POET'S CORNER.

SONG.

Composed for the occasion by Bartholomew Brown, Esq. and sung by him at the Agricultural Dinner in Bridgewater, Ms. on the 4th. ult.

Ye brown, bonny rustics, and lords of the soil;
Come, let a short ditty amuse you awhile;
For farmers, who live by the sweat of their brow,
Oft join in a song as they follow the plough
With *Gallant* and *Golding* and *Dobbin* we go,
While our fields loud re-echo *Gee up and Gee O!*

We farmers awake at the break of the morn,
When the thrush mounts the pine-top from bramble or thorn:
While loungers lie snoring, our labor goes on,
With our bright cattle moving brisk over the lawn.
With Gallant and Golding, &c.

In the days of our Sires, but a short while ago,
It was deem'd a dishonor to plough and to hoe;
And now 'tis the pride of our greatest of men,
To trim their green corn-fields and mow the sweet glen.
With Gallant and Golding, &c.

Time was, when the plough, with its haggle and jog;
Just turn'd up the turf, like the snout of a hog;
But modern improvement, with stout sturdy team,
Goes the depth of the soil, though it reach to the beam.
With Gallant and Golding, &c.

Our lowlands, once cover'd with rushes and fern,
A lair for the cony, and home for the hern,
Reclaimed by our industry, plainly disclose,
That toil makes the wilderness bloom like the rose!
With Gallant, &c.

Our broadcloths imported, gewgaws and trash,
Our corsetted dandies may wear for a dash;
But fine, Yankee homespun, the world must confess,
Is fit for a King's or a President's dress,
With Gallant, &c.

See labor give health to our country around,
And our stalls and our markets with plenty abound!
On beef of Old England let epicures dine,
Yet nought can excel a rich Yankee surloin.
With Gallant, &c.

John Bull calls us *pumpkins*—what argufies that,
But to prove that our soil is both mellow and fat?
He may rail, if he please, but I guess 'tis agreed,
That John has found *pith* in a small pumpkin seed,
With gallant, &c.

But hark, what foreboding is heard in the street!
'Hard times' is the by-word from all that we meet:
Still the breast of the farmer a cheering hope feels,
While his crops scent the vallies and flocks crown the hills.
With Gallant, &c.

Some growing ambitious, and purse growing lank,
To fill up their coffers resort to the *bank*;
But wealth the most lasting, is purchased by toil;
And the farmer's best bank, is a *bank of rich soil.*
With gallant &c.,

John Clover, he wedded the sweet Molly Bean,
Who learned of her mother to knit and to spin,
To milk and to churn and make cheese, and such;—
They managed with prudence and thrived 'like the Dutch!'
With Gallant, &c.

Would mother and father, and daughter and son,
Here take a good lesson from Molly and John,
And let their expenses and notions be less,
Then health and contentment their labors would bless.
With *Gallant* and *Golding* and *Dobbin* they'd go,
And their fields loud re-echo *Gee up and Gee O!*

ANTIQUITIES OF FRANCE.

At Plæmeur, in the department of Morbiham, in Brittany, a tumulus, eighteen feet in height, and three hundred feet in circumference at its base, has recently been opened. A vault formed of small stones, and closed by a cover, was found in the centre, containing the rotten remains of a large box, in the midst of which were ashes and charcoal. In the side of the mount was a Celtick axe, of black stone, half broken.—A very interesting essay on the antiquities of the department of Morbiham, M. Mahe, a cannon of the cathedral of Vannes, was published last year. Among a number of curious details, is a notice of the abbey of St. Gildas. This abbey, founded by Duke Guerech the First, was afterwards very celebrated, in consequence of its becoming the residence of Abelard. The new abbot, having made many useless efforts to produce a reform in the manners of the monastery, at length excited so much discontent, that his life was several times in danger. One day especially, to avoid death, he was obliged to escape by the pipe of a sewer, which is shewn to this day. Before the revolution, was to be seen the pulpit, loaded with Gothic ornaments, from which he delivered his lectures. It appears that the republican soldiers, being in want of wood to warm themselves, did not hesitate to commit to the flames this valuable remembrance of the lover of Heloisa.—*Lon. Literary Gaz.*

Antiquities.—A letter of last month, from a distinguished English author at Naples, mentions that more than *two thousand* vases have been discovered in the Acropolis of the Volsci, in the Roman states, numbers of which have the names of Greeks inscribed on them in Greek characters. Of this treasure of arts and antiquities we shall endeavour to procure accurate accounts.

