





## Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, July 3, 1806.

### FARMERS BANK OF MARYLAND,

JUNE 23, 1806.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders in this Bank, on the western shore, that an election will be held, at Gwin's tavern, in the city of Annapolis, on the first Monday in August next, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 3 o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of choosing seventeen directors of said bank, to serve for twelve months from the said day of election.

By order,  
JONAS PINKNEY, Cashier.

TO-MORROW, the Fourth of July, the *Hamilton Debating Society*, of Annapolis, will meet in the Stadt House, at 9 o'clock, A. M. when an appropriate ORATION will be delivered by one of the members.

By order of the president,  
WM. F. A. G. MANN, Sec'y.

### Anniversary of Independence.

THE VOLUNTEER COMPANY OF INFANTRY will assemble to-morrow morning, on the Stadt House hill, at 10 o'clock, in complete uniform—each member will provide himself with a flint, and have his gun in good serviceable order.

July 3, 1806.

WE are authorized to say, that col. RICHARD HARWOOD, will, if elected, serve as an elector of the senate, for Anne-Arundel county.

From the *Charleston Courier*.

Messrs. Printers,

The accompanying observations being designed for the public, you will oblige the writer by giving them a place in your paper.

### Cure for the Dysentery.

IN one gill of fountain water dissolve as much common table or sea salt, as it will take up or melt, add to it one gill of good vinegar.

Of this mixture, give once in a quarter or half an hour, to grown persons, or to children, such doses as the stomach will bear without puking. If a considerable portion of the essence of peppermint be added, it will be a valuable improvement of the medicine.

The sick person may drink freely of Port, Madeira, or any good wine, or if these cannot be procured, he may drink French brandy, or common spirits, moderately diluted with water and sweetened with sugar.

To a refined ear the Muriate of Soda might have sounded more agreeably than common table or sea salt. The dysentery, however, is not seated in the ear; and as this malady, so often fatal, may reach the humble cottager, it is hoped that its simple garb will not preclude him from a knowledge of the remedy.

The symptoms which prevailed in those cases where the writer of this sketch applied the above described remedy, are at first, a sensation in the stomach almost like that of hunger, followed quickly by lancinating, or cutting like pains through the whole ductus alimentalis, or alimentary canal, these followed by frequent evacuations streaked with blood; a tenesmus; a pain, symptomatic in the head and loins; a loss of appetite, fever and general lassitude or loss of strength. He has known the symptoms come on exactly in this order; but in every case, which he considered a real dysentery, the above treatment has succeeded.

It has been said that Mr. Perkins, the vender of the metallic tractors, recommended salt and vinegar in the dysentery. The writer of this sketch disclaims originality.

In Woodbury, Connecticut, where the dysentery became epidemic, it baffled other modes of treatment, and salt and vinegar became a common and efficacious remedy. Being referred to in diarrhoeas, probably not of a dysenteric nature, it appeared to be a means of no utility; and from its circumstances partly, and partly from the ostentation, at least, of pretensions to science, the vulgar remedy of salt and vinegar seems to have become unfashionable, or otherwise never to have acquired general notice.

When the writer of this sketch had nearly completed his medical education, he became sick of a dysentery. The symptoms had risen to a considerable height before he had recourse to medicine. He was advised to the use of opium. He neglected it, recollecting what is above related of the use of salt and vinegar in Woodbury, which was about eight years previous; he had recourse to it. In twelve hours he was free from any symptoms of the complaint, except the consequent debility.

A young gentleman of respectable talents, considerably advanced in his medical education, described the earliest supervening symptoms of a dysentery. They were as violent in degree as is usual in that stage of the disease, and clearly marked. It was moreover when the complaint prevailed. He was advised to the use of salt and vinegar. His preceptors, to whom I was on a visit, laughed at the idea. He used it. Some hours after he was rallied on the subject, he said, "I have arrested my complaint." The principal characteristic symptom did not appear and the others subsided.

On a visit to another kinsman, his infant child, for a dysentery, had been under medical treatment for a week or ten days. A council, to the best of my recollection, had been called, and the physicians, for more than one had attended it, seemed to despair of its life. By the use of salt and vinegar it soon seemed evidently to be better. The remedy was continued. Soon the child seemed to be much distressed, and cried as if in great pain. The abdomen was swelled and seemed to be spasmodic. In this situation, the salt and vinegar, without having apprehended any hurtful effect from it, was discontinued. The child became quiet and rested well through the night—the next day to ensure the health of the child the remedy was again advised and exhibited. The same round of symptoms, the benefit excepted, supervened; and again the pain seemed to subside, and the child became quiet on omitting the exhibition. The gas, eliminated by consequence of chemical affinities, by its abundance for peculiar properties seemed to induce distention, spasm and pain. No doubt this remedy may be exhibited to a noxious extent in so tender a subject. After a subsidence of these distressing symptoms the child appeared to be free from complaint, the debility excepted. The efficacy of the remedy has been proved in Carolina.

In real dysentery, immediately consequent to the exhibition of this remedy, the languor of the countenance subsides; the eye becomes enlightened; the speech is more articulate and prompt; the voice is stronger; the patient, before he is apprised of it, becomes cheerful; and if not too far reduced, forgets himself and walks across the room. The subsidence out-travels the apprehensions of the splenetic, and on inquiry he looks round for his complaint as for a thing that is evidently lost.

Having rendered this service in the manner which seems to me most likely to be useful to my fellow-citizens—to the poor and distressed, I would now fain retire. But what are these remarks—Who at the dreadful tribunal of the public opinion, shall be responsible for their consequences; or rescue them from the deserved neglect of anonymous imposition.

The public's humble servant,  
CALEB ABERNETHY.

### COMMUNICATION.

Dr. Abernethy's publication, in yesterday's *Courier*, is deserving of attention, the Dysentery is a severe and distressing complaint in warm climates; it is of frequent occurrence and oftentimes fatal particularly among children. In the West-Indies, the use of acids in this disease, has long been known. Upon the plantations in Jamaica, a physician is seldom employed for this complaint; the usual application of lime juice, and sea salt, diluted with a little water, is sure to relieve the patient. This complaint is particularly prevalent and fatal among new negroes, and it therefore will become an object of high importance, to give this remedy a trial among these people. The West-India prescription is as follows, viz. To a table spoonful of common table salt, dissolved in a pint of warm water, add four wine glasses full of lime juice—of which, a wine glass full is to be given to the patient every two hours, until relieved.

Ibid.

### From the North-Carolina Minerva.

The venerable statesman & patriot George Wythe, chancellor of Virginia, who died at Richmond, on the 8th instant, is supposed to have been poisoned by a young man his nephew, who resided with him. The circumstances of this horrid transaction are thus related to us by a gentleman lately from Richmond: The young man had forged his uncle's name in drawing checks on the bank—to prevent detection, and at the same time secure a considerable sum bequeathed to him in the judge's will, he administered the fatal dose by mixing it with the coffee prepared for breakfast; not only the judge, but several of his domestics drank of the coffee, and are dead or at the point of death. Judge Wythe fortunately survived long enough to discover the fraud of his nephew, and disappoint him in his hopes of a legacy.

### From the Richmond Enquirer of June 24.

George W. Swinney was yesterday called before the examining court of this city, on the charge of poisoning his great uncle, the venerable George Wythe, and a servant boy. He was unanimously remanded to jail for further trial before the district court to be held in September next.

Mr. Ezekiel Powers, of Croydon, (N. H.) during the last season made upwards of fifteen hundred pounds of Maple Sugar. His two sons gathered sap sufficient for seven hundred and thirty pounds, and made it into sugar, in eight days and a half.

A large quarry of Marble stone, of different colours, has lately been discovered on the plantation of Mr. John Henkel, near Harper's ferry. It is equal to the marble of Italy, or that of any other country.

[Alexandria paper.]

The *Journal du Soir*, a Paris paper of the 30th April, contains the following article in a letter from Rennes:—

"Admiral Villeneuve, who commanded the French fleet at the battle of Trafalgar, and who had been lately debarked at Morlaix from on board an English flag of truce, killed himself in the night between the 22d and 23d of April. We are entirely ignorant of the cause of this act of desperation. He was found in his chamber, pierced with five wounds made by a

knife in his left side. It is supposed, from the position in which his body lay, that after having stabbed himself he threw himself on his bed leaning upon the handle of his knife that he might thrust it in deeper, and thereby accelerate his death."

Extract of a letter from an officer at Fort Detroit, dated June 1, to a gentleman in New-York:

"We have received a letter from capt. Whipple at Fort Wayne, stating that a plan was formed by the Indians to take and destroy the ports in my district, viz. Detroit, Fort Wayne, Dearborn at Chicago, and Mackinac.

"The brig Adams arrived yesterday from Mackinac, and brings intelligence that a war is expected in that quarter, and that the garrison was preparing for defence."

"The militia at this place are preparing, but it is a feeble mustering, and not capable of rendering much service."

"I am of opinion that the English nation will take a part, though not openly, with the Indians, as some supplies of provisions and ammunition have lately been issued by the agents of the British government."

### TRENTON, June 23.

Caterpillars.—We are sorry to have to state, that this scourge is severely felt in some parts of our State, by the fruit-trees, grain-fields, &c. No mode that we have learnt, has been devised of destroying them, or of obstrueting their ravages, except one that has been adopted by a farmer in Burlington county. The vermin move in armies; and when this gentleman found them approaching his premises, he dug a deep trench directly in their line of march, into which they tumbled, and in which they perished.

### NEW-YORK, June 26.

Captain Robbins left Laguaira on the 4th of June, and states that at the time of his sailing Miranda was fortifying Aruba. The story (so often reiterated) of the capture of his schooners, is confirmed beyond the shadow of doubt. They were taken without resistance, whilst waiting for their boats, which had been sent to windward of Porto-Cavello for provisions and water, by a Spanish king's brig and schooner. The crews were prisoners at Porto-Cavello, and the king's linguist had gone from Laguaira to examine them. Two persons named Smith were amongst the captured. The British had not given to the expedition of Miranda any assistance.

New-York, 25th June, 1806.

Messrs Lang & Turner,

The enterprise of gen. Miranda, in my ship *Leander*, having excited considerable interest and attention in the public mind, which has for sometime been deceived by various ridiculous and unfounded rumours, I think it proper to give publicity to the following extract of a letter I have just received from a gentleman of respectability on board the *Leander*, the correctness of which may be relied on.

Your very humble servant,  
SAMUEL G. OGDEN.

Extract of a letter, dated Grenada, 27th May, from a gentleman on board the *Leander*, to Samuel G. Ogden.

"We left Jacquemel on the 27th of March, arrived at the island of Aruba on the 9th of April, where, after taking in sufficient water, we sailed on the 15th of April, and being off the Main on the 27th, near Porto-Cavello, we fell in with a Spanish brig of 20 guns and a schooner of 16; by both of which we were attacked, and had an action of half an hour, but no apparent damage done on either side. However, during the contest, we were so unfortunate as to lose two schooners we had chartered at Jacquemel, on board of which vessels were about 60 men. This circumstance was occasioned by those schooners falling to leeward, and our not being able to separate the brig from the schooner, in which case we certainly should have saved our little convoy."

"However, to remedy this evil, we immediately determined to go to Trinidad, to obtain such information and assistance as the British might be disposed to afford us."

"On our way we fortunately fell in with the British sloop of war *Lilly*, capt. Campbell, who received us with much cordiality, and informed us that it was his particular instructions to serve us, at the same time advising us to put into Grenada, as the governor of that island had some particular communication to make to gen. Miranda."

"We have already received the governor's assurance of the most prompt operation. We shall probably take up one or two days at most in making the necessary arrangements here, and shall then proceed immediately to Trinidad (in company with the *Lilly* sloop of war) where we understand the governor of that island will also give us every assistance that is necessary."

"The *Jafon* frigate is now on the coast with a number of volunteers on board; this ship is commanded by capt. Cochrane, son of admiral Cochrane, who we understand from the best authority, has particular instructions to protect and forward our enterprise. I have now the happiness to observe, that this new turn to our operations, has given much animation to all friends on board the *Leander*, and I sincerely hope my next will inform you that our glorious enterprise is fully accomplished."

\* The *Leander's* force is 17 nine pounders.

In yesterday's *Gazette* of four French frigates from Tellico, who gives the date, June 4, in lat. 3° 30' N. and long. 74° 30' W. the *Grande*, three others, her stern, Herminie, [From this, it is said, that the *Squadron* which failed May, as mentioned does not appear, as they were bound to the bottom, were making the bottom.

Rear-admiral the *charne*, K. B. ar Antigua and Domin Northumberland, repair of the damage Domingo.

The enemy's schooner de Vasseau, the shipping at Dou brought in here on war; on board of that buccaniering, and now find to general of Guadalupe on the above occasion, understand that for of the king's schooner upon the crew with but by the gallant were overcome. A force of 100 was sufficient to put into A.

A French brig, according to the received here, is cruising from within is stated to mount men. His majesty both gone to sea, and we hope one falling in with her. There is some small French frigate that the admiral has ordered two to look how far this is received upon the vigilance of the unlooked after.

General Miranda's officer arrived American ship *Leander* in his majesty's fleet, who had on an expedition South-America, again from the schooner Ocumana, bet Sunday evening, the coast by two twenty 12 pounders 12's, both in beating these in shore endeavor captured, having In consequence being in want Beau-aire and intending for *Lilly*, and rec Campbell of the from thence to conferring with future execution every British him the ample The *Bachus* schooners.

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Annapolis, July 11, 1964.

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In CHANCERY, June 23, 1806.

Charles Sydebotham,

David Ross and Richard Cramphin, executors of William Sydebotham.

THE bill in this cause is filed by the complainant, as a creditor of William Sydebotham, deceased, against the defendants, his executors, to compel them to account for the estate of the testator, and for the complainant to be paid his debt; the bill states, that David Ross, one of the defendants, resides out of the state of Maryland; it is therefore, upon the motion of the complainant, ordered and adjudged, that he cause a copy of this order to be inserted once in each of three successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette before the 12th day of July next, to the intent that the said absent defendant may have notice of the present application, and the object of the bill filed in this cause, and may be warned to appear in this court in person, or by solicitor, on or before the 12th day of November next, to shew cause (if any he hath) why a decree should not pass as prayed.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

In CHANCERY, June 13, 1806.

ORDERED, That the sale made by GEORGE DORSEY, trustee for the sale of the real estate of Joshua Dorsey, deceased, as stated in his report, shall be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn before the 12th day of August next, provided a copy of this order be inserted three Tuesdays or three Fridays in the Baltimore Telegraph, and three successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette, before the 12th day of July next.

The report states, that part of a tract of land, in Anne-Arundel county, called *Locust Thicket*, containing four hundred and eleven acres, was sold at seven dollars per acre.

True copy,  
Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the subscriber intends to petition the county court of Anne-Arundel, on the third Monday of July next, to extend to him the benefit of the act of assembly, passed at November session, 1803, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors.

STEPHEN CLARK.  
Annapolis, May 2, 1806.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber being unable to pay his debts, intends to make application to the Judges of Anne-Arundel county court, at the next September term, for the benefit of an act of assembly, passed in the year 1806, for the relief of insolvent debtors.

JOHN DAVIDSON.  
June 17, 1806.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the subscriber intends to petition the county court of Saint-Mary's county, at August term, 1806, for the benefit of an act of insolvency, passed at November session, 1805, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors.

ROBERT CHESLEY.

NOTICE.

LITTLE respect being paid to our former applications to those indebted to the late firm of RIDGELY & EVANS, by bond, note, or open account; they are requested (for the last time) to call on them and discharge their respective balances, and at the same time assure them, that unless discharged, to leave with them tobacco notes, with samples of the tobacco, on or before the first day of August next, they shall bring suit without respect to persons.

ABSAOM RIDGELY,  
JOSEPH EVANS.

June 19, 1806.

NOTICE.

LITTLE respect being paid to my former application to those indebted to me by bond, note, or open account, I am again induced to call on them for a discharge of their respective balances, and at the same time assure them, that unless discharged before the first day of August next, I shall bring suit without respect to persons. I shall give my attendance at my house, in the city of Annapolis, on Wednesday in every week, for the purpose of settling with those who may wish to avoid a suit by their compliance.

JAMES MACKUBIN.

June 4, 1806.

By virtue of an order from the Orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, the subscriber will expose to SALE, at his dwelling plantation, near the head of South River,

SIX likely young NEGROES, belonging to the estate of SUSANNA BURGESS, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased—the said Negroes will be sold for a term of years for cash, to raise a sum of money for the payment of her debts. The sale to commence on Thursday the 17th July next, at 10 o'clock, if fair, if not, the first fair day.

ROBERT LUSBY, Executor.

June 18, 1806.

JACOB'S LAW DICTIONARY.

Subscriptions for this valuable work, now printing in Philadelphia, in two volumes, 4to, price dollars, in boards, received at the printing-office.

Fire Insurance.

THE Subscriber having received power and instructions from the Phoenix insurance company of London, is fully authorized to effect insurance on Houses, Buildings, Stores and Ships in harbours, Goods, Wares and Merchandise, in any part of the state of Maryland, from loss or damage by fire, on terms so moderate, as will it is presumed, make it the interest of all to resort to a measure so well calculated to give additional security to commercial transactions, and to afford protection from the injury which fires have so often occasioned.

In this office no insured person is liable to any call to make good the losses of others, but in case of fire, the sufferer will be fully indemnified, with that liberality and promptness which have always distinguished this company, requiring no other delay, even where presumption of fraud appears, than is necessary to distinguish the honest sufferer from the fraudulent incendiary.

As a proof of the usefulness of this institution, and the benefit that individuals have derived from it, it is only necessary to state, that since the commencement of the Office, in 1782, near seven million of dollars have been paid to claimants upon their policies. The Company's printed proposals, and the conditions, on which insurance can be effected, will be delivered by me gratis to any applicant, at the Marine Insurance Office, in Second-street, where orders for insurance, will be immediately attended to by DAVID STEWART, Agent.

For the Phoenix Insurance Co. London, within the state of Maryland.

Note, The Company have Agents at New-York, Philadelphia, Charleston, Savannah and New-Orleans persons having property in these places are referred to the respective agents.

Baltimore, May 21.

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of the county aforesaid, letters of administration, with the will annexed, on the personal estate of ZACHARIAH DUVAL, sen. late of said county, deceased, therefore all persons who have claims against said estate are requested to produce the same, legally authenticated, and those indebted to the estate to make payment, to

ZACHARIAH DUVAL, Admr. w.A.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from White Marsh, in Anne-Arundel county, a negro man named MICHAEL, about twenty years of age, five feet three or four inches high; had on when he went away, a blue vest, Welch kersey short coat, and a pair of nankeen pantaloons. Any person that will secure him in any of the county goals, so that I get him again, shall receive FIFTEEN DOLLARS if taken in the county, and if out of the county the above reward.

G. B. BITOUZEY.

N. B. All captains and masters of vessels are warned carrying off said negro at their peril.

Twenty-five & Fifty Dollars Reward.

ABOUT three years ago I purchased of Walter W. Norman, tanner, in Queen-Anne, a black boy named STEPHEN, then fifteen years old, remarkably well disposed, a little defective in his knees, but otherwise stout and well made. This boy, about 8 weeks ago, by the instigation of some very disreputable person, was enticed from my service, and (from information derived through the boy's own colour) I have reason to believe has obtained a pass, and is now harboured and protected under it. He is supposed to be either in the Swamp of West river, or on Kent-Island, where he has a mother named Esther, lately manumitted by a certain Valentine Carter. I will give twenty-five dollars for apprehending said boy, so that I get him again, and fifty dollars for such information as will merely justify my feelings in inflicting the punishment proper for so great a scoundrel.

THOMAS CONTEE BOWIE.

January 20, 1806.

THE subscriber will SELL, on moderate terms, thirty-nine tracts of LAND, situate in Wayne county, Pennsylvania, containing from 300 to 450 acres each tract, clear of allowance for roads. Purchasers may be accommodated with a single tract, or part of a tract. These lands are mostly situate near the river Delaware, and generally heavily timbered: immense quantities of lumber go from them to the Philadelphia market. There is a ready sale for all kinds of produce at Milford, within five miles of those lands, and the mills in the neighbourhood; last year's wheat sold at from 11s. 3d. to 12s. 6d. and corn, the average price, about a dollar. Those two articles are produced in great abundance. Any person inclining to purchase may be informed of further particulars, by applying to the proprietor, at Annapolis, or to Mr. JAMES BARTON, of Milford, agent for the care of those lands, and payment of taxes which have been regularly made.

Annapolis, June 8, 1806.

JOHN GIBSON.

JUST PUBLISHED,  
And for Sale, at the Printing-Office,  
(Price, One Dollar.)

The LAWS of MARYLAND,  
Passed at November Session, 1805.

Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1806.

ON application to the justices of the said county court, by petition, in writing, of JONATHAN WATERS, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition, and the said county court being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said Jonathan Waters has resided the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act within the state of Maryland; and the said Jonathan Waters, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent in writing of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of passing the said act; it is thereupon adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said Jonathan Waters, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once a week, until the third Monday in July next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, at the court-house of Anne-Arundel county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said third Monday in July next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Jonathan Waters's then and there taking the oath by the said act provided for delivering up his property.

Signed by order,  
NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.  
A. A. County Court.

May 2, 1806.

MARYLAND,

CHANCERY COURT, FEBRUARY TERM, 1806.

ORDERED, That the stated terms for the return of process, and the hearing of causes, shall be held on the fourth Tuesday in February, the first Tuesday in July, the fourth Tuesday in September, and the first Tuesday in December.

Ordered further, that the absence of counsel, or of a party, appearing without counsel, except in case of sickness, or unavoidable accident, shall not be considered as a ground of continuance. And that where two or more solicitors appear for any party, the attendance of one shall be considered sufficient to prevent a continuance.

Test. 12 SAMUEL H. HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

Ten Dollars Reward.

ABSCONDED from the subscriber, with out any cause, a few days past, my negro man named WILL, twenty-eight years of age, about five feet six or eight inches high, he is a good butcher, and is very generally known; he formerly belonged to John Wells, deceased, of the city of Annapolis. I will give a Reward of Six Dollars if caught ten miles from home, and Three Dollars if taken within the vicinity of Annapolis. I forewarn all persons from harbouring or dealing with said negro, as I am determined to put the law in force against all such offenders.

DANIEL WELLS, jun.  
Annapolis, May 19, 1806.

NOTICE.

Will be sold, to the highest bidder, on Friday, the 12th day of September next, if fair, if not, the first fair day afterwards, unless disposed of at private sale before the 1st of September, in which case public notice will be given.

ALL that tract of LAND called *Stepney*, lying and being in Anne-Arundel county, five miles from Annapolis, containing eight hundred and thirty-five acres; the improvements on this farm are considerable, with many great advantages, there are several good orchards on it, with the choicest fruits of every kind; its situation almost immediately upon South river ensures always good fish and oysters, and at the head of a creek, which bounds the farm on one side, is a considerable portion of excellent meadow ground. It would be too tedious more minutely to describe this land, as a person wishing to purchase would view the premises. One third of the purchase money must be paid in hand, and a liberal credit, with approved security, will be given for the balance. Any person desirous of purchasing at private sale will make application to the subscriber, at Port-Tobacco, Charles county. An unexceptionable title will be given to the purchaser, and possession of the premises on the first day of January, 1807.

ROBERT C. STONE.

Port-Tobacco, March 13, 1806.

The subscriber requests the printers of the Telegraph and Federal Gazette in Baltimore, Washington Federalist, and Frederick-town Herald, to insert the above advertisement in their several papers until countermanded, and send on their accounts directed to this place for payment.

For Sale,

A VALUABLE pair of carriage HORSES, tolerable well matched, and remarkably true to the draught, well calculated for a family.

JOHN GIBSON.

Annapolis, May 19, 1806.

