Apollo's Fount.

THE FEMALE AUCTIONER.

WELL, here I am, and what of that?
Methinks, I hear you cry;
Why, I am come, and that is pat,
To *sell* if you will *buy*:

A *Female Auctioneer* I stand,
Yet not to ~~seek for~~ pelf:
~~Ah!~~ no! the *lot* I have in hand,
Is now to *sell myself!*

And I'm going, going, going, going!
Who bids for me?

Ye *Bachelors*, I look at you;
And pray don't deem me rude;
Nor rate me either *scold* or *sch rew*,
A *coquette* or a *prude*:

My *hand* and *heart* I offer fair,
And should you *buy* the *lot*,
I swear I'll make you e'er my care,
When *Hymen* ties the *knot*.

And I'm going, going, going, going!
Who bids for me?

Though some may deem me pert or so,
Who deal in idle strife;
Pray, where's the *girl*, I wish to know,
Whou'd not become a wife?

At least, I own I really would,
In spite of all alarms;
Dear Bachelors, now be so good—
Do take me to your arms;

For I'm going, going, going, going!
Who bids for me?

TO THE

Voters of Talbot County.

FROM the solicitations of a number of my friends, I am induced thus publicly, at this early period, to make known to you my intention of being a candidate for the sheriff's office, at the next election for sheriff of Talbot county; should you think me qualified and competent to discharge the duties of that office, and honor me with your suffrages, rest assured my utmost endeavors will be to discharge the duties of said office with punctuality and integrity.

I have the honor to be
Your ob't. and very humble servt.
CHARLES GIBSON.

11th October, 1803. 3

A Gardener,

WANTS a situation; he is perfectly acquainted with the different branches of gardening, his mode is much approved of, and a specimen of his work may be seen within a few miles of Easton; his reason for leaving his employer, is owing to the small extent of the garden, which does not afford him sufficient practice—he is thoroughly acquainted with the management of stoves, green-houses, fruit and forest trees, flowering shrubs, flowers, &c. He has been several seasons in London for improvement, where he had an opportunity of seeing the different methods, and has lived a number of years in Ireland, in the capacity of a gardener and steward, he would undertake the management of two or three gardens in a neighborhood, but would prefer one: A line left at the Star office, will be attended to.

October 18, 1803.

The Creditors of

ROBINS CHANBERLAINE, are hereby informed, that the following claims, viz.

Peter Sharp,
Greenbury Goldsborough,
John Blake,
Thomas Coward,
J. & P. Ruckle,
Joseph Osburn,
Hugh M'Curdy,
Jacob Gibson,
Rich. H. Moale,
Ditto. Ditto.
George Browne,
Elizabeth Ennalls,
Elizabeth Cole,
William Carmichael,
Vestry of St. Peter's Parish,
Ennalls Martin,
Samuel Baldwin,
Samuel Thomas,
Thomas Macgill,
William Tibbitts,
Samuel Browne, adm'r of W. S. B.
William Haskins,
Richard Benson,
Samuel Chamberlaine,
John Needles,
Christopher Johnston,
Thomas Snowden
Samuel Vincent,
George Hoffman,
James Baxter,
Ch r les Carroll, o Carrollton.

Having been rejected by the Auditor for want of sufficient proof—Notice is hereby given, that on the 2d Monday, of November next, a Dividend will be made, to such creditors, whose claims shall be then fully established, out of the money lodged in the Chancery Office, by the Trustee; and such claims as shall not be established to the Auditor's satisfaction, on or before the said second Monday of November next, will receive no part of the said dividend.

All persons who purchased at the respective sales heretofore made by the [illegible]ee, of the property of R. Chamber- [illegible]re requested to take up their bonds [illegible]efore the said second Monday of [illegible]ber next.

[illegible]OHN EDMONDSON, *Trustee.*
[illegible]ber 27, 1803. 6

Wanted to Purchase,

A Quantity of

[illegible]ean linen and cotton rags
AT THIS OFFICE.

New Easton and Baltimore Packet.

The fast sailing schooner

ANNE & POLLY,

CLEMENT VICKARS, *master*,

WILL run regularly between Easton and Baltimore—she will leave Easton every *Friday morning, at ten o'clock*; and Baltimore every *Tuesday morning, at eight o'clock*. As one of the proprietors will reside at the Landing, and will attend to receiving and taking charge of such grain and other articles confided to their care, (having rented Mr. Telford's Wharf and commodious Granery for that purpose) the public may depend on the strictest attention being paid to their commands.

The Packet is well fitted for the accommodation of Passengers, to whom the strictest attention will be paid.

