APOLLO'S FOUNT.

[From the New-York Morning Courier.]

EXTRACTS FROM AN UNPUBLISHED POEM.

'Tis night where the deep wave of ocean is rushing,
'Tis night where the breezes of evening swell
'Tis night where the flowrets are silently blushing,
Unseen by the bright eyes that love them so well;
Ah now is the shadowy hour of feeling
When joy wakes to revel & sorrow to weep—
And hark—when their wild mingled murmurs are stealing
And echo reply to the wail of the deep.

If to yon silver orb was given
A tongue to tell the deeds of even
She'd whisper not of hearts that climb
Nearer the heaven from whence they came,
Or on the resting wing of Time
Plunge in the gulf of sin and shame
Till earth has not a reptile thing
More coldly darkly withering—
She'd tell no tale of brighter bliss
Or darker deeper wretchedness
Than might be found beneath the sky
Of cloudless blue—oh Italy!

Thou—the young paradise of earth,
Glowing in nature's witchery,
There's not a thing of mortal birth
But saves its sweetest smile for thee—
The loveliest flower, the brightest green
Is blooming o'er thy fairy scene,
Softly around the almond tree
The purple vine is clinging,
While every breeze that wakes for thee,
Ten thousand sweets is bringing;
And ah what splendor in the beam
That lightens the enchanted dreams—
Whether it sleeps upon the hill
Or gilds the softly murmuring rill,
Or kisses the young summer flower,
Or sweeter far young beauty's cheek,
As stealing in her rosy bower
It dares the sacred shadow break—
Or lingering on the mountain height,
As loath to quit so fair a place,
Still in its bright unclouded light
One peerless purity yet trace—
Ah sure if love essay'd to find
One little spot of earthly rest,
Bright as the heaven he left behind,
T'would be, fair Italy—thy breast.

Alas that where Heaven's sunbeams fall,
Man is the cloud that darkens all!
For see, in yonder lonely bower
A ruder tread has crushed the flower,
And that bright spot can breathe a tale
Of horror to the passing gale—
There hatred holds his fiece career
Unchill'd by time, uncheck'd by fear;
And ask ye where his victims sleep—
Go mark the unhallow'd grave—
Or ask the dull cold murmuring deep
What broke its midnight wave—
Revenge! revenge—the page of Time
Has marked his way thro' blood and crime,
Till seated in his fiendlike course,
And sickening at the ruin done,
In blackening, withering remorse,
He kneels before the altar stone,
And torture well might shrink to share
That deeper madness of despair.

A Halifax paper complains that the specie goes to the United States, and adds that the best of Dantzic flour sold at Newfoundland last season, for 28s. per bbl. while American flour was 40 a 45s.

Easton and Baltimore Packet.

THE SCHOONER

JANE & MARY,



RICHARD KENNEY, Master.

WILL leave Easton on SUNDAY the 24th February (instant,) at nine o'clock, A. M. returning leave Baltimore every WEDNESDAY, at 9 o'clock, A. M. and will continue to leave Easton and Baltimore on the above named days during the season.

The subscriber has taken the Granary belonging to Mrs. Vickers, which is in complete order for the reception of grain or any other freight the public may please to commit to his charge.

All orders left with the subscriber or with Capt. Thos. Parrott, Easton Point, or at Moore and Kellie's Drug Store, in Easton, will be punctually attended to.

The subscriber hopes, from his knowledge of, and strict attention to the business, to share a part of the public patronage—every accommodation necessary for the comfort and convenience of passengers will be attended to by the public's obedient servant,

RICHARD KENNEY.

Easton, feb 19 w

Easton and Baltimore Packet.

THE SLOOP

Edward Lloyd,



EDWARD AULD, Master.

WILL leave Easton Point on WEDNESDAY the 13th February (inst.) at 10 o'clock, A. M. returning, leave Baltimore every SATURDAY at 10 o'clock, A. M. and will continue to leave Easton and Baltimore on the above days during the season.