ANNAPOLIS:  
Printed by FREDERICK and SAMUEL  
GREEN.



County Court,  
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(LXIII YEAR.)

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(No. 3104.)

# MARYLAND GAZETTE.

T H U R S D A Y, JULY 10, 1806.

## Miscellany.

### THE EVENING CIRCLE.

FROM business freed, with eager pace  
I seek that blest retreat,  
Where virtue, innocence and grace,  
With love and beauty meet.

Its lovely inmates form'd to please,  
And ONCE for something more,  
With smiles and unaffected ease,  
Receive me at the door.

How flies my pulse, how beats my heart,  
My frame with rapture glows,  
What transports does the touch impart,  
When SHE her hand bestows.

Then seated round the cheerful hearth,  
(Or back, if summer smile,)  
With social chat or lively mirth,  
The fleeting hours beguile.

Or else, requested by the fair,  
I read some novel tale,  
Or grave or witty, new or rare,  
Their fancy to regale.

But ah! how oft my truant eyes,  
Forget the page to trace,  
Till SHE detects them by surprise—  
Fixt on her lovely face.

Ours meet, the sweet delusion's broke,  
Confus'd my visage glows,  
Iammer, speak, resume the book,  
My feelings to compose.

Thus pass the hours till envious time,  
(Which faster never flew,)  
Soon brings the dreaded hour of nine,  
And I must bid adieu.

### EXTRAORDINARY FANATICISM.

Account of the self immolation of the two widows of  
Ameer Jung, late regent of Tanjore.

THE regent died on the 19th of April, 1802, about 10 o'clock, A. M. The moment he expired, two of his wives adorned themselves with their jewels and richest cloaths, entered the apartment in which the body was laid, and after three prostrations sat down by it, and announced to the whole court, which had assembled around it, their determination to devote themselves to the flames.

The youngest of the women was the regular wife and about twenty years of age, and without children; the other was a wife of inferior rank, aged twenty-six, having one child, a daughter four years old. The fathers and brothers of both were present in the assembly—they made entreaties to divert them from their purpose, but without success.

The British resident at Tanjore, having been apprised of the intention of these ladies, and not being able to be personally present at the residence of the regent, had sent his hircarrah to the spot, with orders to use every possible effort short of absolute force, to prevent the horrid sacrifice. When the relations of the ladies found their entreaties of no avail to induce them to relinquish their purpose, the hircarrah was sent for; but his threats of the displeasure of government had but a temporary and feeble effect. The Mahratta chiefs observed, that the company had never interfered in their religious institutions and ceremonies; that the sacrifice in question was by no means uncommon in Tanjore; that it was highly proper to use every art of persuasion and entreaty to induce the women to relinquish their resolutions; but if they persisted in it force ought not to be used to restrain them. The women laughed at the menaces of the hircarrah, when he told them that their fathers and brothers would be exposed to the displeasure of the government. The young widow observed that it was not the custom of the English government to punish one person for the act of another; and pointed to her father who had actually thrown himself at her feet in an agony of grief, asked the hircarrah if he thought any other inducement could alter her resolution, when his affliction failed to move it? The young brother of the other went into the woman's apartments and returned with his sister's child in his arms, which he laid at her feet, but such was the resolution of these astonishing women that not a single expression of regret, nor a sigh or tear could be drawn from them.

Any one of these weaknesses would have disqualified them from burning with the body—and the efforts of the relations were strenuously and constantly directed to excite them, but in vain. In answer to an observation of the late regent had he been aware of their intention he would have forbidden it, they said they had formed their resolution a year before,

and communicated it to him; who, after several ineffectual attempts to dissuade them, had consented to it.

The hircarrah, however, determined to protract the performance of the obsequies, if possible, until the arrival of the resident. The women waited with patience until seven in the evening, taking no other refreshment than a betel occasionally. They then sent for the hircarrah, and told him that they suspected the cause of the delay, and were resolved, if the procession did not immediately set out, to kill themselves before him. Their relatives now gave up the point in despair. The other chiefs, who had taken no part thereto, now interfered, and said they had a right to be indulged, and should not be restrained. The hircarrah retired and the procession set out.

The younger and regular wife mounted the pile on which the body of the deceased regent had been placed, and they were consumed together. The fate of the other who was not entitled to this distinction, was in appearance more dreadful. A pit eight feet deep, and six in diameter had been dug a few yards distant from the pile; it was filled with combustible matter, and fire set to it. When the flames were at the fiercest, fire was applied to the pile in which the young widow and the body of the regent had been inclosed. The other, unsupported, walked thrice round the pit, and after making obeisance to the pile, threw herself into the midst of the flames, and was no more heard or seen!—[Philadelphia Magazine, for 1805.]

From the Charleston Times.

### ANECDOTE OF WASHINGTON.

THE following anecdote was related to me by his excellency governor Johnson, of Maryland, one of the few surviving heroes of 1774. This truly great man, at commencing the race of life, received from his father no better spur than a plain education, which he early exerted on the study of law. His genius was like a flash of lightning on the darksome night. Truth, though small as a minikin pin, was made to gladden upon the dullest optic; and juries, though pannelled from little children, could run, with goggling eyes, to pick it up. In plain, his talents commanded the deepest admiration—his honesty inspired universal confidence—clients and causes sprung up around him, like leaves upon the young Catawba—guineas and half joes ripened upon him, thick and yellow as oranges in the gardens of Charleston. Led by true self-love, the people of Maryland brought him forward upon every call of difficulty and danger. The brilliancy of his talents, they knew, would reflect honour upon themselves—the strength of his judgment prove the best shield of their own rights. At the commencement of the revolutionary troubles, by unanimous suffrage, he was sent a delegate to the first congress, and took his seat with the great WASHINGTON, in the fearful days of '74. After that, he was called to the government of his own state, which high and difficult place, as often as the constitution would allow, he was compelled to fill, and, indeed, much oftner than he wished. It is hardly necessary to add, that he is now in the evening of his days—but it is not the sad evening of the idler, whose youth is folly, and his age a curse—it is not the dark evening of the old bachelor, poor man! who writes his name with a sigh, and looks with sorrow on his wealth, soon to become the prey of strangers—but it is the gay, luxurious evening of a "long vernal day;" dignified with useful toils and elegant studies; brightened by the beams of virtuous love; and which, crowned with riches and honour, he is now deliciously spending, surrounded by his children, in whose bloom, with transport he beholds his youth renewed, his name perpetuated, and his riches, by those he loves, long to be enjoyed. They, in return, whose virtues they esteem, and whose tenderness and generosity render him the object of their dearest love. Daughters of beauty! soul-enchanting forms of female elegance! what have been my feelings on seeing your "mind-illumined faces" brightening with joy at the first sound of his coming foot-steps—O! what have been my feelings on seeing you rising up, with lofty-rolling eyes of love, to meet his aged presence, and with accent, sweeter than music, bid him "good morning!" while he, with looks and tones of answering tenderness and love, has replied, "God bless my children—God bless my dear daughters!"

It was in one of these finely moralizing; one of these soul-refining scenes, in the dining room of his charming daughter, married to the wealthy and accomplished John Graham, Esq; near Frederick-town, that Mr. Johnson gave me the following anecdote of that Mr. Johnson: "You seem, sir," said he, addressing himself to me, "very fond of collecting anecdotes of gen. WASHINGTON; I'll tell you one, and one too to which you may attach the most entire faith, for I have heard it a dozen times and oftner, from the

lips of a very valuable man and magistrate, in Conostoga, a Mr. Conrad Hoffmeyer. Just before the revolutionary war, said Mr. Hoffmeyer, I took a trip for my health's sake, to the Sweet Springs of Virginia, where I found a world of people collected; some, like me, looking for health, others for pleasure. In consequence of the crowd, I was at first hard run for lodgings, but at length was lucky enough to get a mattress in the hut of a very honest baker of my acquaintance, who often visited these Springs for the benefit of his oven. Being the only man of the trade on the turf, and well skilled in the science of dough, he met with no small encouragement; and it was really matter of great gratitude to see what heaps of English loaves, Indian pones, French bricks, cakes and crackers, lay piled up on his tables every morning. I often also, amused myself in marking the various airs and manners of the different waiters, who in gay liveries and shining black faces came in every morning, rattling their silver and tripping away with bread by the basket. Among these plump, gay looking sons and daughters of Africa, I saw every now and then a poor Lazarite, with fallow cheek and hollow eye, slowly creeping to the table, and at a nod from the baker, eagerly seize a fine loaf and bear it off without depositing a cent. Surely, thought I to myself, this baker must be the best man, or the greatest fool in the world; but fearing this latter cap best fitted his pericranium, I one morning, could not help breaking my mind to him, for crediting his bread to such unpromising dealers. "Stophel," for that was his name, "you seem, said I, to sell a world of bread here every day, but notwithstanding that, I fear you don't gain much by it." "No! squire, why what makes you think so?" "You credit too much Stophel." "Not I, indeed, sir, not I, I don't credit a cent." "Aye, how do you make that out, Stophel, don't I see these poor people every day carrying away your bread, and yet paying you nothing?" "Plhaw, no matter for that squire, they'll pay me all in the lump at last." "At last! at last! Oh, oh, at the last day, I suppose you mean, Stophel, when you have the conscience to expect that God Almighty will stand paymaster, and wipe off all your old scores for you." "Oh no! squire, we poor bakers can't give such long credit; but I'll tell you how we manage the matter—that good man, col. GEORGE WASHINGTON is here. Every season, as soon as he comes, he calls and says to me, "Stophel, says he, you seem to have a good deal of company, and among the rest, I fear there are some who don't come here for pleasure, and yet, you know, they can't do without eating; though pale and sickly they must have bread; but it will never do to make them pay for it. Poor creatures! they seem already low-spirited enough, through sickness and poverty; their spirits must not be sunk any lower, by taking from them every day, what little money they pinched from their poor families at home. I'll tell you what's to be done, Stophel, you must give them a good hot loaf every morning, and charge it to me; when I am going away, I'll come and pay you for all." And believe me, squire, he has often, at the end of the season, paid me as much as 80 dollars, and that too, for poor creatures who did not know the hand that fed them, for I had strict orders from him, not to mention a syllable of it to any body."

### THE RUSSIAN NAVIGATORS.

THE following letter, dated from the port of St. Peter and St. Paul, in Kamtschatka, the 4th of August, 1804, has been received from an officer in the Russian expedition under M. de Krusenstern:—"On the 6th of May we perceived Hood's-Island, and about noon of the same day, Rion's-Island, which form a part of the group called Marquesas, which the French navigator M. Merchand, has denominated the Islands of the Revolution. That which is considered the largest of them, received from him the appellation of Baux, but in the language of the country it is called Nukahiwah. On the 7th one of our ships, the Nadeslida, made that Island; the natives immediately came on board in crowds, and appeared highly delighted at our visit; we observed among them an Englishman and a Frenchman, who have been naturalized in the country. About noon our vessels came to an anchor in the Gulph of Anna-Maria, and the next day went on shore. After viewing the country we thought fit to pay a visit to the chief of these savages. The women of this island are all excessively ugly; but this proceeds rather from the disproportion, of their limbs than the coarseness of their features: they generally go naked, their whole dress consisting of a few leaves rudely sewed together, with which they cover the parts below the waist. Nature who has been so niggardly of her favours to the women, seems by a singular caprice, to have lavished them all on the men; these savages are of a noble stature, and perfect proportions, and we met with none who was



either diminutive or deformed. Their dress is very extraordinary; they make use of none excepting for the head, the arms and the legs, the other parts of the body being entirely naked. Their food is the bread fruits, cocoa nuts, fish, pork, and even human flesh. These islanders devour not only their prisoners of war and the enemies whom they have killed, but even their wives and children in times of scarcity. Their arms are slings, lances, and clubs made of the wood of caluarina. The Englishman whom we had on board, and who appears to have resided a considerable time among these Cannibals, warned us not to place too much confidence in their apparent joy. As nature seems to have made ample provision for their ordinary wants, they spend their time in feasting and drinking: they however, manifested, great solicitude to serve us. They use the skin of a whale for making a kind of drum, which is their national music. Their chief or King, whose name is Tapeka Keteneue, exercises no authority over them, but he and his family are considered as inviolable; they pay him a heavy tribute on their fishery, because they look upon him as the master of the ocean. They worship a certain god called Atua, who is nothing more than the corpse of their high priest—for as soon as he dies his body undergoes several operations; after it has been cleaned and washed with cocoa-nut oil, it is exposed to the air to dry, and then embalmed; it is then wrapt in skins sewed together and deposited in the place consecrated to this purpose—they sacrifice to him their prisoners of war, whose flesh they devour with great avidity.

The 8th of June, the Nadesha arrived at the island of Owyhee, the inhabitants of which are much more indolent than those of the Marquesas, but they are less handsome. On the 15th of this month, we arrived at the port of St. Peter and St. Paul. The number of Kamischadales has diminished exceedingly, in consequence of epidemic diseases, which have made dreadful ravages among them. During our residence in these parts, our crews opened a subscription for the erection of a hospital, which soon amounted to the sum of 4000 rubies."

From the American Daily Advertiser.

MR. POULSON,

LAST Summer it was said by several persons that the Lombardy poplar produced a worm whose bite was almost instant death. This Summer the report has been again revived and some experiments made on the animals; I am informed that a cat which was bitten by one of them died very soon after; that one of these worms fell upon the hand of a lady while walking under a Lombardy poplar, and that though it did not bite, but only grazed her hand as it fell on the ground, yet the hand inflamed and became sore. I am by no means an enemy to these beautiful trees, but am much pleased with their being interspersed through our city, provided they are not likely to prove injurious to the lives of our citizens—and should feel great satisfaction, if such experiments were made as should at once determine, whether their growth is likely to prove hurtful or beneficial to us. The worm said to be so noxious is several inches long, and of a colour much resembling the bark of the tree.

HUMANITAS.

LOMBARDY POPLAR.

THIS tree, which has become an ornament to the city, we are sorry to learn, is suspected of producing a worm of the most poisonous description.—The subject, we think requires the most serious examination; and for the purpose of inviting to it, those who are best qualified by particular study or experience, we state the following fact, which has been communicated to us by respectable citizens:—

On Monday morning at 10 o'clock an experiment was made in Southwark, in the presence of several gentlemen, with a view of ascertaining the effect of the bite or sting of one of those reptiles. A worm, found in a Lombardy poplar, was placed before a Cat, rather more than half grown. In attempting to smell, she was stung in the nose. In about fifteen minutes she fainted away, and remained apparently lifeless for five minutes: after which, she exhibited marks of violent internal pains, and in 45 minutes died. The worm is of a pale chocolate color: has a fork at the extremity of the tail, having from ten to fourteen feet. They vary in size, some being but an inch others four inches long. They are extremely strong and animated. Arsenic, vitriol and aqua fortis have been applied to them, without producing instant death.—Some of these worms, we understand, have been left with Mr. Peale, at the Museum, for examination.

A gentleman who has made some observations on the subject, remarks, that they seldom appear in moist situations. He is led to conclude that they are generated in the roots of the poplar, from whence they travel in the night. They have been found on fences in the neighbourhood of the poplar. He suggests trying the effects of hot ley, poured on the root of the tree.

[Rel.]

We have the authority of Dr. Davidge, who has made several experiments with the Lombardy Poplar worm upon animals, for saying, that the venom of this worm is fatal to life.—[Fed. Gaz.]

Mr. Joseph Parish, of Philadelphia, has made several experiments, from which it appears, that the bite is not venomous. It is queried, whether this worm has not a sting, which although not used when Mr. P. made his experiments, may be the fatal instrument of death?—We wish some experimentalist would ascertain the fact, and inform us.—[Telegraph.]

## Annapolis Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, July 10, 1806.

FARMERS BANK OF MARYLAND,

JUNE 25, 1806.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders in this Bank, on the western shore, that an election will be held, at Gwinn's tavern, in the city of Annapolis, on the first Monday in August next, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 3 o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of choosing seventeen directors of said bank, to serve for twelve months from the said day of election.

By order,

JONA. PINKNEY, Cashier.

The return of that epoch, ever to be joyfully commemorated by the sons of Columbia as the birth day of their independence, was universally hailed by the citizens of Annapolis. The Volunteer Company of Infantry, under Capt. Duvall, evincing of their patriotism, assembled at their usual place of parade, at 10 o'clock, A. M. to celebrate the day, from thence marched to the College Green; where they performed a variety of evolutions and firings with veteran-like adroitness, greatly to their own honour, and the credit of their commander; and ended with a discharge of seventeen guns; they then retired to a cool, agreeable arbour, and at half past 2 o'clock sat down to a genteel, plain dinner, prepared for the occasion. In the course of the entertainment, the following toasts were drank, and, during intervals, several members favoured the company with pleasing patriotic songs. The day being spent with the utmost harmony and conviviality, the company retired at an early hour, each member seeming to regret a separation from his sociable companions. Here it may be remarked with pride, in doing which we would mingle modestly, that this little band of citizen-soldiers did not depart from the characteristic behaviour of Annapolitans on similar occasions, for they never once suffered party distinction to intrude, but, on the contrary, each member appeared emulous to promote the hilarity of the day.

1. The 4th of July, 1776—Its universal remembrance terrible to our enemies—pleasing to our friends.
2. The Constitution of the United States—May it always be justly administered.
3. The State of Maryland—Errors corrected and virtue perfected in.
4. Our sister states—Unanimity prevalent.
5. The remembrance of our beloved chief, General GEORGE WASHINGTON—As a statesman virtuous—as a warrior victorious.
6. The President of the United States.
7. The soldiery of the United States.
8. Commodore Preble and his brave band—May every American truly appreciate their worth.
9. The departed heroes who fell in our struggle for Independence, and in chastising a Tripolitan tyrant.
10. The Navy of the United States—May it increase from gun-boats to 74's, till it becomes a terror to free-booters and pirates, and the only necessary passport to a fair trade with all nations.
11. Our diplomatic agents abroad—Success to their missions.
12. The Executive of the State of Maryland.
13. General Eaton and his brave companions—May their country amply reward their brave and meritorious services.
14. Agriculture and manufactures, the true basis of independence.
15. Arts and Sciences.
16. The Volunteers of Annapolis—For organization and discipline will not yield the palm to any other in the state.
17. Our Fair Countrywomen—May their smiles reward the brave.

Private letters from England say, that the mission of lord Selkirk to the United States is not quite certain. It is by some stated that his lordship wishes to decline the embassy. At all events his departure is delayed until the fate of the bill before parliament respecting the colonial intercourse with this country and the negotiations depending with Mr. Monroe are determined.

[Norfolk Ledger.]

A method of obtaining natural Flowers in Winter, fresh blown any day you please.

Choose some of the most perfect buds of the flowers you wish to preserve, such as are latest in blowing and ready to open; cut them off with a pair of scissors, leaving to each, if possible, a piece of the stem about three inches long; cover the end of the stem immediately with Spanish wax, and when the buds are a little shrunk and wrinkled, wrap each of them up separately in a piece of paper, perfectly clean and dry, and lock them up in a dry box or drawer, and they will keep without corrupting.

In winter, or any other time, when you would have the flower to blow, take the buds over night, and cut off the ends of the stems sealed with Spanish wax, and put the buds into water, wherein a little nitre or salt has been infused, and the next day you will have the pleasure of seeing the buds open and expand themselves, and the flowers display their most lively colours, and breathe their agreeable odours.

[Charleston Times.]

## CHALLENGE.

A number of gentlemen of two of the lower counties of N. Carolina, and of two southern counties of Virginia, offer to meet the gentlemen of Maryland at Norfolk any time between the 20th of March and 18th of July, 1807, to shew fifty cocks, and match not less than twenty-one in the maine. The maine to be from one to ten thousand dollars, as may be agreed on. Letters with proposals, addressed to Adam Lindsay, near Norfolk, will be forwarded to the challengers, and duly answered.

PORTLAND, Maine, June 23.  
COMMUNICATION.

Topsham, June 19.

Last Thursday, at about 20 minutes after 7 o'clock in the morning, an earthquake was distinctly felt in this place. It was preceded by a low, hollow, rumbling sound, which though considerably differing from the common report, was generally thought to be thunder, till the effect followed. It was a calm foggy morning, and immediately following the shock, a small shower succeeded. Those who had the best opportunity to judge, agree that it came from the south-west, and passed off to the opposite point. The shock was so considerable as to make a rattling among numerous bodies, in a situation so jostle against each other.—Topsham is nearly in lat. 44. N. and long. 20. W. from Greenwich.

It is hoped that people in different parts of the country, where the shock was felt, will favour the public with their observations on its effects and attending circumstances.

A CUSTOMER.

PITTSBURGH, (Pen.) June 24.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman at St. Louis to his friend in this town, dated 26th of May, 1806.

"An unfortunate affair happened here yesterday. A drunken Indian going through the streets and insulting every person he met, at length he made an attack on judge Meigs, and drew his tomahawk with an intention to kill him, when a young man of the name of Hammond seeing the dangerous situation of the judge, fired a pistol at the Indian and afterwards stabbed him twice with a dirk, which put an immediate end to his existence. The people are much alarmed; there are a great many Indians here, and they have discovered considerable resentment on the occasion."

PHILADELPHIA, June 25.  
SCURVY.

The account in our paper of Monday, respecting the benefit derived by captain Williams's crew who were ill with the scurvy, from eating raw potatoes should be attended to by those bound on long voyages. A medical friend informs us that they have frequently been found highly beneficial in that great scourge of seamen, and tho' not so palatable as many other articles which our country affords, yet as they may be procured in places where no other preventives are obtainable, the knowledge of their utility should be constantly kept in mind. By the way, the scurvy, has of late made a frequent appearance in our commercial ships, the cause of which ought to be inquired into, for the means of preventing it are so well known, that a neglect of duty may always be suspected where it appears.

BALTIMORE, July 3.

Letters from New-Orleans, dated June 1, say, "Governor Claiborne has lately given his negative to two or three bills passed by the legislature. This has greatly irritated that body; in consequence of which, a resolution to the following purport passed both houses: Whereas the members of these houses, in accepting seats therein, were actuated by the purest wishes for the public good; and whereas the governor of this territory has successively negatived their wisest laws and proceedings; it is therefore resolved, that this house, taking into consideration the heavy and unnecessary expense it occasions to the territory, do unanimously adjourn until the first week in February."

July 5.

A violent storm of hail, snow and rain, was experienced by the Easton packet the day before yesterday off Sandy-Point, which had nearly capsize her. The wind N. N. W. Saw a vessel dismasted above the Bodkin, but could not speak her.

The number of dollars imported into China, by American vessels, in 1803, and 1804—1805, amounted to 4,837,300!

CHARLESTON, June 20.

We are informed by Mr. Mitchell, the pilot, that a firing was heard off the Bar, from 2 o'clock yesterday morning until day light, supposed to be between the French privateer and the British ship Robert, which went to sea on Saturday; and it is conjectured that the privateer has captured the Robert. Early yesterday forenoon, the British frigate Cambrian, capt. Beresford, appeared off the Bar, and on the pilots communicating this intelligence they immediately disguised the frigate, and stood off in chase of the privateer and the ship—the however returned in the evening, and was close in with the Bar this morning.

NORFOLK, June 30.

This morning arrived the brig Wheeler, captain Bessom, in 44 days from Liverpool. Capt. B. has favoured us with London papers from the 1st to the 11th of May, and from our mercantile friends we have received others of cotemporaneous date.

These papers we are giving new or important notice will be. The important slave limitation bill, which was read a second time on the 6th of May, and observed that he was certain that no intimate connexion depending. Lord H. wished to know whether for concessions in the would be found in the. It does not had been received. We have given out do not find that the. As the papers which to a rupture between. It is certain that information. It appears that a der on board when. Our readers will suspended in the country has not been in the accounts of which removal is nothing such occasions. Admiral Berkley's train. There has been between the Porte and amicably, by a ren powers.

