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Notice worthy attention.

This morning's paper completes the Thirtieth Year.—Pending a great part of that time, many services have been rendered the public, with an unlimited credit to all, in the various branches of the Department; and it is desirable that the same should be closed with as little delay as practicable.—Therefore, all persons indebted, are invited to close their respective dues either by payment, or note, at short date, between this and the first of October next.—Calls have been semi-annually made, inviting attention, but with little effect; with every disposition to get them closed in the most friendly and easy manner on our part. Now debtor, do not *deceive yourself* by neglecting THIS NOTICE as coersion will be indiscriminately imparted to those that do.

Star-Office, Aug. 25, 1829.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of Talbot county Court, and to me directed, at the suit of John Arringdale, use of Nicholas Hammond, against Levin Millis, will be sold at Public Sale, at the Court-House door in the town of Easton, on TUESDAY the 20th day of October next, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 5 o'clock, P. M. the following property, viz:—All that FARM OR PLANTATION of him the said Levin Millis, situate in the Chappel District in Talbot county, on which Levin Millis, Jr. now resides, consisting of the following tracts or part of tracts of land, to wit:—Part of a tract of land called Fork, part of a tract of land called Hesley, and part of other tracts, containing the quantity of 190 acres of land, more or less.—Also, an adjoining tract of land called Part of Forrest and Dike, containing the quantity of 113 acres of land more or less. Taken and will be sold to pay and satisfy the aforesaid fi. fa. and the interest and costs due, and to become due thereon.

Attendance given by
WM. TOWNSEND, Shff.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, sued out of Talbot county Court, and to me directed, at the suit of Benjamin Kemp, against Levin Blades, garnishee of Joseph Kemp, will be sold at Public Sale, at the Court House door in the town of Easton, on TUESDAY the 20th day of October next, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 5 o'clock, P. M. the following property, viz:—All the right, title, interest and claim, of him the said Levin Blades, of, in and to, one HOUSE & LOT, in the town of St. Michaels, where he at present resides—Also, one other HOUSE & LOT, in said town, where William Plummer at present resides—Also, two head of Cattle. Taken and will be sold to pay and satisfy the above named venditioni, interest and costs, due and to become due thereon. Attendance by
WM. TOWNSEND, Shff.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a decree of Talbot county Court, sitting as a Court of Equity, the subscriber as Trustee, will sell at Public Auction, at the Dwelling House on the premises hereafter mentioned, on SATURDAY, the 10th day of October next, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 6 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, the reversion in fee simple after the life estate of Mrs. Ann Keziah Hemsley, widow of Philemon W. Hemsley, late of Talbot county, deceased, in and to all that part of the Real Estate of the said Philemon W. Hemsley, which was assigned to her for her dower, that is to say: all and singular that DWELLING PLANTATION, now occupied by Mr. Richard Fiddeman, beautifully situated on Wye River and Skipton Creek, in Talbot county, containing the quantity of 222 acres of ARABLE LAND, and 72 acres of TIMBER LAND, making together the quantity of 294 acres, more or less, as laid down and certified by Samuel Jackson, late Surveyor of Talbot county. And the Terms of Sale will be as follows:—The purchaser or purchasers shall give bond to the Trustee for the payment of the purchase money, and interest from the day of Sale, with such security as he may approve.

The Creditors of the said Philemon W. Hemsley are hereby warned and notified, to exhibit their claims to the Clerk of Talbot county Court, to be by him filed with the papers in the cause, with the vouchers thereof, within six months from the day of sale.

JOHN LEEDS KERR, Ttustee.

Easton, Sept. 8 5w

Chesapeake and Delaware CANAL COMPANY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a general meeting of the Proprietors will be held at the Office, No. 44 Walnut street, Philadelphia, on MONDAY, the 26th of October, 1889, at 10 A. M. to transact business according TO LAW.

H. D. GILPIN, Secretary.

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NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the subscriber are hereby requested to come forward and make immediate payment, as longer indulgence cannot be given; those that have not the money to pay off their accounts will please to call and close them by note. JAMES BENNY.

Easton, aug 18 w

NOTICE.

