

**Poet's Corner.**

**SELECTED.**

**THE REVERIE.**

Dark shadows of the Night,  
Companions of the midnight hour;  
binds his filler o'er my brow.  
Silence guards the lonely Bow'r;  
Come! this restless mind engage,  
The it with retrospective bliss,  
The joys of early life,  
And all the present gloom dismiss.  
One golden minute back  
those when prosperous Fortune smil'd,  
A Friendship smooth'd each passing care,  
A Pleasure's winking voice beguill'd:  
Back those dreams of fond romance  
at lull'd me with their specious name,  
Faith's firm pledge, with Honor's vow,  
And soft deceit and transient flame.  
And toilsome is the path  
When Life's aerial schemes are flown,  
In kind illusions cheat no more,  
And sober Reason claims her own.  
Is then the ardent Patriot's fire?  
Wails the Stoic's boasted aid?  
I hear godlike BRUTUS mourn  
O'er "Virtue's self was but a shade."  
The world's wild desert I survey  
With fainting step and wearless breast;  
In congenial blends with mine,  
Taste no bliss, I feel no rest—  
The bright forms which Fancy drew,  
Or Hope's gay visions cheer my eye;  
Drown the sense of present woe!  
Oh, save me from Reality!

**THE VISIONARY.**

When midnight o'er the moonless skies  
The pall of transient death has spread;  
When mortals sleep, when spectres rise,  
And nought is wakeful but the dead—  
I see the ghost my way pursue  
To bloodless shape my couch annoy  
Faint more sad my fancy views—  
Visions of long departed joys!  
The shade of youthful Hope is there,  
That linger'd long, and latest died;  
Ambition, all dissolv'd to air,  
With phantom honours at her side.  
What empty shadows glimmer nigh?  
They once were Friendship, Truth and Love;  
I die to thought—to mem'ry die,  
Since lifeless to my heart ye prove.

**NAIL FACTORY AND GROCERY STORE.**

THE subscribers have a general assortment of NAILS, Iron, &c. wholesale retail—Also, Corn, Bran, Oats, Bacon, Butter, Lard, Brown Sugar, Alexander Loaf Sugar and Crackers, Tea, Coffee, Molasses, Cogniac Brandy, Jamaica Rum, and a variety of other articles, which completes their assortment—Their terms are cash, produce or negotiable paper. They wish to purchase one or two likely PRO BOYS, from 12 to 16 years of age. Wanted, a young man to attend in their shops, who can come well recommended, understand figures, and can write a good plain hand.

**WHITTINGTON & COLLINSON.**  
N. B. Cash given for old Copper, Pewter, Irons, Lead and Iron, or received in exchange of any of the above articles. W. & C.

Those who have not paid any attention to Wm Whittington's (of John) notice, I please look out, as he is determined to close his old business shortly. 3  
Annapolis, April 4, 1809.

**NOTICE.**

THE subscriber having been required by some of the creditors of William Doyle, Frederick county, an insolvent debtor, to institute an action in Frederick county court against Barbara Stouffer and Joseph Stouffer, executors of Daniel Stouffer, deceased, to recover a legacy left by the said deceased to the estate of the said William Doyle, and the aforesaid creditors having duly indemnified the subscriber according to law—Notice thereof is hereby given to all of the creditors of the said William Doyle, that they may have an opportunity, if they shall think fit, of joining in the petition and indemnification aforesaid, and thereby be entitled to receive rateably what all be recovered in said suit.

4X GEORGE CREAGER, Jun.  
Sheriff Frederick county.  
March 24, 1809.

**FOUND.**

ABOUT the 15th of December last, between the Bodkin and the mouth of Magothy river, a MAINSAIL, with Haulyards &c. The owner may have it again by proving property and paying charges, on application to the subscriber, living on Magothy river. 3X JOHN STEPHENSON.  
March 29, 1809.

**NOTICE.**

INTEND to apply to the judges of Anne-Arundel county court, or to some one of them during the recess of the said court, for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, 1805, and the supplementary acts thereto. THOMAS WHITEFOOT  
March 27, 1809.

**PUBLIC SALE.**

The subscriber, in virtue of a decree of the Court of Chancery, will expose, to public sale, the following property, (formerly owned by William Hammond, deceased,) to wit:

HAMMOND'S RETREAT RESURVEYED, containing, in the whole, 1443 1/2 acres of land. This tract is situate on the head of Severn river, in Anne-Arundel county, and will be divided into two lots.

Lot No. 1 will contain 974 acres, the improvements thereon are a small frame dwelling-house, an overseer's-house, a barn and stable, with several other out houses; also a grist and saw mill in tolerable good repair, about one third of the land is cleared, the rest in wood, partly well timbered.

Lot No. 2 will contain 469 1/2 acres, the improvements a frame dwelling-house, a stone kitchen, and several out buildings, about one half of the land is cleared.

Also two islands at the head of Severn river, containing two acres.

