

MARYLAND GAZETTE

T H U R S D A Y, JULY 5, 1787.

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L O N D O N, April 9.

ORD Cornwallis has rendered himself extremely popular by the first exertions of his power at Calcutta—the annulling of the favours granted to the French East-India company, by Mr. Macpherson. Had they been continued, the ruin of the English merchants in that country would have been inevitable.

The state of affairs in India wears a more prosperous face than usual. Even the Opposition have not been able to import a list of calamities—except of their own manufactories.

April 10. We hear that his majesty has been graciously pleased to grant a pension, out of his own privy purse, to the lady of the late Sir John Burgoyne.

Extract of a letter from Constantinople, February 21.

The luxury of Pera increases every day. There are upwards of an hundred carriages with equipage suitable. Formerly the only amusements were a kind of pantomimes, rope-dancing and slight of hand, but now they have built a public theatre for the French comedie, and the Italian opera, the decorations of which have been executed with great magnificence by the most ingenious Persian painters. The muffy, who regard such amusements with an eye of horror, have prohibited the muselmans from being present at these theatres of the infidels, under severe penalties.

A French nobleman is arrived here with a numerous train, and departs soon for Cherson. The anxiety and apprehensions of the Turks increase in proportion as the expected coronation of the empress advances. Can they, indeed, without emotion behold two neighbouring powers surrounded by numerous troops, and within two days journey of the residence of the grand seignior?

The two Imperial ministers, who reside at Pera, are about to leave that place, to be present at the interview between their respective sovereigns. The divan have given orders to put the forts of Bender and Orzakof in a state of complete defence.

Another letter from Constantinople, dated two days later says, that the government preserve still a profound silence respecting all the transactions in Egypt, in Syria, Armenia Major, where Shiech Manfon is at the head of his numerous army, and in Albania, where the governor Mahmaud-Pacha, has rendered himself so powerful, as to bid defiance to the orders of the divan. Fires are again become frequent. That in the environs of Galatia consumed upwards of 7000 houses. The discontent of the people at the indifference of government to the empress's journey, is said to occasion these tumults. Accordingly we hear that the divan have come to a resolution to declare war against the empress; and it is even said, that her minister (according to the Turkish custom in such cases) is shut up in the seven towers. But it is to be added, that these reports are not confirmed on the best authority.

Extract of a letter from Naples, March 9.

According to letters received here from Constantinople, it is feared that the rupture so long foreseen, will at length break out. M. de Bulhakow, the Russian envoy, had announced to the Porte, his approaching departure for Crimen, to present his respects to his sovereign; but it was observed, that he had been preceded by all his equipages, to return no more. They add, that soon after a person of note sent by the Russian ministry, arrived at Constantinople; and that after a conference he had with the empress's effendi, a divan was held, and the next day another. The answer to be returned to the cabinet of Petersburg, was immediately sent off by an express, who took the route to Kiow. At the same time it was reported, that the captain bashaw had been recalled in all haste from Egypt; that all the other bashaws had received orders to march with their troops towards the frontiers, and for the fleet to make the last dispositions to enter the Black Sea.

Extract of a letter from Leyden, April 1.

It is not doubtful that the emperor's departure from Vienna for Cherson, is again postponed until after Easter holidays, if it even takes place, and indeed persons well informed, can hardly believe that his monarch will execute a design, which by subsequent circumstances is become hazardous, and more difficult than ever. It would not even be surprising if the empress of Russia should go no further than now. The umbrage taken by the Porte at her project of getting herself crowned at Crimea, has made the Ottomans take dispositions, the issue of which seems to tend directly to a rupture; and the Tartars

themselves, in the midst of whom the two sovereigns are to expose themselves, although covered by numerous bodies of troops, are too attached to their old prejudices in favour of the Ottoman empire, and their common worship, to expect that this journey to Crimea is absolutely without danger.

Letters from Constantinople, dated the 26th of February, bring advice, that the pacha of Bosnia, who went, by order of the Porte, with an army of twenty thousand men, against the pacha of Scutari, found the latter at the head of forty thousand fighting men; and that after a very bloody engagement, the pacha of Bosnia was obliged to fly. These letters add, that the pacha of Scutari, in pursuing his shattered army, took three towns, and a number of castles; and that he has also besieged his capital. It is reported that in consequence of the above news and that respecting the empress of Russia's approaching the Turkish frontiers, with a great army, the divan have resolved to send two deputies to settle with the pacha of Scutari, and to request him to join in support of the common cause.

The emperor, it is confidently said, has given over all thoughts of the long intended journey to Cherson, and in consequence of the great preparations making by the Turks, it is thought that the empress will proceed no further than Kiovia. The general opinion is, that unless the king of France interposes, there will soon be a mutual declaration of war between the courts of St. Petersburg and Constantinople.

April 11. Should the commercial treaty break off, a war would break out, and that, of course, would break the neck of the present administration.—It is therefore idle to imagine, that the present negotiator in Paris, will insist on any terms that are likely to bring such an evil to his party.

A report is current that the czarina, having made herself of the estates of the Great Mithridates, has resolved to lay siege in person to Oczakow, situated near Bassarabie, at the mouth of the Nieper, which having been secretly sold to the Turks, is the real occasion of their preparations for war, and which there is some reason to think has already commenced.

An order of council has been issued for an account of all the expences incurred for the subsistence of American, French, Spanish, and Dutch prisoners during the late war, distinguishing those of each nation separately, with the sums that have been paid, and the money now due on that account. It is also ordered to make up an account of the monies paid for the subsistence of English prisoners during the war, and of the amount of what, if any is due, and to whom for that purpose, up to the 5th of March last.

The commissaries of the army who lately served in America are to undergo a personal examination before a committee of the house of commons, for the ascertainment of several matters of great consequence.

The Russian ambassador is withdrawn from Constantinople, as are likewise his domestics and the whole of his effects. Prior to his departure he had a conference of considerable length with the reis effendi, but the object of it is not known, at least authentically. It is said by some, that the right of keeping a consul at Farney in Bulgaria, was peremptorily insisted on by the empress, which was positively and directly refused.

The king of France has ordered the salaries of his several professors of hydrography to be raised, in order for the more effectual promotion of his marine. These professors instruct youth intended for the sea service, gratis, in the several branches of navigation and mathematics. They are in all the sea ports of France, and are styled, "Royal professors."

This day the remains of general Gage will be removed from his house in Portland Place, to be interred in the family vault, near Lewes.

The dormant title of duke of Clarence is to be revived in the person of his majesty's fourth son, prince Edward, now on his travels abroad.

An account of the loss of the CALONNE, East Indiaman, as transmitted by Mr. Henderson, passenger, dated 2d March, at Lisbon.

ON the 29th of January, the hooks of the helm gave way; we were then a degree to the northward of the island of St. Maria, one of the western islands. As no remedy could be got to repair the helm, we tried to bear away to Cadiz, but two days after the wind proved favourable for Lisbon, to which port we directed our course, hoisted our helm on deck, and fixed it with three hawfers, but before it was put over, tried to steer the ship with masts altern, but it would not do.—On the 6th of February put the

helm over, and got the hawfers in through the ports, and to fix the helm so as to steer on the deck, the round-house being cut away for that purpose; and it answered tolerably well, we still bearing away for Lisbon. There were several ships we tried to speak to but they did not observe our signals. We experienced various distresses till the morning of the 12th, when we espied land to the leeward quarter, the sea running very high with severe squalls of wind; we began to fire guns every ten minutes—lat. 38. 1. north, at half past twelve o'clock, saw land a-head; and by two o'clock, saw land a-bread; and by two o'clock, saw land a-head; we were driving fast to the shore, and found ourselves embayed. As the wind still continued a gale from the west, we had no resource but to our anchors, and every minute could observe we approached nearer to land, and when we saw the terrible surf on shore, and night coming on, we had little hopes of being saved. About five o'clock in the afternoon we let go one anchor in 32 fathoms water; at a quarter past five let go the second anchor, but that did not bring her head to the wind; about a quarter before six we let go the sheet anchor, and brought her head round, but it could not hold her; we then began to cut away her mizen, and then the main mast, but as it went over, she struck in the most tremendous surf, which cleared the decks of every thing, first and second captain's boats, &c. all the cabins got full of water, three gentlemen passengers, with a lady and two children, immediately got on deck and sat down to leeward, where the surf was every moment washing over us, and we were begging and praying of the interior officers and seamen to make some raft, but forry we were to find all command was gone—they went below drinking, and immediately began to break open the passengers trunks, as they lay nearest to their hands, in the great cabin. There were only the passengers and the surgeon of the ship on deck, waiting, and expecting every moment to be our last; we found no assistance would be given us by the seamen.

At half past eight o'clock, we observed, at the returning of the tide, we could almost jump on the sandy beach, which lieutenant Porter tried, and got safe on shore; when that was known, many of the seamen attempted it, but several were lost, from the terrible suction of the sand and water. The ship then parted between the main and foremast, and the only place of safety was the quarter deck. By ten o'clock all were safe on shore, excepting those who were lost in attempting to jump on the sandy beach, and a black girl and two children, whom we ordered to remain on board, till such time as we could give them assistance. All the night we lay on the wet sand, and at day-break next morning, we happily effected their release. We then began to look for a house, but found none nearer than four miles. We were so worn out with cold, that it was with difficulty we reached the poor peasant's habitation. Many of the seamen now came up that had remained in the ship all night plundering, loaded with our money and cloaths; we begged of them to let us have some of our own things to put on, but they would not give us a single shirt. They began to sell them to the country people, and we were almost naked. The first night we got to a priest's house, and after leaving the lady and children, returned to the wreck, where we found it had, an hour after the children had got on shore, gone all to pieces, we now applied to a justice to search the seamen, but they all having knives, he was afraid. However the next morning half of them went on for Lisbon, the justice then took some of our cloaths from the rest, and we proceeded on a bullock cart to a village called Millides, where we wrote to the English consul Mr. Williamson, who sent us every assistance; but before it arrived Mr. Charles Peasly had sent a clerk to us with money and cloaths, and desired that we might be conducted to his house at Lisbon, where we have been treated with the greatest humanity and politeness.

Persons saved from the Calonne—lieutenant Porter, Mr. Henderson, Mrs. Henderson, Miss G. Henderson, and a black girl, English passengers; Mons. D'Erff, French passenger; Mr. Lebaun, surgeon; Mr. Morris, midshipman; and about 26 seamen.

Lost with the Calonne.—Mr. De Mellin, captain; Mr. Bedal, chief mate; Mr. Roudie, second mate; Mr. Serguinet, third mate; Mr. Wallawah, fourth mate; Mr. Villiard, French passenger; lieutenant Gilbert, English passenger from Bengal; three midshipmen, and about 27 seamen.

April 19. Our correspondent at Vienna informs us, that on the 28th of March last, the emperor caused the following notice to be sent to the French minister, "That he received with pleasure the French king's declaration of the 19th of his deter-

mination to preserve the peace of Europe; but that, as great disputes still subsisted between the Porte and Russia, which had not come to any point of decision; and a war seeming to him inevitable, from the difference which there was in opinion between the cabinet of the Porte and the people, he declared, in case such event happened he would remain neutral: In the mean time, following the example of the French king, he would use every means to settle all difficulties, if the people were disposed to peace; but should his endeavours prove unfortunate, he should observe a rigid neutrality.

By accounts from Holland, there still exists, in that province, the greatest tumult and disorder, particularly at Amsterdam, where all business is nearly at a stand, owing to the disputes between the burgeses and the army, both of whom have parties constantly under arms, under pretence of preserving the public peace.

General Arnold, the American refugee, is preparing to leave England, and goes to Newfoundland; it is thought in a public employment. The general takes out with him a frame and complete materials to erect a fracious (and for that part of the world) an elegant house.

The king of Prussia is reviewing and manœuvring all his troops, with the same precision and activity observed by his predecessor. His majesty has ordered some changes to be made in the dress, and in the composition of his army. The hats of the soldiers are to be altered, and to have only two corners; one to be let down before, the other behind, to preserve them from the sun and rain; on the sides they have leather flaps to cover their ears. Those regiments who had five colours, one to each company, are now only to have one colour to each battalion. The regiments of four battalions are reduced to three; the fourth is to form a battalion of grenadiers in a separate corps, and a certain number is taken out of each company of infantry to form a separate corps of chasseurs.

There is a rumour of there having happened a very serious contention in the East, between the governor of Bombay, and the French commander, in consequence of the former's having taken possession of the small island Diego Gratiosa, as a watering place. The French claimed it, and without waiting for orders from Versailles, obliged the English to withdraw. They aver that the pretence of using it as a watering place cannot be real, for it is almost totally without fresh water; and they claim it as the indisputable property of France, as there was a French family resident there.

ROSEAU, (Dominica) April 4.

Last Sunday evening about nine o'clock a schooner belonging to Monsi. Dujardin, laden with 38 hog-heads of sugar, having come to anchor in this port, was boarded by a number of sailors, who had been idling about this town, and forced away with three negroes on board; the captain and some of the people having just gone ashore. It is feared, they killed some of the negroes, from the continual cries on board. A schooner, with a detachment from the 30th regiment, and seamen from different ships in the harbour, have been in pursuit of them, and it is hoped that those daring wretches will soon be brought to that punishment which is justly due to their crime. No particular intelligence has been received when that paper went to press—it is requested—that all the inland papers will take this down, that it may be circulated as early as possible.

NASSAU, May 12.

Advices lately received in the West-Indies, from England, have, we are informed, excited the most uneasy apprehensions in the minds of the mercantile people of St. Barts, and St. Bartholomew. They say, that a bill will be brought into parliament during the present session, for imposing duties on flour, lumber, and other articles of American produce, imported into our islands from the foreign islands, equivalent to the freight of such articles imported in British vessels from the continent. For some time past, disposing of American produce to vessels from the British islands, has formed the principal business done at the foreign free ports in the West-Indies; and to this an effectual stop will be put by the new regulation alluded to.

PORTSMOUTH, June 9.

A gentleman in 9 days from Quebec, informs, that lord Dorchester is using every effort to have the militia of Canada well regulated, and under proper discipline, and to be in readiness to march in four days from the time of notice being given—that the frontier posts have been strengthened by an additional regiment—that five regiments were daily expected to arrive at Quebec—that the British were preparing to equip and fit out their shipping upon the lakes, one of which (a ship of considerable force) was actually fitted out, &c.

WORCESTER, June 13.

The important question, whether the honourable house of representatives would concur with the honourable senate, in raising troops to replace those now in the field, whose time of service is nearly expired, has been warmly debated: several days were taken up last week, and the further consideration of it was on Saturday last put off until Tuesday this week, when it was again resumed—how it finally terminated, we had not heard when this magazine went to press—it was conjectured, however, that a concurrence to raise the troops would take place—

the disqualifying act would be repealed—and measures taken both to support the dignity of government, and restore the public tranquillity.

The resolve for raising troops to replace those in the field, passed in the honourable senate 20 for and 6 against the motion.

NEW-YORK, June 23.

Yesterday, in the afternoon, two men, being fatigued, and wanting half an hour's nap after dinner (as was supposed) went into Mr. Murray's, near Murray's wharf, in this city, and called for a bed chamber to retire a few moments. It seems that the one could not sleep without the others assistance; he therefore began cordially to close his comrade's eyes!—but unfortunately he had scarcely beat out one of them before they were both disturbed from without doors, and the poor fellow was lugged away to a court of aldermen, at the city-hall, half asleep and awake, to answer, with his comrade, to the charge of breaking the peace by snoring murder! murder! so manfully, at the time his eye was closing!—We have since learnt from the said court, that they were severely rebuked for disturbing the peace of the community; after which one was sent to Bridewell, and the other to a physician.

Letters from Oland inform us, that the emperor has laid a considerable impost upon rice and tobacco, the produce of the United States, not immediately imported from America.—While the other European powers seem disposed to throw every obstacle in the way of our trade, it must be highly agreeable, as well as advantageous, to receive this mark of favour and consideration from so illustrious a monarch.

By a gentleman from Port-au-Prince we learn, that a great number of American vessels are at that place, taking in molasses and taffia, but are so narrowly watched by the French officers of the customs, as to render the smuggling of sugar and coffee wholly impracticable. Added to this, a French man of war purposely stationed there, is obliged to see them clear of the port, the commander of which never fails to search them.

PHILADELPHIA, June 21.

On the 30th ult. a very long debate took place in the house of representatives for the state of Connecticut, upon a motion being made by Mr. Peter Bulkeley, of Colchester, for leave to bring in a bill to establish a tender-law. Upon the division, to the honour of the house, there were only twenty-two for, and one hundred and forty-two against the proposed measure.

The easy recovery of Egypt by the Turks has made considerable noise in Europe; but, if we consider the general disposition of the inhabitants of that country, the event will not appear in a very extraordinary light. From the period that history succeeded fiction, the Egyptians have been uniformly a people as dastardly as they were superstitious. Cambyses made a conquest of their country in a single battle. Alexander gave them law without striking a stroke or without one of their cities daring to wait a siege. The Ptolemies subdued them with as little trouble; nor did Julius and Octavius Caesar find more difficulty in bringing them under obedience. Omar over-ran all that country in a single campaign. The Mamalukes, who inhabited Choccos and the regions of Mount Caucasus, became their masters afterwards. It was that people, and not the Egyptians, who defeated the armies of St. Louis, and took that king prisoner. These also, in process of time, like the original natives, became effeminate, cowardly, lazy and dissipated, and in three months time were brought under the yoke of Selidan I, who caused their sultan to be hanged, and made their kingdom a province of the Turkish empire.

