Apollo's Fount.

THE EYE.

WHEN the tongue dares not speak,
nor could language impart,
Each tender emotion that glows in the heart;
When the voice must be mute, though the bosom beats high,
How expressively eloquent then is the *eye*.

The lover may pour forth a torrent of verse,
Elegiac or sonnet his flame to rehearse;
I wish neither sonnet nor poem, not I,
I read volumes at once in the glance of an *eye*.

When *Phillida* sings, and the dulcet strain draws,
From each auditor's lips loud unbounded applause,
I envy her not, nor to rival her try,
When I sing, my reward is a glance of an *eye*.

In whatever I say, in whatever I do,
This blissful reward I still keep in my view,
And when I do right, how delighted am I,
To read approbation in ——'s *eye*.

When the glass passes round, and the spirits are gay,
When on pleasure's light pinions old time flirts away,
I just touch the glass, but I pass the wine by;
I drink draughts of delight from a glance of the *eye*.

'Tis my heart's consolation, my joy and delight—
Its memory oft chears the drear hour of night;
But whither for comfort or joy shall I fly,
When enliven'd no more by a glance from the *eye*.

LINES

Written by a Lady, on observing some white hairs on her Lover's head.

Thou to whose power reluctantly we bend,
Foe to life's fairy dreams, relentless time,
Alike the dread of lover and of friend,
Why stamp thy seal on manhood's rosy prime,
Already twining 'midst my Thyrsis' hair,
The snowy wreathes of age, the monuments of care?
Thro' all her forms, tho' nature own thy sway,
That boasted sway, thu'lt here in vain;
To the last beam of life's declining day.
Thyrsis shall view unmoved thy potent reign;
Secure to please whilst worth has power to charm,
Fancy or taste delight, and sense and truth inform.
Tyrant, when from that lip of crimson glow,
Swept by the chilling wing the rose shall fly,
When thy rude scythe indents his polish'd brow,
And quench'd is all the lustre of his eye;
With ruthless age disperses every grace,
Each smile that beams from that ingenious face;
Then thro' her stores shall active mem'ry rove,
Teaching each various charm to bloom anew,
And still the raptur'd eye of faithful love
Shall bend on Thyrsis its delighted view;
Still shall he triumph with resistless pow'r,
Still rule the conquer'd heart to life's remotest hour.

A leap down the cataract of Niagara.

"Some few years ago, an Indian lying asleep in his canoe, (a few miles below the tremendous cataract) was, by accident or design, set adrift, and floated down within the current till he was awakened by the roaring of the rapids, where the water first bursts into a cataract. He then rose and extended his arms with astonishment and horror; but remembering that dignified resolution with which it has ever been the pride of his countrymen to meet death in the most dreadful shapes, and having covered his head with a blanket, he composedly sat in his canoe, glanced down the rapids, and was plunged into the tremendous abyss."

REMARK.—It was remarked *as a caution against going to law*, by a gentleman of the law, "he that would go to law must have a good cause, a heavy purse, a skilful attorney, an able advocate, good evidences, an intelligent jury, an upright and patient judge; and, having all these, unless he has very good luck, he will stand a small chance of succeeding in his suit."

It has become very fashionable of late among some of our most arrant beaux to comb their hair forward, as much as possible over their faces. They look as if they had been fighting an old fashioned hurricane backwards. [*Anti Demo.*]

JOHN STEVENS, JUNR.
Apothecary & Druggist,
Next door to the New Market-house, and fronting Dover-street, Easton;
Has just received from Philadelphia and Baltimore, a general assortment of genuine Drugs, Perfumes, Spices, Dyes, Patent Medicines, &c. &. amongst which are the following, viz.

