

AGRICULTURAL.

From the Saturday Magazine.
By J. Tyson.
SHEEP.

First, of feeding wethers. Purchase in the month of September or October the number of wethers you design to fatten; be careful to select handsome thriving sheep, between three and six years old. Let them pasture the field you intend ploughing up for Indian corn the next season. Sheep I consider very injurious to good pasture land, if permitted to pasture late in the fall and winter, for they eat the grass and roots so close, as in a great measure to destroy the succeeding year's crop of grass: for that reason, I would not let them graze on any field late in the fall, but those which are designed to be ploughed in the spring. In the winter they should have a large open stable, as it will not do to have them housed close in a small place, for they become diseased and will not fatten. Late in the fall, when the pasture has become short, they should have good hay, with a small quantity of oats and Indian corn. When the snow is on the ground, and they cannot get any grass, I have found turnips, cut small, mixed with Indian meal and a little salt, very good. They should be fed three times in the twenty-four hours. Care should be taken to give them sufficient food, but they ought not to be permitted to waste it. By carefully pursuing the above course, your sheep will be fit for the butcher the last of February or beginning of March.

In the above statement I have given an account of my manner of feeding; but, to be more particular as to actual profit and experiment, let me state one instance.

Late in the month of November, 1811, I purchased 20 handsome wethers, at three dollars per head. I fed them in the manner before described, and kept an account of the expenses; and the result was as follows:

Prime cost of the sheep \$60.00
30 bushels of Indian corn 20.10
and oats 15.00
1 ton hay 15.00
\$96.10

I sold the sheep to the butcher on the first of March following for \$4.50 per head, reserving the fleeces. They had something above 80 lbs. of wool. The account then stands thus:

20 sheep, at \$4.50 \$90.00
80 lbs. of wool, at 50 cents 40.00
\$130.00

Deducting the prime cost and feed from the actual sale, leaves a nett profit of \$33.90, and the manure they made, over and above a full market price for the hay and grain.

Of Store Sheep.—The last five or six years the dogs have been so destructive to the sheep through our country, that I have abandoned the keeping of them. But permit me to state to you what I have done. In the fall of 1812, I purchased 25 very handsome young ewes, at \$2 per head. They were pastured in the fall and winter on the field that I designed ploughing for corn in the spring; they were fed on hay, turnips, and Indian meal. I raised 33 lambs. After ploughing up the field on which they had pastured, I turned them into a ten acre field I designed for fallow; on this field they pastured until about the 15th of May. They were then turned into a clover field just out in bloom. The young lambs fed with avidity and delight on the blossoms of the clover, and they soon became very fat. I sold them to the butcher for \$2.50 per head, excepting three, for which I received \$2 per head:

So that I received for the lambs \$81.00
For 75 lbs. of wool, at 50 cents 37.50
I sold the old sheep to the butcher at three dollars per head, one dollar more than I gave, leaving a profit of 25.00

So that the actual profit on 25 sheep in less than one year, which cost but \$50, was \$143.50

SMUT.
A practical farmer says, that by repeated trials he has found that one ounce of saltpetre, dissolved

in a pint of water, and one ounce of flour of brimstone, be put on the seed with linding, is a certain preventive of the smut in wheat.

RECEIPT TO TURN CIDER INTO WINE.

Add to a barrel of cider as soon as it is out of the press, honey sufficient to make it bear an egg. Work all the filth out at the bung hole by keeping it open and the barrel constantly full. In about five weeks draw off the pure liquor into a tub, then add a gallon of cider brandy, and mix the whole well together. After having thoroughly cleaned the barrel, return the liquor into it, bung it up, and when fine, rack it off for family use. In the opinion of many persons, who are by no means inferior judges, this wine is pronounced equal to almost any foreign wine.

TO KILL BOTS
In a Horse, pour a quart of rum down his throat. This will make them loose their hold of the maw, and they will be carried off with its contents. Repeat the dose as often as may be found necessary. A few doses of linseed oil, a pint each time, will also quickly effect a cure.

