Apollo's Fount.

VERSES
SENT TO HIS LADY BY THE REV. MR. BISHOP.
(*With the present of a Knife.*)

A KNIFE, dear girl, cuts love, they say:
Mere modish love perhaps it may;
For any tool of any kind
Can separate what was never join'd.
The knife that cuts our love in two,
Will have much rougher work to do;
Must your softness, worth and spirit,
Down to the vulgar size of merit;
To level yours with modern taste,
Must cut a world of sense to waste;
And from your single beauty's store,
Clip what would dizen out a score.
The self-same blade from me must sever
Sensation, judgment, sight forever:
All memory of endearments past,
All hope of comforts long to last;
All that make fourteen years with you
A summer, and a short one too;
All that affection feels or fears,
When hours without you seems like years.
Till that be done—and I'd as soon
Believe this knife will clip the moon,
Accept this present undeterr'd,
And leave their proverbs to the herd.
If in a knife—delicious treat;
Your lips acknowledge the receipt,
Love, fond of such sustantial fare,
And proud to play the glutton there,
All thoughts of cutting we'll disdain,
Save only—cut and come again.

EPITAPH.

Here lies a bachelor, whose life
Was stain'd with vice, and sour'd with strife;
Happy, had o'er his *fire* been read,
"Friends, *here a bachelor lies dead.*"

EPIGRAM.

Women were born, so fate declares,
To smoothjour linen and our cares:
And 'tis but just, for by my troth,
They're ever apt to *ruffle* both.

Notice.

THE subscriber takes this opportunity of informing the Voters of Dorchester county, that from the solicitations of a number of his friends, he has determined to become a Candidate for the next General Assembly of Maryland; and that should he meet the confidence of his fellow-citizens, he will vote for the abolishing of the General Court. JOHN SMOOTE.
Dorchester County, Sept. 12, 1803. 3

At Public Vendue

WILL be Sold on *Saturday the 1st day of October next*, at the late residence of Mrs. *Lucretia Haddaway*, about six miles below St. Michaels, all the *Personal Estate* of the said Lucretia Haddaway, consisting of Household & Kitchen Furniture. Also, will be sold three Negroes, and some Blacksmiths Tools, with other articles too tedious to mention.—A credit of four months will be given on all sums exceeding thirty shillings; on the purchaser giving bond or note, with approved security, if required.—— Sale will commence at ten o'clock, and continue till all is sold.
WILLIAM LAMBDEN, *adm'tor.*
September 13, 1803. 3

Easton and Baltimore Packet.

THE subscriber grateful for the many favours he has received since he commenced runing a PACKET between Easton and Baltimore, begs leave to return his thanks to those who have favoured him with their custom, and at the same time to inform them and the public in general that he has erected a GRANERY, on the corner of *Washington* and *Port-streets*, leading to the Landing, Easton—where he will receive grain and haul the same to his packet at his own expence. The Packet will leave Easton wharf on *Saturdays* at 3 o'clock in the afternoon; and will leave Baltimore, on *Wednesdays* at 9 o'clock in the morning.
For sale a SCHOONER about forty tons burthen, in good order, with a complete cabin for the accommodation of passengers. Also, a SCHOONER, about thirty-five tons burthen, now ready for business.
ROBERT SPEDDEN.
Easton, August 23, 1803. tf

Notice.

THIS is to give notice, that the subscriber of Talbot county, in Maryland, hath obtained from the Orphans Court of Talbot county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of *Nicholas Martin*, the younger, late of Talbot county, aforesaid, deceased, with the last will and testament of the said Nicholas Martin, thereto annexed; all persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, on or before the first Monday of March next: they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 25th day of August, in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred and three.
EDWARD MARTIN, *adm'tor.*
August 30, 1803. 6q

Valuable Family Medicines.

