captain of the Ketch; Abdallah, captain of the gun-boat taken on the 3d of August, 1804; Salle Mustapha, Allee, Mahomet, Achmet, &c. captives on board the John Adams frigate, were to have attended at the Theatre in New-York, last evening—to witness the representation of *Blue Beard*, or *Female Curiosity*. N. Y. paper.

Married, at Dover, (Eng.) Charles Pritchard, Esq; aged 87, to Miss Charlotte Purfuviance, aged 19, a young lady celebrated for her beauty and accomplishments, and worth an annual income of 7000l. Having a great number of suitors (from beardless youth to hoary age) she determined to give them an equal chance, and accordingly pitched upon a game at "blind man's buff," to decide who should be her husband—when the gentlemen were ready, and big with expectation, she entered the room, and had the good fortune to grope upon the above young gallant!

Died, on Wednesday the 13th ult. at the town of Cumberland, Allegany county, after a short illness, JOSEPH GALLOWAY, Esq; of this county, aged 70. In this city, on Saturday last, Mr. BENJAMIN FAIRBAIN.

On the 6th inst. in the city of Washington, col. WILLIAM W. BURROWS, late colonel commandant of the marine corps.

at Vienna, the beginning of December, the celebrated composer, HAYDN, in the 79th year of his age.

at Standing-stone Flat, in Pennsylvania, on Monday the 31st of December, 1804, Mrs. HANNAH SHERER, aged 104; she came to this country 30 years ago, when it was in possession of the savages.

at Walton, (Con.) on the 27th of January, Mrs. REBECCA BETTS, widow and relict of Benjamin Betts, aged 100 years, 10 months and 9 weeks. She left behind her, a daughter of 70, and two sons, one 72 and the other 74 years of age.

in London, (Eng.) Miss CATHARINE TIBBETT, aged 96—suddenly of a broken heart, occasioned by her not receiving a prompt return of affection from a young Clerk, on whom she doted.—This youthful and tender lady, notwithstanding the rebuff her passion met with, left all her estate, 25,000l. to the cold hearted youth.

By virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas* to me directed, out of Atine-Arundel county court, will be EXPOSED at PUBLIC SALE, on Friday the 12th day of April next, at the dwelling-house of SAMUEL HARRISON, jun.

ONE negro woman named Kate, and one negro boy named George, taken as the property of Samuel Harrison, jun. to satisfy a debt due William Wells, for the use of Richard Hall Harwood, Esq. J. E. TILLY, Sheriff.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS I passed my bond to JOHN BOWHANN, of Dorchester county, on or about the last day of April, eighteen hundred and four, conditioned for the payment of two hundred dollars, this therefore is to forewarn all persons from taking an assignment of said bond, as I do not mean to pay it. THOMAS STINCHICOMB. Anne-Arundel county, March 9, 1805.

Valuable Land for Sale.

By order of the court of Calvert county, will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, the following lands, the property of the heirs of captain WALTER SMITH, deceased,

ON Monday the first day of April next, will be sold, on the premises, the plantation on which the said captain Walter Smith formerly resided, containing, by actual survey, 1225½ acres of land, lying adjoining on Patuxent river, bounded on the south-west by the said river, on the east by a fine navigable creek, called Saint-Leonard's Creek, so that one and a half miles of fencing will enclose the whole land. The soil of this land is equal, if not superior, to any on Patuxent, either for farming, planting, or grazing, and in their season the greatest plenty of fine fish and oysters may be had either from the river or creek. A great part of the above land is covered with cedar fit for posts or fencing.

On Tuesday the 2d, on the premises, will be sold, one other plantation, in the forest, at about two miles distance from the former, containing by survey, six hundred and twenty-seven and one half acres of land, the greater part of which is covered with hickory, chestnut, and oak wood; and a great proportion of swamp land, which, at a trifling expence, might be converted into valuable meadow, belongs to this land.

On Thursday, the 4th, on the premises, will be sold, one other plantation, lying adjoining on Chesapeake bay, bounded on the northeast by the said bay, on the north by a creek, called Parker's Creek, containing by survey, 536½ acres of land; on this land there is a great proportion of marsh and meadow land, and a great abundance of fine timber.

It is thought needless to give a fuller description of the above lands, as it is presumed that those who wish to purchase will view the lands previous to the day of sale, and on application to Mr. JOHN TURNER, who resides near the two first mentioned tracts of land, they may see the plots of the different tracts of land, and will shew the lands contiguous to him; and Mr. RICHARD HANCE, who resides on the last mentioned tract will shew the outlines of the same to any person wishing to view it.

The above lands will be sold either in the whole, or divided into parcels, as may appear most advantageous for the heirs.

The purchasers to give bonds, with approved securities, for the purchase money, to be paid in three annual payments, the interest to be paid yearly, and on the ratification of the sale by the court, and the full payment of the purchase money, and interest thereon, a deed of conveyance will be executed to the purchaser, agreeably to an act of assembly in such case made and provided.

JOSEPH WILKINSON, }
JAMES HEIGHE, } Commissioners.
JOHN TURNER, }
Calvert county, February 28, 1805.

In CHANCERY, March 10, 1805.

