

POET'S CORNER.

For the Maryland Gazette.

To Mrs. P...R, at York-Town.

The following Ode, (never before in print.) was written by Miss Lee on Mrs. P...R, while the latter was at York Springs for her Health—June, 1778.

HEALTH to my friend—compell'd by pale disease,

In distant climes, to woo the Northern breeze; O! may those breezes on their balmy wing, Sweet rofeat Health, & smiling gladness bring; Still on her cheek, may beauty's blushes glow; Unstain'd by sorrow, each white minute flow; Far, far from here, may pallid sickness fly, May laughing loves once more resume her eye,

And gentlest peace indulgent Heaven supply. In days of yore, in ancient Greece & Rome To Health's blest powers, they raised the hal- low'd dome;

Hygeia's Fane, unnumber'd vot'ries crowd, At Pæans altars, suppliant millions bow'd; Long since exploded were those rites profane, Or, could I hope their influence to obtain, With lavish incense would I strew their shrine, And tune my lyre to sing their praise divine; In votive Hymns the Deities implore, Eliza's Health and Spirits to restore; But tho' to fabled Gods no more we bow, Nor Delos boasts its crowded altars now, Yet Powers there are, who will indulgent hear, From Friendship's shrine, an ardent heart-taught pray'r;

Some smiling Seraph shall well pleas'd descend, On fair Eliza's vigils to attend.

When the sweet influence on the drowsy bed Mourns health & ease, & peaceful slumbers fled, At this still hour with balmy soft repose, Thou heavenly guardian her fair eyelids close, With brightest dreams, her gentle bosom blest, Celestial scenes on her soft soul impress; Till restoration bids life's purple tide Thro' sapphire veins in healthful measures glide.

When smiling morn awakes the rosy hours, May pleasure lead her to the misty bow'rs, Where the Codorus winds its silvery stream, There haste to catch the morning's earliest beam, For ake the downy bed, when first the dawn, Streams its bright tints o'er every dew-pearl'd lawn,

At this sweet hour, how gay the flow'rs appear, And breathe their odours thro' the ambient air, The feather'd choir on every quivering spray, Chant their sweet matins to the rising day; While music charms & fragrance thus invites, Arise and taste kind nature's pure delights, Far from the couch of sloth, health's vot'ries rove,

The grove, the vale, or mountains brow they love.

May dear Eliza, foremost in the train, That health she wants from exercise obtain, May love and friendship long that health endear, May smiling hope, each fleeting moment cheer, And every blessing crown the rolling year.

From the Anthology.

CARE and LOVE.

GAY Love one morning, breathing sweets, With flowers and myrtle's flaunting, Encountering Care in Hymen's Streets, Thus spake in accents taunting:

"Why do you damp the glowing mind? Why chill the ardent bosom? When I fond hearts together bind, 'Tis you attempt to loose them.

When I the cheek with roses strew, The lip with nectar sprinkle, You dry the lip, contract the brow, And give the cheek a wrinkle.

When I give life its sweetest charm, And wake its keenest relish, You fill the bosom with alarm, And mar what I embellish."

"Peace" answer'd Care, "your taunts forego, Truth frowns at your perversion, For every lasting joy, you know, Depends on my exertion.

When fortune smiles you give delight, You teach the heart to languish, But when distress and want unite, You but increase the anguish.

While I extend my guardian powers, To hearts by you united, But for my aid your wreath of flowers, By frosts would soon be blighted,

Cease then, and we'll our efforts join, To increase and guard life's treasure; The task to shield from ills be mine, Be yours to heighten pleasure.

Humanity of Judge Powell.

Jane Wenham was tried for witchcraft before him; her adversaries swore she could fly: "Prisoner can you fly?" "Yes my lord" "Well then you may; there is no law against flying." She lost her character, but saved her life; for he would not convict even by confession.

MARYLAND,

Anne-Arundel county, to wit.

ON application to me the subscriber, in the recel of Anne-Arundel county court, as one of the associate judges of the third judicial district of Maryland, by petition, in writing, of Thomas Whitefoot, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, one thousand eight hundred and five, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his petition; and the said Thomas Whitefoot having fastified me, by competent testimony, that he has resided in the state of Maryland for the period of two years immediately preceding this his application, and the constable of Anne-Arundel county having certified, that the said petitioner is in his custody for debt only; and the said Thomas Whitefoot having given sufficient security for his personal appearance at Anne-Arundel county court, to answer such allegations as may be made against him by his creditors—I do therefore order and adjudge, that the said Thomas Whitefoot be discharged from his imprisonment, and that he, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some one of the public news-papers in Anne-Arundel county for two months successively before the 17th of September next, give notice to his creditors to appear before Anne-Arundel county court, in the city of Annapolis, on the said 17th September next, at 10 o'clock in the morning, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to shew cause, if any they have, why the said Thomas Whitefoot should not have the benefit of the said act, and supplements thereto, as prayed. Given under my hand and seal, this 25th day of June, 1810.