The Subscriber gratefully acknowledges the past favours of his friends and customers and the public in general, and hopes that his long experience in business and his unremitted attention, will insure him a liberal share of the public patronage.

All orders left with him, or in his absence with Mr. Samuel H. Benny, his Clerk, either at his office at Easton Point, or at the Drug and Medicinal Store, of Thomas H. Dawson, nearly opposite the Bank at Easton, will be thankfully received and promptly attended to.

EDWARD AULD.

feb 12 4w

UNION HOTEL.

Solomon Lowe



Returns his sincere thanks to his old customers and travellers generally who have been so kind and liberal as to afford him the pleasure of their company. He begs leave to inform them that he has now removed to his old stand at the corner of Goldsborough & Washington streets, in Easton, within a few yards of the Bank, where he will have great satisfaction in receiving his old customers, and has provided for their reception and entertainment every possible convenience.

Private parties can have the most private apartments, and the best entertainment with complaisant servants, and all the luxuries of the season upon the shortest possible notice. Mr. S. Lowe calculates on and invites the custom of all old friends and strangers.

Mr. Lowe's Hacks will attend the steam-boat with the greatest punctuality.

Easton, Jan 1 w

Navy Commissioner's Office,

11th February, 1828.

THE Commissioners of the Navy will receive Sealed Proposals, until the 1st day of March next, for the following Timber, viz:

		Feet.	Inches.
5,000	cubic feet ash timber,	12 to	20 long, 20 to 36 diameter.
2,000	do. white hickory,	12 to	24 do. 12 to 18 diameter.
1,500	do. yellow poplar,	12 to	30 do. 15 to 30 diameter.
1,000	do. black walnut,	12 to	30 do. 15 to 30 diameter.
1,000	do. wild cherry,	6 to	12 do. 12 to 20 diameter.

All of which timber shall be of the best quality. It shall be delivered at Washington, on or before the 1st day of May next, and shall undergo inspection and measurement, agreeably to the established rules in practice.

☞ To be published twice a week in the National Intelligencer, National Journal, Baltimore Patriot, and Easton Star.

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Notice is hereby given,

THAT application will be made for Certificates of 118 shares of Stock in the Union Bank of Md. distinguished as follows:

69 Shares, No. 9874 to 9942 inclusive, issued in the name of "P. E. Thomas, Isaac Tyson and Andrew Ellicott, Trustees, &c. for Civilization of the Indian Natives"—and dated March 1, 1808.

3 Shares 6127, '28 and '29 in the name of James Duer, and dated August 1, 1806.

2 Shares, 4183 and 4184 in the name of Solomon Hillen, and dated October 1, 1805.

8 Shares, 10499, '500, '501, '502, '503, '504, '505, '506, in the name of Leonard Jamieson, dated June 1, 1808.

11 Shares, Nos. 8679, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84, '85, '86, '87, '88, '89, in the name of Henry Brice, dated June 1, 1807.

4 Shares, Nos. 4405, '6, '7, '8, in the name of Martha Griffith, dated December 1, 1803.

10 Shares, Nos. 1245, '46, '47, '48 '49, '50, '51, '52, '53, '54, in the name of Hezekiah Claget, dated March 1, 1805.

4 Shares, Nos. 5261, '2, '3, '4, in the name of Wm. Mondell, and dated May 1, 1805.

7 Shares, 9091, '2, '3, '4, '5, '6, '7, in the name of John Kelso, and dated November 1, 1807.

The said stock now standing in the name of "P. E. Thomas, Andrew Ellicott, and Isaac Tyson, in Trust, &c. for the Civilization of the Indian Natives."

Signed, P. E. THOMAS,
ISAAC TYSON.