Coalition Letter Writers.—The United States Gazette of Philadelphia, apologised the other day for the pause in its letters from Washington. It pretended it could not tell why their correspondent had become silent. Fudge! We can tell. Mr. Agg of Picadilly is the Washington correspondent of the Charleston Courier, Baltimore Patriot, United States Gazette and Boston Palladium. He is now reporting for the Richmond Whig, and hence his letters are dated from Richmond, and tell stories of the Convention. Agg is a fellow with an iron constitution—and will sit twelve hours reporting, and think it a mere nothing. During the next session of Congress he will resume his correspondence with the coalition p[illegible], and tell as many untruths as he can.—[illegible]. Cou.

AGRICULTURAL NOTICE.

THE Trustees of the Maryland Agricultural Society, for the Eastern Shore, will hold their next meeting at East Galleway, the seat of Col. Hughlett, on Thursday the 24th day of December, inst., where the Members are respectfully invited to attend at the hour of 11 o'clock.

By the Board,
RICHARD SPENCER, Sec'ry.
Easton, dec. 12 2w

PUBLIC SALE.

BY order of the Orphans' Court of Talbot county, the subscriber will sell at public sale, on WEDNESDAY the 23d of December, inst. at the late residence of Thomas Covey, late of Talbot county deceased, near Kings Creek Bridge, all the personal estate of said deceased, consisting of

Household and Kitchen Furniture,

Horses, Cattle, Sheep,

Fattening Hogs and Farming Untensils, together with a quantity of corn, corn-blades, Topfodder, straw, &c. The terms will be a credit of six months on all sums over five Dollars, the purchaser or purchasers giving note with approved security bearing interest from the day of sale: on all sums of and under five dollars the cash will be required, sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. and attendance given by

WILLIAM BENNY, Jr. adm'r.
of Thomas Covey, dec'd.
dec. 15 2w

LOOK AT THIS!

Cheap Hats to suit the times.

THE Subscriber takes this method of informing his friends and the public that he is now opening

A HANDSOME ASSORTMENT OF

CHEAP

HATS,

under the superintendance of Mr. William E. Wright, on Court Street adjoining Mr. William Beckley's Store, where he intends keeping a constant supply on hand which will be sold lower than ever was sold in Easton, and equally as good or better. Those wishing to have Hats made to suit themselves after their own direction, will please to leave their measure at my store, and the Hats will be furnished in ten days notice.

WM. E. WRIGHT, Agent
for Tho: R. Kirby.
dec. 15 6w

The Packet Sloop

Edward Lloyd,

COMMANDED BY

Capt. RICHARD KENNEY,

WILL leave Easton Point wharf for Baltimore on WEDNESDAY the 25th inst. at 9 o'clock, A. M. returning leave Baltimore on SATURDAY the 28th instant, at the same hour.

THE SCHOONER

Jane & Mary,

Now connected with the Edward Lloyd, will leave Easton Point on SUNDAY the first of March, at nine o'clock, A. M. for Baltimore. Returning leave Baltimore for Easton, on WEDNESDAY the fourth of March, at the same hour.

These Packets will be overhauled and put in complete condition for the reception of Goods or Grain: both Graneries will be kept in order for the reception of Grain, and constant attendance given by Mr. Samuel H. Benny, who will act as Clerk to the whole establishment, and attend as usual at the Drug Store, of Doct. Dawson and Doct. Spencer, where all letters and orders will be duly attended to.

EDW'D. N. HAMBLETON,
THOMAS HENRIX,
BENNETT TOMLINSON.
feb 17 w

FOR SALE,

A LIKELY YELLOW BOY, about 17 years of age, and has 15 or 16 years to serve. Enquire at the office of the Whig.
dec. 15

FEMALE ACADEMY.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Easton and its vicinity, that he will open a SCHOOL for the instruction of Young Ladies, in this Town, on MONDAY *the 7th of December instant.* In this Seminary will be taught, all the substantial branches which are necessary in order to constitute a good English education.

And he pledges himself to use every exertion to advance the moral and literary improvement of the pupil.

For terms and reference apply to the subscriber. OTIS T. PETERS.
dec 1

More Boots and Shoes.

THOMAS S. COOK,

HAS just returned from Baltimore, with a large supply of

BOOTS, SHOES AND GENTLEMAN'S CAPS, OF VARIOUS KINDS,

Which he is now opening at his old stand opposite the Court House,

all of which he will sell as low if not lower than they can be obtained elsewhere—He requests his friends and the public to give him a call and view his assortment.

