

POET'S CORNER.

SELECTED.

SUCH THINGS WERE.

SCENES of my youth! ye once were dear,
Though sadly I your charms survey;
I once was wont to linger here,
From early dawn to closing day.
Scenes of my youth! pale sorrow flings
A shade o'er all your beauties now,
And robs the moments of their wings,
That flutter pleasure as they flow,
While to heighten every care,
Reflection tells me—Such things were.
'Twas here a tender fragler grove
To keep my happiness in view;
I smil'd beneath a mother's love,
Who soft compassion ever knew,
In them the virtues all combin'd,
On them I could with faith rely,
To them my heart and soul were join'd,
By mild affection's primal tie;
Who smile in heav'n exempt from care,
Whilst I remember—Such things were.
'Twas here, where calm and tranquil rest
O'erflows the peasant for his toil,
That first in blessing I was blest,
With glowing friendship's open smile,
My friend far distant seem'd to roam,
Now braves the fury of the seas;
He fled his peaceful, happy home,
His little fortune to increase;
While bleeds athen the wound of care,
When I remember—Such things were.
'Twas here, even in this bloomy grove
I fondly gaz'd on Laura's charms,
Who blushing own'd a mutual love,
And sigh'd repulsive in my arm.
Though hard the soul conflicting strife,
Yet Fate, the cruel tyrant, bore
Far from my sight the charms of life,
The lovely maid whom I adore;
'Twould eate my soul of all my care,
Could I forget that—Such things were.
Here first I saw the morn appear
Of guiltless pleasure's shining day;
I met the dazzling brightness here,
Here mark'd the soft declining ray,
Behold the skies, whose streaming light,
Gave splendor to the parting sun,
Now lost in sorrow's sable night,
And all their mingled glories gone!
Till death in pity end my care,
I must remember—Such things were.

THE GLEANER.

DEVOTION is neither private nor public prayers; but prayers, whether private or public, are particular parts or instances of devotion. Devotion signifies a life given or devoted to God. He, therefore, is the devout man, who lives no longer to his own will, or the way and spirit of the world, but to the sole will of God; who confides God in every thing, who serves God in every thing, who makes all the parts of his common life, parts of piety, doing every thing in the name of God, and under such rules as are conformable to his glory. We readily acknowledge, that God alone is to be the rule and measure of our prayers, that in them we are to look wholly unto him, and act wholly for him; that we are only to pray in such a manner, for such things, and such ends, as are suitable to his glory. Now, let any one but find out the reason why he is to be thus strictly pious in his prayers, and he will find the same as strong a reason to be as strictly pious in all the other parts of his life. For the only reason why our prayers should have nothing in them but what is wise, and holy, and heavenly, is, that our lives may be of the same nature, full of the same wisdom, holiness, and heavenly tempers, that we may live unto God in the same spirit that we pray unto him. Were it not our strict duty to live by reason, to devote all the actions of our lives unto God, were it not absolutely necessary to walk before him in wisdom and holiness, doing every thing in his name, and for his glory, there would be no excellency or wisdom in the most heavenly prayers. Nay, such prayers would be absurdities; they would be like prayers for wings, when it was no part of our duty to fly. As fire, therefore, as there is any wisdom in praying for the spirit of God, so sure is it, that we are to make that spirit the rule of all our actions. As sure as it is our duty to look wholly unto God in our prayers, so sure is it, that it is our duty to live wholly unto God in our lives. So that unreasonable and absurd ways of life, whether in labour or diversion, whether they consume our time, or our money, are like unreasonable and absurd prayers, and are as truly an offence unto God.

For this selection I am indebted to Law's Serious Call, a work which stands high in the estimation of christians of every denomination, and of which it is no mean praise to say that Dr. Johnson acknowledged, that it was the first which aroused him to the consideration of religious truths.

It is for want of knowing, or at least considering this, that we see such a mixture of ridicule in the lives of some people. You see them strict as to some times and places of devotion; but when the service of the church is over, they are like those that seldom or never come there. In their way of life, their manner of spending their time and money, in their cares and fears, their pleasures and indulgencies, in their labour and diversions, they are like the rest of the world. It is this which makes the loof part of the world point their ridicule against those that are devout; because they see their devotion goes no farther than their prayers; that they live by the same humour of fancy, and in as full an enjoyment of all the follies of life, as other people. This is the reason why they are the jest and scorn of the irreligious, not because they are really devoted to God, but because they appear to have no other devotion but that of occasional prayers. [Monitor.]