HENRY RIDGELY, Associate Judge third Judicial District.

Anne-Arundel county, to wit.

ON application to me the subscriber, in the recels of the court, as one of the judges of the third judicial district of the state of Maryland, by petition, in writing, of James Hiatt, of Anne-Arundel county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, and the supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his petition; and the said James Hiatt having fastified me, by competent testimony, that he hath resided in the state of Maryland for two years immediately preceding the time of his application, and having also stated in said petition, that he is now in actual confinement for debt, and not on account of any breach of the laws of this state, or of the United States, and having produced to me the certificate of the constable of Anne-Arundel county to that effect, and prayed to be discharged from said confinement on the terms prescribed by the said act, and having given security for his personal appearance at September court next, to answer any allegations that may be made against him by his creditors. I do therefore hereby order and adjudge, that the same James Hiatt be discharged from his confinement; and that by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some one of the news-papers of Anne-Arundel county for two months successively before the 17th September next, he give notice to his creditors to appear before the county court, at the courthouse in the said county, at 10 o'clock in the morning of the said day, to shew cause, if any they have, why the said James Hiatt should not have the benefit of the several acts of assembly of this state for the relief of insolvent debtors, as prayed. Given under my hand and seal, this twenty-fifth of June, 1810.

HENRY RIDGELY, Associate Judge third Judicial District.

Wanted Immediately,

IN the neighbourhood of Rhode river, a person who is well qualified to teach the English Language, grammatically; also writing and arithmetic in all its branches. Any one, so qualified, and who can come well recommended for his sobriety, industry and unexceptionable moral character, will meet with good encouragement, by applying to either of the subscribers.

WM. STEUART, WM. BROGDEN, JOSEPH WATKINS, JOSEPH N. STOCKETT, WM. SANDERS, Dr. JOHN GASSAWAY. July 14, 1810.

Rags. Cash given for clean Linen & Cotton RAGS.

Public Sale.

On Friday the 19th day of October next, will be offered, by the subscriber, at public sale, at Mr. Moore's store, in Charles county, the following tracts of land, viz. LATIMER'S FORBET, Latimer's Second Addition, The Widow's Hardship, and Latimer's part of Baggott's Boot, they all lie contiguous to each other, and in a compact form, as will appear by a plot, which will be shewn at the time and place of sale, containing three hundred and seventy eight acres. Also two other small tracts, lying near or adjacent to the above, and an undivided part of a tract of land, called Mankin's and Latimer's Purchase. Any person wishing to buy at private sale, may be accommodated at any time before the 10th day of October. Should the above lands be sold at private sale, due notice will be given. Terms of sale, one, two and three years credit. Bond, with good security, bearing interest, will be required. An indisputable title will be given on the payment of the whole purchase money, and not before. Tobacco will be received in payment at a fair price. Mr. Francis Green, who now resides on a part of the aforesaid lands, will shew the same to any persons wishing to view the premises.

RICHARD H. HARWOOD, Annapolis, July 20, 1810.

Fifteen Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, living on Hunting Ridge, in Baltimore county, a bright mulatto boy named JOHN, about eleven or twelve years of age, is spare made, and has a down look when spoken to. It is supposed he is now in the city of Annapolis, having been lately seen there. I will give EIGHT DOLLARS REWARD for him, if secured in any gaol, so that I get him again, or FIFTEEN DOLLARS if brought home. BENJAMIN SHIPLEY, Jun. All persons are hereby forewarned from harbouring or carrying off said boy at their peril.

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained letters of administration from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county on the personal estate of Jonathan Sellman, 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 Richard H. Harwood, of said county, on or before the 10th day of March next; and all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby called upon to make immediate payment to Richard H. Harwood, otherwise suits must be commenced against all who fail to make payment.

ANNE E. SELLMAN, Adm'x. July 16, 1810.

Maus and Black's

IMPROVEMENT IN THE Construction of Mills, &c.