ALSO, A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

Sole and Upper Leather,

which he will dispose of on the most reasonable terms for Cash.
Easton, nov. 10

BOOTS AND 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 Publics ob't serv't.
JOHN WRIGHT.
Easton, may 19

For Sale or Rent,

The Tan Yard where Thomas Atkinson formerly owned and occupied for many years is now offered for sale on reasonable terms, or I would prefer renting it to a good tenant; as the place is very much out of repair, a good tenant might have a lease of it on very accommodating terms.

JOHN KEMP, Bay Side.
8 mo: 11th tf

LEATHER.

HOLLIDAY & HAYWARD,

ARE now prepared to furnish their friends and the public, with an assortment of excellent soal and 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, sept 29

Improved Water Pumps.

THE Subscribers respectfully inform the citizens of the Eastern Shore, that they are prepared to make and put down water Pumps upon Hillias's improved plan, which prevents the introduction of any thing either through the spout or mortice of the handle, also prevents the common house Wren from building in the Pump.

All orders will meet with immediate attention by addressing them at their Manufactory situated on North Gay Street, opposite the Bell Air Market, Baltimore.

WILLIAM STOUT.
JOHN W. HILLIAS.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber having obtained a Patent for the above improvement. All persons are forwarned from trespassing on his Right, as the law will be inforced for every breach. JOHN W. HILLIAS.

All orders left at this office will meet with immediate attention.

☞ Chestertown Telegraph is requested to copy the above three times.
nov 10

DR. CHAPMAN'S ANTI DYSPEPTIC OR SOUR STOMACH PILLS.

INDIGESTION or Sour Stomach is acknowledged by Medical Writers to be a complaint of stubborn kind, at all times very difficult of cure. This is sufficiently illustrated in the disappointment of those who unfortunately suffer under it, as they for the most part find that, after having tried many things to little or no purpose, they are at last obliged to use, for perhaps the remainder of life, such articles as can at best but palliate the disease.—Under such circumstances any medicine capable of removing the complaint must surely be an article highly deserving the attention of all those who are afflicted with it. The proprietor of these Pills is therefore happy in offering to the afflicted an invaluable medicine, the success of which has never yet been equalled for the cure of Dyspepsia in its most complicated forms, such as loss of appetite, nausea or sickness at the stomach, and sometimes vomiting, belching up of water which is sometimes tasteless, but most commonly sour, gnawing pain in the stomach, heartburn, or what is called sour stomach, costiveness, paleness of the countenance, languor, lowness of spirits, palpitation of the heart, vertigo or giddiness, and disturbed sleep, &c. Whoever applies these Pills in the above diseases according to the directions, will never be disappointed, as they have never unexpectedly known to fail in producing a radical and permanent cure. The use of a single box will convince the most unbelieving of their efficacy. They will most effectually remove all sourness of the stomach, not merely by neutralizing the acid, but by correcting that morbid state of the secretions which give rise to it, and at the same time will restore to the debilitated organs of digestion that tone and vigour which is absolutely necessary to the well being of the animal economy. Offered for sale by

BOYD & HIGGINS, only
No. 221 Baltimore street, Baltimore.

Dr. Chapman's Anti Dispeptic Pills just received and for sale at the Drug Store of S. W. Spencer, Easton, Md.—*Price* $1 00
august 18

SUBSCRIPTION

For encouraging the introduction of the culture of the GRAPE VINE into the United States.

MR. ALPHONSE LOUBAT, having considerably enlarged his Vineyard, on Long-Island, six miles from New York, on the road to Fort Diamond, where he now has, in full cultivation, a Vineyard of forty acres of ground, containing a stock of 65,000 Grape Vines, and a Nursery of 72,000 Grape Vine Roots, comprising sixty two varieties, selected in Europe, between 40° and 50° N. latitude, and having also the peculiar advantage of being enabled to procure the best species of roots from his Father's extensive Vineyards and Nurseries, in the departments of Gironde, Lot, and Garonne, *in France,* 45° N. Lat. proposes to the numerous friends to the cultivation of the Grape Vine in the United States, a subscription.

Mr. A. L. will engage to furnish subscribers with their Grape Vine Roots, before the *First of April next.* The Roots will be three years old, and will produce considerable fruit the second year from the time of their being planted. They will be carefully classed and packed, which will greatly facilitate the thriving of the Roots, when transplanted.