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These papers we are sorry to observe contain no-  
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The important subjects before parliament are, the  
Slave limitation bill, defence bill, and American in-  
tercourse bill; sketches of the debates on these mea-  
sures will be given in subsequent papers. The latter  
bill was read a second time in the house of Peers on  
the 6th of May, and ordered to be committed on the  
8th. In the course of debate the duke of Montrose  
observed that he wished the bill to be postponed, as it  
was certain that negotiations for a more close and  
intimate connexion with the U. States was then  
depending. Lord Hawkesbury opposed the bill, as he  
wished to know what was to be given by America  
for concessions in her favour, and which he hoped  
would be found in the result of the depending negotia-  
tions.—It does not appear that our prohibitory bill  
had been received.

We have given our files a careful examination, and  
do not find that any American vessels have been  
lately sent into the British ports.

As the papers which we have received are silent as  
to a rupture between France and Denmark, we must  
dissent that information received from the West-  
Indies.

It appears that admiral Boino had not all his plun-  
der on board when captured.

Our readers will observe that captain Whitby is  
suspended in the command of the Leander, but this  
has not been in consequence of his recent conduct,  
accounts of which had not reached London: his re-  
moval is nothing more than what is customary on  
such occasions. The Leander being intended for  
admiral Berkley's flag ship, he selects his own cap-  
tain.

There has been some serious misunderstanding be-  
tween the Porte and Russia, but it has terminated  
amicably, by a renewal of the treaties between those  
powers.

LONDON, May 11.

Admiral Berkley takes his passage to Halifax in the  
Milan frigate, and is to hoist his flag on board the  
Leander, of 50 guns; to which ship capt. Humphries  
is appointed, vice capt. Whitby.

Mr. Skipwith, the American consul, whom we  
lately mentioned to have sailed from New-York, for  
France, arrived at L'Orient on the 23d ult.

Louis Buonaparte, the intended king of Holland,  
is now dangerously ill at Paris.

Senator Beauharnois, brother-in-law to Madame  
Bonaparte, and uncle to the viceroy of Italy, it is  
said, is to be chief of the Helvetic Republic.

The French and Spaniards have now six squadrons  
at sea; namely, that under Jerome Buonaparte and  
admiral Guillaume, consisting of the Veteran of 80  
guns, Foudroyant 84, Mareille, Eole, Impetueux,  
Castor and Patriot, of 74 guns, four frigates and a  
corvette, which sailed from Brest on the 14th of De-  
cember. Another squadron, comprising six sail of the  
line, which sailed from the same port on the same day,  
not since heard of. Third, five sail of the line, three  
frigates, and three corvettes, which sailed from Brest  
in January, not since heard of. Fourth, the Regu-  
lar, 80, President and Sybelle, of 40, and Surveil-  
lance, which sailed from L'Orient 5th November, and  
were to the southward of the line on the 26th Janu-  
ary. Fifth, the Squadron of frigates which sailed  
from L'Orient the 27th March; and lastly, the squa-  
dron of frigates which sailed from Cadiz on the 7th  
March.

Yesterday's letters from Gibraltar, confirm the ac-  
count of the sailing of two Spanish ships of the line,  
two frigates and a brig, from Cartagena, on the 2d  
April. The latter has been taken by the Renomee;  
the others are supposed to have passed the Straits on  
the night of the 4th.

WASHINGTON CITY, July 2.

The following is a copy of a letter from Commodore  
Preble, to the Secretary of the Navy.

Portland, June 17.

Sir, by lieutenant Jones, of the navy, I had this  
day the honour to receive your letter of the 17th ult.  
accompanying a gold medal, struck in pursuance of  
a resolution of congress of the 3d March, 1805, em-  
blematical of the attacks on the town, batteries, and  
naval forces of Tripoli, by the squadron under my com-  
mand. You will be pleased to communicate to the pre-  
sident of the U. States, that I accept with gratitude  
this honourable testimony of the approbation of my  
country. And I pray you to be assured, that I am  
truly sensible of the very handsome and obliging man-  
ner in which it has been presented.

I have the honour to be,  
With the highest respect, Sir,  
Your most obedient servant,

EDWARD PREBLE.

Honourable Robert Smith.

## The Knell.

DIED—On the 5th inst. Mrs. MARGARET SHAW,  
in the 48th year of her age.—A tedious and linger-  
ing indisposition had long prepared her to encounter  
the terrors of dissolution, but her uniform and exem-  
plary observance of the moral and religious duties,  
precluded the necessity of preparation. As she lived  
to the died, leaving much to be regretted, but little  
to be repented of.

—on Monday morning last, Mr. SAMUEL JA-  
COB, of South River.

—at Winchester, in England, captain Hall,  
of the army, aged 91. He was Surgeon's mate of

the Centurion, and went round the world with Lord  
Anson, in the year 1740, when the Manila galleon,  
Nostra Signora de Cabadonga was taken.—She was  
the richest prize ever taken, having near a million and  
a half of dollars on board, and was larger and of  
more force than the Centurion. Mr. Hall came  
home Surgeon of her. It was after this voyage which  
lasted three years and nine months that Lord Anson,  
when he landed on the Point at Winchester, fell upon  
his knees and offered an ejaculatory prayer to HIM  
who had preserved him from such imminent dangers.  
Capt. Fortescue is the only person living who went  
on that voyage.

—, In Middlebury, Vermont, on the morning  
of the 11th ultimo, JOHN B. BROWN, aged 11  
years.—There was something worthy of notice in the  
character of this lad. From his infancy he had been  
trained in the school of affliction: and though but a  
child in years he appeared so to have profited by his les-  
sons as to have attained a surprising knowledge of di-  
vine things, and a high relish for the sublime joys of  
religion. During a long and distressing illness he ma-  
nifested all the patience and resignation, of the old  
and experienced christian—gave many pious exhorta-  
tions to his friends and particularly to the children  
who visited him, entreating them to remember their  
Creator and prepare to follow him to the world of spi-  
rits. In his last moments, he viewed and conversed  
on his approaching dissolution with perfect composure,  
and even joyfully anticipated the time when his soul  
should be released from a body deformed by disease,  
to enjoy the presence of that God whom he profes-  
sed supremely to love. It is hoped that this account  
will not pass unobserved by children and youth, and  
that while it serves to remind them of their own liabi-  
lity to death, it may also teach them that even child-  
ren are susceptible of the pleasures of religion, and  
may through divine grace, become so captivated with  
its charms, as to part with all the enjoyments of life  
without a sigh, and serenely smile in the arms of  
death.

## Rees's Cyclopædia.

D. REES'S NEW CYCLOPÆDIA is just  
received, and for delivery to subscribers, at  
the store of Messrs. M. and B. CURRAN, Part the  
first of Vol. the first.  
Annapolis, July 8, 1806.

Will be SOLD, to the highest bidder, on Monday,  
the 4th day of August next, at 11 o'clock, if fair,  
if not the first fair day,

A VALUABLE lot of LAND, lying in South  
river Neck, being part of a tract of land called  
HEDGE PARK, containing fifty acres, formerly the  
property of Francis Linthicum, bounding on the north  
side of a creek known by the name of Cadle's Creek,  
said creek being one of the best harbours for vessels on  
the Chesapeake Bay, and abounding with oysters of  
superior quality, and great quantities of the finest fish  
may be caught at almost any season of the year.  
This land is all in woods, with a sufficient quantity  
of board and shingle timber. Any person desirous of  
seeing the land before the day of sale may be shewn  
it by applying to the subscribers. The sale to be  
held at Thomas Linthicum's, adjoining the said land.  
An unexceptionable title will be given to the purchaser,  
on a compliance with the terms of sale, which will  
be made known on the day.

107/6 THOMAS LINTHICUM,  
JOSHUA LINTHICUM,  
WILLIAM JOHNSON.

## State of Maryland, &c.

Anne-Arundel county, Orphans Court, July 1, 1806.  
ON application, by petition, of Charles Drury  
Hodges, administrator of Robert Brown, late  
of Anne-Arundel county, deceased; it is ordered,  
that he give the notice required by law, for creditors  
to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and  
that the same be published once in each week, for the  
space of six successive weeks, in the Maryland Ga-  
zette.

JOHN GASSAWAY, Reg. Wills for  
Anne-Arundel county.

## BY ORDER OF THE ORPHANS COURT,

## THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county,  
hath obtained from the orphans court of said county,  
letters of administration on the personal estate of  
ROBERT BROWN, late of said county, deceased.  
All persons having claims against the said deceased  
are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the  
vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the  
26th day of February next, they may otherwise by  
law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given  
under my hand, this 1st day of July, 1806.

CHARLES D. HODGES, Administrator.

## This is to give notice,

THAT the subscribers, of Charles county, hath  
obtained from the orphans court of said county,  
in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal  
estate of BENJAMIN CAWOOD, late of the  
aforesaid county, deceased. All persons having claims  
against the said deceased are hereby warned to ex-  
hibit the same, with the vouchers thereof to the sub-  
scribers, at or before the 25th day of November  
next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from  
all benefit of the said estate. Given under our hands,  
this 25th day of June, 1806.

107/6 MARTHA CAWOOD, Administrator.  
THEODORE DENT, do.

## Poet's Corner.

### SELECTED.

### ON MORAL AND NATURAL BEAUTY.

SWEET is the voice that soothes my care,  
The voice of love, the voice of long;  
The lyre that celebrates the fair,  
And animates the warlike song.

Sweet is the counsel of a friend,  
Whose bosom proves a pillow kind—  
Whose mild persuasion brings an end  
To all the sorrows of the mind.

Sweet is the breath of balmy spring,  
That lingers in the primrose vale;  
The woodlark sweet, when on the wing  
His wild notes swell the rising gale.

Sweet is the breeze that curls the lakes,  
And early wafts the fragrant dew,  
Thro' hovering clouds of vapour breaks,  
And clears the bright ethereal blue.

Sweet is the bean, the blooming pea,  
More fragrant than Arabia's gale,  
That sleeps upon the tranquil sea,  
Or gently swells th' extended sail.

Sweet is the walk where daisies spring,  
And cowslips scent the verdant mead;  
The woodland sweet where linnets sing,  
From every bold intruder freed.

But far more sweet are virtuous deeds;  
The hand that kindly brings relief—  
The heart that with the widow's bleeds,  
And shares the drooping orphan's grief.

The pious and humane here rise,  
With liberal hands and feeling heart,  
And chase the tears from sorrow's eyes,  
And bid each noxious woe depart.

## Weiskopff and Keller, CONFECTIONERS.

RESPECTFULLY inform the citizens of Anna-  
polis, that on Monday next, the 14th inst.  
they will commence business in Church-street, near  
the market, where they will be happy to receive the  
commands of the public.

On Saturday the 12th ICE CREAMS may  
be had at the bar of Mr. John Gwinn, jun.

They will endeavour to furnish ICE CREAMS  
as regularly as their supply of Ice will permit.  
Annapolis, July 9, 1806.

## One Hundred Dollars Reward.

RAN away, on the first of July, 1806, from the  
subscriber, living in Anne-Arundel county,  
Patapco Neck, near Hawkins's Point, a likely young  
negro man named BOB, but sometimes calls himself  
BOB MILLER; he is in the twenty-fourth year of  
his age, about five feet nine or ten inches high, is a  
tolerably black, straight made fellow, with a smiling  
countenance when spoken to, has a remarkable scar  
on the lower part of the back of his neck, near the  
size of a cent, under his shirt collar; he was raised  
to the farming business; had on when he went off,  
a high crown felt hat, with a band and buckle, of-  
nabrig shirt, and hempen linen trousers. I expect  
he will change his name and cloaths, as he did when  
he ran off before. I presume he has procured a  
forged pass from his infamous connexions in the  
neighbourhood where he lived. If taken up and se-  
cured in any gaol, so that I get him again, if twenty  
miles from home forty dollars, if forty miles or up-  
wards eighty dollars, if out of the state the above  
reward. If taken in Baltimore and secured, so that  
I get him, twenty dollars, and if brought home all  
reasonable travelling expenses, paid by

107/6 JAMES P. SOPER.  
N. B. Captains of vessels and others are forewarned  
harbouring, employing, or carrying off said runaway  
at their peril. July 2, 1806.

## Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, living near An-  
napolis, a negro man named SAM, he went  
off on Monday morning, the 8th instant, with little  
or no cloathing, as he made his escape from confine-  
ment, being fearful he had committed murder; he is  
about 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, stout made; it is  
supposed he has made for the neighbourhood of the  
rev. Edward Gantt, in Calvert county, from whence  
he was hired. The above reward will be given for  
bringing him home, or securing him in any gaol, so  
that I get him again.

107/6 JOSEPH LEONARD.  
Hill's Delight, July 9, 1806.

## Twenty Dollars Reward.

ON the twenty-ninth day of June last broke from  
the gaol of Prince-George's county, in the  
town of Upper-Marlborough, a negro man named  
COLONEL, about five feet seven or eight inches  
high, very black, and about 25 years of age. He  
was lately committed to the said gaol for his bad be-  
haviour, and was cropt in the right ear. His cloath-  
ing, when he went away, was an offnabrig shirt and  
trousers; he is supposed to be in the neighbourhood  
of Mrs. Rawlings, in Calvert county. The above  
reward will be paid upon his being delivered to the  
gaol from whence he broke.

107/6 ALEXIUS BOONE, Sheriff  
Prince-George's county,  
July 8, 1806.



In CHANCERY, June 25, 1806.  
James Treacle, and Mary his wife,  
against

Anne Pitcher, Samuel Church, and Hannah his wife,  
Cornelius McCarty, and Sarah his wife, George  
Cromwell, and Mercy his wife, Thomas Pitcher,  
and James Pitcher.

THE object of the complainants bill is to obtain a decree for the partition of a tract of land, situate and lying in Anne-Arundel county, called *Rich Land*, containing three hundred acres, among the heirs of Thomas Pitcher, deceased; the bill states, that the said Thomas Pitcher hath departed this life intestate, leaving the aforesaid Anne, Hannah, Sarah, Mercy, Thomas and James, his children and heirs at law, that James is a minor, and that Anne Pitcher, Samuel Church, and Hannah his wife, Cornelius McCarty, and Sarah his wife, are absent from the state of Maryland, and gone to parts unknown to the complainants; it is thereupon, on the application of the complainants, adjudged and ordered, that they cause a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Maryland Gazette before the 2d day of August next, to the end that the said defendants may be warned to appear in this court, in person, or by solicitor, on or before the 2d day of December next, to shew cause, if any they have, why a decree should not pass as prayed.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can. 2

June 19, 1806.  
THE petition of JOHN GWINN being heard by the Chancellor, and the purchase money not having been paid, notice was given as above directed, it is adjudged, that the order for ratifying the sale be rescinded, and that the said sale be set aside and annulled, and the trustee do proceed to sell the said property conformably to the original decree.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

By virtue of a decree from the High Court of Chancery, the subscriber will OFFER at PUBLIC SALE, on the premises, at 12 o'clock, A. M. on Monday the 25th of August next, if fair, if not, the first fair day,

ALL that part of a tract of land, which belonged to CHARLES WHITE, deceased, situate and lying in Anne-Arundel county, near Spurrier's tavern, on Elk-Ridge, called WINKOPIN NECK, which was devised to the said Charles White by his father Joseph White, and by the said Charles White, in his life-time mortgaged to John Gwin, Esquire. The terms of sale are, the purchaser or purchasers of the whole, or any part thereof, shall either pay ready money on the day of sale, or on the day of the ratification of the sale by the chancellor; and on obtaining the chancellor's ratification, and on receipt of the purchase money, and not before, the trustee, by a good deed to be executed and acknowledged according to law, will convey and transfer to the purchaser or purchasers, and his, her, or their heirs, the land to him, her, or them sold, free, clear, and discharged from all claim of the mortgagee, or of the heirs of the said Charles White.

THOMAS HARWOOD, of Rd. Trustee.  
Annapolis, June 30, 1806.

#### NOTICE.

Will be Sold, at Public Sale, on Tuesday, the 22d instant, at 12 o'clock, on the premises,

ONE hundred and thirty-three acres of LAND, lying in Prince-George's county, on Patuxent river, about half a mile above the Roman Catholic church; about sixty acres of the above land, are, perhaps, as heavy timbered as any land in the county, chiefly of white oak, live oak, poplar and gum; there is a good mill-seat on said land, also a sufficient quantity of good meadow land, which might be put into grass at a very small expence; about sixty acres of the above land are cleared and improved; the improvements are, a log dwelling-house, 24 by 16 feet, a log kitchen and meat house, a good frame tobacco house, and a good apple orchard. A further description is considered unnecessary, as it is expected those who wish to purchase will view the land prior to the day of sale. The terms will be made known on the day of sale, but shall be such as will be accommodating to the purchaser. Any person wishing to view the land will please to apply to the subscriber. An unexceptionable title will be given, by

July 1, 1806. 2 COLMORE DUVAL.

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Calvert county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of REBECCA SMITH, late of Calvert county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at or before the tenth day of December next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand, this tenth day of June, eighteen hundred and six.

REZIN ESTEP.

#### CAUTION.

I HEREBY forewarn all persons from trusting any of my family on my account, as I am determined not to pay any debts of their contracting.  
Annapolis, July 1, 1806. 2 W. CATON.

#### Treasury Department of the UNITED STATES.

June 21, 1806.

WHEREAS the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held on the 28th day of April, 1806, did resolve, that the sum remaining to complete the expenditure of the annual appropriation of EIGHT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, should among other purposes be applied to the reimbursement of the NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, created in pursuance of an act of congress, passed on the 30th day of June, 1798, and to the reimbursement of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, created in pursuance of an act of congress, passed on the 3d day of March, 1795.

This is therefore to give notice, that the principal of the said NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, with the interest due thereon, will, on surrender of the certificates, be paid on the 1st day of October next ensuing the date hereof, to the respective stockholders or their lawful representatives or attorneys duly constituted and authorized, either at the Treasury or at the Loan-Office, as the case may be, where credits have been given for the amount of stock, respectively held by them; and that the principal of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, with the interest due thereon, will, in like manner, and at the same places, be paid on the 1st day of January, 1807, to the respective stockholders, or their lawful representatives or attorneys duly constituted and authorized.

It is further made known, for the information of the parties concerned, that no transfers of the NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, either from or to the books of the Treasury, or from or to the books of a Commissioner of Loans, will be allowed after the 1st day of September ensuing, nor of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, after the 1st day of December ensuing. And the interest on all certificates of said stocks, which shall not have been surrendered, in pursuance of this notification, will cease and determine, on the day preceding the day hereby fixed for the reimbursement thereof.

ALBERT GALLATIN,  
Secretary of the Treasury.

#### Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1806.

ON application to the justices of the said county court, by petition, in writing, of JONATHAN WATERS, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition, and the said county court being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said Jonathan Waters has resided the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act within the state of Maryland; and the said Jonathan Waters, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent in writing of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of passing the said act; it is thereupon adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said Jonathan Waters, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once a week, until the third Monday in July next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, at the court-house of Anne-Arundel county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said third Monday in July next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Jonathan Waters's then and there taking the oath by the said act provided for delivering up his property.

Signed by order,  
NICH: HARWOOD, Ck.  
A. A. County Court.

May 2, 1806.

#### MARYLAND,

CHANCERY COURT, FEBRUARY TERM, 1806.

ORDERED, That the stated terms for the return of process, and the hearing of causes, shall be held on the fourth Tuesday in February, the first Tuesday in July, the fourth Tuesday in September, and the first Tuesday in December.

Ordered further, that the absence of counsel, or of a party, appearing without counsel, except in case of sickness, or unavoidable accident, shall not be considered as a ground of continuance. And that where two or more solicitors appear for any party, the attendance of one shall be considered sufficient to prevent a continuance.

Test. SAMUEL H. HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can. 13

#### NOTICE.

WHEREAS my wife ELIZABETH hath eloped from my bed and board, and hath refused and still doth refuse to live with me any longer, I therefore hereby forewarn all persons from dealing with her, or crediting her on my account, as I am determined to pay no debts of her contracting.

July 1, 1806. 2 COLMORE DUVAL.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the subscriber intends to petition the county court of Saint-Mary's county, at August term, 1806, for the benefit of an act of insolvency, passed at November session, 1805, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors.

ROBERT CHESLEY.

#### Fire Insurance.

THE subscriber having received power and instructions from the Phoenix insurance company of London, is fully authorized to effect insurance on Houses, Buildings, Stores and Ships in harbours, Goods, Wares and Merchandise, in any part of the state of Maryland, from loss or damage by fire, on terms so moderate, as will it is presumed, make the interest of all to resort to a measure so well calculated to give additional security to commercial transactions, and to afford protection from the injury which fires have so often occasioned.

In this office no insured person is liable to any call to make good the losses of others, but in case of fire, the sufferer will be fully indemnified, with the liberality and promptness which have always distinguished this company, requiring no other delay, even where presumption of fraud appears, than is necessary to distinguish the honest sufferer from the fraudulent incendiary.

As a proof of the usefulness of this institution, and the benefit that individuals have derived from it, it is only necessary to state, that since the commencement of the Office, in 1782, near seven million of dollars have been paid to claimants upon their policies. The Company's printed proposals, and the conditions, on which insurance can be effected, will be delivered by me gratis to any applicant, at the Marine Insurance Office, in Second-street, where orders for insurance, will be immediately attended to by

DAVID STEWART, Agent.

For the Phoenix Insurance Co. London, within the state of Maryland.

Note, The Company have Agents at New-York, Philadelphia, Charleston, Savanna and New-Orleans persons having property in these places are referred to the respective agents.

Baltimore, May 21. 6

In CHANCERY, June 23, 1806.

Charles Sydelothom,

David Ross and Richard Cramphin, executors of William Sydelothom.

THE bill in this cause is filed by the complainant, as a creditor of William Sydelothom, deceased, against the defendants, his executors, to compel them to account for the estate of the testator, and for the complainant to be paid his debt; the bill states, that David Ross, one of the defendants, resides out of the state of Maryland; it is therefore, upon the motion of the complainant, ordered and adjudged, that he cause a copy of this order to be inserted once in each of three successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette before the 12th day of July next, to the intent that the said absent defendant may have notice of the present application, and the object of the bill filed in this cause, and may be warned to appear in this court in person, or by solicitor, on or before the 12th day of November next, to shew cause (if any he hath) why a decree should not pass as prayed.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can. 3X

#### Twenty-five & Fifty Dollars Reward.

ABOUT three years ago I purchased of Walter A. W. Norman, tanner, in Queen-Anne, a black boy named STEPHEN, then fifteen years old, remarkably well disposed, a little defective in his limbs, but otherwise stout and well made. This boy, about six weeks ago, by the instigation of some very disreputable person, was enticed from my service, and (from information derived through the boy's own colour) I have reason to believe has obtained a pass, and is now harboured and protected under it. He is supposed to be either in the Swamp of West river, or on Kent-Island, where he has a mother named Esther, lately manumitted by a certain Valentine Carter. I will give twenty-five dollars for apprehending said boy, so that I get him again, and fifty dollars for such information as will merely justify my feelings in inflicting the punishment proper for so great a scoundrel.

THOMAS CONTEE BOWLE,

January 20, 1806. 17

#### NOTICE.

THE subscriber being unable to pay his debts, intends to make application to the Judges of Anne-Arundel county court, at the next September term, for the benefit of an act of assembly, passed in the year 1806, for the relief of insolvent debtors.

June 17, 1806. 4 JOHN DAVIDSON.

#### NOTICE.

LITTLE respect being paid to our former applications to those indebted to the late firm of RIDGELY & EVANS, by bond, note, or open account; they are requested (for the last time) to call on them and discharge their respective balances, and at the same time assure them, that unless discharged, to leave with them tobacco notes, with samples of the tobacco, on or before the first day of August next, they shall bring suit without respect to persons.

ABSALOM RIDGELY,  
JOSEPH EVANS.

June 19, 1806.