By virtue of a deed of trust from Caleb Lockwood and wife, will be offered at Public Sale, at Whiteleysburgh, in Kent county Delaware, on WEDNESDAY the 21st of October next, if fair, if not, the next fair day, the following Real and Personal Property: Consisting of a TAN-YARD containing 90 lay-way vats, 8 large letches, 4 limes, 8 baites, and 3 pools—and on said premises are the following buildings, viz:—TWO BARK-MILL HOUSES, one and one-half story high, with Drying Lofts, one large BARK SHED, sufficient to hold 175 Cords, one CURRYING SHOP and BEAM HOUSE, two small frame DWELLING HOUSES, in good repair, and about Three Acres of LAND attached to said Premises, in a high state of cultivation.—Also—One hundred acres of WOOD LAND, about two miles from said Village.—Also—The following Personal Property, viz:—Three young Negro Men for a term of years, and one do. for life, one Boy nine years old for life, two Girls from twelve to fifteen for life, one Female Child two years old for life—three of the above Negro Men are accustomed to work in the Tan-Yard.—Also—Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs, one Yoke Stears, one Waggon and Gear, three Ox Carts, and sundry other Farming Utensils, Household and Kitchen Furniture, a quantity of Corn, say about 1000 bushels, Blades and Top Fodder, Hay and Whea Straw.—Also—a large lot of coarse Shoes and Monroes. All the above property will be sold for Cash, except the Tan-Yard and Wood Land, on which a credit of twelve months will be given to a good purchaser. Further conditions will be made known on the day of Sale.

GEORGE REED,
WM. WHITELEY, } Trustees.
WM. K. LOCKWOOD.

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LANDS FOR SALE.

By the authority of Philip Baltzell, acting assignee of Charles Loockerman, all his right and title, consisting of Three Undivided Eighth Parts, in and to several Tracts and Parcels of Land, including the TAVERN, near to and adjoining the Upper Hunting Creek Mills, in Caroline county: will be exposed at Public Sale, at Denton, on TUESDAY the 13th day of October next, to the highest and best bidder for cash, or on a credit of three months, at the option of the purchaser, with interest from the day of sale and approved security. The estate of Mr. Loockerman in the above lands will be sold entire, as he has heretofore held it, more or less, and not by the acre.

JOSIAH BAYLY,
Agent for P. Baltzell.

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COLLECTOR'S SALE.

Will be sold at Public Sale, under and in virtue of a warrant in nature of a fieri facias, from the Commissioners of the Town of Easton, on THURSDAY the 22d day of October next, between the hours of 12 o'clock, A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M., at the Court-House door in the Town of Easton, to wit:—Part 2 of Lot No. 133, agreeably to the Town plat, will be set up and sold to raise the sum of $7 70, due from the heirs of Mark Benton, dec'd. as the Town Tax due on the property for the year 1826, and the cost and expences of Levy and Sale. WM. E. SHANNAHAN, Collector.

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P. HORNEY, Collector.

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Collector's Notice.

THE Subscriber begs leave to inform the Taxable Persons of Talbot county, for the present year, that it is now due, and that he will attend in Easton EVERY TUESDAY, for the reception of the same; the very short time allowed for the collection of the Taxes renders it necessary for me to request punctual payment.—All persons that are in arrears for the last year's taxes, are informed that no longer indulgence can be given.

SOLOMON MULLIKIN,
Collector of Talbot County Tax.

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BRANCH BANK AT EASTON,

September 16th, 1829.

THE President and Directors of the Farmers' Bank of Maryland, have declared a Dividend of THREE per cent. on the stock of the Company for the last six months, which will be payable to the Stockholders or their legal representatives, on or after the first Monday in October next.

By order,
JOHN GOLDSBOROUGH, Cashier.

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NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims on the estate of Wm. T. Clark, late of Talbot county, deceased, are requested to have them presented immediately for liquidation; and all those indebted to said estate, are requested to come forward and settle the same without delay.

JOSEPH TURNER, Agent
for Priscilla Clark.

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EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN SYNOD OF MARYLAND AND VIRGINIA.

THE Clergy and Lay-delegates, composing this Synod, will convene at Williamsport, Washington County, Md. on the third Sunday, and 18th day of October next. All persons having business to transact with this Synod will attend accordingly.

DAVID F. SCHAEFFER, Sec'ry.

☞Editors in Maryland and Virginia, will please give the above an insertion, and the favor shall be reciprocated,

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New Book & Stationary Store.

JOSEPH JEWETT,

LATE of the firm of CUSHING & JEWETT, having taken the Store formerly occupied by Shaw, Tiffany & Co., No. 229, Marker-St. Baltimore, has on hand an extensive assortment of

Classical, Medical and School Books,

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Also,—Family, Pocket and School BIBLES, in a great variety of bindings and at various prices.

Royal Writing Paper,	Marble Paper,
Super Royal do.	Tea do.
Medium do.	Royal Printing Paper,
Demi do.	Super Royal do.
Post do.	Imperial do.
Cap Paper,	Medium do.
Banker's Post,	Ironmongers' Paper,
Wrapping Paper,	

Globes, Surveyors' Compasses, Mathematical Instruments, and an extensive assortment of

STATIONARY.