Aether Vitriol.	Ol. Sem. Anis.
Aloes	—— Caryophyl
Aqua Fortis	—— Juniper
Argent. Viv.	—— Succini
Bals. Canada	Menthæ Piper
—— Copaiba	—— Olivar
—— Peru	—— Ricini
—— Tolu	—— Vitriol
Borax	—— Cinnam.
Cantharides	—— Rhodii.
Coccinella	Rad. Caryop. Am
Cort. Aurant.	—— Columb.
—— Cinnam.	—— Gentian
—— Peruvian	—— Jalap
Cræm. Tart.	—— Ipecac.
Ess. Burgamot	—— Rhei
—— Lemon	—— Helleb. Nig.
—— Lavend.	—— Serp. Virg.
—— Marshalle	—— Senek.
Flor. Benzoin	Sacc. Saturn.
—— Chamœm	Succin Glycyrrhiz
—— Sulphur	Sal. Glaub.
—— Zinc	—— Nit. Pur.
Fol. Sennæ	—— Cornu. Cerv.
—— Digital	—— Rochelle
Gran. Paradisi	—— Am. Crud.
Gum. Ammon	—— Lem. Essent.
—— Arabic	—— Prunella
—— Assafœtida	Sapo Casteliens
—— Camphor	Spt. Cornu Cervi.
—— Myrrh	—— Nit. Dulc.
—— Opium	—— Sal. Ammon
—— Gauic.	—— Vol. Aromat
—— Kino	—— Terebinth.
—— Lac	Spongia
Gallæ	Tart. Vit.
Magnesia	Verdegrease
Merc. Cal. Ppt.	Sago
—— Corros. Sub.	Tapeoca
—— Præcip.	Pearl Barley
Ol. Amag. Dulc.	

Orange flower water, Rose water, and Lavender water.

Lancets, vials, gallipots, shop furniture, glass mortars, graduated measures, breast pipes, smelling bottles; and a general assortment of Patent Medicines, with almost every article in the Drug and Medicinal line

ON MODERATE TERMS.

Those who think proper to favor him with their custom, may depend on receiving genuine Medicine.

*** Letters per mail or otherwise duly attended to.

Easton, April 5, 1803.

Pursuant to an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at November Session 1799, entitled "An act for cutting and making a Canal between the Chesapeake bay and Delaware river."

NOTICE is hereby given (that in consequence of a sufficient number of shares being subscribed as the law directs,) a general meeting of stock-holders will be held at Mrs. Huggin's tavern in Wilmington, on Monday the second day of May next, for the purpose of electing a President, Directors, and other officers, for carrying the same into effect, at which time and place the stock-holders are particularly requested to attend.

WILLIAM MATTHEWS,
SAMUEL DAVIS,
RICHARD TILGHMAN, 4th
WILLIAM BARROLL,
Commissioners under the said law for receiving subscriptions.

Chestertown, March 29, 1803. 1m

Notice.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of *Anthony Gregory*, late of Talbot county, deceased, are requested to exhibit the same properly authenticated to the subscriber for settlement, on or before the first of August next, or they shall be excluded therefrom; and all those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment as indulgence cannot be given longer than the above date. JOHN GREGORY,
Administrator of Anthony Gregory.
Talbot County, March 29, 1803. 3

Notice.

THOSE subscribers to the *Female Charity School* of the town of Easton, who have not paid a quarterly payment in advance, agreeable to the conditions of said Institution, are requested to deposit the same in the hands of the Editor of the Star, who is authorized to receive it. For the advancement of said School, an immediate attention to this notice is indispensibly necessary.

By order of the Trustees.
Easton, March 29, 1803. 3

Notice.

THE Subscribers having become proprietors of the *Herring Fishery* lately carried on by Mr. *Thomas Freeman*, on Tuckahoe Creek, near Lewistown, they hereby notify the public, that it will be attended to with strict attention, being determined to supply any person with herring at the moderate price of three dollars per thousand, for cash or country produce.

ROBERT FRANCIS, & Co.
March 1, 1803. 6

N. B. A constant supply of Salt and other Wet Goods will be kept at the landing. R. F. & Co.

List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office at Easton, March 31, 1803.