A curious French ornithologist assures the public, in the journal, that he saw with a telescope, of 10 inches, a large bird of prey, soaring over Paris at the height of 2000 fathoms, and flying at the rate of 60 or 70 leagues an hour. He supposes it to have quitted the rocks of Iceland, Scotland, or Ireland, in search of a warmer climate; and asserts, that the Laemer Gehier takes alternately a flight from the highest mountains of our hemisphere to the Andes or Cordilleras of the new world. Some, who have studied and watched the migration of birds, may, perhaps, publish their opinions concerning these wondrous airy voyages; for the French observer scruples not to say, that from the British isles many carnivorous creatures take their flight as far as the Alps Pyrenees, or Mount Atlas.

Whatever measure may be recommended by the federal convention, whether an addition to the old constitution, or the adoption of a new one, it will, in effect, be a revolution in government, accomplished by reasoning and deliberation; an event that has never occurred since the formation of society, and which will be strongly characteristic of the philosophic and tolerant spirit of the age.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in New Jersey to his friend in New-York, dated June 12.

"I am sorry to tell you, that from the rapid increase of the Hessian Fly we have had prospects before us for our future crops of wheat: the present may be about half a crop in this neighbourhood, although we had little acquaintance with the insect last year. I have, however, visited some fields where they will not reap equal to the seed sown; and others have ploughed their wheat fields up so low back wheat.

From my having hatched the insect in glass jars, and kept them through every stage, I have become very familiar with them; indeed I should not have become acquainted with them in any other way; for I never could get the necessary information from others, although they are now almost as numerous in our houses as the common fly; and in the fields I have seen them as numerous as ants about their nests. They are now coupling, and the egg bags of the females are larger than the bodies of male and female together. The eggs now depositing on the standing wheat, &c. will hatch out new swarms in a fortnight's warm weather; and thus they continue to increase from May until the first hard frosts. After the wheat is ripe, and until the new wheat springs up, they deposit their eggs on grass, particularly timothy, and on Indian corn; but this being of a strong, rapid growth, they cannot injure it."

The thunder gull that happened on Thursday night, is said to have been the severest for many years past. A vessel in the river was struck by the lightning, and we hear sustained considerable damage.

Advices from Europe inform us, that the spirit of stock jobbing had made such a progress in France, as to call aloud for the government to suppress it. This has given rise to an edict which prohibits that ruinous species of gambling, as equally dishonest in the means, and pernicious in the effects upon the progress of trade. The edict contains nine articles, and the penalty denounced against those who shall act contrary to its ordinances is a forfeiture of 24,000 livres, for the use of the informer, the exclusion of the offender from transacting business on the royal exchange, and if he is a banker, his name is to be struck off the list.

Late London news-papers advise, that "the Dutch still remain in their irreflexible state—that party quarrels between the magistrates, burgeses, and patriots; distract every town and village—that the mediators stand aloof, and the stadtholder lives unhappily as a private gentleman can do, surrounded by a few guards, and in a place where he is popular; while every insult is offered to him in the other provinces, and faction universally prevails—that the states general, on the 23d of March, nominated a committee to determine and fix the degree of influence which the people have a right to in the government—that great debates had taken place on the occasion, between the Aristocrats and Stadtholders; and the nomination took place in consequence, by only one vote majority." That by the accounts laid before the notables of France, it appears, that the French army costs 103 millions of livres; the marine 100 millions; and the military establishment of the king 33 millions annually.—That the minister of France having made a demand on the receivers-general of 10,000,000 livres to be advanced on their receipts—the 48 receivers met to take the same into consideration, and immediately advanced double that sum.—That the whole of the notable's transactions, at Paris, has been published by authority in a large volume octavo; divided into two parts, in order to satisfy the impatience of the whole kingdom of France.

June 23. It is a fact of public notoriety, says a correspondent, that the members of the convention, ever since a quorum has been formed, have observed the greatest secrecy in all their transactions: nothing whatever of a public nature has been officially communicated or transpired. Very little credit can therefore be given to what has hitherto appeared in the news-papers as to their resolves that Rhode-Island should be considered as having withdrawn herself from the union—and shall upon no account be restored to her station again—and for her proportion of the federal debt, if gentler means will not avail she shall be compelled to be responsible—the prohibition of paper emissions, and the establishment of a mint for the receipt of bullion, &c.

The mere idle reports of busy-bodies, and the absurd foolish suggestions of trifling pretenders, are to be viewed and considered as the real and regular proceedings of the convention.

July 5, 1787.

THE ship Hanbury, captain William Dennes, now lying at Lower-Marlborough, on the Patuxent river, takes in tobacco consigned to John Lloyd, Esq; at seven pounds sterling per tun.

July 2, 1787.

ON the petition of John Lane, jun. a prisoner in Calvert county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 30th day of August next appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that trustees or trustees will be appointed on that day, their behalf, according to the direction of the said act—and it is ordered that this notice be published three weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and the Maryland Gazette.

Tell SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

July 4, 1787.

IF John Strickland, who left England in the year 1775, and arrived in Baltimore, in living and well known, apply to captain William Dennes, on board the ship Hanbury, lying at Lower-Marlborough, or to John Clapham, in Annapolis, he will hear of something to his advantage. Capt. Dennes

State of Maryland, GREENBLADE, by of this state in Talbot county, will continue by ad (old) on Tuesday the premises, several lots being within the limit following terms:—T sufficient security, to sioners, for laying part of them, to interest thereon, in tor of the land, & the expences of survey bounding the said to money, and no perc within twelve months and laid out.

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state of Maryland, Talbot county, June 25, 1787.  
**AGREABLE** to an act of the general assembly of this state, entitled, An act to erect a town in Talbot county, will be exposed to sale, and will continue by adjournment until the whole are sold) on Tuesday the 21st day of August next, on the premises, several lots of ground, situate, lying and being within the limits of the aforesaid town, on the following terms:—The purchaser to give bond with sufficient security, to be approved of by the commissioners, for laying out the said town, or a major part of them, to pay the purchase money with interest thereon, in twelve months to the proprietor of the land, except the just proportion of the expences of surveying, laying out, plotting and bounding the said town, which must be paid in ready money, and no person to possess more than three lots within twelve months after the same are divided, plotted and laid out.  
**JEREMIAH BANNING,**  
**HUGH SHERWOOD,** of Huntington,  
**JOHN ST. VENS,**  
**GREENBURY GOLDSBOROUGH,**  
**ALEXANDER M'CALLUM,**  
Commissioners appointed by law for laying out and selling the said ground.

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Anne-Arundel county, July 5, 1787.  
**For PRIVATE SALE,**  
ON four years credit, by paying a small part of the purchase money, 415 acres of good fertile land, lying in Prince-George's county, within nine miles of Queen-Anne, eleven of Bladenburg, twenty of Annapolis, and convenient to several good grist and saw-mills; the land is about half cleared, and under good fence, well timbered and watered, with plenty of meadow ground; this plantation is well improved, with three dwelling houses, and three tobacco houses, &c. &c. and few excel it for fruit of all kinds, both in quality and quantity; there are one hundred and fifty cherry trees, and, in a plentiful year, ten thousand gallons of cider of the best quality can be made; the fruit trees of all kinds are young and thriving. This land will be sold together, or divided into lots, as may suit the purchaser or purchasers. Any person intending to purchase, may view the land and improvements by applying to Doctor James Macgill, living on the premises, or to the subscriber; and if it is not sold before the 21st day of August next, it will, on that day be sold at public vendue, on the premises, and with approved security will be required, bearing interest from the day of sale, when possession shall be given, by  
**RICHARD HIGGINS,**  
Timber of any dimensions, and of the best quality, to be sold by  
**R. H.**

**THE EASTERN SHORE LINE OF STAGES FROM Philadelphia, Baltimore, Annapolis, and Alexandria, By Way of CHESTER-TOWN and ROCK-HALL.**

THE proprietors beg leave to acquaint the public in general, and their friends in particular, that they will run a set of STAGES three times a week to and from the above places, to commence on Monday the 21st day of July next; they will leave Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Annapolis, every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings at 4 o'clock, arrive at Chester-town, the same evening, and will proceed the next morning to the northward and southward in the respective stages; the northern stage arrives at Philadelphia in the evening, and the southern stage arrives at Baltimore and Annapolis generally to dinner, and the next day dine at Alexandria, which is less than three days from Philadelphia to Alexandria—They start from Mr. Michael Dennison's George Tavern, in Philadelphia, Mr. James Young's coffee house in Baltimore, and Mr. George Mann's tavern in Annapolis; the stages are very complete, and one of the boat-men will always call at Mr. Young's at the hour of starting. From Philadelphia to Rock-Hall, thirty five shillings, and six pence, from Annapolis to Alexandria, eighteen shillings and nine pence, each passenger entitled to 14 pounds baggage, 150 weight baggage to pay the same as a passenger, way passengers to five pence per mile. We can with confidence assure those ladies and gentlemen who may choose to travel by this line of stages, that no exertions of us shall be wanting to render their journey both easy and agreeable.

**WILLIAM KERLIN,**  
**JOHN JARVIS,**  
**ELIJAH JARVIS,**  
**ROBERT HODGSON,**  
**JOSEPH WILLIAMS,**  
**WILLIAM CLARK.**

Annapolis, June 6, 1787.  
**SAMUEL HUTTON,**  
Carriage Maker,

EGS leave to inform the public, and his old customers in particular, that he has supplied himself with a very valuable parcel of timber of the best kind, every thing suitable for carrying on the carriage making business in all its various branches; and from the attention to his business, he hopes to give general satisfaction to all those who favour him with their orders.  
S. He also carries on the Blacksmith's business.

Prince George's county, June 29, 1787.  
BY virtue of a writ of *condemnation* upon me directed, will be exposed to sale on the premises, for ready money, on the 18th day of July next, a valuable tract of land in the county aforesaid, called Hollyday's Choice, containing five hundred acres, the property of Benjamin and Mordecai Jacob, and sold to satisfy a judgment obtained by Benjamin Mackall, of Calvert county.  
And on the 21st day of the same month, will be exposed to sale, by virtue of a writ of *condemnation* upon sundry tracts of land, viz. Part of James and Mary, 135 acres; Huckle's Discovery, 212 acres; Honest Man, 137 1/2 acres; Batchelor's Choice, 250 acres; William and Elizabeth, 110 acres; Chew's Folly, 82 1/2 acres; Mullikin's Beginning, 21 acres; also several slaves, some stock, and plantation utensils; the property of John Wells, of said county, and sold to satisfy a judgment obtained by James Miller, of said county.  
**NICHOLAS BLACKLOCK,**  
sheriff of Prince-George's county.

Annapolis, Auditor's office, June 18, 1787.  
THE auditor having directed a circular letter, of which the following is a copy, to the several persons who have not accounted for public monies received by each during the late war, and apprehending that some of them may be removed from the places they lived at when they received the money, &c. by which means the letters may not get to their hands; he takes this method of calling upon all persons concerned, and requests their particular attention to the subject of the said letter.  
**C. RICHMOND.**

(CIRCULAR.)  
Annapolis, Auditor's office.  
SIR,  
UPON the books of this office you stand charged as stated below. I was in hopes that every person who had received any sum or sums of money from this state for the purpose of recruiting the army or procuring supplies for carrying on the late war, would long before this time have rendered such accounts thereof, as would have enabled the officers here to have charged the United States with such parts of their disbursements as are properly chargeable thereto. And as the time for presenting the claims of the state against the union is limited to a very few months, I have to request that you will, without loss of time, enable me to settle your account, which may very materially benefit the community of which you are a member.  
With much respect, I am, Sir,  
Your obedient humble servant,

**EIGHT DOLLARS REWARD.**  
June 21, 1787.  
BROKE gaol and made his escape on the 24th of May last, negro SAM, the property of Jacob Franklin; he is a young fellow, about 5 feet 9 inches high, his clothing old and such as negroes commonly wear; he was committed to my custody for burglary. Whoever will take up said negro, and bring him back again, shall receive the above reward.  
**DAVID STEUART,** sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

George-town, June 16, 1787.  
Will be SOLD to the highest bidder, on Monday the 18th day of August next, at colonel John H. Beanes's tavern in Piscataway, THE house and lot in Piscataway-town, whereon Mr. George Dent Harley now lives. Also between 15 to 20 acres of unimproved ground, in and adjoining the said town. The above has been many years occupied as a tavern, and is esteemed one of the first situations in town for any kind of public business. Twelve months credit will be given the purchaser, on giving bond on interest with approved security—or for the whole sum or any part that may be paid at the day of sale, or within one month after, a discount of ten per cent. will be allowed.  
**BENJAMIN REEDER.**

June 22, 1787.  
To be SOLD, by the subscriber, at public vendue, at the house of Cornelius Mill, in the city of Annapolis, on the 15th day of August next, the following slaves, viz.  
ONE woman of about 28 years of age, three girls, one about 15 years old, one about 8 years old, and one about 12 months old, one boy about 6 years old. One third of the purchase money to be paid on delivery.—Further terms will be made known on the day of sale.  
**JOHN BEALE HOWARD.**  
P. S. The above slaves may be seen by applying to Mrs. Oner Wilkins, at Annapolis.  
**J. B. H.**

Queen-Anne, June 23, 1787.  
To be disposed of at PRIVATE SALE, A PARCEL of likely negroes, consisting of men, women and children. Also will be offered to public sale, on Tuesday the 17th of July next, at Magruder's warehouse, on Patuxent river, a variety of household and kitchen furniture, such as beds, tables, chairs, &c.  
**WOOTTON and LANSDALE.**

June 23, 1787.  
ON the petition of William Brown, a prisoner in Cecil county, to the chancellor praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 16th day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the direction of the said act, and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and the Maryland Gazette.  
T. S. HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC SALE, agreeable to the last will and testament of Jacob Waters, deceased, the following parcels of land lying and being in Montgomery county, and nearly adjoining to each other.  
ONE parcel of land called the Refurvey on the William and John, containing 137 acres; the other called the Susanna, containing 50 acres; the aforesaid two parcels of land will be sold by the executor, on the second Saturday in July next, if fair, if not the first fair day after, Sunday excepted, at the late dwelling of the aforesaid deceased, on the Head of Manothey.  
**ELIZABETH WATERS,** executrix.

June 4, 1787.  
ON the petition of John Rawlings, a prisoner in Cecil county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said John Rawlings, that the twenty-fourth day of July next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day in their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser and Maryland Gazette.  
T. S. HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

June 25, 1787.  
ON the petition of William Page, a prisoner in Baltimore county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said William Page, that the 17th day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the direction of the said act, and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and Maryland Gazette.  
T. S. HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

June 9, 1787.  
ON the petition of Als Hill, a prisoner in Anne-Arundel county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given, that the 21st day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act, and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and the Maryland Gazette.  
T. S. HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

June 16, 1787.  
ON the petition of George Lang, of Calvert county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 8th day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act, and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and Maryland Gazette.  
T. S. HARVEY HOWARD,  
Reg. Cur. Can.

June 25, 1787.  
STOLEN from the subscriber, near Annapolis, opposite the rope-walk, two MARES, one a dark bay, about fourteen hands two inches high, nine years old, trots and gallops, but very dull when rode, she has got a full forehead which makes a bend below her eyes, is branded thus 2 on the left shoulder; the other a bright bay, with a small star in her forehead, seven years old, paces and gallops, carries her head low when rode, brand not known. Whoever brings home the said mares shall receive a reward of thirty shillings, or fifteen shillings for either of them, paid by  
**JAMES HUNTER.**

Charles county, June 16, 1787.  
THE subscriber intends to publish this spring, A Concise System of Arithmetic, adapted to business—the utility and execution of the work, it is hoped, will merit the approbation of an indulgent public.—Gentlemen willing to encourage the undertaking, may give in their names to the printers for insertion.  
**JONATHAN ANDERSON.**

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Joshua Ridgely, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, are desired to make them known to the subscriber, and those indebted are requested to make payment to  
**ELIZABETH YIELDHALL,** executrix.

**To BE RENTED,**  
THE STORE-HOUSE, now in the Occupation of Messieurs Charles and William Steuart. Inquire of the Printers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber intends to petition the next county court for a commission to prove the bounds of his land called York, and a tract called Read's Folly, adjoining the Addition to Brook's Discovery, on the Rich Land, in Frederick county.  
**NICHOLAS LINN.**

Annapolis, June 14, 1787.  
**A** MEETING of the visitors of St. John's College is earnestly requested on Tuesday the 17th of July. It is hoped this notice will be observed, as business, which materially concerns that institution, requires the attendance of the visitors at that time.

THOMAS JENINGS,  
 JOHN THOMAS,  
 NICHOLAS CARROLL, } Visitors.

Strawberry-hill, near Annapolis, June 20, 1787.  
**L**OST, about the 25th day of last May, between the Bodkin and the mouth of Magothy river, a small almost new BOAT, about ten or twelve feet keel, rows with four oars, and has the subscriber's name cut on her stern. Whoever will deliver her here, or give such information that she be recovered, shall be well paid for their trouble, by  
 RICHARD SPRIGG.

**S C H E M E  
 O F A  
 B O O K L O T T E R Y.**

1 prize of 100 dollars is 100 dollars.  
 2 do. 50 do. 50 do.  
 8 do. 25 do. 200 do.  
 262 do. 4 do. 648 do.

172 prizes. 1000 do.

500 tickets at 2 dol. each. 1000 do.  
 The subscriber having altered the scheme of his lottery as above, hopes it will meet with the patronage of the public.

The drawing will commence immediately the tickets are sold, under the inspection and by direction of Messieurs Wallace and Muir, who will see the prizes delivered as soon as drawn.

Tickets to be had of the subscriber, at his store, in Church-street, Annapolis.

STEPHEN CLARK.

N. B. Each adventurer to have his choice of goods in the store, agreeable to the amount of the prize drawn against the number of his ticket.