Baltimore, 28th Jan. 1828—[feb 5] 4w

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of a Decree of the Honorable the Judges of Talbot county Court, sitting as a Court of Chancery, for the sale of the Real Estate of Allen Bowie, Esq. late of Talbot county, deceased, for the payment of his debts; the subscriber, as Trustee, will sell at Public Vendue, on TUESDAY the 26th day of this present month, (February) at the front door of the Court-House, in the town of Easton, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M. of the same day, part of a tract of land called "NEWNAM'S LOT," & part of a tract of land called "NOBLE'S CHANCE," with the premises and appurtenances to the same belonging, situate, lying and being in the county of Talbot aforesaid, on the head waters of Wye River, and containing *One Hundred and Seventy Acres of Land*—A credit of one, two and three years, payable in equal Instalments, will be given on the purchase money, from the time of the sale. The purchase money with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by bond to the Trustee with such security as he may approve, and on the payment of the whole purchase money and interest, and not before, the Trustee will, by a good Deed, to be executed and acknowledged according to law, convey to the purchaser or purchasers, and his, her and their heirs, the property to him, her or them sold, free, clear, and discharged from all claim of the complainants, or of the defendants, and those claiming by, from or under them, or either, or any of them. Attendance given by

EDW'D. N. HAMBLETON, Trustee for the sale of the Real Estate of
feb 5 4w Allen Bowie, dec'd.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a decree of Talbot county Court, sitting as a Court of Chancery, passed at the November Term, 1827—Will be sold on SATURDAY, the fifteenth day of March next, at the Trappe, between the hours of two o'clock and four o'clock of that day, on a credit of twelve months, all the Land and Real Estate whereof John Helsby Jun. died seized; the same being a HOUSE and LOT in the Trappe.—The terms of sale are as follows to wit:—The purchaser or purchasers shall give bond with such security as the Trustee shall approve of, for the payment of the purchase money with interest within 12 months after the day of sale—on the ratification of the sale, and the payment of the purchase money, and not before, the Trustee is authorised to make to the purchaser or purchasers, a Deed of all the said John Helsby's right and estate, of, in and to the above mentioned House and Lot.—The creditors of said John Helsby, are hereby notified to exhibit their claims and vouchers properly authenticated to the Clerk of Talbot county Court, within six months from the day of sale.

SOLOMON MULLIKIN, Trustee.
feb 12 4w

Middletown Academy,

CLASSICAL DEPARTMENT.

THIS Institution will be opened on Monday the 22d. of October inst. under the care of the Rev. JOSEPH WILSON. In this Seminary students will be thoroughly instructed in the different branches of a good English and Classical Education, viz: Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Geography, Composition, Elocution, Mathematics, and the Greek and Latin Languages. The terms of Tuition money will be; for the English branches, exclusive of Mathematics, $8 per session, or $10, including the Mathematics; for the Languages, including the English, $10 per session. Tuition money to be paid in advance.

There will be two sessions in the year, with a short vacation between each.

Good boarding can be obtained in respectable families in the village, at the rate of Forty Dollars per session; and a few boarders can be accommodated in the family of the Principal.

JOHN EDDOWES, Secretary.
Middletown, Oct. 1, 1827—[jan 8] 3m

The Female School in the Middletown Academy

WILL be opened on the first Monday in December next, under the superintendence of Miss ISABELLA ANDERSON.

TERMS: Reading, Writing, Spelling, &c. $2 per quarter: payable in advance.

Geography, Arithmetic, & plain needle work, $3 50 cents per quarter.

Embroidery and Painting, $5 per quarter.

Good boarding can be had in the village on reasonable terms.