B. CURRAN,

Has opened at the store formerly occupied by the late firm of Michael & B. Curran, A HANDSOME ASSORTMENT OF Spring Goods,

Purchased at Philadelphia on the best terms. Consisting of the following articles, viz: Cloths and Cassimeres, Long and short Nankeens, Blue Nankeens and Seerfickers, White Marilles, Jeanes and Royal Rob Watteating, Cotton Cassimeres, Victory Wave and Printed Coatings, Ladies and Gentlemen's Silk & Cotton Stockings, Extra Long and Short, White and Coloured Kid & Beaver Gloves, Cambric and Common Dunties, Cambric and Fancy Mullins, A variety of Calicoes and Shawls, Figured and Plain Leno Mullins, Victory Net and Leno, worked, Handkerchiefs, Leno Long Shawls and Veils, 4-4 7 8 and 3-4 Irish Linens, Cotton Table Cloths and Diaper, Bed Ticking and Furniture Calicoes, White and Blue India Cottons, Stripes, Checks, and Romal, H'kfs. Cotton Lace and Ribbons, Sewing Silk and Threads, Bandanna Handkerchiefs and M. Madras, do. White Florence Silk and Italian Grape, Black Sattins, Florentine and Silk, Suspenders of various kinds, Silk and Cotton Umbrellas,

And many other articles in the dry good way not enumerated, all of which will be sold low for cash. Annapolis, May 22, 1811.

In Chancery,

May 18, 1811.

ORDERED, That the sale made and reported by James Hunter, trustee for the sale of the real estate of William Glover, deceased, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn on or before the 15th day of July next; provided a copy of this order be inserted once in each of three successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette, before the 15th day of June next. The report states, that a house and lot in the city of Annapolis sold for 1280 dollars.

True copy 2 Test. NICHAS. BREWER, Reg. Cur. Can.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber intends applying to the judges of Anne-Arundel county court, at the next September term, for the benefit of the infant law and its supplements. JEREMIAH COOKE. A. A. county, May 21, 1811. 8w.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims against James P. Maynard, of the city of Annapolis, are hereby requested to present the same, properly authenticated, to the subscriber, (to whom the said James P. Maynard has conveyed all his property, in trust, for the use of his creditors), on or before the first Monday in August next, on which day a dividend will be made amongst them of all monies then in hand. Creditors not complying with this notice will be excluded from all benefit of the funds on that day in the hands of the trustee. THOS. H. BOWIE, Trustee. April 24, 1811. 3 tA1.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber having obtained letters of administration on the estate of Samuel Green, late of the city of Annapolis, deceased, all persons indebted to him are requested to make immediate payment, and those who have claims against him to present their accounts, legally authenticated for payment. ROBT. DENNY, Admr. Annapolis, Feb. 25, 1811.

PAUL'S DOMESTIC INFALLIBLE COLUMBIAN OIL.

THE inventor of this highly esteemed medicine is a native of America, and the composition is the production of American soil, consequently it is in every sense of the word domestic, it is not puffed up with a numerous train of pompous foreign certificates of persons from whom by the great distance that separates us 'tis impossible to obtain information, therefore the public has better security for their money as there cannot be the least shadow of deception to cover his medicine, for he simply appears before the community with his invention and an experimental detail of the various cases in which it really is so wonderfully efficacious, and in which he is supported by the following certificates of respectable characters, whose names are not only subscribed, but their persons may be also consulted, being residents within the circle of our own neighbourhood. The following are the complaints in which the Columbian Oil has been found so efficacious and rarely ever fails of effecting a cure, viz: Rheumatism, Consumption, Pains in any parts of the body, but particularly in the back and breast, Colds and Coughs, Toothach, Pleuritic, Cholera, Cramps, External and Internal Bruises, Sprains and Flesh Wounds, Scalds and Burns, Whooping Cough & Mumps, and Dysentary or Bloody Flux, Grip and the summer complaint in children, and in a weak stomach that is caused by indigestion, a constant sinking and loss of appetite, it will act as a powerful bracer to the relaxed fibre and restore it to its proper tone.

It seems also as if nature had ranked it first of the class of all perforals and expectorals for the relief of the breast and lungs, as it rarely ever fails of removing obstructions in either, particularly those who are troubled with Asthma or Asthmatic complaints, who in the act of walking fast, stooping or lying down, are almost suffocated, half a teaspoonful of the Columbian Oil will tender some relief instantaneously, and if continued agreeable to the directions in such cases, will prove a radical cure by producing the full power of inflation to the lungs and free expansion to the breast.