ANNAPOLIS:  
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# MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JULY 17, 1806.

FROM A LONDON MAGAZINE.

## miscellany.

### CHARACTER OF A TRUE LADY.

ERE I pourtray a woman truly fair,  
Who's rightly form'd life's various tasks to bear,  
Permit my muse, my vent'rous muse, to show  
The source whence female merit ought to flow.  
Vent'rous my muse indeed! for she must stray  
Far, ('spite of censure) from the beaten way;  
Oft in my soul with indignation fir'd,  
At sentiments by half the world admir'd.  
Have not each writer and each poet strove  
To prove that both our end and aim are love?  
That to be pretty, gentle, kind and fair,  
Are all the objects worthy of our care.  
And we, like slaves, too soon embrace the plan,  
To be admir'd by frail mistaking man;  
And wonder not that we are rank'd so low;  
Read Fordyce, Gregory, and impure Rousseau;  
Read those who, with well meaning pride elate,  
Have strove the female world to regulate.  
This is the language all their writings speak,  
That woman, to be lovely, "must be weak;"  
That she was born all-pow'ful man to bless,  
For him must think, must act, must move, must dress.  
A girl, thus puff'd with vanity and pride,  
Pleasure her aim, and passion all her guide,  
Comes into life a foolish fluttering thing,  
Romantic fancy ever on the wing,  
She hears love's whispers, from the nodding trees,  
Sees swains in clouds, and hears them in the breeze.  
If, to please man, must be our end and all,  
We'll bow to our superiors of the ball.  
Here even MILTON's soaring genius falls,  
Us women, "fair defects in nature," calls.  
Nature, thou injur'd Goddess! can'st thou hear  
This charge, and unprovok'd the falsehood bear?  
Who, to each sex, impartially hast given  
A soul to seek and to prepare for heaven.  
Each can progress alike, alike can rise,  
Nor hope desire at aught below the skies.  
Oh may our minds some nobler motives move  
Than here to dance, to dress, to sing, to love!  
Be this the object plac'd before our eyes,  
To please our God, and aim to reach the skies;  
Then will each sex the nobler virtues love,  
Seek for one object, for one object move.

Then we should please each man that's truly wise—  
All others' love we nobly should despise.  
When Heaven's the object, Virtue all the aim,  
Each may indulge true love's celestial flame.  
In then sweet friendship knows no base alloy,  
But proves the source and spring of ev'ry joy;  
Then in each breast the same emotions rise,  
Soul speaks to soul, and into union flies.  
Thus must the woman, I esteem most fair,  
Despise false modesty's affected air,  
Must know no feelings which the dares not speak,  
Must reverence virtue still for virtue's sake;

She must each social feeling too admire,  
While love and friendship heavenly joys inspire;  
And not, to please vain creatures form'd of clay,  
Fix all her thoughts on beings of a day;  
But let her actions to one purpose tend,  
To gain the love of an eternal friend.  
Oft the most go (her various duties done)  
To some retreat, unnoted and alone,

Call home her scatter'd thoughts, devoutly say,  
Have I perform'd each duty of the day?  
And oft the most one sacred hour devote  
To useful studies, and to serious thought.

And thus prepare her high immortal mind  
For joys, hereafter which we all may find.  
She must be gentle, and her person neat,  
Be in domestic knowledge quite complete;

Nor let severest sorrows bend her mind,  
But nobly bear the ills which heaven design'd,  
Be firm in friendship and in love sincere,  
Steady in purpose, moderately severe.—

Let her mild eyes a well taught mind bespeak,  
Soft, yet improv'd, not "amiably weak."  
She must her friends of either sex receive,  
With all the dignity true love can give;

Nor strive, by any charm, to gain one heart,  
But those which heaven-born virtue does impart.  
By such a course as this our sex might rise,  
And rank with those whose plaudits reach the skies.

MAXIM.

Beauty without virtue is like a painted sepulchre—  
Fair without, but within full of corruption.

### THE REPRIEVED MALEFACTOR;

An affecting scene lately exhibited at Newgate.

"A dreadful din was wont  
To grate the sense, when entered here, from groans,  
And howls of slaves condemn'd; from clink of chains,  
And crash of rusty bars and creaking hinges!  
And ever and anon the light was dash'd  
With frightful faces, and the meagre looks  
Of grim and ghastly executioners."

CONCREVE.

THE tolling of the dreadful bell, summoning the  
miserable to pay their forfeited lives to their country,  
awoke Henry from the first sleep he had fallen into,  
since he entered the walls of a dismal prison. Henry  
had been a merchant, and married the beautiful Eliza,  
in the midst of affluence; but the capture of our  
West India fleet, in the late American war, was the  
first stroke his house received. His creditors from the  
nature of the loss, were for some time merciful; but to  
satisfy some partial demands, he entered into a dis-  
honourable treaty, which being discovered, Henry was  
thrown into some loathsome gaol. He had offended  
against the laws, and was condemned to die.

Eliza possessed Roman virtues. She would not quit  
his side, and with her infant son, she preferred chasing  
away his melancholy in a dungeon, to her father's  
house which was still open to receive her. The hopes  
of a reprieve from day to day had fled: but not be-  
fore the death warrant arrived. Grief overpowering  
all other senses, sleep, the balmy charmer of the woes  
of humanity, in pity to their miseries, extended her  
filken embraces over them; and beguiled the time  
they had appropriated for prayer; and Eliza, with the  
infant, still continued under her influence.

"Father of mercies," exclaimed Henry, "lend  
thine ear to a supplicating penitent. Give attention to  
my short prayer. Grant me forgiveness, endue me  
with fortitude to appear before thee: and O God!  
extend thy mercies to this injured, this best of thy  
servants, on whom I have entailed undeserved heart-  
felt woe. Chafe not sleep from her till I am dead."

The keeper interrupted his devotion, by warning  
him of his fate. "If there be mercy in you," replied  
Henry, "make no noise, for I would not have my  
dear wife and child awakened till I am no more."

He wept—then he—who was inured to misery—he,  
who with apathy till now looked upon distress, shed  
tears at Henry's request—Nature for once predomi-  
nated in a gaoler.

At this instant the child cried! "O heavens,"  
said Henry, "I am too guilty to have my prayer  
heard!" he took up his infant, and fortunately hushed  
it again to rest, while the gaoler stood petrified with  
astonishment. At last he thus broke out—"This is  
too much, my heart bleeds for you, I would I had not  
seen this day." "What do I hear?" replied Henry.  
"Is this an angel in the garb of my keeper? Thou  
art indeed unfit for thy office—This is more than I was  
prepared to hear—Hence, and let me be conducted to  
my fate."

These words awoke the unhappy Eliza; who, with  
eagerness to atone for the lost time, began to ap-  
propriate the few moments left, in supplicating for the  
husband's salvation.

Side by side the unhappy couple prayed; as the  
Ordinary advanced to the dismal cell—They were too  
intent on their devotion to observe him. The holy  
man came with more comfort than what his function  
alone could administer. It was a reprieve, but with  
caution he communicated the glad tidings to the  
loving but hapless pair.

The effect it had on them was too affecting to be  
expressed. Henry's senses were overpowered, while  
Eliza became frantic with joy—She ran to the man  
of God, then to her child, ere she perceived her hus-  
band apparently lifeless. He soon inhaled life from  
her tender kisses, while the humane gaoler gladly  
knocked off his fetters.

NUTS.

A YOUNG student, shewing the museum of Ox-  
ford to a set of gentlemen and ladies, among other  
things produced a rusty sword. This says he, gentle-  
men, is the sword with which Balaam was going to  
kill his ass.—Upon which one of the company replied,  
that he tho't Balaam had no sword, but only wished  
for one. You are right, said the student, and this is  
the very sword he wished for.

A gentleman who had an extraordinary large nose,  
being to dine at a friend's house, the mother charged  
a boy (who was apt to tell people of any remarkable  
defect in their person) not to say any thing of the  
gentleman's large nose.—When he arrived the child  
stared at him, and then turning to his mother, said,  
"O mamma, what a pretty little nose that gentle-  
man has!"

## Foreign Intelligence.

NEW-YORK, July 8.

The Editors of the New-York Gazette are indebted  
to capt. Chew, of the ship Liberty, for London pa-  
pers to the 23d, and Liverpool papers and prices  
current to the 25th of May. The most important  
news by this arrival, is, that Prussia and England  
have come to an understanding. A Liverpool  
price-current of the 24th May from John Richard-  
son & Co. after quoting the price of grain says,  
"the accounts received this day of the dispute  
with Prussia being settled, had the effect of lower-  
ing flower 2s. 6d. per barrel, and wheat 1s. 6d.  
per bushel." A similar remark is made opposite  
lumber. The same price-current observes, after  
quoting West-India produce, that as the disputes  
with Prussia are now amicably settled, we confi-  
dently expect an advance in price, and a brisk de-  
mand for the West-India produce in general. The  
passengers in the Liberty say, that flour was dull at  
40s. They also state that a general peace was ex-  
pected.

The London Gazette announces the capture, by ad-  
miral Collingwood's squadron, of a Spanish brig  
mounting 18 guns, which slipped out of Carthage-  
na in company with two Spanish ships of the line  
and a frigate.

The further consideration of the case of Lord Mel-  
ville was adjourned by the house of lords to the  
28th of May.

The American intercourse bill had passed the house  
of lords.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 26.

Our cabinet has refused the mediation solicited of  
it to terminate amicably the differences subsisting be-  
tween England and Prussia, because it fears to dis-  
oblige one or other of those two courts.

M. d'Alopeus, minister from Russia at the court of  
Stockholm, has received orders to make representa-  
tions to his Swedish majesty, which have for their ob-  
ject to re-establish a good understanding between  
Sweden and Prussia. His imperial majesty has lately  
written to the king of Sweden, and positively assured  
him that he will give him, conformably to treaties,  
all the succour he shall demand. He has, besides,  
guaranteed to him, we are assured, the possession of  
his territories.

LONDON, May 13.

By a gentleman arrived in the Camel store ship  
from Gibraltar, we are informed, that Sir Sidney  
Smith, with the Pompee, Atheniense, Eagle and ano-  
ther frigate, had arrived off Sicily, and was fully pre-  
pared to co-operate with our troops in that island. Sir  
Sidney Smith had succeeded in throwing supplies into  
the garrison of Gaeta.

Admiral Linois's wound in the calf of the leg is  
getting better; he is on board the Foudroyant, with  
Sir J. Warren. Admiral Linois's son, a Lieutenant  
on board the Marengo, has lost his tongue by a musket  
ball, which passed through his mouth.

May 14.

We received, this morning, Dutch papers to the  
11th, and Paris to the 7th instant. In the latter it is  
officially announced, that the whole kingdom of Na-  
ples, except Gaeta, has submitted to the French.  
The loyal and brave army of Naples, appears to have  
joined its Sovereign in Sicily. The official report  
admits that upwards of 50 transports with troops fail-  
ed from Reggio for Messina as soon as the French  
made their appearance.

The Moniteur has, at length, condescended to notice  
the battle of Trafalgar. The defeat of the French  
fleet is attributed, by Buonaparte, to the cowardice  
and misconduct of some of the ships. It was foreseen  
that he would throw the blame upon the Spaniards.

May 15.

At the Council yesterday it was resolved to issue  
letters of marque and reprisal against Prussian vessels,  
and the order in council will appear in Saturday  
night's Gazette. From that it may be inferred, that  
Mr. Jackson brings no intelligence from Berlin of a  
pacific nature.

Should the King of Prussia attack the King of  
Sweden, the Emperor of Russia will be compelled to  
declare whether he is determined to renew the war or  
not. But this, indeed, may depend upon how far the  
King of Sweden, in his late conduct and declarations,  
was warranted by the countenance and protection of  
Russia.

It is said, that Denmark has been induced to join  
the league of Russia, Sweden and England, and that  
a treaty of alliance between these four powers is in  
great forwardness.

Saturday last the Haughty gun brig cut out of a  
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NAPOLIS:  
FREDERICK and SAMUEL  
GREEN.



Intelligence has been received, that ten sail of the line are now at anchor in Brest Road, and that the Topaze of 44 guns, which lately escaped from the Tagus, has got into Brest.

May 16.

We lately announced the receipt of accounts at the India House of the conclusion of peace in India. An extraordinary Gazette was published this morning, confirming this grateful intelligence. It contains extracts of letters from Sir George Barlow down to the 25th of December. They state, that a definitive treaty of peace was concluded between Lord Lake and the Agent Plenipotentiary of Scindia, on the 22d of November, which, from the terms, promised to be secure and permanent. Confident expectations were entertained, that this happy result would produce a speedy and favourable termination of hostilities with Holkar, in consequence of which, orders had been issued for the return of the troops belonging to the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay, within the limits of the respective cantonments in which they were to be distributed, and placed upon a peace establishment. Perfect tranquillity prevailed in every part of the Company's dominions in India.

Sir John B. Warren's Squadron arrived on Wednesday night at Portsmouth, with the Marengo and Bell Poole French prizes.

Admiral Ruffel failed yesterday from Yarmouth Roads, to resume his station off the Texel, with the fleet under his command. The Baltic fleet also failed from Yarmouth at the same time.

The Squadron under Sir J. Strachan is fitting out for sea with all possible expedition.—He is supposed to be going on a long cruise after Jerome Buonaparte, who is said to be returning to France, having ascertained that the Cape is in our possession.

May 18.

**Lord Melville's Impeachment.**—The court was crowded to a very great degree, in order to hear the remainder of Mr. Whitebread's speech. He continued addressing their lordships till near three o'clock. Mr. Plumer for the defendant, and the attorney-general for the managers, argued a question of law, and the lords at half past three finished the whole of the trial. Nothing remains but to pronounce their judgment. This will not take place till Wednesday or Thursday next.

It is generally understood, on the continent, that the senator Beauharnois is to govern Switzerland, under the title of *Landammann for life*; but that at his death, the country will pass to his son-in-law, the electoral prince of Baden. Should this project be carried into execution, we shall see, says a German paper, reign at Naples, prince Joseph, the brother of the emperor; in Upper Sicily, prince Eugene; Viceroy in Switzerland, the uncle of that prince, the brother-in-law of the empress; along the Rhine to the Maine, the electoral prince of Baden, son-in-law to Madame Beauharnois, from thence to Holland, duke Joachim, brother-in-law of the emperor; and in Holland another brother of that monarch.

Private letters from Holland state, that the New Constitution intended for that kingdom was to be promulgated in the course of the present week. His majesty, Louis the first, was to be at the Hague on Thursday last, and to be proclaimed before the 20th. His nomination is said to have excited the utmost depressions, and some cities have even ventured to petition their High Mightinesses to oppose the measure with all their power.

May 20.

Sir Richard Strachan failed from Plymouth yesterday morning with the following ships under his command:

Cesar, Terrible, Montague, Bellona, Audacious, Bellisle and Triumph; and Decade and Melampus frigates. This Squadron is said to be gone in pursuit of Jerome Buonaparte's Squadron.

May 21.

The Gazette contains two orders of council, the first directing that the embargo upon all ships and vessels belonging to Hamburg and Oldenburg be taken off; and that the embargo be taken off those vessels belonging to Bremen and Pappenburg which had cleared out for ports of the United Kingdom previous to the Prussian notification, dated March 28, whereby British ships were excluded from the ports of the Prussian dominions, and other ports in the north of Europe; and that the said ships and vessels, with their cargoes, not being Prussian, or enemies property, be permitted to sail to any port not blockaded.—The second order of council directs, that general reprisals be granted against the ships, goods and subjects of the king of Prussia, and of the town of Pappenburg, save and except any ships to which his majesty's licence has been granted, or which have been directed to be released from the embargo, &c. &c.—The Gazette also contains an official notice respecting the blockade of the enemy's coast.

We have received a German paper of a later date than those brought by the mails that arrived yesterday, which contains a decree, passed by the Canton of Basle, against the commerce of this country. By it, all persons dealing in prohibited merchandise, are made liable to imprisonment, confiscation of the goods, and a fine of not less than 100 louis d'ors.—Resistance to these arbitrary mandates of France is vain, as an army is ready on the Swiss frontiers to enforce obedience; meanwhile, a deeply rooted hatred spreads through the country, which, though at present hidden, may in due season burst in a frightful harvest of revenge.

Our Plymouth letter of yesterday states, that a report was very current that the inshore squadron off Brest, consisting of the Impetueux of 80 guns, capt.

Lawford, the Diamond and the Latona frigates, and the Haughty gun-brig, having been becalmed under the French batteries, the whole of the enemy's fleet, consisting of ten sail of the line, had slipped their cables and captured them. No such intelligence as the above has reached the admiralty; we therefore trust it is incorrect.

May 22.

The Hamburg mail, which was due yesterday morning, arrived last night, and has brought intelligence of a most important nature. The steps adopted by this country have occasioned a change in the cabinet of Berlin. Count Haugwitz, who has been the fatal adviser of those measures which have produced, and threatened still greater mischief to his country, has retired from an office which he had neither the talents nor integrity necessary to render efficient for the public good, and has left Count Keller in the full administration of affairs. The circumstances which produced this event, are stated to have proceeded from the king's request to the latter minister, to suggest the means most likely to bring about a reconciliation between the courts of Berlin and London. The first step taken has been to transmit orders to the Prussian ports in the Baltic, not to obstruct the entrance or departure of any British ship, but, on the contrary, to treat them in a friendly manner. Other measures were in contemplation to forward the renewal of a good understanding between the two courts.

Will Prussia still maintain that it occupies Hanover as a rightful possession? Will Napoleon suffer Frederick William to open his ports to British commerce? These are questions which a little time will solve.

It is possible this change may lead to the sending over some diplomatic agent to this country to endeavour to open some negotiation for accommodating the differences between the two countries; but in the present state of Europe, the public should not be hasty to encourage a hope, in which they may be disappointed.

Another important piece of intelligence is stated in letters from Vienna of the 6th inst. According to these, the differences relative to the mouths of the Cattaro have been amicably accommodated. The representations made at St. Petersburg have produced the effects wished for by Austria, and the Russian troops are making dispositions to evacuate the Cattaro. We know not what degree of credit is due to this statement.

Letters from Rome state, that two French ships have been taken by the English off Gaeta.

The following letter has been addressed from Mr. Fox to the American Minister:

"The undersigned, his majesty's principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has received his majesty's commands to acquaint Mr. MUNROE, that the king, taking into consideration the new and extraordinary means resorted to by the enemy, for the purpose of distressing the commerce of his subjects, has thought fit to direct that the necessary measures should be taken for the blockade of the coast, rivers, and ports, from the river ELBE to the port of BREST, both inclusive; and the said coast, rivers, and ports are, and must be considered as blockaded—but that his majesty is pleased to declare, that such blockade shall not extend to prevent neutral ships and vessels, laden with goods not being the property of his majesty's enemies, and not being contraband of war, from approaching the said coasts, and entering into and sailing from the said rivers and ports, (save and except the coasts, rivers and ports, from OSTEND to the river SEINE, already in a state of strict and rigorous blockade, and which are to be considered as so continued,) provided the said ships and vessels so approaching and entering, (except as aforesaid) shall not have been laden at any port belonging to, or in possession of his majesty's enemies, and that the said ships and vessels so sailing from the said rivers and ports, (except as aforesaid,) shall not be destined to any port belonging to or in the possession of any of his majesty's enemies, nor have previously broken the blockade.

"Mr. MUNROE is therefore requested to apprise the American consuls and merchants residing in England, that the coasts, rivers and ports, above-mentioned, must be considered as being in a state of blockade, and that from this time all the measures authorized by the law of nations, and the respective treaties between his majesty and the different neutral powers, will be adopted and executed with respect to vessels attempting to violate the said blockade, after this notice.

"The undersigned requests Mr. MUNROE to accept the assurances of high consideration.

(Signed)

C. J. FOX."

JAMES MUNROE, Esq. &c. &c. &c.

LIVERPOOL, May 24.

From Petersburg we learn, that the emperor Alexander has refused to mediate between England and Prussia, but that he has interfered between their Prussian and Swedish majesties, and promised the latter his support. This part of the account seems highly probable. Sweden would hardly have risked so much, had she not good grounds of confidence in the aid of her powerful and magnanimous ally. The Prussians have not yet made any attack on Pomerania.

Our government has received fresh assurances of the determination of Denmark to adhere with rigid strictness to the principles of neutrality, which she has at all times so openly and unequivocally avowed.

## Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, July 17, 1806.

FARMERS BANK OF MARYLAND,

JUNE 25, 1806.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders in this Bank, on the western shore, that an election will be held, at Gwinn's tavern, in the city of Annapolis, on the first Monday in August next, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 3 o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of choosing seventeen directors of said bank, to serve for twelve months from the said day of election.

By order,

JONA. PINKNEY, Cashier.

FARMERS BANK OF MARYLAND,

JULY 14, 1806.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders in the Farmers Bank of Maryland, that the eighth payment of five dollars on each share of stock will become due and payable at said Bank on Saturday the 9th day of August next; they will also observe, that a failure of the above payment will be attended with a loss of interest on all former payments, nor will it recommence until said payment is made good.

By order,

JONA. PINKNEY, Cashier.

To the Stockholders in the Farmers Bank of Maryland residing on the Western Shore.

GENTLEMEN,

FINDING it extremely inconvenient to attend as a Director of the Bank, I take this mode of intimating my wish of not being considered a candidate for that office at the ensuing election.—At the same time I cannot help recommending it to the stockholders to re-elect, at least, a majority of the present directors—the interest of the institution, in my opinion, requires it.

July 9, 1806.

HORATIO RIDOUT.

WE are authorized to say, that Horatio Ridout will serve, if elected, as an Elector of the Senate for Anne-Arundel county, and that if honoured by the suffrages of a majority of his fellow-citizens, he will not be influenced by party motives in the selection of proper characters to fill that important station at this critical period.

WE are authorized to say, that Doctor John Gasaway, of Rhode river, is a candidate for one of the representatives of Anne-Arundel county to the legislature.

Saturday last JOHN THOMPSON MASON, Esquire, was appointed, by the honourable Council, attorney-general of the State of Maryland, vice WILLIAM PINKNEY, Esquire, appointed commissioner plenipotentiary and extraordinary to the court of St. James.

MUNGO PARK.

We are sorry to communicate to our readers, the death of this enterprising and indefatigable traveller, whose researches in Africa have been read with so much avidity, and have afforded so much instruction. He had been amply supplied by the British government with every thing necessary to render his second tour through the interior of that country of the highest benefit to mankind. He arrived at Goree, in a British ship of war in the month of March, 1805; from which he ascended the river Gambia, with about forty attendants, provided with portable canoes, and every thing necessary to render their travels easy and speedy—they had penetrated about 1500 miles into the interior, to a place called Segoo, which Mr. Park has described in his former Book of Travels. The number of his attendants had been reduced by sickness and death to three, exclusive of himself; the king of this place, after carrying him into every part of the city, which is walled in and considered the largest in Africa, and showing him every curiosity which it afforded, had cruelly and brutally murdered him, together with his attendants. This intelligence is furnished us by a gentleman recently from the Rio Pongus, who received the information from traders from the interior country, and on whom reliance might be placed.

[Charleston Courier.]

A report, says the Salem Register, had been received at Pensacola, and had been communicated at New Orleans, that Spain had exchanged the two Floridas for Parma and Placentia, and that the French were to sell the Floridas to the United States.

From the N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.

General Miranda once more.—To the politeness of a respectable friend we are indebted for a Barbados paper of the 10th of June, containing the following remarks relating to the expedition of Miranda. A letter from a gentleman on board the Leander, dated Barbados, June 12, mentions that Admiral Cochrane had delivered to General Miranda, 40 Spanish prisoners, equal to the number of Americans the Spaniards have in their power—that admiral Cochrane had supplied general Miranda with four vessels, which are to accompany him to Trinidad, where a number of the general's friends were waiting to join him, and where



DAY, July 17, 1806.

