

SUPPLEMENT TO THE MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JULY 4, 1805.

AN ACT

To establish a Bank, and incorporate a Company under the name of THE FARMERS BANK OF MARYLAND, and for other purposes.

WHEREAS the agricultural and commercial interests of this state may be promoted by the establishment of a bank at the city of Annapolis, and a branch thereof at Easton; therefore,

II. Be it enacted, by the general assembly of Maryland, That a bank, to be called and known by the name of The Farmers Bank of Maryland, shall be established at the city of Annapolis, and a branch thereof shall be established at Easton, for the eastern shore, and the proportion to be allotted to the branch bank shall not exceed two fifth parts of the capital stock.

III. And be it enacted, That the capital stock of this bank shall be limited to one million two hundred thousand dollars, to consist of twenty-four thousand shares of fifty dollars each, one third part thereof, or eight thousand shares, shall be reserved for the use and benefit of the state, to be subscribed for in such manner as the legislature may direct, but no engagement shall be understood to be laid upon the state to subscribe or vest money therein by the admission of a right to do so, or by a retention of any unfilled shares, and the remaining sixteen thousand shares shall be allotted to the different counties, and subscribed for, in manner following, viz. At Annapolis, for the city of Annapolis and county of Anne-Arundel, for two thousand shares, under the direction of John Gibson, James Williams, John Muir, Robert Denny, Lewis Duvall and William Alexander, or any two of them; At Baltimore, for the city and county of Baltimore, for two thousand shares, under the direction of Tho's. Dickson, Cumberland Dugan, John Stephen and Geo. F. Warfield, or any two of them; at Belle-Air, for the county of Harford, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of John Stump, William Wilson, John C. Bond and George Patterson, or any two of them; at Frederick-town, for Frederick county, for twelve hundred shares, under the direction of George Murdock, doctor John Tyler, John Schley and Henry R. Warfield, or any two of them; at Elizabeth-town, for Washington county, for eight hundred shares, under the direction of Samuel Ringgold, Nathaniel Rochester, Robert Hughes and Jacob Zeller, or any two of them; at Cumberland, for Allegany county, for four hundred shares, under the direction of William M'Mahon, Daniel Fetter, James Scott and George Hebb, or any two of them; at Montgomery court-house, for Montgomery county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of Thomas Davis, Upton Beall, Caleb Bently and Thomas P. Wilson, or any two of them; at Upper-Marlborough, for Prince-George's county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of Edward H. Calvert, Archibald Van-Horn, Thomas Snowden and Jacob Duckett, or any two of them; at Port-Tobacco, for Charles county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of Henry H. Chapman, William Vincent, William H. M'Pherson and Francis Digges, or any two of them; at Leonard-town, for Saint-Mary's county, for four hundred and eighty shares, under the direction of William Holton, Joseph Ford, Luke W. Barber and James Hopewell, or any two of them; at Prince-Frederick-town, for Calvert county, for three hundred and twenty shares, under the direction of Richard Graham, Richard Mackall, Joseph Wilkinson and Samuel Whittington, or any two of them; at Easton, for Easton and Talbot county, for two thousand shares, under the direction of Thomas J. Bullitt, John Leeds Kerr, Hall Harrison, Bennett Wheeler, Joseph Haskins, William Meluy and James Earle, junior, or any two of them; at Cambridge, for Dorchester county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of doctor John Eccleston, Joseph Ennalls, Matthew Keene and Solomon Frazier, or any two of them; at Centerville, for Queen-Anne's county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of William Carmichael, Richard T. Earle, John Hackett and Thomas Earle, or any two of them; at Denton, for Caroline county, for four hundred shares, under the direction of William Whitely, Solomon Brown, William Potter and Isaac Purnell, or any two of them; at Chester-town, for Kent county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of James Scott, Benjamin Chambers, Richard Hatcheson and Richard Tilghman, or any two of them; at Prince-Anne, for Somerset county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of William Williams, Benjamin A. C. Dashiell, Littleton D. Teacle and Peter Dashiell, or any two of them; at Elkton, for Cecil county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of Daniel Sheredine, John Partridge, John Lipin and William Alexander, or any two of them; at Snow-Hill, for Worcester county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of Thomas S.

Follett, Zadock Sturgis, Ephraim K. Wilson and Stephen Purnell, or any two of them.

IV. And be it enacted, That books for the said subscriptions shall be opened by the commissioners aforesaid, between the hours of ten and eleven o'clock in the forenoon on the day which may be hereafter appointed by the commissioners herein after named, and by them notified in the public papers for six weeks previous thereto, provided that such day shall not be postponed beyond the first day of October next, and shall be closed before the hour of five post meridiem on the same day, but the commissioners may and they are hereby directed, in case the number of shares allotted to any county shall not be subscribed on the first day, to adjourn to the same hour on the next day, and if the subscriptions shall not be filled by the hour of five post meridiem on the second day, the books are then to be closed, and transmitted to Annapolis or Easton, as the case may be; but if the subscriptions shall, on the first or the second day, exceed the number herein allotted to the respective counties, then the said commissioners are hereby authorized and directed so to apportion the shares subscribed among the several subscribers, by proportional reduction, as may reduce the whole to the number allotted; and it shall be the joint duty of the committees appointed at Annapolis and Easton, to wit, John Gibson, James Williams, John Muir, Robert Denny, Lewis Duvall and William Alexander, at Annapolis, and Thomas J. Bullitt, John Leeds Kerr, Hall Harrison, Bennett Wheeler, Joseph Haskins, William Meluy and James Earle, junior, at Easton, to conduct every operation of the proposed institution until they shall be superseded by the appointment of directors.

V. And be it enacted, That every subscriber shall pay to the county commissioners, heretofore appointed, at the time of subscribing for the same, the sum of five dollars on each share that shall be by him subscribed; and the county commissioners shall transmit to the commissioners at Annapolis, and to the commissioners at Easton, by the earliest safe conveyance, all monies received by them, together with the subscription books; and the stock so subscribed on the respective shores shall be entered on the books of the bank at Annapolis, and the branch bank at Easton, respectively, subject however to be transferred from one bank to the other, under such rules and regulations as may be provided for that purpose by the directors of said banks conjointly; and each subscriber shall, within thirty days thereafter, pay the further sum of five dollars on each share to the commissioners at Annapolis, or Easton, as the case may be, and within thirty days thereafter the further sum of five dollars on each share to the directors, and within thirty days thereafter the further sum of five dollars on each share as aforesaid, but any person who may find it convenient, may, at the time of his paying his first, second, third or fourth instalment, pay up on his shares to the amount of twenty-five dollars on each share, and shall receive a dividend accordingly; and the remaining twenty-five dollars on each share shall be paid by instalments of five dollars, the first to be paid at the end of three months from the last payment herein before directed, and each succeeding payment at like intervals, and receipts shall be granted for the several instalments herein directed as the same shall be paid; but when a subscriber shall have paid the whole sum by him subscribed, such subscriber shall be entitled to receive a certificate, under the seal of the bank, and subscribed by the president, for the number of shares by him or her held.

VI. And be it enacted, That if any stockholder shall fail to pay his or her instalments to the amount of ten dollars on each share, at the times and in the manner before specified, such stockholder shall forfeit, to the use of the company, all monies paid antecedently to such failure or default, but no forfeiture shall take place after ten dollars on each share shall have been paid; but as it is requisite that means shall be taken to secure the regular payment of the subsequent instalments, therefore, if any stockholder shall fail to make regular payment of any instalment after ten dollars shall have been paid, such stockholder's money in bank shall remain free from interest, and not entitled to dividend until such instalment or call shall be made good, and the dividend thereafter to be paid to such stockholder, (as well upon the money by him regularly paid as upon the money paid after default,) shall be calculated only from the time when said last instalment was made good.

VII. And be it enacted, That no subscriber or stockholder, or member of the said company, shall be answerable in his person or individual property for any contract or engagement of said company, or for any losses, deficiencies or failures, of the capital stock of the said company, but the whole of the said capital stock, together with all property, rights and credits, belonging to the said institution, and nothing more,

shall at all times be answerable for the demands against the said company.

VIII. And be it enacted, That the affairs of the bank shall be managed by eighteen directors and a president, eight of whom, and the president, shall reside in the city of Annapolis or Anne-Arundel county, and the other ten as follows: One from each county of the western shore, Anne-Arundel county excepted; and the affairs of the branch bank by fifteen directors and a president, eight of whom, and the president, shall reside in the town of Easton, or Talbot county, and the other seven as follows: One from each county of the eastern shore, Talbot county excepted; these directors are to be chosen by the stockholders of each shore in person or by proxy, at the time of making payment of the second instalment; that is to say, the stockholders of the western shore shall choose the directors of the bank at Annapolis, and the stockholders on the eastern shore shall choose the directors of the branch bank at Easton; the number of directors is in no case to exceed eighteen for the western shore, or fifteen for the eastern shore; and as the state acquires a right to elect directors, by paying up on the reserved shares, in the same proportion the number of directors to be chosen by the stockholders shall decrease, but the state shall not have a right to elect more than two directors residing in Annapolis, or Anne-Arundel county, nor more than two directors residing in Easton, or Talbot county, out of her whole number of directors; and after the state shall have paid her instalments, entitling her to elect the two directors at Annapolis, and the two at Easton, she shall be entitled, on paying the next instalment, to choose her directors from any counties on the western and eastern shore, except Anne-Arundel and Talbot counties; provided always, that not more than one director shall be chosen from any one county; and the stockholders, at the next succeeding annual election, shall make their election of directors from the counties, excluding Anne-Arundel and Talbot counties, and the counties from whence the state legislature shall have made their choice; provided, that no county director shall be eligible for more than two years successively, and that one director from Annapolis and Anne-Arundel county, and one from Easton and Talbot, shall be annually excluded; stockholders actually resident within the United States, and none other, to vote by proxy; and after the first election no share or shares which have not been holden four calendar months prior to the day of election shall confer a right of suffrage.

IX. And be it enacted, That in choosing directors, the stockholders shall be entitled to vote as follows: For one share and not exceeding two, one vote each; for every two shares above two, and not exceeding ten, one vote; for every four shares above ten, and not exceeding thirty, one vote; for every six shares above thirty, and not exceeding sixty, one vote; for every eight shares above sixty, and not exceeding one hundred, one vote; and for every ten shares above one hundred, one vote; but no person or body politic shall be entitled to a greater number than thirty votes, and all votes at elections shall be by ballot, delivered in person or by proxy.

X. And be it enacted, That no person can be admitted to take his seat as a director, unless he shall be at the time a stockholder, except in the appointment of directors on behalf of the state, and if he shall at any time cease to be a stockholder, he shall cease to be a director.

XI. And be it enacted, That the president and directors first chosen shall hold their seats for twelve months, and may be re-elected at the regular annual elections, with the exceptions before made; if the president shall be chosen out of the number of directors, his place shall be supplied by the directors from among the stockholders; and if a vacancy shall at any time happen among the directors, by death, resignation or otherwise, the directors shall elect a director to fill the vacancy for the residue of the year from among the stockholders.

XII. And be it enacted, That in case of sickness, or necessary absence, of the president, he shall, in writing, appoint one of the board of directors to act as president pro tempore.

XIII. And be it enacted, That the board of directors for the bank and branch bank shall respectively have power to appoint a cashier, and other officers and servants, for executing the business of the company, and to allow such compensation for their services respectively as shall be reasonable; no director shall be entitled to any emolument, unless the same shall have been allowed by the stockholders at a general meeting; the stockholders shall make such compensation to the presidents for their extraordinary attendance at the bank as shall appear to them reasonable.

XIV. And be it enacted, That the board of directors shall have power to purchase, rent or lease, proper buildings for the bank and branch bank, and to

will long continue in bank will be so with any familiar establishment. is so much interwoven, it will for a number of years. But if such an at- directors of the Farmers it will be certainly easy other establishment, pro- ve agents in every coun- and with customers spread know that their discount if the necessities of the would it be to change numerous notes of other culation.

County Court,

April 13, 1805.
JUNIOR, an insolvent debtor, having applied to Anne-Arundel county of an act of assembly for a writ of habeas corpus, passed at November and four, and a schedule of creditors, on oath, as by the annexed to his said pe- a Marriott, junior, being profits and a capias at fa- before the passage of moved to the satisfaction of and resided in the state of preceding the passage of adjudged and ordered, that junior, appear before the court in the city of Annapolis, on the day of September next, to said court the assent, in two thirds of the amount such interrogatories as by his creditors, and that hereby appointed the time and recommend a trustee of the said Joshua Marriott, of the passage of this order, be inserted in the Mary- of the next twelve suc-

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A. County Court.

County Court,

April 13, 1805.
DESTY, an insolvent debtor's county, having applied to this court, praying the be- passed at the last session of Maryland, entitled, "An Act solvent debtors," and a sche- a list of his creditors on required, being annexed to Richard G. Harvelly, har- of the court, that he of Maryland the two pece- tage of the said act, and be- into the custody of the county for a debt due and of the said act, and having, security agreeably to said act, on the first Tuesday in charged from custody. It is ordered by the court here, Harvelly, appear before this in Upper-Marlborough town, September next, then and court, the assent in writing of thirds of the amount of his ch interrogatories as may be that the said day be, and it is ne for said creditors to appear for their benefit. And the is hereby directed to give of his application, by causing be inserted eight weeks fac- and Gazette, previous to the

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WILLIAM TUCKER.

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have such houses fitted up and secured with vaults, &c. at the expense of the company.

XV. *And be it enacted*, That the board of directors at Annapolis and Easton, jointly, shall have power to make, revise, alter or amend, rules, orders, by-laws and regulations, for the government of the company, and that of their officers, servants and affairs, as a majority of them shall deem expedient, provided they are not contrary to law or the constitution; provided always, that no rule or regulation shall entitle a director to obtain discounts on terms different from those prescribed for other persons; and provided also, that no director shall be indulged with discounts beyond one thousand dollars per week.

XVI. *And be it enacted*, That the company shall in no case be concerned in any article but notes, bills of exchange, mortgages, stock of the United States, or bullion, except in case of debts due to the bank, then they shall be fully justifiable in taking any kind of security which they can obtain.

XVII. *And, whereas* it would greatly tend to promote the agricultural and manufacturing interests, if this bank should be authorized to make loans on more extended principles than have heretofore been adopted by similar institutions in this state, *Be it enacted*, That the directors at the bank at Annapolis, and the directors of the branch bank at Easton, shall and they are hereby empowered and directed, on the application of any farmer, mechanic or manufacturer of this state, to open a cash account with such applicant for any sum not less than one hundred dollars, whereon the party obtaining such cash account may draw or pay in any sum not less than fifty dollars at any one time, and whereon a settlement shall take place semi-annually, the party thus drawing the cash paying an interest for what he may owe at the rate of six per cent. per annum, to be deducted on opening the account, and to be allowed interest on all sums returned from the time of payment; provided however, that no person shall obtain the benefit of any such cash account until he shall give such reasonable personal or landed security as the directors of the bank and branch bank respectively may require; provided also, that the directors of the bank at Annapolis, and the directors of the branch bank at Easton, shall not be obliged to lend money on such cash accounts to a greater amount, at any one time, than one fifth part of their capital stock respectively.

XVIII. *And be it enacted*, That ordinary discounts may be made by the president and any four directors, but the president and six directors shall be necessary for the purpose of transacting the general business of the company.

XIX. *And be it enacted*, That the directors of the bank and branch bank are hereby authorized to receive deposits of money, and if such deposits shall be for six months certain, they are authorized to pay an interest of four per cent. per annum, or three per cent. if to be drawn on demand, and the directors are authorized to issue their notes on such deposits in such reasonable proportion as they may judge prudent and expedient, not exceeding the sums so deposited.

XX. *And be it enacted*, That the stock in the Farmers Bank of Maryland may be transferred by the holder, in person or by power of attorney, at said bank, or at the branch bank at Easton, but all debts actually due to the company by a stockholder offering to transfer, must be discharged before such transfer shall be made.

XXI. *And be it enacted*, That the dividends of the profits of the company shall be made at the end of the first year, and half yearly thereafter, and at the end of every three years a dividend shall be made of surplus profits, which dividend shall be payable to the stockholders on their respective shares at the bank and branch bank.

XXII. *And be it enacted*, That the books, papers, correspondence, funds, and every transaction of the company, shall at all times be freely open to the inspection of the directors, a majority of whom of the bank and branch bank, or any number of stockholders not less than thirty, and holding not less than three hundred shares, may, at any time, call a general meeting of the stockholders, for objects relative to the interests of the company, they giving six weeks notice in the public prints, and expressing in said notice the points or objects to be deliberated upon at such meeting.

XXIII. *And be it enacted*, That should it happen that a part of the shares in this bank allotted to any county shall not be subscribed for, and shall be returned to the commissioners at Annapolis or Easton, the directors of each bank shall give at least six weeks public notice of the number of shares on each share which shall not be subscribed, and shall notify the time when they will open books at Annapolis and Easton for the disposal of such shares.

XXIV. *And be it enacted*, That whenever the state shall become a stockholder to an amount not less than forty thousand dollars, she shall be entitled to appoint two directors, one for each shore, and for every additional eighty thousand dollars paid by the state, to the amount of three hundred and sixty thousand dollars, she shall be entitled to appoint two additional directors in manner as aforesaid; and when the whole amount allotted to the state shall be paid up, then the state shall be entitled to elect eleven directors, to wit: Six for the western and five for the eastern shore.

XXV. *And be it enacted*, That before the president and directors shall act as such, they shall take an oath, or affirmation, that they will faithfully, diligently and honestly, perform the duties of their station; and the cashier, the book-keeper and clerks, shall also take a similar oath, or affirmation, and shall besides give bonds, with security, to the satisfaction

of the board of directors, for the faithful discharge of their duties in their several stations.

XXVI. *And be it enacted*, That all notes offered for discount by any person or persons, shall, on the face thereof, be made negotiable at the Farmers Bank of Maryland, and when the drawer shall not reside in Annapolis or Easton, such note shall be made payable at the house of some person at Annapolis or Easton, and notice given by the proper servant of the bank at said house, that such note hath become due, shall be to all intents and purposes held and considered to be as completely binding on the drawer and endorser as if notice had been personally served on each of them.

XXVII. *And be it enacted*, That any director, officer, or other person holding any share or capital of the said bank stock, who shall commit any fraud or embezzlement, touching the money or property of the bank, shall be liable to be prosecuted, in the name of the state, by indictment, for the same, in any court of law in this state, and upon conviction thereof, shall, besides the remedy that may be had by action in the name of the President and Directors of the Farmers Bank of Maryland, for the fraud aforesaid, forfeit all his share or stock in the said bank to the company.

XXVIII. *And be it enacted*, That all persons who shall become subscribers to the said bank, their successors and assigns, shall be and are hereby made a corporation and body politic, by the name and style of The President, Directors and Company, of the Farmers Bank of Maryland, and by that name shall be and are hereby made able and capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered, defend and be defended, in any courts of record, or any other place whatsoever, and also to make, have and use, a common seal, and the same to break, alter and renew, at pleasure, and to make, issue and negotiate notes, and generally to do and execute all such acts, matters and things, as to them shall appear under the clauses of this act.

XXIX. *And be it enacted*, That the following rules and provisions shall form and be fundamental articles of the constitution of the said corporation, viz.

1. The capital stock of the Farmers Bank shall be a joint stock, and shall be managed by the directors of the bank at Annapolis, and by the directors of the branch bank at Easton, for the joint benefit of the stockholders of the western and eastern shores, and for the benefit of the state of Maryland, when the state shall become interested.

