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ADVERTISEMENTS,

ARE inserted *three weeks* for *ONE DOLLAR*, and continued *weekly*, for *TWENTY-FIVE CENTS* per square.

Farmer's Bank of Maryland.

BRANCH BANK AT EASTON.

THE President and Directors having declared a dividend of 4 per cent. for the last six months, ending with the 30th instant, the same will be paid to the Stockholders, or their legal representatives, on or after *Thursday*, the 5th October next.

HALL HARRISON, *Cashier.*

Sept. 26. 1809. 4

Public sale.

BY an order of the orphan's court of Talbot county, will be sold at public sale, on *Wednesday*, the 11th October next, at the late residence of *James Ridgaway*, deceased, the personal property of said deceased, consisting of Household and Kitchen Furniture; Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs; Corn, Bacon, and Farming Utensils, with a variety of other articles. The terms of sale are six months credit, the purchasers giving note with approved security, bearing interest from the date, for all sums over six dollars, and for all sums of, and under six dollars, the cash will be required on removing the property.

Agreeably to the last Will of the said deceased, will be sold at the same time and place, a *Lot of Ground*, containing about ten acres, situate in Hopkins's Neck, now in the tenure of James Jones, on the above terms. The sale will begin at ten o'clock, and attendance given by

JAMES & JOSEPH RIDGAWAY,
Ex'ors of J. Ridgaway, dec'd.

Sept. 12. 1809. 5

Public Vendue.

Will be exposed at Public Sale, on Thursday, the 12th of October, inst. at the dwelling-house of the subscriber,

SEVERAL valuable Saddle and Geer Horses; also, Cows and Caves, Steers and Heifers, Bacon, empty Hogsheads and Barrels, and a Sulkey, with a number of other articles too tedious to mention—Also, that famous and much admired foal-getter, *SPECULATOR.*

The above property will be sold on a credit of six months, the purchasers giving bond or note with approved security,

THOMAS REYNOLDS,
Head of Wye

October 3, 1809. 2

Public sale.

Will be sold at Public Sale, at the late residence of THOMAS APPLEGARTH, *deceased, near Easton, on* Thursday, *the 12th of October next,*

A VARIETY of Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs; Farming Utensils, with other articles. The terms of sale will be nine months credit on all sums over six dollars, with note and approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale—All sums of, and under six dollars the cash will be required on delivering the property. The sale to commence at 10 o'clock, and attendance given by

ANN BELL, Adm'rx.
of Thos. Applegarth, dec'd.

September 26, 1809. 3

By Virtue of an Order

Of the Orphan's Court of Talbot County,

WILL be offered at public sale on WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of October next, at the late dwelling of *Hugh Sherwood*, Esq. of Huntington, of Talbot county, deceased, part of the personal estate of said Sherwood, consisting of valuable Household and Kitchen Furniture; Stock, Farming Utensils, with sundry articles too tedious to enumerate—And, on the *Wednesday following*, at the farm where *John Tarr* now lives, in Miles River Neck, the residue of the personal estate of said Sherwood, (negroes excepted) among which are, some very valuable young Stock. The terms of sale are, for all sums above Eight Dollars, a credit of six months will be given, by the purchaser giving bond with approved security—for all sums under Eight Dollars, the cash will be required. Should either of the above days be rainy, the next fair day. Sale to commence at 10 o'Clock.

ELIZA. SHERWOOD, *adm'x.*
THOMAS BANNING, *adm'r*
of H. Sherwood, deceased.

Sept. 26, 1809. 4

Notice.

ALL persons who have claims against the estate of the late *Judge Tilghman*, are requested to exhibit them for settlement to Mr. Richard T. Earle, of Centreville.

FRISBY TILGHMAN, Adm'r.

Queen-Ann's county, Aug. 29, 1809.—6

Advertisement.

BY virtue of a decree of the High Court of Chancery, will be exposed to sale to the highest bidder, on the last Monday in October inst. on the premises, begining at twelve o'clock, the following part of tracts or parcels of LAND, viz.—Part of a Tract called *Fountain's Regulation*, part of a Tract called *Holbourn*, part of a Tract called *Batchelor's Fortune*—all contiguous to and adjoining each other, so as to form a commodious settlement, and amounting in the whole to four hundred and forty acres of Land, more or less. This land is the land that was the property of *Andrew Fountain*, late of Caroline county, deceased, and was by him, (in his life time) mortgaged to John Bennett, and by said Bennett transferred to Col. William Whiteley. The terms of the sale as ordered by the Chancellor, are, that the purchaser of the whole or any part thereof, shall pay the purchase money on the day of sale, or immediately after the ratification of the sale, which will not exceed five weeks after the report of the Trustee—Bond or note will be required of the purchaser or purchasers, with approved security, to be given on the day of sale, if the money be not then paid; and on the receipt of the whole purchrse money, and not before, a good and sufficient deed will be executed and acknowledged by the trustee to the purchaser. Attendance given by

ROBERT ORRELL, Trustee.

