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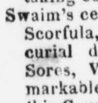
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Oct. 18 3w

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY Virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, issued out of Talbot county Court, and to me directed against Edward Auld, at the suit of Daniel Martin, and also by virtue of two writs of fieri facias, issued and directed as aforesaid, against said Ed. Auld, one at the suit of Mary McCausland, Adm'x. of Marcus McCausland, and one at the suit of James Armstrong, Jr. will be sold for Cash at the Court House door in the town of Easton, on Saturday the 8th day of November next, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. the following property to wit: One Lot at Easton Point, containing ½ acre of Land more or less, one Lot at Easton Point containing ½ of an acre of land more or less which he purchased of John L. Kerr, Esq. with the improvements thereon; one other Lot, containing 1½ acres of land more or less, which he purchased of John Hopkins.—Also, a Lot on the Landing road, containing 1-8th of an acre of Land more or less.—Also, one Sloop called Edward Lloyd, together with the Row-boat, Oars, Cambouse, Anchors, Cabin Furniture, Sails Masts Spars Rigging and Tackling, belonging to the same; Also, one bay Horse called Dick, one brown Horse called Comer, 2 Cows, 2 Looking Glasses, 2 Tables, 4 Beds and furniture, 1 Sideboard, 1 small Clock, 2 Bureaus, 1 Cupboard, 1 horse cart, 1 Dray, 1 Gig and Harness, and one Negro woman called Charlotte, aged about 18 years, all of which Goods and Chattels are subject to a Bill of Sale to Edward N. Hambleton and Thomas Henrix, and also subject to prior Executions. Taken and will be sold to pay and satisfy the aforesaid claims. Attendance by
Oct. 18 ts WM. TOWNSEND, Shff.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY Virtue of twelve writs of venditioni exponas issued out of Talbot county Court & to me directed against Edward Auld, at the suits of John Leeds Kerr, Edward Jenkins, Francis D. McHenry, Benjamin Slocum, and the State of Maryland for the use of Levin Simpson, use of Wm. H. Tilghman Wm. Hubbard and Catharine Summerville, will be sold for Cash at the Court House door in Easton on Saturday the 8th day of November next, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. the the following property to wit:—One Lot at Easton Point, containing ½ acre of land more or less —one Lot at Easton Point containg ½ of an acre of Land more or less which he purchased of John Leeds Kerr, Esq. with the improvements thereon:—one other Lot containing 1 3-4 acres land more or less, which he purchased of John Hopkins.—Also one Lot on the Landing road, containing 1 8th of an acre of land more or less. Also on the same day, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 6 o'clock P. M. at the house of said Auld, the following Property to wit — One Sloop called Edward Lloyd, together with the Rowboat, Oars, Cambouse, Anchors and Cabin Furniture—Sails, Masts, Spars, Rigging and Tackling belonging to the same —Also one bay Horse called Dick, one brown Horse called Comer, 2 Cows, 2 Looking Glasses, 2 Tables, 4 Beds, Bedsteads and Furniture—1 Sideboard, 1 small Clock, 2 Bureaus, 1 Cupboard, 1 Horse Cart, 1 Dray, 1 Gig and Harness, 1 negro woman called Charlotte, aged about 18 years, all which Goods and Chattels are subject to a Bill of Sale to Edward N. Hambleton and Thomas Henrix—Seized and taken to pay and satisfy the above mentioned writs of Venditioni Exponas, debt, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.—Attendance by
THOS: HENRIX, late Sheriff,
Oct. 18—ts of Talbot county.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of six writs of venditioni exponas issued out of Talbot county court & to me directed at the suits of David Fairbanks use Samuel Groome, Joseph Scull, use Conrod Kelly & Co. Jacob Cronmiller, Margaret Kirby, Richard Spencer, use of Isaac Atkinson and Joseph Robinson,—also by virtue of two writs of fieri facias issued and directed as aforesaid, at the suit of John Porter, against John Dawson, will be offered at Public Sale on Tuesday the 4th day of November next, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. and sold for Cash to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the Town of Easton, the Farm of the said John Dawson on which he at present resides be the quantity what it may; ALSO—the Farm or Plantation of said Dawson, called & known by the name of "Peck's Point" ---Also a tract or part of a tract of Land which said Dawson purchased of the Heirs of Owen Kennard, known by the name of the 'Oakfields,' containing thirty Acres of Land more or less, & two Negro women Also will be sold by virtue of the writs of Venditioni Exponas aforesaid, on the next day between the hours aforesaid on the premises of the said Dawson for Cash; six head of Horses, twenty head of Cattle, thirty head of sheep, and four Ox Carts Seized and taken as the Goods & Chattles Lands and Tenements of the said John Dawson, and will be sold to pay and satisfy the writs of Venditioni Exponas and Fieri Facias, and the interest and costs due and to become due thereon.—Attendance given by WM. TOWNSEND, Shff.
Oct. 11 ts