Annapolis, January 1, 1787.  
**A**LL persons indebted to the estate of Colonel William Hyde, late of this city, deceased, are requested to make immediate payments; as there are balances remaining in the hands of several of the late sheriff's, in order that it may be more convenient to those on the eastern shore, the subscriber will authorize some person to receive the sums due from them at the general court in April next, when it is hoped they will pay; those on this side the bay are requested to make payment to the subscriber; those who have claims against the said estate are desired to bring them in legally proved, to  
 WILLIAM GOLDSMITH, administrator of William Hyde.

N. B. Colonel Hyde in his life-time lent several books and other things which have not been returned, and as some of the books were borrowed by Colonel Hyde, I should be much obliged to those who have them to return them to me,  
 W. G.

**FIVE POUNDS REWARD.**

Upper Marlborough, Prince-George's county, September 12, 1786.

**R**AN away from the subscriber, on the 4th of June, a negro man named CHARLES, twenty-five years of age, a short thick fellow, about five feet six inches high, has a short flat nose, a very bushy head of hair, thick lips, with a lump on the upper one, he is a handy fellow, and works well at the whip-law; had on when he went away his common working dress; I have reasons to believe he has other cloaths with him, but cannot particularly describe them, therefore he probably may change his apparel. As I purchased him of Notley Young, Esq; on Patowmack, I apprehend he is lurking about in that neighbourhood. Whoever takes up and secures the said fellow, so that his master may get him again, shall receive if above ten miles from home thirty shillings, if out of the county forty shillings, and if out of the state the above reward, including what the law allows, paid by  
 WILLIAM BOWIE, jr.

**Final Settlements for Sale.**

**A**NY gentleman that wants to purchase Final Settlements of any kind, may be supplied on reasonable terms. Credit will be given on approved security. Letters addressed to the subscriber, at Philadelphia, will be duly attended to.  
 HUGH PATTON.

**TO BE SOLD,**

A healthy young Negro Wench, With a Male Child in arms. Inquire of the Printers.

ANNAPOLIS: Printed by F. and S. GREEN, at the Post-Office, Francis-Street.

**Treasury of the United States,**  
 MAY 14th, 1787.

**T**HE commissioners of the board of treasury of the United States, give notice, That on the 21st day of September next, will be exposed to sale, at the place where the United States in Congress may hold their sessions—The following townships and lots of lands in the western territory, which were surveyed last year, under the direction of the geographer-general of the United States, viz.

<b>FIRST RANGE.</b>	
No. 3, containing	4,350 acres.
<b>SECOND RANGE.</b>	
No. 1, containing	1,386.
2,	5,434.
3,	3,572.
4,	24,139.
5,	23,040.
6,	23,040.
7,	23,040.
8,	22,886.
9,	18,644½.
<b>THIRD RANGE.</b>	
No. 1, containing	6,596.
2,	21,797.
3,	24,481.
4,	23,040.
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<b>FOURTH RANGE.</b>	
No. 1, containing	4,574.
2,	21,350.
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The admirable quality of these lands, and the favourable climate in which they are situated, are too well known to need description. The conditions of sale are as follow, viz.

1st. The townships or fractional parts of townships throughout the different ranges, will be sold either entire or in lots in alternate order; that is to say, where a township or fractional part of a township is sold entire, the next will be sold in lots, agreeably to the ordinance of the 30th of May, 1785.

2d. The lands are not to be sold under a dollar per acre, payable in gold or silver, or any of the securities of the United States.

3d. The purchasers are to pay the charges of survey, which are to be estimated at thirty-six dollars in specie, or certificates as aforesaid for every township; and in the same proportion for fractional parts of townships or lots; this payment to be made at the sale, and in case of failure, the lands to be again exposed to public auction.

4th. One third of the purchase money is to be paid at the time of purchase; and the remaining two thirds in three months after the date of the sale; on which payment a certificate shall be given by the treasurer of the United States, which shall entitle the person to whom the same is given to receive from the commissioners of this board a proper title; provided, that if the second payment is not made at the time above specified, the first payment is to be forfeited, and the land on which the forfeit accrued be again set up for sale.

5th. The plots of the townships will be marked by subdivisions into lots of one mile square or 640 acres, and numbered from 1 to 36; and out of each township Lot No. 8, 11, 26, and 29, are to be reserved for future sale; Lot No 16 for the maintenance of public schools within the respective townships, and out of every fractional-part of a township, as many lots of the same number as shall be found therein. There will also be reserved to the United States, one third part of all gold and silver, lead and copper mines.

Proper maps and descriptions of the lands will be exhibited at the time and place of sale, and the sales will continue from day to day until the whole are sold.

SAMUEL OSGOOD,  
 WALTER LIVINGSTON, } Commissioners.  
 ARTHUR LEE.

Baltimore, May 21, 1787.  
**N**OTICE is hereby given, that agreeable to an act of Assembly, for establishing an Insurance Fire Company in Baltimore-town, that the subscription is full, and that the 2d Monday in July next, at the court-house, is the day and place appointed for choosing of Directors or Trustees of the said company, of which all persons interested are to take notice.  
 WILLIAM SMITH,  
 PHILIP ROGERS,  
 JOHN MERRYMAN.

**T H E  
 C O L U M B I A N M A G A Z I N E,**  
 For September, October, November, December, and January. Price 1/10 each, to be SOLD at the Printing-Office, where SUBSCRIPTIONS, at 20s a Year, are taken in.

**Board of Treasury of the United States,**

May 17th, 1787.

The United States in Congress having directed the Commissioners of this Board, to take the most effectual measures, for settling the accounts of the secret and commercial Committees of Congress.

Notice is hereby given,

**T**HAT the accounts of the said Committees, having been arranged, as far as the materials furnished by the respective parties, will enable them to proceed in that business; it has become necessary, to adopt immediate measures for closing their transactions. All persons therefore, who have received public money from the general treasury, in pursuance of engagements entered into with the secret and commercial Committees of Congress, and who have not accounted for the same, are hereby required, to render and adjust their respective accounts within three months, computed from the present date; at the expiration of which time, process will be commenced against such as neglect this notice.

SAMUEL OSGOOD,  
 WALTER LIVINGSTON, } Commissioners.  
 ARTHUR LEE,

April 16, 1787.  
**R**AN away last night, from the subscriber, living in Charles county, a negro man named W. A. L. LEY, a tall slender made fellow, about six feet and an inch high, age about 35 years, he is not country born, speaks bad English so that it can be hardly understood; had on when he went away a white fawn-suit jacket, a pair of white nap cotton breeches and a shaggy shirt, and has taken with him many other cloaths, which I cannot describe, as he is remarkably fond of dress. Also went away at the same time, a negro woman named NELL, aged about 35 years, she is a low squat wench. Also took with them two horses, one a light sorrel, about fourteen hands and an inch high, branded on the near buttock W. the other a dark bay, about fourteen hands high, and a small crop on the end of one of his ears. Whoever takes up the said negroes and horses shall receive for each of the horses, two dollars if brought home, and eight dollars for each negro, paid by the subscriber.  
 WILLIAM M. WILKINSON.

**SIX GUINEAS REWARD.**  
 Upper Marlborough, February 25, 1787.

**W**ENT away from the subscriber, the 25th of January last, a negro man named JOE, forty-five years old, about five feet eight or nine inches high, has lost some of his upper fore teeth, and the sight of one of his eyes a little injured; had on a double breasted jacket of coarse blue cloth, with a flannel sleeve and large black horn buttons, breeches of blue figured plaid, and country made shoes and stockings, and took other cloaths with him; he passed South river ferry soon after his escape, and said he belonged to Mr. Ralph Forster, of Hill's Delight, and was going home, he is well acquainted with the negroes of that neighbourhood, Annapolis and Baltimore, carries razor, combs and powder bag, and is fond of acting as a barber, has been used to waiting on gentlemen, and is fond of liquor. Any person securing said negro, so that I get him again, shall receive if taken twenty miles from home two guineas, if forty miles four guineas, and if out of the state six guineas, and reasonable charges if brought home.  
 D. MAGRUDER.

Annapolis, May 23, 1787.  
**J U S T I M P O R T E D,**  
 In the Britannia Yacht, captain Hunter, from London and to be SOLD, on the most reasonable terms for cash or country produce, by  
 JOHN PETTY, and Co.

At their Stores in Annapolis and Port-Tobacco  
**A** LARGE and general assortment of DRY GOODS, suitable for the present season. All a quantity of Porter, Dorchester Ale, Sherry, very old Mountain, and Port Wine, in bottles. They have likewise for sale, a complete iron Crane, made to purchase two tons, well calculated for a public wharf or warehouse.

May 2, 1787.  
**F O R S A L E,**  
 At the Queen Tree, Patuxent river, for cash or any kind of country produce,  
**A** LARGE quantity of fence-rails, consisting of oak, chestnut and yellow ash; they will be sold at the most reasonable rates.  
 JOHN LUCAS.

Just Published, and to be SOLD at the Printing-Office, Annapolis and at the Post-Office, Baltimore  
 Price 7/6.

**T H E  
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 Of November Session, 1786.

# MARYLAND GAZETTE.

## THURSDAY, JULY 12, 1787.

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### PARIS, April 17.

At this moment the world confusion  
in various parts, owing to general distrust  
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ers offer 12 per cent. for money to be  
paid in port their credit; and, to add to  
scarcity, a riot on the bank (the Caiss d'Es-  
compte) has already begun. It is no wonder that  
there should be a temporary and sudden want of  
money between man and man, as the difficulty  
with gambling and other speculations is men-  
tioned in the papers. The king's army is men-  
tioned to be at Calonne, Mirabeau, and Allier,  
places were nearly in France the same as those  
of the lord of treasury, the lord chancellor, and  
other great officers in England. It is much ap-  
prehended that many great houses will be ruined by this  
scarcity of credit; you may, therefore, caution  
merchants against great operations with this  
ill the alarm has subsided.

### LONDON, April 16.

Dispatches received from earl Cornwallis, go-  
vernor at Bengal, wear an aspect of peace to  
and alarming, that all the Leadenhall-street  
papers cannot do their contents away. They have  
been transpired, and exhibit to the view a scene in  
contrast to those repeatedly set forth by the  
office of administration. They roundly assert,  
the credit of the company is gone, and that  
government cannot subsist without aid from  
the public.

### April 17.

By authentic letters from Vienna we are  
informed, that on the 29th of March the Russian  
army, supposed to be auxiliaries as a coronation  
completely invaded the very important for-  
tress of Belgrade, which, it is generally supposed, must  
fall very speedily, as the Turks are by no  
means prepared with provisions, stores or ammunition,  
being but a decisive action in favour of the Ot-  
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it, in which there are now upwards of twenty  
thousand Spahis.

English governors of Bombay have sent 200  
men, and 500 sepoy, and taken possession  
of a small island, called Die Gratia, situated 200  
miles north-east of the Isle of Bourbon; on which  
the deceased count de Bussy had permitted a  
family, and some negroes to reside, merely  
retaining to whom it belonged. The English  
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### MIDDLETOWN, June 18.

The following is a copy of a letter from the agent of the French navy, residing in New-London, to his excellency governor Huntington.

S I R,

REPEATED complaints being made to me by several owners and masters of vessels trading to our French islands, respecting the charges, duties, and various gratifications demanded by the inferior officers of the custom; and having nothing more at heart than to aid and assist our allied friends the Americans in their navigation and trade, I have laid before M. de la Foret, our honourable vice-consul general, residing in New-York, the said complaints, who desires me to inform the merchants, owners and masters of vessels in the state of Connecticut, that as soon as those concerned in the West India trade, shall give into the agent of the French navy, residing at New-London, an account attested before his excellency the governor, of the various charges paid to our custom-houses, with the names of the places where paid; and those made triplicate; he will immediately lay them before his majesty, who will no doubt, give orders for a strict inquiry, his intention being to promote and encourage, as much as possible, the commerce of both nations.

"If your excellency pleases to have the above inserted in the public news-papers of this state, for the perusal of all concerned, it will be an additional favour to him who has the honour to be, with the greatest respect, Sir, your most obedient humble servant.

PHILIP DE JEAN.

### ALBANY, June 21.

We learn from Washington, that the magistrates of Salem, on the evening of the 12th instant receiving intelligence that Shays was lurking near the eastern-moat part of that settlement, at one Wilson's, in Sandgate, recommended to lieutenant-colonel Martin immediately to collect a sufficient force and apprehend him and his abettors, at all events. Colonel Martin, with a secrecy and dispatch, which did him honour, immediately distributed the necessary orders, and at sunrise the next morning about 16 of the Hebron militia, under the command of captain Sheperd, and an equal number of light infantry under captain Clegg, of Salem, marched to the place where Shays was said to be concealed. After searching every suspected place, and making the strictest inquiries of persons who were taken up, they returned disappointed in the object of their expedition. It appeared that Shays had been for some days past concealed in a log house, which he chose, it is presumed, partly on account of its equivocal situation, it being on the borders of Vermont, and possibly within the limits where it exercises jurisdiction; he decamped the preceding night, and left word that he meant to return to Canada, convinced that he could no longer remain in these parts with safety. They were not able to learn whether Shays had received any notice of this excursion, though it is highly probable. Upon the whole, we are happy to inform the public, that the authority of Washington are determined to proceed in the most rigorous manner against any person or persons that may have given Shays intelligence, if he or they can be discovered.

### NEW-YORK, June 19.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Halifax (Nova-Scotia) to his friend in this city, dated May 9; 1787.

"Matters in general remain much in the same situation in this province as they were last summer, and whatever may be the opinion of our friends on your side of the water, relative to our commercial concerns, I can assure you we are far from being in that flourishing state we could wish. Our country is in a great measure as yet uncultivated, so that we have few resources that way. Our coast indeed produces a large quantity of excellent fish, but our merchants, in general, being inexperienced in that business, ship this article at a very dear rate, and are consequently undersold in the West-India markets by those of Newfoundland, who, by their long practice, are enabled to care them on much better terms than we possibly can; I hope, however, we

Annapolis, June 14, 1787.  
**A MEETING** of the visitors of St. John's College is earnestly requested on Tuesday the 17th of July. It is hoped this notice will be observed, as business, which materially concerns that institution, requires the attendance of the visitors at that time.

THOMAS JENINGS,  
 JOHN THOMAS,  
 NICHOLAS CARROLL, } Visitors.

Strawberry-hill, near Annapolis, June 20, 1787.  
**LOS** about the 25th day of last May, between the Bodkin and the mouth of Magothy river, a small almost new BOAT, about ten or twelve feet keel, rows with four oars, and has the subscriber's name cut on her stern. Whoever will deliver her here, or give such information that she be recovered, shall be well paid for their trouble, by

RICHARD SPRIGG.

**S C H E M E  
 OF A  
 B O O K L O T T E R Y.**

1 prize of 100 dollars is 100 dollars.  
 1 do. 50 do. 50 do.  
 8 do. 25 do. 200 do.  
 162 do. 4 do. 648 do.

172 prizes. 1000 do.

500 tickets at 2 dol. each 1000 do.  
 The subscriber having altered the scheme of his lottery as above, hopes it will meet with the patronage of the public.

The drawing will commence immediately the tickets are sold, under the inspection and by direction of Messieurs Wallace and Muir, who will see the prizes delivered as soon as drawn.

Tickets to be had of the subscriber, at his store, in Church-street, Annapolis.

STEPHEN CLARK.

N. B. Each adventurer to have his choice of goods in the store, agreeable to the amount of the prize drawn against the number of his ticket.

Annapolis, January 1, 1787.  
**A L L** persons indebted to the estate of colonel William Hyde, late of this city, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; as there are balances remaining in the hands of several of the late subscribers, in order that it may be more convenient to those on the eastern shore, the subscriber will authorize some person to receive the sums due from them at the general court in April next, when it is hoped they will pay; those on this side the bay are requested to make payment to the subscriber; those who have claims against the said estate are desired to bring them in legally proved, to

WILLIAM GOLDSMITH, administrator of William Hyde.

N. B. Colonel Hyde in his life-time lent several books and other things which have not been returned, and as some of the books were borrowed by colonel Hyde, I should be much obliged to those who have them to return them to me,

W. G.

**FIVE POUNDS REWARD.**  
 Upper Marlborough, Prince-George's county, September 12, 1786.



**RAN** away from the subscriber, on the 4th of June, a negro man named CHARLES, twenty-five years of age, a short thick fellow, about five feet six inches high, has a short flat nose, a very bushy head of hair, thick lips, with a lump on the upper one, he is a handy fellow, and works well at the whip-law; had on when he went away his common working dress; I have reasons to believe he has other cloaths with him, but cannot particularly describe them, therefore he probably may change his apparel. As I purchased him of Notley-Young, Esq; on Patowmack, I apprehend he is lurking about in that neighbourhood. Whoever takes up and secures the said fellow, so that his master may get him again, shall receive if above ten miles from home thirty shillings, if out of the county forty shillings, and if out of the state the above reward, including what the law allows, paid by

WILLIAM BOWIE, 3d.

**Final Settlements for Sale.**

**A N Y** gentleman that wants to purchase Final Settlements of any kind, may be supplied on reasonable terms. Credit will be given on approved security. Letters addressed to the subscriber, at Philadelphia, will be duly attended to.

HUGH PATTON.

**To BE SOLD,**

A healthy young Negro Wench, With a Male Child in arms. Inquire of the Printers.

ANNAPOLIS: Printed by F. and S. GREEN, at the Post-Office, Francis-Street.

**Treasury of the United States,**

MAY 14th, 1787.

**T H E** commissioners of the board of treasury of the United States, give notice, That on the 21st day of September next, will be exposed to sale, at the place where the United States in Congress may hold their sessions—The following townships and lots of lands in the western territory, which were surveyed last year, under the direction of the geographer-general of the United States, viz.