William Brewer, } THE object of the bill in this

vs. Kennedy Farrell, } cause filed, is to obtain a complete legal title in a tract of land, lying and being in Montgomery county, called FORTUNE, containing one hundred acres. The bill states, that the defendant being seized thereof, on the twenty-fourth day of February, seventeen hundred and fifty-two, contracted to sell the same to a certain George Jewell, that he gave bond for the conveyance thereof, and that the said George Jewell paid the full amount of the purchase money; the bill also states, that George Jewell died intestate, and his son and heir at law conveyed his equitable interest to John B. Pearce, who also died intestate, and that his representatives sold their interests to Joseph Newton Chisell and Robert Peter, both of whom have conveyed to the complainant; the bill further states, that the defendant hath removed out of the state of Maryland to parts unknown, and it cannot be ascertained whether he be dead or living, and if dead who are his legal representatives; it is thereupon adjudged and ordered, that the complainant, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted three weeks successively in the Maryland Gazette before the end of the present month, give notice to the defendant, or any other person or persons who may conceive themselves interested, of this application, and of the substance and object of the bill, that he or they may be warned to appear here in person, or by a solicitor of this court, on or before the last day of September next; to shew cause, if any there be, wherefore a decree should not be passed as prayed.

True copy, J. M. Brown
Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
Reg. Cur. Can.

Poet's Corner.

SELECTED.

THE PILGRIM.

DROP by drop the Angel pours,
Comfort every moment yours;
Guards the night and cheers the day,
Gently leading life away.

Every object, every thought,
Sweetly seen or kindly taught,
Dropping in the simple heart,
Unseen happiness impart.

Tho' the gloomy shades of night,
Hide the hills, obscure the light,
Cheerful HOPE with kindly ray,
Drops of comfort still convey.

Safely flowing down the tide,
E'en o'er ocean's bosom wide,
Storms and tempests cease to fear,
Drops of peace shall meet you there.

Then cease to flutter foolish FEAR,
SORROW, PAIN, dwell not here;
But LIGHT and COMFORT, drop by drop,
Raise the hopeful spirits up.

Men banish DISCONTENT's sad pain,
PIETY ne'er hop'd in vain;
Drop by drop the Angel pours,
PEACE, with VIRTUE, must be yours.

SYMPATHY.

O! THOU whose gentle and complacent pow'r,
Can calm the Lover's or the Mourner's pain;
Thou who canst soothe the sadly silent hour,
And moderate the lonely plaintive strain;

O! quickly come and with thy friendly care,
The baneful troubles of mankind survey;

O! come and all thy tender balms prepare,
To cheer their woes with thine enlivening ray.

Oft when reflection fills the busy mind,
With mutual thoughts the panting breast inspire,
As waves of concord, distant, yet combined,
In sweet vibration shake the distant shore.

Thy falling tears the rudest woes divide,
And seek to bear a portion of thy grief;
'Tis thou that humblest sorrow's big swollen tide,
And to the anguish'd heart afford'st relief.

EPICRAM.

ON A LADY WHO SPOKE WITHOUT A TONGUE.

(Translated from the French.)

THAT Woman speaks without a tongue,
And e'en may make a long harangue,
I readily conceive it:
But, being of a tongue possess'd,
She can in silence let it rest!
I never can believe it.

TRIFLES.

A TRAVELLER, a few days ago, on the road between Wrexham and Ruabon, had his attention suddenly arrested by the appearance of a bull drawing a cart, led by an ass!—An honest Welshman, passing at the same moment, archly exclaimed, "Ah, poor John Bull, hur is sorry to see thee follow such company!" Lon. pap.

A late Irish paper contains the following advertisement:

RUN-AWAY last night, my wife, Bridget Coole. She is a tight, neat body, and hath lost one leg: She was seen riding behind the priest of the parish through Fermoy—and as we were never married I will pay no debts she does not contract: She lisps with one tooth, and is always talking about fairies, and is of no use but to the owner. PHELIM COOLE.

Receipt for a Wife, found in a Bachelor's Port Folio:
"Good temper, health, good understanding, agreeable physiognomy, figure, good connections, domestic habits, resources of amusement, good spirits, conversation, talents, elegant manners—MONEY!!"

JUST PUBLISHED,
And for Sale at the Printing-Office,
(Price one dollar.)

The LAWS of MARYLAND,
Passed November session, 1804.

FOR SALE.

A NEGRO WOMAN, about 25 years of age; she is an excellent spinner, a good washer and ironer, a good plain cook and a good hand on a plantation. Inquire of the Printers, Annapolis, March 13, J. M. D. Smith

PUBLIC SALE.

The subscriber will EXPOSE to PUBLIC SALE, on Friday the 12th day of April next, at his plantation, on South river,

TWO valuable young negro men, accustomed to, and are well acquainted with, all kinds of plantation work, are healthy, strong, and active; also a variety of stock, consisting of horses, cattle, sheep, and hogs, amongst which are valuable young plough horses, work steers, and milch cows, eighteen head first rate sheep, household and kitchen furniture, an excellent eight day clock, plantation utensils, and other articles too tedious to mention. The terms will be made known on the day of sale.

R. WELCH, of Ben.
South river, March 11, 1805.