October 3, 1809. 3

Farms to rent,

For the Ensuing Year.

THE FARM, now in the tenure of *David Nice*, pleasantly situated, within one mile of Easton. Likewise, that well improved fertile FARM, at present occupied by the subscaiber; both of which command advantages that highly recommend them to the attention of the industrious farmer.

ALSO, a small Tenement, consisting of a comfortable Dwelling House, Kitchen and Garden; and another tenement, consisting of a snug dwelling, garden, and lot of two acres. These are situated on the waters of Thirdhaven, where a Fisherman may find a rich reward for his toils. Accommodating terms may be known by immediate application to

JOS. BARTLETT.

Wakefield, 10th mo. 3d, 1809. 3

Second and last Notice

IS hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of *John Bewley*, late of Queen-Ann's county, deceased, to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 31st instant—they will otherwise by law be barred of any part of the assets now in hand. Given under my hand this 2d day of October, 1809.

WM. LL. BEWLEW, Adm'r.
de bonis non, with the Will annexed.

October 3, 1809. 3

Stolen from the subscriber,

ON the night of the 28th September, a Dark Grey HORSE, about eight or nine years old next spring, and about fourteen hands high; carries a high head, and is an excellent draft horse: Trots and gallops. Whoever takes up and secures said horse, if taken out of the county, shall receive Ten Dollars; if taken in the county, and brought home, or secured so that I get him again, shall receive ample setisfaction for their trouble. by

WILLIAM HIGNUT, *near Denton.*

Caroline county, Oct. 3, 1809. 3

Second and last Notice

IS hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of *Christianna Bewley*, late of Queen-Ann's county, deceased, to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 31st instant—they will otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 2d day of October, 1809.

WM. LL. BEWLEY, Adm'r.
with the Will annexed

October 3, 1809 3

For sale.

Agreeably to the last Will and Testament of Captain Abner Parrott, *the subscribers offers at private sale, on a liberal credit,*

A HOUSE and LOT in the town of Easton. This Lot is 40 feet in front on Washington street, and runs back with Baldwin's Alley 207 feet—has on it a new framed dwelling house completely finished, and is calculated for the accommodation of two families; a good well of water in the yard. If this property is not sold before *TUESDAY, the 3d day of October next*, it will be offered at public sale.

JOHN KENNARD,
THOMAS STEVENS,
Ex'ors of Captain Abner Parrott.

Sept. 12, 1809. m

NEW STORE.

THE Subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and former customers, that he has commenced the *Grocery and Queen's Ware Business*, in the house lately occupied by Mr. Thomas Abbott, opposite the Market-House;

Consisting of the following Articles:

LISBON WINE, 1st & 2d quality,	§Salt Petre,
Antigua spirits;	§Pepper,
Jamaica do.	§Ginger,
Old whiskey, superior quality,	§Raisins,
	§Almonds,
	§Mould & Dipt Candles,
Do. second do.	
Gin,	§Cheese,
Rum,	§Porter,
4th proof F. Brandy.	§Tobacco 1st quality,
Molasses,	§Do. 2d do.
Brown Sugar,	§Segars,
Loaf do.	§Pipes,
White Havanna do.	§Cotton.
Coffee 1st 2d 3d quality,	§Rice,
	§Sifters;
Chocolate 1st 2d,	§Snuff.
Imperial, Hyson, Souchong TEAS, first quality	§Powder,
	§Shot,
	§Soap,
Pickling vinegar.	§Queen's ware, assorted,
Philad. and London	
Mustard,	§Baltimore do.
Salt,	§Flour, &c.

The above articles are offered for sale on the lowest terms, for *CASH, Corn*, or *Feathers.*

SAMUEL NICOLS.

N. B. A BOY of good connexions will be taken as an Apprentice to the above business. S. N.

Easton, Oct. 3, 1809. 3

TO THE *Voters of Talbot County.*

THE subscriber solicits the Suffrages of the Free and Independent Voters of Talbot county, for the next *Sheriffalty.*

JONATHAN N. BENNY.

October 3. 1809. m

Female Academy.