- FIRST RANGE.**  
 No. 3, containing 4,350 acres.
- SECOND RANGE.**  
 No. 1, containing 1,386.  
 2, 5,434.  
 3, 8,598.  
 4, 11,139.  
 5, 23,040.  
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 8, 22,886.  
 9, 18,644.
- THIRD RANGE.**  
 No. 1, containing 6,596.  
 2, 11,797.  
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The admirable quality of these lands, and the favourable climate in which they are situated, are too well known to need description. The conditions of sale are as follow, viz.

1st. The townships or fractional parts of townships throughout the different ranges, will be sold either entire or in lots in alternate order; that is to say, where a township or fractional part of a township is sold entire, the next will be sold in lots, agreeably to the ordinance of the 20th of May, 1785.

2d. The lands are not to be sold under a dollar per acre, payable in gold or silver, or any of the securities of the United States.

3d. The purchasers are to pay the charges of survey, which are to be estimated at thirty-six dollars in specie, or certificates as aforesaid for every township; and in the same proportion for fractional parts of townships or lots; this payment to be made at the sales, and in case of failure, the lands to be again exposed to public auction.

4th. One third of the purchase money is to be paid at the time of purchase; and the remaining two thirds in three months after the date of the sale; on which payment a certificate shall be given by the treasurer of the United States, which shall entitle the person to whom the same is given to receive from the commissioners of this board a proper title; provided, that if the second payment is not made at the time above specified, the first payment is to be forfeited, and the land on which the forfeit accrued be again set up for sale.

5th. The plots of the townships will be marked by subdivisions into lots of one mile square or 640 acres, and numbered from 1 to 36; and out of each township Lot No. 8, 12, 16, and 29, are to be reserved for future sale; Lot No 16 for the maintenance of public schools within the respective townships, and out of every fractional part of a township, as many lots of the same number as shall be found therein. There will also be reserved to the United States, one third part of all gold and silver, lead and copper mines.

Proper maps and descriptions of the lands will be exhibited at the time and place of sale, and the sales will continue from day to day until the whole are sold.

SAMUEL OSGOOD,  
 WALTER LIVINGSTON, } Commissioners.  
 ARTHUR LEE,

Baltimore, May 21, 1787.

**N O T I C E** is hereby given, that agreeable to an act of Assembly, for establishing an Insurance Fire Company in Baltimore-town, that the subscription is full, and that the 2d Monday in July next, at the court-house, is the day and place appointed for choosing of Directors or Trustees of the said company, of which all persons interested are to take notice.

WILLIAM SMITH,  
 PHILIP ROGERS,  
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**T H E  
 C O L U M B I A N M A G A Z I N E,**

For September, October, November, December, and January, Price 1/10 each, to be SOLD at the Printing-Office, where SUBSCRIPTIONS, at 20s of a Year, are taken in.

**Board of Treasury of the United States,**

May 17th, 1787.

The United States in Congress having directed the Commissioners of this Board, to take the most effectual measures, for settling the accounts of the secret and commercial Committees of Congress.

Notice is hereby given,

**T H A T** the accounts of the said Committees, having been arranged, as far as the materials furnished by the respective parties, will enable them to proceed in that business; it has become necessary, to adopt immediate measures for closing these transactions. All persons therefore, who have received public money from the general treasury, in pursuance of engagements entered into with the secret and commercial Committees of Congress, and who have not accounted for the same, are hereby required, to render and adjust their respective accounts within three months, computed from the present date; at the expiration of which time, process will be commenced against such as neglect this notice.

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April 16, 1787.

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WILLIAM M. WILKINSON.

**SIX GUINEAS REWARD.**

Upper Marlborough, February 25, 1787.

**WENT** away from the subscriber, the 25th of January last, a negro man named JOE, forty-five years old, about five feet eight or nine inches high, has lost some of his upper fore teeth, and the right of one of his eyes a little injured; had on a double breasted jacket of coarse blue cloth, with a blue sleeve and large black horn buttons, breeches of blue figured plush, and country-made shoes and stockings, and took other cloaths with him; he passed South river ferry soon after his escape, and said he belonged to Mr. Ralph Forster, of Hill's Delight, and was going home; he is well acquainted with the negroes of that neighbourhood, Annapolis and Baltimore, carries razors, combs and powder bag, and is fond of acting as a barber, has been used to waiting on gentlemen, and a fond of liquor. Any person securing said negro, so that I get him again, shall receive if taken twenty miles from home two guineas, if forty miles four guineas, and if out of the state six guineas, and all reasonable charges if brought home.



D. MAGRUDER.

Annapolis, May 23, 1787.

**JUST IMPORTED,**

In the Britannia Yacht, captain Hunter, from London and to be SOLD, on the most reasonable terms for cash or country produce, by

JOHN PETTY, and Co.

At their Stores in Annapolis and Port-Tobacco

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At the Queen Tree, Patuxent river, for cash or any kind of country produce,

**A L A R G E** quantity of fence-rails, consisting of oak, chestnut and yellow ash; they will be sold at the most reasonable rates.

JOHN LUCAS.

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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JULY 12, 1787.

P A R I S, April 11.

At this moment the utmost confusion reigns here, owing to general distrust and want of current cash. The bankers offer 12 per cent. for money to support their credit; and, to add to calamity, a run on the bank (the Caisse d'Escompte) has already begun. It is no wonder that should be a temporary and sudden want of specie between man and man, on the discovery of swiftness gambling and other speculations in men of rank as Calonne, Mirmeuil, and Aligre, who were nearly in France the same as those first lord of treasury, the lord chancellor, and lord privy seal in England. It is much apprehended that many great houses will be raised by this stop to credit; you may, therefore, caution merchants against great operations with this till the alarm has subsided.

L O N D O N, April 16.

The dispatches received from earl Cornwallis, governor-general at Bengal, wear an aspect at once so alarming, that all the Leadenhall-street try cannot do their contents away. They have been transpired, and exhibit to the view a scene in contrast to those repeatedly set forth by the organs of administration. They roundly assert, the credit of the company is gone, and that government cannot subsist without aid from their bonds are at a higher discount than have been since the termination of the war, and sources are drying up. The affairs on the Coromandel coast are in a worse state than of the Car.

But both together are in a most distracted situation. By authentic letters from Vienna we are informed, that on the 29th of March the Russian army, supposed to be assistants at a coronation, completely invested the very important fortress of Ochakoff, which, it is generally supposed, must be taken very speedily, as the Turks are by no means prepared with provisions, stores or ammunition. A decisive action in favour of the Ottoman army, that may come to its relief, can save the place, in which there are now upwards of twenty thousand Spahis.

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P O R T S M O U T H, (N. H.) June 12.

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An honest man is the noblest work of God." Pope.

B O S T O N, June 21.

A gentleman who arrived in town last Friday from Berkshire, informs, that a few days since, a party of the insurgents entered the house of a deputy sheriff

in Pittsfield in that county, and destroyed all the writs, executions, and other legal papers they could lay their hands on. A striking proof this—of the peaceable disposition of those citizens, who a few days since were presented as humbly supplicating the mercy of government, and as willing to return again to their duty as good citizens. Confusion come upon us, for arresting the thunderbolt from its devoted victims.

M I D D L E T O W N, June 18.

The following is a copy of a letter from the agent of the French navy, residing in New-London, to his excellency governor Huntington.

S I R,

REPEATED complaints being made to me by several owners and masters of vessels trading to our French islands, respecting the charges, duties, and various gratifications demanded by the inferior officers of the customs; and having nothing more at heart than to aid and assist our allied friends the Americans in their navigation and trade, I have laid before M. de la Forest, our honourable vice-consul general, residing in New-York, the said complaints, who desires me to inform the merchants, owners and masters of vessels in the state of Connecticut, that as soon as those concerned in the West India trade, shall give into the agent of the French navy, residing at New-London, an account attested before his excellency the governor, of the various charges paid to our custom-houses, with the names of the places where paid; and those made triplicate; he will immediately lay them before his majesty, who will no doubt, give orders for a strict inquiry, his intention being to promote and encourage, as much as possible, the commerce of both nations.

"If your excellency pleases to have the above inserted in the public newspapers of this state, for the perusal of all concerned, it will be an additional favour to him who has the honour to be, with the greatest respect, Sir, your most obedient humble servant,

PHILIP DE JEAN.

A L B A N Y, June 21.

We learn from Washington, that the magistrates of Salem, on the evening of the 12th instant, receiving intelligence that Shays was lurking near the eastern-most part of that settlement, at one Wilson's, in Sandgate, recommended to lieutenant colonel Martin immediately to collect a sufficient force and apprehend him and his abettors, at all events. Colonel Martin, with a secrecy and dispatch, which did him honour, immediately distributed the necessary orders, and at sunrise the next morning about 16 of the Hebron militia, under the command of captain Sheperd, and an equal number of light infantry under captain Clap, of Salem, marched to the place where Shays was said to be concealed. After searching every suspected place, and making the strictest inquiries of persons who were taken up, they returned disappointed in the object of their expedition. It appeared that Shays had been for some days past concealed in a log house, which he chose, it is presumed, partly on account of its equivocal situation, it being on the borders of Vermont, and partly within the limits where it exercises jurisdiction; he decamped the preceding night, and left word that he meant to return to Canada, convinced that he could no longer remain in these parts with safety. They were not able to learn whether Shays had received any notice of this excursion, though it is highly probable. Upon the whole, we are happy to inform the public, that the authority of Washington are determined to proceed in the most rigorous manner against any person or persons that may have given Shays intelligence, if he or they can be discovered.

N E W - Y O R K, June 19.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Halifax (Nova-Scotia) to his friend in this city, dated May 9, 1787.

"Matters in general remain much in the same situation in this province as they were last summer, and whatever may be the opinion of our friends on your side of the water, relative to our commercial concerns, I can assure you we are far from being in that flourishing state we could wish. Our country is in a great measure as yet uncultivated, so that we have few resources that way. Our coast indeed produces a large quantity of excellent fish, but our merchants, in general, being inexperienced in that business, ship this article at a very dear rate, and are consequently underfold in the West-India markets by those of Newfoundland, who, by their long practice, are enabled to cure them on much better terms than we possibly can; I hope, however, we

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JOHN BRISCOE, ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL.

SIX POUNDS REWARD.



July 11, 1787. RAN away from the subscriber, living near Annapolis, on the ninth instant, a negro man named JACK, a jolly well made fellow, about five feet nine or ten inches high, thirty years old, he has a scar on his breast from a burn when young; had on a cotton jacket and breeches, new olinbrig shirt, and felt hat. Whoever takes up and secures the said negro, so that his master gets him again, shall receive, if above ten miles from home, twenty shillings; if out of the county, forty shillings; and if out of this state, the above reward, including what the law allows, paid by

BRICE T. B. WORTHINGTON.

State of Maryland, Talbot county, June 25, 1787. WHEREAS an act of the general assembly of this State, entitled, An act to erect a town in Talbot county, will be exposed to sale, (and will continue by adjournment until the whole are sold) on Tuesday the 21st day of August next, on the premises, Several lots of ground, situate, lying and being within the limits of the aforesaid town, on the following terms:—The purchaser to give bond with sufficient security, to be approved of by the commissioners for laying out the said town, or a major part of them, to pay the purchase money with interest thereon, in twelve months to the proprietor of the land, except the just proportion of the expences of surveying, laying out, plotting and bounding the said town, which must be paid in ready money, and no person to possess more than three lots within twelve months after the same are divided, plotted and laid out.

JEREMIAH BANNING, HUGH SHERWOOD, of Huntington, JOHN ST VENS, GREENBURY GOLDSBOROUGH, ALEX. NBER McCALLUM, Commissioners appointed by law for laying out and selling the said ground.

Prince George's county, June 29, 1787. BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, to me directed, will be exposed to sale on the premises, for ready money, on the 18th day of July next, a valuable tract of land in the county aforesaid, called Hollyday's Choice, containing five hundred acres, the property of Benjamin and Mordecai Jacob, and sold to satisfy a judgment obtained by Benjamin Mackali, of Calvert county.

And on the 21st day of the same month, will be exposed to sale, by virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, sundry tracts of land, viz. Part of James and Mary, 235 acres; Hurke's Discovery, 21 1/2 acres; Honest Man, 137 1/2 acres; Bachelor's Choice, 250 acres; William and Elizabeth, 110 acres; Chew's Folly, 82 1/2 acres; Mullikin's Beginning, 21 acres; also several slaves, some flock, and plantation utensils; the property of John Wells, of said county, and sold to satisfy a judgment obtained by James Miller, of said county.

NICHOLAS BLACKLOCK, Sheriff of Prince-George's county.

George-town, June 16, 1787. Will be SOLD to the highest bidder, on Monday the 12th day of August next, at colonel John H. Beanes's tavern in Piscataway,

THE house and lot in Piscataway-town, whereon Mr. George Dent Hardey now lives. Also between 15 to 20 acres of unimproved ground, in and adjoining the said town. The above has been many years occupied as a tavern, and is esteemed one of the first situations in town for any kind of public business. Twelve months credit will be given the purchaser, on giving bond on interest with approved security—or for the whole sum or any part that may be paid at the day of sale, or within one month after, a discount of ten per cent. will be allowed.

BENJAMIN REEDER.

July 4, 1787. IF John Strickland, who left England in the year 1775, and arrived in Baltimore, is living and will apply to captain William Dennes, on board the ship Hanbury, lying at Lower-Marlborough, or Mr. John Clapham, in Annapolis, he will hear of something to his advantage.

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ONE woman of about 28 years of age, three or four months with child, one about 2 years old, and one about 15 months old, one boy about 6 years old. One third of the purchase money to be paid at the day of sale. Further terms will be made known at the day of sale.

JOHN BEALE HOWARD, P. S. The above slaves may be seen by applying to Mrs. Oner Wilkins, at Annapolis.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Joshua Ridgely, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, are desired to make them known to the subscriber, and those indebted are requested to make payment to

ELIZABETH YIELDHALL, executrix.

(XLth Year) M A CONSTANT L L is... seems to... our only... Versailles... close... is doubtful... prevent the... marching... every... in... by sea and... the black... and not... command. LOND By a supreme decree, imperial majesty has... any... in... revenues of them... employed in the... upon... From Algiers we... on the 18th... of... who was... of 2000... a... to the... under the... more to the crew. The... every... letter... which his majesty... in... great... now... The appearance of... and the Porte... Preparations... making on the... guard not each other with... on all hands, in... long journey with... of her new territory... and the limits of it. I... opposition to every... means to gather... Turkish dragoon is... runner of an ambassador... The... will... month or six weeks, the... is said to be... particulars of which... Dr. Herchell, the... completed his... of forty feet... diameter. Its... any... besides the two... lately announced, the... by the help of... able to discover more... he has plainly perceived... his... than... Extract of a letter... The states general... which they have... or naval... for... of shipping to any of the... agents, on pain of... of such shipping and... and the situation in... the Barbary... Extract of a letter... On the 27th of... 23d... from this... to his car, one of... against the clock of the... to it; each... as the wind was very... himself from the... the fears of the popula... his boat and balloons... of houses, and chimn... would fall entirely, ei... the town, or in the... way; but having clear... to majesticly, and... people, appearing in... about ten minutes... 5 leagues and... village of Walmers. April 19. Private let... counts of a very sigula

MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JULY 19, 1787.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 10.

... L. L. is in motion here, and every thing seems to announce an approaching war...

LONDON, April 16.

By a supreme decree, dated the 11th of this month, the imperial majesty has ordered that all persons who...

From Algiers we learn, that an English ship arrived there on the 18th of March, bringing dispatches...

The appearance of an approaching war between Russia and the Porte, seems not in the least degree abated...

Dr. Herchell, the celebrated astronomer, has nearly completed his Rependous telescope. It will be upwards of forty feet long...

Extract of a letter from the Hague, April 5. The states general have passed an ordinance, by which they have forbidden the public sale of military or naval stores for twelve months...

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On the 27th of March Mr. Blanchard made his 23d ascension from this town with five balloons...

April 19. Private letters from Algiers contain accounts of a very singular nature. The dey insatiable...

in his demands, has positively denied having received an account of the stipend promised by the court of Spain...

Accounts have been received from Gibraltar of one of the new batteries raising by the Spaniards on the lines of St. Roque...

April 23. A private letter from Gibraltar, dated March 20, has the following article:—By a vessel just arrived here from Tangiers, we have advice, that the emperor of Morocco has absolutely declared war against the Spaniards...

Extract of a letter from Lisbon, March 24.

A convention between this court and that of Versailles is now on the tapis, relative to the negotiation of an executive treaty of commerce and guarantee between the two powers...

Advice has been received of the capture of the Sultan's Hatties, and Campigni Bacha, Algerine corsairs, by a small Corsican and Genoese fleet...

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A letter from Madeira, by way of Lisbon, says, that the crew of an Algerine galley attempted to land, with intent to carry off some of the inhabitants...

May 3. Lord Rodney has waited on his majesty, and presented him with a series of printed letters, intended as a justification of his conduct in the St. Eustatius business...

The conduct of lord R. relative to the capture of St. Eustatius, having been very much commented upon, and with a considerable degree of severity by some, he thinks it is due to his own character...

NORTHAMPTON, June 26.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Longborough to his friend in this town, dated June 18, 1787.

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BENNINGTON, June 18.

On Saturday last a person passed through town, charged with dispatches to Shays, Wheeler, &c. directed to them at the late aux Noix, in Lake Champlain...

NEW-HAVEN, June 28.

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July 7, 1787. WE the subscribers, appointed by Prince George's and Anne-Arundel county courts, do hereby give notice, that we will attend at Queen-Anne on Saturday the 28th instant, to contract with any person or persons for building a bridge over Patuxent river opposite Queen-Anne. Bond with security will be required.