For Freight or Passage, apply to the Captain on board, or to

JAMES STOAKES.

☞ The *Letter Bag* is kept at Mr. Meluy's Store, corner of Washington and Dover-Streets; Easton.

Easton, October 18, 1803. tf

Public Vendue.

Will be Sold at Public Vendue, on Wednesday the second day of November next, at the late dwelling plantation of John Jones, deceased, near Easton.

ALL the personal estate of said deceased, consisting of household and kitchen furniture, horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, a waggon and geer, and a variety of other articles too tedious to mention. A credit of nine months will be given on all sums over three pounds, and cash will be required for all sums under, on delivery of the goods. The sale will commence at 10 o'clock, and continue from day to day until the whole is sold.

ANN JONES, adm'trix.
JOHN JONES, adm'tr. of *John Jones*, deceased.

Talbot county, October 18, 1803.

Eastern-shore, Earthen Ware Manufactory.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform the public, that he has commenced the Potting Business, in Easton, near the head of Washington-street, where he intends keeping a constant supply of all kinds of Earthen Ware, equal, (if not superior) to any in the state, on terms equally low with those of Baltimore.—He has burnt one kiln, which he will dispose of wholesale or retail.—Country storekeepers will find it much to their advantage to purchase of him, as they will avoid the expense of freight, and risk of breakage.

SAMUEL SHARPLESS.

Easton, (Md.) 11th 10th mo. 1803.

To be rented

FOR the ensuing year, the house and lot on Dover-Street, at present occupied by Hall Harrison. For terms apply to the subscriber, or to James Cockayne. SARAH COCKAYNE.

Easton, October 18th, 1803. 3q

For Sale,

A NEGRO WOMAN, about 25 years of age, (she is a good plain cook, washer and spinner,) with her two daughters, one 8 years of age, the other about four years, the oldest now waits in the house and is very active and smart.—Enquire of the printer.

October 18, 1803. 3

ELKTON RACES.

WILL be run for over a handsome course at Elkton, on Thursday the 20th day of October, inst. a subscription purse of two hundred dollars, three times round and repeat, free for any horse, mare or gelding.

On Friday the 21st, also a subscription purse of fifty dollars for colts, together with the entrance money for that day, which will be stipulated at ten dollars for each, colt twice round for a heat and repeat.

On Saturday the 22d. a purse of fifty dollars once round for a heat and repeat, free for any horse, mare or gelding, the winning horse excepted each preceding day, carrying weight and running each day agreeably to the rules of the Chestertown jockey club—four horses to start each day or no race—the horses to be entered the day before the race, or pay double entrance.

GEORGE ASH.

10th October, 1803. 3

To be Rented,

FOR the ensuing year, and possession may be had on the first of January next, the Dwelling House, at present occupied by the rev. Francis Barckley, situate on the corner of Harrison and Goldsborough-streets; there is a Granery, stable, and Garden, on said lot, and the same well inclosed; there is a well of water in the yard. For further particulars apply to the subscriber.

MARY TRIPPE.

Easton, Sept. 27, 1803. 3

NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims against *Mr. Samuel Nicols*, of Talbot county, are requested to present them as soon as possible; and all those indebted in any manner whatever, are requested most earnestly to pay them off as speedily as possible.

HENRY NICOLS, Jun.

TO THE

Voters of Talbot County.

Fellow Citizens,

THE subscriber has taken this early period to inform you, that he intends to offer himself as a candidate for the sheriff's-office, at the next election for sheriff, of this county.

JAMES CLAYLAND.

October 11. 3

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 purefies 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

Notice.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given, to all persons concerned, that I *Saml. Nicols*, of Talbot county, mean to apply to the legislature of Maryland, at their next session, for the benefit of an insolvent law, as I find myself unable to pay off and discharge the claims which are against me.

SAMUEL NICOLS.

Easton, Sept. 26, 1803. 6

For Sale at Public Vendue,

On Thursday the 27th instant, if fair, if not, the next fair day, at the late dwelling of Perry Parrott, deceased, on King's Creek, Talbot county.

ALL the personal estate of the said deceased, except negroes; consisting of household and kitchen furniture, horses, cattle, sheep and hogs, thirty of which are fit for the pen, to kill, farming utensils and many other things too tedious to mention.—Six months credit will be given, on all sums above ten dollars, by giving bond or note with approved security, with interest from the date; attendance will be given, and the terms fully made known on the day of sale, at 10 o'clock, by

HENRY HARDCASTLE, adm'tr.