OF MARYLAND,

JUNE 25, 1806.

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Smith, whom report has frequently placed among  
captured, is still with Miranda.

Extract of a letter from Liverpool, dated May 24,  
received at Philadelphia.

We enclose you the extract (respecting the ad-  
ment with Prussia) from the London papers, leav-  
ing you to form your own conclusions. No private  
ers from Hamburg state the circumstance—and  
our government have delayed issuing letters of  
que, though an order in council, had appeared in  
Gazette, for that purpose."

From the Boston Chronicle.

Messrs. Adams and Rhoades,  
you think the enclosed original letters will afford  
any amusement to your readers, you are at liberty  
to publish them if you please.

Monticello, Aug. 19th, 1805.

Respected general,  
I HAVE lately learnt through the channel of  
newspapers, and learnt with pleasure, that you are  
ill in life and enjoy health and spirits. The victo-  
of Bennington, the first link in that chain of suc-  
cesses which issued in the surrender at Saratoga, are still  
fresh in the memory of every American; and the  
name of him who achieved them dear to his heart.  
Permit me, therefore, as a stranger who knows you  
only by the services you have rendered, to express to  
you the sincere emotions of pleasure and attachment  
which he felt on learning that your days had been  
thus prolonged, his fervent prayers that they may still  
be continued in comfort, and the conviction that  
when ever they end, your memory will be cherished  
by those who come after you, as one who has not  
lived in vain for his country. I salute you, venerable  
patriot and general, with affection and reverence.

TH: JEFFERSON.

Hon. Major Gen. STARK.

Derryfield, Oct. 1805.

Respected Sir,  
Your friendly letter of the 19th August came to  
me a few days since; but owing to the imbecility  
inseparably connected with the wane of life, I have  
not been able to acknowledge it until now. I have  
been in my seventy-seventh year since the 28th of  
August last, and since the close of the revolutionary  
war, have devoted my time entirely to domestic em-  
ployments—and in the vale of obscure retirement,  
have tasted that tranquility which the hurry and bustle  
of the busy world so seldom bestows. I thank you  
for the compliment you are pleased to make me, nor  
will I conceal the satisfaction I feel in receiving it  
from a man who possesses so large a share of my con-  
fidence. I will confess to you, Sir, that I once be-  
gan to think, that the labours of the revolution were  
in vain, and that I should live to see the system re-  
flected that I had assisted in destroying; but my fears  
are all at an end, and I am preparing to meet the un-  
erring fate of man; with, however, the satisfactory  
reflection, that I leave a numerous progeny, in a  
country highly favoured by nature, and under a go-  
vernment, whose principles and views I believe to be  
correct and just.

With the highest consideration of respect and ef-  
ficiency, I have the honour to be, your most obedient  
serv't,

JOHN STARK.

THOMAS JEFFERSON, Esq.

NEW-YORK, July 8.

Arrived, the ship Grace, Hills, of Boston, in 56  
days from Charante. There was an embargo at  
Charante, from the 6th of April till the 6th of May.  
May 12, capt. Fitch was boarded by a cutter belong-  
ing to admiral Thornborough's squadron, and at 2  
P. M. by the Iris frigate, at 8 by a sloop of war, and  
at 1 the next morning was boarded by the Indefatig-  
able 40 gun ship. The British line of battle ships  
were at anchor about five leagues from Oberon light-  
house, waiting for the Rochefort squadron to come  
out. The Rochefort squadron lay at the Isle of Aix  
ready for sea. It consists of the admiral's ship called  
the Magistrate, of 120 guns, 4 line of battle ships, 6  
frigates, a sloop of war, and 6 brigs. Capt. Follet,  
of the ship Two Brothers, mentioned above, lat. 44,  
30, long. 29, spoke with a fleet of 20 sail of mer-  
chantmen, from the Cape of Good Hope, 56 days  
out. They were conveyed by two frigates: among  
the merchant ships were two Americans belonging to  
New-York, from Batavia, detained at the Cape of  
Good Hope, and ordered for England for trial.

July 9.

Mr. Peter Rose, who went out in the ship Leander,  
arrived here in the sloop Atlantic, from Barba-  
dos, where he left the Leander on the 16th ult. He  
informs, that capt. Lewis was on shore the 14th of  
June, and the mate was sent for on board the British  
sloop of war Lily, and an officer from the latter sent  
on board the Leander, who took charge of her, and  
14 or 15 men sent on board the Lily though they  
had protestations. This so much displeased the people  
of the Leander, that they offered to give up their  
wages for a discharge, which was refused.

It was reported that admiral Cochrane, with 9 sail  
of armed vessels was to accompany Miranda to the  
Maine; and that colonel Armstrong was at Trinidad  
recruiting, and enlisted 700 men for the expedition.  
Recruits had also been raised at Barbados.

Capt. Dickinson informs, that a frigate and three  
transports had just arrived at Bermuda, from England,

having on board a regiment of troops, part for that  
place and the residue for New-Providence.

We have nothing new from the Cadiz arrival, ex-  
cept marine intelligence. Capt. Congdon in coming  
out, passed the British blockading squadron, consisting  
of 6 sail of the line, 1 frigate and a brig.

PHILADELPHIA, July 9.

Arrived, ship Active, capt. Morris, in 60 days from  
Cape-Good-Hope: by whom it is stated, that Sir  
Home Popham sailed from the Cape on the 14th of  
April last, in the Diadem, and Raisable, of 64  
guns, two frigates, and a number of transports, on  
board of which, was a train of artillery and a High-  
land regiment. It was generally believed that this  
expedition was destined against the Spanish settle-  
ments of Rio-de-Plata.

BALTIMORE, July 12.

Captain Fairchild, (arrived at Salem) was at Tra-  
pani, in Sicily, on the 13th of May, and informs,  
that sir Sidney Smith sailed from Palermo on the 6th  
of May, with four ships of the line and eleven gun-  
boats, for Gaeta, which place had not then sur-  
rendered to the French, and was expected would be  
able to hold out against any land force that could be  
sent against it, while assisted by a naval armament.

Edward Carrington, esq. has been appointed by  
the president of the United States, consul at Canton.

NORFOLK, July 7.

Jerome Buonaparte.—On Friday last arrived in 14  
days from Martinique, the sch'r Patriot, captain Hud-  
son, from whom we learn, that on the 10th ult. Je-  
rome Buonaparte arrived in a ship of the line at Port-  
Royal; that on the 16th 2 other ships of the line ar-  
rived, the latter having been chased by admiral Coch-  
rane in the Northumberland, with a frigate. Before  
capt. H. left Martinique, admiral Cochrane, with  
three ships of the line and several frigates, were block-  
ading the French ships.

It was reported, that three more ships of the line  
and two frigates were daily expected at Martinique.  
At present we can only conjecture as to the cause,  
which has occasioned the separation of the fleet to  
which Jerome Buonaparte was attached. We may  
conclude that the separation has not been voluntary,  
nor shall we be surprised to learn that a battle has  
taken place, in which the French have been defeated.  
This fleet consisted of 7 sail of the line, and 3 frigates,  
arriving in this dispersed manner, does not look well.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out  
of the late general court, will be exposed to public  
sale, on the premises, on Friday, the 25th instant,  
at eleven o'clock,

ONE tract of LAND, called Part of Ridgely's  
Great Park, containing 150 acres, to be sold  
for cash; taken as the property of Rawlings Gartrell,  
and sold to satisfy a debt due William Alexander,  
Esquire.

JASPER E. TILLY, Sheriff of  
Anne-Arundel county.

July 14, 1806.

In CHANCERY, July 15, 1806.

ON application of THOMAS HARRIS, junior,  
trustee for John Maddox, an insolvent debtor,  
ordered, that the creditors of the said Maddox do  
bring in, and declare their respective claims to the  
said trustee, on or before the 10th day of September  
next; the said trustee having reported that he had  
sold, at public sale, the property returned by the said  
Maddox in his schedule, at and for the sum of five  
hundred dollars to the said John Maddox.

Ordered likewise, that the above order be publish-  
ed three successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette  
before the last day of August next.

True copy,

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

George & John Barber,

TAKE this method to inform the patrons of the  
ANNAPOLIS & BALTIMORE PACK-  
ETS, that they will not hold themselves answerable  
for the loss of any letters or money entrusted to them.  
At the same time they declare that as good care as  
heretofore shall be taken.

Those persons indebted to them, whose accounts  
have been long standing, are requested to come for-  
ward and settle with William Duvall, who is autho-  
rized to pursue legal means to recover any money due  
them. It is hoped this notice will be attended to,  
and further trouble prevented.

July 16, 1806.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY forewarn all persons whatever, from  
hunting with either dog or gun, pulling down my  
fences, or riding through my farm on the Head of  
South river, without permission of the manager. Of-  
fenders may be assured they will be prosecuted to the  
utmost rigour of the law.

THOMAS SNOWDEN.

July 15th 1806.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT I intend to apply to the Baltimore coun-  
ty court, for the benefit of the act of the ge-  
neral assembly of Maryland, passed at November ses-  
sion, 1805, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry  
insolvent debtors.

1000 16/10 JAMES BACON.

## Poet's Corner.

SELECTED.

ON VISITING A SCENE IN ARGYLESHIRE.

From Campbell's "Pleasures of Hope."

AT the silence of twilight's contemplative hour,  
I have mus'd in a sorrowful mood,  
On the wind shaken weeds that embosom the bow'r,  
Where the home of my forefathers stood,  
All ruin'd and wild is their roofless abode,  
And lonely the dark raven's sheltering tree,  
And travell'd by few is the grass-cover'd road,  
Where the hunter of deer and the warrior trod,  
To his hills that encircle the sea.

Yet wandering, I found, on my ruinous walk,  
By the dial-stone aged and green,  
One rose of the wilderness left on its stalk,  
To mark where a garden had been;  
Like a brotherless hermit, the last of its race,  
All wild in the silence of nature, it drew  
From each wandering sunbeam a lonely embrace;  
For the night-weed and thorn overshadow'd the place  
Where the flower of my forefathers grew.  
Sweet bud of the wilderness! emblem of all  
That survives in this desolate heart!  
The fabric of bliss to its centre may fall;  
But patience shall never depart;  
Though the wild of enchantment, all vernal & bright  
In the days of confusion by fancy combin'd  
With the vanishing phantoms of love and delight,  
Abandon my soul like a dream of the night,  
And leave but a desert behind.  
Be hush'd, my dark spirit! for wisdom condemns,  
When the faint and the feeble deplore;  
Be strong as the rock of the ocean that stems  
A thousand wild waves on the shore—  
Thro' the perils of Chance and the fowl of Disdain,  
May thy front be unalter'd, thy courage elate!  
Ah, even the name I have worship'd in vain,  
Shall awake not the sigh of remembrance again!  
To bear, is to conquer our fate!

LIPS AND EYES.

A TALE.

IN CELIA's face a question did arise,  
Which were more beautiful, her Lips or Eyes?  
We, said the Eyes, fend forth those pointed darts,  
Which pierce the hardest adamantine hearts—  
From us, replied the Lips, proceed those blisses,  
Which lovers reap from sweetest words and kisses.  
Then wept the Eyes, and from their springs did pour,  
Of liquid, oriental pearls, a show'r.  
Whereat the Lips, mov'd with delight and pleasure,  
Thro' a sweet smile unlock'd their pearly treasure!  
And bade LOVE judge, which thus did add most grace,  
Weeping or smiling pearls in CELIA's face?

ANECDOTE.

BEAU NASH was one evening employed in col-  
lecting money for the Bath Hospital.—A Lady enter-  
ed who was more remarkable for her wit than her  
charity, and not being able to pass by him unobserv-  
ed, she gave him a pat with her fan, and said, "You  
must put down a trifle for me, Nash, for I have no  
money in my pocket." "Yes, madam, says, he,  
that I will with pleasure if your Grace will tell me  
when to stop;" then taking a handful of guineas out  
of his pocket he began to tell them into his white hat,  
one, two, three, four, five. "Hold, hold, (says the  
duchess) consider what you are about." "Consider  
your rank and fortune, madam," (says Nash,) and  
continued telling six, seven, eight, nine, ten. "Pray  
compose yourself, madam," cried Nash, "and don't  
interrupt the work of charity;" eleven, twelve, thir-  
teen, fourteen, fifteen. Here the duchess stormed and  
caught hold of his hand. "Peace, madam," says  
Nash, "you shall have your name written in letters  
of gold, madam; and upon the front of the building,  
madam; sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twen-  
ty. "I won't pay a farthing more," says the duchess,  
"Charity hides a multitude of sins," replies Nash;  
twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four,  
twenty-five. "Nash," says she, "I protest you  
frighten me out of my wits. L—d! I shall die!"  
"Madam you will never die with doing good; and  
if you should it would be better for you," answered  
Nash, and was about to proceed; but perceiving her  
grace had lost all patience, a parley ensued; when he,  
after much altercation, agreed to stop his hand and  
compound with her grace for thirty guineas. The  
duchess, however, seemed displeased the whole even-  
ing, and when he came to the table where she was  
playing, bid him "stand further, an ugly devil, for  
she hated the sight of him." But her grace after-  
wards, having a run of good luck, called Nash to-  
her: "Come, says she, I will be friends with you,  
though you are a fool, and to let you see I am not  
angry, there are ten guineas more for your chari-  
ty."

Rees's Cyclopædia.

DR. REES'S NEW CYCLOPÆDIA is just  
received, and for delivery to subscribers, at  
the store of Messrs. M. and B. CURRAN, Part the  
first of Vol. the first.

Annapolis, July 8, 1806.

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In CHANCERY, June 25, 1806.  
James Treacle, and Mary his wife,

against  
Anne Pitcher, Samuel Church, and Hannah his wife,  
Cornelius McCarty, and Sarah his wife, George  
Cromwell, and Mercy his wife, Thomas Pitcher,  
and James Pitcher.

THE object of the complainants bill is to obtain a decree for the partition of a tract of land, situate and lying in Anne-Arundel county, called Rich Land, containing three hundred acres, among the heirs of Thomas Pitcher, deceased; the bill states, that the said Thomas Pitcher hath departed this life intestate, leaving the aforesaid Anne, Hannah, Sarah, Mercy, Thomas and James, his children and heirs at law, that James is a minor, and that Anne Pitcher, Samuel Church, and Hannah his wife, Cornelius McCarty, and Sarah his wife, are absent from the state of Maryland, and gone to parts unknown to the complainants; it is thereupon, on the application of the complainants, adjudged and ordered, that they cause a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Maryland Gazette before the 2d day of August next, to the end that the said defendants may be warned to appear in this court, in person, or by solicitor, on or before the 2d day of December next, to shew cause, if any they have, why a decree should not pass as prayed.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can. 3X

June 19, 1806.

THE petition of JOHN GWINN being heard by the Chancellor, and the purchase money not having been paid, notice was given as above directed, it is adjudged, that the order for ratifying the sale be rescinded, and that the said sale be set aside and annulled, and the trustee do proceed to sell the said property conformably to the original decree.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

By virtue of a decree from the High Court of Chancery, the subscriber will OFFER at PUBLIC SALE, on the premises, at 12 o'clock, A. M. on Monday the 25th of August next, if fair, if not, the first fair day,

ALL that part of a tract of land, which belonged to CHARLES WHITE, deceased, situate and lying in Anne-Arundel county, near Spurrier's tavern, on Elk-Ridge, called WINKOPIN NECK, which was devised to the said Charles White by his father Joseph White, and by the said Charles White, in his life-time mortgaged to John Gwinn, Esquire. The terms of sale are, the purchaser or purchasers of the whole, or any part thereof, shall either pay ready money on the day of sale, or on the day of the ratification of the sale by the Chancellor; and on obtaining the Chancellor's ratification, and on receipt of the purchase money, and not before, the trustee, by a good deed to be executed and acknowledged according to law, will convey and transfer to the purchaser or purchasers, and his, her, or their heirs, the land to him, her, or them sold, free, clear, and discharged from all claim of the mortgagee, or of the heirs of the said Charles White.

THOMAS HARWOOD, of Rd. Trustee.  
Annapolis, June 30, 1806. 3

### NOTICE.

Will be Sold, at Public Sale, on Tuesday, the 22d instant, at 12 o'clock, on the premises,

ONE hundred and thirty-three acres of LAND, lying in Prince-George's county, on Patuxent river, about half a mile above the Roman Catholic church; about sixty acres of the above land, are, perhaps, as heavy timbered as any land in the county, chiefly of white oak, live oak, poplar and gum; there is a good mill-seat on said land, also a sufficient quantity of good meadow land, which might be put into grass at a very small expence; about sixty acres of the above land are cleared and improved; the improvements are, a log dwelling-house, 24 by 16 feet, a log kitchen and meat house, a good frame tobacco house, and a good apple orchard. A further description is considered unnecessary, as it is expected those who wish to purchase will view the land prior to the day of sale. The terms will be made known on the day of sale, but shall be such as will be accommodating to the purchaser. Any person wishing to view the land will please to apply to the subscriber. An unexceptionable title will be given, by

COLMORE DUVALL.

July 1, 1806. 3X

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Calvert county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of DAVID WATSON, late of Calvert county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the tenth day of December next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand, this tenth day of June, eighteen hundred and six.

CHARLES D. HODGES, Administrator.

JUST PUBLISHED,  
And for Sale, at the Printing-Office,  
(Price, One Dollar,)  
The LAWS of MARYLAND,  
Passed at November Session, 1805.

### Treasury Department of the UNITED STATES,

June 21, 1806.

WHEREAS the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held on the 28th day of April, 1806, did resolve, that the sum remaining to complete the expenditure of the annual appropriation of EIGHT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, should among other purposes be applied to the reimbursement of the NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, created in pursuance of an act of congress, passed on the 30th day of June, 1798, and to the reimbursement of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, created in pursuance of an act of congress, passed on the 3d day of March, 1795.

This is therefore to give notice, that the principal of the said NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, with the interest due thereon, will, on surrender of the certificates, be paid on the 1st day of October next ensuing the date hereof, to the respective stockholders or their lawful representatives or attorneys duly constituted and authorised, either at the Treasury or at the Loan-Office, as the case may be, where credits have been given for the amount of stock, respectively held by them: and that the principal of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, with the interest due thereon, will, in like manner, and at the same places, be paid on the 1st day of January, 1807, to the respective stockholders, or their lawful representatives or attorneys duly constituted and authorised.

It is further made known, for the information of the parties concerned, that no transfers of the NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, either from or to the books of the Treasury, or from or to the books of a Commissioner of Loans, will be allowed after the 1st day of September ensuing, nor of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, after the 1st day of December ensuing. And the interest on all certificates of said stocks, which shall not have been surrendered, in pursuance of this notification, will cease and determine, on the day preceding the day hereby fixed for the reimbursement thereof.

ALBERT GALLATIN,  
Secretary of the Treasury.

### Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1806.

ON application to the justices of the said county court, by petition, in writing, of JONATHAN WATERS, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition, and the said county court being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said Jonathan Waters has resided the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act within the state of Maryland; and the said Jonathan Waters, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent in writing of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of passing the said act; it is thereupon adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said Jonathan Waters, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once a week, until the third Monday in July next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, at the court-house of Anne-Arundel county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said third Monday in July next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Jonathan Waters's then and there taking the oath by the said act provided for delivering up his property.

Signed by order,  
NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.  
A. A. County Court.

May 2, 1806.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the subscriber intends to petition the county court of Saint-Mary's county, at August term, 1806, for the benefit of an act of insolvency, passed at November session, 1805, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors.

ROBERT CHESLEY.

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscribers, of Charles county, hath obtained from the orphans court of said county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of BENJAMIN CAWOOD, late of the aforesaid county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at or before the 25th day of November next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under our hands, this 25th day of June, 1806.

MARTHA CAWOOD, Administrator.  
THEODORE DENT, } tors.

### NOTICE.

THE subscriber being unable to pay his debts, intends to make application to the Judges of Anne-Arundel county court, at the next September term, for the benefit of an act of assembly, passed in the year 1806, for the relief of insolvent debtors.

JOHN DAVIDSON.  
June 17, 1806.

Will be SOLD, to the highest bidder, on Monday, the 4th day of August next, at 11 o'clock, if fair, if not the first fair day,

A VALUABLE lot of LAND, lying in South river Neck, being part of a tract of land called HEDGE PARK, containing fifty acres, formerly the property of Francis Linthicum, bounding on the north side of a creek known by the name of Cadle's Creek, said creek being one of the best harbours for vessels on the Chesapeake Bay, and abounding with oysters of superior quality, and great quantities of the finest fish may be caught at almost any season of the year. This land is all in woods, with a sufficient quantity of board and shingle timber. Any person desirous of seeing the land before the day of sale may be shown it by applying to the subscribers. The sale to be held at Thomas Linthicum's, adjoining the said land. An unexceptionable title will be given to the purchaser, on a compliance with the terms of sale, which will be made known on the day.

THOMAS LINTHICUM,  
JOSHUA LINTHICUM,  
WILLIAM JOHNSON.

### State of Maryland, &c.

Anne-Arundel county, Orphans Court, July 1, 1806. ON application, by petition, of Charles Drury Hodges, administrator of Robert Brown, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased; it is ordered, that he give the notice required by law, for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in the Maryland Gazette.

JOHN GASSAWAY, Reg. Wills for Anne-Arundel county.

By ORDER OF THE ORPHANS COURT,  
THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of said county, letters of administration on the personal estate of ROBERT BROWN, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 26th day of February next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand, this 1st day of July, 1806.

CHARLES D. HODGES, Administrator.

### One Hundred Dollars Reward.

RAN away, on the first of July, 1806, from the subscriber, living in Anne-Arundel county, Patapsco Neck, near Hawkins's Point, a likely young negro man named BOB, but sometimes calls himself BOB MILLER; he is in the twenty-fourth year of his age, about five feet nine or ten inches high, is tolerably black, straight made fellow, with a smiling countenance when spoken to, has a remarkable scar on the lower part of the back of his neck, near the size of a cent, under his shirt collar; he was raised to the farming business; had on when he went off, a high crown felt hat, with a band and buckle, a nabrig shirt, and hempen linen trousers. I expect he will change his name and cloaths, as he did when he ran off before. I presume he has procured a forged pass from his infamous connexions in the neighbourhood where he lived. If taken up and secured in any gaol, so that I get him again, if twenty miles from home forty dollars, if forty miles or upwards eighty dollars, if out of the state the above reward. If taken in Baltimore and secured, so that I get him, twenty dollars, and if brought home all reasonable travelling expences, paid by

JAMES P. SOPER.

N. B. Captains of vessels and others are forewarned, harbouring, employing, or carrying off said runaway at their peril.

July 2, 1806.

### Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, living near Annapolis, a negro man named SAM, he went off on Monday morning, the 8th instant, with little or no clothing, as he made his escape from confinement, being fearful he had committed murder; he is about 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, stout made; it is supposed he has made for the neighbourhood of the rev. Edward Gantt, in Calvert county, from whence he was hired. The above reward will be given for bringing him home, or securing him in any gaol, so that I get him again.

JOSEPH LEONARD.

Hill's Delight, July 9, 1806.

### Twenty Dollars Reward.

ON the twenty-ninth day of June last broke from the gaol of Prince-George's county, in the town of Upper-Marlbrough, a negro man named COLONEL, about five feet seven or eight inches high, very black, and about 25 years of age. He was lately committed to the said gaol for his bad behaviour, and was cropt in the right ear. His cloathing, when he went away, was an osnabrig shirt and trousers; he is supposed to be in the neighbourhood of Mrs. Rawlings, in Calvert county. The above reward will be paid upon his being delivered to the gaol from whence he broke.

ALEXIUS BOONE, Sheriff.

July 8, 1806.

Prince-George's county.

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ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, July 24, 1806.

FARMERS BANK OF MARYLAND.