2. The proportion of the said capital to be employed by the bank at Annapolis shall be three fifth parts, and the proportion of the branch bank at Easton shall be two fifth parts, but if it shall happen that the directors at Annapolis, or at Easton, shall find that they have a surplus of money which they cannot advantageously employ, it shall be the duty of such board of directors, to give to the other information of such surplus capital, and if the other can find advantageous use for said surplus, it shall be remitted to the bank which can advantageously employ it.

3. Books shall be kept at Annapolis, and at Easton, on which shall be fairly entered the stock subscribed and paid for by the stockholders of such shore, and transfers from A. to B. shall be made on the books of the bank, or of the branch bank, on proper application of the stockholders.

4. As the Farmers Bank consists of a bank and branch bank, the general accounts shall be kept at the bank at Annapolis, and the course of operations shall be as follows: The directors of the bank at Annapolis shall furnish the directors of the branch bank at Easton with the proportion of the capital stock allotted to said branch, in specie, and shall, at the same time, supply a proportionate amount of notes, signed by the president of the bank at Annapolis, and countersigned by the cashier, made payable at the branch bank, and each note shall, on the face of it, have a blank, to be filled up by the president of the branch bank with his name, in his own hand writing; and the branch bank shall stand charged on the books of the bank at Annapolis with such remittance; and it shall be the duty of the directors of the branch bank, at the end of the first year of its incorporation, and half yearly thereafter, to render to the directors of the bank at Annapolis, a clear account of all expenses attending the conducting of the said bank, together with an account of the net profits resulting therefrom, in order to the striking of a dividend, which shall be done at Annapolis, but such dividend shall be paid to the stockholders at the bank or at the branch bank; that is to say, the dividends on stock standing on the books of the bank shall be paid at Annapolis, and the dividends on stock standing on the books of the branch bank shall be paid at Easton. The total amount of the debts which the said corporation shall at any one time owe, whether by bond, bill, note or other contract, shall not exceed double the amount of the capital actually paid into the said bank; provided, that the money deposited in the said bank for safe keeping shall not be considered as the debts of the bank within the provision of this clause, (unless the contracting of any greater debt shall have been previously authorized by a law of the state;) in case of excess, the directors under whose administration it shall happen, shall be liable for the same in their natural and private capacities, and an action of debt may in such case be brought against them, or any of them, or their heirs, executors or administrators, in any court of record in this state, by any creditor or creditors of the said corporation, and may be prosecuted to judgment and execution, any condition, covenant or agreement to the contrary notwithstanding; but nothing herein contained shall be construed to exempt the said corporation, or the lands, tenements, goods or chattels of the same, from being also

liable for and chargeable with the said excess; and such of the said directors who may have been absent when the said excess was created, or who may have dissented from the resolution or act whereby the same was created, may respectively exonerate themselves from being so liable, by forthwith giving notice of the fact, and of their absence or dissent, to the governor of the state, and to the stockholders at a general meeting, which they shall have power to call for that purpose.

XXX. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall be and continue in force for the term of ten years, and thence until the end of the next session of assembly.

XXXI. *Provided always, and be it enacted*, That if a sum not less than three hundred thousand dollars shall not have been subscribed, and one hundred and fifty thousand dollars paid in, prior to the said first day of October next, that then and in that event this charter and act of incorporation shall cease and be of no effect.

XXXII. *And be it enacted*, That in the event of the charter ceasing and becoming void as aforesaid, the said commissioners who received the subscriptions and money aforesaid, unless they have transmitted the money to the commissioners at Annapolis and Easton, and in that event the commissioners at Annapolis and Easton, shall cause the money subscribed and paid in aforesaid to be repaid to the respective subscribers, or their assigns, and in case of non-payment, may be respectively sued or warranted, as the case may require, and the payment enforced, in the same manner as for their individual debts, any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding; provided, that it shall and may be lawful for the said commissioners respectively to deduct from the money received as aforesaid the expenses incurred in opening the subscriptions, and to apportion the same amongst the subscribers, according to the respective sums by them subscribed.

LANDS FOR SALE.

The subscriber will, on Monday the 5th day of August, in the forenoon, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter, SELL, to the highest bidder, on the premises,

THAT valuable plantation SUMNER-HILL, in which Mr. Robert Jacob now lives, containing about 330 acres, about seven miles from the city of Annapolis, and possesses all the advantage of water, with respect to navigation, fish, oysters, and wild fowl, being within one mile of navigable water; the greater part of it lies sufficiently level; the soil is fine, and easy of cultivation, and contains a sufficiency of meadow ground of a superior quality; about one third of this land is covered with timber, consisting of oak, poplar, and an immense quantity of chestnut and cedar, and is extremely well watered.

The improvements are new, and consist of a comfortable dwelling-house, with two rooms below stairs and two above, a kitchen, smoke house, corn house, &c. and also a tobacco house.

The house is situated on an eminence, which commands a view of the surrounding neighbourhood, also of Annapolis, London-town, and the Chesapeake bay, which makes it a situation in point of beauty equalled by few, and in point of healthiness exceeded by none, and has several springs of as fine water as any in the state, within a few yards of the house.

This place is well situated to admit of its being divided, and should it be found necessary to accommodate purchasers the subscriber will do it.

The terms of sale are, one third of the money to be paid, and the residue at two annual instalments, upon the purchaser's giving bond, with approved securities, and upon the payment of the whole, an indisputable title will be given.

JOHN GASSAWAY, of Rhode River.

Any person in want of cedar, locust, or walnut posts, for building or fencing, may be supplied by applying to the subscriber.

JOHN GASSAWAY, of Rhode River.

May 7, 1805. } 3
Rhode River. }

Public Sale.

Will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on Tuesday the 16th day of July, at Mr. JOHN GWINN'S tavern, in the city of Annapolis, if not sold before at private sale, of which due notice will be given,

THAT well improved and valuable farm called STREPNY, late the residence of general John H. Stone, containing eight hundred and thirty-five acres of level fertile land, lying on South river, within three miles of the city of Annapolis. A full description of the improvements and advantages of this beautiful farm are too tedious to enumerate; for collection, variety, and quantity of excellent fruit, it excels any estate in Maryland. Accommodating terms will be held out to a good purchaser or purchasers, and an indisputable title given by the subscriber, on the payment of the money. For further information apply to Mr. S. Sparrow, Queen-Anne, Robert C. Stone, Esquire, in Annapolis, or at West river, to EDWARD HALL.

May 21, 1805.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having any claims against the estate of SETH WARFIELD, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, are desired to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof to the subscriber, and all those indebted to the said estate are desired to make payment, to

2 AMOS WARFIELD, Executor.

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THE COMMISSIONERS for Anne-Arundel attend agreeably tavern in the morning, unsubscriptions for the city aforesaid, in Gold or silver notes of Maryland of the Bank of the city, and the ed.

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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JULY 11, 1805.

Farmers Bank.

NOTICE is hereby given, that BOOKS will be opened at the county town in every county in the State of Maryland, for the purpose of receiving subscriptions to the Farmers Bank of Maryland, on Tuesday, the 16th of July next, and continue open on Wednesday the 17th, agreeably to law, if the shares are not all taken on the first day. 9X
May 13, 1805.

NOTICE.

THE COMMISSIONERS of the FARMERS BANK, for Anne-Arundel county and city of Annapolis, will attend agreeably to the above notice, at Mr. Gwynn's tavern in the city of Annapolis, from 10 o'clock in the morning, until 5 in the afternoon, to receive subscriptions for the shares allotted for the county and city aforesaid, in said Bank.

Gold or silver, or the notes of any bank in the notes of Maryland, Pennsylvania and Delaware, or of the Bank of Columbia, Branch Bank at Washington city, and the Bank of Alexandria, will be received.

July 4.

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FOR SALE.

Monday the 5th day of August, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter, to the highest bidder, on the

plantation SUMMER-HILL, on

about seven miles from the city

of Annapolis, all the advantage of water,

navigation, fish, oysters, and wild

game, and contains a sufficiency of

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Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, on Saturday the 1st instant, a brown negro man named GEORGE, the property of ROBERT WILLIAMS, he is about five feet ten inches high, his features are coarse, and he has a very ill look; it is uncertain what clothing he took with him; he will no doubt attempt to pass for a free man; he was about a week ago harboured at Caesar Williams's, (a negro) living in Montgomery county, near the court-house; it is probable he may not remain long there, and will be strolling about the country, as he is a lazy drunken fellow. I will give TEN DOLLARS reward if secured in any gaol within this state, and if out of the state the above reward, with all reasonable charges if brought home.

JEROME PLUMMER, Trustee for ROBERT WILLIAMS, a lunatic.

N. B. I hereby forewarn all persons from harbouring or employing said fellow, or any of the negroes belonging to the said Robert Williams, as I am determined to prosecute every such offender.

West river, Anne-Arundel county, } 3

June 25, 1805.

LANDS FOR SALE.

The subscriber will, on Monday the 5th day of August, in the forenoon, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter, SELL, to the highest bidder, on the premises,

THAT valuable plantation SUMMER-HILL, on which Mr. Robert Jacob now lives, containing about 330 acres, about seven miles from the city of Annapolis, and possesses all the advantage of water, with respect to navigation, fish, oysters, and wild fowl, being within one mile of navigable water; the greater part of it lies sufficiently level: the soil is fine, and easy of cultivation, and contains a sufficiency of meadow ground of a superior quality; about one third of this land is covered with timber, consisting of oak, poplar, and an immense quantity of chestnut and cedar, and is extremely well watered.

The improvements are new, and consist of a comfortable dwelling-house, with two rooms below stairs and two above, a kitchen, smoke house, corn house, &c. and also a tobacco house.

The house is situated on an eminence, which commands a view of the surrounding neighbourhood, also of Annapolis, London-town, and the Chesapeake bay, which makes it a situation in point of beauty equalled by few, and in point of healthfulness exceeded by none, and has several springs of as fine water as any in the state, within a few yards of the house.

This place is well situated to admit of its being divided, and should it be found necessary to accommodate purchasers the subscriber will do it.

The terms of sale are, one third of the money to be paid, and the residue at two annual instalments, upon the purchaser's giving bond, with approved securities, and upon the payment of the whole, an indisputable title will be given.

JOHN GASSAWAY, of Rhode River.

Any person in want of cedar, locust, or walnut posts, for building or fencing, may be supplied by applying to the subscriber.

JOHN GASSAWAY, of Rhode River.

May 7, 1805, } 4X
Rhode River. }

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that he intends to apply to Charles county court, at the next August term, for a commission to mark and bound a tract of land, lying, situate, and being in Trinity Parish, in Charles county, called CHARLESBOROUGH HILLS.

June 22, 1805.

JOHN HAW.

Public Sale.

Will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on Tuesday the 16th day of July, at Mr. JOHN GWINN's tavern, in the city of Annapolis, if not sold before at private sale, of which due notice will be given,

THAT well improved and valuable farm called STEPNEY, late the residence of general John H. Stone, containing eight hundred and thirty-five acres of level fertile land, lying on South river, within three miles of the city of Annapolis. A full description of the improvements and advantages of this beautiful farm are too tedious to enumerate; for collection, variety, and quantity of excellent fruit, it excels any estate in Maryland. Accommodating terms will be held out to a good purchaser or purchasers, and an indisputable title given by the subscriber, on the payment of the money. For further information apply to Mr. S. Sparrow, Queen-Anne, Robert C. Stone, Esquire, in Annapolis, or at West river, to EDWARD HALL.

Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, July 11, 1805.

THEATRE.

THIS Evening, a Dramatic Romance, called A TALE OF TERROR;—a Musical Olio, called THE CATCH CLUB; Or, FEAST OF ANACREON —with the Farce of THE SULTAN; Or, A PEEP INTO THE SERAGLIO.

WE are authorized to say, that Doctor JOHN GASSAWAY, of Rhode river, will be a candidate at the ensuing election, for one of the representatives of Anne-Arundel county to the legislature.

Rhode river, March 27, 1805.

FROM THE "JOURNAL DE COMMERCE," OF BOURDEAUX, APRIL 6, 1805.

[TRANSLATED FOR THE N. E. PALLADIUM.]

"IF the superabundance of subject matter would sooner have permitted it, we should ere now, have given an account of the affecting ceremony that took place on the 7th ult. in the Church of St. Seurin.

Ten deaf and dumb pupils there, for the first time, partook of the communion, and were immediately confirmed by the archbishop of Bourdeaux, who had previously visited the establishment, and fully ascertained that the young neophytes had received sufficient instruction to qualify them to receive this twofold sacrament. The names of the pupils were as follow:

LADS.—Francis Gard, of Bourdeaux—Claude Honorat, of Nimes—Louis Boisset, of Mansle—Francis Ganet, of Garoult—Martin Trias, of Monsegur.

GIRLS.—Mary Bretange, of Bourdeaux—Jane Lambert, idem—Emilia Rose Lebreton, Department d'Ille and Vilaine—Mary Grauan, de Preuilly les Mans—Mary Rose Collet Emard, of the department of Jura.

We read in the "Journal of Debates," of 27th Ventose, interesting information respecting the progress which the art of educating the deaf and dumb, and of placing them in a condition of communication with the rest of mankind, has made in Europe.—Our readers will doubtless be glad to have the inspection of the passage relative to the Bourdeaux School.

Under the direction of Mon. St. Sernin, it excites the unanimous admiration of all the travellers who have visited it. The foundation and endowment of this school is indebted to the distinguished piety of Mon. de Gicé, formerly archbishop of Bourdeaux, at present archbishop of Aix. It was formed under the eye of Mr. Sicard.*

Mr. St. Sernin, and the other founders of this seminary, are as much distinguished by the plentitude of their very humane and affable deportment, as by an extreme assiduity in their functions. There have issued from it twenty-nine scholars, all perfectly in a capacity to be useful in society, and even to procure honourable situations therein for themselves. One of them maintains the foreign correspondence in the commercial house of his father, one of the first merchants in Bourdeaux.

I have been informed of a curious anecdote respecting the deaf and dumb of that city. They regularly read the public papers, and are minutely acquainted with the date and epoch of every victory obtained by the French armies. In order to designate his majesty, the emperor, who is frequently the subject of their conversation, they have among themselves invented a sign which is extremely expressive. They imitate the motion and gesture of a man springing forward, and planting a standard on the ground. It is obviously the celebrated passage over the bridge of Areole, which has made the greatest impression on their minds, amidst so many other heroic exploits of the French monarch."

* Those who have been witnesses to the origin of the Bourdeaux school; who have, as may be said, followed its progress with an attentive eye, know and will attest, if necessary, that this noble institution owes its existence principally to the persevering zeal of Mr. St. Sernin, to his privations and to his sacrifices. He renounced, for the sake of his adoptive children, an estate which afforded him affluence.—His fortune became theirs, and when that was exhausted, he supported the establishment, by mere voluntary donations only, obtained of sundry citizens, of Bourdeaux.—The school had all the marks of a private and particular undertaking until the year 1790. The established authorities then concurred in the support of it, but a part of the advances made until that era is still due to him.—On the other hand it is he who also instructed the young persons. He is therefore doubly entitled to the appellation of the Father of the institution at Bourdeaux.

In Chancery, June 27, 1805.

ORDERED, That the sale made by JOHN WELCH, trustee for the sale of the real estate of Samuel Godman, mortgaged to John Gwynn, shall be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn before the first day of August next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Maryland Gazette before the fifth day of July next.

The report states, that three tracts of land, in Anne-Arundel county, called Henderson's Meadows, Addition to Sampson, and Locust Plains, containing in the whole three hundred and fifty-seven acres, were sold at two dollars per acre.

True copy,

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,

Reg. Cur. Can.

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Charles county, hath obtained from the orphans court of said county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of doct^r GUSTAVUS RICHARD BROWN, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the fifteenth day of January next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 24th day of June, 1805.

CLEMENT DORSEY, Executor.

Sixteen Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, in Anne-Arundel county, five miles from South river ferry, on Monday the tenth instant, a black negro man named CHARLES, with short wool on his head, about five feet nine or ten inches high, twenty-two years of age, he stutters very much when talked to, and is stout and well made for strength; had on and took with him, two new ticklenburg shirts, a white country cloth jacket and trousers, much worn, a pair of coarse shoes, an old felt hat, with the crown lined with yarn; it is supposed he will change his name and dress, and endeavour to pass for a free man, getting a forged pass, perhaps he will make for Baltimore-town, the city of Washington, or Frederick-town, as he has some relations in that part of the country. Whoever takes up and delivers the said negro man to the subscriber, or secures him in any gaol, so that I get him again, shall be entitled to receive the above reward.

GASSAWAY RAWLINGS.

June 17, 1805.

All masters of vessels are forewarned from carrying the said negro man off at their peril.

G. R.

NOTICE.

Having any claims against the estate of WARFIELD, late of Anne-Arundel county, are desired to exhibit the same, and to the subscriber, and all the said estate are desired to make

MOS WARFIELD, Executor.

July 2.
received a letter from
dated the 22d May,
writing Philadelphia:
inform you of the late
squadron which sailed from
the windward islands. It
was ordered upon the Eng-
lished as little resistance

July 4.
act of a letter from New-
York, dated the 2d June,
and received this fore-

letter without giving you a
moment's going on, as we
a vessel here the other day
brought the following news—
of the capture of the go-
vernment's property, and the
of this place, who have
and their cause, and explain
recall of the Indians. In the
squadron, and his vice-majesty
near 30,000 strong, and is
with on one of the cliffs of
called all the public and
to be transported to the
is alarm was caused by some
from this place or some part
whole American army was
here time and this place, and
take the command in person.
They further add, that a
arrived at Newport, and
the van-guard. Those who
than the common sort, say,
of the vice-king to get the
in his power, &c."

PHILADELPHIA, July 5.
the ship Four Friends, 56
forms us, that the expedition
which put into Lisbon, in its
plan, failed from that port the
consisted of fifty transports
and a 74 gun ship, and two or
said to be going with troops

FROM ENGLAND.

July 6.
New-York, dated July 4.
ed here, the ship Cato, Snow,
pool—We have papers from
25th of May; but they con-
t. There is another talk of
et had not failed. The en-
ed in England, and the bot-
en mechanics were taken up.
A revolt is said to have taken
the influence of France—the
d been put under confinement!
had failed with 12 fail of the
on. Negotiations are said to
France and Russia for the re-
quillity. Buonaparte is wil-
tiation of his titles of Empe-
King of Italy.
guarantee of Great-Britain and
self and his family in the he-
dignities and dominions.
ion of Bourbon of all rights and
nty of France.

in return to leave Malta in the
and to cede to the Emperor
olic of the Seven Islands.
of Baltimore, arrived at Dover
Madame Buonaparte was on
terdam."

BALTIMORE, July 2.
new wheat have been brought to
urn shore. We have the bap-
n, so far as our observation has
d perfect; and the additional fa-
that the harvest in that part of
y point of view the best that has
years.

July 5.
Fanny, Penrice, 22 days from

f the 14th, passed the well end
a fleet apparently merchantmen,
large ship of war standing for
Martinique, supposed they were ve-
John's (Antigua), as he was in-
ore he failed, by a French officer
taken possession of that island—
ng. 64, spoke brig Rambler, from
and learnt that lord Nelson touched
June, with 14 fail of the line
dad, where he expected to fail in

et.
day, during divine service at So-
a sailor boy, going into the church,
into the plate; as it was supposed
was defiled by one of the trustees

of the Welch Charity to take back his half guinea,
and throw down his shilling. "No," replied the little
tar, "I was brought up in the school, and I give it
with all my heart."
[Lon. pap.]