October 11, 1803. 3

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, astmahs, 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 efficatious 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

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, living in Talbot county, Maryland, on Tuesday night the 27th of September last, a negro man, named JIM, or JAMES BARNETT, about thirty years of age, about 5 feet 11 inches high, slender made, with one leg considerably larger than the other; very apt to stutter when telling an untruth; his clothes being very numerous, a particular description of his dress cannot be given. He is an excellent ship-carpenter and caulker, by trade. Whoever will secure said fellow in any gaol, so that I get him again, if in the state of Maryland, shall receive twenty-five dollars; and if out of the state, the above reward, with reasonable expences if brought home, by THOS. L. HADDAWAY.

St. Michael's, Talbot county, Maryland, October 4, 1803.

Female Education.

THE REV. ELISHA RIGG having rented the house now occupied by the hon. Wm. Hindman, Esq. informs the public, that he purposes to remove his FAMILY and FEMALE SCHOOL thither, against the 1st day of January next. He will then be able to admit several young ladies in addition to the number he already has. The house is large and comfortable, and pleasantly situated on the Talbot county shore of Wye river, 13 miles from Easton, and 12 from Centreville.

The branches of literature at present taught in his School are Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Geography and the Elements of General History. Mr. R. has provided a complete map of the world, exhibiting every country on the globe at one view, and a separate map of each quarter of the world, with the several countries painted in different colors which greatly facilitates the acquisition of a correct idea of their relative positions and dimensions. But to those branches he intends to add Music, Drawing and the various kinds of Needle-work. A governess, of an improved understanding, unexceptionable principles and easy manners, will shortly be engaged to superintend the Needle-work, and such other accomplishments as belong, peculiarly, to the female character; an advantage to the School, of which Mr. R. could not heretofore avail himself, for want of house-room. The terms for Boarding and Tuition (Music and Drawing excepted) are £. 50 per ann. to be paid in quarterly payments.

N. B. The Boarders find their own Beds, &c.

Queen Ann's county, Oct. 4, 1803.

Miss Henderson's *BOARDING SCHOOL*,

UNDER THE JOINT INSTRUCTION OF THE

REV. Joseph Douglass.

THE public are respectfully informed that *a School for the instruction of Young Ladies*, in all the necessary and ornamentll branches of Female Education, is opened to day, in the front apartments of the large house, in Chestertown, formerly occupied by the late Mrs. Monsell. The entire building has underwent a thorough repair, and is exceedingly well calculated for the purpose.

Ladies and Gentlemen who intend to send boarders, will be pleased to take notice also, that Miss Henderson proposes to take at present, only five or six young ladies, as boarders, and that those who chuse to enter for a year, will be preferred, if they apply in time.—The terms of tuition, in Miss Henderson's School and in Mr. Douglas's Academy, are three dollars per quarter, for each scholar, in the first grade; four in the second; and five in the highest grade.—The branches taught in each department of this institution *(the Chester town Primary School, and Kent County Academy)* may be seen in the two Easton newspapers, of the 9th and 16th of August last.

Miss Henderson's terms of boarding, are one hundred dollars per annum; the boarders to find their own lodging and washing. 4

Chester-town, October 11, 1803.

Strayed or Stolen

FROM the subscriber, living near Easton, on Saturday night last, a bright bay horse, about thirteen and a half or fourteen hands high, supposed to be twelve or thirteen years old, somewhat rubbed on each side of his neck, one of his hind feet is white, and a small star in his forehead, and is in tolerable working order. A reasonable reward will be given for the horse, if delivered alone, and fifteen dollars will be given for the thief and horse, so that he may be brought to due punishment.

WILLIAM JORDAN.

Talbot county, Oct. 11, 1803. 3

For Sale.

A VALUABLE and well improved Farm, containing about 450 acres of land, of which 300 are cleared, under good fencing, and is at present in a high state of cultivation. This Farm is situated on the Main Ditch of the Long Marsh in Caroline county, and adjoining an estate of Mr. William Hemsley—distant from Duck Creek about 20 miles, and from Centreville 15. Upon it are a dwelling house, negro quarters, stable, meat house, and other necessary buildings for a farm, also two houses for the curing of tobacco—to the growth of which the soil is well adapted. There is likewise a flourishing orchard of upwards of 300 apple trees.

To a person who would pay down one third of the purchase money, a liberal credit would be given for the balance. Persons who would wish to view the above mentioned property, are requested to call on the Rev. Samuel Keene, Junr. or Mr. Woolman Warner, residing on the marsh, who will shew the property, and are authorized to contract for the same; or if convenient, application may be made to the subscriber in the city of Baltimore.

JAMES CHESTON.

October 11, 1803. 3m.