

# MARYLAND GAZETTE.

T H U R S D A Y, A U G U S T 15, 1805.

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CH: HARWOOD, Clk.  
A. A. County Court.

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April 13, 1805.

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HEAD MAGRUDER, jr. cl.

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JAMES N. WEEMS,  
MARY DISNEY.

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

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under my hand, this 28th day of

SAMUEL JACOB, Executor.

A P O L I S:  
FREDERICK and SAMUEL  
GREEN.

## Foreign Intelligence.

NEW-YORK, August 5.

The ship Otis, captain Phillips, which arrived at this port on Saturday evening, brings London papers to the 17th of June—seven days later than before received.

From these papers it appears that in the house of commons the 11th of June, the subject of the impeachment of lord Melville commenced; and after an animated discussion the house divided, 195 being for the impeachment, and 272 against it. Majority 77. When this was decided, a motion which had previously been made by Mr. Bond, for a criminal prosecution to be instituted against lord Melville, was taken up. For the criminal prosecution 258—against it 229. Majority 9. On the latter question lord Sidmouth (late Mr. Addington) and his friends voted with the opposition against ministers. Lord Melville will then be obliged to stand a trial at the court of king's-bench; where the reports of the secret committee of the house of commons had already been presented.

## ENGLAND.

LONDON, June 11.

ACCOUNTS are said to have reached town yesterday, from Lisbon, which represent the Portuguese Cabinet in a very embarrassed situation, in consequence of some fresh demands having been made upon it, the tendency of which is to exclude all English ships and merchandise from the ports of that country. We give this statement as we received it, without being able to ascertain the degree of credit to which it is entitled.

In a former paper we stated, that the French and Spanish ambassadors at Lisbon remonstrated against the entrance of the expedition under general Sir James Craig into the port of Lisbon. The following additional particulars have since been related:

"While general Craig was at Lisbon, the French and Spanish ambassadors remonstrated with much warmth on the shelter which the Portuguese government afforded to the ships and troops under general Craig. The prince regent answered, that the English convoy had been forced into the Tagus, by stress of weather (*arribada*). They demanded that it be ordered to sea immediately. But general Craig resolved not to stir, till he was assured there was no danger of his meeting the combined fleets of the enemy; and, in case of receiving a peremptory order to quit, we are assured that he had resolved to take possession of the forts on the Tagus, and keep his post by force, rather than risk falling into the hands of the enemy, by sailing prematurely. The Portuguese government evidently extended its indulgence to the utmost of its power."

June 12.

Yesterday being the day fixed for the motion for an impeachment against lord Melville, a great crowd assembled, at an early hour, in the avenues of the house of commons. At 12 the doors were opened, and a severe pressure ensued. The gallery, of course, was filled in a few minutes. In the early part of the day an opinion prevailed, that Mr. Whitbread would open the debate; but about three o'clock it was said, that lord viscount Melville would be previously heard in his defence. This excited a great degree of expectation, and a great number of persons crowded into the lower lobby, and also lined the stairs to the gallery of the house, which commands a view of the lobby, through which lord Melville was to pass. About half past four, his lordship entered the lobby, and passed in the secretary's room on the left hand. The house was at this time engaged in private business. Shortly after five, the speaker read a letter from lord viscount Melville, requesting to be admitted into the body of the house, to be heard in his defence. The hon. Robert Dundas Saunders, his lordship's son, then moved, that his lordship be called in; which being agreed to, the speaker desired Mr. Colman, the serjeant at arms, to take the mace, and conduct lord viscount Melville into the house. In the mean-time, Mr. Bellamy, the principal messenger, brought in a square arm chair, and placed it within the body of the house, within the bar, on the left hand side. The serjeant at arms then took up the mace, and having waved it three times, went out of the house, and took his station outside, in the lobby, in front of the door of the house, and also opposite the door of the treasury room. Mr. Heard, one of the messengers, had previously thrown open the folding doors of the latter apartment, and lord viscount Melville, being informed by him, that the house requested his attendance, his lordship came out, and walked uncovered into the house, attended by the serjeant and mace. His lordship was dressed in black, and wore a close buckled wig powdered. He bowed

three times as he approached, and on coming within the bar, the speaker, who wore his hat on all the time, addressing him, said, "My lord Melville, there is a chair for your lordship." His lordship then sat down, and put on his hat. There was a loud murmur in the house on his coming in. As soon as it subsided, which was in less than two minutes, his lordship arose, then taking off his hat, he laid it upon the seat of the chair, and upon the hat several papers. His lordship then standing at the back of the chair, commenced his speech, in the course of which, he frequently refreshed his memory from the papers before him. His lordship spoke for two hours and a quarter. His manner was firm and impressive; and he did not, even in that part of it where he appealed to the feelings, appear the least shaken. The moment he had concluded, he took up his papers deliberately, one by one, and having put his hat under his arm, made a bow to the speaker and withdrew, attended by the serjeant, who, during the whole of the speech, remained standing on the right hand side of his lordship, but at the distance of a few yards, with the mace resting upon the ground, and his hand upon it. The house was uncommonly crowded. Not fewer than 500 members were present.

Lord viscount Melville's speech will be read with interest. Upon the subject of the 10,000l. and other sums of the public money received by him, and not applied to naval purposes, his lordship positively declared, that "private honour, and personal convenience" must prevent him from ever giving any account of them.

The Nile logger reconnoitred the Charante, on the 27th ultimo, and found in Rochefort, one ship of three decks, five two-deckers, three frigates, two brigs, and several gun-boats.

In Ferrol the enemy has twelve ships of the line, besides frigates, which are watched by Sir Robert Calder, with six ships of the line, only.

Our ships at Brest are in daily expectation of their coming out, as they have 27,000 troops embarked, and their ships of the line appear full of men.

June 13.

Extract of a private letter from an officer on board one of his majesty's ships in the Downs, dated June 10.

"We have thirteen sail of the line here now; the North-sea squadron being ordered round; and we expect five sail more from the westward; I believe it is expected, that the combined fleet is coming north-about. By every quiver that comes in I learn, that the French appear in all their ports ready for a push out, and most of the officers are of opinion they certainly will do it shortly, as their preparations with their shipping are different from what they have seen before."

Price of stocks—3 per cent. red. 58 1-8 1-4—3 per cent. cons. for op. 59 1-2—Omnium 3 1-2 prem.

June 14.

A Danish ship, the Holstein, arrived off Plymouth the day before yesterday, in four months from Madras, and landed a passenger with dispatches for the East-India company. The Star Whaler from St. Helena, arrived at Plymouth on Wednesday evening. The dispatches are said to be of great importance. Lord Lake is reported to have pursued Holkar, after the dispersion of his cavalry to one of his forts, into which he threw himself with the remnant of his army, and it was expected would be forced to surrender. Our loss is stated to have been great, but that of Holkar to have been immense.