Doctor RAWSON's genuine Anti-Bilious *and* Stomachic Bitters,
Prepared by Thomas H. Rowson, *New-London, Member of the Connecticut Medical Society.*
(*Patent right secured agreeably to act of Congress.*)

The celebrity and demand for these Bitters from all parts of the union, proves them experimentally the greatest discovery ever before made in the healing art. In this valuable composition all classes of citizens are furnished with an efficacious, mild and safe Family Medicine, as many thousands can testify, who after pursuing the whole rotine of expensive and systematic practice to no purpose, have in a few weeks been restored to health and vigor, by a free and liberal use of these Bitters. The following are some of the most prominent complaints in which these bitters are efficacious and so universally admired. viz. Bilious complaints, indigestion, jaundice, debility, head-aches, lowness of spirits, gravel, dropsies, costiveness, rhumatisms, female complaints, worms, &c.

Their wonderful efficacy in the prevention and cure of that train of complaints so incident to low and marshy villages, as well as about lakes and stagnant waters, such as intermitent fevers and agues, dysentries, &c. *are so universally known and acknowledged as to supercede the necessity of comments, or of giving publicity to facts and numberless instances from the first authorities. Where these Bitters are known, they have taken the place and superceded the use of all other kinds of bitters in public houses, as well as private families.——Price* 50 *cents a Bottle.*

DR. LEE'S GENUINE *WINDHAM BILIOUS PILLS,*
Prepared by Samuel Lee, jun. of Windham (Connecticut.)

The usefulness and importance of these Pills at this season of the year, when epidemic diseases are so prevalent, and when most constitutions from predisposition and an infectious atmosphere are inclined to yellow, bilious, and inflamatory fevers, *have been verified by an experience of more than* 12 *years. The early credit and universal demand for my pills, induced others to imitate them, among others, one Samuel H. P. Lee, of New-London, from the similarity of names, came forward with singular audacity, and has at length pretended to an originality in this business, whereas my patent for making bilious pills, was obtained in* April 1796, *and Samuel H. P. Lee's in* June 1799, *more than* three years *after the date of my patent.*

I have stated these facts that those wishing to purchase the genuine original Bilious Pills, might not be deceived by his false insinuations. No pills will be genuine unless each bill of direction is signed by me in my own hand writing.
SAMUEL LEE, *jun. patentee of the Windham bilious pills.*
(PRICE 50 CENTS A BOX.)
Windham, (Con.)
Aug. 22, 1803.

TYCE'S ITCH OINTMENT.

This Ointment is the most remarkable composition ever before discovered, for cleansing and beautifying the skin, and is the most safe, easy, and effectual application for the cure of the ITCH, of any ever before known. This ointment is very agreeable in smell, leaves the skin smooth and beautiful, and is so effectually absorbed by the pores of the skin, that there is no occasion of washing it off. (Price 50 cents a BOX.)

GENUINE AROMATIC PASTE.

For the Teeth and Scurvy in the Gums.

Prepared genuine, only by J. Thompson, New-London, (Con.) The only medicine in the world, that will with safety ease and certainty, cure th scurvy in the teeth and gums. This paste cleanses the teeth, and purifies the gums of any foulness or acrid corosive humors, it braces and strengthens the fibres of the gums, so that they adhere close to the teeth, it likewise makes the teeth appear white and beautiful, and takes off all disagreeable smells from the breath, which generally arise from scorbutic gums and bad teeth. (50 *cents a* BOX.)

A more particular description of the above medicine, with particular directions may be had at the place of sale. For sale in Chester-town, by
LUCAS & GARNETT.
September 20, 1803. 8

Valuable Farm to rent.

THE subscriber offers for rent for the ensuing year, the FARM where he at present resides (Head of Wye)—there are three fields, containing about one hundred and eighty thousand corn hills, independent of the Lots, some of which are in a high state of cultivation. The improvements generally are in good order, with a well of most excellent water in the yard. The tenant will have the liberty of seeding a crop of wheat this fall. Should he not rent this property by the first of October, he will want an OVERSEER.
JAMES BORDLEY.
Head of Wye, Sept. 12, 1803. 3

Wanted to Purchase,

A Quantity of
Clean linen and cotton rags.
Testaments & Spelling Books.
Magistrates and other Blanks.
for sale at the Easton book-store.