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of three writs of vendi. expo. issued out of Talbot County court and to me directed against James Chambers, at the suits of the following persons, to wit: Edward N. Hambleton use of Jacob Loockerman use of Levin Millis, sen. William Furguson and Eusebius Leonard (Levin Millis, sen. and Wm. Ferguson's parts for the use of Wm. Jenkins) the state of Maryland for the use of Joshua Dixon and Rebecca, his wife, formerly Rebecca Gregory, and George W. Nabb, will be sold on Friday 7th of November, next, at the dwelling plantation of said Jas. Chambers, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A M. and 5 o'clock P M. the following property, to wit: All the estate, right, title, interest and claim of him the said Jas. Chambers, of, in and to the following tracts or parts of tracts of land: that is to say, part of Orem's Delight and Turner's Resurvey, containing the quantity of 102 acres of land more or less, part Beaver Dam Neck and part of Forest and Dike, containing 113 acres of land more or less, part of Chambers, Adventure, and part of The Adventure containing 21½ acres of land, part of Locust Grove containing 36½ acres part Dunmore Heath, in King's Creek, containing 27½ acres, of land more or less—also the following negroes, to wit:—one negro man called Tom, 1 do. called Jim, 1 do, Greenbury, 1 woman called Patience 1 do. called Annise 1 girl called Charlotte, 1 do. called Mary, 1 do. called Maria, 1 boy called George, 1 called Theodore; all the above negroes are for a term of years; also ten beds, bedsteads & furniture, 1 eight day clock 2 side boards 4 tables, 13 windsor chairs, 2 cupboards, and contents, all the balance of the household and kitchen furniture—also 14 head of cattle, 10 head of horses 40 head of hogs, 24 head sheep, 1 gig and harness, all the crop of wheat seeded on the lands, a quantity of corn housed, and eight stacks of hay—taken and will be sold to pay and satisfy the aforesaid vendi. expo. and the interest and costs due and to become due thereon, Attendance given by
WILLIAM TOWNSEND, Shff.
Oct. 11.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of four writs of venditioni exponas issued out of Talbot county Court, and to me, directed against John Dawson, at the suit of Wm. W. Moore, Isaac Atkinson, Adm'r. of Jos. Edmondson, Robert H. Goldsborough and William Clark, will be sold for Cash at the front door of the Court House, in Easton, on Tuesday the 4th day of November next, between the hours of 10 o'clock A M. and 5 o'clock P. M. the following property, to wit: the Farm or Plantation of said Dawson where he at present resides, containing 391 acres more or less and known by the name of Shrigleys Fortune, part Rockey Neck, part of Halls neck, and Hoopers Point, situate on Miles River and Third Haven Creek; and also the Farm or Plantation known by the name of Pecks Point, be the quantity what it may, seized and taken, as the property of said Dawson, to pay and satisfy the above writs of venditioni exponas, debt, interest and costs due and to become due thereon. Also, on Wednesday the 5th day of November next, between the hours 10 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. the following property to wit: 10 head of Horses, 28 head of Cattle, 4 yoke of Oxen, 50 head of Sheep and one Gig and Harness, seized and taken to pay and satisfy the above writs of venditioni exponas, debt, interest and costs due and to become due thereon. Attendance by
THOS. HENRIX, late Shff.
Oct. 11. of Talbot County

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of venditioni exponas, issued out of Talbot county Court and to me directed against Enoch Morgan at the suit of James Chaplain will be sold for Cash at the Court House door in Easton, on Tuesday the 4th day of November next, between the hours of 10 o'clock A M. and 5 o'clock P. M. the following property, to wit: part of a tract of land called Powicks or House Manner, containing two hundred acres, more or less, situated near the Trappe—seized and will be sold to pay and satisfy the above writ of venditioni exponas, debt, interest and cost due and to become due thereon, Attendance by
THOS. HENRIX late Shff
Oct. 11 ts of Talbot County

