POET'S CORNER.

ON SOLITUDE.

[*The following is extracted from a beautiful POEM, written by* HENRY KIRKE WHITE, *Esq.*]

IT is not that my lot is low,
That bids this silent tear to flow;
It is not grief that bids me mourn,
It is that I am all alone.

In woods and glens I love to roam,
When the tir'd hedger hies him home;
Or by the woodland pool to rest,
When pale the star looks on its breast.

Yet when the silent evening sighs,
With hallow'd airs and symphonies,
My spirit takes another tone,
And sighs that it is all alone.

The autumn leaf is sear'd and dead,
It floats upon the water's bed;
I would not be a leaf to die
Without recording sorrow's sigh;

The woods and winds, with sullen wail,
Tell all the same unvaried tale;
I've none to smile when I am free,
And when I sigh to sigh with me;

Yet in my dreams a form I view,
That thinks on me and loves me too;
I start, and when the vision's flown,
I weep that I am all alone.

FROM A SERMON ON THE AUTUMN.

Text—"*And Isaac went out to meditate in the Field, at the even tide.*"—Gen. 24, 63.

THERE is an "*even tide*" in the *day*—an hour when the sun retires, and the shadows fall, and when nature assumes the appearance of soberness and silence. It is an hour from which every where the thoughtless fly, as peopled only in their imagination with images of gloom; it is the hour on the other hand, which in every age, the wise have loved, as bringing with it sentiments and affections more valuable than all the splendors of the day.

Its first impression is to still the turbulence of thought or passion which the day may have brought forth. We follow with our eye the descending sun; we listen to the decaying sounds of labour and of toil—and, when all the fields are silent around us, we feel a kindred stillness to breathe upon our souls, and to calm them from the agitations of society. From this first impression, there is a second, which naturally follows it—In the *day* we are living with men—in the "*even tide*" we begin to live with *nature;* we see the world withdrawn from us—the shades of night darken over the habitations of men, and we feel ourselves alone. It is an hour fitted as it would seem, by Him who made us, to still, but with gentle hand, the throb of every unruly passion and the ardour of every impure desire; and, while it veils for a time the world that misleads us, to awaken in our hearts those legitimate affections which the heat of the day may have dissolved. There is yet a farther scene it presents to us. While the world withdraws from us, and while the shades of the evening darken upon our dwellings, the splendors of the firmament come forward to our view. In the moments when earth is overshadowed, heaven opens to our eyes the radiance of a sublimer Being; our hearts follow the successive splendors of the scene; and while we forget, for a time the obscurity of earthly concerns, we feel that there are "*yet greater things than these.*"

There is, in the second place, an "*even tide*" in the year—a season when the sun withdraws his propitious light; when the winds arise, and the leaves fall and nature around us seems to sink into decay. It is said, in general, to be the season of melancholy; and if, by this be meant that it is the time of solemn and of serious thought, it is undoubtedly the season of melancholy, yet, it is a melancholy so soothing, so gentle, in its approach, and so prophetic in its influence, that they who have known it, feel, as instinctively, that it is the doing of God, and that the heart of man is not thus finely touched, but to fine issues.

When we go into the fields in the evening of the year, a different voice approaches us.—We regard even in spite of ourselves, the still but steady advances of time. A few days ago, and the summer of the year was grateful, and every element was filled with life, and the sun of Heaven seemed to glory in his ascendant.—He is now enfeebled in his power; the desert no more "*blossoms like the rose;*" the song of joy is no more heard among the branches, and the earth is strewed with that foliage which once bespoke the magnificence of summer. Whatever may be the passions which society has awakened, we pause amid this apparent desolation of nature. We sit down at the lodge "*of the wayfaring man in the wilderness,*" and we feel that all we witness is the emblem of our own fate. Such also, in a few years, will be our own condition. The blossoms of our Spring—the pride of our Summer, will also fade into decay; and the pulse that now beats high with virtuous or with vicious desire, will gradually sink, and then must stop forever. We rise from our meditations with hearts softened and subdued, and we return into life as in to a shadowy scene, where we have "*disquieted ourselves in vain.*"

Yet a few years, we think, and all that now bless, or all that now convulse humanity, will also have perished. The mightiest pageantry of life will pass—the loudest notes of triumph or of conquest will be silent in the grave——the wicked, wherever active, will cease from troubling, and the weary, wherever suffering, will be at rest. Under an impression so profound, we feel our own hearts better.—The cares, the animosities, the hatreds, which society may have engendered, sink unperceived from our bosoms. In the general desolation of nature, we feel the littleness of our passions;—we look forward to that kindred evening which time must bring to all;—we anticipate the graves of those who hate, and of those who love. Every unkind passion falls with the leaves that fall around us; and we return slowly to our homes, and to the society which surrounds us, with the wish only to enlighten or to bless them.