PROPOSALS

For Publishing by Subscription,
The Monitor's Instructor;
OR A
System of Practical Geography of
The United States of America,
IN VERSE.
Also, CONTAINING

1. Several useful Geographical Definitions and Problems.
2. The grand divisions of the Earth into Land and Water—Continents, and Islands.
3. The local situation of Empires, Kingdoms, &c.
4. Geographical Catechisms, for the United States—for the British and Spanish possessions in North America. Including South America, and the West-India Islands.
5. A short Geographical Catechism, for the different nations beyond the Sea.

The whole rendered familiar for the use of Schools.
BY JAMES IDDINGS,
Superintendant of the Southern Board-School: Delaware.

CONDITIONS.

THE work will be comprized in about 300 dudecimo pages, neatly printed with good type on fine paper: bound and lettered on the back.

The price to Subscribers will be ONE DOLLAR—payable on the delivery of the book.

As soon as five hundred subscribers are obtained the work will be put to press, and finished with all possible dispatch.

Any person who obtains and becomes answerable for twenty subscribers, shall be entitled to a copy for his trouble.
September 6, 1803. tf

Valuable Lands for Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, that pursuant to the order of the justices of Talbot county court, the lands and tenements of Doctor JAMES WILSON, late of the said county deceased, will be exposed to public sale *upon the premises* near the head of Wye river, on Saturday the eighth day of October next, to the highest bidder. These lands consist of a valuable farm and plantation, containing by estimation about six hundred acres of land, situate upon the head of one of the branches of Wye river and upon the main post road, about nine miles from Easton. There are good improvements upon the farm; and a store house and tan yard upon the road which have been esteemed good stands for business for several years: The soil is friendly to the growth of wheat and corn; and branches run through the estate which are capable of being turned into excellent meadows: The title is believed to be indisputable. Before the time appointed for the sale, the lands shall be carefully surveyed, and laid off together or in convenient allotments as the subscribers shall determine; and a plot thereof will be placed in the hands of Mr. John Nabb, who resides on the premises, for the information of those who may desire to purchase. The lands will be sold on a credit of *fifteen months, thirty-three months*, and *fifty-three months*; so that *one-third part* of the purchase money in three equal instalments be payable in these respective periods from the time of sale—the purchaser or purchasers giving bonds with approved security for the payment of the money according to the terms of sale, with lawful interest for the same from the time of sale till the payment thereof. The grounds may be seeded in the fall, and possession will be delivered on the first of January next. Persons desirous of purchasing will, it is presumed, attend and view the farm and improvements, and form their own judgment of their value.
JOHN NABB,
JOHN FISHER,
JAMES BORDLEY,
WILLIAM E. SETH, } Comis'rs.
Talbot County, 26th July, 1803. 10

To the Public.

THE subscriber returns his sincere thanks to his friends, and public in general, for the encouragement he has received since his commencement in business; and begs leave to inform them that he has just received, which are now for sale, a supply of NEW WATCHES, CHAINS, SEALS, KEYS, &c. &c. which he will sell low for cash.

N. B. Clocks, made, repaired, & cleaned, on the most reasonable terms.
JAMES TROTH.
Easton, Sept. 13, 1803. 3

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of the county of Baltimore, hath obtained from the Orphans Court of Kent County, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of *Richard Peacock*, late of Kent county, deceased; all persons having claims against the deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the suscriber, on or before the fifteenth day of March next—they may otherwise by law be excluded from any benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this fourth day of September, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and three.
ROBERT WORRELL.
September 13. 3q

The Subscriber

HAS just received from the Patent Medicine Ware-House, of RICHARD LEE, & Co. New-York,
A FRESH SUPPLY OF
Genuine Patent Medicines,
amongst which are the following, viz.

Dr HAHN's Anti-Billious Pills. Celebrated for evacuating superfluous bile, and preventing its morbid secretion—removing obstinate costiveness—restoring and amending the appetite, &c. and are esteemed a valuable preventative of the Yellow Fever.