THE public are hereby respectfully notified, that a SCHOOL for the exclusive instruction of *Young Ladies*, will be opened at Easton, on the second Monday of October next, in which will be taught Reading, with correct pronunciation, according to the most approved standards; Writing, English Grammar, Arithmetic, together with any or all of the other branches of the Mathematics; Geography, with the use of the Globes; History and composition, or the Belles Lettres generally; and the deportment of the scholars, both with regard to morals and manners, will be strictly attended to. The apartment engaged for this purpose is in Washington street, opposite to the Bank, and belonging to Dr. E. Martin. The subscriber flatters himself that the utility of the Institution, together with his best endeavours for its reputation, will be a sufficient consideration to ensure him the patronage of the public. Terms of tuition Five Dollars per quarter—He will also give private lessons (out of school hours) if desired.

SAML. R. ANDREWS.

Easton, Sept. 26. 1809. 4

Easton Academy.

THE Trustees of this Institution having resumed their trust, have now the satisfaction to announce that the Classical Department will be opened on *Monday*, the 5th day of September next, under the direction of the reverend ARCHIBALD WALKER; a gentleman long experienced in the instruction of Scholars in the Latin and Greek Languages, and highly recommended for his talents knowledge, and devotion to his duties as a Teacher. The Trustees desire to assure the Parents and Guardians of such Boys as may be sent to the Academy for their Education, that the greatest attention shall be paid to their discipline and good government of the school, and to the progress and moral deportment of the scholars. Board and accommodation may be procured in several families in town upon reasonable terms. As soon as the Mathematical Department shall be prepared to be opened, information shall be given to the public.

By order of the Board,
P. BENSON, President.

Easton, August 22, 1809. 8

GUNS.

JAMES HASLETT, GUN-MAKER, RESPECTFULLY informs the Public, that he has now on hand the handsomest assortment of DOUBLE and SINGLE BARREL GUNS ever offered for sale in Baltimore. They are mounted in Silver, Stut and Brass, from Six Dollars to One Hundred and Thirty each.

Country Merchants will find it to their advantage to give him a call as he is determined to sell them cheap.

Guns and Pistols as usual carefully and promptly repaired at No. 28, Water Street, near the Marsh Market.—*Sign of the Golden Gun.*

Baltimore, August 29, 1809. 8

JOHN MEREDITH

HAS JUST OPENED A HANDSOME ASSORTMENT OF

Dry Goods, Hardware and GROCERIES,

which he will sell at the most reduced prices for CASH.——He always keeps the *best* Cabiness Tobacco.

Easton, Sept. 26, 1809. 4

Fashionable Caps and Bonnets.

THE Subscriber has just obtained from BALTIMORE, a well chosen assortment of *Fashionable* and *Fancy CAPS, and Split Straw BONNETS*, which she will sell low for CASH.

MARY HOLMES.

Easton, Sept. 26, 1809. 3

The subscriber,

ANXIOUS to wind up his business in this place, earnestly solicits all persons indebted to him, to make immediate payment. His present stock of GROCERIES will be sold low for Cash.

JAMES BOWIE.

Easton, Sept. 26, 1809. 3

IN ADDITION TO MY PRESENT, I HAVE CONCLUDED TO ADD THE

Commission Business.

MY own Interest and Gratitude will be sufficient to secure the Confidence of those who may see proper to consign their Grain, Tobacco, &c. to me.

F. D. M'HENRY.

Baltimore, Sept. 7, (26) 1809. 7

Notice.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of *Daniel Lamdin*, junior, late of Talbot county, deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, properly authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the first day of April next, or by law they may be barred the benefit of said estate—All those indebted to said estate, are desired to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 26th day of September, 1809.

THOMAS HANNA, Adm'r of
3 D. Lambdin, deceased.

The subscriber

Has to Rent in the Town of Easton,

THE House and Lot where he formerly lived, and occupied now by *Mrs. Bromwell*—ALSO—*A Man Wanting* to take charge of a small Farm, having a small family and no stock, as a hireling or cropper. For terms apply to

SAMUEL COLSTON.

Sept. 19, 1809 m

N. B. Those will be preferred that's best recommended.

Notice.

THE Subscriber has began his Collections for the present year; all those who neglect to settle their assessment by the tenth of October next, may expect no further indulgence, as I am determined to close the collection as speedy as possible.

SAML. B. DARDEN, Collector
of the Tax for Talbot county.

August 15, 1809. m

Take notice.

THE subscriber has deposited his Books and Notes in the hands of Mr. *William Dawson*, of Easton, for collection—All persons are desired to settle their accounts with him, on or before the 20th day of October next, after which date he has full power to proceed agreeably to law, for such as may be due at that date. without respect to persons.