Letters from Gibraltar reach down to the 24th ult. inclusive; at which time, the expedition under the command of general Craig, remained there. It was supposed that it was waiting to be joined either by the transports from Ireland, under the command of Sir Eyre Coote, or for the orders of government. On the 22d the Surinam arrived at Gibraltar, in seven days from Plymouth, with dispatches to be forwarded to lord Nelson.

By a passenger arrived at Portsmouth in an American ship from the Cape of Good Hope, in eleven weeks, information is received, that all the Dutch troops were encamped without the town, and barracks were fitting up for a large French force, which was soon expected there.

According to some communications received yesterday from Lisbon, the American minister has left Madrid, in consequence of the abrupt terminations of the negotiations which have been so long pending between his Catholic majesty and the United States. Through the interference of France, however, it is thought that all differences between those two powers will soon be effectually adjusted.

PLYMOUTH, June 15.

Notwithstanding the assertion of the *Moniteur*, the Rochefort squadron, returned from the West-Indies, were counted in that harbour only last Wednesday, near the same number as returned.

## American Intelligence.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Boston, August 5.

The Fleets.

From an error of the longitude, as published in our last, in which lord Nelson's fleet was last spoken with, we were led to make some observations, which, on a review of the subject, we find to have been incorrect. The exact longitude in which capt. Titcomb spoke this fleet, on the 2d July, was 35, 44; and that of the combined French and Spanish, on the 29th June, 43; both steering an east, and east-south-westerly course. From this intelligence, which is undoubtedly correct, it appears that the English fleet have fairly got ahead of their enemy; and on their arrival in Europe, may be enabled to ascertain the fact, and so dispose of the British force in those seas, as completely to intercept their return to any port in France or Spain.

Admiral Collingwood, with 6 sail of the line and 2 frigates, was off Cadiz on the 24th June. This intelligence was brought by capt. Waddle, arrived here on Saturday last from Cadiz, and who was boarded by one of the squadron, 7 leagues W. by S. of that place, and treated politely. The fleet was composed of the Dreadnought 98 guns, vice-admiral Collingwood, Tonnant 84, Mars 74, Colossus 74, Belerophon 74, L'Achille 74, Endymione and Hydra frigates.

Capt. Jenkins arrived yesterday in 33 days from Cadiz, informs, that he underflood at that place, that the United States gun boat, No. 3, was cut out of Gibraltar, by the Spaniards, on the supposition of her being an English vessel—but on discovering their mistake, was immediately given up. Capt. J. also informs, that gen. Moreau and family had actually taken passage on board the ship New-York, bound for Philadelphia, to sail next day.

Capt. Jenkins heard nothing of any rupture between this country and Morocco.

## NEW-YORK.

NEW-YORK, August 5.

By the Friendship, captain Don, arrived yesterday, we have received a New-Orleans paper, of the 28th June. We perceive nothing new in it, but the following account of the arrival of colonel Burr:

"New-Orleans, June 28.

"We are happy to announce the arrival in this city, on Wednesday last, of col. Burr, (late vice-president of the United States,) and suite, all in good health. We understand he will make only a stay of ten or fifteen days among us, when he will depart for the western country, and will spend the latter part of the summer and the fall, in Kentucky."

There is a report in town that the president has called the senate together immediately on business of importance to the nation.

It is certain that general Moreau will soon arrive in this country; he has sailed from Cadiz in the ship New-York for Philadelphia.—Respectable persons of that city have been engaged in procuring a house for him; and that of Mr. Leguen, at Morrisville, near Trenton, is taken for that purpose.—*Petit Censeur*.

August 8.

Captain Williams of the Greyhound, from St. Domingo, informs us, that the emperor Dessalines arrived at Cape Francois on the 17th ult. from Port-au-Prince.—On the 14th July three British ships of the line, and 6 frigates, passed the Cape bound to Martinique, to join the other British forces.

## AMERICAN SQUADRON.

By the brig Edward and Mary, from Algeiras, we learn that the frigate John Adams, captain Shaw, had left Gibraltar in company with four gun-boats, and proceeded up the Mediterranean.—The other three gun-boats had proceeded up the Straits some days previous.

## VIRGINIA.

ALEXANDRIA, August 8.

FATAL DUEL.

It is with regret we announce the sacrifice of a victim at the shrine of the sanguinary practice of duelling. Yesterday morning, at 6 o'clock, a duel was fought between Mr. Enoch M. Lytes, of this town, and Mr. John F. Bowie, of Pifecatway, Maryland, at Johnson's Spring, about six miles from this town, on the Virginia side of the Patowmack. They exchanged shots at fifteen feet distance; when, unfortunately, Mr. L. received his antagonist's ball a little below the right breast, the ball passed through his liver, and he expired a few minutes past eleven o'clock yesterday.

PSALMODY.

THOSE persons wishing to enter as Scholars to Mr. GILLET'S SINGING SCHOOL, are requested to send their names to the Printing-Office by Saturday evening next. If the number necessary can be obtained, the School will commence next week. Terms—Three Dollars per quarter. August 15.

This day, agreeably to notice, an election for directors of the Farmers Bank of Maryland was held in this city. On examination of the ballots it appeared, that the following gentlemen were elected:

- John Gibson, Arthur Shaaff, John F. Mercer, Richard H. Harwood, James Mackubin, Horatio Ridout, William Steuart, Lewis Duvall, Joseph Wilkinson, for Calvert county. Robert Bowie, for Prince-George's county. Henry H. Chapman, for Charles county. William Somervell, for St. Mary's county. Thomas Davis, for Montgomery county. John Tyler, for Frederick county. Frisby Tilghman, for Washington county. James J. Wilkinson, for Baltimore county. Benedict Edward Hall, for Harford county. Upton Bruce, for Allegany county.

Who made choice of John Muir, Esquire, as their president.

FARMERS BANK.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Books will be opened at Annapolis on the 27th, and continue open on the 28th and 30th September next, for the disposal of 6392 shares in the Farmers Bank of Maryland, being the number not heretofore taken, in the several counties on this shore.

Persons inclining to take shares, will be pleased to observe, that fifteen dollars per share are to be paid, because original subscribers, will have paid three instalments before the above stated 27th September.

By order of the Directors, JOHN MUIR, president. Annapolis, 15th August, 1805.

N. B. Books will be opened at Easton, on the aforesaid days, for the disposal of shares on the Eastern shore.

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

By a recent return made to the Court of Denmark, it appears that 28,966 persons have been inoculated for the cow-pock since the introduction of this practice, without a single instance of mortality occurring from it.

Arrived at Philadelphia on the 7th instant, ship Annawan, Holmes, 60 days from Liverpool. June 22, long 21, 30, was brought to by the British frigate Cerberus, of 40 guns, and boarded by an officer, who informed us, that off the Western Islands they had engaged and captured the new French frigate Ville de Paris, of 44 guns and 350 men, after an action of three and an half hours, and sent her for England, the Cerberus had suffered considerably and lost 17 men killed and 25 wounded, amongst the killed, was the first lieutenant, and the wounded, the captain.

The Ville de Paris was bound to the West-Indies with dispatches for the combined fleets.

FIRE IN THE PINES.