JUNE 25, 1806.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders in this Bank, on the western shore, that an election will be held, at Gwinn's tavern, in the city of Annapolis, on the first Monday in August next, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 3 o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of choosing seventeen directors of said bank, to serve for twelve months from the said day of election.

By order,

JONA. PINKNEY, Cashier.

FARMERS BANK OF MARYLAND.

JULY 14, 1806.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders in the Farmers Bank of Maryland, that the eighth payment of five dollars on each share of stock will become due and payable at said Bank on Saturday the 9th day of August next; they will also observe, that a failure of the above payment will be attended with a loss of interest on all former payments, nor will it recommence until said payment is made good.

By order,

JONA. PINKNEY, Cashier.

To the Stockholders in the Farmers Bank of Maryland residing on the Western Shore.

GENTLEMEN,

FINDING it extremely inconvenient to attend as a Director of the Bank, I take this mode of intimating my wish of not being considered a candidate for that office at the ensuing election. At the same time I cannot help recommending it to the stockholders to re-elect, at least, a majority of the present directors—the interest of the institution, in my opinion, requires it.

HORATIO RIDOUT.

July 9, 1806.

WE are authorized to say, that Horatio Ridout will serve, if elected, as an Elector of the Senate for Anne-Arundel county, and that if honoured by the suffrages of a majority of his fellow-citizens, he will not be influenced by party motives in the selection of proper characters to fill that important station at this critical period.

WE are authorized to say, that Doctor John Gasaway, of Rhode river, is a candidate for one of the representatives of Anne-Arundel county to the legislature.

Capt. Sheldon, arrived at Providence, from Cadiz, informs, that he left ten Spanish ships of the line in Cadiz Bay, ready for sea, and that Lord Collingwood was blockading them with 17 ships of the line.

A Petersburg (Vir.) paper of the 11th inst. states, that the prospects of the ensuing harvest of corn, were never more flattering, and that if appearances continue, the present year's crop will, if possible, exceed that of the last—indeed the season has been uncommonly favourable for the production of every species of grain—the wheat harvest has been very abundant, and with respect to the quantity of tobacco (about which so many bets have been made,) it is not doubted but it will be nearly to what has been produced for the last two or three years.

It is worthy of remark, that the passengers who arrived here in the ship Jullin, capt. Gardner, from Newry, had among them, upwards of 22,000 guineas. [N. Y. paper.]

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in London, to his friend in New-York, dated May 17, 1806.

"I congratulate you and every friend of humanity, that the abolition of the foreign slave trade took place last night, in the legislature of this country, by which 25,000 unhappy people will be annually saved from slavery, on the coast of Africa.—May your legislature imitate the example, and may Britain and her children be recorded as the first, who have had the honour of annihilating this inhuman traffic. It is expected that the remaining branch of it will be done away the ensuing session."

FEMALE ARTIST.

A Correspondent who has visited the Columbian Museum, and seen the performances of the unfortunate Miss ROGERS, expresses his astonishment at her ingenious and pleasing powers.—Though Nature has denied her feet and hands yet she possesses a physiognomy that would please a LAVATER, for its expression of intelligence and vivacity, which in her are peculiar characteristics.—Nature has also endowed her with many surprising capacities:—among them the art of drawing, writing, &c. with her MOUTH. The writer of this saw her draw, that difficult flower to copy, the passion-flower;—the ease and expedition with which she mixed the paints and laid them on, and the superior manner in which she traced it throughout with all its proper colouring, shades, &c. was truly wonderful. Her mouth-writing is also handsome. When a little more experienced, the Benevolent and Curious, together with the mere Connoisseur, will behold in her, much to admire and esteem.—Her circumstances and her ingenuity considered, they will now find an object every way worthy of their liberal regards. [Boston paper.]

NEW-YORK, July 14.

Marquis de Casa Yrujo.

The ensuing letters, which were handed us last evening, have a strong claim to the attention, not only of our readers, but every citizen of the United States. Notwithstanding the dishonourable treatment which major Jackson experienced is fresh in our recollection, and the numerous little intrigues with which the public prints have charged the representative of the king of Spain, we did not imagine that the Marquis De Casa Yrujo could be so destitute of every sense of honour, as to be capable of making a proposal so infamous as that contained in his letter to col. Smith's friend. The reply of col. S. is such as might have been expected from a gentleman whose high sense of honour is paramount to every other consideration.

To the Editor of the Daily Advertiser.

The following is a letter received from a valuable friend, with my answer thereto, which you will be good enough to give a place in your paper.

W. S. SMITH.

Philadelphia 28th June, 1806.

Sir, I have just received from Caracas a list of the names of the Americans taken by the Spaniards on board of Miranda's schooners.—The name of Smith is twice found in it. I suspect the last to be the son of Col. Smith, and grandson of Mr. Adams. Altho' I had some political differences with him when he was president, this circumstance has not deprived me of that particular regard and respect towards such a distinguished character, and particular consideration for his family. Not the least doubt exists but the greatest part of the prisoners will be put to death as pirates, and I would be very happy to be able, by a timely and immediate interference, to save the life of the unfortunate youth, grandson to the venerable Mr. Adams and his worthy spouse. But, to render my intercession effectual, I would require as the only condition, that Colonel Smith would disclose to me, through you, on his word of honour, all the knowledge he has of Miranda's plans, of his intended points of attack, of the persons with whom he had connexions in Caracas, and of the name of a Spaniard in this country, who shared in his scheme and expedition; in fact, all the material information he may be possessed of, the knowledge of which may be useful to my government, and for the preservation and the tranquillity of the provinces Miranda had in view to revolutionize.

As I remember your attachment for Mr. Adams, I take the liberty to make this suggestion to you, who no doubt will employ all the means to relieve from affliction a worthy and disconsolate family. At all events, I expect from you a prompt and decisive answer on this head. I remain, Sir, with particular regard and consideration, your obedient servant,

(Signed)

MARQUIS DE CASA YRUJO.

New-York, June 30, 1806.

DEAR SIR,

Accept of my warmest acknowledgment for your very interesting communication of this date, presented by your son, accompanied with a letter addressed to you from the Marquis De Casa Yrujo, which after maturely considering I return agreeably to your request.

I am sure I shall do justice to the feelings of Mr. and Mrs. Adams, if in their name I thank the Marquis for his very polite attentions in a case, no doubt, near, interesting and affecting. I am sure, when I do him the justice to communicate his tender solicitude for the protection of her grandson, it will not fail to excite those sensibilities and acknowledgments, which from them the Marquis is highly entitled to.

For myself, not having the honour of his acquaintance, I had no right to expect any other attention to feelings or dignity of character, than what would naturally spring from his own mind when making so interesting a communication.

He informs you he has just received from Caracas a list of the names of Americans taken by the Spaniards on board of Miranda's schooners; that the name of Smith is twice found in it; he suspects the last to be my son, and the grandson to Mr. Adams, and says, that he should be very happy by a timely and immediate interference to save the life of the unfortunate youth, grandson to the venerable Mr. Adams and his worthy spouse; he having no doubt but the greatest part of the Americans will be put to death. But, to render this intercession effectual, he requires as the only condition, that I disclose to him, through you, on my word of honour, all the knowledge I have of Miranda's plans, of his intended points of attack, of the persons with whom he has connexions in Caracas, and the names of the Spaniards in this country who shared in his schemes and expedition, in fact, all the material information I may be possessed of, the knowledge of which may be useful to the Spanish government, for the preservation and tranquillity of the provinces Miranda has in view to revolutionize.

When the Marquis De Casa Yrujo takes a dispassionate view of the circumstances connected with general Miranda's visit to Washington, his subsequent conduct here, and clearly ascertains that the persons accompanying him in the Leander were not informed of his projects and plans, he will permit his benevolence to expand and shelter all those taken in the schooners, from harsh treatment and unmerited punishment; he will induce the government of his country to view the question in other lights than those which may tend to expose it to more severe animadversions than have hitherto been made, or to the

rouching of that spirit of indignation and resentment which if once permitted to burst forth, cannot fail being attended with strong marks of just revenge. With respect to my son, he was not made acquainted with the plans of general Miranda; he went with him as a young companion, to share his fortunes and his fate; he was accompanied by some of his friends capable of deeds of hardihood and valour.—Worthy their leader—worthy his cause.

Whatever may be the situation and fate of the persons taken on board the schooners, I can never tacitly sanction to the lash of tyranny on his associates, and snatch my son from a participation in their fate, whatever it may be. Nothing but the marquis's want of an acquaintance with me, can plead in excuse for the indelicacy of his propositions. Do me the favour, my friend, to assure him, that were I in my son's situation I would not comply with his proposals to save myself, and I would not cast so great an indignity upon my son, my family and myself, as to shelter him under the shield of infamy and disgrace. I have no doubt the marquis will give such advice to the governor of Caracas, and make such a statement to his king, (by whom I may have the honour to be personally recollected) as will induce them not to tarnish the dignified character of the Spanish nation by any acts of passion and barbarity connected with the present case.

I am, dear sir,

With great respect,  
Your obedient friend and  
Humble servant,

W. S. SMITH.

We have seen a letter from Trinidad, dated on the 19th of June, received by a respectable commercial house in this city, by way of Baltimore, which contains the following article:

"Miranda's business occupies the general attention at this place: he is expected here on Saturday or Sunday. Great preparations are now making to receive him in a manner suited to his rank. Nine Spaniards, who, it is said, came here for the purpose of assassinating him, have been apprehended, and are lodged in prison. General Hyslop, we are assured, has made an offer of his best services, and two thousand volunteers to assist this illustrious character in attaining the object of his expedition."

PHILADELPHIA, July 16.

Blodget's Statistical Table for the United States, has again appeared. From it we extract the following account of the wealth, resources, population, &c. of this country, during the years 1804 and 1805.—It cannot but be interesting to our readers:

	1804	1805
Free persons including Louisiana	5,000,000	5,136,000
Slaves, increase near 2½ per cent. an.	999,900	1,200,000
Total population	6,000,000	6,180,000
Total increase in each year	228,582	180,000
Persons to each sq. mile	3	3
Improved lands	38,950,000	39,400,000
Cultivated land per acre	dolls. 6	6 25
Lands in their natural state per acre	dolls. 2 15	2 30
Militia	1,050,000	1,100,000
Navy } Vessels	20	24
} Guns	560	574
Seamen	64,000	66,000
European emigrants	5000	4000
Merchandise imported	dolls. 80,000,000	96,000,000
Domestic produce exported	dolls. 44,477,479	42,387,092
Total exports,	dolls. 77,699,074	93,666,021
Tons merchant vessels (1803 and 1804)	1,107,323	1,443,455
Average labour per day	Cts. 75	75
Average wheat per bushel	dolls. 155	1 36
Imports on merchandise and tonnage (1803 & 1804)	10,470,417	11,095,563
Total receipts (ibid)	11,064,997	11,826,300
Civil list and contingencies (ibid)	526,748	624,795
Total expenditure (ibid)	11,258,933	12,615,112
Metallic medium	17,500,000	18,000,000
Bank notes in circulation	14,000,000	15,000,000
Number of banks	59	72
Banking capital	89,700,000	43,000,000
Nominal public debt	97,939,926	97,332,006
Active sinking fund & reimbursements deducted	20,203,048	25,406,058
Custom-house bonds and cash in the treasury	16,500,000	18,000,504
No. of acres sold to pay the public debt at two to six dollars per acre	1,293,336	1,912,602
Proceeds of sales	dolls. 2,388,509	4,426,462

SAVANNA, (Georgia) July 2.

The Legislature of this State adjourned on Thursday last, previous to which, they appointed Archibald S. Bullock, Esq. a justice of the Inferior Court for the county of Chatham in the room of John G. Williamson, Esq. resigned, and Green R. Duke, Esq. Notary Public for the city of Savanna. Several Bills were passed, viz.—A bill to dispose of the newly acquired Territory, by Lottery, on a plan very much like the former; the variations are, that single women of the age of 21, and upwards, are entitled to one chance—all families of orphans, under the age of 21, two chances—single orphans, one chance—all widows, one chance—fortunate drawers in the late Lottery, are not to have any chance in the present one.

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of tyranny on his associates, and  
participation in their fate, what  
hing but the marquis's want of  
me, can plead in excuse for the  
positions. Do me the favour to  
him, that were I in my son's  
comply with his proposals to  
not cast so great an indignity  
and myself, as to shelter  
of infamy and disgrace. I have  
will give such advice to the  
and make such a statement  
may have the honour to be per-  
as will induce them not to  
character of the Spanish nation  
and barbarity connected with the

respect,  
ed. friend and  
le servant,  
W. S. SMITH.

letter from Trinidad, dated  
received by a respectable com-  
by way of Baltimore, which  
g article:  
occupies the general attention  
expected here on Saturday  
parations are now making to  
ner suited to his rank. Nine  
said, came here for the purpose  
have been apprehended, and  
general Hyson, we are assured, has  
best services, and two thousand  
is illustrious character in atten-  
expedition."

PHILADELPHIA, July 16.  
al Table for the United States  
From it we extract the follow-  
ealth, resources, population, &c.  
the years 1804 and 1805—  
resting to our readers:

	1804	1805
ing Lou-	5,000,000	5,136,000
2½ per	999,900	1,200,000
	6,000,000	6,180,000
h year	228,582	180,000
ile	3	1
	38,950,000	39,400,000
ere	dolls. 6	6 25
ral state	dolls. 2 15	2 30
	1,050,000	1,100,000
	20	24
	560	574
	64,000	66,000
	5000	4000
d dolls.	80,000,000	96,000,000
export-	dolls. 44,477,479	42,387,092
dolls.	77,699,074	93,666,021
s (1803	1,107,323	1,443,455
lay	Cts. 75	75
uibel	dolls. 135	1 36
life and		
1804)	10,470,417	11,095,563
gencies	11,064,997	11,826,300
	526,748	624,795
bid)	11,258,933	12,615,112
	17,500,000	18,000,000
ation	14,000,000	15,000,000
	59	72
	89,700,000	43,000,000
	97,939,926	97,232,006
& reim-	20,203,048	25,406,058
and cash	16,500,000	18,000,504
pay the		
o to fix	1,293,336	1,912,602
dolls.	2,388,509	4,426,462

SAVANNA, (Georgia) July 2.  
f this State adjourned on Thurs-  
which, they appointed Archibald  
justice of the Inferior Court for  
am in the room of John G. Wil-  
med, and Green R. Duke, Esq.  
the city of Savanna. Several  
—A bill to dispose of the new-  
y, by Lottery, on a plan very  
; the variations are, that single  
21, and upwards, are entitled  
families of orphans, under the age  
—single orphans, one chance—all  
—fortunate drawers in the late  
have any chance in the present

An act has passed requiring purchasers of fraction-  
al surveys in Wilkinton, Baldwin and Wayne coun-  
ties, to give bond and security with a mortgage on the  
property, to secure the payment. The Bank Tax is  
reduced to 31 1-4 cents on every hundred dollars  
capital, provided the amount of such capital be giv-  
en in on oath by the Cathier—if this requisition is not  
complied with, the act passed in November last, is to  
remain in force.—The law requiring military uniforms  
to be altered, is repealed.

BALTIMORE, July 21.

A letter received by a respectable gentleman of this  
city, from his friend in London, states, "between  
this country and the United States it is understood  
that every thing is far advanced in an amicable ad-  
justment."

### The Anell.

DIED.—On Tuesday last, Mr. CHARLES BARBER,  
an old and respectable inhabitant of this city.

### LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post-Office, Annapolis, June  
30, 1806.

JOSIAH BAYLY, Catharine Biays, David Bangs,  
William Butler, Thomas Duckett, William  
Duvall. Editor of the News-paper, Dr. Thomas  
Edgar, John Gwinn (2), J. Gibson, Nicholas  
Harwood, Saml. H. Howard, Sarah Hunter, Ben-  
jamin Higgs, John Hicks, Elizabeth Jones, former-  
ly widow Thompson, James Jackson (2), Flora Jones  
(2), Landlord of the city tavern, Anne Levashe,  
Jesse Landale, Mr. Manfredi, Hugh Maguire,  
Galloway Rawlings, Simon, John, or Charles Re-  
allick (2), Jno. Rickson, M. Sigell, John Stephen-  
son, Benedict Spalding, Wm. Weems, Mrs. Wind-  
ham, Annapolis.

Walter Bowie, Stephen Beard, sen. Jonathan  
Beard, Samuel Buley, Mary Black, Albany Crow,  
John Deale (2), Eli Danfey, sen. Francis Darnell,  
Johna Gambrell, Mary Harrison, Richard Henoe,  
John Johns, William Kirby, Alexander Leitch,  
Mary Queen, Johna Rawlings, Jonathan Rawlings,  
John Stockett, Philip W. Thomas, Hannah Wil-  
son, Nathaniel Wells, Anne-Arundel county.

S. GREEN, P. M.

Persons sending for any of the above letters  
are requested to send the money, or they will not be  
delivered.

### Notice is hereby given,

THAT the subscriber has obtained from the or-  
phans court of Prince-George's county, letters  
of administration on the personal estate of RICHARD  
SPRIGG, late of said county, deceased. All per-  
sons having claims against the deceased are hereby  
warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers there-  
of, to Gustavus A. Clagett, of Upper-Marlborough,  
on or before the eighteenth day of January next,  
otherwise they may be by law excluded from all be-  
nefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said  
estate are also requested to make payment without  
delay to Gustavus A. Clagett. Given under my  
hand, this eighteenth day of July, eighteen hundred  
and six.

ANNE SPRIGG.

### Weiskopf and Keller, CONFECTIONERS,

RESPECTFULLY inform the citizens of Anna-  
polis, that they have commenced business in  
Church-street, near the market, where they will be  
happy to receive the commands of the public.

\* They will furnish ICE CREAMS as regularly  
as their supply of Ice will permit.

On Saturday the 26th ICE CREAMS may  
be had at their shop and at the bar of Mr. John  
Gwinn, jun.

Annapolis, July 22, 1806.

### George & John Barber,

TAKE this method to inform the patrons of the  
ANNAPOLIS & BALTIMORE PACK-  
ETS, that they will not hold themselves answerable  
for the loss of any letters or money intrusted to them.  
At the same time they declare that as good care as  
heretofore shall be taken.

Those persons indebted to them, whose accounts  
have been long standing, are requested to come for-  
ward and settle with William Duvall, who is autho-  
rized to pursue legal means to recover any money due  
them. It is hoped this notice will be attended to,  
and further trouble prevented.

July 16, 1806.

### NOTICE.

I HEREBY forewarn all persons whatever, from  
hunting with either dog or gun, pulling down my  
fences, or riding through my farm on the Head of  
South river, without permission of the manager. Of-  
fenders may be assured they will be prosecuted to the  
utmost rigour of the law.

July 15th 1806.

THOMAS SNOWDEN.

### Notice is hereby given,

THAT I intend to apply to the Baltimore coun-  
ty court, for the benefit of the act of the ge-  
neral assembly of Maryland, passed at November ses-  
sion, 1805, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry  
insolvent debtors,

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JAMES BACON.

### Fire Insurance.

THE Subscriber having received power and in-  
structions from the Phoenix insurance compa-  
ny of London, is fully authorized to effect insurance  
on Houses, Buildings, Stores and Ships in harbours,  
Goods, Wares and Merchandise, in any part of the  
State of Maryland, from loss or damage by fire, on  
terms so moderate, as will it is presumed, make it  
the interest of all to resort to a measure so well  
calculated to give additional security to commercial  
transactions, and to afford protection from the injury  
which fires have so often occasioned.

In this office no insured person is liable to any  
call to make good the losses of others, but in case of  
fire, the sufferer will be fully indemnified, with that  
liberality and promptness which have always distin-  
guished this company, requiring no other delay, even  
where presumption of fraud appears, than is necessa-  
ry to distinguish the honest sufferer from the fraudu-  
lent incendiary.

As a proof of the usefulness of this institution, and  
the benefit that individuals have derived from it, it  
is only necessary to state, that since the commence-  
ment of the Office, in 1782, near seven million of  
dollars have been paid to claimants upon their poli-  
cies. The Company's printed proposals, and the  
conditions, on which insurance can be effected, will  
be delivered by me gratis to any applicant, at the  
Marine Insurance Office, in Second-street, where or-  
ders for insurance, will be immediately attended to by  
DAVID STEWART, Agent

For the Phoenix Insurance Co. London, within the  
State of Maryland.

Note, The Company have Agents at New-York,  
Philadelphia, Charleston, Savanna and New-Orleans  
persons having property in these places are referred to  
the respective agents.

Baltimore, May 21.

### NOTICE.

LITTLE respect being paid to our former appli-  
cations to those indebted to the late firm of  
RIDGELY & EVANS, by bond, note, or open ac-  
count; they are requested (for the last time) to call  
on them and discharge their respective balances, and  
at the same time assure them, that unless discharged,  
to leave with them tobacco notes, with samples of the  
tobacco, on or before the first day of August next,  
they shall bring suit without respect to persons.

ABSALOM RIDGELY,  
JOSEPH EVANS.

June 19, 1806.

### This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county,  
hath obtained from the orphans court of Cal-  
vert county, in Maryland, letters of administration  
on the personal estate of REBECCA SMITH, late  
of Calvert county, deceased. All persons having  
claims against the deceased are hereby warned to ex-  
hibit the same, with the vouchers thereof to the sub-  
scriber, at or before the tenth day of December next,  
they may otherwise by law be excluded from all be-  
nefit of said estate. Given under my hand, this tenth  
day of June, eighteen hundred and six.

REZIN ESTEP.

### This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county,  
hath obtained from the orphans court of Cal-  
vert county, in Maryland, letters of administration  
on the personal estate of DAVID WATSON, late  
of Calvert county, deceased. All persons having  
claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to ex-  
hibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the sub-  
scriber, at or before the tenth day of December  
next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from  
all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand, this  
tenth day of June, eighteen hundred and six.

CHARLES D. HODGES, Administrator.

### This is to give notice,

THAT the subscribers, of Charles county, hath  
obtained from the orphans court of said coun-  
ty, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal  
estate of BENJAMIN CAWOOD, late of the  
aforesaid county, deceased. All persons having claims  
against the said deceased are hereby warned to ex-  
hibit the same, with the vouchers thereof to the sub-  
scribers, at or before the 25th day of November  
next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from  
all benefit of the said estate. Given under our hands,  
this 25th day of June, 1806.

MARTHA CAWOOD, } Administra-  
THEODORE DENT, } tors.

### NOTICE.

THE subscriber being unable to pay his debts,  
intends to make application to the Judges of  
Anne-Arundel county court, at the next September  
term, for the benefit of an act of assembly, passed in  
the year 1806, for the relief of insolvent debtors.

June 17, 1806.

JOHN DAVIDSON.

### NOTICE.

WHEREAS my wife ELIZABETH hath  
eloped from my bed and board, and hath re-  
fused and still doth refuse to live with me any longer,  
I therefore hereby forewarn all persons from dealing  
with her, or crediting her on my account, as I am de-  
termined to pay no debts of her contracting.

July 1, 1806.

COLMORE DUVALL.

### Poet's Corner.

SELECTED.

### TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW.

TO-DAY the sun with cloudless ray,  
Beams joy and happiness around:  
To-morrow winds tempestuous play,  
And fleet adorns the frozen ground:  
Such is the doom to man assign'd—  
Such are the changes of the mind.  
To-day the genial zephyrs breathe,  
The fragrance of the opening year;  
To-morrow sees the barren heath,  
And vegetation disappear:  
Such is the fate of human kind—  
Such are the changes of the mind.  
To-day the sun of pleasure smiles,  
Youth, Joy and Beauty, deck the scenes;  
The magic wand of Hope beguiles,  
And not a dark cloud intervenes:  
Such is the view to youth assign'd—  
Such the delusions of the mind.  
To-morrow Disappointment lowers,  
Cares canker gnaws the aching breast,  
Regret each passing moment fours,  
Or Sorrow rears her gorgon crest:  
Such is the doom to man assign'd—  
Such are the changes of the mind.  
To-day deceitful Fortune wears  
The gladd'ning smile of Joy and Peace;  
We seek not Sorrow's hidden snares,  
That soon may bid our pleasures cease:  
Our prospects fair, and unconfin'd,  
Yield sweet contentment to the mind.  
To-morrow wears another face,  
And dark'ning clouds obscure the view;  
In vain the past scenes we retrace,  
Or strive the future to pursue:  
But dreary are the thoughts assign'd,  
To occupy the gloomy mind.  
To-day then let us all prepare,  
For what the morrow may produce:  
To-morrow be our chiefest care,  
To put each hour to proper use:  
Move in the sphere by Heav'n design'd,  
And regulate the wand'ring mind.