☞J. J. being determined to sell as low as any House, either in this City, Philadelphia, or New York, would respectfully invite Country Merchants and others, who purchase to sell again, as well as the heads of Colleges, Academies and Schools, and the proprietors of public, social and private Libraries, to call and examine for themselves.

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LEATHER.

HOLLYDAY & HAYWARD,

ARE now prepared to furnish their friends and the public, with an assortment of excellent

Soal & Upper Leather,

UPON REASONABLE TERMS,

on application at the Drug Store of Thomas H. Dawson: where all those indebted to them are earnestly requested to call immediately and settle their accounts.

Easton, sep 22 w

NEW STORE.

THE Subscriber begs leave respectfully to inform his friends and the public in general, that he has taken the Store-House at the corner of Washington and Dover streets, where he is now opening

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

Groceries, Liquors, Queen's Ware, Stone-Ware and Fruits,

together with a general assortment of

SPICES AND DYE STUFFS.

All of which he is disposed to sell at a very small advance for *Cash*, or will take in exchange, Corn, Oats, Meal, Wool, Feathers and Quills.

The public are respectfully invited to call and examine my assortment.

SAMUEL ROBERTS.

Easton, dec 23 w

BOOTS & SHOES.

THE Subscriber most respectfully begs leave to inform his friends and the public in general, that he has just returned from *Baltimore* with

A HANDSOME ASSORTMENT OF

MATERIALS;

and having taken some pains to procure the *best of Workmen* from the City, he hopes that he will be able to please all those who may favor him with their custom, as he is determined to have his work done in the most fashionable and best manner.

The public's obed't. serv't.

JOHN WRIGHT.

Easton, may 19 w

A House-Keeper Wanted.

A MIDDLE AGED WOMAN, who can be truly recommended for her Industry and Care, will hear of an agreeable situation in the Country by an application to the Editor.

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FOR RENT, THE UNION TAVERN,

In Easton, now occupied by Mr. S. Lowe.

This well known stand needs no particular description. It will be leased for one or more years, upon the most reasonable terms. Application from a distance directed to the subscriber, will be duly attended to.

Also—TO BE RENTED,

The FARM now occupied by Mr. Joseph P. Harris, near the Hole-in-the-wall, and other SMALL FARMS in Talbot county.

FOR SALE OR RENT,

The FARM and LANDS near Hillsborough, in Caroline county, called 'Hacket's Garden' and 'Large Range Addition,' advantageously situated on and near Tuckahoe Creek, containing according to an accurate survey 397¾ acres. This Farm may be rented for the next year upon the usual shares. *For Terms of Sale* and for the *location*, application may be made to Wm. Orrell, Esq. of Caroline county, or to the subscriber; and should this Land not be before disposed of at private sale, it will be sold at public sale, at Hillsborough, in Caroline county, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of September, at 12 o'clock, to the highest bidder, on the following terms, to wit: one fourth of the purchase money to be paid in Cash, the remainder by annual instalments of one, two and three years with interest.

JOHN LEEDS KERR.

Easton, aug 4 w

TO RENT

FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

THE FARM on which Mr. Joseph Harris now resides; situated in Caroline county, about one mile from Dover Bridge.—Also—*TO BE RENTED.*

THE FARM on which Mr. Isaac Dukes now resides; situated in Caroline county, about five miles from Dover Bridge. For terms apply to

WM. H. HAYWARD.

Talbot county, aug 11 w

FOR RENT,

That well known Farm called 'Hope,' delightfully located on the Eastern side of Miles, and near the mouth of Wye River, between the residences of Mr. Lloyd and Mr. Skinner, and within 7 miles of Easton.

The arable land of the estate is now divided nto 3 fields and 6 lots, one third of which containing about 150 acres to be cultivated each year, and each cultivation abounding in natural Manures, accessible, and of very improving qualities. Persons desirous of renting are at liberty to view the premises—further particulars can be known on application to

WM. H. TILGHMAN.

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For Rent and Possession,

A SMALL TENEMENT, a few doors above the Union Tavern, on Washington street well calculated for an Office. For terms apply at the STAR OFFICE.

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FOR SALE.

A SECOND HAND COACHEE AND GIG, with Harness complete. Apply to Lambert Reardon, or the Subscriber,

RICHARD KENNEY.

Sep. 30, 1828.—w

THE LETTER.

OR, TRUTH A FICTION.