An alarming fire we learn from different quarters, has been raging in the Pine Woods in Burlington county, state of New-Jersey, for 8 or 10 days past. In what particular part this fire broke out our informants were uncertain. The very combustible state of the underwood, shrubs and dead grass, in these woods, owing to the severe droughts, must render this fire rapid in its progress and very extensive in its ravages. We hope soon to hear that the late showers have passed across its track and put a stop to its progress—but that this is the case we confess we have small expectations, considering the course which showers have usually taken the present summer.

[Trenton Federalist.]

Meteorological.—From a comparison of the Thermometer and Barometer, for the month of July, by observations made in Philadelphia, during 8 successive years from 1798 to 1805, inclusive, the average degree of heat during the last month, exceeds that of the former years by above 3 degrees. The Barometer also has uniformly stood above 30 inches. The rain of July does not exceed 7-8 of an inch.

During the year 1802, there were 16 cases of suicide in the city of New-York. From the first of January, 1803, to the 12th of July, 24 cases; and from the 17th August, 1804, to the 24th July, 1805, 30 cases. [Com. Adv.]

Extract from a journal kept by a young man belonging to Halifax, an officer on board the Victory, lord Nelson's flag ship.

Feb. 28.—Anchored in Pula Bay, to water; and March 3d weighed again; but westwardly winds prevailing, did not get to our rendezvous, Cape Sabastians, until Mar. 14, and on the 21st we anchored in Palma, to victual.

April 3.—Put to sea with a westwardly wind; and on the 4th, the Phæbe joined us with intelligence that the French fleet had again left Toulon. The wind continued from the west; and his lordship, still conceiving them bound to the eastward, stood for Palermo. In this we were unfortunately deceived, as we learnt afterwards, that the enemy steered to the westward, and passed the Gut on the 8th or 9th of April.

May 1.—H. M. sloop Martin, brought intelligence that the French had been joined off Cadiz by five Spanish ships of the line; which augmented their force to 17 sail of the line, 6 frigates, 2 corvettes and 2 brigs.

May 7.—Anchored at Gibraltar, with a light air from the westward; but a breeze springing up from the east, 3 hours after, we were under weigh. His lordship had determined (receiving no intelligence at Gibraltar) to push for the West-Indies; under the idea, that if the combined fleet had gone for Ireland, he would be too late to do any thing, and the Channel fleet would be on the look out there; but should they have gone to the West-Indies, he might arrive before any Squadron fitted out in England; and, consequently, more likely to check their progress.

Sir Richard Bickerton was left at Gibraltar, commander in chief of the Mediterranean station; on which were two ships of the line, the Excellent and Madras, four or five frigates, three brigs, two sloop's and one cutter, the remainder of that late so important command.

May 10.—We took our departure from Cape St. Vincents, our fleet consisting of ten sail of the line and three frigates. On the 17th, we made Madeira; but did not stop.

May 20.—Crossed the Tropic line; when the usual ceremony of Neptune coming on board, ducking and shaving those who had never seen him before, was carried on with great glee. His lordship was quite pleased, and received Neptune (who was one of our quarter-masters dressed, or more properly speaking, marked and painted in a ludicrous manner) with the greatest politeness. A grating, mounted on four gun-carriage trucks, with a canopy of flags raised over it, and drawn by about twenty strapping fellows, their bodies variously painted, was his car.—He was drawn along the starboard gang-way, preceded by the band—their bodies also painted.—His lordship conversed with him sometime, with his hat off, asked after his wife, who was also in the car; and then gave him a doubloon for the Victory, as she had never crossed the line before; telling him to fulfil his charter in a quiet manner, as we were all quiet folks on board the ship. I suppose there were near five hundred on board who had never crossed, yet there was not the least disturbance. Several of the officers paid; but I, among a few others, escaped, having crossed several times in a merchantman.

May 29.—I heard that the Amazon was to be dispatched, when within 200 leagues of Barbadoes, for information; and that a wardrobe officer was going to purchase flock. I solicited and obtained permission from the admiral.

May 31.—I came on board the frigate; his lordship, I believe, does not intend stopping any where; but keeps ships going ahead for intelligence, and run down all the islands as far as Jamaica. So anxious is he, that I do really suppose, if he had not a fresh meal in the ship, he would not stop to purchase it; as soon as the fleet heave in sight, we are to get under weigh and meet them.

June 3.—Between 30 and 40 leagues E. of Barbadoes.—We have this day spoken H. M. ship Lily, from that island; and happy am I to say, received information of the Toulon fleet being in the West-Indies. The Lily left Barbadoes a fortnight ago, and is now dispatched to lord NELSON, who is, I suppose, 30 or 40 miles astern of us. Vague report says, that the enemy are 24 sail of the line, exclusive of small craft.—We ten sail of the line—there are four in the West-Indies, and seven with admiral Cochrane; so that I think it probable, after having led his lordship this dance, he will thrash them before long soundly. They were at Martinico three weeks ago. I am extremely happy, on his lordship's account, that they are here, as it will prove his conjectures right, and give him a great deal of satisfaction.

June 4.—I have been on shore about an hour.—No time for inquiries—the fleet is in sight—our ship getting under weigh—the French fleet gone for Trinidad—Adieu.

Since writing the above I went on board the Amazon; but the signal being made to anchor, came on shore again. We are going to take troops on board, and shall call again to-morrow.—Some hot work we shall most certainly have before long.

Since July 31, 1803, (says the writer) his lordship has never once crossed the side of the ship.

On Saturday last a violent gale of wind, accompanied by lightning and a heavy fall of rain, did considerable mischief in the city of Washington and George-town. Several houses were unroofed, chimneys and walls thrown down, and trees rooted up.

At the anniversary meeting of the "charity children" in St. Paul's church, London, May 30, 1805, six thousand were present, all dressed in new cloaths.

BEARS.

Eight or ten of these animals, within these two weeks, have been killed in the vicinity of Williamsport, (Penn). It is supposed the cause of their leaving the uninhabited wilds and coming into the thick settled country on the river, is owing to the scarcity of water, occasioned by the late uncommon drought.

John A. Burford, the person apprehended on suspicion of wounding and robbing Mr. Peter, on Tuesday, underwent his final examination before the magistrates, and was committed for trial at the next court, which commences on the 4th Monday of November next. [Alex. pap.]

The hostile disposition which the king of Sweden has, for sometime, evinced towards France, is said to have arisen from his having discovered a secret project offered by the French government to the courts of Petersburg and Vienna, for the partition of his territories. The refusal of the grand signior to acknowledge the emperor of the French is accounted for in a similar way.

We have just been informed by a gentleman who had been in company with another immediately from Big Sandy, that some days ago 15 men had been apprehended in Floy county, it is said, by a major Boyd, charged with coining and passing base coin, that a guard of 15 men had been placed over them, all of whom, it appears, must have been concerned, as the whole of them have made their escape. Several materials for the purpose of coining, have been discovered, which had been concealed. There are a number of others suspected, who have hitherto borne a good character. As we are not fully acquainted with the business, a communication from some person who is, would be acknowledged.—Lex. Ken. pap.