NORFOLK, July 5.

THE FLEETS.

Captain Tomkins, of the schooner Hornet, left
Guadaloupe on the 20th of June. On the 21st fell
in with his Britannic majesty's sloop of war King-
Fisher, captain Cribb, of 18 guns, who informed
captain T. that on the 17th he saw the combined
French and Spanish fleets to the northward of all the
islands, steering north-east; and that, on the 19th he
saw admiral Nelson, with twelve fail of the line in
pursuit of them. He also stated that the day after
the combined fleets passed Antigua, (at which they
did not call) they overtook thirteen fail of the home-
ward bound merchantmen, under convoy of a frigate
and a sloop of war; the whole of the trade was cap-
tured, and ordered to Martinique, under the protec-
tion of a frigate. A few days afterwards they were
discovered by the King-Fisher and an English frigate;
upon which the commander of the French vessel set
fire to all the merchant ships, and made his escape.
Captain Tomkins further informs us, that, as the
French passed Guadaloupe, they took on board about
800 troops under the command of general Ott; six
days afterwards four frigates returned with the same
troops, and landed on the north side of the island.
The two ships of the line heretofore said to have ar-
rived at Guadaloupe, were from Rochefort, and not
from Brest: they joined the fleets, which then con-
sisted of twenty fail of the line, besides frigates and
corvettes. The French did not touch at Dominica,
as formerly stated. The embargo in the British Is-
lands had been taken off immediately on the arrival
of the British fleet, so far as respected neutrals. The
accounts published of the taking of the King-Fisher,
were incorrect; the vessel mistaken for her was the
privateer Spy, captain Dwyer.

By captain Hopkins, of the schooner Father and
Sons, we have received an Antigua paper of the 18th
ult. from which we extract the following article,
which places the arrival of Nelson beyond doubt, and
confirms the above report by captain Tomkins. It
besides corroborates strongly the remarks made in se-
veral of our late publications.

St. JOHN'S, (Ant.) June 18.

On Wednesday last, we had the pleasure of seeing
the fleet under the command of vice admiral lord
Nelson, consisting of 12 ships of the line, 4 frigates,
2 sloops of war, and a brig, anchor in the road of
St. John, from whence his lordship failed the next
day, about noon, in search of the French fleet.

We understand that his lordship, in consequence of
some information he had received, failed from Bar-
badoes to Grenada, which, in all probability, prevent-
ed his coming up with the French fleet before they
passed this island. His lordship did not come on
shore; declaring, as we have been told, that he had
not been out of the Victory for two years.

Before his lordship failed, the Nettle schooner,
under whose convoy the fleet from this island had fail-
ed on Friday preceeding, came in, with the very un-
pleasant intelligence that all the vessels had been taken,
as we had indeed but too much reason to apprehend
from the time the French fleet passed by this island.
The vessels from this island taken, were 14 in num-
ber, viz: The ships Kerby, Patriot, Mary, Emerald,
Nancy, and Prince of Wales, for London—the ships
Byam, Martha, West-India and Highlander, for
Liverpool—the ships Urania, and Singleton, for Ire-
land—the brig Caroline, for Halifax and the schooner
Argo, for New-York. On board these vessels were
5,400 bbls. of sugar, besides coffee and other mer-
chandises; which, with the vessels, are computed at
the value of 400,000l. stg.

The Northumberland, admiral Cochrane, did not
fail with lord Nelson. And the Courieux brig was
dispatched for England.

We have the pleasure to inform the public, that
the 96th, a fine strong regiment under the command
of lieut. col. Conran, were landed here on Thursday
last.

By the above, lord Nelson must have failed from
Antigua on the 13th June—On the 19th he was
spoken by the King-Fisher to the northward of all
the islands; and on the 20th a vessel from Philadel-
phia arrived at Antigua, which spoke the French and
Spanish fleets, and in 72 hours after spoke lord Nel-
son, both steering the same course. Pub. Led.

FOR SALE.

By virtue of an order of the orphans court of Anne-
Arundel county, will be SOLD, on Thursday the
8th day of August next, at the late dwelling of
WILLIAM FARIS, deceased, in the city of An-
napolis,

PART of the personal property of the said de-
ceased, consisting of clock and watch-maker's
tools, silversmith's tools, cabinet maker's and car-
penter's tools; also some quarter clocks, month ditto,
plain eight day ditto, with and without cases, one
large mill for silver work, a quantity of household
and kitchen furniture, one electrical machine, with
apparatus complete, a quantity of old brass, copper,
pewter, and lead, one large physical mortar, a large
collection of books, a large and very fine collection
of tulip roots, and a great variety of other articles
too tedious to mention. The terms will be made
known on the day of sale.

PRISCILLA FARIS, Administratrix.
July 3, 1805.

For Sale,

A FEW sets of the LAWS from 1800 to 1804,
both inclusive, handsomely bound, to be had
at the Printing-Office.

List of Letters

Remaining in the Post-Office, Annapolis, June 30,
1805.

JOHN BRISON, David Bangs, rev. Mr. Bitouzey.
Chloe Cook, Philip Curran, William Caton, jun.
John W. H. Carroll (2). Thomas Duckett. An-
toniene Formige. John Gwinn, John Gibson (6),
Frederick & Saml. Green, Richard Gray. Samuel
H. Howard, John J. Hellen, Edward Hall, Dr.
Haller (2), Samuel Hayward. George Jennet.
Saml. Mole, William Bond Martin, John Munroe,
George Mackubin, R. M'Corley, Thomas Mofs,
Hugh M'Guire. Roger Perry, Charles Phillips,
John Ragan, jun. John M. Sewell, Basil Spalding,
William Smith, Alexander Stewart. Philip Thomas
(2), Washington C. Tuck, John Teutle, Sarah
Tood. Gideon White (2), Elizabeth Wood, Joseph
Williams, Annapolis.

Widow Awkarks. John Brice Burgefs, Rezin
Baldwin. Samuel Elton. Solomon Groves, Benja-
min Gaither. William Hammond, Thomas Hobbs,
sen. Richard Harrison. Joseph Kinley. John Lyons
(2). Samuel Martin, Joseph Morley. Thomas Nor-
ris. Benjamin Owens. William Prout. James
Redy, John T. Richardson. Jonathan Sellman.
Greenbury Treackel, Philip W. Thomas, Anderson
Warfield, Caleb Warfield, John Whitworth, Becky
Wilson, Anne-Arundel county.

John Beauchamp, Anemeflex.
Adam Scott, Maryland.

S. GREEN, P. M.

In CHANCERY, June Term, 1805.

Henry, Samuel, and Robert Wood, Thomas Sullivan
and wife, James Whittington and wife,
Zachariah Sunderland and wife,
against

John Wood, Margaret and Cassandra Wood, Eliza-
beth, Eleanor, and Sarah Wood, Benjamin, John,
Rhody, and Susanna Whittington, and Ri-
chard Wood, Susanna, Samuel, Anne,
and Elizabeth Parrot.

THE object of the bill is to obtain a sale of the
real estate of William Wood, of Anne-Arun-
del county, deceased, for the benefit of his heirs;
the bill states, that William Wood was seized in fee
of Broughton Ashley and Hunts, or Hunt's Mount,
containing about 260 acres of land, and entitled to
an equitable interest of, in, and to, three hundred
and sixty acres of land, called Carter Bennett, that
he died intestate in the year 1804, leaving the fol-
lowing children, to wit: John Wood, (his eldest
son, and who would have been his heir at law, ex-
cept for the act, entitled, An act to regulate de-
scents) Henry Wood, Samuel Wood, Robert Wood,
Sarah Sullivan, Mary Whittington, Dorothy Sun-
derland, the complainants, the following grand-
children, to wit: Margaret and Cassandra Wood, (the
children of William, a son deceased,) Elizabeth,
Eleanor, and Sarah Wood, (the children of James,
a son deceased,) Benjamin, John, Rhody, and Su-
fanna Whittington, (the children of Sufanna, a
daughter, deceased, by William Whittington, her
husband,) Sufanna, Samuel, Anne, and Wilfred
Parrot, (the children of Anne, a daughter, deceased,
by Richard Parrott, her husband,) which said chil-
dren and grand-children are the heirs of said first
named William Wood; the bill also states, there was
another son named Richard, who about nine years
past left the state, and has not since been heard of;
it also states, the children of said William Whitting-
ton reside out of the state, and that said John Wood,
who would have been the heir as aforesaid, has ap-
peared and answered the bill, and admitted the facts;
it is therefore ordered, that the complainants cause a
copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland
Gazette three times before the 10th day of August
next, to the end that the said absent defendants, and
each of the resident defendants, may have notice of
the complainants application to this court, and of the
subject and object of the bill, and may be warned to
appear in this court in person, or by a solicitor, before
the 10th day of December next, to shew cause where-
fore a decree should not pass as prayed.

True copy,

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

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, to me di-
rected out of Anne-Arundel county court, will be
EXPOSED at PUBLIC SALE, for cash, on the
20th day of July, 1805, at Mr. John Gwinn's
tavern, in Annapolis,

ONE hundred and fifty acres of land, more or
less, called SNOWDEN'S REPUTATION SUP-
PORTED, to satisfy a debt due Mr. Henry Hall, and
for officers fees due for 1803.

J. E. TILLY, Sheriff.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the subscribers intend to apply to the
Anne-Arundel county court, to be held at the
city of Annapolis, on the third Monday in September
next, for a commission to mark and bound their tract
of land called TOMBS RISQUE, lying in Anne-Arun-
del county, agreeably to an act of assembly in such
case made and provided.

OWEN DORSEY,
HENRIETTA DORSEY,
LYDIA DORSEY.

July 3, 1805.

Poet's Corner.

SELECTED.

THE FIRST HOUR OF MORNING.

BY MRS. RADTCLIFFE.

HOW sweet to wind the forest's tangled shade,
When early twilight, from the eastern bound,
Dawns on the sleeping landscape in the glade,
And fades as morning spreads her blush around.

When every infant flower, that wept in night,
Lifts its chill head, soft glowing with a tear,
Expands its tender blossom to the light,
And gives its incense to the genial air.

How fresh the breeze that wafts the rich perfume,
And swells the melody of waking birds!
The hum of bees beneath the verdant gloom,
And woodman's song, and low of distant herds!

Then doubtful gleams the mountain's hoary head,
Seen through the parting foliage from afar;
And farther still the ocean's murky bed,
With fleeting sails that partial sun-beams share.

But vain the sylvan shade, the breath of May,
The voice of music floating on the gale,
And forms that beam through morning's dewy veil,
If health no longer bids the heart be gay!

Oh, balmy hour! 'tis thine her wealth to give,
Here spread her blush, and bid the parent live.

ELEGY ON THE DEATH OF A COW.

ATTEND, ye sympathizing friends,
With lengthen'd phis, and open ears;
My tale of sorrow will require,
At least a bucket full of tears.

There liv'd an honest, sober cow,
Near yonder stack, as people say,
Who chew'd her cud with serious face,
And calmly eat her meadow hay.

She did not gamble, nor get drunk,
Was neither given to cards nor wine,
Was neither quarrelsome nor rude,
To hooking she did not incline.

She did not slander, lie, nor swear,
Her words were innocent and few,
In all her actions she behav'd,
As circumspective cows should do.

But all her virtues nought avail,
The Fates who over cows preside,
Had will'd her death, and she poor cow!
Alas! was taken sick and died?

Attend, ye sympathizing friends,
Ye friends of oxen, cows and steers,
And mourn her virtues with your sighs,
And salt her beef with briny tears!

[Port Folio.]

TO LET,

For a term of years, to a good tenant,
MY FARM, on the north side of Severn, con-
taining 428 acres, it adjoins the river, and
convenient to the market in Annapolis, and the con-
veyance of the produce to Baltimore.

Also my mill, on a constant stream of water. Ap-
plication to be made to NICHOLAS BRICE, in Balti-
more, or to the subscriber, in Annapolis.

JOHN BRICE.

July 10, 1805.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having any claims against the estate
of SETH WARFIELD, late of Anne-Arun-
del county, deceased, are desired to exhibit the same,
with the vouchers thereof to the subscriber, and all
those indebted to the said estate are desired to make
payment to

AMOS WARFIELD, Executor.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of
RICHARD BROWN, sen. late of Anne-
Arundel county, deceased, are desired to exhibit the
same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, and
those indebted to said estate are requested to make
payment, to

RICHARD BROWN, Executor.

June 25, 1805.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons indebted
for officers fees for the two last years, that un-
less they make payment by the 10th of August they
will be executed for the same, without respect to
persons.

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

June 3, 1805.

To the VOTERS of Anne-Arundel county and City
of Annapolis.

GENTLEMEN,

FROM the promised support of many of my fel-
low-citizens, I am encouraged to offer myself a
candidate for the next SHERIFFALTY of this
county. Should I be honoured with your support on
that occasion, you may rest assured, that every ex-
ertion on my part will be used to discharge the duties
that will necessarily devolve on me with industry and
fidelity. I am, Gentlemen,
Your ob't. serv't.

JOSEPH M'GENEY.

April, 1805.

In Council.

ANAPOLIS, MAY 15, 1805.

ORDERED, That the act to provide for the trial of facts in the several counties of this state, and to alter, change and abolish all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the general court and court of appeals, be published twice in each week, for the space of three months, in the Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis; the American, Telegraphic, and the Federal Gazette, at Baltimore; the National Intelligencer; the Republican Advocate and Patriot's paper, at Fredericktown; Green's paper, at Hagerstown; and in Smith's and Cowan's papers, at Edinboro.

By order,

NINIAN PINKNEY, Clerk.

AN ACT to provide for the trial of facts in the several counties of this state, and to alter, change and abolish all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the general court and court of appeals.

BE it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That this state shall be divided into six judicial districts, in manner and form following, to wit: Saint-Mary's, Charles and Prince-George's counties, shall be the first district; Cecil, Kent, Queen-Anne's and Talbot counties, shall be the second district; Calvert, Anne-Arundel and Montgomery counties, shall be the third district; Caroline, Dorchester, Somerset and Worcester counties, shall be the fourth district; Frederick, Washington and Allegany counties, shall be the fifth district; and there shall be appointed, for each of the said judicial districts, three persons of integrity and sound legal knowledge, residents of the state of Maryland, who shall, previous to and during their sitting as judges, reside in the district for which they shall respectively be appointed, one of whom shall be styled in the commission Chief Judge, and the other two Associate Judges, of the district for which they shall be appointed; and the chief judge, together with the two associate judges, shall compose the county courts in each respective district; and each judge shall hold his commission during good behaviour, removable for misbehaviour on conviction in a court of law, or shall be removed by the governor, upon the address of the general assembly, provided that two thirds of all the members of each house concur in such address; and the county courts, so as aforesaid established, shall have, hold and exercise, in the several counties of this state, all and every the powers, authorities and jurisdictions, which the county courts of this state now have, use and exercise, and which shall be hereafter prescribed by law; and the said county courts established by this act shall respectively hold their sessions in the several counties at such times and places as the legislature shall direct and appoint, and the salaries of the said judges shall not be diminished during the period of their continuance in office.

II. And be it enacted, That in any suit or action at law hereafter to be commenced or instituted in any county court of this state, the judges thereof, upon suggestion, in writing, by either of the parties thereto, supported by affidavit, or other proper evidence, that a fair and impartial trial cannot be had in the county court of the county where such suit or action is depending, shall and may order and direct the record of their proceedings in such suit or action to be transmitted to the judges of any county court within the district for trial, and the judges of such county court, to whom the said record shall be transmitted, shall hear and determine the same in like manner as if such suit or action had been originally instituted therein; provided nevertheless, that such suggestion shall be made at aforesaid before or during the term in which the issue or issues may be joined in said suit or action; and provided also, that such further remedy may be provided by law in the premises as the legislature shall from time to time direct and enact.

III. And be it enacted, That if any party arrested or indicted in any of the county courts of this state, shall suggest, in writing, to the court in which such prosecution is depending, that a fair and impartial trial cannot be had in such court, it shall and may be lawful for the said court to order and direct the record of their proceedings in the said prosecution to be transmitted to the judges of any adjoining county court for trial, and the judges of such adjoining county court shall hear and determine the same in the same manner as if such prosecution had been originally instituted therein; provided, that such further and other remedy may be provided by law in the premises as the legislature may direct and enact.

IV. And be it enacted, That if the attorney-general, or the prosecutor for the state, shall suggest, in writing, to any county court before whom an indictment is or may be depending, that the state cannot have a fair and impartial trial in such court, it shall and may be lawful for the said court, in their discretion, to order and direct the record of their proceedings in the said prosecution to be transmitted to the judges of any adjoining county court for trial, and the judges of such county court shall hear and determine the same as if such prosecution had been originally instituted therein.

V. And be it enacted, That there shall be a court of appeals, and the same shall be composed of the chief judges of the several judicial districts of the state, which said court of appeals shall hold, use and exercise, all and singular the powers, authorities and jurisdictions, heretofore held, used and exercised, by the court of appeals of this state, and all the appellate jurisdiction heretofore used and exercised by the general court; and the said court of appeals here-

by established shall sit on the western and eastern shores for transacting and determining the business of the respective shores, at such times and places as the future legislature of this state shall direct and appoint, and any three of the said judges of the court of appeals shall form a quorum to hear and decide in all cases pending in said court; and the judge who has given a decision in any case in the county court, shall withdraw from the bench upon the deciding of the same case before the court of appeals; and the judges of the court of appeals may appoint the clerks of said court for the western and eastern shores respectively, who shall hold their appointments during good behaviour, removable only for misbehaviour on conviction in a court of law; and in case of death, resignation, disqualification, or removal out of the state, or from their respective shores, of either of the said clerks in the vacation of the said court, the governor, with the advice of the council, may appoint and commission a fit and proper person to such vacant office, to hold the same until the next meeting of the said court; and all laws passed after this act shall take effect, shall be recorded in the office of the court of appeals of the western shore.

VI. And be it enacted, That all and every part of the constitution and form of government which relates to the court of appeals and the general court, or the judges thereof, or that in any manner repugnant to, or inconsistent with, the provisions of this act, be and the same is hereby repealed, abrogated and annulled, upon the confirmation hereof; provided, that nothing herein contained shall be construed so as to authorize the removal of the clerks of the respective county courts, being in commission at the time of the passing of this act, in any other mode or manner than that prescribed by the constitution and form of government.

VII. And be it enacted, That if this act shall be confirmed by the general assembly, after the next election of delegates, in the first session after such new election, as the constitution and form of government directs, that in such case the constitution and amendments of the constitution and form of government therein contained, shall be taken and considered, and shall constitute and be valid, as a part of the said constitution and form of government, to all intents and purposes, any thing in the said constitution and form of government to the contrary notwithstanding.

Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

SINGLETON WARFIELD, an insolvent debtor of Anne-Arundel county, having applied, by petition, in writing, to Anne-Arundel county court, praying the benefit of an act of assembly for the benefit of insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and four, and a schedule of his property, and a list of creditors, on oath, as by the said act is required, being annexed to his said petition; and the said Singleton Warfield being under an arrest upon mesne process for debts due before the passage of the said act, and having proved to the satisfaction of the said court that he had resided in the state of Maryland the two last years preceding the passage of the said act—It is thereupon adjudged and ordered, that the said Singleton Warfield appear before the said court, at the court-house, in the city of Annapolis, on the twenty-fourth day of September next, then and there to produce to said court, the assent, in writing, of creditors holding two thirds of the amount of his debts, and to answer such interrogatories as may be proposed to him by his creditors, and that the said day be and it is hereby appointed the time for said creditors to appear and recommend a trustee for their benefit, and that the said Singleton Warfield give them notice of the passage of this order, by causing a copy of it to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once in each of the next twelve successive weeks.