It was a beautiful afternoon! I sat down at my table, and took up a book to resume my studies. I had not been long in this situation, when I heard a gentle rap at the door of my chamber, and before I had time to rise, the door slowly opened, and Mrs. D—— entered my apartment, leading by the hand her daughter Cordelia. I hastily arose, handed them chairs, and bade them be seated: and at the same time drew my chair close to the side of Cordelia, whose hand I took and pressed to my lips; she hastily withdrew it, and looked towards her mother. I saw a tear trickle down her velvet cheek, and would have asked her what it meant—but Mrs. D—— interrupted me, and thus broke silence:—

'Mr. C.—,' said she 'you may think this intrusion very strange; but I have a sufficient apology, I hope to justify it. It—[pointing to a letter which she held in her hand]—but first I have a word or two to say, on a subject which very nearly concerns the welfare of my daughter and yourself. You have ever expressed warm attachment to my child—aye, have even said you *loved* her; but whether you felt what you then gave utterance to, is out of my power to decide. I now wish to know what are your real sentiments toward my child?'

'Mrs. D——,' replied I, 'do you not believe me when I declare that I love Cordelia? My feelings towards her have always been of the purest nature, and were it in my power, I would this moment, were you and Cordelia willing, wed her; but I am poor—and this is the only barrier which prevents me from carrying my wishes into effect.'

'Then I presume, Mr. C—— that you are perfectly willing to resign all claims to Cordelia's hand, should a more acceptable offer be made?'

'Certainly, madam.'

'Well then read this letter,' said Mrs. D. at the same moment handing it to me. It ran thus:—

'Dear Madam—I know not in what manner to address you on a subject, which is nearest my heart—this subject, Madam is your lovely daughter; I have frequently seen her, and a few nights since had the pleasure of being her partner at a ball. I then addressed her, and she seemed to favor my suit. I have, madam, twenty thousand dollars at my disposal, which is out at interest—and I am in expectation of receiving an addition to my present fortune of ten thousand dollars. With your permission I will pay my immediate respects to your daughter—to whom I hope my advances will prove acceptable.—Yours, with respect,

Henry ——'

I closed the letter, and handed it to Mrs. D——.

'What do you think of this letter Mr. C.'

'Mrs. D——,' said I, 'I am pleased to see that Cordelia has received such a liberal offer—he is rich, and I know him to be a generous hearted fellow.—Cordelia, I congratulate you—and hope that you will have a kind and tender husband—one who will watch over you and administer to your little wants—who will treat you as tenderly as I should have done, had it pleased Heaven to have made me your choice—I resign you, Cordelia, to my rival—but with this assurance, that you will not find one who loves you more tenderly than myself. For my part, I will go to some foreign shore, and among strangers end an existence which has been nought but affliction and misery.'

I could say no more; my utterance was choked—the tears rolled down my cheeks—I drew my handkerchief wiped my eyes—and was on the point of rushing from the room when Cordelia called to me.

'William! William!' said she, and threw her arm around my neck.

'Oh, Cordelia!' I exclaimed, and sunk into her arms.

'William! William!' is it possible that you could think me so base as to desert you—whom I have loved above all on earth—leave *you*, because you are *poor*, and fly to him because he is *rich!* No, No, William, I would rather with you live in poverty, than wed him, or any other, in affluence.—Oh, William, what have I done that has degraded me thus in your estimation?—why should I forsake him who has ever treated me with so much kindness and affection? 'Tis too much,' said she, and vented her feelings in a flood of tears.

I knew not whether joy or grief was uppermost in my soul—my heart throbbed as though 'twould burst—my parched throat would scarcely give utterance to my words.

'Forgive me, dear Cordelia,' I exclaimed, 'you have done nothing! give us your blessing, mother, and make your children happy!'

Mrs. D—— advanced towards us, with tears flowing from her eyes; took each of our hands, and joined them together.

'Rise, my children, and receive a mother's blessing—Cordelia is yours, William; and I pray she may prove to you as faithful and as affectionate a wife as she has been to me a dutiful and obedient daughter!'

In my eagerness to clasp Cordelia to my breast, I hit my head against the bed-post, which awoke me, and I found, alas!—''twas all a DREAM!!!' [Amer. Traveller.

AMERICAN BLISTERED STEEL.

We yesterday saw a specimen of Blistered Steel, made from American iron by Mr. O. L. Clark of this city. Not being able to judge of the quality of the article ourselves, we can only say that it has the appearance of the best steel, and understand that the opinions of numerous manufacturers in the city, founded on experiment, are uniformly and strongly in its favor.