A singular fact.

In one of the ships of the fleet that sailed last week from Falmouth for the West-Indies, went passengers a lady and her seven lap dogs, for the passage of each of which she paid thirty pounds, on the express condition that they were to dine at the cabin table, and lap their wine afterwards! Yet these happy dogs do not engross the whole of their good lady's affection, as she has also in Jamaica forty cats and a half-band!!! [Lon. paper.]

The Knell.

Died.—In the bloom of life, at the feat of colored Baily, Washington, in Stafford county, Virginia, on Sunday the 14th ult. Miss CATHARINE STORKE, daughter of William Storke, Esq; of Belliceff, in King George. The death of this young lady was occasioned by an accident singular and uncommon. On the fourth of July the year past, in the course of an afternoon's walk with some ladies of her acquaintance, over a field where were growing some stalks of timothy grass, she plucked and put into her mouth a head thereof; a few moments after, they were met and accosted by a labourer who had made too free with the bottle, and whose deportment was so extremely awkward and ludicrous, as to excite in miss S. a violent fit of laughter, which by the application of her handkerchief to her mouth, she endeavoured to suppress. In this most unfortunate effort the head of grass whole and unbroken, was inhaled into the lungs. She survived the moment of the melancholy accident but to encounter a train of agonizing and excruciating symptoms, which finally terminated in depriving the world of one of its fairest and most useful ornaments, her surviving parent of a most affectionate and dutiful daughter, and her friends and associates of an amiable, agreeable and sensible companion. [Petersburg pap.]

— in this city, on Saturday morning last, Mrs. MARY RINGGOLD, of Washington county.

Lands for Sale.

THE subscriber will SELL, at private sale, his part of two tracts of LAND, lying on the Head of Severn, called Friendship and What you Please, where Lydia and Susanna Gambrell now live; also fifty acres, within four miles of said land, all wood-land. A very accommodating credit will be given, on the purchaser giving bond, with approved security.

AUGUSTINE GAMBRELL.

August 14, 1805.

NOTICE.

I INTEND to apply to the next general assembly of Maryland, for an act of insolvency, to release me from debts which I am unable to pay.

ISAAC PEACHE. August 13, 1805.

NOTICE.

WAS committed to my custody as a runaway, on the 23d instant, a mulatto lad, about eighteen or twenty years old, who calls himself URIAH, and says he belongs to JUDY ANDERSON, of Northumberland county, Virginia; his clothing is a good hat, one old linen shirt, one cotton ditto, one old kersey jacket, one pair old cloth pantaloons, one pair nankeen ditto, one striped cotton coat, one broad cloth ditto, with plain gilt buttons, several waistcoats of different sorts, one pair worsted stockings. His owner is desired to take him away, he will otherwise be sold agreeably to law for his gaol fees.

JAMES COOKE, Sheriff of St. Mary's county. July 29, 1805.

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For A FARM, on the river, contains the whole, plenty to repair an ing-houses, out house about 60 feet and a high healthy

August 7, 1805.

Ann MRS. KEETS and the pu the academy comm young ladies conti French languages, the use of the glob Those parents v day scholars, will viously to the 20 the academy will n that day till the Boarders admitted August 7, 1805

This THAT the f in the flate orphans court of A ministration, with estate of NATH Arundel county, d against the deceas fame, with the v at or before the 3 otherwise by law laid estate. Give July, 1805.

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[Alex. pap.]

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h another immediately from  
ys ago 15 men had been ap  
nty, it is said, by a major  
ning and passing safe con  
had been placed over them,  
must have been concerned,  
ave made their escape. So  
urpose of coining, have been  
een concealed. There are a  
ted, who have hitherto borne  
we are not fully acquainted  
munication from some per  
wledged.—Lex. Ken. pap.

angular fact.  
the fleet that failed last week  
West-Indies, went passengers  
dogs, for the passage of each  
pounds, on the express con  
o dine at the cabin table, and  
ids! Yet these happy dogs do  
of their good lady's affection,  
maica forty cats and a buff  
[Lon. paper.]

Knell.  
of life, at the seat of colonel  
Stafford county, Virginia, on  
Miss CATHERINE STORKE,  
Storke, Esq; of Bellefleur, in  
death of this young lady was  
dent singular and uncommon.  
the year past, in the course  
th some ladies of her acquaint  
were growing some stalks of  
racked and put into her mouth  
moments after, they were met  
ourer who had made too free  
house department was so extreme  
ous, as to excite in Miss S. a  
er, which by the application of  
her mouth, she endeavoured to  
ost unfortunate effort the head  
inbroken, was inhaled into the  
the moment of the melancholy  
unter a train of agonizing and  
as, which finally terminated in  
f one of its fairest and most  
surviving parent of a most affect  
daughter, and her friends and  
ble, agreeable and sensible com  
[Petersburg pap.]

on Saturday morning last, Mrs  
of Washington county.

nds for Sale.  
will SELL, at private sale, his  
tracts of LAND, lying on the  
alled Friendship and What you  
and Susanna Gambrell now live;  
thin four miles of said land, all  
accommodating credit will be  
safer giving bond, with approved

UGUSTINE GAMBRILL.

OTICE.  
ply to the next general assembly  
or an act of insolvency, to release  
I am unable to pay.  
ASAAC PEACH.

OTICE.  
ed to my custody as a runaway  
instant, a mulatto lad, about eight  
old, who calls himself URIAH,  
to JUDY ANDERSON, of Nor  
y, Virginia; his clothing is a  
linen shirt, one cotton ditto, one  
pair old cloth pantaloons, one pair  
e striped cotton coat, one broad  
ain gilt buttons, several waistcoats  
one pair worsted stockings. His  
take him away, he will otherwise  
law for his gaol fees.  
JAMES COOKE, Sheriff of  
St. Mary's county.

## To be RENTED,

For a term of years,  
**A** FARM, on the north side of Severn, lying on  
the river, containing 428 acres; the fencing  
encloses the whole, and in good order; chestnut in  
plenty to repair and keep up the same. Two dwell-  
ing-houses, out houses, barn, corn house, tobacco  
house about 60 feet long, and a large range for stock,  
and a high healthy situation.

JOHN BRICE.

August 7, 1805.

## Annapolis Academy.

**M**R. KEETS respectfully informs her friends,  
and the public, that the ensuing quarter at  
the academy commences on the 20th instant, where  
young ladies continue to be taught the English and  
French languages, arithmetic, geography, astronomy,  
the use of the globes, music, drawing, and dancing.  
Those parents who wish to enter their children as  
day scholars, will please to send in their names pre-  
viously to the 20th instant, as the arrangements of  
the academy will not admit of any being taken after  
that day till the commencement of another quarter.  
Boarders admitted as usual.

August 7, 1805.

## This is to give notice,

**T**HAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county,  
in the state of Maryland, hath obtained from  
the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, letters of ad-  
ministration, with the will annexed, on the personal  
estate of NATHAN WILLIAMS, late of Anne-  
Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims  
against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the  
same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber,  
at or before the 30th day of January next, they may  
otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the  
said estate. Given under my hand, this 30th day of  
July, 1805.