### THE STING.

SUCH a little treacherous thing  
To steal upon me when asleep,  
And bury in my lips its sting  
So very deep!  
Canst thou not, George, devise some way,  
Some gentle way, some soothing art,  
To draw the sting, the pain away,  
And ease the smart?  
Oh, yes, my fair, I have a way,  
A gentle way, a soothing art  
To draw the sting, the pain away,  
And ease the smart!  
Ah! try it quickly then, she cried—  
But, fairest, take it not amiss—  
My lips to hers I close applied,  
And stole a kiss.  
I feel the gentle soothing art,  
She sigh'd and said—the pains decay,  
The sting is drawn, and gone the smart,  
Quite gone away!  
No! say not so—these kisses steal,  
They steal the sting, my love, from thee—  
But, ah! 'tis only gone, I feel,  
From thee to me!

### Notice is hereby given,

THAT the subscriber intends to petition the  
county court of Saint-Mary's county, at Au-  
gust term, 1806, for the benefit of an act of insolv-  
ency, passed at November session, 1805, entitled,  
An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors.

ROBERT CHESLEY.

### TAXES.

THE subscriber being again appointed collector  
of the taxes now due in Anne-Arundel county,  
earnestly requests that all persons concerned will be  
prepared to settle when called on; it will be consider-  
ed a favour in any who have taxes to pay, if they  
will call and settle the same at the store of LEWIS  
DUVALL, in Annapolis.

ZACHARIAH DUVALL, Collector.

### CAUTION.

I HEREBY forewarn all persons from trusting any  
of my family on my account, as I am determined  
not to pay any debts of their contracting.

Annapolis, July 1, 1806. W. CATON.

### For Sale,

A VALUABLE pair of carriage HORSES, tra-  
derable well matched, and remarkably true to  
the draught, well calculated for a family.

Annapolis, May 19, 1806. JOHN GIBSON.

### JACOB'S LAW DICTIONARY.

Subscriptions for this valuable work, now  
printing in Philadelphia, in two volumes, price  
20 dollars, in boards, received at the printing-office



June 19, 1806.  
THE petition of JOHN GWINN being heard by the Chancellor, and the purchase money not having been paid, notice was given as above directed, it is adjudged, that the order for ratifying the sale be rescinded, and that the said sale be set aside and annulled, and the trustee do proceed to sell the said property conformably to the original decree.  
Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

By virtue of a decree from the High Court of Chancery, the subscriber will OFFER at PUBLIC SALE, on the premises, at 12 o'clock, A. M. on Monday the 25th of August next, if fair, if not, the first fair day,

ALL that part of a tract of land, which belonged to CHARLES WHITE, deceased, situate and lying in Anne-Arundel county, near Spurrier's tavern, on Elk-Ridge, called WINKOPIN NECK, which was devised to the said Charles White by his father Joseph White, and by the said Charles White, in his life-time mortgaged to John Gwinn, Esquire. The terms of sale are, the purchaser or purchasers of the whole, or any part thereof, shall either pay ready money on the day of sale, or on the day of the ratification of the sale by the chancellor; and on obtaining the chancellor's ratification, and on receipt of the purchase money, and not before, the trustee, by a good deed to be executed and acknowledged according to law, will convey and transfer to the purchaser or purchasers, and his, her, or their heirs, the land to him, her, or them sold, free, clear, and discharged from all claim of the mortgagee, or of the heirs of the said Charles White.

THOMAS HARWOOD, of Rd. Trustee.  
Annapolis, June 30, 1806.

#### Treasury Department of the UNITED STATES,

June 21, 1806.  
WHEREAS the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held on the 28th day of April, 1806, did resolve, that the sum remaining to complete the expenditure of the annual appropriation of EIGHT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, should among other purposes be applied to the reimbursement of the NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, created in pursuance of an act of congress, passed on the 30th day of June, 1798, and to the reimbursement of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, created in pursuance of an act of congress, passed on the 3d day of March, 1795.

This is therefore to give notice, that the principal of the said NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, with the interest due thereon, will, on surrender of the certificates, be paid on the 1st day of October next ensuing the date hereof, to the respective stockholders or their lawful representatives or attorneys duly constituted and authorized, either at the Treasury or at the Loan-Office, as the case may be, where credits have been given for the amount of stock, respectively held by them: and that the principal of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, with the interest due thereon, will, in like manner, and at the same places, be paid on the 1st day of January, 1807, to the respective stockholders, or their lawful representatives or attorneys duly constituted and authorized.

It is further made known, for the information of the parties concerned, that no transfers of the NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, either from or to the books of the Treasury, or from or to the books of a Commissioner of Loans, will be allowed after the 1st day of September ensuing, nor of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, after the 1st day of December ensuing. And the interest on all certificates of said stocks, which shall not have been surrendered, in pursuance of this notification, will cease and determine, on the day preceding the day hereby fixed for the reimbursement thereof.

ALBERT GALLATIN,  
Secretary of the Treasury.

#### Ten Dollars Reward.

ABSCONDED from the subscriber, without any cause, a few days past, my negro man named WILL, twenty-eight years of age, about five feet six or eight inches high, he is a good butcher, and is very generally known; he formerly belonged to John Wells, deceased, of the city of Annapolis. I will give a Reward of Six Dollars if caught ten miles from home, and Three Dollars if taken within the vicinity of Annapolis. I forewarn all persons from harbouring or dealing with said negro, as I am determined to put the law in force against all such offenders.  
DANIEL WELLS, junr.  
Annapolis, May 19, 1806.

In CHANCERY, July 15, 1806.

ON application of THOMAS HARRIS, junior, trustee for John Maddox, an insolvent debtor, ordered, that the creditors of the said Maddox do bring in and declare their respective claims to the said trustee, on or before the 10th day of September next; the said trustee having reported that he had sold, at public sale, the property returned by the said Maddox in his schedule, at and for the sum of five hundred dollars to the said John Maddox.

Ordered likewise, that the above order be published three successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette before the 1st day of August next.

True copy,  
Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

#### NOTICE.

Will be sold, to the highest bidder, on Friday, the 12th day of September next, if fair, if not, the first fair day afterwards, unless disposed of at private sale before the 1st of September, in which case public notice will be given.

ALL that tract of LAND called Stepany, lying and being in Anne-Arundel county, five miles from Annapolis, containing eight hundred and thirty-five acres; the improvements on this farm are considerable, with many great advantages, there are several good orchards on it, with the choicest fruits of every kind; its situation almost immediately upon South river ensures always good fish and oysters, and at the head of a creek, which bounds the farm on one side, is a considerable portion of excellent meadow ground. It would be too tedious now minutely to describe this land, as a person wishing to purchase would view the premises. One third of the purchase money must be paid in hand, and a liberal credit, with approved security, will be given for the balance. Any person desirous of purchasing at private sale will make application to the subscriber, at Port-Tobacco, Charles county. An unexceptionable title will be given to the purchaser, and possession of the premises on the first day of January, 1807.

ROBERT C. STONE,

Port-Tobacco, March 13, 1806.

The subscriber requests the printers of the Telegraph and Federal Gazette in Baltimore, Washington Federalist, and Frederick-town Herald, to insert the above advertisement in their several papers until countermanded; and send on their accounts directed to this place for payment.

#### MARYLAND,

CHANCERY COURT, FEBRUARY TERM, 1806.

ORDERED, That the stated terms for the return of process, and the hearing of causes, shall be held on the fourth Tuesday in February, the first Tuesday in July, the fourth Tuesday in September, and the first Tuesday in December.

Ordered further, that the absence of counsel, or of a party, appearing without counsel, except in case of sickness, or unavoidable accident, shall not be considered as a ground of continuance. And that where two or more solicitors appear for any party, the attendance of one shall be considered sufficient to prevent a continuance.

Test. SAMUEL H. HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

The subscriber will SELL, on moderate terms, thirty-nine tracts of LAND, situate in Wayne county, Pennsylvania, containing from 300 to 450 acres each tract, clear of allowance for roads. Purchasers may be accommodated with a single tract, or part of a tract. These lands are mostly situate near the river Delaware, and generally heavy timbered: immense quantities of lumber go from them to the Philadelphia market. There is a ready sale for all kinds of produce at Millford, within five miles of those lands, and the mills in the neighbourhood; last year's wheat sold at from 11s. 3d. to 12s. 6d. and corn, the average price, about a dollar. Those two articles are produced in great abundance. Any person inclining to purchase may be informed of further particulars, by applying to the proprietor, at Annapolis, or to Mr. JAMES BARTON, of Millford, agent for the care of those lands, and payment of taxes which have been regularly made.

JOHN GIBSON.

Annapolis, June 8, 1806.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out of the late general court, will be exposed to public sale, on the premises, on Friday, the 25th instant, at eleven o'clock,

ONE tract of LAND, called Part of Ridgely's Great Park, containing 150 acres, to be sold for cash; taken as the property of Rawlings Garret, and sold to satisfy a debt due William Alexander, Esquire.

JASPER E. TILLY, Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

July 14, 1806.

#### Twenty-five & Fifty Dollars Reward.

ABOUT three years ago I purchased of Walter W. Norman, tanner, in Queen-Anne, a black boy named STEPHEN, then fifteen years old, remarkably well disposed, a little defective in his knees, but otherwise stout and well made. This boy, about 8 weeks ago, by the instigation of some very dissipated person, was enticed from my service, and (from information derived through the boy's own colour) I have reason to believe has obtained a pass, and is now harboured and protected under it. He is supposed to be either in the Swamp of West river, or on Kent-Island, where he has a mother named Esther, lately manumitted by a certain Valentine Carter. I will give twenty-five dollars for apprehending said boy, so that I get him again, and fifty dollars for such information as will merely justify my feelings in inflicting the punishment proper for so great a scoundrel.

THOMAS CONTEE BOWLE.

January 20, 1806.

#### Rees's Cyclopaedia.

DR. REES'S NEW CYCLOPAEDIA is just received, and for delivery to subscribers, at the store of Messrs. M. and B. CURRAN, Part the first of Vol. the first.

Annapolis, July 8, 1806.

Will be SOLD, to the highest bidder, on Monday the 4th day of August next, at 11 o'clock, if fair, if not the first fair day,

A VALUABLE lot of LAND, lying in South river Neck, being part of a tract of land called HEDGE PARK, containing fifty acres, formerly the property of Francis Linthicum, bounding on the north side of a creek known by the name of Cadle's Creek, said creek being one of the best harbours for vessels on the Chesapeake Bay, and abounding with oysters of superior quality, and great quantities of the best fish may be caught at almost any season of the year. This land is all in woods, with a sufficient quantity of board and shingle timber. Any person desirous of seeing the land before the day of sale may be shown it by applying to the subscribers. The sale to be held at Thomas Linthicum's, adjoining the said land. An unexceptionable title will be given to the purchaser, on a compliance with the terms of sale, which will be made known on the day.

THOMAS LINTHICUM,  
JOSHUA LINTHICUM,  
WILLIAM JOHNSON.

#### State of Maryland, &c.

Anne-Arundel county, Orphans Court, July 1, 1806.  
ON application, by petition, of Charles Drury Hodges, administrator of Robert Brown, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased; it is ordered, that he give the notice required by law, for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in the Maryland Gazette.

JOHN GASSAWAY, Reg. Wills for Anne-Arundel county.

#### BY ORDER OF THE ORPHANS COURT, THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of said county, letters of administration on the personal estate of ROBERT BROWN, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 26th day of February next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand, this 1st day of July, 1806.

CHARLES D. HODGES, Administrator.

#### One Hundred Dollars Reward.

RAN away, on the first of July, 1806, from the subscriber, living in Anne-Arundel county, Patapsco Neck, near Hawkins's Point, a likely young negro man named BOB, but sometimes calls himself BOB MILLER; he is in the twenty-fourth year of his age, about five feet nine or ten inches high, is a tolerably black, straight made fellow, with a smiling countenance when spoken to, has a remarkable scar on the lower part of the back of his neck, near the size of a cent, under his shirt collar; he was raised to the farming business; had on when he went off, a high crown felt hat, with a band and buckle, of nabrig shirt, and hempen linen trousers. I expect he will change his name and cloaths, as he did when he ran before. I presume he has procured a forged pass from his infamous connections in the neighbourhood where he lived. If taken up and secured in any gaol, so that I get him again, if twenty miles from home forty dollars, if forty miles or upwards eighty dollars, if out of the state the above reward. If taken in Baltimore and secured, so that I get him, twenty dollars, and if brought home all reasonable travelling expenses, paid by

JAMES P. SOPER.

N. B. Captains of vessels and others are forewarned harbouring, employing, or carrying off said runaway at their peril.

#### Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, living near Annapolis, a negro man named SAM, he went off on Monday morning, the 8th instant, with little or no clothing, as he made his escape from confinement, being fearful he had committed murder; he is about 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, stout made; it is supposed he has made for the neighbourhood of the rev. Edward Gantt, in Calvert county, from whence he was hired. The above reward will be given for bringing him home, or securing him in any gaol, so that I get him again.

JOSEPH LEONARD.

Hill's Delight, July 9, 1806.

#### Twenty Dollars Reward.

ON the twenty-ninth day of June last broke from the gaol of Prince-George's county, in the town of Upper-Marlborough, a negro man named COLONEL, about five feet seven or eight inches high, very black, and about 25 years of age. He was lately committed to the said gaol for his bad behaviour, and was cropt in the right ear. His cloathing, when he went away, was an osnabrig shirt and trousers; he is supposed to be in the neighbourhood of Mrs. Rawlings, in Calvert county. The above reward will be paid upon his being delivered to the gaol from whence he broke.

ALEXIUS BOONE, Sheriff Prince-George's county.

July 8, 1806.

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## MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JULY 31, 1806.

## Miscellany.

## THE FROWNS OF FORTUNE.

BY MRS. ROBINSON.

As'er the world, by sorrows prest,  
I wander sad and weary;  
In hopes to find a place of rest,  
From scenes forlorn and dreary;  
Where'er I go, I'm doom'd to trace,  
If fortune smiles the smiling face;  
But if the frowns I'm sure to see,  
On every face a frown for me!

When morning blushes through her tears,  
And nature flaunts for treasures,  
How gaudy every path appears,  
How rich in boundless pleasures!  
But if the dawn in misty gloom,  
Still veils the flower's vivid bloom,  
How droops in shade the lofiest tree,  
Whose spreading boughs had shelter'd me!

Nor truth nor feeling can enure  
The friend that's ever smiling;  
Worth cannot worldly misery cure  
Its darkest hours beguiling;  
This heart which owns the purest flame,  
Must patient throb nor care to blame,  
Since fortune's frown, the fates decree,  
Through every scene should follow me!

Thus all things light or dark appear,  
As fortune cheers or saddens;  
For time flies flow when grief is near,  
But swift when transport gladdens.  
Hope is a transient summers dream,  
Where visions gay and fluttering seem:  
But truth and reason wake to see,  
Then waste away and fade like me!

O! come capricious Fortune, blind,  
Subdue this bosom feeling;  
Make dim the fire that warms my mind,  
Thence all its fervour stealing;  
Teach me the sordid fertile art,  
To dress in low disguise the heart,  
Then every face shall cheerful be,  
And wear a gentle smile for me!

From a London paper.

AMONG a company of honest Paris in the purlieu of St. Giles's, it was proposed by the host to make a gift of a couple of fowls to him that off hand should write six lines of his own composing. Several of the merry crew attempted unsuccessfully to gain the prize. At length the wittiest among them thus ended the contest:

"Good friends if I'm to make a poem,  
Excuse me if I just step home;  
Two lines already!—be not cruel,  
Consider bonies, I'm a fool.  
There's four lines! now I'll gain the fowls,  
With which I soon shall fill my bowl."

From the Long-Island Intelligencer.

THE following extract is from the minutes of the Conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church in America for the year 1806.

The addition of 10,625 members to one branch of the Church of Christ, in one year, must afford particular pleasure to every man who knows the value of genuine religion, to every one who has experienced its salutary influence upon his own mind, and duly observed or considered its blessed effects upon society.

Her ways are ways of pleasantness,  
And all her flow'ry paths are peace.

## RECAPITULATION.

	Whites.	Colour.
Western Conference	12,057	630
S. Carolina Conference	12,665	4,389
Virginia Conference	15,697	4,548
Baltimore Conference	18,922	7,221
Philadelphia Conference	22,142	9,782
New-York Conference	12,681	625
N. England Conference	9,149	62
	103,313	27,257
Total	130,570	
Total last year	119,945	
Increase this year	10,625	

N. B. Agreeably to the returns published in the said minutes, there are more than one hundred and thirty thousand members of the Methodist Episcopal Church in America, exclusive of those in Nova-Scotia.

tia, N. Brunswick, and the various West-India islands, which if added, would make about 150,000 in America. And we are informed, by good authority, that from the best calculations that can be made, by the bishops and ministers of the said Methodist Church, that their congregations, in the U. States, are collectively about one million of hearers. We are further informed, from the most authentic source, that it has been only forty years since the first appearance of methodism in America. What an astonishing increase! Surely, *This is the Lord's doing, and it is marvellous in our eyes.*

Wilt thou break a leaf driven to and fro?

THIS touching question of Job came with all its force into my mind, as I was yesterday sauntering through the mall, and what can be more pathetic? A very old man was leaning upon his staff, as if weary. I asked him why, instead of standing in the sun, he did not sit beneath one of the elms. He raised his countenance to answer me; it was pensive, but not gloomy; a faint, melancholy smile gleamed from his eye, and gave his features the expression of tranquil resignation. He told me that the shade recalled his sorrows; I am, said he, alone—but why do I complain? I deserve nothing; I have lost all. Feeling an interest in the man, I asked him what calamities had stripped him to poverty. He began to collect his thoughts, and without a single word of complaint, related the events of his life. He had lived seventy years, and scarcely a day ever passed without bringing some new misfortune. His voice, while he was speaking, was, for the most part, calm and even; but when he told me of the death of his wife and only daughter, his utterance was choked. His limbs are now palsied, his eyes are dim, his ears are thick. But though his senses are leaving him, he is not querulous; his God, he knows is love. Surely there is another state. Who does not acknowledge that unrepining patience deserves a reward higher than earth can give. There is indeed a world, where sorrow and sighing shall flee away, where tears shall be turned into joy.

[Anthology.]

## AN ACT

Regulating the currency of foreign coins in the United States.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That from and after the passage of this act, foreign gold and silver coins shall pass current as money within the United States, and be a legal tender for the payment of all debts and demands, at the several and respective rates following, and not otherwise, viz:

The gold coins of Great-Britain and Portugal, of their present standard, at the rate of one hundred cents, for every twenty-seven grains of the actual weight thereof; the gold coins of France, Spain, and the dominions of Spain, of their present standard, at the rate of one hundred cents, for every twenty-seven grains and two fifths of a grain, of the actual weight thereof. Spanish milled dollars at the rate of one hundred cents for each, the actual weight whereof shall not be less than seventeen pennyweights and seven grains, and in proportion for the parts of a dollar. Crowns of France at the rate of one hundred and ten cents, for each crown, the actual weight whereof shall not be less than eighteen pennyweights and seventeen grains, and in proportion for the parts of a crown.—And it shall be the duty of the secretary of the treasury, to cause assays of the foreign gold and silver coins made current by this act, to be had at the mint of the United States, at least once in every year, and to make report of the result thereof to Congress, for the purpose of enabling them to make such alterations in this act, as may become requisite from the real standard value of such foreign coins. And it shall be the duty of the secretary of the treasury, to cause assays of the foreign gold and silver coins of the description made current by this act, which shall issue subsequently to the passage of this act, and shall circulate in the United States, at the mint aforesaid, at least once in every year, and to make report of the result thereof to Congress, for the purpose of enabling Congress to make such coins current, if they shall deem the same to be proper, at their real standard value.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the first section of the act, entitled, "An act regulating foreign coins and for other purposes," passed the ninth day of February one thousand seven hundred and ninety-three, be and the same is hereby repealed.—And the operation of the second section of the same act shall be and hereby is suspended for and during the space of three years from the passage of this act.

## Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, July 31, 1806.

## FARMERS BANK OF MARYLAND,

JUNE 25, 1806.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders in this Bank, on the western shore, that an election will be held, at Gwinn's tavern, in the city of Annapolis, on the first Monday in August next, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 3 o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of choosing seventeen directors of said bank, to serve for twelve months from the said day of election.

By order,

JONA. PINKNEY, Cashier.

## FARMERS BANK OF MARYLAND,

JULY 14, 1806.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders in the Farmers Bank of Maryland, that the eighth payment of five dollars on each share of stock will become due and payable at said Bank on Saturday the 9th day of August next; they will also observe, that a failure of the above payment will be attended with a loss of interest on all former payments, nor will it recommence until said payment is made good.

By order,

JONA. PINKNEY, Cashier.

To the Stockholders in the Farmers Bank of Maryland residing on the Western Shore.

GENTLEMEN,

FINDING it extremely inconvenient to attend as a Director of the Bank, I take this mode of intimating my wish of not being considered a candidate for that office at the ensuing election.—At the same time I cannot help recommending it to the stockholders to re-elect, at least, a majority of the present directors—the interest of the institution, in my opinion, requires it.

3X HORATIO RIDOUT.

July 9, 1806.

WE are authorized to say, that Horatio Ridout will serve, if elected, as an Elector of the Senate for Anne-Arundel county, and that if honoured by the suffrages of a majority of his fellow-citizens, he will not be influenced by party motives in the selection of proper characters to fill that important station at this critical period.

WE are authorized to say, that Doctor John Gasaway, of Rhode river, is a candidate for one of the representatives of Anne-Arundel county to the legislature.

## BUONAPARTE'S BROTHERS.

Of the four brothers of Buonaparte Lucien is the richest. While he held the office of Minister of the Interior, he is known to have sold the protections of government to smugglers and contraband dealers, in which trade his receipts for sometime were enormous. He was no less dexterous in converting his foreign missions into sources of profit. The negotiations in Spain, in which Portugal also was included, were worth to him about 550,000l.; and though he has not lately, from having fallen into disgrace with his brother, held any situation of emolument, his fortune, notwithstanding the pomp and luxury in which he lives, amounts to nearly a million and a half sterling. It was remarked at Paris, during his stay there, that none of the Princes of the Bourbon Family had ever equalled him in splendour and magnificence.—In his private life he is completely what is called in France *Rouse*; but he is not without some commendable qualities. Like the Regent, whom he is said a good deal to resemble, he is fond of show, of a luxurious table, and of sensual enjoyment of every sort: like him, he is hospitable, generous and fond of the fine arts. He has, perhaps, the choicest gallery of pictures that can be possessed by an individual. He is reckoned the first of the family in point of talents. Joseph Buonaparte is of a very different character. Less immoral in his life, he is also less popular in his manners, among a people where libertinism often passes as a recommendation. More prudent, and more obsequious to the will of his brother, he is a greater favourite with the family.

[London paper.]

