

Poet's Corner.

SELECTED.

THE EXILE.

BY M. G. LEWIS.
WELL, oh native Spain! farewell for ever!
The banish'd eyes shall view thy coast no more;
Unfulfill'd prayer tells my heart that never
Salvo's steps again shall press thy shore.

LAND TO RENT.

THE plantation of the subscriber, near
South river church. For terms apply to
FRANCES YATES.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,
THAT I intend to apply to the judges
of St. Mary's county court, at March
next, for the benefit of the act of assembly,
passed November session, 1805, entitled,
an act for the relief of sundry insolvent
debtors, also the supplements thereto.
BENNETT BISCOE, of Jo.
December 17, 1808.

NOTICE.
ALL those indebted to me will please to
make immediate payment, indulgence
must not be expected, and cannot be given.
Suits will be commenced on all notes, accounts,
&c. which are not immediately discharged.
SAMUEL J. COOLIDGE.

TAKE NOTICE.
THE subscriber having declined business
at Queen-Anne, requests all those indebted
to him, by bond, note, or open account,
to make payment, on or before the
first day of March next, or suits will be instituted
without respect to persons.
BENJAMIN HODGES.

N. B. All those who will deposit tobacco
with the subscriber, not to be sold for a limited
time, will not have suits brought against them.
B. H.
December 27, 1808.

NOTICE.
I HEREBY forewarn all persons from
hunting, with either dog or gun, on my
land lying on Chesapeake bay, in Anne-Arundel
county, as I am determined to prosecute
all such offenders.
JOHN GWINN.

Miscellany.

From an English Magazine.

The origin of Shenstone's Ballad of JEMMY DAWSON.

THIS pathetic and affecting ballad has
drawn tears from every eye capable of the
feelings of humanity for near half a century,
and will continue to produce the same effect
wherever and as long as the English language
is understood. It is founded in truth, and
was taken from a narrative first published in a
periodical work, entitled, The Parrot, Saturday,
2d August, 1746, three days after the
transaction, in the following words:

"Just as I had finished the above, I received
the following account, which, as the
truth of it may be depended upon, and is a
remarkable, though melancholy proof, that
constancy and tenderness have not altogether
forsook the bosom of the fair, I thought it
would be an agreeable entertainment for your
country acquaintance, and therefore opened
my letter again on purpose to insert it.

"A young lady of a good family and handsome
fortune, had for sometime extremely
loved, and been equally beloved by, Mr.
James Dawson, one of these unhappy gentlemen
who suffered on Wednesday last at
Kennington Common for high treason; and
had he been either acquitted, or after
condemnation found the royal mercy, the day of
his enlargement was to have been that of their
marriage.

"I will not prolong the narrative by any
repetition of what she suffered on sentence
being passed on him; none excepting those utterly
incapable of feeling any soft or generous
emotions, but may easily conceive her agonies;
beside, the sad catastrophe will be sufficient
to convince you of their sincerity.

"Not all the persuasions of her kindred
could prevent her from going to the place of
execution; she was determined to see the last
of a person so dear to her, and accordingly
followed the sledge in a hackney-coach, accompanied
by a gentleman nearly related to her,
and one female friend. She got near enough
to see the fire kindled, which was to consume
that heart she knew so much devoted
to her, and all the other dreadful preparations
for his fate, without being guilty of any
of those extravagancies her friends had
apprehended; but when all was over, and
that she found that he was no more, she drew
her head back into the coach, and crying out,
" My dear, I follow thee. I follow thee—
LORD JESUS receive both our souls together,"
fell on the neck of her companion, and expired
the very moment she was speaking.

"The excessive grief which the force of
her resolution had kept smothered within her
breast, it is thought, put a stop to the vital
motion, and suffocated, at once, all the animal
spirits; but I leave the physicians to account
for that; I shall only say, the story
very much affected me, as I doubt not it will
you, and all who hear it."

In the WHITEHALL EVENING POST, August
7, 1746, the same story is told, with the
addition, that "upon inquiry, every circumstance
was literally true." A ballad is said to
have been cried about the streets different
from Shenstone's, which we should be glad to
see if it is in existence.

From a Liverpool paper.

THE CROUP.