WILLIAM GRAMBRILL,  
Administrator w. a.

## FOR SALE,

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

July 24, 1805.

## Public Sale.

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

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

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

July 3, 1805.

## This is to give notice,

**T**HAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county,  
in the state of Maryland, hath obtained from  
the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Ma-  
ryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of  
JAMES DISNEY, late of Anne-Arundel county,  
deceased. All persons having claims against the de-  
ceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with  
the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before  
the 30th day of January next, they may otherwise  
by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.  
Given under my hand, this 30th day of July, 1805.

JAMES N. WEEMS, Executor.

## This is to give notice,

**T**HAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county,  
in the state of Maryland, hath obtained from  
the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Ma-  
ryland, letters of administration on the personal estate  
of EZEKIEL JACOB, late of Anne-Arundel county,  
deceased. All persons having claims against the de-  
ceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with  
the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before  
the 30th day of January next, they may otherwise  
by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.  
Given under my hand, this 30th day of July, 1805.

ANNA JACOB, Administratrix.

## JAMES MATTISON, HATTER,

No. 16, North Gay-street, Baltimore,  
**R**ETURNS his sincere thanks to the citizens of  
Annapolis, Anne-Arundel and Prince-George's  
counties, for the encouragement they have heretofore  
given him in the above line of business, whilst he re-  
sided in Annapolis, and hopes for a continuance of  
their favours.

## LIKEWISE

Informs his friends throughout the state, that he  
keeps a boarding house in the above-mentioned house  
—also has good stabling for horses.

August 4, 1805.

## Thirty Dollars Reward.

**R**AN away from the subscriber, in Calvert county,  
near Hunting-town, on Monday last, two  
negro girls, by the name of BETTY and NANCY;  
Betty is about nineteen years of age, of a good size,  
has a remarkable scar over her right eye, which  
caused it to be more prominent than the other, and  
which she endeavours to conceal, by tying a hand-  
kerchief over it; she was taken out of Montgomery  
county gaol last May, and had then been runaway up-  
wards of two years; she acknowledged since that she  
passed by the name of Eliza, that she had lived in  
Annapolis and the neighbourhood of South river  
about two months, and then moved to Montgomery,  
near Clarksburg, where she was taken up. Nancy is  
a sister of Betty's, not above fourteen years of age,  
well grown, has tolerable thick lips, awkward ap-  
pearance, and stammers when spoken to; she being  
young 'tis supposed will not offer to travel by her-  
self. Any person that will apprehend the aforesaid  
negroes, or either of them, and confine them in gaol,  
shall be paid TEN DOLLARS a piece, or if de-  
livered to the subscriber FIFTEEN DOLLARS  
a piece.

BETTY H. BECKETT.

August 1, 1805.

## Notice is hereby given,

**T**HAT in virtue of a commission from Anne-  
Arundel county court, at April term last, di-  
rected to the subscribers, to divide or value the land  
of which Thomas Boon died seized, situated in Anne-  
Arundel county, called *Brown's Adventure* and  
*Neighbour's Neglect*, according to the provisions of  
the act, entitled, *An act to direct descents, and of  
the supplements thereto, we, the subscribers, will, on  
the first Monday of September next, meet on the  
premises to execute the trust reposed in us by said  
commission, of which all persons interested will take  
notice.*

F. CROMWELL,  
CHARLES WATERS,  
CHARLES STEWART,  
DAVID STEWART,  
JOHN ASHBAW.

Will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, for cash, on  
Thursday the 22d inst. if fair, if not, the first fair  
day thereafter, Sunday excepted,

**P**ART of the personal property of WILLIAM  
FENNEL, junior, late of Anne-Arundel county,  
deceased, such as one hull of an old flat, one iron  
stove, and sundry articles too tedious to mention, at  
the subscriber's tavern, at the sign of the Eagle, on  
the Baltimore road.

JOHN LUSBY, } Adminis-  
EBENEZER CROMWELL, } trators.

August 7, 1805.

## Twenty Dollars Reward.

**R**AN away from the subscriber, on Monday night  
last, a negro man named HILLY, about twenty-  
two years old, about five feet eight or nine inches  
high, has a dark countenance, a broad face, and a  
flat nose, and broad white teeth, did formerly belong  
to col. Rezin Hammond, and was seen within three  
or four miles of said Resin Hammond's quarters, on  
Elk-Ridge, near Carroll's Manor, on the 28th instant.  
Whoever takes up said negro, and secures him in any  
gaol, so that I get him again, shall receive the above  
reward, paid by WILLIAM HARDESTY.

June 30, 1805.

## NOTICE.

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

HANNAH FOWLER, Administratrix.

July 24, 1805.

## Fifteen Dollars Reward,

**T**O any person who will bring to me, or secure  
him, so that I get him again, negro WILL,  
a small black fellow, about 25 years of age, who  
eloped from the subscriber, living near Pig Point, in  
Anne-Arundel county, on the 15th instant, about 3  
o'clock in the morning; he had on when he went  
away, a round jacket of white kersey, turned up  
with blue, a red striped waistcoat, osnabrig shirt and  
trousers; he has a remarkable scar a little above his  
forehead, occasioned by a scald when young, if closely  
examined will discover guilt, about 5 feet 1 or 2  
inches high; his father belongs to William Stewart,  
Esq; near South river church. It is likely he will be  
in that neighbourhood, or about the city of Annapolis.  
Whereby forewarn all masters of vessels from  
harbouring or receiving on board their vessels the said  
negro Will.

JERNINGHAM DRURY.

July 17, 1805.

## Poet's Corner.

### SELECTED.

### ELEGY.

[The following burlesque on the silly love-ditties of some mo-  
dern poets, is from the *Columbian Centinel*.—]

'TIS mine! what accents can my joy declare!  
Blest be the pressure of the thronging rout!  
Blest be the hand, so hasty, of my fair,  
That left the tempting corner hanging out!

I envy not the joy the pilgrim feels  
After long travel to some distant shrine,  
When at the relic of his saint he kneels—  
For DELIA'S Pocket-handkerchief is mine!

When first with *filching fingers* I drew near,  
Keen hope shot tremulous thro' every vein;  
And when the *finished deed* removed my fear,  
Scarce could my bounding heart its joy contain.

Here, when she took the macaroons from me,  
She wiped her mouth to clean the crumbs so sweet;  
Dear napkin! yes, she wiped her lips with thee!  
Lips, sweeter than the macaroons she eat.

And when she took that pinch of Mocabay,  
That made my love so delicately sneeze,  
Thee to her Roman nose applied I saw—  
And thou art doubly dear for things like these.

No washerwoman's filthy hand shall e'er,  
*Sweet Pocket-handkerchief!* thy worth profane!  
For thou hast touched the *rubies* of my fair,  
And I will kiss thee o'er and o'er again.

### A LIBEL ON WOMEN.

Extract from the "HONEY MOON," just published at New-  
York.