Miss Stephanie Napoleon, niece of Josephine, and now Princess of Baden, is just taken from a boarding school, in the vicinity of Paris, to be made a Princess and a future Queen. She is to receive from France, equal to 200,000 guilders annually. Heroic Frenchmen, you have spent your blood at Marengo and Austerlitz for a noble purpose! We shall soon hear of the magnificent Imperial presents of laced

the highest bidder, on Monday next, at 11 o'clock, if fair day,  
of LAND, lying in South part of a tract of land called "fifty acres," formerly the thicum, bounding on the north by the name of Cadle's Creek, the best harbours for vessels and abounding with oysters of great quantities of the best fish, most any season of the year, and with a sufficient quantity of timber. Any person desiring of the day of sale may be shown subscribers. The sale to be made, adjoining the said land, will be given to the purchaser, the terms of sale, which will day.

HOMAS LINTHICUM,  
OSHUA LINTHICUM,  
WILLIAM JOHNSON.

## Maryland, &amp;c.

Orphans Court, July 1, 1806.  
Petition, of Charles Drury, Administrator of Robert Brown, late county, deceased; it is ordered, required by law, for creditors against the said deceased, and shed once in each week, for the weeks, in the Maryland Ga-

SAWAY, Reg. Wills for  
ndel county.

THE ORPHANS COURT,  
TO GIVE NOTICE,

er, of Anne-Arundel county,  
orphans court of said county,  
on the personal estate of  
late of said county, deceased,  
claims against the said deceased  
to exhibit the same, with the  
the subscriber, on or before the  
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HODGES, Administrator.

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ALEXIS BOONE, Sheriff  
Prince-George's county.

## APOLIS:

EDERICK and SAMUEL  
GREEN.







in February last, Lieut. Joseph  
tates navy.

July 17.  
Lieut. Haradan, and No. 6  
ed at this port yesterday, from  
The squadron had sailed at  
they failed on the 13th June  
d from the squadron the night

the 6th of June, on board the  
Vengeance, Mr. Simon Smith  
was one of the American pri  
was on his return to Rhode  
he was a native.

April last, Lieut. Seth Cort  
No. 10—a native of Rhode  
t, midshipman on board the U.

PHILADELPHIA, July 23.  
The French and British fleet  
St. Thomas.

of July, capt. Patterson, be  
St. Thomas, where it had been  
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ships, intended to destroy the

consisting of nearly 200 sail  
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the fleet of merchantmen.

BALTIMORE, July 25.  
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Gibraltar, May 26, 1806.  
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on the 18th of April, fell in with  
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On the 23d came to anchor in  
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and several armed vessels ready for  
a frigate building, probably for

8th of May failed from L'Orient  
boarded by the Defiance, of 74  
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Gibraltar, where we found the

and Essex, brigs Argus and Vis  
boats, going to the U. States."  
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Monticello.

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United States vs. Col. Smith,  
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ULTY, and on Saturday last the

turned in the cause of Mr. Ogden.  
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LIAM FRANKLIN, late of  
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Y FRANKLIN, Executor.

NOTICE.  
Being unable to pay his debts,  
ake application to the Judges of  
ty court, at the next September

of an act of assembly, passed in  
the relief of insolvent debtors.  
JOHN DAVIDSON.

## Lands for Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the High Court of Chancery, will be Sold, at Public Auction, on the premises, at twelve o'clock, on Monday, the twenty-fifth day of August next, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter,

THE dwelling plantation of Nicholas Brewer, deceased, consisting of a tract of land called Nelson's Chance, Brewer's Pleasure, Brewer's Search and Brewer's Trouble, containing two hundred and forty-six acres, and a small island near the said farm, called Brewer's Island; this land is situated on the Patuxent river, on Curtis's creek, and very convenient to the Baltimore market. At the same time and place will be sold, a tract of land called Mary's Mount, containing two hundred acres, which was the estate of Julia Brewer, wife of the said Nicholas Brewer, also deceased. This property will be sold on a credit of twelve months, the purchaser or purchasers giving bond, with approved security, to the trustee. Those persons who may be inclined to purchase, and are desirous to view the premises, may be shown the same on application to Joseph Bray, living near the premises.

NICHOLAS BREWER, Trustee.

July 28, 1806.

By virtue of an order of the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, the subscriber will expose to Public Sale, on the premises, on Tuesday, the nineteenth day of August, if fair, if not, the first fair day,

ALL the personal property of WILLIAM FRANKLIN, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, consisting of sundry valuable young negroes, a variety of stock, consisting of horses, cattle, sheep, and hogs, plantation utensils, household and kitchen furniture, and other articles too tedious to mention. Terms of sale are, for all sums under twenty dollars the cash to be paid, all sums over twenty dollars six months credit will be given, on the purchaser giving bond, with approved security. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock.

CHARITY FRANKLIN, Executrix.

By virtue of an order from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, the subscriber will expose to Sale, at his dwelling plantation, near the head of South river,

FIVE likely young NEGROES, all fit for service, belonging to the estate of SUSANNA BURGESS, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased; the said negroes will be sold for a term of years, for cash, to raise a sum of money for the payment of her debts. The sale to commence on Friday the 22d August next, at 10 o'clock, if fair, if not the first fair day.

ROBERT DUSE, Executor.

July 30, 1806.

Agreeably to an order of the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be Sold, at Public Sale, on the 23d of August next,

ALL the personal estate of MARY RICHARDS, late of said county, deceased, consisting of 10 shares in the Farmers Bank of Maryland, (15 dollars only have been paid on each share) 2 horses, 5 head of cattle, hogs, and some household furniture; the terms of sale are, all sums under 20 dollars cash, all sums above that six months credit, with good security. All persons having claims against the said estate are requested to bring them in, legally authenticated, and all persons indebted are requested to make immediate payment, to

JOHN WEEDON, Administrator.

July 29, 1806.

Agreeably to an order of the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be Sold, at Public Sale, on the 23d of August next,

ALL the personal property of EDWARD RICHARDS, deceased, consisting of one negro boy, 3 women, and one child, and some household furniture; the terms of sale are, all sums under 20 dollars cash, all sums above that six months credit, the purchaser to give bond, with good security. All persons having claims against the said estate are requested to bring them forward at the day of sale, legally authenticated, and all persons indebted to make immediate payment, to

JOHN WEEDON, Administrator

de bonis non.

July 29, 1806.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT we the subscribers have invested Mr. THOMAS SELLIAN with full powers to settle the administration on the estate of JOHN THOMAS, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, to whom all those who are indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have claims are requested to exhibit them, properly proved, for settlement.

SARAH THOMAS, } Administrators  
PHILIP J. THOMAS, }

July 29, 1806.

## TAXES.

THE subscriber being again appointed collector of the taxes now due in Anne-Arundel county, earnestly requests that all persons concerned will be prepared to settle when called on; it will be considered a favour in any who have taxes to pay, if they will call and settle the same at the store of LEWIS DUVALL, in Annapolis.

ZACHARIAH DUVALL, Collector.

## NOTICE.

St. John's College, July 29, 1806.

THE trustees and governors of this institution having appointed the subscriber to take charge of the College buildings, &c.—In accepting his trusts he formed a resolution to discharge the duties thereof.

Thievish and mischievous persons have too long trespassed on the premises—a number of the posts and rails belonging to the fence have been stolen, and other considerable damage done; such vile and injurious practices must cease, or offenders may rue the consequence.

Any person seeing trespasses committed, and disclose his knowledge thereof, so that the offender may be publicly convicted and punished, shall receive Ten Dollars reward, viz. Five Dollars will be given for convicting a thief detected of stealing a post or rail, and Five Dollars if presented and punished for stealing any of the pailings, or doing other damage to the premises.

All persons are requested to abstain from firing at swallows, or other birds in the college grounds, or wantonly commit any act whereby damage may be sustained—such indiscreet conduct is indictable, and he who commits them will be prosecuted, if known to

RICHARD OWEN.

## Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1806.

ON application to the judges of the said county court, by petition, in writing, of RICHARD RAWLINGS, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition; and the said county court being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said Richard Rawlings has resided the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act within the State of Maryland; and the said Richard Rawlings, at the time of presenting his petition aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent in writing of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of passing the said act; it is thereupon adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said Richard Rawlings, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once a week, until the third Monday of September next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, at the courthouse of Anne-Arundel county, at twelve o'clock in the forenoon of the said third Monday of September next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Richard Rawlings then and there taking the oath by the said act provided for delivering up his property.

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.

A. A. County Court.

July 28, 1806.

## Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1806.

ON application to the judges of the said county court, by petition, in writing, of RICHARD G. RAWLINGS, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition, and the said county court being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said Richard G. Rawlings has resided the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act within the State of Maryland; and the said Richard G. Rawlings, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent in writing of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of passing the said act; it is thereupon adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said Richard G. Rawlings, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once a week, until the third Monday in September next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, at the courthouse of Anne-Arundel county, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said third Monday in September next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Richard G. Rawlings then and there taking the oath by the said act provided for delivering up his property.

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.

A. A. County Court.

July 29, 1806.

In CHANCERY, July 29, 1806.

Abraham Faw vs. Abel Sarjeant.

ORDERED, That the sale made by ROGER PERRY, trustee for the sale of the land mortgaged to the complainant by the defendant, shall be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 23d day of September next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Maryland Gazette three successive weeks, before the 23d of August next.

The report states, that the land sold for 1000 dollars.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,

Reg. Cur. Cal.

## Poet's Corner.

SELECTED.

### THE PLEASURES OF FANCY.

[From ALLEN's Poems.]

SWEETEST warbler of the spray,  
Awhile suspend your pleasing lay;  
Ye gales! your gentle breaths forbear,  
And, hush'd in silent, soft repose,  
Attend a while, and you shall hear  
The pleasures which the hermit knows.

When the rich mantle of the morn  
Begins with splendor to unfold,  
I mark upon the bending thorn  
The lively dew-drop tipp'd with gold.  
Forth from the cave I view the light  
Rejoicing o'er the shades of night;  
Then my fond thoughts with rapture roll,  
In all the energy of soul.

But when the cheerful day is gone,  
And darkness night moves slowly on;  
When, with a melancholy grace,  
Pale Luna lifts her sober face;  
Then whispers soft some unknown power,  
'Tis Contemplation's favorite hour.

If chance the rainy torrent falls,  
And patters on my cottage walls,  
Secure I hear the tempest roar,  
And howl for entrance at the door;  
On the bright vernal bow I gaze,  
Where mimic diamonds seem to blaze.

If from the north stern winter blows  
His driving cataract of snows,  
In dark'ning storms and tempests drest,  
Then pleasure drops her cherub wing,  
Reclines on April's dewy breast,  
And waits the symphony of Spring.

When summer comes, with glory crown'd,  
Dispersing light and grandeur round,  
I seek the heav'n aspiring hill,  
Or wander where the num'ring rill  
Rolls over fragrant beds of flowers,  
And there I pass the noon-tide hours.

Nor sober Autumn comes in vain;  
'Tis then I court the studious train,  
Or haunt the Muses' sacred grove,  
Where oft my footsteps love to rove.

And when the trees stand dark and bare,  
No cheerful music warbling there,  
My breast with tender pity heaves—  
I read my fate in falling leaves.

O Nature, all-sufficient maid,  
Give me thy wondrous works to scan;  
Inspire me with thy powerful aid,  
And let me know myself a Man.

### A REASONABLE AFFLICTION.

BY PRIOR.

HELEN was just slept into bed,  
Her eye brows on the toilet lay;  
Away the kitten with them fled,  
As fees belonging to her prey.

For this misfortune, careless Jane,  
Assure yourself was loudly rated:  
And Madam, getting up again,  
With her own hand the mousetrap baited.

On little things, as sages write,  
Depends our human joy, or sorrow:  
If we don't catch a mouse to-night,  
Alas! no eyebrows for to-morrow.

## FASHIONS.

Dialogue between a Lady and a Man milliner as Paris.

"CITIZEN, I am just come to town, pray have the goodness to inform me how I must appear to be in the Fashion?"—"Madame, 'tis done in a moment, in two minutes I shall equip you in the first style. Have the goodness to take off that bonnet."—"Well."—"Off that petticoat."—"There it is."—"Away with these pockets."—"Here they go."—"Throw off that handkerchief."—"Tis done."—"Away with that coat and sleeves."—"Will that do?"—"Yes, madame, you are now in the fashion. 'Tis an easy matter, you see. To be dressed in the fashion you have only to undress."

### George & John Barber,

TAKE this method to inform the patrons of the ANNAPOLIS & BALTIMORE PACKETS, that they will not hold themselves answerable for the loss of any letters or money intrusted to them. At the same time they declare that as good care as heretofore shall be taken.

Those persons indebted to them, whose accounts have been long standing, are requested to come forward and settle with William Duvall, who is authorized to pursue legal means to recover any money due them. It is hoped this notice will be attended to, and further trouble prevented.

July 16, 1806.

### JACOB'S LAW DICTIONARY.

Subscriptions for the valuable work, now printing in Philadelphia, in two volumes, 4to, price 20 dollars, in boards, received at the printing-office.



Will be SOLD, to the highest bidder, on Monday, the 4th day of August next, at 11 o'clock, if fair, if not the first fair day,

A VALUABLE lot of LAND, lying in South river Neck, being part of a tract of land called HEDGE PARK, containing fifty acres, formerly the property of Francis Linthicum, bounding on the north side of a creek known by the name of Cadle's Creek; said creek being one of the best harbours for vessels on the Chesapeake Bay, and abounding with oysters of superior quality, and great quantities of the finest fish may be caught at almost any season of the year. This land is all in woods, with a sufficient quantity of board and shingle timber. Any person desirous of seeing the land before the day of sale may be shown it by applying to the subscribers. The sale to be held at Thomas Linthicum's, adjoining the said land. An unexceptionable title will be given to the purchaser, on a compliance with the terms of sale, which will be made known on the day.

THOMAS LINTHICUM,  
JOSHUA LINTHICUM,  
WILLIAM JOHNSON.

#### NOTICE.

Will be sold, to the highest bidder, on Friday, the 12th day of September next, if fair, if not, the first fair day afterwards, unless disposed of at private sale before the 1st of September, in which case public notice will be given.

ALL that tract of LAND called Stepney, lying and being in Anne-Arundel county, five miles from Annapolis, containing eight hundred and thirty-five acres; the improvements on this farm are considerable, with many great advantages, there are several good orchards on it, with the choicest fruits of every kind; its situation almost immediately upon South river ensures always good fish and oysters, and at the head of a creek, which bounds the farm on one side, is a considerable portion of excellent meadow ground. It would be too tedious more minutely to describe this land, as a person wishing to purchase would view the premises. One third of the purchase money must be paid in hand, and a liberal credit, with approved security, will be given for the balance. Any person desirous of purchasing at private sale will make application to the subscriber, at Port-Tobacco, Charles county. An unexceptionable title will be given to the purchaser, and possession of the premises on the first day of January, 1807.

ROBERT C. STONE.

Port-Tobacco, March 13, 1806.

The subscriber requests the printers of the Telegraph and Federal Gazette in Baltimore, Washington Federalist, and Frederick-town Herald, to insert the above advertisement in their several papers until countermanded, and send on their accounts directed to this place for payment.

June 19, 1806.

THE petition of JOHN GWINN being heard by the Chancellor, and the purchase money not having been paid, notice was given as above directed, it is adjudged, that the order for ratifying the sale be rescinded, and that the said sale be set aside and annulled, and the trustee do proceed to sell the said property conformably to the original decree.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

By virtue of a decree from the High Court of Chancery, the subscriber will OFFER at PUBLIC SALE, on the premises, at 12 o'clock, A. M. on Monday the 25th of August next, if fair, if not, the first fair day,

ALL that part of a tract of land, which belonged to CHARLES WHITE, deceased, situate and lying in Anne-Arundel county, near Spurrier's tavern, on Elk-Ridge, called WINKOPIN NECK, which was devised to the said Charles White by his father Joseph White, and by the said Charles White, in his life-time mortgaged to John Gwin, Esquire. The terms of sale are, the purchaser or purchasers of the whole, or any part thereof, shall either pay ready money on the day of sale, or on the day of the ratification of the sale by the chancellor; and on obtaining the chancellor's ratification, and on receipt of the purchase money, and not before, the trustee, by a good deed to be executed and acknowledged according to law, will convey and transfer to the purchaser or purchasers, and his, her, or their heirs, the land to him, her, or them sold, free, clear, and discharged from all claim of the mortgagee, or of the heirs of the said Charles White.

THOMAS HARWOOD, of Rd. Trustee.  
Annapolis, June 30, 1806.

#### NOTICE.

I HEREBY forewarn all persons whatever, from hunting with either dog or gun, pulling down my fences, or riding through my farm on the Head of South river, without permission of the manager. Offenders may be assured they will be prosecuted to the utmost rigour of the law.

THOMAS SNOWDEN.

July 15th 1806.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT I intend to apply to the Baltimore county court, for the benefit of the act of the general assembly of Maryland, passed at November session, 1805, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors.

JAMES BACON.

#### LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post-Office, Annapolis, June 30, 1806.

JOSIAH BAYLY, Catharine Biays, David Bangs, William Butler, Thomas Duckett, William Duvall. Editor of the News-paper, Dr. Thomas Edgar. John Gwin (2), J. Gibson. Nicholas Harwood, Saml. H. Howard, Sarah Hunter, Benjamin Higgs, John Hicks. Elizabeth Jones, formerly widow Thompson, James Jackson (2), Flora Jones (2). Landlord of the city tavern, Anne Levalhe, Isaac Landale. Mr. Manfredi, Hugh Maguire. Gaffaway Rawlings, Simon, John, or Charles Retallick (2), Jno. Rickfon. M. Sigell, John Stephenson, Benedict Spalding. Wm. Weems, Mrs. Windham, Annapolis.

Walter Bowie, Stephen Beard, sen. Jonathan Beard, Samuel Busley, Mary Black. Albany Crow. John Deale (2), Eli Dauley, sen. Francis Darnell. Joshua Gambrell. Mary Harrison, Richard Henoey. John Johns. William Kirby. Alexander Leitch. Mary Queen. Joshua Rawlings, Jonathan Rawlings. John Stockett. Philip W. Thomas, Hannah Wilson, Nathaniel Wells, Anne-Arundel county.

S. GREEN, P. M.

Persons sending for any of the above letters are requested to send the money, or they will not be delivered.

#### Saint-Paul's Parish Lottery.

THE subscribers having been appointed by the Vestry of St. Paul's parish, managers of a lottery authorized by the general assembly of Maryland and the corporation of the city of Baltimore, intended to raise a sum of money for the erection of a parsonage house, and for other purposes, offer to the public the following

S	C	H	E	M	E	Dolls.	10000
1	Prize of	-	-	-	-	-	5000
2	-	2000	-	-	-	-	4000
3	-	1000	-	-	-	-	3000
8	-	500	-	-	-	-	4000
15	-	200	-	-	-	-	3000
30	-	100	-	-	-	-	3000
60	-	50	-	-	-	-	3000
120	-	20	-	-	-	-	2400
700	-	10	-	-	-	-	7000
5100	-	6	-	-	-	-	30600

6040 Prizes. 75000  
11960 Blanks.—Sum raised, including  
expence, 15000

18000	Tickets, at five dollars each,	90000
1 of 500	dolls. is allotted to the 1st drawn ticket.	
1 200	- - - - - after 2000	
1 200	- - - - - 4000	
1 200	- - - - - 6000	
1 200	- - - - - 8000	
1 200	- - - - - 10,000	
1 500	- - - - - 12,000	
1 500	- - - - - 14,000	
1 500	- - - - - 16,000	
1 1000	- - - - - 17,000	
1 2000	- - - - - last drawn ticket.	

From the above scheme, it appears that there are not two blanks to a prize; and that the prizes are to be paid without deduction. The advantages offered to adventurers, and the object to which the money is principally to be applied, the managers hope will produce such a speedy sale of the tickets as may enable them to commence the drawing at an early day. All prizes will be paid within sixty days from the completion of the drawing; and such as may not be demanded within twelve months after will be considered as generous donations to the objects of the lottery. Bond has been given to the amount of 50,000 dollars, to the mayor and city council, for the faithful performance of its conditions.

Tickets may be had of the managers, and of such other persons as they may appoint; and prizes in the Cathedral and Second Presbyterian Church Lotteries will be received in payment.

JOHN MERRYMAN,  
MARK PRINGLE,  
JAMES CARROLL,  
WILLIAM LORMAN,  
GEORGE GRUNDY,  
GEORGE HOFFMAN,  
GOVERT HASKINS,  
ISAAC PHILIPS,  
Managers.

Tickets in the above lottery may be had at the Printing-office.

#### Saint-Paul's Parish Lottery.

THE managers respectfully inform the public, that they intend to commence the drawing of it, as soon as that of the Precincts Market-house shall have been finished. Tickets may be had of the subscribers and of various other persons authorized to sell: and prizes in the Presbyterian and Market-house lotteries, will be received in payment.

JOHN MERRYMAN,  
MARK PRINGLE,  
JAMES CARROLL,  
WILLIAM LORMAN,  
GEORGE GRUNDY,  
ISAAC PHILIPS,  
GEORGE HOFFMAN,  
GOVERT HASKINS.

In CHANCERY, July 15, 1806.

ON application of THOMAS HARRIS, junior, trustee for John Maddox, an insolvent debtor, ordered, that the creditors of the said Maddox do bring in and declare their respective claims to the said trustee, on or before the 10th day of September next; the said trustee having reported that he had sold, at public sale, the property returned by the said Maddox in his schedule, at and for the sum of five hundred dollars to the said John Maddox.

Ordered likewise, that the above order be published three successive weeks in the Maryland Gazette before the last day of August next.

True copy,

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

#### NOTICE.

LITTLE respect being paid to our former applications to those indebted to the late firm of RIDGELY & EVANS, by bond, note, or open account; they are requested (for the last time) to call on them and discharge their respective balances, and at the same time assure them, that unless discharged, to leave with them tobacco notes, with samples of the tobacco, on or before the first day of August next, they shall bring suit without respect to persons.

ABSALOM RIDGELY,  
JOSEPH EVANS.

June 19, 1806.

#### State of Maryland, &c.

Anne-Arundel county, Orphans Court, July 1, 1806.

ON application, by petition, of Charles Drury Hodges, administrator of Robert Brown, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased; it is ordered, that he give the notice required by law, for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in the Maryland Gazette.

JOHN GASSAWAY, Reg. Wills for  
Anne-Arundel county.

BY ORDER OF THE ORPHANS COURT,  
THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of said county, letters of administration on the personal estate of ROBERT BROWN, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 26th day of February next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand, this 1st day of July, 1806.

CHARLES D. HODGES, Administrator.

#### Treasury Department of the UNITED STATES.

June 21, 1806.

WHEREAS the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held on the 28th day of April, 1806, did resolve, that the sum remaining to complete the expenditure of the annual appropriation of EIGHT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, should among other purposes be applied to the reimbursement of the NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, created in pursuance of an act of congress, passed on the 30th day of June, 1798, and to the reimbursement of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, created in pursuance of an act of congress, passed on the 3d day of March, 1795.

This is therefore to give notice, that the principal of the said NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, with the interest due thereon, will, on surrender of the certificates, be paid on the 1st day of October next ensuing the date hereof, to the respective stockholders or their lawful representatives or attorneys duly constituted and authorized, either at the Treasury or at the Loan-Office, as the case may be, where credits have been given for the amount of stock, respectively held by them: and that the principal of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, with the interest due thereon, will, in like manner, and at the same places, be paid on the 1st day of January, 1807, to the respective stockholders, or their lawful representatives or attorneys duly constituted and authorized.

It is further made known, for the information of the parties concerned, that no transfers of the NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, either from or to the books of the Treasury, or from or to the books of a Commissioner of Loans, will be allowed after the 1st day of September ensuing, nor of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, after the 1st day of December ensuing. And the interest on all certificates of said stocks, which shall not have been surrendered, in pursuance of this notification, will cease and determine, on the day preceding the day hereby fixed for the reimbursement thereof.

ALBERT GALLATIN,  
Secretary of the Treasury.

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