There is an even tide in human life, a season when the eye becomes dim, and the strength decays, and when the winter of age begins to shed, upon the human head, its prophetic snow. It is the season of life to which the present is most analogous; and much it becomes, & much it would profit you, my eldest brethren, to mark the instructions which the season brings.

The spring and the summer of your days are gone, and with them not only the joys they knew, but many of the friends who gave them.—You have entered upon the autumn of your being; and whatever may have been the profusion of your spring, or the warm intemperance of your summer, there is yet a season of stillness and solitude which the beneficence of Heaven affords you, in which you may meditate upon the past and the future, and prepare yourself for the mighty change which you are soon to undergo.

In the long retrospect of your journey, you have seen every day the shades of the evening fall, and every year the clouds of winter gather. But you have seen also, every succeeding day, the morning arise in its brightness, and in every succeeding year, spring return to renovate the winter of nature. It is now you may understand the magnificent language of Heaven—it mingles its voice with that of revelation—it summons you in these hours, when the leaves fall and the winter is gathering, to that evening study which the mercy of Heaven has provided in the book of salvation. And, while the shadowy valley opens, which leads to the abode of death, it speaks of that hand which can comfort and can save, and which can conduct to those "green pastures, and those still waters," where there is an eternal spring for the children of God.

Chancery Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court, will be exposed to public sale, on the premises, at 11 o'clock, on Saturday the 30th of November inst. the reversion of Joshua C. Higgins in and to all that part of two tracts or parcels of land called White Hall, and What You Will, which was devised for a term of years to the children of Jasper E. Tilly, by the last will and testament of Richard Higgins, deceased. This land is situate in Anne-Arundel county, on the head of South River, adjoining the land of Mr. Joseph Evans. It is finely wooded, and the soil is of the first order, easily to be improved, and adapted to any kind of cultivation. The above Land will be sold on a credit of twelve months. Bonds, with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale, will be required.

2 *Philip Hammond, Trustee.*
Nov. 7.

N. B. The Editors of the Federal Republican will insert the above twice a week, until the day of sale, and forward their account to the office of the Maryland Gazette.

For Sale,

The House and Lot now occupied by Mr. David Hanlon, near the Bath. For terms apply to

Louis Gassaway.
Nov. 7. 2 3w.

NEW STORE.

The subscribers having entered into partnership, under the firm of George and John Barber, & Co. at the new store on the wharf, a few doors below Mr. Lewis Neth's, have on hand and intend keeping for sale a General Assortment of Goods, viz:

Superfine London Cloths and Cassimers; Second do do. Mill Drab Cloths, Blue, Drab and Mixt Plains, Mixt Kersey's, Flushings & Coatings; Striped Blankets, 6-4, 7-4, 8-4, 10-4, 11-4, and 12-4 Rose Blankets; 8-4, 11-4 12-4, and 3-4 Cotton Counterpains; 7-8 & 4-4 Irish Linens; Long Lawns, Coloured Laventines and Lustrings; White and Coloured Marseilles Vescoating, Bennet's Cord and Swansdown ditto; 3-4 Dimity & 4-4 Cambric do White, Red, Scarlet, Figured and Yellow Flannels; Gentlemen and Ladies Cotton and Worsted Hose, White & Black Silk Hose and Gloves; do. do. Beaver Gloves; Ladies White and Coloured Kid Gloves, 4-4 and 6-4 Cambric and Jackonet Muslins; Plain and Figured Lenoes, Spider-Net and Book Muslins; Plain and Figured Jackonet do. Fashionable Cravats, Ribbons & Gloves assorted; Suspenders do. 6-4, 8-4, 9-4 & 10-4 Damask Diapers; 3-4 Diapers; Bombazetts and Wildboars, assorted; 3-4, 4-4 and 6-4 Black Cambric; Coloured Sarsenets; Hatband Crapes, 4-4 Italian do; Canton ditto; Gallicoes and Ginghams assorted, Colerains and Steam Loom Shirtings; India Cottons assorted; Flag and Bandano Handkerchiefs; Black Barcelona ditto; Madras do. Shawls assorted, Merino Bordered Shawls; Silk and Cotton Umbrellas, Plaid and Striped Domestic; Linen and Cotton Bed Tickings; Ticklenburgs, Surlaps and Hessians; Brown Holland, and 4-4 Sheetings; Hunter's Cord and Velvets.