GEORGE SEWELL.

Easton, Sept. 12, 1809. 6

Additional School Books

FOR SALE AT THE STAR-OFFICE.

Murray's Reader, do. Sequal, do. Introduction; Jesse's American Tutor's Assistant, Dilworth's & Workman's do. School Bibles, Testaments, Spelling Books, Primers, &c. &c.

Almanacs for the year 1810.

October 3.

PRUDENCE AND ECONOMY.

Go to their house—buy, threaten, nay compel for't;
We must have money, though we shake all hell for't,
More money!—what a sound!—the solemn bell,
That tells the constitution's knell.

PINDAR.

By the last statement which we received of the amount of the national debt of England, it appeared to be the enormous sum of six hundred and sixty millions of pounds sterling. In order to form some idea of this mass of money, let us suppose it laid down in a direct line of guineas, close to each other, it would extend upwards of twelve thousand miles!! Change it into shillings, and average them in a similar manner, and it would be sufficiently long to reach eleven times round the earth, and would require two hundred and ten thousand horses to draw it, allowing each horse a thousand weight.

This is the result of carrying on what the ministry styles a just and necessary war—which at first had for its object the extermination of twenty-five millions of people, who were bursting the fetters of despotism, and struggling for their independence; but latterly, persevered in merely for the want of some suitable person to negociate: for it would cast an indelible stigma on an old established government, if they should notice the overtures of a few upstart rebels, & their infallible king condescended to treat with a man who was liable to err.—What! a descendant of an illustrious race of monarchs, who have ever been so tenacious of the breed, as to have the true blooded females imported from the continent, in order to transmit royalty, pure and uncontaminated to posterity. Shall he stoop to a band of miscreants! with a vulgar rabble! who despised the splendid grandeur of courts, and listened to the gruntings of the swinish multitude! whose blood was "the puddle of that mob, mankind!" No! it would be an act of degradation, which would stamp the name of majesty with infamy—it would be an odium on the national dignity—it would, at once abolish the etiquette of the government, and subvert those nice punctilios which are essentially necessary to preserve rank and title. A few hundred millions, expended for such laudable purposes, is a mere nothing, when put in competition with the value of our honor, our credit and rank—alas! it is less than nothing.

Such has ever been the bombastic language of the ministry; such the assigned pretexts for wasting their public treasures, and procrastinating the termination of a sanguinary war. Tremble, ye wicked counsellors! for the day of retribution is at hand, when you shall appear before an awful tribunal "to give an account of your stewardship."

Conflagration Strength of the People.

A British officer writes from Messina, of date the 14th April last:—"I returned a few days ago from a trip to Mount Ætna, where I had been to see the effects of an eruption, which took place on the 20th ult. The preceding day, we were all much surprised at seeing the streets of Messina covered with a quantity of fire ashes something like gun powder, which were driven by a strong south wind, from the top of the mountain, a distance of sixty miles.—It appears, that these ashes are thrown up before an eruption of fire; they come to Messina in such quantities, that it was unpleasant to walk the streets, especially against the wind. On the 28th ult. volumes of lava and fire, burst out from the several craters, which the volcanic matter made of itself, about six miles above the village of Lingua Glassa; it is impossible for words to convey, or colors to paint, the awful grandeur of this at once grand and terrific scene. Figure to yourself the highest mountain in Arran vomiting fire from a dozen of different places, and throwing up immense heaps of red hot stones to the height of one thousand feet, attended with a terrific noise, like the roaring of many cannon. Conceive quantities of melted lava issuing from each crater like metal from a furnance, and sweeping along with it, forests, houses, and every obstacle that presents itself to impede its progress, & you may have some faint idea of an eruption of Mount Ætna. In three days the lava proceeded six miles, but very fortunately did not overwhelm any village; it has however destroyed a quantity of timber, many vineyards and some corn fields. It was lamentable to witness the distress of the inhabitants that were unfortunately situated in the neighborhood; they cried; tore their hair, prayed to all their saints and images, & carried them in procession to the lava, in hopes that their presence would stop the devouring element, but to no purpose. The wooden St. Joseph and all the rest of them were deaf to their prayers, and the lava continued to roll on for more than ten days, when the volcanic matter being exhausted, the fire became extinct. Had it continued a few days longer, several villages must have been burnt down. I was not more than 500 yards from one of the craters, but some of the stones flying over my head, I was obliged to scamper off. The effect at night is beyond all description magnificent."

LONDON PAPER.