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.

May 31, 1805. A. A. County Court.

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the state of Maryland, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of LEWIS JONES, late of Anne-Arundel 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 28th day of November next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 28th day of June, 1805. ELIZABETH JONES, Administratrix.

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Charles county, hath obtained from the orphans court of said county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Mr. JOSEPH NEALE, 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 first day of January next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 24th day of June, 1805. JANE NEALE, Administratrix.

Five Dollars Reward.

TAKEN out of the glass case in the subscriber's store, a GOLD WATCH, with a blue enamel back. The above reward will be given to any person who will return the same.

THOMAS SHAW.

By Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

JOSHUA MARRIOTT, junior, an insolvent debtor of Anne-Arundel county, having applied by petition, in writing, to Anne-Arundel county court, praying the benefit of an act of assembly for the benefit of insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and four, and a schedule of his property, and a list of creditors, on oath, as by the said act is required, being annexed to his said petition, and the said Joshua Marriott, junior, being under an arrest upon mesne process and a capias at satisfaction for debts due before the passage of the said act, and having proved to the satisfaction of the said court, that he had resided in the state of Maryland the two last years preceding the passage of the said act—It is thereupon adjudged and ordered, that the said Joshua Marriott, junior, appear before the said court, at the court-house in the city of Annapolis, on the twenty-fourth day of September next, then and there to produce to said court the assent, in writing, of creditors holding two thirds of the amount of his debts, and to answer such interrogatories as may be proposed to him by his creditors, and that the said day be and it is hereby appointed the time for said creditors to appear and recommend a trustee for their benefit, and that the said Joshua Marriott, junior, give them notice of the passage of this order, by causing a copy of it to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once in each of the next twelve successive weeks.

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.

A. A. County Court.

May 31, 1805.

Prince-George's County Court,

APRIL TERM, April 13, 1805.

RICHARD G. HARDESTY, an insolvent debtor of Prince-George's county, having applied by petition, in writing, to this court, praying the benefit of an act of assembly passed at the last session of the general assembly of Maryland, entitled "An Act for the relief of insolvent debtors," and a schedule of his property with a list of his creditors on oath, as by the said act is required, being annexed to his petition, and the said Richard G. Hardesty, having proved to the satisfaction of the court, that he resided within the state of Maryland the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act, and being committed by the court into the custody of the sheriff of Prince-George's county for a debt due and owing before the passage of the said act, and having, upon giving bond and security agreeably to said act, to appear before this court, on the first Tuesday in September next, been discharged from custody. It is thereupon adjudged and ordered by the court here, that the said Richard G. Hardesty, appear before this court, at the court-house in Upper-Marlborough town, on the first Tuesday in September next, then and there to produce to the court, the assent in writing of creditors holding two thirds of the amount of his debts, and to answer such interrogatories as may be proposed to him, and that the said day be, and it is hereby appointed the time for said creditors to appear and recommend a trustee for their benefit. And the said Richard G. Hardesty is hereby directed to give notice to his creditors, of his application, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted eight weeks successively in the Maryland Gazette, previous to the next term.

True copy,

Tell. JOHN READ MAGRUDER, jr. clk.

A STRAY.

TAKEN up by the subscriber, living near Alexandria ferry, in Prince-George's county, an iron gray HORSE, supposed to be six or seven years old, thirteen and an half hands high, with a bobbed tail and ridged mane, having no other perceivable mark or brand. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

WILLIAM TUCKER.

June 11, 1805.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT application will be made to the justices of Anne-Arundel county court, at September term next, for a commission to mark and bound a tract of land called THE BEST SUCCESS, lying in Saint-Margaret's Westminster parish, in the county aforesaid, agreeably to act of assembly in such case made and provided.

HENRY H. DORSEY,

HENRY EVANS.

July 1, 1805.

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the state of Maryland, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of ROGER DITTY, late of Anne-Arundel 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 twenty-eighth day of November next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 28th day of May, 1805.

SAMUEL JACOB, Executor.

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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JULY 18, 1805.

In CHANCERY, June Term, 1805.
Henry, Samuel, and Robert Wood, Thomas Sullivan
and wife, James Whittington and wife,
Zachariah Sunderland and wife,
against

John Wood, Margaret and Cassandra Wood, Elizabeth,
Eleanor, and Sarah Wood, Benjamin, John,
Rhody, and Susanna Whittington, and Richard
Wood, Susanna, Samuel, Anne,
and Elizabeth Parrot.

THE object of the bill is to obtain a sale of the real estate of William Wood, of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, for the benefit of his heirs; the bill states, that William Wood was seized in fee of *Broughton Valley* and *Hunts, or Hunt's Mount*, containing about 266 acres of land, and entitled to an equitable interest of, in, and to, three hundred and sixty acres of land, called *Carter Bennett*, that he died intestate in the year 1804, leaving the following children, to wit: John Wood, (his eldest son, and who would have been his heir at law, except for the act, entitled, An act to regulate descents) Henry Wood, Samuel Wood, Robert Wood, Sarah Sullivan, Mary Whittington, Dorothy Sunderland, the complainants, the following grand-children, to wit: Margaret and Cassandra Wood, (the children of William, a son deceased,) Elizabeth, Eleanor, and Sarah Wood, (the children of James, a son deceased,) Benjamin, John, Rhody, and Susanna Whittington, (the children of Susanna, a daughter, deceased, by William Whittington, her husband,) Susanna, Samuel, Anne, and Wilfred Parrot, (the children of Anne, a daughter, deceased, by Richard Parrott, her husband,) which said children and grand-children are the heirs of said first named William Wood; the bill also states, there was another son named Richard, who about nine years past left the state, and has not since been heard of; it also states, the children of said William Whittington reside out of the state, and that said John Wood, who would have been the heir as aforesaid, has appeared and answered the bill, and admitted the facts; it is thereupon ordered, that the complainants cause a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette three times before the 10th day of August next, to the end that the said absent defendants, and each of the resident defendants, may have notice of the complainants application to this court, and of the subject and object of the bill, and may be warned to appear in this court in person, or by a solicitor, before the 10th day of December next, to shew cause wherefore a decree should not pass as prayed.

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

By virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas*, to me directed out of Anne-Arundel county court, will be EXPOSED at PUBLIC SALE, for cash, on the 20th day of July, 1805, at Mr. John Gwinn's tavern, in Annapolis,

ONE hundred and fifty acres of land, more or less, called SNOWDEN'S REPUTATION SUPPORTED, taken as the property of Lancelot Green to satisfy a debt due Mr. Henry Hall, and for officers fees due for 1803. J. E. TILLY, Sheriff.

For Sale,

A FEW sets of the LAWS from 1800 to 1804, both inclusive, handomely bound, to be had at the Printing-Office.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that he intends to apply to Charles county court, at the next August term, for a commission to mark and bound a tract of land, lying, situate, and being in Trinity Parish, in Charles county, called CHARLESBOROUGH HILLS.

June 22, 1805. JOHN HAW.

FOR SALE.

By virtue of an order of the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be SOLD, on Thursday the 8th day of August next, at the late dwelling of WILLIAM FARIS, deceased, in the city of Annapolis,

PART of the personal property of the said deceased, consisting of clock and watch-maker's tools, silversmith's tools, cabinet maker's and carpenter's tools; also some quarter clocks, month ditto, plain eight day ditto, with and without cases, one large mill for silver work, a quantity of household and kitchen furniture, one electrical machine, with apparatus complete, a quantity of old brass, copper, pewter, and lead, one large physical mortar, a large collection of books, a large and very fine collection of tulip roots, and a great variety of other articles too tedious to mention. The terms will be made known on the day of sale.

PRISCILLA FARIS, Administratrix.
July 3, 1805.

Foreign Intelligence.

SPAIN.

MADRID, April 18.

WE learn from Algiers, that on the 18th ult. the Dey, about ten o'clock in the morning, being seated on a stone, near the fortification, about two miles from the city, and quite alone, was attacked by four well-armed Turks.—He was fired upon twice, and received ten wounds from their sabres, by which he lost two fingers of his left hand. The assassins have been apprehended.—The Dey was conveyed to his palace. He is at present out of danger. One of the balls fortunately fell upon a purse which the Dey had in a pocket covering his left breast.—This attempt to murder the Dey is ascribed to the dearness of all sorts of provisions and which he had neglected to remedy.

GERMANY.

HAMBURG, May 14.

The king of Prussia, a few days ago, transmitted the insignia of the French order of the legion of honour to the reigning duke of Brunswick. His serene highness, however, instantly returned them with a letter to his Prussian majesty, expressing his obligations for this intended additional mark of his majesty's favour, but begging leave to decline accepting it, because in his quality in knight of the most noble and ancient order of the garter, he was prevented from receiving any badge of chivalry instituted by a power at war with the sovereign of that order.—This spirited conduct of the duke is highly praised in every part of Germany, and is contrasted with that of the elector of Hesse Cassels, who though also a knight of the garter, has not disdained to become a member of the legion of honour. The emperor of Germany the moment he was apprized that the French ambassador at Vienna had orders to present the insignia of the legion of honour to his brothers, the archduke Charles and Ferdinand, created them knights of the golden fleece, by which they are prevented from accepting any order of a more recent origin.

FRANCE.

PARIS, May 21.

Scarcely seated on the throne of Italy, the emperor Napoleon hastened to make known this event to the emperor of Germany, king of Prussia, and to the king of Spain; he has received from all replies equally satisfactory; these three powers as well as all the electors of the Germanic body, the regent of Portugal and the queen of Etruria have acknowledged the new organization of Italy.

The war with England may still last for a long time, but we finally believe that the continental peace will not be disturbed since the emperor of Germany, the king of Prussia and the king of Spain act in concord with the emperor of the French. Well informed men even affirm that Russia has given pacific counsels to England.

Prince Joseph Buonaparte arrived at Ambleteuse on the 15th instant from Boulogne.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, May 18.

The cabinet council, which we stated to have been held yesterday at lord Mulgrave's office, was summoned in consequence of the arrival of dispatches brought by the Gottenburgh mail, from the courts of Petersburg and Sweden. From every information we have been able to collect, it would seem that, so far from the ratification of that treaty of alliance offensive and defensive, between those powers and his majesty, having been signed, there are still some important points under consideration. Whatever progress may have been effected in this measure, it must certainly come too late to produce any important operations during the present season.

A splendid Russian embassy to China, consisting of several thousand persons is to set out from Petersburg on the 24th inst. The emperor of China, has intimated his intention to give it a most gracious reception.

On Monday last the Portuguese ambassador gave a grand dinner at his house in South-street, in celebration of the birth day of the prince of Brazil. The table was laid out in the most sumptuous style upon an elliptic marble slab; in the centre of the table was placed a most curious fountain, with Neptune in the middle, surrounded by Naiads, Tritons, &c. with gold and silver fish swimming about in the water, which had a very beautiful effect, from the variety of lights, and gold and silver ornaments with which the table abounded.

Yesterday the name of the Earle of St. Vincent was withdrawn from the navy club, by command of his lordship.

May 21.

MADAME J. BUONAPARTE.

The lady of Jerome Buonaparte has arrived in this country. She is attended by her brother, Mr. W. Patterson, Mrs. Anderson, a female companion, Dr. Garner, a French Physician and several servants. The account of her arrival soon spread through Dover and its vicinity on Saturday; the public curiosity was strongly excited, and on Sunday morning the pier head of Dover and quays were crowded with spectators, anxiously awaiting the entrance of the Erin into the harbour. About three in the afternoon the vessel came in, and madame Buonaparte, with her suite, landed amidst a great concourse of spectators, and proceeded to the city of London Inn. Madame Buonaparte is a petite figure, elegantly formed; of a fair complexion, hazle eyes, and a beautiful countenance, full of the most interesting expression.

The reason of the ship's coming into an English port is, that as madame Buonaparte is very far advanced in pregnancy, her brother did not think it safe for her to proceed to Baltimore in such a situation. The captain of the ship informs me that he remained in the Texel a week, and his vessel was placed during that time between a 64 gun-ship and a frigate, and row guard boats were kept about the ship during the night. The Dutch admiral behaved with the greatest civility, and very frequently sent provisions from his own table on board.

Extract of a letter from Dover, May 21.

"This day, at about half past 2 o'clock, the beautiful madame Jerome Buonaparte received the visits of the most conspicuous persons both ladies and gentlemen, at this place. Her style and behaviour on this occasion displayed an unaffected elegance and dignified composure, which entirely confirmed the favourable impression, which on her first landing, was immediately made.—She was dressed with great simplicity and modesty: on her head she wore no ornament but her hair, seeming to trust completely to that nature, which had, to her been so bountiful. The company remained a considerable time, each appearing to vie in the offer of attentions. Among many distinguished persons, lady Forbes, the honourable general Hope, Mr. Sheffington, &c. &c. were particularly noticed.

"May 22.—Madame Jerome Buonaparte has this day experienced a continuation of attention from the chief inhabitants, the military, &c. The time of her residence here is not yet determined."

May 22.

"The latest accounts from Paris state, that bets for large sums are offered in that city, and various other parts of France, that a general peace will take place in less than twelve months. It was however rumoured at Paris, that orders were on the point of being issued from the war office for collecting a numerous army at Bayonne.

"According to the latest advices from Cadiz, general Moreau embarked there on the 20th ult. in a French corvette, for America. Jerome Buonaparte has left Madrid under the assumed name of Mr. Albert, merchant, of New-York, on his way to France. Orders have been given, however, to the prefects of Bayonne and Perpignan to detain him should he enter either of those towns, until they should receive further information from the French government. The Spanish troops in the intrenchment of St. Roch now amount to 28,000. An attack upon Gibraltar is still confidently talked of at Cadiz."

May 23.

Vice-admiral Collingwood sailed on Tuesday with twelve sail of the line, it is supposed, to reinforce the fleet, under the command of lord Nelson.

May 25.

Mr. Brooke, the chief clerk of the alien department, arrived at Dover on Monday last, for the purpose of examining all the persons who accompanied madame Jerome Buonaparte on board the Erin. The French physician who attends that lady, far advanced in her pregnancy, and much indisposed, was permitted to remain with her at the London Inn, but under the eye of a proper officer, until the final decision of government be known, as to his disposal, and that of the other male persons who came over with her. Two men servants, after examination, were left on board the Erin, under a guard.—Mr. Brooke went first to Deal, but found on his arrival there, that the vessel had sailed from the Downs for Dover.

Madame Jerome Buonaparte is arrived in town, and has taken up her residence at the house of a relative in Fenchurch-street.

The marriage of Jerome Buonaparte, according to private letters from Paris, has been annulled by the Pope, upon the double motive of the husband being a minor, and the wife a heretic.

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Gazette, previous to the

AD MAGRUDER, jr. clk.

TRAY.

subscriber, living near Alex-
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WILLIAM TUCKER.

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THE BEST SUCCESS, lying in
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HENRY H. DORSEY,
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to give notice,

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under my hand, this 28th day of

MUEL JACOB, Executor.

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DERICK and SAMUEL
GREEN.

American Intelligence.

CONNECTICUT.

NEW-LONDON, July 10.

On the 4th instant, about sixty young gentlemen and ladies, formed a party and assembled at *Harmony Grove*, in Lyme, and after partaking of a handsome collation prepared by the ladies, on the occasion, drank to the following toasts, with appropriate music:

TOASTS.

1. The Day we celebrate.
May generations yet unborn,
With acclamations hail the morn
That made them free.
Long as the sun shall run its round,
Thy sons, Columbia, shall be found
Champions of Liberty.
 2. The President of the United States.
 3. The Governor of the State of Connecticut.
 4. ROGER GRISWOLD, our townsman, and late member of congress—the gentleman, the statesman, and able counsellor. May the reward of virtue be his.
 5. National Integrity and Virtue—As they are the grand pillars which support our Constitution, may we always cherish them.
 6. Sowers of Discord—May they walk bare-foot upon the thistles of anxiety, and reap the thorns of contempt with the sickle of despair.
 7. The town of Lyme—May it ever be distinguished for the peace, harmony and unanimity of its citizens.
 8. * The Tea-Party—31 years since our fathers' patriotism deprived our mothers of the use of tea—May our mother's tea never deprive us of our fathers' patriotism.
 9. Wives—May their virtuous conduct induce each husband to exclaim—
"Should I ten thousand years enjoy my life,
"I could not praise enough so good a wife."
 10. Husbands.
May they avoid those plagues of life—
"An empty purse and scolding wife."
 11. Old Maids.
May each one look back with the deepest regret,
And no more exclaim: "There is time eno' yet."
 12. Old Bachelors—May they ever find *Dulcineas* to lend warmth to their cold hearts, give animation to their enervated frames, and balm to their wounded consciences.
 13. Coquettes—May each be blessed with a Cox-comb.
 14. The present times—The age of bare elbows, transparencies, Suwarrow boots, and mammoth pantaloons.
 15. Absent Friends—A speedy and safe return.
 16. The Ladies present—
"May they to candor, truth, and charity divine.
"The modest, decent, lovely virtues join."
 17. Ourselves—May we
"Seek not to know the bliss or pain
"That from to-morrow takes its birth;
"But count this day a present gain—
"Enjoy sweet love and festive mirth."
- * Alluding to the circumstance of a general search being made, when all the Tea found at each house was taken and burnt.

TERRIBLE HAIL STORM.

A letter from a gentleman in Virginia, to a friend in Connecticut, states, that they have lately been visited by the most tremendous hail storm ever known in that country. "It commenced its career in the neighbourhood of Stanard's-ville, (Orange county) and pursued a south-east direction to James' river, beyond which I have heard nothing of it. Many wheat crops are entirely destroyed by it; and on some farms not a particle of herbage, of any description, is left. Hail stones were found in some places 14 inches in circumference: and near the place of its commencement is said to have remained on the ground 13 days, during which time it was excessively warm."

NEW-YORK.

CANADAIGUA, June 25.

DETROIT IN ASHES.

A letter from a gentleman of respectability at Buffalo Creek, dated the 20th inst. to his friend in this town, contains the following distressing intelligence: "By the schooner *Charlotte*, capt. Nixon, who arrived at Fort Erie yesterday, we are informed that the whole town of Detroit is totally consumed by fire, not a single house in town left standing!

"The fire, it is said, first made its appearance in a stable near the centre of the town, about 9 o'clock in the morning, and such was the rapidity of its ravages, that at 12 o'clock not one house remained. The citadel, which was rather detached, and in which were the barracks, officers, and contractor's stores, was entirely consumed."

NOTE. Detroit is the seat of government of the Michigan Territory, and contained upwards of 300 houses, built of wood in a compact manner, and above 2000 inhabitants.

NEW-YORK, July 12.

Arrived, ship *Orlando*, 67 days from Malaga. Spoke two Portuguese men of war, off the Rock of Gibraltar, cruising for Algerines—also, an armed brig, (supposed to be the United States brig *Syren*, which left Malaga a few days before for Gibraltar). June 23, lat. 34, 38, long. 62, 20, saw a fleet of French men of war, consisting of 23 sail, standing to the northward with the wind at east; was brought

to by one of the ships, the *Achilles*, of 84 guns; the boat was sent with the lieutenant for captain S. and his papers; treated him politely, and detained him but a few minutes; could not learn their destination, but that they were from the West-Indies full of troops.

PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA, July 9.

Extract of a letter, dated *Trinidad*, 10th June.

"A large fleet appeared off Tobago some days ago, which was taken for the French fleet, and all the shipping cleared out as fast as they could run with the *Procyte* frigate, called off here *en passant*. In the course of the day, the 7th, a signal for a fleet of 22 sail was made, and not a doubt remained but it was the fleet from Martinique; every man was under arms and at his post.—In the course of the afternoon they came into the Bay, and anchored at sun-set, near enough to distinguish what all the ships were. Every preparation was made to receive them next day to a certainty; when we found, with surprise, it was admirals Nelson and Cochrane, with twelve sail of the line and ten frigates, with the commander in chief on board, (general Myers,) the chief engineers from Barbadoes, a heavy train of artillery, and 2000 men. On lord Nelson finding we could give him no information of the French fleet, he went off in the course of the day in quest of them, and I hope will find them; though it is probable they may be still in Martinique. If so, and he is joined by Sir Thomas Graves, both the ships and the island will fall into his hands."

BARBADOES.

BRIDGE-TOWN, June 25.

Rear-admiral the honourable Alexander Cochrane, in his majesty's ship *Northumberland*; and his majesty's ship *Jafon*, capt. Champain; Barbadoes, capt. Nourse; Pheasant, capt. Henderfon; and Lily, capt. Morrison, arrived here on Saturday, and came to in Carlisle Bay, in the course of the afternoon. The *Alligator*, capt. Collier, arrived yesterday, in company with a Spanish brig, from Spain bound to the Havanna, which he had captured, but not being able to work into the bay, bore up for St. Vincent.

Lieutenant-general Sir William Myers and suite arrived on board the *Northumberland*, and his army which he so gallantly and promptly volunteered with lord Nelson, have again taken up their quarters at St. Anne's, having turned by the above ships; the 96th regiment excepted, which is left to strengthen the garrison at Antigua.

By these arrivals we learn, that lord Nelson, to his own great disappointment and that generally of his fleet, and the army embarked with him, not having found the enemy at Trinidad, proceeding in quest of him, touched at Antigua on the 19th inst. where his fleet came to in the evening, and having landed one regiment, and shifted the rest of the troops to the *Northumberland*, &c. got under way again next morning, still hoping to trace the enemy's route. The *Nesley* schooner, which had had charge of the Antigua homeward bound trade, consisting of 14 sail, which left that island on the 8th instant, was at this time returning into port, her convoy having, a few hours after sailing, unfortunately fallen into the enemy's hands.

Lord Nelson spoke this vessel, and received information from her of the capture, and of the situation of the enemy, who was then supposed to be off Bermuda, removing the prisoners, and securing the prizes; some of their ships being at the same time taking in live stock from that island. The gallant admiral instantly made the signal that he had "tidings of the enemy," and followed it up with such others as communicated every necessary arrangement and disposition for the DETERMINED FIGHT. With crowded sail and favouring wind, his whole fleet bent their course as they had been advised; and from the best calculations, it was judged that he could not be more than 36 hours astern of them; so that a general expectation and sanguine hope is still entertained, that he will yet bring these (as they boast themselves,) "proud sons of war," whom their Corsican tyrant vaunts, "shall dry up the channels of British property and commerce," TO BATTLE, and teach them, that Nelson and Victory are synonymous.

Admiral Cochrane, although of necessity obliged to resume his station here, nevertheless offered his ship to lord Nelson, and would have shifted his flag to a frigate; but his lordship deemed it unadvisable to deprive this vigilant officer of his line of battle ship, expressing his thanks for the offer, and conceived the victory as secure with 11, as with 12 sail of the line.

MARTLAND.

BALTIMORE, July 15.

Capt. Stellwagen, arrived at New-York on the 11th, from Malaga, informs, that on the 23d of June, in lat. 34. 40, long. 62, 10, he saw a fleet of French men of war, consisting of 21 sail, chiefly ships of the line, standing to the north, the wind from the eastward.—He was brought to by the *Achilles*, of 84 guns, one of the fleet, who sent a boat on board for capt. S. and the ship's papers; and treated him politely. They were from the West-Indies; but capt. Stellwagen did not learn where they were destined. He was informed by the lieutenant, that every ship had a great number of troops on board—and they were obliged to be on two thirds allowance through the fleet.

Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, July 18, 1805.

FARMER'S BANK.

ON Tuesday last the subscription book for 2000 shares in the Farmer's Bank of Maryland, allotted for Anne-Arundel county and the city of Annapolis, was opened in this city.—On closing the subscription yesterday afternoon, 1690 shares were subscribed.

THEATRE.

NEVER PERFORMED HERE.

FRIDAY evening, a celebrated tragedy in five acts, called *MAHOMET, THE IMPOSTOR*; with (by desire) the farce of *THE FOLLIES OF A DAY*; or, *THE MARRIAGE OF FIGARO*.

WE are authorized to say, that Doctor JOHN GASSAWAY, of Rhode river, will be a candidate at the ensuing election, for one of the representatives of Anne-Arundel county to the legislature. Rhode river, March 27, 1805.

WE are authorized to say, that captain JOSHUA CLARKE HIGGINS is a candidate for the general assembly next fall, and will serve if elected. July 15, 1805.

By authentic information from Paris, of the 6th May, it is ascertained that the drawing of the bills under the Louisiana convention, commenced on the 3d of May. [American.]

From a Lexington, (K.) paper of June 18.

The party of discovery under the command of captains Lewis and Clark, left the mouth of the Missouri on the 19th day of May, 1804. An express with dispatches from their winter quarters, which left them the 14th April, has returned to St. Louis. By the express, letters were received from captain Clark to his correspondent in Kentucky.—They fortified themselves in November last on the bank of the Missouri, 1609 miles from the mouth, by actual measurement, in lat. 47 21 north, then called Fort Mandane, after a nation of Indians who reside in the neighbourhood, and who have been very friendly to them.—On their passage up they were delighted with the beautiful appearance of the country for about 200 leagues, or to the mouth of the river La Plate, which comes in from the south; after which, to their winter quarters, it is described not to be so fertile. The person who brought the dispatches speaks of the opening made by the river, being about one mile wide with high cliffs on each side. The bed of the river occupies about a fourth part of it, the remainder of the bottom entirely composed of coarse sand covered with cotton wood. This bottom is continually giving way either on one side or the other, and gaining on the opposite side. The cliffs in some places are covered with red cedar, which, with the cotton wood, and a few small black ash trees, is the only timber described to be in that country. From the height, there is not a tree or twig to be seen, as far as the sight can extend, or they have explored. Out from the river the land goes off perfectly level, with but few exceptions—and their plains are covered with grass.

They passed the mouths of a number of streams which had names given them by the French.—One they have named *Floyd's river*, to perpetuate the name of a young man, of their party, named C. Floyd, who died much regretted on the 20th August. They represent the Indians to have been friendly with but a few exceptions. The *Soux* are the most numerous, are organized in bands bearing different names, move about from place to place, from the banks of the river out to the plains, in pursuit of game and plunder, having no fixed place of residence, and in a continual state of warfare. These were the most troublesome Indians to the party of discovery, as they expressed a jealousy, lest they would supply their enemies higher up with arms, &c. The higher up they went, the more friendly they found the savages, and the better armed. They have a more regular trade with the N. West company, and the Hudson Bay company; which supplies come to them by the way of Lake Winnepeck. The Mandanes cultivate corn, which is of a small kind, from whom the party was supplied during the winter, and their hunters kept them in abundance of meat.

The country adjoining the river is represented as being very fertile about 1000 miles; it then becomes poor and naked of timber.

Buffaloes are said to be in great numbers, and of a large size—two description of deer are described; those resembling the common kind of this country being larger, and the tails 18 inches long, and the hair much longer on their bodies; the other kind having a black tail.—Elks and goats numerous. The grouse, or prairie hen are in plenty; and before the closing of the river in the fall, water fowls in abundance. Fifth scarce, and those principally of the cat kind. Some of the white bear skins, had been brought to the fort by visiting Indians from higher up; but the party had seen none of those animals. The Indians keep horses, which are raised entirely for the chase, in a war.

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is nearly a quarter of a mile wide; is equally muddy as at its mouth, and has continued its rapidity with very little alteration, as high as they have gone, though it has become considerably more shallow, so that they will not be able to take their large barge any higher. From what information they have obtained of the course of the upper part of the river, they are at the northwardly part—From where they wintered to the falls, is nearly a south course. The description given by M^r Kenzie of the head waters of the river, is accurate.

They have sent on to the president of the United States an accurate journal, with a map of the country through which they passed.

Six of the party were sent back—the party now consists of 28 men, exclusive of the two officers. They have enjoyed perfect health—not one having been sick, except the unfortunate young man before mentioned, and he was taken off in a few hours with a cramp in his stomach. The greatest friendship has existed with the party; and the men who have returned, speak in the highest terms of the humanity and uncommon pains and attention of both the captains, Lewis and Clark, towards the whole of them; and that they left them in good spirits fully convinced that they would winter on the Pacific Ocean.

They were told of six nations of Indians they would have to pass, before they could arrive at the falls, from only one of which, they apprehended any difficulty—they are called the Snake tribe, and reside high up.

The Mandane Indians have fine horses, yet make but little use of them—using dogs to move their packs from camp to camp. In Summer they move from the river but in winter return to it, for the convenience of procuring fire-wood, which is scarce and not good, being mostly cotton wood which in appearance resembles the Lombardy poplar, but does not grow so high.

Our travellers experienced a severe winter, the snow was about two feet deep, and the ice did not break up till late in March. They purchased some horses from the Indians, and broke them for the purpose of hauling fire-wood.

The beavers are said to be very numerous, the Indians catch them by a snare made of the bark of trees.

The Indians tend some corn, which does not exceed four or five feet in length, and the ear shoots out about one foot from the ground.

Fine salt springs have been discovered, and great appearances of lead, copper and iron mines.

Our travellers have procured an animal which is called the wild dog of the prairies. This animal is about the size of a cat, and has dens under ground. They have procured also two magpies, natives of that climate.—The Indians say there are wild sheep to be found higher up the river, about the falls. A horn of a mountain ram hath been procured of a monstrous size, the express states it to be as thick as the calf of the leg of a stout man, the length was not described. The dog, magpies, and remarkable horn are in the possession of a capt. McClellan, who has undertaken to carry them to the city of Washington to the president, with the dispatches.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in the Indiana Territory, to the editor of the Republican Advocate, dated Illinois, St. Clair county, May 29.

"The people of Upper-Louisiana appear to be much pleased with the new mode of government which they are to come under next fall, agreeably to the late acts of congress.

"Six of captains Lewis's and Clark's men have arrived at St. Louis, and about 20 Indians of different tribes, who have never been in a settlement of whites before. They live from 1000 to 1635 miles up the Missouri, and are on their way to see Mr. Jefferson, intending to leave these parts in a very short time. When these men left captains Lewis and Clark, they were just about to leave their winter encampment, and pursue their journey to the Pacific Ocean, which they supposed to be about as much further off as they had gone from the mouth of the Missouri."

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MEDITERRANEAN AFFAIRS.

All the force to be employed the ensuing season, in the chastisement of Tripoli, has failed for its point of destination.—It will be composed as follow:

Ships.		Guns.		Commanders.	
President	44			Commodore S. Barron.	
Constitution	44			Captain Cox.	
Essex	32			Captain Rogers.	
Constellation	36			Captain J. Barron.	
Congress	36			Captain George H. Campbell.	
John Adams	32			Captain L. Decatur.	
Syren	18			Captain Shaw.	
Argus	18			Captain Stewart.	
Vixen	16			Captain Hull.	
Nautilus (sch.)	16			Captain Smith.	
Enterprise do.	16			Captain J. Dent.	
				Captain T. Robinson.	

Besides the above, are two gun boats captured from the Tripolitans, carrying one (copper) 29 pounder, and two brigs howitz each; ten gun boats, each carrying two long 32 pounders, cutter rigged; two bomb-ketches, each carrying one 13 inch mortar and four nine pounders.

The rendezvous of this respectable force is at Malta.

The Knell.

DIED, on Saturday the 6th inst. at his seat near George-town, general URIAH FORREST, after a lingering illness of several months—and on the next day his remains were deposited in the Protestant episcopal burying ground of this place, attended by the largest concourse of citizens we remember to have seen collected on any similar occasion:—a circumstance we notice, because it is indicative of the esteem and regard in which the deceased was held by those who had the best opportunities of appreciating his worth.

He embarked in early life in the revolutionary war, and served with distinction until the battle of Germantown, in which he sacrificed more than a limb to his country. Fated ever after to support himself upon crutches, and to be a prey to the evils of impaired health, his active and intelligent mind rose superior to misfortune, and his life has been equally distinguished by honourable and useful enterprise, and by a zeal the most ardent in the service of his friends; and of all who stood in need of his assistance.

[Wash. Fed.]

—, at his plantation, in Charles county, on Monday evening, the 8th instant, RANDOLPH B. LATIMER, Esquire.

Pursuant to an order of the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be SOLD, for ready money, at the late dwelling of Samuel Ward, of Benjamin, of said county, deceased, on Thursday the 8th of August,

PART of the personal property of the said SAMUEL WARD, consisting of one negro woman and children. The sale to commence at 11 o'clock, A. M.

NATHAN WARD, Administrator.

July 15, 1805.

Land for Sale.

By virtue of a decree from the honourable the High Court of Chancery, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on Monday the 12th of August next, at 11 o'clock, A. M. at J. Low's tavern, on Elk-Ridge,

TWO tracts or parcels of LAND, situated on Elk-Ridge, one called The Victory, containing 30 acres, the other called Eagle Tower, containing 8 acres, the former adjoins col. John E. Howard's farm, and the latter the manor of Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esquire. The terms of sale, nine months credit, the purchaser or purchasers to give bond, with approved security.

A particular description of the land is deemed to be unnecessary, as it is presumed no person will become a purchaser without having viewed the premises.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER, Trustee.

July 15, 1805.

Tavern for Rent.

THAT large and commodious house, (with all necessary out buildings) occupied by Mr. Thomas Elliott, on the post road from Annapolis to Lower-Marlborough, with about one hundred acres of fertile land. The many advantages attending its situation renders it an object to any person wishing to engage in that line. Terms may be known by applying to the subscriber, adjoining the premises.

ANNAPOLIS, LUCY BATTEE. Anne-Arundel county, July 6, 1805.

Fifteen Dollars Reward,

TO any person who will bring to me, or secure him, so that I get him again, negro WILL, a small black fellow, about 25 years of age, who eloped from the subscriber, living near Pig Point, in Anne-Arundel county, on the 15th instant, about 3 o'clock in the morning; he had on when he went away, a round jacket of white kersey, turned up with blue, a red striped waistcoat, olnabrig shirt and trousers; he has a remarkable scar a little above his forehead, occasioned by a scald when young, if closely examined will discover guilt, about 5 feet 1 or 2 inches high; his father belongs to William Stewart, Esq; near South river church. It is likely he will be in that neighbourhood, or about the city of Annapolis. I hereby forewarn all masters of vessels from harbouring or receiving on board their vessels the said negro Will. JERNINGHAM DRURY.

July 17, 1805.

Poet's Corner.

SELECTED.

THE FIRST LESSON

OF A FATHER TO HIS SON AT A YEAR OLD.

BOY love your mother!—the with tearful eye Reads the flow progress of thy op'ning mind; Removes the cause of every infant sigh, And by her practice lures thee to be kind.

Boy, love thy mother! calm her beating heart, That throbs, affectionate with care for thee; Compose her anxious breast with playful art, Prefs her soft lips, and prattle at her knee.

Boy, love thy mother!—Let thy lisping tongue, In broken accents, charm her wond'ring ear, And, when again upon her bosom hung, Say, Oh, Mama! I love, I love you dear.

Boy, love thy mother! the reflected rays Will beam new lustre o'er thy father's days.

ARITHMETICAL QUESTION.

A student at one of our Universities, some years since, by the name of Tucker, who was remarkable for large teeth; and another by the name of Green, whose nose was not the least prominent feature of his face, one day warmly disputed the point of precedence in Arithmetical knowledge. As the contest grew warmer, and was not likely soon to be compromised by themselves, they agreed to refer the matter to the decision of a student in a class above them. In discussing the dispute to this arbitrator, they agreed that he should propound a knotty question, and the one who should solve it with the most expedition, and in his judgment, with most propriety, should bear the palm. After considerable hesitation and unwillingness to comply on the part of the Referee elect, and increasing importunity of the disputants, he proposed the following very ingenious and keenly satirical question, which at once ended the contest.

"If Tucker's teeth three pounds of Beef

"Consume in half an hour,

"I pray disclose what chance Green's nose

"Would stand, if in their power!"

[Farmer's Cabinet.]

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out of the general court, will be EXPOSED at PUBLIC SALE, for cash, at Mr. JOHN GWINN's tavern, in Annapolis, at 12 o'clock, on the 26th day of July, 1805,

ONE house and lot, taken as the property of William Brown, to satisfy a debt due James Hindman, administrator of James Anderson, for the use of Benjamin Ogle, Esq; for the use of William Henry Brown.

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

July 16, 1805.

The Vestry of St. Margaret's Westminster Parish, on the north side of Severn, shall OFFER for SALE, at the old church, near Severn ferry, on the first Monday in August next,

A QUANTITY of BRICKS, either the whole together, or such parcels as may best suit the purchasers.

June 28, 1805.

In Chancery, June 27, 1805.

ORDERED, That the sale made by JOHN WELCH, trustee for the sale of the real estate of Samuel Godman, mortgaged to John Gwinn, shall be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn before the first day of August next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Maryland Gazette before the fifth day of July next.

The report states, that three tracts of land, in Anne-Arundel county, called Henderson's Meadows, Addition to Sampson, and Locust Plains, containing in the whole three hundred and fifty-seven acres, were sold at two dollars per acre.

True copy,

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

TO LET,

For a term of years, to a good tenant, MY FARM, on the north side of Severn, containing 428 acres, it adjoins the river, and convenient to the market in Annapolis, and the conveyance of the produce to Baltimore.

Also my mill, on a constant stream of water. Application to be made to NICHOLAS BRICE, in Baltimore, or to the subscriber, in Annapolis.

JOHN BRICE.

July 10, 1805.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the subscribers intend to apply to the Anne-Arundel county court, to be held at the city of Annapolis, on the third Monday in September next, for a commission to mark and bound their tract of land called TOMBS RISQUE, lying in Anne-Arundel county, agreeably to an act of assembly in such case made and provided.

OWEN DORSEY, HENRIETTA DORSEY, LYDIA DORSEY.

July 3, 1805.

JACOB'S LAW DICTIONARY.

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

In Council.

ANNAPOLIS, MAY 16, 1805.

ORDERED, That the act to provide for the trial of facts in the several counties of this state, and to alter, change and abolish, all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the general court and court of appeals, be published twice in each week, for the space of three months, in the Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis; the American, Telegraph, and the Federal Gazette, at Baltimore; the National Intelligencer; the Republican Advocate and Bargis's paper, at Frederick-town; Griener's paper, at Hagerstown; and in Smith's and Cowan's papers, at Ealton.

By order,

NINIAN PINKNEY, Clerk.