To recover a cask of stale Small-beer.
Take some hops and some chalk broken to pieces; put them in a bag, and put them in at the bung-hole, and then stop up the cask closely. Let the proportion be two ounces of hops and a pound of chalk for a half-barrel.

BOTANY.
A few grains of salt, dropped into the water in which flowers are kept, it is said, preserve them greatly from fading, keeping them in bloom double the period that pure water will.

Take Notice.

All persons indebted to the firm of **GEORGE & JOHN BARBER**, are requested to call and settle their accounts. Those which are of long standing, they expect to have settled by the first of March, or the debtors may expect suits to be instituted.

They have on hand, and intend keeping, an assortment of
Shorts, Bran, and Horse Feed,
At their New Warehouse on the wharf, where persons may be supplied on the most moderate terms.

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing between **George and John Barber** has been mutually dissolved. All persons indebted to the said firm are requested to settle, either by bond or note, and those who have claims are requested to present them for payment to **George Barber**, who is authorized to adjust the concerns of said firm.

George Barber,
John T. Barber.

The public are informed, that their Packets will run as usual. Merchants and others, who send Goods, &c are requested to designate particularly the names of the persons for whom they are intended, and the places where to be sent. They will not be responsible for letters sent in the packets, but every attention will be paid to their delivery.

They have an Extra **SCHOONER**, which will take and carry Freights to and from any port in the Chesapeake Bay.

The editors of the Federal Gazette and American, Baltimore, are requested to insert the above once a week for six weeks, and forward their accounts to this office.

State of Maryland, &c.

Anne Arundel County, Orphans Court,
December 20th, 1821.

On application by petition of **Baruch Fowler**, administrator de bonis non of **Samuel Minskey**, 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 American Baltimore.

THOMAS H. HALL,
Reg. Wills. A. A. County.

Notice is hereby given,

That the subscriber of Anne Arundel county, hath obtained from the Orphans Court of Anne Arundel County, in Maryland, letters of administration de bonis non on the personal estate of **Samuel Minskey**, 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 20th day of May next, they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 20th day of December 1821.

BARUCH FOWLER,
Adm'r. D. B. N. Gw.

Dec. 27. 5

REMOVAL.

J. WATERS, & SON,
Have removed their Saddle and Harness Manufactory, to the shop lately occupied by **John N. Stewart**, in Church street, where they offer for sale a handsome assortment of articles in their line, very low for cash, and hope to receive, (as they shall endeavour to merit,) a continuance of public patronage.

N. B. All persons indebted to the firm, are earnestly requested to make payment before the first of March next.

Annapolis, Jan. 10, 1822. 2

REMOVAL.

WM. R. THOMPSON,
Respectfully informs his friends and customers, that he has removed his **BOOT & SHOE** Manufactory to the Shop on the door below **Mr. J. Weedon's** dwelling house, and opposite the Post Office, in Church street, where they can be accommodated in the first style, or in such manner as they may think proper to direct. While thankful for the encouragement he has received in time past, he solicits a continuance of the same.

He has furnished himself with a stock of leather of a superior quality, and has engaged in his service several first rate workmen.

Annapolis, Jan. 3, 1822. 4

Reduced Prices.

The subscriber, in consequence of the reduced prices of the market, has determined to make a correspondent reduction in his prices. Hereafter his charges will be—

For Cutting Hair, 12 1-2cts.
Shaving, 6 1-4cts.

Except in cases where gentlemen require him to attend at their lodgings; in such cases his former price will be adhered to. **JAMES HOLLAND,**
Church-st. Annapolis Dec. 20.

New & Cheap Goods.

NICHOLAS J. WATKINS,
Respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has received a large and general assortment of **CLOTHS, CASSIMERS, VESTINGS,**

And every article suitable for Gentlemen's Dresses.

Which he will be happy to make up in the most fashionable style, and on the shortest notice, to those who will favour him with a call at his shop, two doors above **Mr. Hughes's**, formerly occupied by **Mr. John Munroe**, to which he has lately removed.

Gentlemen disposed to purchase bargains are invited to give him a call.

Oct. 11. 16

Flour, Wheat, &c.