A.
Medford Andrews, Aaron Anthony.

B.
Chas. Bromwell, Saml. Baldwin,
David Barrow, Elizabeth Baily,
John Baker.

C.
Edwd. D. Coursey, Susan Cromwell,
Sarah Collister, B. Chance,
Wm. Constable, Joseph Collins.

D.
Harriet Darnsby, James Dawson,
Mary Dawson, Pere. Driver,
Sylvanus Dickinson, Joseph Douglass.

E.
Peter Edmondson, James Earle, 4,
Sarah Edmondson, Ch. Emory, 2.

F.
John Fleming, 2 William Flint.

G.
T. Goldsborough Ann M'Guire
Dorsey A. Gustis

H.
G. R. Hayward, 3 Allen Holms
Jesse Hincks Saml. Harrington
John Higgins Wm. Haynes

I & J.
Henrietta Ingram, 2 John Jenkinson
Thomas Jones Wm. Jenkinson

K.
Jesse Kelby Thomas Kemp

L.
Abraham Lewis, 4 Solomon Lowe, 2
Nicholas Loveday James Lloyd
Alexander Laing, 2

M.
William Mullican Anna Martin

N.
Esther Noney

O.
Thomas Ozman

P.
Maria Perry, 2 Thos. Pendergast
Joseph Purdin

R.
Peter Redhead Benjamin Ray
Wm. Richardson William Russum

S.
Samuel Spencer Mr. Sherwood
Rich'd Sherwood Benj. Skinner
John Simmons James Steele
Thomas Stevens Francis Sellers

T.
Joshua Taggart Rich'd Tilghman
Joseph Toy Matth. Tilghman

W.
Cornelius West.

ANY person having timber to fall this spring, and no convenience of securing the bark, the subscriber will undertake to save it and give them a reasonable compensation for the same. A generous price will also be given for well cured tan bark.

WM. ATKINSON.
April 5, 1803. tf

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the Commissioners of the Tax, for Talbot county, will meet at EASTON, on every Tuesday until the thirteenth day of April next inclusive; and afterwards as often as occasion may require until the last day of May next, in order to make such alteration in the assessment of property as may be required according to law.

Per order
THOMAS BANNING, Clk.
March 29, 1803. 10

Samuel Elbert,

RESPECTFULLY acquaints his friends and former customers, that he has resumed the *Carriage Making Business*, at the head of Washington Street, Easton, in a large and commodious Shop, built for the purpose; and that he intends carrying on the above business in its various branches, extensively; and solicits the patronage of his friends, with a share of public favors—as he is determined to execute such as may be intrusted to him in the best manner, on reasonable terms. He flatters himself in being able to give general satitfaction.

Easton, March 22, 1803. 6

Notice.

THE subscriber has just commenced the *Boot & Shoe-making Business* in Easton, next door to Mr. Abbott's Store, nearly opposite the Market house, where he intends carrying on that business in all its various branches—He has a stock of excellent leather of every kind necessary to carry on that business—he has also supplied himself with workmen from Baltimore. Those that may please to favor him with their demands may depend on his making use of every necessary exertion to give them satisfaction.

WM. PATTON.
January 18, 1803. tf

James Berry,

Gold & Silversmith, EASTON.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has commenced business in the house lately occupied by Mr. *Ludwick Wainer*, Washington street, and solicits the patronage of a generous public, with assurances on his part of the strictest attention and assiduity to their commands.

Easton, January 4, 1803.

Wants to Purchase,

FROM *fifteen* to *twenty Slaves* of both sexes, any person inclinable to sell can hear from the purchaser, by directing a letter to A. B. Post-office, Easton.

March 22, 1803. 4

Varnishes & Cordials.