Dr. HAHN's genuine Eye Water, a sovereign remedy for all diseases of the eyes.

Infalliable Ague & Fever Drops—a long eulogium on the virtues of this medicine is unnecessary, it never having failed in many thousand cases—not one in a hundred has had occasion to take more than one bottle, and numbers not half a bottle.

Sovereign Ointment for the Itch—which is warranted an infalliable remedy at one application.

Restorative Powder, for the Teeth and Gums.

Hamilton's Elixir, a sovereign remedy for colds, obstinate coughs, catarchs, asthmahs, sore throats, and approaching consumptions.

Hamilton's essence and extract of Mustard, which has performed more cures than all the other medicines ever before made public—in rhumatism, gout, palsey, sprains, &c.

The genuine Persiou Lotion, so celebrated among the fashionable thro'out Europe, as an invaluable cosmetic, perfectly innocent and free from corrosive and repellent minerals, (the basis of other lotions) and of unparralleled efficacy in preventing and removing blemishes of every kind particularly freckles, pimples, inflammatory redness, scurfs, titters, ring-worms, sun-burns, prickley heat, premature wrinkles, &c.

Dr. HAHN's true and genuine German Corn Plaister—an infalliable remedy for *corns* speedily removing them root and branch, without giving pain.

The patent Indian Vegitable Specific, prepared by Dr. LEROUX.

HAMILTON'S Worm Destroying Lozenges. This medicine which is innocent and mild, as it is certain and efficacious in its operation, cannot injure the youngest infant, should no Worms exist in the body; but will without pain or griping cleanse the stomach and bowels, of whatever is foul or offensive, and thereby prevent the production of worms and many fatal disorders.

HAMILTON'S Grand Restorative is recommended as an invaluable medicine for the speedy relief and permanent cure of the various complaints which result from dissipated pleasures—juvenile indiscretions—residence in climates unfavorable to the constitution—the immoderate use of tea, frequent intoxication or any other destructive intemperance—the unskilful or excessive use of mercury—the diseases peculiar to females at a certain period of life—bad lyings in, &c. &c

Various other Patent Medicines, besides those enumerated.

He has on hand as usual a general supply of genuine Drugs, Perfumes, Spices, Dyes, &c, All which he will sell at the most reduced prices.

Orders from the Country will be promptly attended to.
JOHN STEVENS, jun.
Easton, Sept. 6, 1803. tf

RANAWAY from the subscriber, three Negro Men viz. DANIEL, ISAAC, and DEMSEY. Daniel, went off on the fifth day of August last, from where he was hired; and took with him two brown linen shirts, nankeen jacket and pantaloons; he is 22 years of age about five feet eleven inches high, a sprightly, active fellow, of a pleasant countenance, one of his teeth is out before.

Isaac went off at the same time that Daniel did, he is about five feet nine inches high, 18 years of age, well made, thick lips, has a down look when spoken sharply to, stammers much; had on when he went away a country kersey jacket and trowsers, and tow linen shirt.

Demsey went off on the second day of this month, from where he was hired, he is about six feet high, 24 years of age, dark complexion, large teeth, shews them much when speaking or laughing; walks very wide, his clothes are unknown—they are all brothers. It is supposed they have made for the northward. *Ten dollars* reward will be given for each of them, if taken in the state, and secured so that the subscriber shall get them again, or *twenty dollars* if taken out of the state, and all reasonable charges if bro't home, paid by
EDWARD WHITE.
Hunting-creek, Dorchester county, Sept. 12, 1803. 4q

Notice is hereby given,

TO all whom it may concern, that I intend to petition the next general assembly of Maryland, to be relieved from debts which I am unable to pay.
ROBERT STEVENS.
Queen-Anns county, August 30, 1803. 6

WAS committed to the gaol of Baltimore county, as a runaway, on the 3d instant, a negro man by the name of GEORGE FAIRFAX; he is about 17 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high, dark complexion, bow legged, has a scar over his right eye, and has lost two of his upper fore teeth; he has on a country made cotton shirt and nankeen trousers—he says he belongs to Priestly Wright, living in Westmoreland county Virginia, near Cole Carter's Mill. If his owner does not release him, he will be sold for his gaol fees, according to law.
JAMES WILSON, *Sheriff.*
September 19, 1803. tf