H. H. WOOD,
Flour and Commission Merchant, No 148, Market-st. Baltimore, is daily receiving from **Frederick and Washington** counties large supplies of Flour, clear of garlick, and warranted good, which he will sell to Families, Bakers and Shippers, by wholesale or retail, as cheap as can be got in the city. Likewise respectfully informs the Farmers in general, that he will sell at the highest cash prices any quantities of Wheat, Rye, Corn or Oats, for one quarter per cent commission, and Pork for 2 per cent commission. Farmers that send large quantities of grain to the Baltimore market will find it much to their advantage by sending it to the subscriber, who will pay punctual attention to their business.

H. H. W. 20
Im.

State of Maryland, &c.

Anne Arundel county, Orphans Court,
January 1st, 1822.

On application by petition of **Rebecca Watts**, administratrix of **Philip K. Watts**, late of Anne Arundel county deceased, it is ordered that she 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 American Baltimore.

THOMAS H. HALL,
Reg. Wills. A. A. County.

Notice is hereby given,

That the subscriber of Anne Arundel county, hath obtained from the Orphans Court of Anne Arundel county, in Md. letters of administration on the personal estate of **Philip K. Watts**, 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 1st day of July next, they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, 1st day of January 1822.

REBECCA WATTS,
Adm'rx.

ATTENTION!

A valuable lot of **NEGROES** to sell, unusually low for cash. For further particulars inquire at this office.

Jan. 17. 2

Sheriff's Sales.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias from Anne Arundel county court, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale on Thursday the 24th instant, at **Mr. James Hunter's** tavern, in the city of Annapolis, the right, title, interest, and estate of **Henry Shriver**, in a House and Lot situated on **Ellis bridge**. Seized and taken as the property of the said Shriver, and will be sold to satisfy a debt due **Philip Keefer** Executor of **Jacob Keefer**. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock, for Cash.

Benj. Gaither, Late Shff. A. A. C.
January 3, 1822.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias from Anne Arundel county court, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale on Thursday 24th instant, at **Mr. James Hunter's** tavern, in the city of Annapolis, all that tract or parcel of land lying in Anne Arundel county, called **'Snowden's Addition to Huntington Quarter'**, containing one thousand acres more or less. Seized and taken as the property of **Gerard H. Snowden**, and will be sold to satisfy a debt due **Hammond**. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock, for Cash.

Benj. Gaither, Late Shff. A. A. C.
January 3, 1822.

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing between **George and John Barber & Co.** has been mutually dissolved. All persons indebted to the said firm are requested to settle either by bond or note on or before 1st December next, and those who have claims against said firm are requested to present them for payment to **John Miller, jun.** who is authorized to adjust and settle the concerns of said firm. In **Mr. Miller's** absence, either of the aforesaid firm will be duly authorized to adjust and settle accounts.

Geo. Barber,
John T. Barber,
Adam Miller,
John Miller, jr.
Annapolis, 5th Oct 1821. 16

NOTICE.

ADAM & JOHN MILLER,
Having purchased of **George & John Barber & Co.** their well selected

STOCK OF GOODS, offer them for sale (at their old stand) on the most reasonable and accommodating terms for cash, or to punctual dealers at short dates.

Oct. 11, 1821. 10

ROBERT WELCH, of Ben.

Respectfully informs the voters of Anne Arundel county, and the city of Annapolis, that he is a Candidate for the office of Sheriff of said county, at the sheriffly election to be held in 1824.

Annapolis, Oct. 25. 14

PUBLIC SALE.

The subscriber will offer at Public Sale on Friday the 1st day of February next, on the premises, a Farm on the head of **Severn**, containing about three hundred acres of land. This farm binds on the public road, leading from Baltimore to Annapolis, the dwelling house and out houses are large and commodious, having been heretofore used as a Tavern, and well known by the name of **Mrs. Urkhardt's** Tavern. The lands well wooded and adjoins **Severn River**. The subscriber will also offer at the same time and place, part of a tract of land, called **Abington**, containing about fifty seven and 3-4th acres. On this land there is a dwelling house and other necessary out houses.