A DISORDER among children, commonly
called the Croup, has of late been very
prevalent among them: we beg to name,
for the information of parents an effectual
remedy. The daughter of J. Walker, Esq.
of Mile End, was severely attacked, and pronounced
irrecoverable by the medical aid called
in; her father thereon immersed her up to
her chin in water as hot as she could bear it,
and kept her in that state for a quarter of an
hour, till she nearly fainted, after which a
small portion of rum and oil was given her,
she was then wrapped in a blanket and put to
bed—by which means she was perfectly restored.
On the dissection of children dying of
this disorder, a thick glutinous matter has
been found covering the lungs, which prevented
due respiration.

FOR SALE.

THE time of a negro girl, who has to
serve about five years and six months.
Apply to the printers.
February, 1809.

TAKEN UP ADRIFT.

OFF Hacket's Point, A LARGE BATTLEAU,
twenty-seven feet six inches
long, five feet eight inches wide, three
locks aside, and a large ring in her bow,
appearingly built last summer. Any person
proving property, paying the expense of
advertising, &c. on applying to the subscriber,
living at Hacket's Point, may have the
Battleau as above described.

JAMES MOSS, Gen.
February 5, 1809.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remainng in the Post-Office, Annapolis,
December 31, 1808.

THOMAS AUSTIN, John Sprigg,
Belt, John Brice (2), Robert Bailey,
Nancy Brown, J. Boyle, Lewis Bianchi,
Clerk of the Land-Office, Henry James Carroll,
Ira Cole, Martha Coulter, Henrietta Gourley,
John Dove, Thomas Dorsey, Jno. Drew,
John Davidson, Lydia Dodson, Elizabeth Ezebel,
Elizabeth Foxcroft, Mary Ann Folks,
Rosetta French, William Gwynn,
J. Carvil Hall, John Hopkins, Sarah Jones,
Julia Jones, William Kilty, Moses C. Legg,
John Murray, Ann Ogle, John Purviance,
Mr. Prince, Simeon Retailiack, Richard Randall,
John Stevenion (3), Joseph Sprigg, Peter Smick,
Matthew Sten, Clary Smith, James Talton, Peter Trusty,
Henry Ward, John B. Weems (2), William Wells (3),
Wm. Whetcroft, Daniel Wells, Charles Waters,
Malanton Willsey, Annapolis.

William Brogden, John and Edward Colinton,
O. S. Harwood, William Hall, 3d, Henry A. Johnson,
Philip Jones, or Caleb Warfield, Noble Stockett,
Robert Thomas, John Worthington, Anne-Arundel county.

S. GREEN, P. M.
The above letters will not be delivered
without the money.

In CHANCERY, January 27, 1809.
ORDERED, That the sale made by GEORARD
H. SNOWDEN, trustee for the sale of the real
estate of JOHN CONAWAY, be confirmed, unless
cause to the contrary be shewn on or before
the 25th of March next, provided a copy of
this order be inserted in the Maryland Gazette
three weeks successively before the 25th of
February next.

The report states, that one hundred acres
sold at six dollars per acre.

True copy,
NICHOLAS BREWER,
Reg. Cur. Can.

In CHANCERY, January 25, 1809.
ORDERED, That the sales made by
JOHN JOHNSON, the trustee for the sale of the
real estate of ALLEN QUINN, deceased, be
confirmed on the 25th day of March next,
unless cause be then shewn to the contrary,
provided a copy of this order be inserted in
the Maryland Gazette three successive weeks
before the 25th day of February next.

The report states, the house and lot occupied
by John Kilty sold for 2250 dollars; the house
and lot occupied by John Gassaway sold for
1520 dollars; the house and lot occupied by
Thomas Wilmore sold for 400 dollars; the
blacksmith's shop and part of a lot sold for
225 dollars, and the tanyard sold for 265
dollars.

True copy,
NICHOLAS BREWER,
Reg. Cur. Can.

In CHANCERY, January 24, 1809.
ORDERED, that the sales made by BAZIL
BROWN, the trustee for the sale of the real
estate of WILLIAM HAMMOND, deceased, be
confirmed unless exceptions are made against
them or cause shewn to the contrary on or
before the 25th day of March next, provided
this order is inserted in the Maryland Gazette
three successive weeks before the 25th of
February next.

The report states that the dwelling plantation
of the deceased, called The Plains of Annapolis,
supposed to contain 140 acres, sold for
Dolls. 30.00 per acre, and that half an acre
was sold at private sale for £16.

True copy,
NICHOLAS BREWER,
Reg. Cur. Can.

In CHANCERY, January 24, 1809.
ORDERED, that the sale of the real estate
of NICHOLAS L. BARNALL, made and reported
by RICHARD H. HARWOOD, as trustee, be
ratified and confirmed unless cause to the
contrary be shewn, on or before the 25th
day of March next, provided a copy of this
order be inserted three weeks in the Maryland
Gazette before the 25th day of February next.