GROCERIES,

Madeira, Sherry, Lisbon and Port Wines; Clar Wine, W. I. & N. E. Rum, Cogniac Brandy, Old Spirit, Holland Gin, Old Whiskey and Whiskey, Loaf and Brown Sugar, Imperial, Gunpowder, Old Hyson, Young Hyson, Hyson Skin, and Souchong Teas; Raisins, Almonds, Prunes, Filberts, Java & Green Coffee, Herrings and Pork, by the barrel; Bacon, Butter and Lard, Cheese, Chocolate, Soap and Candles, Brandy-Wine Powder and Shot, all sizes; Oils and Paints, Salt, Sweet Oil in Flasks and Bottles; Leading Lines and Traces, Coil Rope, large & small; Mustard, Best Spanish Segars, Salt Petre, Copperas, Alspice, Cinnamon, Mace, Cloves and Nutmegs, Scrubbing Brushes, Clamps and Brooms, Cloth and Shoe Brushes, Sifters, Paint Brushes, Best James River Chewing Tobacco,

China, Liverpool and Glass Ware, viz:

Cut glass decanters, tumblers, goblets and wines glasses and pitchers, plain do; China tea setts, and Liverpool tea cups and saucers; China pitchers, and Lustre do.; Liverpool tea and coffee pots, do. sugar dishes and milk pots, plates and dishes; wash-hand basons & pitchers

A General Assortment of Ironmongery and Cuttlery, viz.

Stock Locks, Brass Nob do. Iron do. Cupboard, Till Cupboard and Chest do. Barrel & Screw Augurs, Hinges and Screws, Handsaws, Hand, Cross Cut and Whipsaw Files, Blacksmith's Files and Rasps, Socket and Firmers, Chissels, Gouges, Brass and Japanned Candlesticks, Cutting Knives and Drawing do. Hammers, Shovels and Spades, Hob Nails, 7d, 8d, 10d, 12d and 20d Cut Nails, 6d, 7d, 8d, 10d, 12d and 20d Wrought do. Thumb and Brass Knob Latches, Knives and Forks, Pen and Clasp Knives, Razors and Scissors, Cotton and Wool Cards, Curry Combs, Tea Kettles and Coal Hods, Shovel and Tongs, &c. &c.

The above goods will be sold low for cash, or to punctual dealers on short dates. Those persons willing to purchase bargains will give us a call.

4 *George Barber,*
John T. Barber,
Adam Miller,
John Miller Jun.

N. B. We will purchase, or barter goods for rye, oats and corn.

Annapolis, Oct 24. tf.

New & Cheap Goods.

EVANS & IGLEHART,

Respectfully inform their friends, and the public generally, that they have just received a choice and select assortment of

New & Fashionable Goods,

Suitable to the present and approaching season—among which are,

Real Superfine Cloths, assorted in Colours, Second ditto 6-4 and 5-4 ditto. Cassimeres assorted, Marseilles, Toilinetts, Florentines, and other Vestings, Pelisse Cloths, Coatings, Flushings, Plains, Kerseys, Baizes, Sheeting and other Flannels assorted, Rose Blankets, from 6-4 to 11-4, Matchcoat ditto. assorted, Cords and Velvets, 6-4, 8-4 and 10-4 Table Diaper, 3-4 ditto. 7-8 & 4-4 Irish Linens, Shirting, Knapped Cotton Coverlids, German Linens assorted, 4-4 and 6-4 Cambrick, Book and Mul Mul Muslin, Levantines, Lustrings and Florence, Crapes, Pattinet Lace, Ribbons, Gloves, Silk, Cotton, and Worsted Hosieroy, &c &c.

With an assortment of

Ironmongery & Cuttlery.

Also a general assortment of

Glass, China & Queen's Ware.

GROCERIES.

Prime Fresh Imperial, Hyson and Young Hyson Teas, Hyson Skin and Souchong ditto Brown & Loaf Sugars, Coffee, Chocolate, Allspice, Pepper, Mace, Cinnamon & Cloves, Best Chewing Tobacco, Common ditto. &c. &c. Old Madeira, Port, Sherry, Lisbon and Malaga Wines, Old Cogniac Brandy, Spirit, Rum, P. Brandy, Holland Gin, Whiskey, &c &c.

A small quantity of

Nice Liverpool Salt for Sale.

Many of the above Goods were purchased for *Cash* at the auction prices, and will be sold *Cheap for ready Money*, or to punctual customers on a short credit.

October 24. 4 tf.