There will also be sold at the afore said time, stock of various kinds, farming utensils, household and kitchen furniture. Also for a term of years, six negro girls, from 10 to 16 years of age. The terms which will be accommodating, will be made known on the day of sale.

Jan. 10. 3 ANNA GAMBRILL.



A COACH

FOR BALTIMORE

Commenced running on Tuesday first January, and will continue through the winter on Tuesdays and Saturdays, starting from **Mrs. Robinson's** and **Mrs. Daley's** at 9 o'clock in the morning, and arriving at **Barnum's Hotel** the same afternoons.

Fare and allowance of baggage same as in mail line.

For seats please apply to **Mr. Geo. Shaw's** store, Church street, Annapolis, Jan. 3. 4

Just Published

And for sale at this Office and at **Mr. George Shaw's** Store—price 25cts
The Constitution of Maryland,
To which is prefixed,
The Declaration of Rights—
With the amendments ingrafted therein
Oct. 25.

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Of every description, neatly executed at this Office. 12

Ducks, Oysters, &c.

The Subscriber, having a large supply of **Pepper's** Philadelphia Beer, December 6, 1821.

NOTICE.

The Committee of Claims will sit every day during the present session, from 9 o'clock A. M. until 3 o'clock P. M.

By order,
Sam. S. Hodgkin, clk.
Dec. 13, 1821.

G. F. TEUTO,

Respectfully gives notice to the Citizens of this place, and its vicinity, that he has commenced the business of **A CONFECTIONER**

opposite **Mrs. Robinson's** Boarding house, in the upper end of the building occupied by **Mr. I. Grammer**, where every article in that line can be had in the nicest style, and on the most reasonable terms.

Family Purples, Balls, &c. can be furnished in the genteel style, at a short notice. Shop-keepers will be supplied at the Baltimore prices. He likewise carries on the

BREAD

and Biscuit Baking Business, and will gladly furnish such families as may favour him with their custom, with bread and Biscuits.

He has on hand, and will constantly keep for sale Raisins, Almonds, Oranges, Filberts, Palm Nuts, Wallnuts, Best Spanish Cigars, and an assortment of Sugar Toys, Apples, Cranberries, Limes, an assortment of Wax & Glass Beads, Miniature Pictures, in gilt frames, representing naval victories of the last war, Lace Shirt Buttons, Doll Faces, and an Elegant Rifle, which he will sell cheap for cash, & some other articles.

He solicits a share of the public's support, of which he will endeavour to prove himself deserving.

Annapolis, December 10th, 1821.

Andrew Nicholls,

Respectfully informs the voters of Anne Arundel county, and the city of Annapolis, that he is a candidate for the Sheriffly of said county at the election of October 10th, 1821.

JUST PUBLISHED

And For Sale at **Geo. Shaw's** Store,
THE FIRST VOLUME OF HARRIS & JOHNSON'S REPORTS
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The Euterpeiad

The first volume of the **Euterpeiad** or Musical Intelligence and Ladies Gazette, ended in April. The 2d volume has commenced, much improved and considerably enlarged, comprising 8 quarto pages with a sheet of music in every number, and is published semi-monthly on Saturdays, at three dollars per annum, by

John R. Parker,
No. 2, Milk st. Boston.
Nov. 8.

NOTICE.

The Committee of Grievances and Court of Justice, will sit every day during the present session, from 9 o'clock A. M. until 3 o'clock P. M.

By order,
Sam. S. Hodgkin, clk.
Dec. 13, 1821.

REMOVAL.

GEORGE McNEIR—TAILOR,
Respectfully acquaints his Friends and the Public, that he has removed his Shop,

One door below the Post Office, Where he has on hand a general supply of

FALL & WINTER GOODS,

Consisting of Cloths, Cassimeres, Casinetts, Cords and Vestings, which he will sell or make up in the best and most fashionable manner, at a short notice, and on accommodating terms. Those who wish to purchase bargains will find it to their advantage to give him a call.