#### COUNT AND ROLANDO, MEETING.

Rolando \* \* \* \* \* I met three women—  
\* \* \* \* \* three loud talking women!

They were discoursing of the newest fashions  
And their tongues went like—I have since been  
thinking

What most that active member of a woman  
Of mortal things resembles—

Count.—Have you found it?

Rolando.—Umph! not exactly—something like a  
smoke jack;

For it goes ever without winding up:

But that wears out in time—there fails the simile.

Next I bethought me of a water-mill;

But that stands still on Sundays; woman's tongue

Needs no reviving Sabbath. And, besides,

A mill to give it motion waits for grist;

Now whether she has aught to say or no!

A woman's tongue will go for exercise.

In short I came to this conclusion:

Most earthly things have their similitudes,

But woman's tongue is yet incomparable.

### Sheriff's Sales.

By virtue of a writ of *feri facias*, to me directed  
out of the western shore general court, will be  
EXPOSED at PUBLIC SALE, for cash, on the  
second day of September next, on the premises,

**O**NE tract of land called *Walker's Inheritance*,  
containing 640 acres; also part of a tract  
called *Plummer's Pasture*, containing 120 acres,  
taken as the property of James Walker, and will be  
sold to satisfy a debt due William Alexander.

By virtue of one other writ of *feri facias*, to me  
directed as before mentioned, will be exposed at  
public sale, for cash, on the 14th day of August  
next, on the premises,

**O**NE tract of land, or part of a tract, called  
*Ridgely's Great Park*, containing 226 acres, taken  
as the property of Samuel Welch, and will be sold  
to satisfy a debt due William Alexander.

By virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas*, to me di-  
rected out of Anne-Arundel county court, will be  
exposed at public sale, for cash, on the 19th day of  
August next, at the dwelling place of Lloyd G.  
Taylor,

**O**NE negro boy named Tom, taken as the prop-  
erty of Lloyd G. Taylor, and Mary his wife, to  
satisfy a debt due William Alexander.

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

Annapolis, July 29, 1805.

### NOTICE.

**A**LL persons indebted to the subscribers for pro-  
perty bought at their sale in July, 1803, and  
March, 1804, are earnestly requested to make imme-  
diate payment, as further indulgence cannot be given.  
Those who neglect this notice may expect suits will  
be commenced against them without respect to per-  
sons.

JAMES N. WEEMS,  
MARY DISNEY.

July 30, 1805.

### Tavern for Rent.

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

LUCY BATTLE.

Anne-Arundel county, July 6, 1805.

### In Council.

ANNAPOLIS, MAY 16, 1805.

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

By order,  
NINIAN PINKNEY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

### Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

Signed by order,  
NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.  
May 31, 1805. A. A. County Court.

### Sixteen Dollars Reward.

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

GASSAWAY RAWLINGS.

June 17, 1805.  
All masters of vessels are forewarned from carrying the said negro man off at their peril. G. R.

### TO BE SOLD,

For a term of seven years,  
A STRONG, active, young negro man. Inquire at the office of this paper.  
July 24, 1805.

### By Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

Signed by order,  
NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.  
May 31, 1805. A. A. County Court.

### Prince-George's County Court,

APRIL TERM, April 13, 1805.

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

True copy,  
Test. JOHN READ MAGRUDER, jr. clk.

### This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained letters of administration on the estate of WILLIAM HARWOOD, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby required to exhibit their accounts, accompanied with the necessary vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 25th day of January next, those who are indebted to the estate of the said deceased are requested to make immediate payment.  
RICHARD H. HARWOOD, Administrator.  
July 23, 1805.

### Notice is hereby given,

THAT I intend to apply to the court of Kent county, at their next October term, for a commission, under the act of assembly of November session, 1786, ch. 33, to mark and bound the following tracts of land, viz. Mitchell's Risk and Mitchell's Park, and the resurvey thereon, called by the same name, likewise my part of the said lands; also to mark and bound the Remains of his Lordship's Gracious Grant, and the several tracts of which it consists, viz. the Remains of his Lordship's Grant, and Mitchell's Park, including a tract of land originally taken up by a captain Richard Smith, and a tract called the Beaver Dam, originally taken up by a certain John Parsons; and also, to mark and bound my land called the Remains of my Lord's Gracious Grant, and the resurvey made thereon, and part of Mitchell's Park aforesaid, called by the patent of confirmation thereof by the name of the Remains of his Lordship's Gracious Grant—these lands lie in Kent county, Maryland, and in New-Castle and Kent counties, in the state of Delaware.  
WALTER DULANY.  
Duck Creek Cross Roads, July 24, 1805.

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# MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 1805.

### Miscellany.

FROM THE AMERICAN.

Messrs. PECHIN & FRAILEY,  
 WITH indescribable pleasure I read doctor Bre-  
 vitt's observations on the blackberry leaf. I  
 have long had an ardent desire to publish to the world  
 the virtues of the root of the same briar. If he  
 means the low running blackberry, by some called  
 dewberry, I can add, as a further proof of its effi-  
 cacy, that I was cured by it of a violent dysentery,  
 after being abandoned by the most eminent physicians  
 in New-York. My brother, who with an anxious  
 solicitude watching his apparent dying sister, and hear-  
 ing her complaint (in a voice scarcely audible) of the  
 cruelty of being abandoned by the faculty replied,  
 with joy illuminating his countenance, "I have this  
 moment recollected a sovereign remedy, and one  
 wherein the pride of the faculty was not a little hum-  
 bled. You are not ignorant, my dear sister, that my  
 youthful days were devoted to the service of my coun-  
 try. There was a time in the army when the dysen-  
 tery prevailed to such a terrible degree, that nothing  
 could be heard but the distresses of the sick, or the  
 groans of the dying. The physicians tried their skill  
 in vain. At length there passed by an old Squaw,  
 who demanded to know the complaint. After being  
 informed, she wept for the ignorance of the learned  
 physician, and taking him by the hand, shewed him  
 the low running blackberry or dewberry, of the roots  
 of which she made a strong decoction, or tea, and  
 caused the patients to drink three teacups full, milk  
 warm, and during the operation to drink plentifully of  
 water, (it operates in this complaint, as a gentle  
 purge.) All who drank of it recovered." Give me  
 to drink of it also, I pray you, my brother, said I.  
 In haste it was prepared, and in three hours after tak-  
 ing of it the nature of the complaint was entirely  
 changed, and I recovered after a few days to the  
 astonishment of all the neighbourhood, who were in  
 hourly expectation of my death.

Sometime after, residing in Charleston, South-Carolina,  
 a Methodist minister called on me and informed  
 me, with tears in his eyes, that his little daughter  
 lay very sick with the dysentery, and the more physi-  
 cians he took the worse she seemed to get; and he likewise  
 added that he had buried a little daughter of the same  
 age, and with the same complaint some years past. I  
 prescribed a teacup full of the strong decoction of the  
 root of the low blackberry, the effect was similar to  
 that taken by myself—the recovered in a short time,  
 to the great joy of her worthy parents.