JAMES MULLIKIN, THOMAS BOYD, WILLIAM BROGDEN, RICHARD HARWOOD.

Chaptico, St. Mary's county, July 7, 1787. WHEKEAS a connexion in business has been carried on by us, the subscribers, under the firm of John Briscoe and company, which business was conducted by John Briscoe, this is to give notice, that the said partnership is now dissolved, and that should any person or persons have any demands thereon, they are desired to make them known, and those who are any ways indebted are requested to make immediate payment to the said John Briscoe.

JOHN BRISCOE, ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL.

SIX POUNDS REWARD.

July 11, 1787. RAN away from the subscriber, living near Annapolis, on the ninth instant, a negro man named JACK, a lolly well made fellow, about five feet nine or ten inches high, thirty years old. He has a scar on his breast from a burn when young; had on a cotton jacket and breeches, new olinabrig shirt, and felt hat. Whoever takes up and secures the said negro, so that his master gets him again, shall receive, if above ten miles from home, twenty shillings; if out of the county, forty shillings; and if out of this state, the above reward, including what the law allows, paid by BRICE T. B. WORTHINGTON.

state of Maryland, Talbot county, June 25, 1787. AGRUE A B. L. to an act of the general assembly of this state, entitled, an act to erect a town in Talbot county, will be exposed to sale, (and will continue by adjournment until the whole are sold) on Tuesday the 21st day of August next, on the premises, Several lots of ground, situate, lying and being within the limits of the aforesaid town, on the following terms:—The purchaser to give bond with sufficient security, to be approved of by the commissioners for laying out the said town, or a major part of them, to pay the purchase money with interest thereon, in twelve months to the proprietor of the land, except the just proportion of the expences of surveying, laying out, plotting and bounding the said town, which must be paid in ready money, and no person to possess more than three lots within twelve months after the same are divided, plotted and laid out.

JEREMIAH BANNING, EUGH SHERWOOD, of Huntington, JOHN ST VENS, GREENBURY GOLDSBOROUGH, ALEX NDER McCALLUM, Commissioners appointed by law for laying out and selling the said ground.

Prince George's county, June 29, 1787. BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, to me directed, will be exposed to sale on the premises, for ready money, on the 18th day of July next, a valuable tract of land in the county aforesaid, called Hollyday's Choice, containing five hundred acres, the property of Benjamin and Mordecai Jacob, and sold to satisfy a judgment obtained by Benjamin Mackali, of Calvert county.

And on the 21st day of the same month, will be exposed to sale, by virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, sundry tracts of land, viz. Part of James and Mary, 135 acres; Hurke's Discovery, 21 1/2 acres; Honett Man, 137 1/2 acres; Batchelor's Choice, 250 acres; William and Elizabeth, 110 acres; Chew's Folly, 82 1/2 acres; Mullikin's Beginning, 21 acres; also several slaves, some stock, and plantation utensils; the property of John Wells, of said county, and sold to satisfy a judgment obtained by James Miller, of said county.

NICHOLAS BLACKLOCK, Sheriff of Prince-George's county.

George-town, June 16, 1787. Will be SOLD to the highest bidder, on Monday the 12th day of August next, at colonel John H. Branes's tavern in Piscataway, THE house and lot in Piscataway-town, whereon Mr. George Dent Hardey now lives. Also between 15 to 20 acres of unimproved ground, in and adjoining the said town. The above has been many years occupied as a tavern, and is esteemed one of the first situations in town for any kind of public business. Twelve months credit will be given the purchaser, on giving bond on interest with approved security—or for the whole sum or any part that may be paid at the day of sale, or within one month after, a discount of ten per cent. will be allowed

BENJAMIN REEDER.

July 4, 1787. IF John Strickland, who left England in the year 1775; and arrived in Baltimore, is living and will apply to captain William Dennis, on board the ship Hanbury, lying at Lower-Marlborough, or Mr. John Clapham, in Annapolis, he will hear of something to his advantage.

ELIZABETH YIELDHALL, executrix.

July 2, 1787. ON the petition of John Lane, a prisoner in Calvert county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 20th day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at a chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day in their behalf, according to the direction of the said act, and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and the Maryland Gazette.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

June 23, 1787. ON the petition of William Brown, a prisoner in Cecil county, to the chancellor praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 16th day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at a chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day in their behalf, according to the direction of the said act, and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and the Maryland Gazette.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

June 4, 1787. ON the petition of John Rawlings, a prisoner in Cecil county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said John Rawlings, that the twenty fourth day of July next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day in their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser and Maryland Gazette.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

June 25, 1787. ON the petition of William Page, a prisoner in Baltimore county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said William Page, that the 1st day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act, and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and Maryland Gazette.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

June 9, 1787. ON the petition of Ala Hill, a prisoner in Anne-Arundel county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given, that the 1st day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act, and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and the Maryland Gazette.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

June 16, 1787. ON the petition of George Lang, of Calvert county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 8th day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act, and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore, Advertiser, and Maryland Gazette.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

June 23, 1787. To be SOLD, by the subscriber, at public vendue at the house of Cornelius Mills, in the city of Annapolis, on the 15th day of August next, the following slaves, viz. ONE woman of about 28 years of age, three years old, one about 12 years old, one about 8 years old, and one about 15 months old, one boy about 6 months old. One third of the purchase money to be paid at the day of sale. Further terms will be made known at the day of sale.

JOHN BEALE HOWARD, P. S. The above slaves may be seen by applying to Mrs. Oner Wilkins, at Annapolis.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Joshua Ridgely, late of Anne-Arundel county deceased, are desired to make them known to the subscriber, and those indebted are requested to make payment to ELIZABETH YIELDHALL, executrix.

CONSTANT L L is in... seems to an... our only... Versailles... cious supp... it is doubtful... prevent the eff... troops are marching... in putting every... of defence; in short... both by sea and land... the Black... and not the... command.

L O N D By a supreme decree, His imperial majesty has ordered any estates in his dominions, the revenues of them, and the troops employed in the same, to be sold upon such conditions as shall be thought proper. From Algiers we have received there on the 18th of June a consular Logie, who was accompanied by 4000 sequins, and sent to the Algerine commander the fortifications of the city, and the crew. The consular Logie, who was accompanied by a very flattering letter from the Emperor, in which his majesty expressed great satisfaction in the success of his expedition. The appearance of a Russian fleet in the Mediterranean, and the preparations for making on the parts of the Emperor, on all hands, is a very long journey with the Emperor of her new territories, and the limits of it. The Emperor's opposition to every encroachment, and the gathering of Turkish dragoon, is a runner of an ambassador. The balhaw will probably be concluded in about a month or six weeks, the negotiations, is said to be particularly of which are stated.

Dr Herchell, the celebrated astronomer, has completed his speculation of forty feet in diameter. Its power is such, that it will be able to discover more than 1000 stars. He has plainly perceived the surface of the planets, and has lightened than in a very extraordinary manner. Extract of a letter from the States general, which they have forbidden any ships to be sent to any of the ports, on pain of forfeiture of such shipping and cargo, and the situation in which the Barbary power stands.

Extract of a letter from the States general, which they have forbidden any ships to be sent to any of the ports, on pain of forfeiture of such shipping and cargo, and the situation in which the Barbary power stands. On the 27th of March, a vessel from this port ascended from this port to his car, one of which was against the clock of the day, and it was very fast, as the wind was very fresh, and he himself from the crowd, his boat and balloons descended, and chimneys would fall entirely, either the town, or in the river, but having cleared the way majestically, and people appearing in person, in about ten minutes he descended 5 leagues, and a village of Walmer.

# MARYLAND GAZETTE.

T H U R S D A Y, JULY 19, 1787.

## CONSTANTINOPLE, March 10.

L L is in motion here, and every thing seems to announce an approaching war; our only reliance is upon the court of Versailles, which is no doubt an efficacious support, but far as matters are, it is doubtful whether even France will be able to prevent the effusion of blood; in the mean time troops are marching, and the divan is employed in putting every part of the empire in a proper state of defence; in short, every preparation is making both by sea and land; ten ships of war are at the entrance of the Black Sea, of which it is said one Ibrahim Bey, and not the captain pacha, is to have the command.

## L O N D O N, April 16.

By a supreme decree, dated the 11<sup>th</sup> of this month, his imperial majesty has ordered that all persons who possess any estates in his dominions, and who spend the revenues of them in foreign countries, except those employed in the imperial service, shall pay double taxes upon such estates.

From Algiers we learn, that an English ship arrived there on the 18<sup>th</sup> of March, bringing dispatches to consul Logie, who was ordered to pay to the dey the sum of 4000 sequins, as a recompence to the injury done to the Algerine corsair burnt by the Portuguese under the fortifications of Gibraltar, and 1000 sequins more to the crew. The dey at the same time received a very flattering letter from the king of Great Britain, in which his majesty informs the dey, that he has sent him a present of four brass cannon. The dey expressed great satisfaction with this, and the difference is now entirely made up.

The appearance of an approaching war between Russia and the Porte, seems not in the least degree abated. Preparations threatening hostility are daily making on the parts of the two powers, who now regard not each other with an eye of peace. The emperor, on all hands, is suspected not to have made her long journey with the idea alone of taking possession of her new territory, but that she wishes to extend the limits of it. The Porte shews the strongest opposition to every encroachment, and is taking all possible means to gather new strength. At Paris a Turkish dragoman is already arrived, the usual forerunner of an ambassador from the sublime Porte. The barrow will probably follow in the space of a month or six weeks, the business that he is about to negotiate, is said to be of the last importance, the particulars of which are not yet authentically stated.

Dr Herchell, the celebrated astronomer, has nearly completed his stupendous telescope. It will be upwards of forty feet long, and four feet nine inches in diameter. Its power, it is supposed, will exceed any instrument of the same kind in the world. Besides the two satellites of the Georgium Sidus lately announced, the ingenious constructor believes, that, by the help of his new instrument, he shall be able to discover more satellites of the same planet. He has plainly perceived a volcano in the moon, and pursues his researches with a curiosity not more enlightened than indefatigable.

### Extract of a letter from the Hague, April 6.

"The states general have passed an ordinance, by which they have forbidden the public sale of military or naval stores for twelve months; also the sale of shipping to any of the states of Barbary, or their agents, on pain of forfeiting the amount of the value of such shipping and stores. The scarcity of stores and the situation in which the republic stands respecting the Barbary powers are the occasion of this ordinance."

### Extract of a letter from Valenciennes, April 5.

"On the 27<sup>th</sup> of March Mr. Blanchard made his 23<sup>d</sup> ascension from this town with five balloons pend- ed to his car, one of which burst by striking against the clock of the general hospital, and another hung to it; each person trembled for the aeronaut, as the wind was very rapid; however, he disengaged himself from the clock with great courage, but the fears of the populace were redoubled, on seeing his boat and balloons descend, beating over the roofs of houses, and chimnies, which made it feared it would fall entirely, either into the fortifications of the town, or in the river Escaut, as it blew that way; but having cleared those places, the balloons rose majestically, and Mr. Blanchard saluted the people appearing in perfect tranquillity. However, in about ten minutes he finished his voyage, and descended 5 leagues and an half from this place at the village of Walmer."

April 19. Private letters from Algiers contain accounts of a very singular nature. The dey insatiable

in his demands, has positively denied having received an account of the stipend promised by the court of Spain, and insisted upon the payment of the whole sum, threatening the consul not only to seize on his person, but on the Spanish ships then in the harbour, if his very reasonable demands were not immediately complied with. As to his excellency comte D'Espilly, he was treated in the most contemptuous manner. The gross epithets of rogue, dog and rascal, &c. were bestowed upon him by the dey, who, lest he should not understand him sufficiently, insisted on the interpreter repeating his very words, and finally commanded the Spanish negotiator to depart from his dominions, except he preferred being yoked in chains to the plough.

Accounts have been received from Gibraltar of one of the new batteries raising by the Spaniards on the lines of St. Roque having suddenly given way, by which many workmen and others were killed.

April 25. A private letter from Gibraltar, dated March 20. has the following article:—By a vessel just arrived here from Tangiers, we have advice, that the emperor of Morocco has absolutely declared war against the Spaniards, and was preparing a fleet of armed vessels to cruise against them in the Mediterranean; but one thing will stop his hostile intentions for some time, the plague having broke out in his army, which has carried off a great many of them, and particularly that part of it which he intended to have marched into some part of the Spanish territories.

### Extract of a letter from Lisbon, March 24.

"A convention between this court and that of Versailles is now on the tapis, relative to the negotiation of an extensive treaty of commerce and guarantee between the two powers, but it is universally thought that no treaty of that kind will be agreed to, particularly as the majority of the ministers are against it, and that several ministers of other powers have got indignation of such an attempt, and have declared in strong terms against it. The English and Dutch ambassadors, together with the consuls of other nations, have delivered memorials requiring an answer on this head."

Advice has been received of the capture of the Sultanah Haaten, and Campigni Bacha, Algerine corsairs, by a small Corsican and Genoese fleet; but the former pirate, by means of a sudden breeze got clear off. The Algerines supported a very smart engagement of seven gallees, and lost several men. They had just captured a Tuscan vessel laden with cordage, which by this means became liberated.

April 28. A letter from Cadix by the way of France, says, that a fleet of men of war is ordered to be got ready for sea immediately, to block up the port of Tangiers, to bombard that town, and to destroy the gallees, corsairs, and rebecs the emperor of Morocco has laying there, which were to have put to sea; but the plague raging among the sailors, had carried off many of them, as well as of the army, which has stopped the Moors commencing hostilities against the Spaniards for some time.

A letter from Madeira, by way of Lisbon, says, that the crew of an Algerine galley attempted to land, with intent to carry off some of the inhabitants; but a body of the militia, with an English gentleman, soon beat them off, with the loss of ten men killed, and many wounded, ten taken prisoners, and sold to the merchants for slaves.

May 3. Lord Rodney has waited on his majesty, and presented him with a series of printed letters, intended as a justification of his conduct in the St. Eustatia business. The same has also been for some days handed about in the high circles, and will speedily make its appearance among the people at large. To it his lordship has annexed the following introduction:

"The conduct of lord R. relative to the capture of St. Eustatius, having been very much commented upon, and with a considerable degree of severity by some, he thinks it is due to his own character, to publish the following letters and extracts of letters, as the best mode of convincing the world that those censures are malicious and unjust; and that his views were invariably, during the whole period of his command, to the advancement of the public service, and glory and prosperity of his country."

## N O R T H A M P T O N, June 16.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Lancashire to his friend in this town, dated June 18, 1787.

"On the night of the 13<sup>th</sup> instant, a little before day-break, I was surpris'd by a very rude noise at my door, being found asleep when it commenced—and before I had really come to my senses, I found my bed surrounded by three or four ruffians, with

guns and bayonets. They immediately demanded a candle—I offered to arise and get one, but was forbid stirring on penalty of instant death.—My wife finally obtained liberty to arise and procure a candle; but before this, one of the villains found way and had introduced himself into the chamber where my hired man (one Lion) slept: He proceeded to the bed, and with a very awful voice exclaimed, *Who are you for?* Lincoln, replied the man: The consequence of this answer from the innocent man, was the reception of a few severe blows with a musket, though he did not get very badly hurt. The villains soon introduced a candle into the chamber, and after plundering a chest, which they broke open, they proceeded down stairs, bringing their prisoner with them. They immediately began searching the lower room, and after pillaging what they pleased, began to think of making their escape. My apprentice, who happened to be out that night, and coming home in the midst of the fray, was not discovered by their centry till he had got quite to the house, when he immediately hailed him; the lad being surpris'd at such an abrupt and sudden challenge, did not give an immediate answer: the centry upon this, fired at him; the contents of the piece passed about 24 feet from his head and entered a log of my house—I have since extracted the charge, and find it to contain one buck shot, and one ball of an enormous size. Previous to their departure, they extorted from me, my hired man and apprentice, an oath, not to reveal the transactions of the night, nor espouse the cause of government any more; and also to repair to their head quarters whenever they should call for us—and in consequence of my breaking the oath, they would pay me another visit, burn my house, and execute a scene of bloodshed upon me. However, I paid little regard to their injunctions, and soon disclosed the matter, after their departure. My loss of property is very considerable—I shall not attempt to enumerate the articles but it consists principally in cloathing."

## B E N N I N G T O N, June 18.

On Saturday last a person passed through town, charged with dispatches to Shays, Wheeler, &c. directed to them at the Isle aux Noix, in Lake Champlain, and written by the leading members of the present house of representatives in Massachusetts. The letters contain assurances of pardon to them and their adherents, provided they would prefer a petition.

## N E W - H A V E N, June 28.

On the 18<sup>th</sup> instant, six villains robbed the reverend Mr. Steele of Egremont, of about 25l. in cash, and plundered the reverend Mr. Alexander of Mendon, who lodged there that night, of his hat stock, &c. but he saved a sum of money, by timely taking it out of the saddle-bags and concealing it in his bed. The villains required the clergymen to subscribe an oath to conceal the robbery, and join Shays when called for. Mr. Steele subscribed it, but they were alarmed and went off before the other had signed it.

## A L B A N Y, June 19.

A correspondent requests us to contradict a paragraph which has appeared in several of the public papers, mentioning that Shays, with a number of his officers was at Salem and there treated with attention by the inhabitants. The mistake probably arose from Salem's being formerly called White Creek—Shays some time since held a council at a settlement called Little White Creek, about twenty miles from thence, and adjoining Shaftsbury—but our correspondent is confident that he has never appeared publicly at Salem, since a few days after his defeat at Springfield, and previous to the proclamation issued by governor Clinton. If he has been there at all since that time, it must have been in the most obscure manner, and unknown to the magistracy, or any person of consequence.