Annapolis, Nov. 8. 12

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MISCELLANEOUS

MARYLAND RESOLUTIONS.

Legislature of Delaware.
Thursday, Jan. 17.

Mr. Thomas from the committee to whom was referred that part of the governor's message, which relates to the appropriation of public lands, made the following report: The committee to whom was referred that part of the governor's message, which relates to the appropriations of the public lands, respectfully report—

That the matter referred to them, embraces a report and sundry resolutions, adopted by the legislature of Maryland, relative to appropriations of public lands for the purposes of education. These resolutions declare that each of the United States has an equal right to participate in the benefit of the public lands, the common property of the Union; and that the states, whose favour Congress have not made appropriations of land for the purpose of education, are entitled to such appropriations, as will correspond in just proportion, with those heretofore made in favour of the other states.

The principle asserted in these resolutions appears to your committee to be founded in justice, and to be consonant to the best views of national policy. Your committee of searching for arguments in favor of the claims of the states that have not as yet received their portion of the public lands. The ground they conceive to be already preoccupied by the report adopted by the legislature of Maryland. This report is before the Senate, and it contains in the view of your committee a lucid and able exposition of the justice and policy of granting to each state, in proportion to its territory, a share of the public lands for the purpose of education. After the masterly manner in which this subject has been managed by the report adopted by the Maryland legislature your committee have not the presumption to suppose, that they can throw upon it any additional light. They would therefore, venture, merely to commend it to the consideration of the Senate, as a measure which appears to be founded in justice, and to be consonant to the best views of national policy.

The public lands are now the common property of the Union, is a truth that cannot be denied—and this alone, appears to your committee, sufficient to overthrow the right of any particular section of our country to an exclusive benefit of those lands. The plea then of common property at present, is in itself sufficient to justify each state, in calling for its share of that property, without any regard to its territory, in which that property was acquired. But the state that now call for their proportional benefit of the public lands, need not shrink from any enquiry into the mode of the acquisition of those lands. This enquiry would not weaken but strengthen & confirm their claims.

The public lands appear to have been acquired in three ways—By conquest, by purchase, and by cession. The happy termination of the revolutionary war gave to the United States a fair title by conquest to those lands, of which, under the provincial government, the crown of Great Britain had always exercised the right of disposing. But some difficulties seem to have existed, as to the title of the United States to these lands, soon after the close of the revolutionary war. Several of the states made claims to large portions of those lands, which were embraced by their nominal boundaries. The claims of these states, do not appear to your committee, ever to have rested upon a good foundation. They do not however conceive it necessary, now to inquire into the justice of these claims, since the states which made them, have long since abandoned them, and surrendered all right and title to those lands by cession to the U. S. whatever objection therefore may be made to our title by conquest to the public lands, there can no doubt exist to our title by purchase. By the treaty of peace in seventeen hundred and eighty three, Great Britain relinquished to the United States, all claim to the government, property and territorial rights of the same, and every part thereof. And within a few years after the peace, the respective states actuated by a generous spirit of conciliation and patriotism, yielded to the United States, what they conceived to be their claims to the unsettled land. Thus did the United States acquire a fair undisputed title to all the public lands east to the Mississippi, except those held by the Indians, and the southern parts of the states of Mississippi and Alabama. A title to these was acquired by purchase, and the money paid out of the common fund. By the same title do we hold the territory west of the Mississippi, this being purchased from France in the year eighteen hundred and three, and also paid for out of the common fund.

Your committee then, can take no view of this subject, without being forced to the conclusion, that as these lands are a common property, each state should derive from them its proportional benefit—and that any appropriations of them, for the exclusive benefit of any particular states, is a violation of the spirit of our national compact, as well as the principles of justice and good policy.

Were it necessary to search for any additional reason why Congress should grant to each state its proportional share of the public lands, your committee think that it might be found in the conditions inserted in the cessions of several of the states. With some of the states, this disposal of the public lands, was a special condition of cession. The act of cession of Virginia expressly states that all lands granted to the United States by such cession, shall be considered as a common fund for the use and benefit of each of the United States as have become, or shall become, members of the