STEPHEN VICKERY & Co.
At their Laboratory, No. 46, Granby-street, east side of Peters' Brew-house,
OFFER FOR SALE,

Best copal varnish } for Carriage makers.
do. Japan do. }
And all other kinds of spirit varnish.
Best copal varnish } for Chair makers.
do. Japan do. }

Japan for tinmen, with directions how to use it, equal to any that ever was made.

All kinds of cordials and best bitters, wholesale and retail, with sundry articles in the Chymical line.

Orders from the country and elsewhere, attended to with punctuality, by he public's humble servants,

STEPHEN VICKERY & Co.
Baltimore, March 22, 1803. 7

N. B. All kinds of colours mixed for paper hanging manufactories on the shortest notice. S. V. & Co.

MRS. KEETS,

RESPECTFULLY informs her friends and the public, that she has engaged gentlemen of approved abilities as assistants in her School, where young ladies are taught the English and French languages (German if required) Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Geography and Astronomy, with plain and fine needle work; drawing and music (on the Piano Forte and harp). Those parents and guardians who think proper to intrust her with the care of their children, may depend upon the strictest attention being paid to their morals, improvement, and accommodation.

Terms of admission £. 45 per annum, music and drawing excepted.

Centreville, March 8, 1803. 6

Notice.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of *John Ewing*, late of Caroline county, deceased, are requested to bring them in, properly authenticated, on the twenty-sixth day of April next, to the subscriber, who will attend at Denton, on that day, to strike a dividend of said estate; those neglecting to bring in their claims on or before that day, will be excluded from a dividend.

JOSEPH EWING, Adm'r.
de bonis non of John Ewing.
Caroline County, March 15, 1803. 6

For Sale or Rent,

A VALUABLE and well improved Farm, containing about 450 acres of land, of which 300 are cleared, under good fencing, and is at present in a high state of cultivation. This Farm is situated on the Main Ditch of the Long Marsh in Caroline county, and adjoining an estate of Mr. William Hemsley—distant from Duck Creek about 20 miles, and from Centreville 15. Upon it are, a dwelling house, negro quarters, stable, meat house, and other necessary buildings for a farm, also two houses for the curing of tobacco—to the growth of which the soil is well adapted. There is likewise a flourishing orchard of upwards of 300 apple trees.

To a person who would pay down one third of the purchase money, a liberal credit would be given for the balance. If a sale should not be made before the 1st day of September next, then the farm will be to rent. Persons who would wish to view the above mentioned property, are requested to call on the Rev. Samuel Keene, Jun. or Mr. Woolman Warner, residing on the March, who will shew the property, and are authorized to contract for the same, or if convenient, application may be made to the subscriber in the city of Baltimore.

JAMES CHESTON.
March 22, 1803.

THE subscriber having commenced the *Boot & Shoe-making Business*, in the shop formerly kept by Mr. John Blake, Washington-street, Easton. He intends carrying on the business in all its various branches, where those that may favor him with their commands may depend on having them executed at the shortest notice, and in the best manner; as he is determined to pay the strictest attention to his business, with a competent set of journeymen, he thinks himself warranted in making a proffer of his services to a generous public.

NICHOLAS VALLIANT.
March 15, 1803. tf

N. B. He has now on hand an assortment of the best materials in his line, where immediate supplies may be had.

N. V.

JAMES TROTH,
Clock & Watch Maker Easton.

THE Subscriber having purchased the stock and materials of Mr. Benjamin Willmott, intends carrying on the above business in all its various branches; and from his knowledge in the line of his profession, and a determination to pay the strictest attention to such orders as he may be favored with, hopes to render general satisfaction.

Clocks made and repaired by the year.

The subscriber takes the liberty of recommending to the attention of the public, and his friends in particular, Mr. James Troth, who will continue the Clock and Watch Making Business, in the shop that he occupied.

BENJAMIN WILLMOTT.
Easton, October 26, 1802.