Orders will be punctually attended to: the subscribers designating the quantities and species of the Grape Vine Roots they wish to have. They will engage to pay for 1000 roots or more, at the rate of 12½ cents for each root; for less than 1000, at the rate of 15 cents; and 25 cents per root for less than 50. *Roots only two years old,* shall be paid for at the rate of 9 cents each for 1000 or more; 12½ cents for less than 1000; and 18 cents for less than 50 roots.

Payment to be made on delivery of the roots.

Mr. LOUBAT has selected the following species as the best; the choice of which is left to subscribers.

TABLE GRAPES, OR FOR MAKING STRONG WINE.

WHITE.

1. Alicante.
2. Robin Eyes, with big clusters, or, Œil de Tour, grosgrain.
3. Do Melting, (*or fondant.*)
4. Sweet Guillant.
5. Muscat.
6. Do. Frontignan.
7. Muscadelle, from the river *Lot.*
8. Malvoise.
9. Tokay.
10. Syrian.
11. Constatia.
12. Malaga.
13. Meillers.

RED.

14. Large Muscat.
15. Malvoisie.
16. Red foot, (Pied Rogue.)
17. Black Hambourg.
18. Constantia.

FOR WINE.

WHITE.

19. Auvergnat.	26. Burgundy.
20. Blanquette.	27. Morillon.
21. Doucinelle.	28. Madere.
22. Plan de Dame.	29. Bourgelas.
23. Olivette.	30. Picarden.
24. Doucette.	31. Chalosse.
25. Plaat de Reine.	32. Panse.

RED.

33. Claret.	40. Teinturier.
34. Auvergnat.	41. Bourgignon.
35. St. Jean.	42. Bouteillant.
36. Jacobin.	43. Suisse.
37. Meunier.	44. St. Antoine.
38. Pineau.	45. Gamet Noir.
39. Pritanier.	

FOR THE TABLE ONLY.

WHITE.

46. Chasselas, (from Fontainebleau.)	ries. 52. Do. (d'Alexandria)
47. Do. Golden.	
48. Do. Cracking.	53. Do. (from Jura.)
49. Do. Musk.	
50. Muscat Lezarde.	54. Sauvignon.
51. Do. Small Ber-	

RED.

55. Chasselas.	59. Muscat Grey.
56. Do. Violet.	60. Damas Violet.
57. Muscat Rogue.	61. Do. of Poquet.
58. Do. Violet.	62. Early Magdelen.

MODE OF PLANTING.

THE grape vine is propagated either from a slip, taken from the stem of healthy vines, of at least four or five years' growth or by ransplanting the roots themselves. By the first mode, it requires seven or eight years before the vine comes to its full bearing: and for the two first years, those plants which fail must be replaced:—about one-third of the whole plantation. The second mode is the best; for, if you are supplied with good plants, well rooted, there is no danger of losing any; and the second year from the time of transplanting, they yield fruit.

In climates where the winters are severe, the season for transplanting the vine is the latter part of March, or the beginning of April; but in more temperate latitudes, the end of October is to be preferred.

Drills, or furrows, of eighteen inches wide, and eighteen deep, must first be prepared; and if they be made in the course of the preceding summer or autumn, would be still better; for the earth thus having remained exposed to the air, would be more favourable to the plant. The most economical and expeditius way of performing this operation is by using the plough, and going with it three or four times over the same furrow; after which the ground may easily be dug out with a spade, to the depth required. If the plantation is but small, or the expense no consideration, the best method is to dig the ground deep with the spade, and turn it up in all directions.

In lands which are very sandy and light, the drills must be made to the depth of sixteen to eighteen inches, and the drier the soil, the deeper they ought to be. In rich soils, fifteen inches is sufficieut. Let the drills be run in *a direct straight line* from north to south, that the plants may receive he rays of the sun on all sides. Plant the roots from four to six feet apart, according to the quality of the soil. The richer it is, the farther apart the plants should be. If you use horses for ploughing, the roots ought to be at least six or seven feet distant from one another, and eight or nine if oxen are used, so that your ground may be used without injuring any of the plants. Finally, if the spade only is to be used, the plants may be placed five or six feet apart every away; care must be taken, likewise, not to place the plants of one row immediately opposite those of the next row; that they may not be in the way of one another.