I resided, afterwards, in New-England, and took  
 a fancy to a charming little boy of one of my indig-  
 ent neighbours, who indulged me with the company  
 of the child frequently at my house, for days and  
 weeks together, and having at one period missed him  
 for a week, it led me particularly to inquire for him,  
 when I was informed that he was buried that morn-  
 ing with one of his sisters, and that the third and only  
 surviving child lay almost expiring with the same com-  
 plaint, the dysentery—I flew to the house of sorrow  
 and of death, in order to save one child, if possible,  
 when to my surprize I found my favourite boy still  
 living, although very sick—his two little sisters had  
 been buried that morning. I demanded of the mo-  
 ther who their physician was, and whether he pur-  
 sued the same course of medicine with this child as  
 with the two others who had died? She answered that  
 he did to her certain knowledge. Does your child  
 grow worse or better? It grows worse and worse, the  
 same as the other children did, replied the mother.

Why then in the name of common sense, does he not  
 try some other means?—I then demanded the situa-  
 tion of the two children previous to their death,  
 and was told that they swelled very much, even to  
 have the appearance of almost bursting—I then ob-  
 served my little favourite more attentively, when I  
 discovered his hands and feet were very much swelled.  
 Shew me the medicine, said I, almost frantic with  
 grief and fear.—When, behold, it was calomel! I  
 concealed my feelings from the mother, but privately  
 threw the calomel into the fire, for fear she should  
 administer it during the time that I was gone in search  
 of the physician—I could not find him; and as there  
 was no time to be lost, I took the liberty to wrest the  
 dear little boy from the jaws of death, without his  
 leave, by giving him the strong tea made of the root  
 of the running blackberry, and afterwards, a dose of  
 gentle physic, to carry off the effects of the calomel  
 from the system, for which deed the quack has never  
 forgiven me.

At another time as I was journeying with my fam-  
 ily through a small village in New-England. I  
 called at a house where there was a young lad in bed  
 very sick with the dysentery—I directed the mother  
 to prepare the tea as above and give him two teacups  
 full, which was done; and so pleasing and unexpect-

ed was the cure, that the lad was sent by his mother  
 to return me thanks at my own house, in less than  
 two weeks, although at the distance of six miles.

A FEMALE.

FROM THE WINDHAM HERALD.

Manchester, (Conn.) March 4, 1804.

MR. BYRNE,

BY publishing in your paper the following account  
 of the manufacture of silk, you will oblige a number  
 of your readers.

The culture of the white mulberry trees was begun  
 in this town more than thirty years since, by Messrs.  
 Hanks and Aspenwall, who became possessed of that  
 ardour which bordered on enthusiasm for the raising  
 of silk. This was produced by reading the late cele-  
 brated doctor Elliot's small treatise on the field of  
 husbandry. No pains were thought too much by  
 them, to accomplish the objects of their wishes;  
 voyages to Long-Island were made, and journeys to  
 the western parts of this state, until after several un-  
 successful attempts, they procured the seed of the so  
 much desired tree. A nursery was sown or planted,  
 from which many young trees were taken and set out  
 on land favourable for their growth. As this is lux-  
 uriant in its growth, and soon produces fruit, other  
 nurseries were sown, and about the time that the  
 legislature gave a bounty upon the raising of raw silk,  
 and afterwards a further encouragement for setting  
 out and cultivating the mulberry tree, there was about  
 180 lbs. weight of silk produced in the town.—This  
 encouraged a number of persons to petition the gen-  
 eral assembly for an act of incorporation, and they and  
 their associates were made a body corporate and polit-  
 ical with ample powers, and an exemption from taxa-  
 tion for twelve years for any works or machinery nec-  
 essary to carry on the business. No advantage of  
 this charter was had by the corporation as no skilful  
 workman could be procured—the business, however,  
 was continued with ardour, after the state bounties or  
 premiums were discontinued. It was long before  
 the knowledge of the best method of feeding and or-  
 dering the silk worms was obtained, and of reeling  
 and spinning the silk, all of which has now become  
 familiar. The business has been progressing, and the  
 last year, (1804) there has been raised in this town,  
 between twelve and thirteen hundred pounds weight  
 of well dried raw silk, every pound of which, when  
 made into sewing silk, is worth about seven dollars,  
 and finds market at Boston, Providence, &c. It is  
 sometimes sold near home, partly for money, and for  
 such necessaries and ornaments, as muslin, or would be  
 had if not procured in this way. Was the silk made  
 in this town manufactured in the several fabrics of  
 silk in common use, every one may judge as well as  
 I, how large a district it would supply.

This silk, for strength and durability is far prefer-  
 able to any imported from Asia, &c. and may be in  
 this state raised to almost any given quantity, without  
 injury to agricultural interest, as the business is per-  
 formed chiefly by women and children, without ex-  
 pense to the husbandmen in labour, or any other way,  
 except to keep the good ladies, their daughters and  
 maids, a little busier than ordinary for two or three  
 weeks, during which time, it must be confessed, they  
 have a laborious task.

The writer believes it will at some future time be  
 a subject of legislative and perhaps national considera-  
 tion, whether we shall send all our solid coin at a great  
 risk and hazard six thousand miles, to purchase ar-  
 ticles that may be raised and manufactured at home,  
 even for exportation.

FROM THE PARIS ARGUS.

Statement of the English forces both at home and abroad.

- East-Indies and on their way thither, 2296 caval-  
ry, 13522 infantry.
- Ceylon, 260 artillery, 6464 infantry.
- Windward Islands, 726 artillery, 10514 infantry.
- Jamaica, 340 artillery, 3835 infantry.
- Bay of Honduras, 927 infantry.
- Gibraltar, 512 artillery, 4074 infantry.
- Malta, 456 artillery, 6084 infantry.
- English North-America, 412 artillery, 3782 in-  
fantry.
- Bermuda and Bahama Islands, 39 artillery, 434 in-  
fantry.
- New South Wales, 490 infantry.
- Goree.
- On board bomb ships, 26 artillery, 344 infantry.
- Ireland, 4070 cavalry, 968 artillery, 29042 in-  
fantry, 19423 militia.
- Jersey and Guernsey, 112 artillery, 7596 infantry.
- Total, 21223 cavalry, 8559 artillery, 124878 in-  
fantry, 89809 militia.

### Foreign Intelligence.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, July 2.

NOTWITHSTANDING various reports in the  
 public papers, it is not ascertained that Mr.  
 Monroe, the American minister, had left Madrid on  
 the 26th May. Whenever he leaves that city, he  
 comes immediately here to resume his station; and  
 then Mr. Erving, late consul and agent of the U.  
 States, and charge d'affaires here, goes to Madrid as  
 secretary of legation and charges d'affaires to that  
 court. Gen. Lyman has succeeded Mr. Erving in his  
 late employment here.

The Prussian monarch (by a note through Baron  
 Hardenberg) has avowed his resolution to prevent  
 the subsidiary treaty with Great-Britain for 25,000  
 Swedish troops, being carried into effect.