JOHN EDDOWES, Secretary.
Middletown, Del. Nov. 5, 1827—[jan 8] 3m

Valuable Lots & Lands for Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT by virtue of a sufficient power contained in a deed of Indenture made and executed by Jenifer S. Taylor, to the President and Directors of the Bank of Caroline, will be sold at the Court-House door in the village of Denton, on TUESDAY the 11th day of March next; between the hours of two and five o'clock in the afternoon, all that Lot with the improvements thereon, in the said village of Denton, where the said Jenifer S. Taylor now resides, being part of a tract of Land called and known by the name of Mount Andrews, containing 60 square perches, more or less—This lot has the strongest and best Wooden House in Denton, & other improvements in good repair, and will be sold on the following Terms, viz:—One-third part of the purchase money with the interest on the whole on the first day of March, 1829—and one other third part of the whole with the interest on the remaining part, on the first day of March, 1830—and the remaining third with the interest thereon, on the first day of October following, with the purchaser giving bond to be approved of by the Board of Directors.—And also another Lot of the same tract, adjoining the other (unimproved) said to contain one quarter of an acre, and adjoining the shop of George T. Millington, Esqr.—And also one unimproved lot which the said Jenifer S. Taylor purchased of a certain Anthony Ross, adjoining or near the lots of James Sangston, and Edward B. Hardcastle, Esqrs.

These two last mentioned lots will be sold at the same time and place, and on the same conditions of the first named—Also at the same time and place and on the same terms, will be sold the *Banking House and Lot* with the improvements thereon, the property of the said President, Directors and Company. By the Board of Directors.

JOHN BOON, Agent.
Denton jan 8 10w

Bill in Equity in Talbot County Court.

November Term, 1827.

William Clark vs. John H. Holt & others, heirs at law of Arthur Holt, dec'd.

ORDERED, That the report of William Hayward, Jr. Trustee for the sale of certain property in the above cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown, before the second Monday in May next; provided a copy of this order be inserted, once in each three successive weeks, in the Republican Star, before the first day of May next.

The report states the amount of sales to be, four thousand eight hundred and fifty eight dollars.

RICHARD T. EARLE.
LEMUEL PURNELL.

True Copy,
J. LOOCKERMAN, Clerk.
feb 12 3w

Bill in Equity in Caroline County Court.

October Term, 1827.

Mordecai Oxenham vs. Mary Oxenham and others, children and heirs at law of William Oxenham.

ORDERED by the Court that the report of Giles Hicks, Trustee for the sale of certain lands and Real Estate in the above cause mentioned, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown, before the second day of March Term next; provided a copy of this order be inserted once in each of the three successive weeks, in a newspaper printed in Easton, before the said second day of March Term next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $295.

ARA SPENCE.
WILLIAM TINGLE.

True Copy,
Test—
JO: RICHARDSON, Clk.
feb 12 3w

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the Commissioners of the Tax for Talbot county, will meet at their office in the Court House in the Town of Easton, on TUESDAY the 25th, and FRIDAY 29th days of the present month (February,) at 11 o'clock, A. M. and will continue to sit on the same days in each succeeding week for the space & term of twenty days, for the purpose of hearing and determining appeals and making such alterations and alienations in the assessment of property as they may deem necessary and proper according to law. By order,

JOHN STEVENS, Clerk to the Commissioners of the Tax for Talbot county.
feb 5 10w

Blacksmithing in General.

Vanderford & Hambleton,

RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and the Public, that they have taken that well known stand on Dover Street, formerly occupied by Mr. James Meloney, where they intend carrying on the above business in all its various branches, viz:—Country work of all kinds, Gun Locks, Horse Shoeing, Axes, Drawing-Knives, and other edged tools, warranted of the Best Materials, at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.—They have on hand, and intend keeping a good assortment of Materials, and from the strictest attention to business, they hope to give general satisfaction, and therefore solicit a share of Public Patronage. jan 15 w

REFRESHMENT.

Richard Kenney



HAS Removed from the Union Tavern, and opened a Tavern or *Entertainment-House*, second door below Dover Street, adjoining Mr. Camper's Store, where the Public can be accommodated with OYSTERS, TERRAPINS, DUCKS and other LUXURIES that the Seasons afford. His Bar will be furnished with Choice Liquors.

Private Parties can, at all times be accommodated with good rooms and attentive Servants.

☞ His charges will be very moderate, as he is determined to do a CASH business if he does any.