In planting the vine, lay down six inches of the plant flat, at the bottom of the drill, leaning the upper part of it against the side, so as to form the figure of an angle; when, in this position, placing one foot on the roots to press them flat with the bottom of the trench, you cover them with three or four inches of good earth, well pulverised, or two or three handfuls of moistened ashes: you then press the clay or ashes closely with your feet, and fill up the drill so as only to leave two eyes of the plant uncovered. The drills when planting must be free from water; if any from the preceding rains remain in them, it is better to wait a day or two, until they become dry.
nov. 10

DE LA MONTERAT'S *Columbian Vegetable Specific.*

FOR the cure of Consumptions, Asthma, Pleurisy, Spitting of Blood, and Pulmonary affections of every kind,—The most valuable remedy ever discovered for the cure of Consumptions and all diseases of the breast and lungs leading to Consumptions.

To all afflicted with these troublesome affections an immediate use of this highly celebrated specific is only necessary to convince the most incredulous of its possessing qualities superior to any other medical preparation yet discovered.—Since the discovery of this invaluable medicine, numbers have experienced its salutary and happy effects. Its mild and gentle opperations are much extolled by those who have used it. In all cases of coughs, colds, Asthmas, and other consumptive affections by the use of this article they have been enabled to defeat an enemy whose attacks would otherwise have been followed by the most alarming consequences. This Specific has relieved and cured the most violent cases in which other medicines have failed to give any relief. It operates by gentle expectorations, and may be given to infants and children with the greatest safety.

De La Monterat's Columbian Vegetable Specific has stood the test of experience and proved itself the most valuable remedy ever discovered for the cure of Consumption and Pulmonary affections of every kind.

The following certificates just received from highly respectable gentleman will show its value.

Baltimore County, February, 14th, 1829.

GENTLEMEN—I feel it my duty to acknowledge the great benefit I have derived from the use of De La Monterat's Columbian Vegetable Specific. I do not like to speak of the Medicine in the exalted terms in which I estimate it, I will therefore as briefly as possible, give a history of my own situation, with the effects produced by this valuable medicine. I have been for the last five or six years labouring under a pulmonary Consumption, pronounced to be such by the attending Physician, during which time I have consulted many Physicians. Taken much medicine, but all to but little purpose. The 12th of March, 1828, I puked blood for the first time, and continued so to do for several days in succession, and on the 14th of the same month, was confined to my bed, where I lay for two months until I was reduced to such a state of debility, that my friends began to despair of my recovery. I had made use also of all the popular remedies without benefit, and having accidentally heard of this Specific I determined to give it a trial, anticipating from the use of it, no better result than had attended the use of all the remidies I had taken; but in this I was happily disappointed. At my very lowest state I commenced the use of this specific, I took the first dose at night in a little herb-tea sweetened, which threw me in a gentle perspiration and procured for me a good nights rest. I continued to take the medicine, as directed, and in about five days my cough was completely stopped and have not had any return since. I am now perfectly satisfied of the superior quality of this specific over every other medicine offered for the cure of the above disease. You are at liberty to use this letter in any way you may think proper. Yours respectfully,

Signed JOHN R. ELLICOTT.
Lancaster County, Pa. March 5th, 1829.

Messrs. Boyd & Higgins,

Gentlemen.—It is with no small degree of thankfulness that I now address you for the public good, and to inform you of the works of divine Providence, through the agency of your valuable medicine, called La Monterat's Vegitable Specific, I have been for the last six months confined to the house, and the latter part to my room attended by two of the ablest Phisicians in the county, who finding my complaint a consumption abandoned me to the will of Providence, I heard of your medicine and purchased two bottles, which I imagined done me good, I therefore purchased two more, which to the astonishment of my friends and doctors, have formed a perfect cure.

With due respect, I am gentlemen, your most obedient servant,

JACOB RANDSKOM.

It is offered for sale by
BOYD & HIGGINS,
No. 221 Market street, and
JOHN M. LAROQUE.
Corner of Baltimore and Harrison streets.

De La Monterat's Columbian Vegetable Specific just received and for sale at the Drug Store of S. W. Spencer, Easton, Md. —*Price* 1.00.
august 18

TO RENT.

THAT commodious House at Hillsborough, Caroline county, now occupied by John Underwood as a Tavern and a Store. The stand is equal to any in the place either as a Store House or a Tavern, and has attached to it a good garden and every convenient out house. To a man with a small capitol an opportunity is offered to make money. To a good tenant the terms will be reasonable, apply to

HENRY NICOLS.
Near Hillsborough Caroline county Md.
oct. 20

FOR RENT,

THE Brick house at the corner of West street and the Bay side road. The above property will be put in good order, and rented to a good tenant, for the ensuing year on moderate terms.

To a person wishing to purchase the said property, it will be sold on very accommodating terms. Apply to the Editor of the Whig.
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