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas issued out of Talbot county court, and to me directed, against Fiddeman Rolle at the suit of Philemon Skinner, will be sold for Cash at the front door of the Court House in Easton, on Tuesday the 4th day of November next, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and five o'clock P. M. the following property to wit:—The Farm of said Rolle on which he at present resides situate near St. Michaels be the quantity what it may, seized and will be sold to pay and satisfy the above writs of venditioni exponas, debt, interest and costs due and to become due thereon. Attendance by
THOMAS HENRIX, late Shff.
Oct. 11.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas at the suit of Solomon Lowe use Samuel Groome and a writ of fieri facias at the suit of Lambert Reardon; issued out of Talbot County Court and to me directed, against Wm. P. Kerr will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, for cash, at the front door of the Court House in the Town of Easton, on Tuesday the 4th day of November next, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. all the reversionary right and interest of the said Wm. P. Kerr, of, in, and to the Farm on which Samuel Eason now resides, situate near the Hole-in-the-Wall, be the quantity what it may—Siezed and taken as the lands and tenements of the said Wm. P. Kerr, and will be sold to pay and satisfy the writs aforesaid and the interest and costs due and to become due thereon. Attendance given by WM. TOWNSEND, Shff.
Oct. 11.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of eight writs of venditioni exponas issued out of Talbot County Court and to me, directed against Fayette Gibson, at the suit of John Welsh alias John J. Welsh, Edw'd. Auld, Adm'r. of Jos. Parrott, Philemon Thomas & William H. Groome, use of Philemon Thomas, William W. Moore, Francis D. McHenry, Edward Lloyd, William Farlow, Adm'r. of Thomas Harrison of Jos. and James Tilton, Ex'r. of Jas. Tilton, will be sold for cash, at the front door of the Court House, in Easton, on Tuesday the 4th day of November next, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. the following Property, to wit:—A tract of Land called Marengo, containing five hundred and fifty acres of Land, more or less, seized and taken to pay and satisfy the above writs of venditioni exponas, debt, interest, and costs due, and to become due thereon. Also on Thursday the 6th day of November next between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. at the House of said Gibson, will be sold, for Cash, the following property, to wit:—13 head of Horses, 40 head of Cattle, 52 head of Sheep, and 20 head of Hogs, seized and taken to pay and satisfy the above writs, debt, interest and costs due and to be come due thereon. Attendance by
THOS. HENRIX, late Shff.
Oct. 11.

BENNETT R. JONES,
Clock and Watch Maker,

RETURNS his grateful thanks to the Public for the liberal patronage he has received and informs them that he still continues the above business at the old stand next door to the Bank, where he is prepared with a good assortment of materials to meet all orders in his line. He assures the Public that his work shall be done in a workman-like manner, and Warranted for 12 months. Persons who have Clocks to repair or clean may be waited on at their residence or otherwise, as they may see proper

N. B. B. R. J. has on hand and wishes to dispose of an elegant 8 day Brass Clock of superior workmanship, for which, he will take Cash or good Paper.
Easton, Oct. 25 1828—tf

BOARDING.

MRS. M. TAYLOR, begs leave to inform the citizens of Baltimore and the Eastern Shore in general, that she has taken that very convenient and commodious House in McClellan's street, No. 8, near Beltzhoover, Indian Queen Tavern, where she is prepared to receive BOARDERS by the *day, week, month or year*. Families can be accommodated with private rooms on the most reasonable terms.
Baltimore, Oct 25.

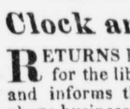
TO RENT.

THREE FARMS handsomely situated on the Waters of Broad Creek, and one on Tuckahoe Creek—for terms apply to
SAMUEL HARRISON.
Rich Neck, Aug. 16.

MARYLAND:
Caroline County Orphans' Court.
30th day of Sept. A. D. 1828.

ON application of Clement Eaton Administrator of Peter Eaton, late of Caroline county, deceased—It is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, and that he cause the same to be published once in each week for the space of three successive weeks, in one of the newspapers printed in the town of Easton.

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of proceedings of Caroline county Orphans' Court, I have hereunto set my hand, & the seal of my office affixed, this 30th day of Sept. in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred & twenty eight.



Test, JAS. SANGSTON, Reg'r.
of Wills for Caroline county.

In compliance with the above order,
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

That the subscriber of Caroline county hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Peter Eaton, late of Caroline county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said decessed's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof to the Subscriber on or before the 18th day of April next 1829; they may otherwise by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 30th day of Sept. A. D. eighteen hundred and twenty eight.

CLEMENT EATON, Adm'r.
of Peter Eaton, deceased.
Oct. 18, 1828.

THE VOLUNTEER.

"But hark! thro' the fast flashing lightnings of war,
"What steed to the desert flies frantic and far!"

In the pale twilight of a still summer's evening it was sweet to rove along the mossy banks, and among the green willows at the Redland cottage, where the broad rivulet that, flowing by it, and widening as it shot away into the lowlands, became a little lake, and lay before the eye an unbroken mirror of the purest cinystal. In the simple beauty of its situation, Redland Cottage had no rival near—in the practice of every domestic virtue, in the possession of all the qualities that adorn the female character, & shed around it a mild, yet growing lustre, the widowed mistress was as unrivalled as was the beauty of her home; and though she has long since been buried in the cold grave, whenever my mind would wander to some bright picture in the visions of the past, it flies to the days I spent beneath her roof, even at that period of peril to my country, in which the war of the revolution penetrated even to the peaceful hamlet of my nativity, and called my father from his home and family, to combat against the common enemy.