Jan 8 w

EASTON HOTEL.



The subscriber begs leave respectfully to inform Travellers and the Public generally, that he has rented & now keeps that commodious and well known stand called

THE EASTON HOTEL,

For many years kept by Mr. Solomon Lowe, where he will at all times be prepared to accommodate Travellers and the Public generally in the first rate style and comfort—and hopes from his long acquaintance with the business, and his anxious desire to please, to merit and obtain a share of the public patronage.

He will be able to accommodate Boarders by the day, week, month or year.

☞ Gentlemen and Ladies can be accommodated with Horses and Carriages at a moment's notice.

The public's obedient servant
THOMAS PEACOCK.
Easton, Jan. 8, 1828.

Coach, Gig, & Harness Making.



THE SUBSCRIBER again returns his sincere thanks to his friends and the public generally, for the increasing patronage he continues to receive from them; and now wishes to inform them, that he will continue to carry on the above business at his old stand, foot of Washington street; in all its various branches—where all orders for work will, as usual, meet with the most prompt and punctual attention. He has employed to act as foreman in his shop, Mr. RICHARD HOLMES from Baltimore, a first rate workman, the best that ever was in the place; whose long experience and attention to business, makes him fully competent, with the subscriber's own assistance, to render the most perfect satisfaction. He has on hand and intends constantly keeping, a good assortment of MATERIALS; and feels confident in assuring the public, that he was never better prepared to receive their commands. All new work will be warranted, and repairs done to suit the times; and in payment will be received, Wheat, Corn, Rye, Oats, Bacon, Lard, Brandy, Wood, good Paper or Cash. Those gentlemen therefore, who wish to ride at ease, will please to call on him, or Mr. Holmes his foreman, where no doubt the desire of every individual as to price, neatness and durability of work, will be gratified.

The public's obedient servant,
JOHN CAMPER.
Easton, nov 13 w

BOOTS AND SHOES.

THE subscriber having just returned from Baltimore with a handsome and good assortment of

Materials in his line,

most respectfully invites his friends and the public generally to give him a call and view his assortment, and hopes from his long experience and determination to pay the strictest attention to business, he will be able to render general satisfaction.

Gentlemen disposed to purchase Boots would do well to call, as he will turn his attention more particularly to that part of the business; and flatters himself that he can furnish them with as handsome and as good boot as can be had here or elsewhere.

The public's obedient servant,
JOHN WRIGHT.
Easton, nov 27 w

BOOTS AND SHOES.

THE Subscriber takes this method to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has taken the Shop lately occupied by Mr. Stephen Hussey, and next door to Mr. Farlow's Dwelling, and Joseph Chain's Shop, and nearly opposite Mr. Lowe's Tavern, where he has on hand and will also manufacture at the shortest notice,

GENTLEMEN'S AND LADIE'S BOOTS AND SHOES

of all descriptions. The public may rest assured, that nothing shall be wanting on his part, to give general satisfaction to all who may favor him with their custom—and that all work will be made according to promise.

PETER TARR.

N. B. He invites the Ladies who want nice fancy work to give him a call, as his attention will more particularly be turned to that branch of the business. P. T.

feb 12 3w

BOOTS AND SHOES.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs the Public generally, that he has opened a

BOOT AND SHOE STORE,

In the New House near the Drug Store of Moore & Kellie, and nearly opposite the Market House, in Easton, where he intends keeping *a constant supply of articles in his line*—He has also in his employ a number of Excellent Workmen, which will enable him to execute all orders in the best manner; and has now on hand copper-fastened BOOTS, waterproof Do. of his own make, also Wilmington made; and has just received from Philadelphia, a Large and Elegant Assortment of Ladies Morocco and Lasting *thick soaled* SHOES; together with a general assortment of Children's BOOTS and SHOES.—Also a good assortment of CALF SKINS, which he is prepared to manufacture into BOOTS, &c. in the best manner, at a short notice, and on the most liberal terms.