BY means of this new invention, of all others yet discovered the most simple and least expensive, families, consisting of twenty or thirty persons, may be suited with a mill adequate to a supply of flour, at an expense less than the value of the toll paid for two years at watermills, exclusive of the trouble of sending to the water or windmill. This invention may be used by hand, by horse power, by wind or water, according to the purposes for which the mill is to be used. A model may be seen at Pinkney and Munroe's store, in Annapolis, where patent rights may be had, to make and use the same under the authority of the subscriber, sole proprietor for Anne-Arundel county.

JOHN GIBSON. N. B. The subscriber will give information as to the mode of applying the power to this machine according to the experience already obtained.

WILLIAM TUCK. J. G.

The Subscriber

TAKES this method of informing his friends and the public, that he has taken the house formerly occupied by captain James Thomas, and lately by Mr. William Brewer, where he intends keeping A PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE. All those who may favour him with their company may depend on his best endeavours to give general satisfaction. WILLIAM TUCK. Annapolis, April 10, 1810.

Notice.

DOCTOR SHAAFF is constrained to make a serious call on all those long indebted to him for payment of their accounts, which are placed in the hands of Mr. Robert Welch, of Ben, for collection, with authority, in cases where it may be necessary, to enforce payment. Annapolis, February 20, 1810.

JUST PUBLISHED, AND FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE, AN APPENDIX TO A

RELIGIOUS COLLOQUY.

Private Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the honourable chancery court of the state of Maryland the subscriber having been appointed trustee for the sale of part of the real estate of ARCHIBALD GISHOLM, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, for the purpose of paying the just debts of said deceased offers at Private Sale the following property, belonging to said estate, viz.

A TRACT of land in Allegany county, called SHAWNEE WAR, containing 474 acres. It lies about 25 miles to the westward of Cumberland, and is of the best quality, having been located at an early period when persons taking up lands in that neighbourhood had their choice. Also lots No. 84, 226, 3127, 4034, 4094, in the same neighbourhood, of 50 acres each, called Soldiers Lots.

The subscriber is also authorized to sell 1500 acres of good patented land in Green Briar county, state of Virginia. Persons inclined to purchase any of the above mentioned property, may know the terms, (which will be low and accommodating,) by applying to George Mackubin, Esq. attorney at law, in the city of Annapolis, Mr. A. Coyle, at the general post-office, City of Washington, or the subscriber on Rhode river, about eight miles from Annapolis.

On the confirmation of the sale by the chancellor, and on the payment of the purchase money, the land will be duly conveyed to the purchaser or purchasers in fee, by

WILSON WATERS, Trustee.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to us on open accounts are requested to call and pay up the same or settle, by note or bond, and discharge, within ten days of the date hereof, or we will sue you on note, bond or assignment, are earnestly called upon for payment, at least for a part, if the whole cannot be paid. Good tobacco will be received in payment at fair market prices; and as all possible indulgence has been given from the commencement of the late embargo to the present time, and as James N. Weems, (one of the firm,) purges removing from this place to Philadelphia in four or five weeks time, it becomes absolutely necessary that speedy settlements should take place. Their business will be continued here. And being grateful to a generous public for past favours, they hope, by keeping an extensive and well chosen assortment of goods, suitable to the seasons, to merit a continuance of their patronage. They have now on hand an assortment of DRY GOODS and SOME GROCERIES, which will be sold cheap for cash or good tobacco, and to punctual customers only on a reasonable credit.

RIDGELY & WEEMS.

They have a few chests of best company CONGO TEA, which will be sold low by the chest or canister.

State of Maryland, sc.

Anne-Arundel County, Orphan's Court,

July 24, 1810. ON application, by petition, of Thomas Harris, Jun. administrator of John Gwin, 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 and one of the Baltimore papers.

JOHN GASSAWAY, Reg. Wills for 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 John Gwin, late of Anne-Arundel 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 24th day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 24th day of July, 1810. TH. HARRIS, Jun. Administrator of John Gwin.

Land for Sale.

THE subscriber will dispose of a tract of land, lying over South river, known by the name of THE SEARCH, adjoining Mr. Osborne S. Harwood's Farm, containing 75 acres, more or less.

Any gentleman desirous of purchasing the above-mentioned, will gain information of the subscriber, living at Mr. Wm. Brewer's tavern, Annapolis.

SAMUEL S. BREWER. Annapolis, Aug. 6, 1810.

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