WAS committed to the gaol of Baltimore county, on the 23d ult. as a runaway, a negro man by the name of TOM; he is about 19 or 20 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high, of a light brown complexion; had an olive colored jean jacket with sleeves, velvet trowsers, red cross bared Marseilles vest, and a white linen shirt—He says he belongs to Mr. Usher Williams, of Charleston, S. C. If his owner does not release him, he will be sold for his gaol fees according to law.
JAMES WILSON, *Sheriff.*
September 19, 1803. tf

WAS committed to the gaol of Baltimore county as a runaway, on the 6th instant, a negro man by the name of WILLIAM GROCE, he is about 50 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, a deep black complexion, thin visage, large thick lips, and has lost one lower and one upper fore tooth, and has a scar on the back part of his left shoulder, occasioned by the cut of an axe; he has on a round-about blue cloth jacket with sleeves, light colored mixed cloth vest, osnaburgh shirt and trousers, and an old wool hat—he says he belongs to Mr. John Chisley, of Prince William county, Virginia, within 15 miles of Dumfries. If his owner does not release him, he will be sold for his gaol fees according to law.
JAMES WILSON, *Sheriff.*
September 19, 1803. tf

WAS committed to the goal of Baltimore county as a runaway, on the 6th instant, a negro man by the name of *William Groce*, he is about 50 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, a deep black complexion, thin vizage, large thick lips, and has lost one lower and one upper fore tooth, and has a scar on the back part of his left shoulder, occasioned by the cut of an axe; he has on a round-about blue cloth jacket with sleeves, light colored mixed cloth vest, osnaburg shirt and trowsers, and an old wool hat—he says he belongs to Mr. John Chisley, of Prince William county, Virginia, within 15 miles of Dunfries. If his owner does not release him, he will be sold for his goal fees according to law.
JAMES WILSON, Sheriff.
September 8. tf.

WAS committed to the goal of Baltimore county, on the twenty-third ultimo, as a runaway, a negro man by the name of TOM; he is about nineteen or twenty years of age, five feet 5 inches high, of a light brown complexion; had an olive colored jean jacket with sleeves, velvet trowsers, red cross bared Marseilles vest, and a white linen shirt—He says he belongs to Mr. Usher Williams, of Charleston, South Carolina. If his owner does not release him, he will be sold for goal fees according to law.
JAMES WILSON, Sheriff.
September 8. tf.

WAS committed to the goal of Baltimore county as a runaway, on the 3d. instant, a negro man by the name of GEORGE FAIRFAX; he is about 17 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high, dark complexion, bow leged, has a scar over his right eye, and has lost two of his upper foreteeth; he has on a country made cotten shirt and nankeen trowsers—He says he belongs to Mr. Priestly Wright, living in Westmoreland county, Virginia, near Cole Carter's mill. If his owner does not release him he will be sold for his goal fees, according to law.
JAMES WILSON, Sheriff.
September 8. tf.

WAS committed to the goal of Baltimore county as a runaway, on the eighth instant, a negro man, who calls himself *Edward Jackson*; he is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 11 inches high, stout and well made, has lost the greater part of his left ear, has a scar on his breast, and one on each hand over his thumbs, has on a white kersey jucket, blue cloth trousers, and oznaburg shirt—he says he is free and came last from New Orleans. If he is not released, he will be sold for his goal fees according to law.
JAMES WILSON, Sheriff.
June 21, 1803. tf.

THE Creditors, of RICHARD JOHNS, deceased, of Talbot county, are requested to exhibit their claims to Mr. JAMES NABB, of the same county, on or before the first day of October next, as I am anxious to know how much will come against the said estate, that a decree may pass for the sale of the real estate of the aforesaid JOHNS.
STEPHEN S. JOHNS,
Calvert county.
September 20, 1803. 3