ISAAC ATKINSON.
Easton, 1st. mo. 29th, 1828 w

NOTICE.

THE subscriber will sell on accommodating terms, her



House and Lot,

situate on Goldsborough street—For terms apply to Messrs. Joseph or Thomas Martin. SUSAN SETH.
nov 27 w

P. S. Should the above House and Lot not be sold by the 10th December, they will be to Rent. S. S.

To Rent for the ensuing year,



The HOUSES and GARDENS in the Town of Easton, now occupied by Messrs. George F. Thompson, Thomas D. Singleton, and John Calder.

For terms apply to
EDWARD N. HAMBLETON.
Easton, oct 2 w

TO LET.

AND IMMEDIATE POSSESSION GIVEN.



2 COMFORTABLE HOUSES IN EARLES ROW.



To punctual tenants the terms will be very low, for further particulars enquire of Alexander Graham, or the subscriber

WILLIAM H. TILGHMAN.
jan 29 w

NOTICE.

THE subscriber earnestly requests all those indebted to him on book account, of more than a year's standing, to call and liquidate them, or close them in some manner satisfactory; otherwise they will be put into proper officers hands for collection, which a speedy settlement might prevent—he returns his grateful acknowledgments for past favours, and hopes to merit a continuance of them.

The public's obedient servant.
oct 16 w SOLOMON LOWE.

CYPRESS SHINGLES.

A FEW THOUSAND of a good quality, may be had on reasonable terms by application at the Star-office.
jan 22 w

MAGISTRATE'S BLANKS,

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,
FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

VALUABLE SERVANTS FOR SALE.

TO be sold at private sale by virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Talbot county, on a credit of six months, several negro men, women, boys and girls, of various ages—Application to be made to

SAM'L. ROBERTS, Adm'r.
of John W. Blake, dec'd.
dec 19 w

DENTON HOTEL.

THE subscriber takes this method of informing the public that he has taken that large and commodious brick house in DENTON, lately occupied by Mr. *Samuel Lucas*, where all persons can be accommodated in the best manner, and the lowest rates.—The subscriber has excellent servants, both in the house and stable. He will keep constantly on hand the best LIQUORS that can be purchased in Baltimore, and his table will constantly be supplied with the best Provisions that the market will afford. Gentlemen and Ladies can at all times be furnished with private rooms, at the shortest notice. Travellers and the Public generally, are invited to give him a call and judge for themselves.



The subscriber has provided private rooms for Gentlemen of the Court and Bar, during the sessions of our courts.

ABRAHAM GRIFFITH.
Denton, Feb. 15, 1826.—21 w

DR. HULL'S TRUSS,

FOR THE RELIEF AND CURE OF HERNIA OR RUPTURE.

DR. AMOS G. HULL invites the attention of all persons afflicted with RUPTURE, to the following testimonials in favor of his newly invented HINGE TRUSS.

VALENTINE MOTT, M. D. Professor of Surgery, New York, states as follows:—"I have, for several years past, paid much attention to the construction and use of Trusses, and it gives me pleasure to state that the Truss invented by Dr. Amos G. Hull, possesses in my opinion, both in structure and principle, qualities and advantages, which are entirely original, and which render its application in *all* cases an efficacious remedy to prevent a descent of the bowel, and that in *most* cases it may be applied with a reasonable prospect of cure. These advantages and qualities consist in the *concave* form of the rupture pad towards the diseased part;—the limited mobility of the hinge and shoulder joint," &c.