Left in my Stable

In the city of Annapolis, on Tuesday the 15th inst. a bright bay mare, about 14 1-2 hands high, with white feet and white face, with other singular marks on the body. She appears to be about 10 or 11 years old; very thin in flesh, as though roughly used. The person who left her calls himself Gideon Kertiss. His appearance was very suspicious. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take her away; otherwise she will be sold by the subscriber to pay them

Rezin D. Baldwin.
October 31. 3 3w.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed from A. A. County court, will be offered at public sale, on the premises on Friday the fifteenth day of November next, the equitable interest of Samuel C. Watkins, of, in and to all that Tract or parcel of land where on the said Watkins now resides, near South river Church. Seized and taken to satisfy a debt due William Alexander. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock—Terms, Cash.

R. Welch, of Ben. shff.
A. A. County.
Oct. 31. 3 3w.

For Sale,

A MULATTO GIRL,

About thirteen years old, well formed, and healthy. Inquire of the Printer

Oct. 31. 3 4w.

For Sale,

By the subscriber, at his farm near Annapolis, Horses, Cattle and Sheep; among the Cattle there are several Work Oxen well broke to the yoke, and ten or twelve Milch Cows.

J. T. Chase.
Oct. 31. 3 4w.

NOTICE.

By virtue of a decree of the court of Chancery, I will sell at public auction, at Wm. Brewer's tavern, in the city of Annapolis, at 12 o'clock, on Monday, the 16th day of November next,

The dwelling plantation of Joseph Williams, senior, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, called Hickory Hill, and Franklin's Enlargement, containing one hundred and seventy-five acres. This land lies within 11 miles of Annapolis, and two of Queen-Ann, adjoining the estates of Dr. Claggett and Mr. James Iglehart, and is considered one of the most productive and valuable farms of its size in the country. The improvements are two tolerable dwelling houses, a good tobacco house, some good meadow, and a very good orchard, and has an excellent supply of timber and wood. A further description is thought unnecessary, as it is presumed that persons inclined to purchase will view the premises, and make themselves acquainted with its value.

The terms of sale are, that the purchaser shall give bond, with approved security, for paying the purchase money, with interest, within twelve months from the day of sale.

Nicholas Brewer, Trustee.
Oct. 31 3 4w.

NOTICE.

The subscriber intends to petition the Legislature of Maryland at their next session for the benefit of the insolvent act passed at November Session eighteen hundred and five, and the several supplements thereto.

John Deale.
Oct. 31. 3 8w.

Notice is hereby given,

That application will be made to the Legislature of Maryland, at its next session, for an act to authorise the sale of the reversionary interest of Ann Matilda Hebb, to certain lands lying in St. Mary's county.

Will. Hebb.
Prince George's, Oct. 21, 1816. 3 6w.

NOTICE.

I forewarn all persons from hunting with dog or gun on the farm where I reside, or the one adjoining it, or in any other manner trespassing, as I am determined to enforce the law against all such offenders.

John H. Brown.
Oct 31. 3 tf.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby forewarns all persons trespassing upon his farm with dog or gun, or in any other way, as he is determined to prosecute with the utmost rigour of the law all who hereafter thus offend.

John Marriott.
October 31. 3 tf.

Notice is hereby given,

That the subscriber intends to apply to the next county court of Anne-Arundel county, for a commission to mark and bound part of a tract or parcel of land, lying in said county, called "Covell's Folly," agreeable to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Thomas Pindle.
Oct. 31. 3

Carriages for Sale.

JONATHAN HUTTON,

Has, at his Shop, in Corn-Hill st. the following Carriages for sale

One light, fashionable,
New Gig,
well finished, and in complete order.

A light second-handed Jersey Wagon,
calculated for country use; and

A second-handed Chaise.

The above carriages will be disposed on the most accommodating terms.

Annapolis, Oct. 17. 5 tf

State of Maryland, sc.

Calvert County, Orphans Court, September 5th, 1816.

On application of DORCAS GRIFFISS, administratrix of JOSEPH GRIFFISS, late of Calvert county, deceased, it is ordered by the court, that the said administratrix give the notice required by law for the 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 Republican, and Maryland Gazette of Annapolis.

W. Smith, Dep. Reg. of Wills for Calvert county.

This is to give notice,

That the subscriber of Calvert county, has obtained from the Orphans Court of said county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of JOSEPH GRIFFISS, late of Calvert 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 March next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 5th day of September, 1816.

5 *Dorcas Griffiss, administratrix.*
Sept. 17. 6w.

New & Cheap Goods.