Also a tract of land called Norwood's Fancy Resurveyed, situate on the Round Bay, on the river Severn, and adjoining the plantation of Col. Manadier, and contains 227 1/2 acres, a large proportion of which is meadow land.

Also a small tract called Bachelor's Neglect, containing 15 1/2 acres, situate on Elk Ridge, adjoining the land of Mr. Ely Dorsey, of Frederick county.

A more particular description is thought unnecessary, for those inclined to purchase will examine and judge for themselves, and to enable them to do this, plots of the land will be deposited at the tavern of Mr. Amos Gambrell, adjoining Hammond's Retreat Resurveyed. The sale will be made at the dwelling-house on lot No. 1, on Monday, the twenty-fourth of April next, if fair, if not, the next fair day, and will commence at 12 o'clock. The terms are one fifth of the purchase money on the day of sale, or ratification thereof by the chancellor; the residue in 4 equal annual payments, with interest from the day of sale.

And the subscriber will, on the 28th day of April next, at the tavern of Mr. William Glover, expose, in the city of Annapolis, to public sale, on the same terms as above mentioned, the reversionary interest the said William Hammond held in three lots of ground adjoining said city, now under ground rent, one of £. 9; one of £. 7 10, and the other of £. 20. A particular description will be given on the day of sale.

BASIL BROWN, Trustee.

March 17, 1809.

The Editors of the Federal Gazette and the American, at Baltimore, Fredericktown Herald, the National Intelligencer, and Mr. Smith's paper at Easton, are requested to insert the above in their papers once a week four times, and send their accounts to the post-master at Annapolis. 5X

**BALTIMORE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**

THE President and Directors hereby give notice, that they require from the stockholders the payment of a third installment of Five Dollars on each share of stock of the said company, to be made at the Mechanics Bank of Baltimore, on the first Monday in June next, the 5th day of the month.

By order,

THEOPHILUS F. DAUGHERTY,  
Secretary.

Baltimore, March 8, 1809.

**ANNE-ARUNDEL COUNTY, SC.**

ON application to me, the undersigned, in the recess of the court, as an associate judge of the third judicial district of Maryland, by petition, in writing, of JASPER E. TILLY, of Anne-Arundel county, praying for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said acts, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, as far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his petition; and the said Jasper E. Tilly having satisfied me, by competent testimony, that he has resided in the State of Maryland two years immediately preceding the time of his application, having also stated in his petition that he is now in actual confinement for debts which he is unable to pay, and having prayed to be discharged from confinement on the terms prescribed in the said acts, I do therefore order, and adjudge that the said Jasper E. Tilly be discharged from his imprisonment, and by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, weekly, for three months before the first day of July next, to give notice to his creditors to appear before the county court of said county, at 12 o'clock on the third Monday in September next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to shew cause, if any they have, why he the said Jasper E. Tilly should not have the benefit of the several acts of assembly for the relief of insolvent debtors.

Given under my hand this 24th day of February, one thousand eight hundred and nine.

RICHARD H. HARWOOD.

**PUBLIC SALE.**

By virtue of an order of the Orphans Court of Anne-Arundel county, the subscriber will sell, at public sale, on WEDNESDAY, the third day of May next, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter, at the Farm of JOHN GWINN, Esquire, deceased, on Deep creek, in Anne-Arundel county,

ALL the personal estate of the said deceased at the said Farm, consisting of a number of valuable Negroes, Household Furniture, Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Hogs and Farming utensils.

The terms of sale are, for all sums under £. 10 the cash to be paid on the day of sale, and for all sums above £. 10 a credit of ten months will be given, the purchaser giving bond, with approved security, with legal interest thereon from the day of sale.

The sale to commence at 11 o'clock, and to be continued until the whole is sold.

The Farm may be rented, and immediate possession given.

TH: HARRIS, Jun. Adm'r.

April 4, 1809. 3

**PUBLIC SALE.**

Pursuant to a decree in the high Court of Chancery of Maryland, for the sale of sundry Negroes, the property of THOMAS LYLES, Esq. and appointing the subscriber Trustee for making the same, will be exposed to public sale, at the house of said Lyles, in Prince-George's county, near Queen-Anne, on MONDAY, the 1st day of May next, if fair, if not fair, the first fair day thereafter,

SUNDRY valuable Negroes, men and women, amongst which are good carpenters and shoemakers.

The purchaser or purchasers to give bond, with approved security, for payment of the purchase money, with interest thereon, within twelve months after the day of sale.

BENJ. HODGES, Trustee.

AT THE SAME TIME AND PLACE, Will be offered for Sale, sundry articles of Household and Kitchen Furniture, amongst which are several valuable feather beds.

ALSO

Some valuable Stock, consisting of Horses, Cattle and Sheep.

The sale to commence at 11 o'clock, and the property all to be sold without reserve.

BENJ. HODGES.