An ACT to provide for the trial of facts in the several counties of this state, and to alter, change and abolish, all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the general court and court of appeals.

BE it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That this state shall be divided into six judicial districts, in manner and form following, to wit: Saint-Mary's, Charles and Prince-George's counties, shall be the first district; Cecil, Kent, Queen-Anne's and Talbot counties, shall be the second district; Calvert, Anne-Arundel and Montgomery counties, shall be the third district; Caroline, Dorchester, Somerset and Worcester counties, shall be the fourth district; Frederick, Washington and Allegany counties, shall be the fifth district; Baltimore and Harford counties, shall be the sixth district; and there shall be appointed, for each of the said judicial districts, three persons of integrity and sound legal knowledge, residents of the state of Maryland, who shall, previous to and during their sitting as judges, reside in the district for which they shall respectively be appointed, one of whom shall be styled in the commission Chief Judge, and the other two Associate Judges, of the district for which they shall be appointed; and the chief judge, together with the two associate judges, shall compose the county courts in each respective district; and each judge shall hold his commission during good behaviour, removable for misbehaviour on conviction in a court of law, or shall be removed by the governor, upon the address of the general assembly, provided that two thirds of all the members of each house concur in such address; and the county courts, so as aforesaid established, shall have, hold and exercise, in the several counties of this state, all and every the powers, authorities and jurisdictions, which the county courts of this state now have, use and exercise, and which shall be hereafter prescribed by law; and the said county courts established by this act shall respectively hold their sessions in the several counties at such times and places as the legislature shall direct and appoint, and the salaries of the said judges shall not be diminished during the period of their continuance in office.

II. And be it enacted, That in any suit or action at law hereafter to be commenced or instituted in any county court of this state, the judges thereof, upon suggestion, in writing, by either of the parties thereto, supported by affidavit, or other proper evidence, that a fair and impartial trial cannot be had in the county court of the county where such suit or action is depending, shall and may order and direct the record of their proceedings in such suit or action to be transmitted to the judges of any county court within the district for trial, and the judges of such county court, to whom the said record shall be transmitted, shall hear and determine the same in like manner as if such suit or action had been originally instituted therein; provided nevertheless, that such suggestion shall be made as aforesaid before or during the term in which the issue or issues may be joined in said suit or action; and provided also, that such further remedy may be provided by law in the premises as the legislature shall from time to time direct and enact.

III. And be it enacted, That if any party presented or indicted in any of the county courts of this state, shall suggest, in writing, to the court in which such prosecution is depending, that a fair and impartial trial cannot be had in such court, it shall and may be lawful for the said court to order and direct the record of their proceedings in the said prosecution to be transmitted to the judges of any adjoining county court for trial, and the judges of such adjoining county court shall hear and determine the same in the same manner as if such prosecution had been originally instituted therein; provided, that such further and other remedy may be provided by law in the premises as the legislature may direct and enact.

IV. And be it enacted, That if the attorney-general, or the prosecutor for the state, shall suggest, in writing, to any county court before whom an indictment is or may be depending, that the state cannot have a fair and impartial trial in such court, it shall and may be lawful for the said court, in their discretion, to order and direct the record of their proceedings in the said prosecution to be transmitted to the judges of any adjoining county court for trial, and the judges of such county court shall hear and determine the same as if such prosecution had been originally instituted therein.

V. And be it enacted, That there shall be a court of appeals, and the same shall be composed of the chief judges of the several judicial districts of the state, which said court of appeals shall hold, use and exercise, all and singular the powers, authorities and jurisdictions, heretofore held, used and exercised, by the court of appeals of this state, and also the appellate jurisdiction heretofore used and exercised by the general court; and the said court of appeals here-

by established shall sit on the western and eastern shores for transacting and determining the business of the respective shores, at such times and places as the future legislature of this state shall direct and appoint, and any three of the said judges of the court of appeals shall form a quorum to hear and decide in all cases pending in said court; and the judge who has given a decision in any case in the county court, shall withdraw from the bench upon the deciding of the same case before the court of appeals; and the judges of the court of appeals may appoint the clerks of said court for the western and eastern shores respectively, who shall hold their appointments during good behaviour, removable only for misbehaviour on conviction in a court of law; and in case of death, resignation, disqualification, or removal out of the state, or from their respective shores, of either of the said clerks in the vacation of the said court, the governor, with the advice of the council, may appoint and commission a fit and proper person to such vacant office, to hold the same until the next meeting of the said court; and all laws passed after this act shall take effect, shall be recorded in the office of the court of appeals of the western shore.

VI. And be it enacted, That all and every part of the constitution and form of government which relates to the court of appeals and the general court, or the judges thereof, or that is in any manner repugnant to, or inconsistent with, the provisions of this act, be and the same is hereby repealed, abrogated and annulled, upon the confirmation hereof; provided, that nothing herein contained shall be construed so as to authorize the removal of the clerks of the respective county courts, being in commission at the time of the passing of this act, in any other mode or manner than that prescribed by the constitution and form of government.

VII. And be it enacted, That if this act shall be confirmed by the general assembly, after the next election of delegates, in the first session after such new election, as the constitution and form of government directs, that in such case this act, and the alterations and amendments of the constitution and form of government therein contained, shall be taken and considered, and shall constitute and be valid, as a part of the said constitution and form of government, to all intents and purposes, any thing in the said constitution and form of government to the contrary notwithstanding.

Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

SINGLETON WARFIELD, an insolvent debtor of Anne-Arundel county, having applied, by petition, in writing, to Anne-Arundel county court, praying the benefit of an act for the benefit of insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and four, and a schedule of his property, and a list of creditors, on oath, as by the said act is required, being annexed to his said petition; and the said Singleton Warfield being under an arrest upon mesne process for debts due before the passage of the said act, and having proved to the satisfaction of the said court that he had resided in the state of Maryland the two last years preceding the passage of the said act.—It is thereupon adjudged and ordered, that the said Singleton Warfield appear before the said court, at the court-house, in the city of Annapolis, on the twenty-fourth day of September next, then and there to produce to said court, the assent, in writing, of creditors holding two thirds of the amount of his debts, and to answer such interrogatories as may be proposed to him by his creditors, and that the said day be and it is hereby appointed the time for said creditors to appear and recommend a trustee for their benefit, and that the said Singleton Warfield give them notice of the passage of this order, by causing a copy of it to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once in each of the next twelve successive weeks.

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, CLK.

May 31, 1805. A. A. County Court.

List of Letters

Remaining in the Post-Office, Annapolis, June 30, 1805.

JOHN BRISON, David Bangs, rev. Mr. Bitouzey. Chloe Cook, Philip Curran, William Caton, jun. John W. H. Carroll (2). Thomas Duckett. Antonine Formige. John Gwinn, John Gibson (6). Frederick & Saml. Green, Richard Gray. Samuel H. Howard, John J. Hellen, Edward Hall, Dr. Haller (2), Samuel Hayward. George Jeppet. Saml. Mole, William Bond Martin, John Munnoc, George Mackubin, R. McCorty, Thomas Mc, Hugh McGuire. Roger Perry, Charles Phillips. John Ragan, jun. John M. Sewell, Basil Spalding, William Smith, Alexander Stewart. Philip Thomas (2), Washington C. Tuck, John Teutle, Sarah Tood. Gideon White (2), Elizabeth Wood, Joseph Williams, Annapolis.

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S. GREEN, P. M.

None of the above letters will be delivered without the money.

By Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

JOSHUA MARRIOTT, junior, an insolvent debtor of Anne-Arundel county, having applied by petition, in writing, to Anne-Arundel county court, praying the benefit of an act of assembly for the benefit of insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and four, and a schedule of his property, and a list of creditors, on oath, as by the said act is required, being annexed to his said petition, and the said Joshua Marriott, junior, being under an arrest upon mesne process and a capias at satisfaciendum for debts due before the passage of the said act, and having proved to the satisfaction of the said court, that he had resided in the state of Maryland the two last years preceding the passage of said act.—It is thereupon adjudged and ordered, that the said Joshua Marriott, junior, appear before the said court, at the court-house in the city of Annapolis, on the twenty-fourth day of September next, then and there to produce to said court the assent, in writing, of creditors holding two thirds of the amount of his debts, and to answer such interrogatories as may be proposed to him by his creditors, and that the said day be and it is hereby appointed the time for said creditors to appear and recommend a trustee for their benefit, and that the said Joshua Marriott, junior, give them notice of the passage of this order, by causing a copy of it to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once in each of the next twelve successive weeks.

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, CLK.

A. A. County Court.

May 31, 1805.

Prince-George's County Court,

APRIL TERM, April 13, 1805.

RICHARD G. HARDESTY, an insolvent debtor of Prince-George's county, having applied by petition, in writing, to this court, praying the benefit of an act of assembly passed at the last session of the general assembly of Maryland, entitled, "An Act for the relief of fundry insolvent debtors," and a schedule of his property with a list of his creditors on oath, as by the said act is required, being annexed to his petition, and the said Richard G. Hardesty, having proved to the satisfaction of the court, that he resided within the state of Maryland the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act, and being committed by the court into the custody of the sheriff of Prince-George's county for a debt due and owing before the passage of the said act, and having upon giving bond and security agreeably to said act, to appear before this court, on the first Tuesday in September next, been discharged from custody. It is thereupon adjudged and ordered by the court here, that the said Richard G. Hardesty, appear before this court, at the court-house in Upper-Marlborough town, on the first Tuesday in September next, then and there to produce to the court, the assent in writing of creditors holding two thirds of the amount of his debts, and to answer such interrogatories as may be proposed to him, and that the said day be, and it is hereby appointed the time for said creditors to appear and recommend a trustee for their benefit. And the said Richard G. Hardesty is hereby directed to give notice to his creditors, of his application, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted eight weeks successively in the Maryland Gazette, previous to the next term.

True copy,

Test. JOHN READ MAGRUDER, jr. clk.

Public Sale.

Will be EXPOSED TO PUBLIC SALE, on Friday the 26th of July, at Mr. EDWARD HALL's quarter, where Mr. Ezekiel Phelps's lately resided, at 12 o'clock, for cash,

TWO negro lads, Dick and Jack, taken as the property of Martha and Edward Hall, to satisfy fundry officers fees.

HENRY HOWARD, Late Sheriff.

June 25, 1805.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT application will be made to the justices of Anne-Arundel county court, at September term next, for a commission to mark and bound a tract of land called THE BEST SUCCESS, lying in Saint-Margaret's Westminster parish, in the county aforesaid, agreeably to act of assembly in such case made and provided.

HENRY H. DORSEY,
HENRY EVANS.

July 1, 1805.

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the state of Maryland, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of ROGER DITTY, late of Anne-Arundel 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 twenty-eighth day of November next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 28th day of May, 1805.

SAMUEL JACOB, Executor.

ANNAPOLIS:

Printed by FREDERICK and SAMUEL GREEN.

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Mr. PRINT

SINCE the publication of the first number of this paper, I have not had one minute of leisure to write you. I have been so much infected very for my husband who was and would do well, very tyrant. If new gown, (you wife ought to go but quick march me order arms, ordinary time. us last Sunday, as he used to do, and his grace as if I offer to exp extravagance, he bring my rear to the confusion broom, or spit, to it, but goes the kind for a m as himself. It v in the back war the manual. T the housemaid h John, the porter scraper; my son at a distance, a good man gave had secreted the never have found marching and co- rised them befo and load, I ver whole regiment not the worst m of maneuvering, we shall manoeu band has laid al in the true mili call the other da of the town, wh how is't comrad to let us know of about two ye gentleman, as t but the door, wheel. This vo- tice Bubble's h woman) away, serve her; my h hall, my son wa and forming pl was exercising doors off, and t the pantry. T husband is not happened to ask ours in a brow he answered, b my asking the nothing became Perhaps, Mr employed in sh well as in distri expect you will treat. I will, my husband, b the hope that o our enemies wi play of patriot hand and one l ravagers of E- rity, and the f

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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

T H U R S D A Y, J U L Y 25, 1805.

Miscellany.

FROM A LATE LONDON PAPER.

MR. PRINTER,
SINCE the present military mania has seized the inhabitants of this once peaceable town, I have not had one minute's happiness: you must know the infection very soon spread itself into my family: my husband who was what is called a good sort of a man, and would do whatever I bid him, is now become a very tyrant. If I ask him for a few guineas for a new gown, [you know Mr. Printer, a tradesman's wife ought to go decent] he makes me no other reply but quick march! If he wants his dinner, he bids me order arms, and his supper must be got ready in ordinary time. We had a few friends to dine with us last Sunday, and instead of saying grace decently, as he used to do, he called out attention—handle arms: and his grace after dinner, is now, shut pans! Yet if I offer to expostulate with him on account of his extravagance, he'll give me such a volley, as shall bring my rear rank to close order; but this is nothing to the confusion it makes in the house: not a mop, broom, or spit, in short any thing that has a handle to it, but goes to rack; he mistakes every thing of the kind for a musket, and the servants are all as mad as himself. It was but yesterday that I caught him in the back warehouse teaching them what he calls the manual. The cook was furnished with a spit, the housemaid had shouldered my best hair broom, and John, the porter, was presenting arms with the shop scraper; my son, Jackey, formed the light infantry at a distance, trailing arms with the poker, while my good man gave the word of command; indeed they had secreted themselves so effectually, that I should never have found them but for the noise they made in marching and counter-marching; however, as I surprised them before they could recover arms, or prime and load, I very soon broke the line, and put the whole regiment to flight.—But this, Mr. Printer, is not the worst misfortune that I expect from this rage of maneuvering, for between you and I, I am afraid we shall manœuvre away all our customers.—My husband has laid aside all his former modesty, and talks in the true military style of importance. I heard him call the other day to the great man at the other end of the town, whom he scarce before dared to look at, how is't comrade? and when Iquire Gaukey called to let us know he had not forgot the bill he owed us of about two years standing, instead of thanking the gentleman, as tradesmen you know ought to do, he shut the door, and bid the coachman to the right wheel. This very morning I was obliged to fend Justice Bubble's housekeeper (a very pretty kind of a woman) away, because nobody could be found to serve her; my husband was gone to drill in the town-hall, my son was wheeling to the right by divisions, and forming platoons in the Forbury; the shopman was exercising incog. in a neighbour's garden a few doors off, and the porter was priming and loading in the pantry. The only comfort I feel is, that my husband is not the only one that is thus altered. I happened to ask Mr. Squeezem, an old neighbour of ours in a brown George, what news there was? and he answered, blue with a red collar; and another, on my asking the price of a piece of dimity, assured me nothing became a soldier so much as white pantaloons. Perhaps, Mr. Printer, you are yourself occasionally employed in priming, and in handling the pike, as well as in distributing the primer and pica: if so, I expect you will order me to right about face and retreat. I will, therefore, only add that I shall, like my husband, but in a different sense, support arms in the hope that this will be a short inconvenience; that our enemies will be convinced by this universal display of patriotic spirit, that Englishmen have but one hand and one heart in repelling from their coasts the ravagers of Europe, the destroyers of order and security, and the scourges of human nature.

BARBARA BLUNDERBUSS.

THE GRATEFUL GUEST.

THE late Joseph Younger, who was prompter to Covent Garden theatre, during the management of Mr. Coleman, one day met old Lewis, who formerly played at Cheltenham, before their majesties, and seeing he was apparently in great distress, took him home with him, gave him some cloaths, and kept him to dinner. After the cloth was removed, and the bottle in circulation; Younger observed that Lewis was rather melancholy; upon which his grateful guest observed as follows: "I was just reflecting what a hard case it is, that a man of talents like myself, should be about half naked and half starved, whilst such a d—d stupid rascal as you are, live in luxury, and have it in your power to give me cloaths and provisions."

[London paper.]

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

At a stated monthly meeting of the Philadelphia society for promoting agriculture, on the ninth inst. the following interesting communication on a disease which has lately prevailed to a great degree near this city, was read, and ordered to be published immediately.

JAMES MEASE, M. D. Secretary.

July 10th, 1805.

HOVEN CATTLE.

THE clover husbandry being now, happily for the parts of our country heretofore worn out and sterile, very prevalent, it behooves us to extinguish all prejudices against this great and extensive improvement. One evil attending luxuriant clover (whether plastered or not is immaterial, though some have without reason, supposed a difference) is the subjecting cattle to become hoven, by too greedily feeding on this grass, when it is growing, or when cut and given to them green, while it is wet with dew or rain.—Horned cattle particularly, when turned in hungry, though ever so much accustomed to clover, are liable to this misfortune.—Young and soft clover, loaded with dew or rain, is the most productive of this disease. They therefore should not be turned in, till after the dew or rain is exhaled. Beasts kept constantly in the field, are not in danger, in so great a degree. Horses do not always escape. Swine and sheep, are also subject to this malady. Any succulent and juicy food, if moist with rain or dew, has a capacity to generate the air, which by its expansion in the animal, produces hoving.—Lucerne, pea vines, green Indian corn, plants and buckwheat, have, under my own observation, occasioned this destructive complaint.

SYMPTOMS.

The paunch is so enormously swelled, that, unless relief is promptly afforded, death ensues. In the last stages of this disease, the tongue hangs out of the mouth, the eyes are full and protuberant, and the rectum (or last gut) is distended externally, sometimes four or five inches. The beast falls; and exhibits signs of the most severe pain and torture. Its groans are piteous and distressing.

CURES.

(1.) Immediately stab the animal on the left side, between the hind-rib and the hip-bone; not too near the latter, with a pen (or other small) knife. Stand near the left shoulder, with your left hand on the back of the animal, and perform the operation (two or three inches deep) with your right; to avoid being kicked, which sometimes, though rarely happens. If he lays down, the hind legs may be secured, for the moment, with a cord. Be not afraid of wounding the intestine. The knife must pierce the abdomen, to let the wind escape. If one incision is ineffectual, or gets closed, make another. It has been repeated seven times, on the same bullock, in different distended parts of the belly, and succeeded at last. It does not always wound the gut; as the wind is between that and the exterior parts. Vast explosions of wind, often very fetid, with water of a redish colour, will issue from the orifice. A knife sharp at the point and not edged far, with a short blade, wrapped round with cord or rags to prevent its going too deep, is the best. But be not nice as to this. This disease is certainly mortal, unless instantly relieved; therefore, think not any remedy too daring. A large butcher's knife has been used, when a penknife was not at hand. After the evacuation of wind through the incision, give a warm clyster. It may be composed of oil, fish pickle, molasses, and, if no pickle, some salt. In the Museum Rusticum in 1764, and Mr. Wynn Baker's report to the Dublin Society in 1769, a full account of this disease may be seen. It will effectually remove all prejudices against this remedy, which, if applied in time, is so certain, that not one in an hundred cattle, thus treated, has been lost. I can vouch on my own experience, for the efficacy and little danger of the operation. Let nature cure the wound. Do not sew it up, or apply any thing, except what will keep away the flies.

(2.) A beast has been relieved by violent crustations; on the tongue's being suddenly and forcibly drawn out.

(3.) Another instant and very efficacious remedy, is raking the beast; and drawing out the superabundant feces. This is well known to and often practiced by farriers.

(4.) Another, in the first stage, frequently successful remedy, and always useful as an auxiliary, after the more prompt methods before recommended have been used, is drenching. For this purpose take a pint of sweet oil, or if this cannot be had, raw linseed, or even train oil, or melted hog's lard. Salt and water have been serviceable. But these are too feeble in extreme cases. All these remedies may be applied, without incompatibility, to the same diseased subject.