Nicholas J. Watkins,

Thankful for the liberal patronage which he has received, informs his friends and the public, that he has just supplied himself with a new stock of goods, consisting of the following:

Best Saxon and Blue Cloth,
do. Black do.
Fancy Brown do.
London Brown do.
Fashionable Mixtures,
Best double Milled Drab,
Second do.
Black Cassimere,
Grey mix'd do.
Light do.
Light and dark mixtures,
Paris Olive Cloth,
Fashionable Light Cord,
Black Florentines,
Best White Marseilles,
Coloured do.
Fashionable Toilinet,
Olive Cords and Flannel, &c. &c.

Any of the above goods will be made up so as to suit purchasers, in the best manner and on the shortest notice. Those who want bargains will find it to their advantage to give him a call.

December 26, 1816. 8 tf.

JOHN THOMPSON

TAILOR,

Returns his thanks to his friends and the public for the patronage they have hitherto favoured him with, and respectfully solicits a continuance

He has just received from Baltimore, a select assortment of

SEASONABLE GOODS,

CONSISTING OF

Superfine blue, black, brown, bottle green, grey and olive Cloths.
Second do same colours.
Cassimere, drab, blue black & grey superfine.
Same colours, second quality.
Stockingnets and Corduroys.

A handsome assortment of

Waitscoating, Flannels, &c. &c.

All or any of which will be made up in the most fashionable style, at the shortest notice, and on the most moderate terms.

Oct. 3. 6 tf.

NEW GOODS.

WARFIELD & RIDGELY,

Have just received, and offer for sale a handsome and complete assortment of

DRY GOODS,

CONSISTING OF

Superfine and second Cloths and Cassimeres, Blue and White Kersey, Plains, Bocking Baize, Coatings and Mole Skins, do. 4-4 Irish Linens, Russia Sheeting, 4-4, 6-4 Cambric Muslins, 4-4, 6-4 Figured and Plain Leno, and Jaconet Muslins, 3-4 Russia and 6-4, 8-4 Table Diapers, Ticklinburg, Brown Burlaps, &c. &c.

They have also a good assortment of

GROCERIES, viz.

Best Cogniac Brandy, Spirit, Holland Gin, Madeira, Lisbon, Port, Malaga and Cherry Wines, Loaf, Lump and Piece Sugar, Brown do. Imperial, Hyson, Young Hyson, Green and Souchong Teas, &c. &c.

With an excellent assortment of Queens Ware and Ironmongery.

All of which they are determined to dispose of at the most moderate prices for Cash, or on short credit, and to punctual customers as usual.

Annapolis, Oct. 17, 1816. 5 tf

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Stockingnets, and Corduroys.

A Handsome Assortment of

Waistcoating, Flannels, &c. &c.

Which he will make up on moderate terms, in the most approved style, with promptness and dispatch. 6

October 17. tf.

Notice is hereby given

That the subscriber has obtained from the orphans court of Calvert county letters testamentary on the personal estate of William Weems 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, near Tracy's Landing, on or before the 24th day of April next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate, and those indebted to make immediate payment to

Elijah Weems, Ex'r
of Wm. Weems deceased.

5
October 24, 1816. 6w*

MARYLAND, S

Anne-Arundel county s

On application to me the subscriber chief judge of the third judicial district of the state of Maryland, in the recess of Anne-Arundel county court, by petition in writing, of Peter Simering 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 several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said act, and stating that he is now in the custody of the constables of the city of Annapolis; 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 being satisfied that the said Peter Simering has resided in the state of Maryland for the period of two years immediately preceding this his application, and having taken the oaths prescribed by the act of eighteen hundred and five, by him referred to; I do therefore order and adjudge, that the said Peter Simering be discharged from the custody of the said constable, and that he by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in one of the public news papers in the city of Annapolis, one a week for three successive months, before the third day in April next, give notice to his creditors to appear before Anne-Arundel county court, at 10 o'clock in the morning of the said third Monday in April next, to shew cause, if any they have, why the said Peter Simering should not have the benefit of the said acts, and supplements, as prayed. Given under my hand this 9th day of September, 1816.

Jeremiah Townley Chase,
Test.

Wm. S. Green,
August 12.

For Sale.

The fast sailing schooner Carrolton, burthen from 900 to 1000 bushels, and in good repair, with her rigging, &c. at a reasonable price, Cash

ALSO.—A valuable Yawl, in complete order, suitable for a pleasure or market boat.—Further particulars may be given on application to the subscribers,

Aetridge Sears,
John Sears,
William Sears.
of *William Sears,*
Poplar Island, Oct. 10.

NOTICE.

The Levy Court of Anne-Arundel county will meet on the first day in December next in the city of Annapolis, to adjust and settle the accounts of the supervisor of the public roads in said county.

By order,

Wm. S. Green,
Sept. 26.