Wanted Immediately,

A YOUNG MAN of respectable connexions, and from fourteen to sixteen years of age, to stand in a store; such a one as can come well recommended, will hear of an advantageous situation by application to the Printer hereof. March 29, 1803.

The subscriber, intending to leave the Eastern Shore of Maryland, offers at private sale, the following.

VALUABLE PROPERTY, viz.

THE Farm, formerly the residence of the late Dr. Maynadier, within five miles of Easton, containing two hundred and eighty-two acres, on which is a large and convenient dwelling house with almost every necessary out-house; also the stock on the said place, consisting of horses, horned cattle, sheep and hogs, with the farming utensils;

A water lot in the town of St Michaels, 60 feet front and 140 feet deep, on which is a good dwelling house, kitchen and smoak house, also, convenient to the said lot, twelve acres of highly manured ground under a post and rail fence on which are a dwelling house, carriage house and stable, with a well pa ed garden. 1

Half of the Schooner ARGUS, just returned from her first voyage and now ready for sea, burthen ninety-seven tons.

Any person disposed to purchase the above named property, or any part thereof, will, on application to the subscriber, find accommodating terms.

THOS. L. HADDAWAY.
Talbot County, Md. Jan. 11, 1803.

Valuable Lands for Sale.

I WILL sell about fifteen hundred acres of LAND, situated on the head of Moni Creek, about four miles from Princess Anne, in Somerset county.—There is on said lands a large brick dwelling house two stories high, with an entry and three good rooms on a floor; the out houses are all good—The place has been some years rented, and of course out of repair as to the inclosures. It is among the handsomest situations in that county, and it cannot be exceeded by any lands on the Eastern Shore for the finest timber. If the lands are not sold by the 2d Monday in January next, they will be laid off in lots of about five hundred acres each, and offered at public sale.

I have also for sale a farm on Wecomoco River, of about seven hundred acres of land, with a grist mill, situated by the upper ferry—To prevent any unnecessary application for that, I will not take less than Twenty Dollars per acre. A part of the purchase money will be required on the sale, that will be small, a long credit will be given for the balance, on giving bond and good security.

HENRY WAGGAMAN.
Dorchester county, Nov. 16, 1802. } ts.

N. B. Mr. Elias Bailey, who lives near the lands on Moni River, will shew the same to any person desirous of seeing them. The seven hundred acres will be laid off in lots, so as to suit the purchasers H. W.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber on Monday 21st instant, a negro man named GOVET, twenty-two years of age, about five feet and an half high, well set, with square shoulders, large round face, and flat nose; he is an intelligent sensible fellow, and when sharply spoken to, puts on the appearance of sullenness and morosenes, with an insolent but downward look; had on when he went away, a linsey-woolsey over jacket, a pretty good wool hat, old grey cloth trousers, and white yarn stockings; however, he may have changed his dress, as he took with him a pair of new grey cloth trousers, a white shirt, and nankeen over jacket, with other clothes unknown: he has a small notch cut in one of his ears, but without minute examination will not be discovered, as it is almost grown out. Whoever takes up said servant and secures him so that the subscriber may get him, shall receive the above reward, if taken out of the county, if in it, ten dollars.

JOHN MAGUIRE.
Dorchester County, Maryland, March 29, 1803. 6q

Two hundred dollars reward.

RAN away from the subscriber some time in March last, a negro girl by the name of MILL, who did belong to the late John Barrow, deceased; about seventeen years of age, lively, and of a delicate make. Also, went off about the first of June last, a negro man named BILL, formerly the property of Henrietta Bewley, about twenty-five or twenty-six years of age, five feet seven or eight inches high, well made, of an orderly and submissive deportment. It is presumed that the clothing which the above negroes had on, when they absconded, is needless to be described from the great length of time that has since elapsed.—The above reward or in proportion for either of them, will be given to any person securing the said runaways so that the subscriber may get them again, and reasonable expenses paid if brought home,

WILLIAM CRONEY.
Talbot County, March 8, 1803. tf