CERTIFICATES OF ITS EFFICACY.

No. 1. Sept. 1809. I do certify, that I have been ailing nearly two years with a hectic cough and violent impression at the breast—I applied to the most eminent physicians and could get no relief from my low state of health, until I got Paul's Columbian Oil, and found immediate relief. I take this method of informing the public of the efficacy of this valuable medicine, from the cures which I have experienced—I think it an incumbent duty to enter the same to the public.

ELISHA SOWARD.

Baltimore No. 16, Water-street, sign of the plough.

No. 2. Sept. 1809.

From the great benefit I received from your Columbian Oil, I am induced to state, I was taken with a violent sorethroat, about the 26th of August, which continued till the first of the month, when I applied your oil externally, and washed the part affected with the oil diluted in the same quantity of molasses, which took away pieces of purrid flesh and healed my throat in about 48 hours.

N. B. I also certify, that I nursed my grandchild, and infant of 17 months old which was taken about the first of August with slow fevers and loss of appetite. We immediately applied for a physician, who gave every attention for about 10 days but all to no effect; the child was given up by the physicians, and had every appearance of death, when I applied for Paul's Columbian Oil, and gave five drops morning and evening, for five days, when the child began to recover, and is now in perfect health.

MARY UNDERWOOD.

Baltimore, by Peter's Bridge.

No. 3. Sept. 6.

I hereby certify, that I had a cough and pain in my stomach for upwards of two years, when I was recommended to Paul's Columbian Oil. I procured one phial of that valuable medicine, which has restored me to a good state of health again.

THOMAS ELLIOTT.

On the Hook's-town road near the turnpike gate.

No. 4. Feb. 12, 1809.

I have great reason to be very thankful for being recommended to Paul's Columbian Oil I had been afflicted with a violent pain in my back, so that I was not able to walk. I procured one phial of the oil, and I received immediate relief, & I have been very well ever since.

N. B. I had a violent toothach about two or three months ago, when I dropped a few drops of the above oil on some lint, and applied it to the tooth affected, and I received immediate relief.

ELEANOR ELLIOTT.

No. 5.

I comply with your request of stating my opinion of Paul's Columbian Oil, being an effectual remedy for the tetter worm. I have been afflicted with the tetter in my hand for 12 years, and have made trial of many medicines which have been recommended, but all to no effect. Hearing of Paul's Columbian Oil, about the 15th of January last, proving an effectual cure for the ringworm and similar complaints. I immediately got a phial of your Oil, and applied it agreeably to the directions for about two months successively—when the tetter left me, and has not made its appearance since.

SUSANNA PURDEN.

N. B. My Susanna, a child aged 20 months & 6 days, was taken about the middle of July last, with a violent cough, which the neighbours said was the whooping cough; I gave her six drops of the Columbian Oil, which gave immediate relief, and proved an effectual cure. Saratoga street, Baltimore, Aug. 21, 1809.

The above valuable Medicine for sale by Childs & Shaw.

Anne-Arundel County, SC.

APPLICATION being made to me, the subscriber, in the records of Anne-Arundel county court, by petition, in writing, of William M. Chaney, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of 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, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his petition, and the said William M. Chaney having satisfied me by competent testimony, that he has resided in the state of Maryland for the two years immediately preceding the time of his application, having also stated in his petition that he is now in confinement for debt, and praying to be discharged from confinement, I therefore order and adjudge, that the said William M. Chaney be discharged from his imprisonment, and that by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette weekly for three months successively before the first day of August next, give notice to his creditors to appear before Anne-Arundel county court on the third Monday in September next, to shew cause why the said William M. Chaney should not have the benefit of the said several acts as prayed. Given under my hand this 19th day of March, 1811.

RICHARD H. HARWOOD.

Tell. 9 WM. S. GREEN, cl.

William Brewer

INFORMS his friends and the public generally, that he has again taken the UPRIS TAVERN, at Annapolis, which he has occupied for the last year. To his old customers he thinks it sufficient to promise that their future accommodations shall be equal to what they have heretofore received; and as gamblers have become more fashionable than the due performance of them, he is unwilling to make many, and will therefore only lay out nothing on his part shall be wanting to satisfy those who may choose to favour him with their custom. He cannot omit this opportunity of tendering his sincere thanks to those who have favoured him with their custom since his commencement in this line of business, and willing to appeal to them for an unremitting exertions to please, he feels confident that he shall receive a continuance of their patronage. 10

MARYLAND,

Anne-Arundel county, SC.