But even with my brief residence at Redland there are some sad recollections twined. It was on just such an evening as I have mentioned, that as I was walking in the little grove before the house with that venerable lady, the sound of the trampling of horses came down along the waters, and as we walked forward, two mounted troopers rode up and requested quarters, in terms so courteous and condescending as seemed to convince that they were gentlemen as well as soldiers. I was young, and a soldier being to me a curiosity I gazed on them both with a sensation of awe, & admiration. I fancy I see their features & habits yet; the largest wore a plain blue dress with yellow facings, & a small military hat which with a dark pair of whiskers, and a keen black eye gave him a very martial appearance—But the other stranger seemed a youth of about 17, of a most delicate figure, wrapped in a large and fine blue cloak; a beautiful skin, and glossy auburn hair that curled in rich profusion around his neck, a voice of the most melodious sweetness, and with all a grace of manner and expression peculiarly engaging—We judged that they were officers, and that pretty youth was not inferior, for his elder companion paid him a deference not due to an equal, and as they sat and talked together in a parlor, I stood near them, and looked at them, and listened; and then I thought, oh, friendship! that thou wast lovely; for I never had seen two beings more attached than were those soldiers to each other.

The mild clear evening was wearing away fast, and it was nine o'clock by the time that our stranger guests had finished a light repast and taken their seats at a little window from which they looked over the still waters awhile in silence, save now and then a deep sigh was given and responded; but they were from soldiers who had left their homes, and whom the morning sun might find summoned to battle, & a bloody bier.

"Sing for me Henry," said the elder soldier, reaching a flagelet that lay on the table near him, and touching a few soft notes, "sing for me for my heart is heavy, and I feel as though I should dream frightful things to night." He forced a laugh as he finished, and then placed the instrument again to his lips, and breathed in it a few melancholy chords; but his companion immediately struck upon a lively air, and he followed it:

"The soldier to the war has gone,
At freedom's and his country's call,
His father's sword he girded on,
And vanished from his father's hall.
Coldly, at eve, the moon beam shone,
While she, his loved one, wandered there,
And breathed along her harp the tone
That bless'd the faithful volunteer.

Then sad she sung, "perchance some brand
May reach that heart that beats for me,
And who shall then with trembling hand,
Bathe his cold brow, and close his eye—
Or who bend o'er his bleeding breast,
Kiss his pale cheek, his spirit cheer,
And soothe the noble soul to rest,
Of Henrietta's Volunteer."

The young soldier paused—the last accents of his voice fell on the ear like the dying notes of an Æolian harp, sweet, but all trembling and sorrowful; his companion seemed to catch the spirit of the song, however, and continued it in a clear and spirited voice

The wilder'd girl thus breath'd her lay,
As dimly set the evening star,
And ere its echoes died away,
Follow'd her soldier to the war—
Resolved in battle storm to ride,
'Mid flashing fire and gleaming spear,
A guardian angel by the side
Of her loved faithful volunteer.

The last note had scarcely died away before a shrill sound, like the distant scream of some mid-night bird, broke in upon the reigning silence, and rapid as thunder in the rear of lightning, the peal of fire arms succeeded. The Soldiers started, and, for a moment stood trembling in a locked embrace, but it was only for a moment, & the elder soldier sprang through the door, and mounting his white charger, disappeared along the road towards the village. The youth watched him as he withdrew, and when he was out of sight, bent his ears to the window, and listened in an agony of suspense.

The firing now seemed coming nearer and nearer, and before thirty minutes had elapsed, we could distinguish the flash of pistols.—"Our band is attacked! is defeated!—my horse! my horse!" cried the young soldier, and gliding out, was mounted and away in an instant. In ten minutes the steed which had belonged to the elder soldier came prancing back without a rider, and shortly after, the firing and shouting died away; the battle was ended, and the foe driven off.

But we were yet to witness a heart-rending spectacle. Our guests returned. The brow of the elder was pale, his eye dim and garments soiled—he threw himself on a sofa, and leaned his head upon his hand in silence. But the youth appeared excessively agitated and looking at his little delicate hands, he shudderingly, "look there is no blood on them—but, but, but I did shoot the man that fought with you—I shot him and he fell, 'and then he kneeled by the side of his companion, and took his hand—'you are sick,' said he, 'oh! I hope you are not hurt; you said you was not.' The soldier dropped his head upon his arm, and said feebly, 'I am dying Henrietta!' 'Henrietta!' exclaimed the attendants, as the young unknown started at the word 'dying,' and threw

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