## A N N A P O L I S, July 19.

The Worcester Magazine for the fourth week in June, contains the following paragraph, demonstrative of the destructive operation of the stamp act lately passed by the legislature of Massachusetts.—At the time of passing the late stamp act, by our legislature, sixteen news-papers were published in this commonwealth: since then, and the passing the present act laying a duty on advertisements as a substitute for the stamp act, eight of those news papers have drooped and died a death was discontinued for several months, but was revived again by a hope that the act would have been speedily repealed. In the room of those news-papers thus discontinued, two only have arisen, one in a neighbouring and one in a distant county, the former in a place where no

July 2, 1787. An act relating to the creditors of the late August next, at the city of Baltimore, and that on that day of the said act, to be published in the Baltimore Advertiser.

June 23, 1787. An act relating to the creditors of the late August next, at the city of Baltimore, and that on that day of the said act, to be published in the Baltimore Advertiser.

June 4, 1787. An act relating to the creditors of the late August next, at the city of Baltimore, and that on that day of the said act, to be published in the Baltimore Advertiser.

June 25, 1787. An act relating to the creditors of the late August next, at the city of Baltimore, and that on that day of the said act, to be published in the Baltimore Advertiser.

June 9, 1787. An act relating to the creditors of the late August next, at the city of Baltimore, and that on that day of the said act, to be published in the Baltimore Advertiser.

June 16, 1787. An act relating to the creditors of the late August next, at the city of Baltimore, and that on that day of the said act, to be published in the Baltimore Advertiser.

June 22, 1787. An act relating to the creditors of the late August next, at the city of Baltimore, and that on that day of the said act, to be published in the Baltimore Advertiser.

news-paper was before published. And at this time only ten news-papers are published in this state. The continental Journal, published in Boston, was last week discontinued.

To be SOLD, by the subscriber, at Annapolis, on Wednesday the 5th day of August, A GRAY mare, 2 blood, got by Badger, and three fillies, mahogany tables, half a dozen mahogany chairs, and a young negro wench 19 years of age, and several other articles.

WILLIAM BROWN.

July 23, 1787. By virtue of a vendition exponas, to me directed, will be exposed to the highest bidder, on Monday the 30th instant,

TWO negroes, late the property of John Mackall, of Anne Arundel county, taken for the use of John Chesley; to be sold for ready crop tobacco, the sale to be at said Mackall's at Fishing Creek, at 11 o'clock.

DAVID STEUART, Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

TO BE HIRED,

Till the 25th of December next, at very low prices, TWO negro women, a negro boy, and negro girl.—One of the women is a cook, the other under-tasks washing and ironing, &c. The boy and girl are each of them old enough to be useful.—Inquire of the printers.

July 14, 1787. THIS is to give notice to all whom it may or shall concern, that I was possessed of 200 acres of land, Part of Rebecca's Lot, lying in Anne-Arundel county, which said 200 acres I sold to Benjamin Hood, on or about the 21st day of October, in the year 1773, and gave bond for the conveyance of my right to the same to the said Hood, on his paying the purchase money with the accruing interest, and took the said Hood's bond for the money; that the said Hood afterwards sold his right to Rheda Todd, not having paid me for the land, and so informing the said Todd; that the said Todd afterwards sold the said land to Peter Bond, who was at the time of his purchase informed by the said Hood, that I had not been paid for the land, when I sold the land to Hood. I gave him possession, but I have since regained possession, and mean to keep it until I am paid what is due to me on Hood's bond.

REZIN HAMMOND.

July 12, 1787. ALL persons who have open accounts with Mr. William Mollenon, for dealings at any of his stores in this country, or are otherwise indebted to him for connexions in London, are requested to make speedy payment to the subscriber, at Nottingham, where he keeps the books in order to settle with every one, and wishes to collect the debts, to satisfy the claims in this country against Mr. Mollenon. Those who do not speedily comply, must not blame me for consequences; the business will be put into lawyer's hands to compel payments.

I want to employ a young man, to collect debts, copy off accounts, &c. &c. Any one who comes recommended, well qualified, will meet with encouragement, by applying to

THOMAS CONTEE.

July 12, 1787. ON the petition of Josiah Blakely and Joseph West, of Baltimore county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioners, that the fifth day of September next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, according to the direction of the said act; and it is ordered, that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and Maryland Gazette, and personally served on the attorney-general, and on the treasurer of the Western Shore.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

July 12, 1787. ON the petition of Samuel Sprigg, a prisoner in Montgomery county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the sixth day of September next, is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the direction of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

THREE DOLLARS REWARD.



July 12, 1787. STRAYED or stolen, from Annapolis, on the 19th of June 1787, a sorrel Mare, about 14 hands and an half high, with a small blaze in her forehead, branded on the near buttock I D. Whoever takes up the said mare, and delivers her to Samuel Hutton, or the subscriber, near Pig Point, shall receive the above reward, with all reasonable expences, paid by the subscriber.

JOSEPH HUTTON.

Annapolis, July 16, 1787. COMMITTED to my custody, the two following slaves: DAVID ANDERSON, a mulatto, about 30 years of age, says he is a carpenter and shoemaker, and that he belongs to Mrs Hannah Hipkins, in Westmoreland county, Virginia, has on an oshabrig short coat and overalls. Negro HUON, about 21 years of age, says he belongs to Mr. John Brooks, of Essex county, in Virginia; but that he was under sentence of death, and broke gaol in May last, says he is a carpenter; has on an old green short coat, corduroy breeches, and a leather hat glazed. The owner or owners are requested to come, take them away, and pay charges.

DAVID STEUART, Sheriff of Anne Arundel county.

SIX DOLLARS REWARD.



July 11, 1787. RAN away from the subscriber, about the 20th of April last, a negro man named YORK, formerly the property of Thomas Watkins, deceased, he is about 6 feet high, of a yellow complexion, about forty-six years of age; had on when he went away, a mean apparel, such as negroes commonly wear; he is supposed to be about Queen-Anne, as he always lived in that neighbourhood, till removed to the above place last spring. Whoever will take up said negro, and secure him in any gaol, or so that I get him again, shall receive the above reward, including what the law allows, and reasonable charges if brought home, by

NICHOLAS WATKINS.

SIX POUNDS REWARD.

Anne-Arundel county, near the head of South river, July 12, 1787. RAN away from the subscriber, on the thirteenth instant, a likely black country born negro man named TOM, a carpenter by trade, a well made fellow, about five feet seven inches high, thirty-four years old, has a scar on one of his knites, being cut by an ax: had on and rock with him a black and white yarn jacket, white yarn breeches, oshabrig trousers, cotton and thread shirt, a new felt hat with a yellow tinsel band round the crown, white jean jacket and breeches, lead coloured coat, cut short, of sagothy, white cotton stockings, white shirt ruffled, white stock, black neck-cloth, pumps and metal buckles. Whoever takes up and secures the said negro, so that his mistress may get him again shall receive if ten miles from home, thirty shillings; if twenty miles from home, three pounds; and if out of the state, the above reward, paid by

ELIZABETH EVANS.

LANDS FOR SALE.

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SUPPLEMENT to the MARYLAND GAZETTE.

T H U R S D A Y, JULY 19, 1787.

George-town, June 16, 1787. Will be SOLD to the highest bidder, on Monday the 13th day of August next, at colonel John H. Beanes's tavern in Piscataway, THE house and lot in Piscataway town, whereon Mr. George Dent Hardey now lives. Also between 15 to 20 acres of unimproved ground, in and adjoining the said town. The above has been many years occupied as a tavern, and is esteemed one of the first situations in town for any kind of public business. Twelve months credit will be given the purchaser, on giving bond on interest with approved security—or for the whole sum or any part that may be paid at the day of sale, or within one month after, a discount of ten per cent. will be allowed

BENJAMIN REEDER.

State of Maryland, Talbot county, June 25, 1787. A G R E E A B L E to an act of the general assembly of this state, entitled, An act to erect a town in Talbot county, will be exposed to sale, (and will continue by adjournment until the whole are sold) on Tuesday the 21st day of August next, on the premises, Several lots of ground, situate, lying and being within the limits of the aforesaid town, on the following terms:—The purchaser to give bond with sufficient security, to be approved of by the commissioners for laying out the said town, or a major part of them, to pay the purchase money with interest thereon, in twelve months to the proprietor of the land, except the just proportion of the expences of surveying, laying out, plotting and bounding the said town, which must be paid in ready money, and no person to possess more than three lots within twelve months after the same are divided, plotted and laid out.

JEREMIAH BANNING, HUGH SHERWOOD, of Huntington, JOHN ST. VENS, GREENBURY GOLDSBOROUGH, ALEXANDER M'CALLUM, Commissioners appointed by law for laying out and selling the said ground.

Prince George's county, June 29, 1787. BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, to me directed, will be exposed to sale on the premises, for ready money, on the 18th day of July next, a valuable tract of land in the county aforesaid, called Hollyday's Choice, containing five hundred acres, the property of Benjamin and Mordecai Jacob, and sold to satisfy a judgment obtained by Benjamin Mackall, of Calvert county.

And on the 21st day of the same month, will be exposed to sale, by virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, undry tracts of land, viz. Part of James and Mary, 135 acres; Hucks's Discovery, 21 1/2 acres; Honest Man, 237 1/2 acres; Batchelor's Choice, 250 acres; William and Elizabeth, 110 acres; Chew's Folly, 82 1/2 acres; Mullikin's Beginning, 23 acres; also several slaves, some rock, and plantation utensils; the property of John Wells, of said county, and sold to satisfy a judgment obtained by James Miller, of said county.

NICHOLAS BLACKLOCK, sheriff of Prince-George's county.

Board of Treasury of the United States,

May 17th, 1787.

The United States in Congress having directed the Commissioners of this Board, to take the most effectual measures, for settling the accounts of the secret and commercial Committees of Congress.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the accounts of the said Committees, having been arranged, as far as the materials furnished by the respective parties, will enable them to proceed in that business; it has become necessary, to adopt immediate measures for closing these transactions. All persons therefore, who have received public money from the general treasury, in pursuance of engagements entered into with the secret and commercial Committees of Congress, and who have not accounted for the same, are hereby required, to render and adjust their respective accounts within three months, computed from the present date; at the expiration of which time, process will be commenced against such as neglect this notice.

SAMUEL OSGOOD, WALTER LIVINGSTON, ARTHUR LEE, Commissioners.

Queen-Anne, June 22, 1787.

To be disposed of at PRIVATE SALE, A PARCEL of likely negroes, consisting of men, women and children. Also will be offered to public sale, on Tuesday the 27th of July next, at Magruder's warehouse, on Patuxent river, a variety of household and kitchen furniture, such as beds, tables, chairs, &c.

WOOTTON and LANDALE.

Annapolis, Auditor's office, June 18, 1787. THE auditor having directed a circular letter, of which the following is a copy, to the several persons who have not accounted for public monies received by each during the late war, and apprehending that some of them may be removed from the places they lived at when they received the money, &c. by which means the letters may not get to their hands; he takes this method of calling upon all persons concerned, and requests their particular attention to the subject of the said letter.

C. RICHMOND.

(CIRCULAR.)

Annapolis, Auditor's office,

S I R, UPON the books of this office you stand charged as stated below. I was in hopes that every person who had received any sum or sums of money from this state for the purpose of recruiting the army or procuring supplies for carrying on the late war, would long before this time have rendered such accounts thereof, as would have enabled the officers here to have charged the United States with such parts of their disbursements as are properly chargeable thereto. And as the time for presenting the claims of the state against the union is limited to a very few months, I have to request that you will, without loss of time, enable me to settle your account, which may very materially benefit the community of which you are a member.

With much respect, I am, Sir, Your obedient humble servant,

Anne-Arundel county, July 5, 1787.

For PRIVATE SALE,

ON four years credit, by paying a small part of the purchase money, 415 acres of good fertile land, lying in Prince George's county, within nine miles of Queen-Anne, eleven of Bladenburg, twenty of Annapolis, and convenient to several good grist and saw-mills; the land is about half cleared, and under good fence, well timbered and watered, with plenty of meadow ground; this plantation is well improved, with three dwelling houses, and three tobacco houses, &c. &c. and few excel it for fruit of all kinds, both in quality and quantity; there are one hundred and fifty cherry trees, and, in a plentiful year, ten thousand gallons of cider of the best quality can be made; the fruit trees of all kinds are young and thriving. This land will be sold together, or divided into lots, as may best suit the purchaser or purchasers. Any person inclining to purchase, may view the land and improvements by applying to Doctor James Macgill, living near the premises, or to the subscriber; and if it is not sold before the 2d day of August next, it will, on that day be sold at public vendue, on the premises. Bond with approved security will be required, bearing interest from the day of sale, when possession shall be given, by

RICHARD HIGGINS.

Timber of any dimenions, and of the best quality, to be sold by

R. H.

EIGHT DOLLARS REWARD.

June 21, 1787.

BROKE gaol and made his escape on the 24th of May last, negro SAM, the property of Jacob Franklin; he is a young fellow, about 5 feet 9 inches high, his cloathing old and such as negroes commonly wear; he was committed to my custody for burglary. Whoever will take up said negro, and bring him back again, shall receive the above reward.

DAVID STEUART, sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

June 25, 1787.

STOLEN from the subscriber, near Annapolis, opposite the rope-walk, two MARES, one a dark bay, about fourteen hands two inches high, nine years old, trots and gallops, but very dull when rode, she has got a full forehead which makes a bend below her eyes, is branded thus 2 on the left shoulder; the other a bright bay, with a small star in her forehead, seven years old, paces and gallops, carries her head low when rode, brand not known. Whoever brings home the said mares shall receive a reward of thirty shillings, or fifteen shillings for either of them, paid by

JAMES HUNTER.

Final Settlements for Sale.

ANY gentleman that wants to purchase Final Settlements of any kind, may be supplied on reasonable terms. Credit will be given on approved security. Letters addressed to the subscriber, at Philadelphia, will be duly attended to.

HUGH PATTON.

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Francis-Street

news-paper was before published. And at this time only ten news-papers are published in this State. The continental Journal, published in Europe, was last week discontinued.

To be SOLD, by the subscriber, at Annapolis, on Wednesday the 24th day of August, A GRAY mare, blood, got by Budger, and three fillets, mahogany tables, half a dozen mahogany chairs, and a young negro wench 19 years of age, and several other articles.

WILLIAM BROWN.

July 11, 1787. By virtue of a *vendition exponas*, to me directed, will be exposed to the highest bidder, on Monday the 30th instant,

TWO negroes, late the property of John Mackall, of Anne Arundel county, taken for the use of John Chesley, to be sold for ready crop tobacco, the sale to be at said Mackall's at Fishing Creek, at 12 o'clock.

DAVID STEUART, Sheriff of Anne Arundel county.

To BE HIRED.

Till the 25th of December next, at very low prices, TWO negro women, a negro boy, and negro girl.—One of the women is a cook, the other understands washing and ironing, &c. The boy and girl are each of them old enough to be useful.—Inquire of the printers.

July 14, 1787. THIS is to give notice to all whom it may or shall concern, that I was possessed of 200 acres of land, Part of Rebecca's Lot, lying in Anne Arundel county, which said 200 acres I sold to Benjamin Hood, on or about the 21st day of October, in the year 1777, and gave bond for the conveyance of my right to the same to the said Hood, on his paying the purchase money with the accruing interest, and took the said Hood's bond for the money; that the said Hood afterwards sold his right to Rhea Todd, not having paid me for the land, and so inverting the said Todd; that the said Todd afterwards sold the said land to Peter Bond, who was at the time of his purchase informed by the said Hood, that I had not been paid for the land, when I sold the land to Hood, I gave him possession, but I have since regained possession, and mean to keep it until I am paid what is due to me on Hood's bond.

REZIN HAMMOND.

July 12, 1787. ALL persons who have open accounts with Mr. William Mollen, for dealings at any of his stores in this country, or are otherwise indebted to him for connexions in London, are requested to make speedy payment to the subscriber, at Nottingham, where he keeps the books in order to settle with every one, and wishes to collect the debts, to satisfy the claims in this country against Mr. Mollen. Those who do not speedily comply, must not blame me for consequences; the business will be put into lawyer's hands to compel payments.

I want to employ a young man, to collect debts, copy of accounts, &c. &c. Any one who comes recommended, well qualified, will meet with encouragement, by applying to

THOMAS CONTE.

July 18, 1787. ON the petition of Josiah Blakely and Joseph West, of Baltimore county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioners, that the 15th day of September next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, according to the direction of the said act; and it is ordered, that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and Maryland Gazette, and personally served on the attorney-general, and on the treasurer of the Western Shore.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

July 18, 1787. ON the petition of Samuel Sprigg, a prisoner in Montgomery county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 15th day of September next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the direction of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

THREE DOLLARS REWARD.

July 16, 1787. STRAYED or stolen, from Annapolis, on the 29th of June 1787, a sorrel Mare, about 24 hands and an half high, with a small blaze in her forehead, branded on the near buttock J D. Whoever takes up the said mare, and delivers her to Samuel Hutton, or the subscriber, near Fig Point, shall receive the above reward, with all reasonable expences, paid by the subscriber.

JOSEPH HUTTON.

Annapolis, July 16, 1787. COMMITTED to my custody, the two following slaves, BARR ANDERSON, a mulatto, about 30 years of age, says he is a carpenter and shoemaker, and that he belongs to Mrs Hannah Hopkins, in Westmoreland county, Virginia, has on an offshing short coat and overalls. Negro LUCA, about 25 years of age, says he belongs to Mr. John Brooks, of Essex county, in Virginia; but that he was under sentence of death, and broke jail in May last, says he is a carpenter; has on an old green short coat, corduroy breeches, and a leather hat glazed. The owner or owners are requested to come, take them away, and pay charges.