Half an hour, and frequently a less time, terminates the disease by death or recovery. Therefore, be expeditious—Do not listen to those who tell you about danger from the knife. It may and sometimes does fail. But without it, your loss is generally certain.

Some will suppose your beast poisoned; and not a few will dream that it is poison generated by plastered clover. Some, astonished at the suddenness, hideous symptoms and rapid progress of the malady, will pronounce, very gravely, that it is the effect of madness, or secret mischief and witchcraft. However absurd they may appear to persons of intelligence, I have been present when such causes have been seriously assigned. All my endeavours to procure the application of prompt remedies have been defeated by one or other of these vagaries. The knife is the surest remedy for, and antidote against this imaginary poison. It instantaneously dissolves the fancied spells of the ideal practitioners in witchcraft. It banishes from the brains of those who prove themselves no conjurers, all apprehensions on this score, more decidedly and promptly than even the old horse-shoe nailed on the door-hill.

These latter observations are made with the sole view of warning the owners of stock against the ignorance and prejudices of their subordinates or weak advisers; and to induce them personally to attend to the preservation of their cattle, on such sudden and dangerous emergencies.

RICHARD PETERS.

Blockley, 5th July, 1805.

To the Philadelphia Society for
promoting Agriculture.

FROM THE WEEKLY WANDERER.

MR. PRINTER.

I WOULD beg leave, through the medium of your paper, to solicit my brother farmers to make use of their ashes on their corn land, instead of felling them to the merchants for 12 cents a bushel. I will warrant them 45 cents a bushel clear of all expence, if rightly managed. The method is this: When your corn first comes out of the ground put one half pint of ashes round the hill; if your ashes are not good put the more. In conversation with a venerable old gentleman the other day on the subject, he assured me, that he had made use of ashes in this way for many years past, and had never failed of having one bushel of corn extraordinary for every bushel of ashes. It is the opinion of some men that half a pint of good ashes is rather too much for a hill, but this must be left to the discretion of the farmer. I am sensible it is not customary to pay much attention to what we read in newspapers; but, my brother farmers, let us try one bushel this year, and if it has the desired effect, we shall be rewarded for our trouble, and can well afford to try the experiment another year.

A FARMER.

PEACH TREES.

OBSERVING an article relative to this tree in the Farmer's Repository, I thought it might be of service to some persons, who have leisure and opportunity to make the experiment, which the writer was informed was an effectual preservative.

Make boxes around your trees about one foot in height, and in capacity (exclusive of the tree) to hold a peck, fill this in with the bark taken from tan vats, pressing it a little together, and your trees will remain free from worms around the roots, which are so destructive to trees, as it is found that worms will not inhabit this bark if ever so old.

Con. Cur.

FROM THE AMERICAN MUSEUM.

RECIPT FOR PRESERVING TURNIPS FROM INSECTS.

TURNIPS are so frequently destroyed by a small fly, which feeds on them while quite young, that farmers are, in a great measure, deterred from attempting to cultivate that valuable root.—The following receipts, to prevent the ravages of that destructive insect, having been published in Europe, be pleased to insert them in your Museum, for the benefit of that very useful class of citizens, the yeomanry of the country.

PHILIP SCHUYLER.

Receipt first.—To a quart of turnip seed add one ounce of brimstone, finely powdered; put both into a bottle, large enough to afford room to shake them well together every day, for four or five days previous to sowing, keeping the bottle well corked.

Receipt second.—Take such a quantity of elder leaves, as, when bruised, will yield juice sufficient to cover the turnip seed you intend to sow, in which let it soak about twelve hours; the next day mix it with the bruised leaves, and sow all together.

If turnip seed is sowed while it rains, it does not require to be harrowed in, and the young plants shoot so strongly, that they soon gain strength, beyond the power of the fly.

Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, July 25, 1805.

THEATRE.

MR. BLISSETT'S BENEFIT.

THIS EVENING, will be presented, a favourite Comedy, not acted here these 7 years, called THE ROAD TO RUIN; with the musical Farce of THE TURNPIKE GATE.

WE are authorized to say, that Doctor JOHN GASSAWAY, of Rhode river, will be a candidate at the ensuing election, for one of the representatives of Anne-Arundel county to the legislature. Rhode river, March 27, 1805.

WE are authorized to say, that captain JOSHUA CLARKE HIGGINS is a candidate for the general assembly next fall, and will serve if elected. July 15, 1805.

A London paper of May 28, contains the following letter from Cork, under date of May 21:—

"I am concerned to inform you, that the Newfoundland fleet which sailed hence 9th instant, with convoy, being met by a French frigate were all either burnt or captured, 2 of them were retaken by the Topaze and Rosario, off the north west coast of Ireland."

WILLIAM BRENT is appointed clerk of the circuit court, in the room of general Forrest, deceased.

The following is the sentence passed on Don Joseph Cabrera, by the mayor's court of Philadelphia, for forgery:—

That he, the said Joseph Cabrera, pay a fine of two thousand dollars, and be confined at hard labour for three years in the state prison. Phil. pap.

We are informed that capt. MURRAY, is appointed to command the Adams frigate, ordered to disperse the French picarons off our coast. Phil. Gaz.

BOSTON, July 15.

Captain Marshall, arrived at quarantine from St. Bartholomews, reports, that he spoke a vessel from Guadaloupe, the master of which informed, that the Antigua fleet of merchantmen captured by the French and Spanish squadrons, had arrived at that place; and that in consequence thereof, the markets for sugar and coffee had experienced a deep depression, the former having been reduced to 4 dollars, and the latter 12.

Capt. Seward, from Cadiz, informs, that there were five sail of the Spanish line, lying in the bay ready for sea; one of 140 guns, two of 74, two of 64, and four others were to drop down in a few days, and wait the arrival of 11 more from Carthagen, which were hourly expected:—There was no account from the combined fleet, since they left Cadiz; their destination was still a secret.—Capt S. also informs, that general Moreau had had a friendly hint to leave Spain; and was to take passage either in the ship Sachem, of Wiscasset, for Boston, or in the Washington, for New-Bedford.

Capt Sawyer, from Madeira, informs, that all was quiet at that island:—but that fortifications were erecting, by order of the government of Portugal, being apprehensive her neutrality would be impeded.

FREDERICK-TOWN, July 19.

FARMER'S BANK.

On Tuesday last the books for receiving subscriptions to the Farmer's Bank of Maryland, were opened at the court-house in this town, and continued open on that and the following day, from ten o'clock A. M. till five o'clock P. M. when they were closed. The number of shares subscribed amounted to upwards of 400; and I feel confident, (and it is the opinion of many) that, had the time for opening the books been postponed for a month or two longer, the whole number of shares would have been readily taken. The public sentiment seems to be decidedly in favour of the excellence of the plan of this institution.

Every man in the state of any independence of sentiment at all, must fondly contemplate the commencement of a new monied institution which will be free from the petty influences of a partial, local, narrow, selfish interest. The bank will go into operation in a few weeks.

BALTIMORE, July 20.

Captain Ogilvie, who arrived at New-York from Malaga, informs, that the Carthagen fleet, consisting of eleven sail of the line, had got out of the Mediterranean. An idle rumour prevailed at Malaga, that the British government had offered terms of peace to Spain, and had proposed as a preliminary to restore the frigates and treasure detained before the commencement of the war, and to make restitution for the frigate which had been sunk; but that the Spanish government, irritated at the wanton sacrifice of its subjects in the action wherein the above vessels were taken, had rejected all overtures for pacification.

We learn from Worcester, July 10, that "it is now more than four weeks since the earth has been refreshed with a shower; and the fields and gardens begin to wear a melancholy appearance—the crops of industrious husbandmen must be greatly injured, unless they are soon watered from the great fountain—'for without rain from Heaven the corn must wither on its stalks.'—Boston Centinel.

Postscript.

From Baltimore Papers, received by Wednesday's Packet.

PHILADELPHIA, July 22.

Arrived here, the brig Commodore Barry, captain Meade, from Havanna, which he left the 4th of July, and informs that on the 2d or 3d inst. a vessel arrived there express, with dispatches to the governor, from the combined French and Spanish fleets. After the arrival of which, it was reported that a fleet of 21 sail of French and Spanish ships with 10,000 land troops were to windward, and that they meant a descent on Jamaica, which caused great joy among the Spaniards, as they seemed not to doubt the truth of it.

NEW-YORK, July 20.

Yesterday arrived at this port the brig Eliza, capt. Burgess, in 12 days from Havanna. By this vessel we have undoubted information, that the combined fleet, or that part at least composed by the Spanish ships under admiral Gravina, were confidently expected at Havanna: It is no doubt true, that letters were recently received there, addressed to admiral Gravina, the Spanish admiral, directed to the care of the captain general of marines. It was currently reported, and believed, that the Spanish part of the fleet, supported by some French ships, would go to Le Vera Cruz to take in the treasure there (said to amount to 25 millions of dollars) and touch at Havanna on the homeward bound passage. This object is, doubtless, important enough to justify the report. It was not doubted at all in Havanna.

ATTENTION THE WHOLE!!

THE Members composing the Volunteer Companies of Infantry and Artillery, are requested to take notice, that there will be a meeting of said Companies, on SATURDAY NEXT, the 27th inst. at 3 o'clock, P. M. The members are requested to appear in complete uniform, with arms and accoutrements in soldier-like order.

The Knot.

MARRIED, on Tuesday evening last, by the rev. Mr. HIGINBOTHOM, ROBERT COUDEN STONE, Esq; to Miss MARY MANN, both of this city.

The Knell.

DIED, on Tuesday morning last, at 6 o'clock, after a long and painful illness, which she bore with christian fortitude and resignation, in the 21st year of her age, Miss ELIZABETH COULTER, of this city.—But a few days since, herself and friends were flattered with the prospect of a speedy restoration to health.—But, alas! such is the mutability of this life!!—her disorder returned with redoubled force, and blasted their fondest expectations.

The amiable disposition and urbanity of manners of this young lady had justly entitled her to the esteem of all her acquaintance—and the general regret expressed at her death forms the best criterion of her worth.—Yesterday evening her remains were attended to the silent tomb, by a number of respectable citizens.

"Does Youth, does Beauty read the line?
"Does sympathetic fear their breast alarm?
"Speak, dead ELIZA, breathe a strain divine,
"Even from the grave thou shalt have power to charm.
"Bid them be chaste, be innocent like thee—
"Bid them in duty's sphere as meekly move;
"And, if as fair, from vanity as free,
"As firm in friendship, and as fond in love,
"Tell them, tho' 'tis an awful thing to die,
"Twas even to thee—yet the dread path once trod,
"Heaven lifts its everlasting portals high,
"And bids the pure in heart behold their God."

NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of A JOHN FOWLER, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, are requested to bring them in, legally attested, and those indebted to said estate are desired to make immediate payment.

HANNAH FOWLER, Administratrix.

July 24, 1805.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT I intend to apply to the court of Kent county, at their next October term, for a commission, under the act of assembly of November session, 1786, ch. 33, to mark and bound the following tracts of land, viz. Mitchell's Risk and Mitchell's Park, and the refurvey thereon, called by the same name, likewise my part of the said lands; also to mark and bound the Remains of his Lordship's Gracious Grant, and the several tracts of which it consists, viz. the Remains of his Lordship's Grant, and Mitchell's Park, including a tract of land originally taken up by a captain Richard Smith, and a tract called the Beaver Dam, originally taken up by a certain John Parsons; and also, to mark and bound my land called the Remains of my Lord's Gracious Grant, and the refurvey made thereon, and part of Mitchell's Park aforesaid, called by the name of the Remains of his Lordship's Gracious Grant—these lands lie in Kent county, Maryland, and in New-Castle and Kent counties, in the state of Delaware.

WALTER DULANY.

Duck Creek Cross Roads, July 24, 1805.

Lands for Sale.

Pursuant to an order of the court of Calvert county, the subscribers will SELL, at PUBLIC AUCTION, at the house of Mr. JAMES DUKK, at Prince-Frederick-town, in the county aforesaid, on the 29th day of August next, if fair, if not the first fair day,

ALL the real estate of capt. WALTER SMITH, late of said county, deceased, consisting of the following tracts of land:

The tract on which the laid capt. Smith resided, containing 1225½ acres, lying on the river Patuxent, bounded on the west by said river, and on the south and east by a fine navigable creek called St. Leonard's, so that a short fence will enclose the whole land; the soil of this tract is equal to any on Patuxent, either for farming, planting or grazing; and in their season a great quantity of fine fish and oysters may be had either from the river or creek.

One other tract, in the forest, about two miles from the former, containing 627½ acres, the greater part of which is covered with hickory, chestnut, and oak wood, and a great proportion of swamp land, which, at a trifling expence, might be converted into valuable meadow.

One other tract of 536½ acres, lying on Chesapeake bay, bounded on the east by said bay, and on the north by a creek called Parker's Creek; on this tract is a very fine salt marsh, a quantity of fine meadow land, and an abundance of timber.

It is thought needless to give a fuller description of these lands, as it is presumed no one will purchase without first viewing them, and on application to Mr. John Turner, who lives adjoining the first mentioned tract, he will shew the different tracts, as well as the plots of the same.

These different tracts will be sold in a body, or divided into lots, as may best suit those who wish to purchase. The purchasers to give bond, on interest, with approved security, for the purchase money, to be paid in three equal annual payments, the whole interest to be paid yearly; and on the ratification of the sale by the court, and a full payment of the purchase money, a deed of conveyance will be executed to the purchasers agreeably to an act of assembly in such case made and provided.

JOSEPH WILKINSON,
JOHN TURNER,
JAMES HEIGHE,

Commissioners.

July 10, 1805.

In CHANCERY, July 20, 1805.

Samuel Jacob,

against

James Iglehart, Thomas Richardson, and wife, Samuel W. Davis, William C. Davis, and John P. Davis.

THE object of the bill is to obtain a decree for the sale of a parcel of land, called Hickory Hills, for the payment of a sum of money to the complainant; the bill states, that the complainant purchased of William Davis a part of a tract of land called Larkin's Choice, and paid the sum of twenty-six pounds thirteen shillings and eleven pence; that he also purchased of a certain William Welch Hickory Hills, for which he was to give six hundred pounds; that he paid him two hundred and twenty pounds fifteen shillings, and was about to pay the balance by discharging debts due from said Welch, that a deed was prepared and about to be executed by Welch, but on the day an exchange took place between the complainant and said William Davis, under which the said William Davis was to have Welch's land, and pay the debts for the balance of the purchase money, and that for the money paid by the complainant he agreed to convey eighty acres more of Larkin's Choice; the bill also states, that each obtained the possession of the exchanged land; it also states, that the said Davis had no legal title to the land, and that there was due a sum of money to the person he purchased from to the value of the land; it also states, that since the death of Davis the complainant has purchased the same land from the proprietor, and obtained a right—William Davis a dead, leaving the defendants, or some of them, his heirs at law, and that John P. Davis resides out of the state; the bill also states, a former bill was filed to recover the money, and that James Iglehart, with a knowledge of the claim, has bought and obtained the rights of all the heirs of Davis, except the one absent. It is thereupon, on motion of the complainant, Ordered, that he cause a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette three weeks successively before the 17th day of August next, to the end that the said absent defendant may have notice of the complainant's application to this court, and of the subject and object of this bill, and may be warned to appear in court, in person or by a solicitor, before the 17th day of December next, to shew cause, if any he has, why a decree should not pass as prayed.

Test. SAMUEL H. HOWARD,

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, hath obtained letters of administration on the estate of WILLIAM HARWOOD, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby required to exhibit their accounts, accompanied with the necessary vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 25th day of January next, those who are indebted to the estate of the said deceased are requested to make immediate payment.

RICHARD H. HARWOOD, Administrator.

July 23, 1805.

In virtue of an order of the court of Calvert county, v SALE, on the 2 if not the first fair day, of BENJAM of 12 o'clock, VALUABLE of land, lying in Calvert county. The ing-house, kitchen, other out houses, fertile spot has ever timber, and has a capable of being n expence. The soil eye, and Indian neighbourhood aff friendly people—venient to mills, of tobacco within and will be laid together, as may be proved security, from the day of the first in twelve from the day of

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Whoever takes up said negro, and secures him in any
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July 3, 1805.

H. HARWOOD, Administrator.

Public Sale.

In virtue of an order issued from the hon. court of
Calvert county, will be OFFERED at PUBLIC
SALE, on the 28th day of August next, if fair,
if not the first fair day thereafter, at the late man-
sion of BENJAMIN WARD, deceased, at the hour
of 12 o'clock,

A VALUABLE plantation, containing 184 acres
of land, lying on the Chesapeake bay, in Cal-
vert county. The improvements are, a small dwell-
ing-house, kitchen, tobacco house, corn house, and
other out houses; a large orchard of fine fruit. This
fertile spot has every advantage, it abounds in heavy
timber, and has a great proportion of rich low ground,
capable of being made into meadow at a very trifling
expense. The soil is extremely rich—tobacco, wheat,
rye, and Indian corn, grow with little labour—the
neighbourhood affords a society of very genteel and
friendly people—places of worship surround it—con-
venient to mills, and a warehouse for the inspection
of tobacco within two miles of the premises. This
land will be laid off in small parcels, or sold all to-
gether, as may best suit purchasers. Bond, with ap-
proved security, will be required, carrying interest
from the day of sale, payable in two equal payments,
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from the day of sale.

WILLIAM M. CARCAUD,
DAVID L. WEEMS,
CHARLES WILLIAMSON,
Commissioners.

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FOR SALE,

A VALUABLE tract of LAND, lying on Broad
creek, distant from Quynn's ferry one mile,
from Annapolis six miles, containing 602 acres; the
improvements are, a dwelling-house, 40 feet by 24,
divided into two handsome rooms, and a passage on the
lower floor, with three rooms above stairs, a kitchen,
a large barn, 48 feet by 24, shedded on each side for
stables, with all necessary out houses in good repair;
this land lies very level, and at least one third is in
woods, chestnut and oak. Three years credit will be
given, the payments to be made annually. Upon
the whole sum being paid a good title will be given.

SAMUEL MACCUBBIN.

July 24, 1805.

In CHANCERY, July 20, 1805.

Francis T. Clements, and others,

against

Samuel, Robert, Brutus, Cassius, Jefferson, and
John Davidson Godman, Stella and Peggy
B. Godman, and others.

THE object of the bill is to obtain a decree for the
sale of the real estate of Samuel Godman, de-
ceased, and also his equity of redemption in a tract of
land in Allegany county, mortgaged to Benjamin Har-
wood, for the payment of the debts of the deceased; the
bill states, that the said Samuel, Robert, Brutus, Cas-
sius, Jefferson, John Davidson, Stella, and Peggy Bell
reside out of the state of Maryland; it is thereupon
adjudged and ordered, that the complainants, by
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OWEN DORSEY,
HENRIETTA DORSEY,
LYDIA DORSEY.

July 3, 1805.

FOR SALE.

By virtue of an order of the orphans court of Anne-
Arundel county, will be SOLD, on Thursday the
8th day of August next, at the late dwelling of
WILLIAM FARIS, deceased, in the city of An-
napolis,

PART of the personal property of the said de-
ceased, consisting of clock and watch-maker's
tools, silversmith's tools, cabinet maker's and car-
penter's tools; also some quarter clocks, month ditto,
plain eight day ditto, with and without cases, one
large mill for silver work, a quantity of household
and kitchen furniture, one electrical machine, with
apparatus complete, a quantity of old brass, copper,
pewter, and lead, one large physical mortar, a large
collection of books, a large and very fine collection
of tulip roots, and a great variety of other articles
too tedious to mention. The terms will be made
known on the day of sale.