April 4, 1809. 3

**PUBLIC SALE.**

By virtue of an order from the Orphan's Court of Anne-Arundel county, the subscribers will expose to public sale, on Thursday, the 18th day of May next, if fair, if not, the next fair day,

THE remainder of the personal estate of Rezin Hammond, of Charles, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, consisting of several valuable Negroes, (among which is a valuable Carpenter, 27 years of age,) several valuable beds with bedsteads and furniture, a large sideboard of mahogany, with many convenient drawers in it, as also some valuable mahogany tables, and many other articles.

The terms of sale are ready Cash, to be paid immediately on the day of sale.

The sale will be at the late residence of the deceased, within two miles of the city of Baltimore, in Anne-Arundel county, near to the Patapsco lower ferry, and will commence at 10 o'clock, A. M.

HENRY EVANS,  
BARUCH FOWLER.

April 11, 1809. 2

**NOTICE.**

THE subscriber being anxious to settle his business in Annapolis, requests all persons indebted to him to settle their accounts with GEO. SHAW, by cash, or notes at a short date, and those to whom he may be indebted to present their accounts immediately. Peculiar circumstances render this notice necessary, and it is important to the subscriber that it should meet with attention. He will be necessitated to resort to legal measures against all defaulters.

THOS: SHAW, Frederick-town.

April, 1809. 3X

**TEN DOLLARS REWARD.**

FOR stopping and detaining a small Boat, rigged sloop fashion, which said boat was formerly the property of Mr. Levering, of Baltimore—She is now, or was put in the possession of, a certain William Cooke, and from circumstances I believe the said Cooke has an intention of going off with her, or selling her—This is to forewarn all persons from purchasing the said boat, as she belongs to me, and he has no authority from me to dispose of her, and to request all persons to stop the said Cooke and Boat, so that I shall get her again, and they shall receive the above reward.

ROBERT DUNWOODY.

April 4, 1809. 3

**WANTED TO HIRE BY THE YEAR.**

A WOMAN, who is a good plain cook, and who can come well recommended. To such a one liberal wages will be given. Inquire of the printers. 13X

**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. 15X SAMUEL J. COOLIDGE.

**THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE.**

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans Court of Anne-Arundel county, letters of administration on the personal estate of DAVID BUCKMAN, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to produce them, legally authenticated, and those in any manner indebted to make payment to

ESTHER BUCKMAN, Adm'r.  
April 10, 1809. 2

**THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE.**

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of said county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of JOHN SEPH COWMAN, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the fifth day of October next, they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this fifth day of April, 1809. 3X

JOHN HALL, Administrator.

In CHANCERY, April 4, 1809.

ORDERED, That the sale made by LOUIS C. GASSAWAY, trustee for the sale of the real estate of SMITH PRICE, deceased, be ratified and confirmed, unless to the contrary be shown on or before the first day of June next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Maryland Gazette three successive weeks before the first day of May next.

The report states, that a lot of ground without the city of Annapolis, with several houses thereon, sold for 625 dollars.

True copy,

NICHOLAS BREWER,  
Reg. Cur. Can. 3X

In CHANCERY, April 8, 1809.

ON the report of the Auditor of the claims against the estate of JAMES CUMMINGS, deceased, it is ordered, that the said claims will be decided on after the 8th day of June next, on application being made; provided a copy of this order is published in the Maryland Gazette three successive weeks before the 1st day of June next, or served on the several claimants after mentioned. The claims objected to the auditor's report are those of Lutz Shipley, Nicholas Hall, George Hobbs, and Mathew Steene.

True copy,

NICHOLAS BREWER,  
Reg. Cur. Can. 2

BY HIS EXCELLENCY

ROBERT WRIGHT, ESQUIRE,  
GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND

**A PROCLAMATION.**

WHEREAS the executive of the State of Delaware, hath lately demanded of the executive of Maryland, a certain PURNEL CARTY, as a fugitive from justice, alleged to be at large in Talbot county, and hath transmitted an affidavit, dated the 24th day of November, eighteen hundred and eight, charging said Purnel Carty with a felony, in kidnapping a certain Hester Carty and her two children—I have therefore issued this my proclamation, authorizing and enjoining it on all civil officers, and others, of this State, to arrest and commit Purnel Carty, to the jail of the county in which he may be found, and to give notice thereof to the executive of Maryland, and the executive of Delaware may be duly satisfied thereof, that he may be brought to agreeably to the act of congress in such provided.

Given under my hand and the seal of the State of Maryland, at the city of Annapolis, this ninth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and nine, and of the independence of the United States of America the thirty-third.

ROBERT WRIGHT

By his excellency's command,

NINIAN PINKNEY

Clerk of the council.

ORDERED, That the foregoing proclamation be published twice a week for six weeks in the American and Federal Gazette, and in the Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis, the National Intelligencer, the Republic Advocate, at Frederick-town, the Maryland Herald, at Hagers-town, and in Mr. Smith's paper, at Easton. 9

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