The report states that 135 1/2 acres of land
were sold at Dolls. 10.00 per acre.

True copy,
NICHOLAS BREWER,
Reg. Cur. Can.

AN OFFER TO TENANTS.

Or those who are willing to build.
I WILL sell or lease, upon very accommodating
terms, the following building lots,
fronting North-West-street, viz. four lots, 21
feet front and 130 feet deep, on Calvert-street,
adjoining the new jail, six lots, 30 feet
front and 101 feet deep, three do. 23 feet
front and 53 feet deep, and on West-street a
corner lot in a most eligible situation which
now has an old frame building on it, 34 feet
front and 120 feet deep. I can give a clear
and indisputable title to the whole of the
above property.
JOHN GOLDR.
January 30, 1809.

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY.

Annapolis, January 5, 1809.
APPLICATION having been made to
the subscriber, in the records of Calvert
county court, by the petition, in writing, of
WILLIAM TYLER, of said county, praying
for the benefit of the act of assembly for
the relief of insolvent debtors, on the terms
mentioned therein, a schedule of his property,
and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far
as he can ascertain them, being annexed
to his said petition, and the subscriber being
satisfied, by sufficient evidence, that the said
William Tyler has resided the two preceding
years within the state of Maryland prior to
the passage of the said act; and the said
William Tyler, at the time of presenting his
petition, having produced, in writing, the
assent of such of his creditors as have due
to them the amount of two-thirds of the debt
due by him at the time of presenting his
petition; and the said William Tyler having
satisfied the subscriber he hath given the
notice prescribed and directed by the acts
relating to insolvent debtors; it is therefore
ordered and adjudged, that the said William
Tyler, by causing a copy of this order to be
inserted in the Maryland Gazette weekly
for three months successively, before the
day of May next, give notice to his creditors
to appear before the judges of Calvert county
court, on the second Monday of May next,
for the purpose of recommending a trustee
for their benefit, on the said William Tyler
then and there taking the oath prescribed by
the said act for delivering up his property.
JEREMIAH TOWNLEY CHASE,
Chief judge of the third judicial
district.

STATE OF MARYLAND, sc.

Anne-Arundel county, orphans court,
January 17, 1809.
ON application by petition, of HENRY
CHILDS, administrator of ELIZABETH
JONES, late of Anne-Arundel county,
deceased, it is ordered, that he give the notice
required by law for creditors to exhibit their
claims against the said deceased, and that the
same be published once in each week for the
space of six successive weeks, in the Maryland
Gazette.

JOHN GASSAWAY, Reg. Will.
Anne Arundel county.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,
THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel
county, hath obtained from the orphans court
of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters
of administration on the personal estate of
ELIZABETH JONES, late of Anne-Arundel
county, deceased. All persons having claims
against the said deceased are hereby warned
to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereon,
to the subscriber, at or before the nineteenth
day of July next, they may otherwise be
excluded from all benefit of the said estate.
Given under my hand, this 17th day of
January, 1809.
HENRY CHILDS, Administrator.

A RUNAWAY.

COMMITTED to my custody as a
runaway, a negro man calling himself
JACK OFFER, and says he belongs to
Ingham Drury, living near Herring
church, in Anne-Arundel county; said
negro appears to be about 22-years of age,
feet 9 inches high, dark complexion,
slender made; his clothing a blue cloth
with yellow buttons, flowered Marceller
white kersey pantaloons, old straw hat,
stockings, and coarse shoes. His owner
desired to take him away, or he will be
as the law directs for prison fees, &c.
JOSEPH M'CENEY, Sheriff of
Anne-Arundel county.
January 20, 1809.

WHITTINGTON & COLLINSON.

HAVE just received a large assortment
of GROCERIES of almost every description,
and as they intend to sell for cash
produce, their goods of course will be sold
on very accommodating terms. Their Nail
factory will be in operation on the first of
January, they will then be ready to furnish
of every description, wrought and cut, on
shortest notice. All orders from the country
or otherwise, will be thankfully received,
and punctually attended to.
N. B. They have a quantity of plank,
bran, and corn, also Alexandria crackers
and loaf sugar.
W. Whittington, of John, requests
persons indebted to him, either by note
open account, to come forward immediately
and settle their respective balances, as
other indulgence cannot be given, necessity
compels him to settle his old business, having
engaged in a firm.

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