PRISCILLA FARIS, Administratrix.

July 3, 1805.

In CHANCERY, June Term, 1805.

Henry, Samuel, and Robert Wood, Thomas Sullivan
and wife, James Whittington and wife,
Zachariah Sunderland and wife,
against

John Wood, Margaret and Cassandra Wood, Eliza-
beth, Eleanor, and Sarah Wood, Benjamin, John,
Rhody, and Susanna Whittington, and Ri-
chard Wood, Susanna, Samuel, Anne,
and Elizabeth Parrot.

THE object of the bill is to obtain a sale of the
real estate of William Wood, of Anne-Arun-
del county, deceased, for the benefit of his heirs;
the bill states, that William Wood was seized in fee
of Broughton Ashley and Hunts, or Hunt's Mount,
containing about 260 acres of land, and entitled to
an equitable interest of, in, and to, three hundred
and sixty acres of land, called Carter Bennett, that
he died intestate in the year 1804, leaving the fol-
lowing children, to wit: John Wood, (his eldest
son, and who would have been his heir at law, ex-
cept for the act, entitled, An act to regulate de-
scents) Henry Wood, Samuel Wood, Robert Wood,
Sarah Sullivan, Mary Whittington, Dorothy Sun-
derland, the complainants, the following grand-children,
to wit: Margaret and Cassandra Wood, (the
children of William, a son deceased,) Elizabeth,
Eleanor, and Sarah Wood, (the children of James,
a son deceased,) Benjamin, John, Rhody, and Su-
sanna Whittington, (the children of Susanna, a
daughter, deceased, by William Whittington, her
husband,) Susanna, Samuel, Anne, and Wilfred
Parrot, (the children of Anne, a daughter, deceased,
by Richard Parrott, her husband,) which said chil-
dren and grand-children are the heirs of said first
named William Wood; the bill also states, there was
another son named Richard, who about nine years
past left the state, and has not since been heard of;
it also states, the children of said William Whitting-
ton reside out of the state, and that said John Wood,
who would have been the heir as aforesaid, has ap-
peared and answered the bill, and admitted the facts;
it is thereupon ordered, that the complainants cause
a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland
Gazette three times before the 10th day of August
next, to the end that the said absent defendants, and
each of the resident defendants, may have notice of
the complainants application to this court, and of the
subject and object of the bill, and may be warned to
appear in this court in person, or by a solicitor, before
the 10th day of December next, to show cause where-
fore a decree should not pass as prayed.

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

Land for Sale.

By virtue of a decree from the honourable the High
Court of Chancery, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC
SALE, on Monday the 12th of August next, at
11 o'clock, A. M. at J. Low's tavern, on Elk-
Ridge,

TWO tracts or parcels of LAND, situated on
Elk-Ridge, one called The Victory, contain-
ing 30 acres, the other called Eagle Tower, contain-
ing 8 acres, the former adjoins col. John E. How-
ard's farm, and the latter the manor of Charles Car-
roll, of Carrollton, Esquire. The terms of sale,
nine months credit, the purchaser or purchasers to
give bond, with approved security.

A particular description of the land is deemed to
be unnecessary, as it is presumed no person will be-
come a purchaser without having viewed the premises.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER, Trustee.

July 15, 1805.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that he in-
tends to apply to Charles county court, at the
next August term, for a commission to mark and
bound a tract of land, lying, situate, and being in
Trinity Parish, in Charles county, called CHARLES-
BOROUGH HILLS.

June 22, 1805.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons indebted
for officers fees for the two last years, that un-
less they make payment by the 10th of August they
will be executed for the same, without respect to
persons.

June 3, 1805.

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

Poet's Corner.

SELECTED.

FROM A LONDON PAPER.

A MODERN RAPE OF THE LOCK.

HAPPY the FRiseur who in DELIA's hair
With licensed fingers uncontroul'd may rove,
And happy in his death the DANCING BEAR,
Who died to make pomatum for my LOVE.
Last night, as o'er the page of love's despair,
My DELIA bent deliciously to grieve;
I stood a treacherous loiterer by her chair,
And drew the FATAL SCISSARS from my sleeve.
And would that at that instant o'er my thread
The SHEARS of ATROPOS had open'd then;
And when I left the lock from DELIA's head,
Had cut me sudden from the sons of men!
She heard the scissars that fair Lock divide,
And while my heart with transport panted big,
She cast a fury-frown on me, and cried,
"You stupid puppy—you have spoil'd my wig!"

Tavern for Rent.

THAT large and commodious house, (with all
necessary out buildings) occupied by Mr. Tho-
mas Elliott, on the post road from Annapolis to
Lower-Marlbrough, with about one hundred acres
of fertile land. The many advantages attending its
situation renders it an object to any person wishing
to engage in that line. Terms may be known by ap-
plying to the subscriber, adjoining the premises.

LUCY BATTEE.

Anne-Arundel county, July 6, 1805.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed
out of the general court, will be EXPOSED at
PUBLIC SALE, for cash, at Mr. JOHN GWINN's
tavern, in Annapolis, at 12 o'clock, on the 26th
day of July, 1805,

ONE house and lot, taken as the property of
William Brown, to satisfy a debt due James
Hindman, administrator of James Anderson, for the
use of Benjamin Ogle, Esq; for the use of William
Henry Brown.

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

July 16, 1805.

Pursuant to an order of the orphans court of Anne-
Arundel county, will be SOLD, for ready money,
at the late dwelling of Samuel Ward, of Benja-
min, of said county, deceased, on Thursday the
8th of August,

PART of the personal property of the said SA-
MUEL WARD, consisting of one negro wo-
man and children. The sale to commence at 11
o'clock, A. M.

NATHAN WARD, Administrator.

July 15, 1805.

Fifteen Dollars Reward,

TO any person who will bring to me, or secure
him, so that I get him again, negro WILL,
a small black fellow, about 25 years of age, who
eloped from the subscriber, living near Pig Point, in
Anne-Arundel county, on the 15th instant, about 3
o'clock in the morning; he had on when he went
away, a round jacket of white kersey, turned up
with blue, a red striped waistcoat, ofsnabrig shirt and
trousers; he has a remarkable scar a little above his
forehead, occasioned by a scald when young, if closely
examined will discover guilt, about 5 feet 1 or 2
inches high; his father belongs to William Steuart,
Esq; near South river church. It is likely he will be
in that neighbourhood, or about the city of Anna-
polis. I hereby forewarn all masters of vessels from
harbouring or receiving on board their vessels the said
negro Will.

JERNINGHAM DRURY.

July 17, 1805.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, on Saturday
the 1st instant, a brown negro man named
GEORGE, the property of ROBERT WILLIAMS, he
is about five feet ten inches high, his features are
coarse, and he has a very ill look; it is uncertain what
clothing he took with him; he will no doubt at-
tempt to pass for a free man; he was about a week
ago harboured at Caesar Williams's, (a negro) living
in Montgomery county, near the court-house; it is
probable he may not remain long there, and will be
strolling about the country, as he is a lazy drunken
fellow. I will give TEN DOLLARS reward if se-
cured in any gaol within this state, and if out of the
state the above reward, with all reasonable charges
if brought home.

JEROME PLUMMER, Trustee for
ROBERT WILLIAMS, a lunatic.

N. B. I hereby forewarn all persons from harbour-
ing or employing said fellow, or any of the negroes
belonging to the said Robert Williams, as I am de-
termined to prosecute every such offender.

West river, Anne-Arundel county,

June 25, 1805.

LAWS of MARYLAND.

For Sale,

A FEW sets of the LAWS from 1800 to 1804,
both inclusive, handsomely bound, to be had
at the Printing-Office.

In Council.

ANNAPOLIS, MAY 16, 1805.

ORDERED, That the act to provide for the trial of facts in the several counties of this state, and to alter, change and abolish, all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the general court and court of appeals, be published twice in each week, for the space of three months, in the Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis; the American Telegraph, and the Federal Gazette, at Baltimore; the National Intelligencer, the Republican Advocate and Burgo's paper, at Frederick-town; Greaves's paper, at Hagerstown; and at Smith's and Cowan's papers, at Balton.

By order.

NINIAN PINNEY, Clerk.

An ACT to provide for the trial of facts in the several counties of this state, and to alter, change and abolish, all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the general court and court of appeals.

BE it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That this state shall be divided into six judicial districts, in manner and form following, to wit: Saint-Mary's, Charles and Prince-George's counties shall be the first district; Cecil, Kent, Queen-Anne's and Talbot counties, shall be the second district; Calverton, Anne-Arundel and Montgomery counties, shall be the third district; Caroline, Dorchester, Somerset and Worcester counties, shall be the fourth district; Frederick, Washington and Allegany counties, shall be the fifth district; Baltimore and Harford counties, shall be the sixth district; and there shall be appointed, for each of the said judicial districts, three persons of integrity and sound legal knowledge, residents of the state of Maryland, who shall, previous to and during their acting as judges, reside in the district for which they shall respectively be appointed, one of whom shall be fixed in the commission Chief Judge, and the other two Associate Judges, of the district for which they shall be appointed; and the chief judge, together with the two associate judges, shall compose the county courts in each respective district; and each judge shall hold his commission during good behaviour, removable for misbehaviour on conviction in a court of law, or shall be removed by the governor, upon the address of the general assembly, provided that two thirds of all the members of each house concur in such address; and the county courts, so as aforesaid established, shall have, hold and exercise, in the several counties of this state, all and every the powers, authorities and jurisdictions, which the county courts of this state now have, use and exercise, and which shall be hereafter prescribed by law; and the said county courts established by this act shall respectively hold their sessions in the several counties at such times and places as the legislature shall direct and appoint, and the salaries of the said judges shall not be diminished during the period of their continuance in office.

II. And be it enacted, That in any suit or action at law hereafter to be commenced or instituted in any county court of this state, the judges thereof, upon suggestion, in writing, by either of the parties thereto, supported by affidavit, or other proper evidence, that a fair and impartial trial cannot be had in the county court of the county where such suit or action is depending, shall and may order and direct the record of their proceedings in such suit or action to be transmitted to the judges of any county court within the district for trial, and the judges of such county court, to whom the said record shall be transmitted, shall hear and determine the same in like manner as if such suit or action had been originally instituted therein; provided nevertheless, that such suggestion shall be made as aforesaid before or during the term in which the issue or issues may be joined in said suit or action; and provided also, that such further remedy may be provided by law in the premises as the legislature shall from time to time direct and enact.

III. And be it enacted, That if any party presented or indicted in any of the county courts of this state, shall suggest, in writing, to the court in which such prosecution is depending, that a fair and impartial trial cannot be had in such court, it shall and may be lawful for the said court to order and direct the record of their proceedings in the said prosecution to be transmitted to the judges of any adjoining county court for trial, and the judges of such adjoining county court shall hear and determine the same in the same manner as if such prosecution had been originally instituted therein; provided, that such further and other remedy may be provided by law in the premises as the legislature may direct and enact.

IV. And be it enacted, That if the attorney-general, or the prosecutor for the state, shall suggest, in writing, to any county court before whom an indictment is or may be depending, that the state cannot have a fair and impartial trial in such court, it shall and may be lawful for the said court, in their discretion, to order and direct the record of their proceedings in the said prosecution to be transmitted to the judges of any adjoining county court for trial, and the judges of such county court shall hear and determine the same as if such prosecution had been originally instituted therein.

V. And be it enacted, That there shall be a court of appeals, and the same shall be composed of the chief judges of the several judicial districts of the state, which said court of appeals shall hold, use and exercise, all and singular the powers, authorities and jurisdictions, heretofore held, used and exercised, by the court of appeals of this state, and also the appellate jurisdiction heretofore used and exercised by the general court; and the said court of appeals here-

by established shall sit on the western and eastern shores for transacting and determining the business of the respective shores, at such times and places as the future legislature of this state shall direct and appoint, and any three of the said judges of the court of appeals shall form a quorum to hear and decide in all cases pending in said court; and the judge who has given a decision in any case in the county court, shall withdraw from the bench upon the deciding of the same case before the court of appeals; and the judges of the court of appeals may appoint the clerks of said court for the western and eastern shores respectively, who shall hold their appointments during good behaviour, removable only for misbehaviour on conviction to a court of law, and in case of death, resignation, disqualification, or removal out of the state, or from their respective shores, of either of the said clerks in the vacation of the said court, the governor, with the advice of the council, may appoint and commission a fit and proper person to such vacant office, to hold the same until the next meeting of the said court; and all laws passed after this act shall take effect, shall be recorded in the office of the court of appeals of the western shore.

VI. And be it enacted, That all and every part of the constitution and form of government which relates to the court of appeals and the general court, or the judges thereof, or that is in any manner repugnant to, or inconsistent with, the provisions of this act, be and the same is hereby repealed, abrogated and annulled, upon the confirmation hereof; provided, that nothing herein contained shall be construed so as to authorize the removal of the clerks of the respective county courts, being in commission at the time of the passing of this act, in any other mode or manner than that prescribed by the constitution and form of government.

VII. And be it enacted, That if this act shall be confirmed by the general assembly, after the next election of delegates, in the first session after such new election, as the constitution and form of government directs, that in such case this act, and the alterations and amendments of the constitution and form of government therein contained, shall be taken and considered, and shall constitute and be valid, as a part of the said constitution and form of government, to all intents and purposes, any thing in the said constitution and form of government to the contrary notwithstanding.

Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

SINGLETON WARFIELD, an insolvent debtor of Anne-Arundel county, having applied, by petition, in writing, to Anne-Arundel county court, praying the benefit of an act for the benefit of insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and four, and a schedule of his property, and a list of creditors, on oath, as by the said act is required, being annexed to his said petition; and the said Singleton Warfield being under an arrest upon mefine process for debts due before the passage of the said act, and having proved to the satisfaction of the said court that he had resided in the state of Maryland the two last years preceding the passage of the said act: It is thereupon adjudged and ordered, that the said Singleton Warfield appear before the said court, at the court-house, in the city of Annapolis, on the twenty-fourth day of September next, then and there to produce to said court, the assent, in writing, of creditors holding two thirds of the amount of his debts, and to answer such interrogatories as may be proposed to him by his creditors, and that the said day be and it is hereby appointed the time for said creditors to appear and recommend a trustee for their benefit, and that the said Singleton Warfield give them notice of the passage of this order, by causing a copy of it to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once in each of the next twelve successive weeks.

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, CLK.

May 31, 1805.

A. A. County Court.

List of Letters

Remaining in the Post-Office, Annapolis, June 30, 1805.

JOHN BRISON, David Bangs, rev. Mr. Bitouzey. Chloe Cook, Philip Curran, William Caton, jun. John W. H. Carroll (2). Thomas Duckett. Antoniene Formige. John Gwinn, John Gibson (6). Frederick & Saml. Green, Richard Gray. Samuel H. Howard, John J. Hellen, Edward Hall, Dr. Haller (2). Samuel Hayward. George Jenet. Saml. Mole, William Bond Martin, John Munroe, George Mackubin, R. M'Corley, Thomas Mofi, Hugh M'Guire. Roger Perry, Charles Phillips. John Ragan, jun. John M. Sewell, Basil Spalding, William Smith, Alexander Stewart. Philip Thomas (2). Washing-on C. Tuck, John Teutle, Sarah Todd. Gideon White (2). Elizabeth Wood, Joseph Williams, Annapolis.

Widow Awkarks. John Brice Burgefs, Rezin Baldwin. Samuel Elton. Solomon Groves, Benjamin Gaither. William Hammond, Thomas Hobbs, sen. Richard Harrison. Joseph Kinsey. John Lyons (2). Samuel Martin. Joseph Morley. Thomas Norris. Benjamin Owens. William Prout. James Redy, John T. Richardson. Jonathan Sellman. Greenbury Treake, Philip W. Thomas. Anderson Warfield, Caleb Warfield, John Whitworth, Becky Wilson, Anne-Arundel county.

John Beauchamp, Anemelfex.

Adam Scott, Maryland.

S. GREEN, P. M.

None of the above letters will be delivered without the money.

By Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

JOSHUA MARRIOTT, junior, an insolvent debtor of Anne-Arundel county, having applied by petition, in writing, to Anne-Arundel county court, praying the benefit of an act for the benefit of insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and four, and a schedule of his property, and a list of creditors, on oath, as by the said act is required, being annexed to his said petition, and the said Joshua Marriott, junior, being under an arrest upon mefine process and a capias at the said court, and having proved to the satisfaction of the said court, that he had resided in the state of Maryland the two last years preceding the passage of the said act: It is thereupon adjudged and ordered, that the said Joshua Marriott, junior, appear before the said court, at the court-house in the city of Annapolis, on the twenty-fourth day of September next, then and there to produce to said court the assent, in writing, of creditors holding two thirds of the amount of his debts, and to answer such interrogatories as may be proposed to him by his creditors, and that the said day be and it is hereby appointed the time for said creditors to appear and recommend a trustee for their benefit, and that the said Joshua Marriott, junior, give them notice of the passage of this order, by causing a copy of it to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once in each of the next twelve successive weeks.

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, CLK.

A. A. County Court.

May 31, 1805.

Prince-George's County Court,

APRIL TERM, April 13, 1805.

RICHARD G. HARDESTY, an insolvent debtor of Prince-George's county, having applied by petition, in writing, to this court, praying the benefit of an act of assembly passed at the last session of the general assembly of Maryland, entitled, "An Act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors," and a schedule of his property with a list of his creditors on oath, as by the said act is required, being annexed to his petition, and the said Richard G. Hardesty, having proved to the satisfaction of the court, that he resided within the state of Maryland the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act, and being committed by the court into the custody of the sheriff of Prince-George's county for a debt due and owing before the passage of the said act, and having, upon giving bond and security agreeably to said act, to appear before this court, on the first Tuesday in September next, been discharged from custody. It is thereupon adjudged and ordered by the court here, that the said Richard G. Hardesty, appear before this court, at the court-house in Upper-Marlborough town, on the first Tuesday in September next, then and there to produce to the court, the assent in writing of creditors holding two thirds of the amount of his debts, and to answer such interrogatories as may be proposed to him, and that the said day be, and it is hereby appointed the time for said creditors to appear and recommend a trustee for their benefit. And the said Richard G. Hardesty is hereby directed to give notice to his creditors, of his application, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted eight weeks successively in the Maryland Gazette, previous to the next term.

True copy,

Test. JOHN READ MAGRUDER, jr. clk.

Public Sale.

Will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on Friday the 26th of July, at Mr. EDWARD HALL's quarter, where Mr. Ezekiel Phelps's lately resided, at 12 o'clock, for cash,

TWO negro lads, Dick and Jack, taken as the property of Martha and Edward Hall, to satisfy sundry officers fees.

HENRY HOWARD, Late sheriff.

June 25, 1805.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT application will be made to the justices of Anne-Arundel county court, at September term next, for a commission to mark and bound a tract of land called THE BEST SUCCESS, lying in Saint-Margaret's Westminster parish, in the county aforesaid, agreeably to act of assembly in such case made and provided.

HENRY H. DORSEY, HENRY EVANS.

July 1, 1805.

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the state of Maryland, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of ROGER DITTY, late of Anne-Arundel 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 twenty-eighth day of November next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 28th day of May, 1805.

SAMUEL JACOB, Executor.

ANNAPOLIS

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