DAVID STEUART, Sheriff of Anne Arundel county.

SIX DOLLARS REWARD.

July 13, 1787. RAN away from the subscriber, about the 20th of April last, a negro man named YORK, formerly the property of Thomas Watkins, deceased, he is about 6 feet high, of a yellow complexion, about forty-six years of age; had on when he went away, a men's apparel, such as negroes commonly wear; he is supposed to be about Queen-Anne, as he always lived in that neighbourhood, till removed to the above place last spring. Whoever will take up said negro, and secure him in any good, or so that I get him again, shall receive the above reward, including what the law allows, and reasonable charges if brought home, by

NICHOLAS WATKINS.

SIX POUNDS REWARD.

Anne Arundel county, near the head of South river, July 13, 1787. RAN away from the subscriber, on the thirteenth instant, a likely black country born negro man named THOMAS, a carpenter by trade, a well made fellow, about five feet seven inches high, thirty-four years old, has a scar on one of his cheeks, being cut by an ax; had on and took with him a black and white yarn jacket, white yarn breeches, offshing trousers, cotton and thread shirt, a new felt hat with a yellow tinsel band around the crown, white jean jacket and breeches, lead coloured coat, cut short, of lagotho, white cotton stockings, white shirt ruffled, white stock, black neck-cloth, pumps and metal buckles. Whoever takes up and secures the said negro, so that his mistress may get him again shall receive if ten miles from home, thirty shillings; if twenty miles from home, three pounds; and if out of the state, the above reward, paid by

ELIZABETH EVANS.

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SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

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June 4, 1787. ON the petition of John Rawlings, a prisoner in Cecil county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said John Rawlings, that the 20th fourth day of July next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day in their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and the Maryland Gazette.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

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AMELIA WREMS.

July 7, 1787. WE the subscribers, appointed by Prince George's and Anne Arundel county courts, do hereby give notice, that we will stand at Queen-Anne on Saturday the 15th instant, to contract with any person or persons for building a bridge over Patuxent river opposite Queen-Anne. Bond with security will be required.

JAMES MULLIKIN, THOMAS BOYD, WILLIAM BROGDEN, RICHARD BARWOOD.

SUPPLEMENT to the MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JULY 19, 1787.

George-town, June 16, 1787. Will be SOLD to the highest bidder, on Monday the 28th day of August next, at colonel John H. Beane's tavern in Piscataway, THE house and lot in Piscataway-town, whereon Mr. George Dent Hardey now lives. Also between 25 to 30 acres of unimproved ground, in and adjoining the said town. The above has been many years occupied as a tavern, and is esteemed one of the first situations in town for any kind of public business. Twelve months credit will be given the purchaser, on giving bond on interest with approved security—or for the whole sum or any part that may be paid at the day of sale, or within one month after, a discount of ten per cent. will be allowed. BENJAMIN REEDER.

State of Maryland, Talbot county, June 25, 1787. AGREEABLE to an act of the general assembly of this state, entitled, An act to erect a town in Talbot county, will be exposed to sale, (and will continue by adjournment until the whole are sold) on Tuesday the 21st day of August next, on the premises, several lots of ground, situate, lying and being within the limits of the aforesaid town, on the following terms:—The purchaser to give bond with sufficient security, to be approved of by the commissioners for laying out the said town, or a major part of them, to pay the purchase money with interest thereon, in twelve months to the proprietor of the land, except the just proportion of the expences of surveying, laying out, plotting and bounding the said town, which must be paid in ready money, and no person to possess more than three lots within twelve months after the same are divided, plotted and laid out. JEREMIAH BANNING, HUGH SHERWOOD, of Huntington, JOHN ST. VENS, GREENBURY GOLDSBOROUGH, ALEXANDER McCALLUM, Commissioners appointed by law for laying out and selling the said ground.

Prince George's county, June 29, 1787. BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, to me directed, will be exposed to sale on the premises, for ready money, on the 18th day of July next, a valuable tract of land in the county aforesaid, called Hollyday's Choice, containing five hundred acres, the property of Benjamin and Mordecai Jacob, and sold to satisfy a judgment obtained by Benjamin Mackall, of Calvert county. And on the 21st day of the same month, will be exposed to sale, by virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, undry tracts of land, viz. Part of James and Mary, 135 acres; Huckle's Discovery, 21 1/2 acres; Honest Man, 237 1/2 acres; Batchelor's Choice, 250 acres; William and Elizabeth, 120 acres; Chew's Folly, 8 1/2 acres; Mullikin's Beghning, 21 acres; also several slaves, some stock, and plantation utensils; the property of John Wells, of said county, and sold to satisfy a judgment obtained by James Miller, of said county. NICHOLAS BLACKLOCK, Sheriff of Prince-George's county.

Board of Treasury of the United States,

May 27th, 1787. The United States in Congress having directed the Commissioners of this Board, to take the most effectual measures, for settling the accounts of the secret and commercial Committees of Congress.

Notice is hereby given, THAT the accounts of the said Committees, having been arranged, as far as the materials furnished by the respective parties, will enable them to proceed in that business; it has become necessary, to adopt immediate measures for closing these transactions. All persons therefore, who have received public money from the general treasury, in pursuance of engagements entered into with the secret and commercial Committees of Congress, and who have not accounted for the same, are hereby required, to render and adjust their respective accounts within three months, computed from the present date; at the expiration of which time, process will be commenced against such as neglect this notice. SAMUEL OSGOOD, WALTER LIVINGSTON, ARTHUR LEE, Commissioners.

Queen-Anne, June 22, 1787. To be disposed of at PRIVATE SALE, A PARCEL of likely negroes, consisting of men, women and children. Also will be offered to public sale, on Tuesday the 27th of July next, at Magruder's warehouse, on Patuxent river, a variety of household and kitchen furniture, such as beds, tables, chairs, &c. WOOTTON and LINDALE.

Annapolis, Auditor's office, June 18, 1787. THE auditor having directed a circular letter, of which the following is a copy, to the several persons who have not accounted for public monies received by each during the late war, and apprehending that some of them may be removed from the places they lived at when they received the money, &c. by which means the letters may not get to their hands; he takes this method of calling upon all persons concerned, and requests their particular attention to the subject of the said letter. C. RICHMOND.

(CIRCULAR.)

Annapolis, Auditor's office,

SIR, UPON the books of this office you stand charged as stated below. I was in hopes that every person who had received any sum or sums of money from this state for the purpose of recruiting the army or procuring supplies for carrying on the late war, would long before this time have rendered such accounts thereof, as would have enabled the officers here to have charged the United States with such parts of their disbursements as are properly chargeable thereto. And as the time for presenting the claims of the state against the union is limited to a very few months, I have to request that you will, without loss of time, enable me to settle your account, which may very materially benefit the community of which you are a member.

With much respect, I am, Sir, Your obedient humble servant,

Anne-Arundel county, July 5, 1787. For PRIVATE SALE,

ON four years credit, by paying a small part of the purchase money, 415 acres of good fertile land, lying in Prince-George's county, within nine miles of Queen-Anne, eleven of Bladensburg, twenty of Annapolis, and convenient to several good grist and saw-mills; the land is about half cleared, and under good fence, well timbered and watered, with plenty of meadow ground; this plantation is well improved, with three dwelling houses, and three tobacco houses, &c. &c. and few excel it for fruit of all kinds, both in quality and quantity; there are one hundred and fifty cherry trees, and, in a plentiful year, ten thousand gallons of cider of the best quality can be made; the fruit trees of all kinds are young and thriving. This land will be sold together, or divided into lots, as may best suit the purchaser or purchasers. Any person inclining to purchase, may view the land and improvements by applying to Doctor James Macgill, living near the premises, or to the subscriber; and if it is not sold before the ad day of August next, it will, on that day be sold at public vendue, on the premises. Bond with approved security will be required, bearing interest from the day of sale, when possession shall be given, by RICHARD HIGGINS.

Timber of any dimensions, and of the best quality, to be sold by R. H.

EIGHT DOLLARS REWARD.

June 21, 1787. BROKE gaol and made his escape on the 24th of May last, negro SAM, the property of Jacob Franklin; he is a young fellow, about 5 feet 9 inches high, his cloathing old and such as negroes commonly wear; he was committed to my custody for burglary. Whoever will take up said negro, and bring him back again, shall receive the above reward. DAVID STEUART, Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

June 25, 1787. STOLEN from the subscriber, near Annapolis, opposite the rope-walk, two MARES, one a dark bay, about fourteen hands two inches high, nine years old, trots and gallops, but very dull when rode, she has got a full forehead which makes a bend below her eyes, is branded thus 2 on the left shoulder; the other a bright bay, with a small star in her forehead, seven years old, paces and gallops, carries her head low when rode, brand not known: Whoever brings home the said Mares shall receive a reward of thirty shillings, or fifteen shillings for either of them, paid by JAMES HUNTER.

Final Settlements for Sale.

ANY gentleman that wants to purchase Final Settlements of any kind, may be supplied on reasonable terms. Credit will be given on approved security. Letters addressed to the subscriber, at Philadelphia, will be duly attended to. HUGH PATTON.

Treasury of the United States, MAY 14th, 1787.

THE commissioners of the board of treasury of the United States, give notice, That on the 21st day of September next, will be exposed to sale, at the place where the United States in Congress may hold their sessions—The following townships and lots of lands in the western territory, which were surveyed last year, under the direction of the geographer-general of the United States, viz.

Table with 4 columns: Range Name, Lot Number, and Area. Includes First Range (lots 1-3), Second Range (lots 1-9), Third Range (lots 1-12), and Fourth Range (lots 1-13).

The admirable quality of these lands, and the favourable climate in which they are situated, are too well known to need description. The conditions of sale are as follow, viz.

1st. The townships or fractional parts of townships throughout the different ranges, will be sold either entire or in lots in alternate order; that is to say, where a township or fractional part of a township is sold entire, the next will be sold in lots, agreeably to the ordinance of the 20th of May, 1785.

2d. The lands are not to be sold under a dollar per acre, payable in gold or silver, or any of the securities of the United States.

3d. The purchasers are to pay the charges of survey, which are to be estimated at thirty-six dollars in specie, or certificates as aforesaid for every township; and in the same proportion for fractional parts of townships or lots; this payment to be made at the sales; and in case of failure, the lands to be again exposed to public auction.

4th. One third of the purchase money is to be paid at the time of purchase; and the remaining two thirds in three months after the date of the sale; on which payment a certificate shall be given by the treasurer of the United States, which shall entitle the person to whom the same is given to receive from the commissioners of this board a proper title; provided, that if the second payment is not made at the time above specified, the first payment is to be forfeited, and the land on which the forfeit accrued be again set up for sale.

5th. The plots of the townships will be marked by subdivisions into lots of one mile square or 640 acres, and numbered from 1 to 36; and out of each township Lot No. 8, 11, 26, and 29, are to be reserved for future sale; Lot No 16 for the maintenance of public schools within the respective townships, and out of every fractional part of a township, as many lots of the same number as shall be found therein. There will also be reserved to the United States, one third part of all gold and silver, lead and copper mines.

Proper maps and descriptions of the lands will be exhibited at the time and place of sale, and the sales will continue from day to day until the whole are sold.

SAMUEL OSGOOD, WALTER LIVINGSTON, ARTHUR LEE, Commissioners.

Charles county, June 16, 1787.

THE subscriber intends to publish this spring, A Concise System of Arithmetic adapted to business—the utility and execution of the work, it is hoped, will merit the approbation of an indulgent public.—Gentlemen willing to encourage the undertaking, may give in their names to the printers for insertion.

JONATHAN ANDERSON.

Strawberry-hill, near Annapolis, June 20, 1787.

LOST, about the 25th day of last May, between the Bodkin and the mouth of Magothy river, a small almost new BOAT, about ten or twelve feet keel, rows with four oars, and has the subscriber's name cut on her stern. Whoever will deliver her here, or give such information that she be recovered, shall be well paid for their trouble, by

RICHARD SPRIGG.

EASTERN SHORE LINE OF STAGES

FROM Philadelphia, Baltimore, Annapolis, and Alexandria, By Way of CHESTER-TOWN and ROCK-HALL.

THE proprietors beg leave to acquaint the public in general, and their friends in particular, that they will run a set of STAGES three times a week to and from the above places, to commence on Monday the 2d day of July next; they will leave Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Annapolis, every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings at 4 o'clock, arrive at Chester-town, the same evening, and will proceed the next morning to the northward and southward in the respective stages; the northern stage arrives at Philadelphia in the evening, and the southern stage arrives at Baltimore and Annapolis generally to dinner, and the next day dine at Alexandria, which is less than three days from Philadelphia to Alexandria—They start from Mr. Michael Dennison's George Tavern, in Philadelphia, Mr. James Young's coffee-house in Baltimore, and Mr. George Mann's tavern in Annapolis; the boats are very complete, and one of the boat-men will always call at Mr. Young's at the hour of starting.

From Philadelphia to Rock-Hall, thirty five shillings, from Rock-Hall to Baltimore and Annapolis seven shillings and six pence, from Annapolis to Alexandria, eighteen shillings and nine pence, each passenger entitled to 14 pounds baggage, 150 weight baggage to pay the same as a passenger, way passengers to pay five pence per mile. We can with confidence assure those ladies and gentlemen who may choose to travel by this line of stages, that no exertions of ours shall be wanting to render their journey both easy and agreeable.

WILLIAM KERLIN, JOHN JARVIS, ELIJAH JARVIS, ROBERT HODGSON, JOSEPH WILLEAMS, WILLIAM CLARK.

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Annapolis, May 23, 1787.

JUST IMPORTED.

In the Britannia Yacht, captain Hunter, from London, and to be SOLD, on the most reasonable terms, for cash or country produce, by

JOHN PETTY, and Co.

At their Stores in Annapolis and Port-Tobacco, LARGE and general assortment of DRY GOODS, suitable for the present season. Also a quantity of Porter, Dorchester Ale, Sherry, very old Mountain, and Porte Wine, in bottles. They have likewise for sale, a complete iron Crane, made to purchase two tuns, well calculated for a public wharf or warehouse.

Port-Tobacco, April 17, 1787.

TO BE RENTED,

A LARGE and commodious store-house, with a good cellar and counting-room, lately in the occupation of Messieurs Nicholas and Valentine Peers. Any person inclinable to rent it may have possession immediately.

DANIEL JENIFER, jun.

SIX DOLLARS REWARD.

June 5, 1787.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in Charles county, near Newport, on the 30th day of May last, a young negro man by the name of SAM, five feet eight or nine inches high, slender made, of a yellowish complexion, and rather a silly countenance; had on and took with him an old parsons grey country milled coat, trimmed with black, an old country wove jacket and breeches, a pair of yellow cotton overalls or trousers, two new oshabrig shirts, an old Irish linen ditto, and a flapped hat; he formerly belonged to Mr. Gilbert Hamilton Smith, of Anne-Arundel county, and may have probably directed his course to that neighbourhood, or, as he has been used to going by water, may attempt to pass for a free man and get on board some vessel. Whoever will apprehend him and lodge him safe in gaol shall be entitled to the above reward, and to reasonable charges if brought home.

JOHN FARNHAM.

TO BE SOLD,

A healthy young Negro Wench, With a Male Child in arms. Inquire of the Printers.

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# MARYLAND GAZETTE

T H U R S D A Y, J U L Y 26, 1787.

## CONSTANTINOPLE, March 24.

THE unusual severity of the frost, which continued with very little interruption from the latter end of December, till the third instant, joined to a total suspension of the plague for upwards of 30 days, induced a hope that this city and neighbourhood were at length freed from the contagion. But it is now apparent that the open moist weather which commenced the 3d instant, though it lasted only till the 10th, has reproduced that malady, no less than nine verified accidents of the plague having since happened in the Greek village of St. Dimitri, very near Pera; so that there is great reason to apprehend that the contagion will again spread on the return of warm weather.

## B E R L I N, April 21.

By the last accounts from Vienna the emperor's purposes returning through Upper Hungaria, and all not, it is said, in all, be absent above six weeks. Not far from Belgrade there will be a small corps of observation stationed, as was between Russia and the Porte is thought to be absolutely determined upon, and will, it is reported, be publicly declared in Constantinople in ten days; notwithstanding this emperor's still purposes being crowned at Cherson.

## L O N D O N, April 20.

### Extract of a letter from Algiers, March 18.

The following account cannot fail of being entertaining to you, as it serves to shew the disposition of the dey in its true light.—On the 29th of January the St. Gertrude, a Spanish frigate, arrived here, commanded by the chevalier Fonguion; a brig from Carthage arrived immediately after on board of which was the compte D'Espilly, accompanied by the Spanish consul Herrera, the vice consul Colonel Don Juan Thomas, and the chevalier de Manderlet, the two latter came on the business of negotiating a peace for the courts of Naples and Lisbon.

The Spanish consul came on shore on the 30th, and was received with some degree of politeness. On the 2d of February was brought on shore the remaining part of the money promised by the court of Spain, as the price of peace, consisting of four hundred and ninety thousand pieces of eight. With this the dey was not satisfied, and expressed his anger to the consul, asking why the king of Spain had not sent the 5,000,000 pieces promised? The consul answered, that the ship Minho had brought 700,000 pieces, which with the 490,000 now brought, made the promised sum of one million, reckoning 90,000 pieces of eight for every 100,000 sequins, as agreed upon by the articles of peace. The dey flew into a violent passion on hearing this, and insisted upon the other 10,000 pieces, otherwise he would arrest the frigate, the brig, and all the crew. But on the consul's promising to pay the whole, he became more calm, and seemed content.