Mr. Clark assures us that nothing but encouragement is wanted to secure a supply of American Blistered Steel for the demand in the United States, as the process is of such a nature that it can be afforded much less than the imported article. English Steel, which is kept at its price by a monopoly, cannot be imported as we are informed, under fourteen cents a pound: while this can be afforded at ten cents by the quantity. As a considerable quantity has been manufactured, and about seven or eight tons have already been sold to persons in different places, it is in a fair way of being more generally proved and known. An article of much importance and general use, it is of the greatest importance to us to be able to produce in this country. Our numerous and rich iron mines have hitherto afforded us no advantage in the steel manufacture: but it appears that one species of American iron has been found capable of being made into steel of the first quality. A specimen of the Steel is left at this office.

N. Y. Daily Adv.

COTTON DUCK.

An old and experienced navy officer who has read with great pleasure Mr. McKim's valuable letter on the superiority of cotton over hempen duck for sails, has requested me to point out an inaccuracy in one particular, which might lead to very injurious consequences; Mr. McKim states that cotton duck is not liable to mildew, while the experience of our informant attests the contrary; and indeed every vegetable substance is liable to that species of decay. The only difference between hemp and cotton sails in this respect as we understand, is, that the mildew discovers itself in the former by turning them black, while it leaves scarcely any trace of its existence in the latter, being barely discoverable by a very faint tinge of yellow—It is this circumstance no doubt, which has induced the erroneous impression, and one that is by no means peculiar to Mr. McKim that cotton duck is proof against mildew; an error, which, by inducing too great a confidence in the mariner, might prove fatal, or at least injurious, in some cases. All else that Mr. McKim has stated in his letter relative to the superiority of cotton duck, our informant avers from his own experience and observation to be entirely correct and proper; but it is certain that sails made of that fabric require the same care and attentention to prevent their mildewing as those of the hemp canvass.

[Norfolk Herald.

The last Haverhill (N. H) Post relates the following case of murder, the horrible particulars of which are obtained from a source entitled to credit:—'A man who keeps a public house in Ringe, in Cheshire county, had employed a girl to do the house work until her wages had amounted to about seventy dollars. Her time was up, for which she engaged, and the money was paid to her in presence of two men, who were strangers and travellers, who had called at the house. Soon after the money was paid over, the two men left the house, and soon after the girl left also, for the purpose of going to her parents, who lived at no great distance. There was no suspicions in the minds of any one, that there was any evil design in the business till in the night. The two men who had called during the day had returned and taken lodgings for the night. They were put into a small room adjoining the sleeping room of the landlord, and after all had retired to bed, one of the men was overheard to say 'How the ——bitch bit me.' This at once excited the curiosity of the landlord; he got up, made some investigations, and found the clothes of one of them bloody. He immediately went to the house of the parents of the girl to see if she had returned home, and found she had not. Went in pursuit of an officer, arrested both men and confined them and then went in search of the body; after looking a short time he succeeded in finding it. The money which had been paid to the girl was found in the possession of the men, which leaves no doubt but they are the murderers.'

From the Philadelphia Chronicle.

ROBBERY.—About seven o'clock on Saturday evening last, as a gentleman and his sister were returning from the city to their residence, in a gig, they were stopped, about two miles from Frankford, on the River Road, by two footpads, one of whom seized the horse's head, and presented a pistol, while the other armed with a large club, demanded their money. The gentleman saved his pocket-book by dropping it unperceived, into the bottom of the gig.—His watch however, was given up, with the lady's purse, containing about fifteen dollars. The robbers then led the horse into a dark open lane, which, unknown to them led to the residence of the parties attacked by them. Compelling the gentleman to leave the vehicle, one searched him, while the other held a pistol to his breast. After some consultation on the expediency of tying him to a tree, they went towards the main road, probably to reconnoitre, directing him not to move till they should have given him leave. He sprang at once into his gig seat beside the lady, and reached home in a few minutes. The neighbours were called out, and active pursuit commenced in all directions. After a persevering search of several hours, the ruffians were traced to a small tavern in Kensington. Here they were apprehended, and immediately taken before a magistrate. The watch and purse, with a mask, some counterfeit money, and a loaded pistol, were found upon them.—Before midnight, they were safely lodged in Arch street prison.

MUSLIN.—Mr. Faulkner, a weaver from Scotland, has introduced, at Pawtucket, the weaving of figured Muslins, by power looms, whereas it is done in Europe, exclusively by hand looms. The figures can be changed at pleasure—and any lady can have any pattern she may order. Mr. F. says the goods can be made as cheap as in Europe, and conceives they may be afforded as low as shirtings. The looms are not costly, are free for inspection, and he is willing to furnish them to manufacturers for a small compensation. The same principles, as in these looms, can be applied to scarf and fancy weaving.

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