ON application to me, the subscriber, in the records of Anne-Arundel county court, an associate Judge of the third Judicial district of Maryland, by petition, in writing, of Benjamin Reeder, of said county, praying the benefit of an act for the relief of insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen 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 Benjamin Reeder having satisfied me, by competent testimony, that he has resided in the state of Maryland for the period of two years immediately preceding his application, and the sheriff of Anne-Arundel county having certified that the said petitioner is in his custody for debt only, and the said Benjamin Reeder 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 therefore order and adjudge, that the said Benjamin Reeder be discharged from his imprisonment; and that he be causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the public news-paper of the city of Annapolis, once every week for three months successively, before the third Monday in September next, give notice to his creditors to appear before Anne-Arundel county court at 10 o'clock A. M. of the third Monday in September next, to shew cause, if any they have, why the said Benjamin Reeder should not have the benefit of the said act and supplements as prayed. Given under my hand this twenty-fourth day of March, 1811.

HENRY RIDGELY, Associate Judge third Judicial district.

Tell. 8 WM. S. GREEN, Clk.

JUST PUBLISHED, And for Sale at the Office of the Maryland Gazette, THE LAWS OF MARYLAND, PASSED NOVEMBER SESSION, 1810. Price—One Dollar.

ANNAPOLIS: PRINTED BY JONAS GREEN.

Price—Two Dollars per Annum.

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MEDLEY.

FINELY formed and beautiful BA HORSE, upwards of fifteen hands high, bred by general Ridgely's celebrated horse Medley, out of a full bred mare of color, and of a full bred male of color, named Donnell's, will stand this season at West River, at eight dollars the first year, and one dollar to the groom, (polling gratis) to be paid when the mares are taken in money, or corn at 3 dollars per bushel, or wheat at 180 cents, or oats at 50 cents per bushel. WILLIAM PRITCHARD, Manager. March 16, 1811.

NEW GOODS.

H. G. MUNROE,

In addition to his Extensive Assortment of Fine and Fancy Goods, German Linens, Ironmongery, Stationary & Groceries, just received,

Has this day opened a Case of Men's London Beaver Hats, Best Quality and most Fashionable, Lump and Piece Sugar, Cut Nails and Brads, the best of the kind, at the timore Factory Prices.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of vendition exponens directed, out of the court of appeals the western shore of the state of Maryland will be exposed to Public Sale, on Sunday, the eighth day of June next, on premises, for Cash,

ALL the right, title and interest, of I and Harrison and Walter Harrison, in two pieces or parcels of land to wit TRANT, in the possession of the former HURT'S MOUNT, in the possession of latter, containing altogether nearly 300 acres of land, situated in the lower part Anne-Arundel county, near the Meeting-House; late the property of Richard Harrison and Walter Harrison, and taken at the suit of Nicholas No. Sale to commence at eleven o'clock, A. M. JOSEPH M'GENE, Late Sheriff A. A. Court.

Private Sale.

THE subscribers being authorized by the rector, vestry and church wardens, James's Parish, in Anne-Arundel county, to dispose of the Glebe Land adjoining Piggs offer, at private sale, the afore said being part of a tract of land belonging said parish, lying on the Patuxent, to contain about five hundred acres, which is a comfortable dwelling-house, kitchen house, &c. It is thought unnecessary to give a particular description of the land, it is supposed those wishing to purchase view the premises. This land will be gathered, or in lots, as may be most acceptable, on a credit of one, two, three or equal annual payments. Any person to purchase will be shewn the premises, the price made known, by applying to the subscribers.

THOMAS SELLMAN, JACOB FRANKLIN, A. A. county, May 9, 1811.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS my wife, MARY GREEN, has without any just cause, eloped from my bed and board, and has refused to return to my house, although repeatedly desired to do so, I hereby forewarn all persons trading her on my account, as I am bound from this date to pay no debts contracted. I hereby inform the public that the said Mary is now living in open and has so conducted herself, that her contracting can be recovered from and I caution all persons to take they give her credit for any thing she purchases of her. THOMAS GREEN, May 12, 1811.

TICKETS.

IN the Washington Monument of Baltimore, to be had at the different Offices, of the Managers, at the Shipping Sec'y's Baltimore; of Mr. Green and Mr. Horatio G. Munroe, Aug. 18. Letters (post paid) enclosing for tickets, will be attended to.