On the 24th the Spanish commander, accompanied by the other officers and compte D'Espilly, came to have their audience of leave from the dey. The compte was grossly abused by the dey who called him *vagabond, thief, impostor, &c.* and left say part of this language should be lost upon him, ordered the interpreter to translate them literally to him. The dey also added, "Give back the letter which I entrusted you with to the king of Spain; deliver it to the consul, whom I shall send to him; and remain you here till you have paid the money to those whom you have robbed."—and after a moment's silence, cried out in a vehement tone, "Go to hell (*va-t'en au diable*)" and then turning to the commander of the frigate and the Spanish consul, he ordered them to give to their king a faithful account of this scene, adding, that he would himself write to his catholic majesty. On the 25th early in the morning, the dey sent a *Chaux-Maure* to the compte D'Espilly, to order him to leave the town directly, and repeat to him the language of the preceding day. Scarcely was the compte on board, when the dey sent again a messenger to the consul to tell him that he must give security for the payment of the compte D'Espilly's debts, otherwise he would have him yoked to the plough, and made to work with a chain about his feet; the consul then promised to pay those debts, which are, in fact the sums of money which the compte had promised to the *vaivode* of the dey's court, in order to procure their assistance in negotiating a peace.

It is certain that the compte did not make good his large promises; and as the consul sent an account of the whole affair to the court of Spain,

the compte is gone to Madrid to defend himself, and clear up his conduct. There is no doubt that he will be justified, as the avarice of the Barbarians is well known.

May 6. A letter from Algiers, dated February 20, says, "The plague, which has so long desolated this place and its environs, has at last disappeared, but the small-pox rages in its stead with almost equal violence, that disorder having, in the course of a few months, carried off 35,000 persons. The dey has sent a dragoman to Constantinople to make the usual presents to the divan, and to renew the treaty with the grand signior."

Letters from Bucharest, in Wallachia, say there was a violent shock of an earthquake felt at that place on the 10th of March last.

A letter from Hanover says, that as soon as the order was issued out by the regency, for filling up the vacancies in the several regiments, a number of young fellows, who were out of employment, entered into the service, and are now learning their exercise. Most of them, the letter says, are upwards of six feet high.

### Extract of a letter from Venice, March 2.

The naval armament which has been for some time in preparation by order of the senate, it is now well known, is to join a Spanish fleet, for the bombardment of Tetuan, in order to take some revenge for the behaviour of the Morisco cruizers against the vessels belonging to this republic, which they have lately captured in every part of the Mediterranean, &c. by which the merchants have sustained very heavy losses. This conduct of the Moors is equally rapacious and unexpected, as presents to a very large amount have been sent from the state to the emperor of Morocco, who accepted of them, and promised that proper orders should be given to all his cruizers to pay the necessary attention to all ships carrying the Venetian flag.

A merchant at Pool has received a letter from St. John's, in Newfoundland, that upon the 20th of March they had a violent hurricane, which had done considerable damage to the stagers' buildings, &c. and that the Orpheus, a French man of war of 64 guns, was lost on the banks, but all the crew except two men got on shore, and procured a vessel at St. John's to carry them home, which is supposed to be lost, as she has not been heard of.

Letters from Orlend mention, that three ships of large burthen are now sitting out there, by the emperor's order, for trading to different parts of America.

### Extract of a letter from on board the *Daffwood* packet boat, dated Falmouth, April 28.

We are just arrived here from the Leeward Islands, after a passage of 38 days of blowing weather as ever I met with at this time of the year, and many vessels have felt the bad effects of it, for off the rocks of Scilly we saw several pieces of wrecks and dead bodies floating about, and soon after the hull of a large ship, foreign built, driving before the wind, which we with great difficulty kept clear of. Every thing is in a flourishing state in our island, and the greatest harmony exists among the people; further I can assure you, that you will have sugars very cheap."

A letter from St. Kitt's, dated March 20, says, "All the ships that have arrived here this season have full cargoes, for never had we greater plenty of sugar than the last crop, and we have enough left to load another fleet. We have received melancholy accounts from several of the French islands, particularly from Guadaloupe and Martinico, both which have suffered greatly by hurricanes, and other islands by pestilential disorders, which have carried off a number of their negroes; but, thank God, we are free of those calamities, and, on the contrary, enjoy health, and plenty of every necessary of life."

The barbarians still continue their depredations on the coasts of Italy: Letters from Rome assert, that three Algerine frigates had landed a number of men on the ecclesiastical territories, and after plundering and destroying a whole village, had carried off several of the unfortunate inhabitants. In consequence of this his holiness had issued orders for the equipment of some stout ships, to protect his subjects from the attacks of those lawless depredators; and intends uniting his force to that of the other chieftain powers, who are now arming for the purpose of chastising their insolence.

The mails from Holland and Flanders, which arrived yesterday, brought the following letter from Basat of Temeswar, dated April 4:—If private letters from Constantinople may be believed, the Russian ambassador is guarded there at sight by a

corps of janissaries, and dares no longer quit his palace. It is said that at the intercession of the other ministers, the term of forty days has been granted to him, in which he is to give a categorical answer on the part of his sovereign, to the last representation made by the Porte; and in case the answer should not be conformable to the desires of his highness, he may expect to be shut up in the castle of the seven towers, and open war will be inevitable. The people of Constantinople breathe nothing but vengeance. A few days since they sacrificed to their fury two Russian soldiers.

## B O S T O N, June 29.

We are informed, by a gentleman of this town, who left Lake Champlain the 18th instant, that the British have fitted out the ship *Maria*, of 20 guns, in order to cruise on that Lake; that she was three miles from the line, within our territories, when she came from thence; that she had taken one vessel (said to be on the smuggling business) belonging to the United States; and that the British were also fitting out a gun boat, which was to accompany the *Maria*, in cruising on the Lake. This ship, it is said, was taken from us during the late war.

We are also informed, by the same gentleman, that lord Dorchester, governor of Quebec, lately issued a proclamation, containing orders for putting the militia of that province on the best establishment possible; and that six regiments were certainly coming from England, said to be a relief for the troops now stationed at the different posts in Canada.

The regulation of the militia of Vermont has been lately undertaken, and it is said, will soon be upon a very respectable footing.

### Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Berkshire county, dated June 20, 1787.

Depredations on the property and persons of those who unfortunately have been friends to government in these counties are nightly committed. We have frequent instances of persons being violently attacked and beaten on the roads while they are journeying in a peaceable manner; in short, we are exposed to all the evils of a depredatory civil war. The insurgents plume themselves on having many friends in the government—and indeed those who are opposed to them think they have every thing to fear.—God grant that their fears may not be realized."

## L A N S I N G B O R O U G H, June 25.

A gentleman who passed through town last Saturday, from Egremont, informs, that on the 28th instant, a number of the insurgents among whom were Adams and Dunham, paid a visit to a Mr. Kelly, logg, of that place, who was saluted by Dunham with the breach of a gun, then robbed of every thing valuable in his house, even to the shirt on his back. Mr. Kellogg would probably have received more abuse, had he not, in the confusion, of plundering the house, made his escape at a back door. The ruffians then proceeded to the house of E. Hopkins, Esq; into which they discharged five balls that passed through the curtains of the bed in the room where they supposed he lodged; but their usual cowardice prevented their entering the house, as they knew Mr. Hopkins to be armed, and concluded he would oppose them.

Their next attack was upon the defenceless house of the rev. Eliphalet Steele, who they robbed of about forty pounds worth of provisions and clothing; they also took from the rev. Mr. Alexander, (who happened that night to be at Mr. Steele's) his hat, great-coat, and watch. They then fled over the line to this state, where it is supposed they will endeavour to continue till their ill gotten gains are consumed, when, it is supposed, they will again visit the inhabitants of Berkshire.

We are informed, by the same gentleman, that a number of the principal inhabitants of Berkshire have signed a subscription-paper, offering a reward of one hundred dollars for either Dunham or Adams, double the sum for both, and half the said sum for either of their accomplices in the above-mentioned robberies.—We presume that a bare representation of the facts will be sufficient to induce every honest man to exert himself in apprehending such nefarious villains.

## W I L M I N G T O N, (Delaware) July 4.

### Extract of a letter from a correspondent in St. Eustatius, dated June 7, 1787.

I wrote a few days since, by the way of Philadelphia, noting the effects likely to take place in consequence of a late prohibition of all communication with the English Islands; it is actually the case, and days are advertised in each Island when it shall commence. Some are allowed 3 days, some more,

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to look round. St. Christopher's, it is said this morning, has 30 days to get a supply, and it is impossible for us to tell the consequences, but if the States submit tamely to it, they are certainly able to do the whole, and our vessels may immediately be destroyed.—There will be spirited remonstrances on account of another act of parliament, which obliges them to have two thirds white seamen. Mr. Fyle's Bermuda Hoop, is seized in consequence of being navigated by negroes.—It will severely affect the Bermudians who navigate altogether with negroes.

Calvert county, July 21, 1787.  
On Saturday the 15th day of August, will be offered for sale at the subscriber's house, for cash, or tobacco, **SUNDRY** valuable negroes, viz. men, women, boys and girls.—Also some horses, cattle and hogs, together with some household furniture.—The subscriber will also dispose of at private sale, (on three years credit) one hundred acres of good land, some negroes, and several valuable horses.

10/7/87  
CHARLES WILLIAMSON.

Annapolis, July 24, 1787.  
**T**HE subscribers observing that little attention was paid to a former advertisement of theirs, and being anxious to pay what balances are against them, make this second application to their customers for a settlement, which is expected will be complied with, and a discharge of their respective balances completed previous to, or by the first of September next. Those who have favoured the subscribers with their custom, cannot but admit, that the articles they have dealt and do deal in, are cash articles, or cannot be procured but on a very short credit; therefore they hope that this request may be thought reasonable, and that attention be paid to it, which will enable them to complete what they are desirous of doing, discharging their balances, and carrying on their business in a manner more to their satisfaction, and probably to those who honour them with their custom.

MAYBURY and SMITH.

Leonard-town, Saint Mary's county, July 14, 1787.  
**T**HIS is to give notice, that the subscriber intends to petition the next county court, to take the benefit of an act lately passed, for the relief of insolvent debtors.

10/11/87  
ROGER CLARKE.

July 24, 1787.  
**O**N the petition of Charles Philliphall, a prisoner in Worcester county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the fourteenth day of September next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser and in the Maryland Gazette.

10/11/87  
SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

July 23, 1787.  
**R**AN away from the Patuxent iron-works, last night, an indentured Irish servant man, named Patrick Maclocklin, a likely fresh looking young fellow, about 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, short light hair and grey eyes; had on and took with him a felt hat, cinabrig shirt, searought over jacket, short cotton under jacket, brown rolls trousers, and coarse shoes with strings.—As he is a very artful fellow, it is probable he has got a forged pass. Whoever will take up the above servant and deliver him to the subscriber, or secure him in any goal, and give information so that he may be had again, shall receive the above reward, paid by 1/10/87  
THOMAS SNOWDEN.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

July 23, 1787.  
**R**AN away from the Patuxent iron-works, on the first of this instant, a negro man named GEORGE, a likely young fellow, about five feet eight inches high, of a dark yellow complexion; had on and took with him a felt hat, one cinabrig and one check shirt, one searought and one cotton jacket, one pair of check trousers, and coarse shoes with strings.—He was purchased of Mr. James Rigby, of Huntingtown in Calvert county, and it is probable he will endeavour to be harboured by the negroes of that neighbourhood, or endeavour to pass as a free man, and try to get to Pennsylvania. Whoever will take up the above negro, and secure him in any goal, and give information to the subscriber, so that he may be had again, shall be entitled to the above reward, paid by 1/10/87  
THOMAS SNOWDEN.

SIX DOLLARS REWARD.

July 25, 1787.  
**S**TRAYED or stolen, off the commons near Annapolis, some time in June last, a bright furred mare, with a white mane and tail, one half of her mane hangs on the off side and the other on the near side, she is about 14 hands high, was shod before, but no perceivable brand, strong and bony, trots and gallops roughly. Whoever takes up said mare, and brings her to Mr. John Welch's, innholder in Annapolis, shall receive the above reward, paid by 10/7/87  
A. BROWN.

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Anne-Arundel county, July 19, 1787.  
**T**AKE N up by the subscriber, living at the work of Patuxent, a small dark bay mare, about five years old, branded on the near shoulder and buttock H, and about twelve hands high. The owner is desired to come, prove his property, pay charges and take her away. 10/7/87  
EDWARD STEUART.

July 23, 1787.  
By virtue of a conditional expans, to me directed, will be exposed to the highest-bidder, on Monday the 30th instant,

**T**WO negroes, late the property of John Mackall, of Anne-Arundel county, taken for the use of John Chesley; to be sold for ready crop tobacco, the sale to be at said Mackall's at Fishing Creek, at 11 o'clock.

2X  
DAVID STEUART, Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

June 29, 1787.  
**L**ANDS FOR SALE.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of an act of the last session of assembly, entitled, An act to empower Sarah Buchanan, executrix of Archibald Buchanan, deceased, Alexander Cowen, Thomas Sim Lee, Daniel of St. Thomas Jenifer, and Benjamin Nicholson, to sell and dispose of certain tracts of land, for the purpose herein after mentioned, the subscribers will sell at Timonium, the dwelling plantation of Sarah Buchanan, on the 2d day of September next, for final settlement certificates, for the purpose of discharging sundry judgments obtained by the state of Maryland against the heir at law of the said Archibald Buchanan, deceased, the following tracts of land, lying and being in Baltimore county, on the great road that leads from Baltimore-town to York-town, and is eleven miles from the former, call d Taylor's Palace, Welch's Fancy, and Robinson's Addition, three tracts adjoining, and containing 140 acres, fifty of which are already in excellent meadow, and fifty more may be made with a small expence, with a fine stream of water running through the whole, which is sufficient to water every foot of it. Also, four other tracts, lying near the aforementioned lands, each adjoining, called Jack's Double Purchase, and Part of Jack's Double Purchase, Part of Sullied and Strife; upwards of thirty acres in meadow, and more may be made with very little expence, containing in the four tracts 350 acres; the most part of these lands are bottom, and remarkable for its fertility in producing all kinds of grain; three or four elegant situations for country seats, that commands a most beautiful and extensive inland prospect, the whole well watered, and is part of that well known and valuable estate, formerly called Bellefield.—One third of the purchase money to be paid the 20th day of September next, another third the 20th day of March next, and the remaining third the 20th day of September, in the year, 1788.

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SARAH BUCHANAN, Executrix.  
THOMAS SIM LEE,  
DAN. of St. THO. JENIFER,  
ALEXANDER COWEN,  
BENJAMIN NICHOLSON.

At the same time and place will be offered for sale, a variety of useful and elegant household furniture, for cash or final settlements.

SARAH BUCHANAN.

State of Maryland, Talbot county, June 25, 1787.  
**A**GREABLE to an act of the general assembly of this state, entitled, An act to erect a town in Talbot county, will be exposed to sale, (and will continue by adjournment until the whole are sold) on Tuesday the 21st day of August next, on the premises, Several lots of ground, situate, lying and being within the limits of the aforesaid town, on the following terms.—The purchaser to give bond with sufficient security, to be approved of by the commissioners for laying out the said town, or a major part of them, to pay the purchase money with interest thereon, in twelve months to the proprietor of the land, except the just proportion of the expences of surveying, laying out, plotting and bounding the said town, which must be paid in ready money, and no person to possess more than three lots within twelve months after the same are divided, plotted and laid out. 6w

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JAKEMIAH BANNING,  
HUGH SHERWOOD, of Huntington,  
JOHN T. VENS,  
GREENBURY GOLDSBOROUGH,  
ALEXANDER M'CALLUM,  
Commissioners appointed by law for laying out and selling the said ground.

July 18, 1787.  
**O**N the petition of Samuel Sprigg, a prisoner in Montgomery county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the sixth day of September next, is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the direction of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

July 5, 1787.  
**T**HE ship Hanbory, captain William Denes, now lying at Lower-Marlborough, on Patuxent river, takes in tobacco consigned to John Lloyd, Esq; at seven pounds sterling per ton. 3X

July 18, 1787.  
**O**N the petition of John B. Wally and James Wally, of Baltimore county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioners, that the 15th day of September next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, according to the direction of the said act; and it is ordered, that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and Maryland Gazette, and personally served on the attorney-general, and on the treasurer of the Western Shore.

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SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

July 3, 1787.  
**O**N the petition of John Lans, jun. a prisoner in Calvert county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 30th day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the direction of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and the Maryland Gazette.

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SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

June 23, 1787.  
**O**N the petition of William Brown, a prisoner in Cecil county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 16th day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the direction of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and the Maryland Gazette.

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SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

June 25, 1787.  
**O**N the petition of William Page, a prisoner in Baltimore county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said William Page, that the 17th day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the direction of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and Maryland Gazette.

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SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

June 9, 1787.  
**O**N the petition of Asa Hill, a prisoner in Anne-Arundel county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given, that the 8th day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery-office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act, and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and the Maryland Gazette.

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SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

June 16, 1787.  
**O**N the petition of George Lang, of Calvert county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 8th day of August next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act, and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser, and the Maryland Gazette.

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SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

July 6, 1787.

**A VALUABLE LOT FOR SALE.**

On Wednesday the 15th day of August next will be exposed to sale, at the house of Mr. Cornelius Mills, a LOT of ground in the city of Annapolis, pleasantly situated near the town-gate, on the south side of the street. The purchaser to give bond and security, to pay the money in three equal annual payments with interest.

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AMELIA WREMS.

Strawberry-hill, near Annapolis, June 20, 1787.  
**L**OST, about the 25th day of last May, between the Bodkin and the mouth of Magothy river, small almost new BOAT, about ten or twelve keel, rows with four oars; and has the subscriber's name cut on her stern. Whoever will deliver her here or give such information that she be recovered, shall be well paid for their trouble, by

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RICHARD SPRIGG.

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