"The great and signal benefits which are produced by this Truss, result from its strict subservience to, and accordance with scientific and surgical principles. Its mechanical adaptation to the parts, the simplicity of its construction, the limited motion nicely graduated by experiment to the different attitudes of the body, and to the action of the muscles; the permanency and security of its location on the body, and its pressure in the circumference of the abdominal ring, are qualities, the tendency of which is to *strengthen and restore the weakened parts, to contract the aperture, and ultimately to accomplish a cure of the disease.* The operation and effect of this Truss is therefore directly the reverse of all Trusses formerly in use, which being *convex, tended to enlarge the dimensions of the rupture opening.* The defect is well overcome by the principle embraced in Dr. Hull's invention, and experience has confirmed me in the great and superior utility of his instrument, which I have recommended to general use, and adopted in my own practice to the exclusion of all others. I am of opinion, that the union of physical design and mechanical structure in this instrument, render it what has long been the desideratum of practical surgery in Europe and America."

Extract from the second edition of "Thatcher's Modern Practice"—page 678. Boston, 1826.

"Dr. Hull is exclusively entitled to the credit of first adopting the true surgical principle for the cure of Hernia. This great desideratum is admirably accomplished by giving to the pad of his newly invented Hinge Truss, a *concave* instead of a *convex* surface, by which it corresponds to the convexity of the abdomen. By this construction, it is evident that the greatest degree of pressure is applied to the circumference of the aperture, which tends constantly to approximate the Hernial parieties and afford them a mechanical support.—The correctness of the principle upon which it is constructed has been abundantly tested by experience. Numerous instances have occurred, in which Hernia has been cured by it, which had proved intractable to other Trusses."

CYRUS PERKINS, M. D. of New York, states as follows:—"The tendency of all convex pads is to increase the disease by forcing their way like a wedge into the opening, and thereby increasing the size of the breach. The Truss invented by Dr. Hull, and described in his pamphlet, entitled "Observations on Hernia and Trusses," has a plain pad, fixed on a concave plate, and makes the strong pressure by its circular margin, and a diminished pressure by its centre. It thereby not only prevents the escape of the bowel, but approximates and often secures in contact the ruptured part, so as eventually to affect a radical cure."

Dr. JOHN GRAY, of New York, says:—"I have witnessed *numerous instances*, in which other Trusses have been laid aside after proving hurtful and inefficient, and exchanged for the Truss of Dr. Hull, which has in *all* these cases effectually and comfortably secured the rupture; *not unfrequently effecting a perfect cure of the disease.*"

Dr. SAMUEL OSBORNE, of New York, states:—"I have known Dr. Hull's Truss worn with perfect comfort, where other Trusses were very tormenting or totally unbearable; and I have known *several cures* effected by Dr. Hull's Truss, where it would have been impossible to attain the same result from any other known Truss."

"While in the Army of the United States, I procured the discharge of several soldiers, because I was unable, with any known Truss, effectually to secure the rupture; with Dr. Hull's Truss I am satisfied I could have rendered them useful to the Government, comfortable to themselves, and in many cases effected perfect cures."

"Dr. Hull's Truss does away the necessity of straps, answers all the good intentions of any hitherto known Truss, and obviates all the objections which obtained against them."

Testimonials of like respectability might be added to any extent. This Truss is now introduced into the Army and Navy, and most of the public Hospitals & Alms Houses in the U. States.

N. B. Dr. Hull's Trusses, adapted to the different species of Rupture, may be obtained, and are fitted to patients; at the Office of Dr. KNAPP, No. 37 East Fayette-street, Baltimore, a few rods east of the City Hotel. Persons residing at a distance can be fitted by sending a measure of the body, and specifying the kind of Rupture.

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$300 REWARD.

RANAWAY from the subscriber on Friday the 20th inst. three negro men, their names are STEPHEN SHILES, LEVIN ROBERTSON, and BEN DASHIELD. Stephen is a bright mulatto about 5 feet eight inches high. Levin is a dark chesnut colour, 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high. Ben is very black, 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high; their clothing is not recollected—Whosoever will apprehend said negroes and deliver them to me, or secure them so that I get them again, shall receive the above reward if taken up out of this State, or seventy-five dollars, if taken in this State.

WM. F. DASHIELD,
for Priscilla Dashield, Adm'rx. of
may 31 w J. Dashield, dec'd.

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