The articles of impeachment against lord Melville  
 were ordered to be printed on the 4th July, and to  
 be taken into consideration on the 9th. There are  
 8 specific charges—five of them amount to 84000l.  
 deficiency—the other three regard the supposed viola-  
 tion of the law in drawing the naval money, &c.

There is a considerable degree of bulle at the  
 Downs. The fleet assembled there has been joined  
 by no less than fourteen small fire ships—a larger num-  
 ber than is usually attached to such a fleet—which  
 has given rise to many conjectures.

July 3.

We informed the public yesterday, that his majesty  
 has lately been afflicted with a complaint in his eyes.  
 It is with deep regret we have to state to-day, that  
 that complaint is of a most serious nature.

We received this morning the Paris papers to the  
 26th, and Dutch to the 27th ult. The decree for  
 incorporating Genoa has been carried into execution,  
 and on the 11th June that ancient republic was finally  
 destroyed, and the French flag hoisted upon all the for-  
 tifications and ships in the harbour! There is in the  
 Monitor an article, inserted we may be sure not  
 without design, from Calligioni, in which a pompous  
 display is given of the strength of the French army  
 encamped, amounting to 48 battalions of infantry,  
 45 squadrons of cavalry, and a large train of artille-  
 ry. "Besides this army," says the article in ques-  
 tion, "we have a division at Genoa, another at  
 Florence, a third at Naples, and, in short, more  
 troops in Italy than we ever had, independently of  
 the corps of Italian troops, who appear anxious to  
 render themselves worthy of their sovereign." In  
 reading this article, it strikes us that this pompous  
 display of military strength was made under the im-  
 pression of suspicion with respect to the designs of  
 Austria, and with a view to convince her that this  
 was the most unseasonable time for her to undertake  
 any thing against the French power in Italy. It  
 would not have been necessary for Buonaparte to  
 have had more troops in Italy than ever he had, for  
 the mere purpose of coronation parade. Had he not  
 been suspicious of Austria, he would have avoided  
 pouring so many troops into Italy, in order that he  
 might not give umbrage, or induce the court of Vi-  
 enna to believe, that he viewed it with suspicion.

July 4.

M. De Novosilzoff's mission is considered by the  
 Paris Journalists, as likely to lead to peace between  
 Russia and France. They observe upon it, "if Rus-  
 sia had unsuitable proposals to make, she would  
 not incur the expense of an embassy, because the char-  
 acter of the emperor Napoleon is now too well known  
 in Europe, for any one to hope to impose upon him  
 by political illusion or boasting. Russia has neither  
 an interest nor the means of contending with a colos-  
 sal power so well established as France; and hence it  
 is permitted to reckon upon an approximation which  
 may be useful to the two countries." At any rate,  
 the Parisian Journalists will not admit of the proba-  
 bility of a Continental War. "At Paris, as well as  
 Vienna," they say "every thing concurs in assuring  
 us that peace will not be disturbed." The desire  
 manifested by the emperors of Germany and France to  
 preserve the good understanding that exists between  
 the two courts—every thing changes our hope to cer-  
 tainty. The result of this security is the same at  
 Paris as at Vienna. The funds at both places have  
 risen. At Paris they continue to rise, and the five  
 per cents, which were but at 60 when the emperor  
 set off for Italy, were on the 23d June at 62." The  
 rise of the Austrian funds was certainly not produced  
 by any pacific hopes, but by the determination of the  
 government to repay at fixed periods the loans lent by  
 the Dutch to Austria during the war. We believe  
 that so far from being on good terms with Buonaparte,  
 he has lately presented a strong remonstrance,  
 and demanded an explicit declaration with respect to  
 his views in Italy.

### Del County Court,

1805.

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 HARWOOD, Administrator.

WALTER DULANY.

July 24, 1805.

### APOLIS:

FREDERICK and SAMUEL GREEN.

**Maryland Gazette.**

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, August 22, 1805.

**FARMERS BANK OF MARYLAND.**

STOCKHOLDERS in the Farmers Bank of Maryland are requested to take notice, that their third payment of five dollars on each share must be made on Saturday the 14th September next, to the President and Directors, for the western shore.

J. MUIR, Pres. F. B.  
Annapolis, August 20, 1805.

**FARMERS BANK.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Books will be opened at Annapolis on the 27th, and continue open on the 28th and 30th September next, for the disposal of 6392 shares in the Farmers Bank of Maryland, being the number not heretofore taken, in the several counties on this shore.

Persons inclining to take shares, will be pleased to observe, that fifteen dollars per share are to be paid, because original subscribers, will have paid three instalments before the above stated 27th September.

By order of the Directors,

JOHN MUIR, president.

Annapolis, 15th August, 1805.  
N. B. Books will be opened at Easton, on the aforesaid days, for the disposal of shares on the Eastern shore.

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

On Thursday last, the following officers of the Farmers Bank were chosen, viz:  
Jonathan Pinkney, cashier; Samuel Maynard, teller; Thomas Shaw, book-keeper; general John Davidson, discount clerk; and Lewis Green, runner.

The following gentlemen are elected directors for the Branch Bank at Easton, viz.

- Thomas J. Bullet,
  - William Meluy,
  - Owen Kennard,
  - Hall Harrison,
  - Samuel Harrison,
  - John Bennett,
  - Nicholas Hammond,
  - Joseph Haskins,
  - William Potter, for Caroline county.
  - Christopher Harrison, for Dorchester county.
  - Richard T. Earle, for Queen-Anne's county.
  - William Williams, for Somerset county.
  - Ephraim K. Wilson, for Worcester county.
  - William Alexander, for Cecil county.
  - James Scott, for Kent county.
- Who made choice of Nicholas Hammond, Esquire, as president, and appointed Mr. Hall Harrison cashier. We have not heard of the vacancies occasioned by their appointments being filled.

**NEGOTIATION WITH SPAIN.**

We are enabled to state, says the Philadelphia Register, on authority which we deem correct, that the matters in dispute, between the United States and the government of Spain, have been amicably adjusted, and that dispatches, on this important subject, from our minister at Madrid, are now on their way to the executive.

We learn that a part of the collection of the curiosities collected by capt. Lewis on the Missouri, has reached Baltimore. Among these are a living animal, called the wild dog of the Prairie, and one magpie. Four magpies were sent, but one of them destroyed the other three.—Nat. Intel.

A letter has been received from Cadiz, dated June 28, which is altogether silent as to the rumoured condemnation of one of our gun boats. The Adriana, which brings this report, having arrived at New-York after a passage of 40 days, renders the report very doubtful. This letter is from our consul at Cadiz, and as it does not even mention the capture, as it is probable that her immediate restitution made that circumstance, in his opinion, the less important to be stated.—Ibid.

Sometime during the last spring it was announced that a combination of the Indian tribes east of the Mississippi, had been formed against the Osages, or Washalah, up the Missouri. Since that period, the account of this expedition has been doubted. We have now to inform our readers that the intelligence has recently been confirmed by a Chickasaw Indian, who, with his companion, was in Lexington a few weeks past. He says that not only his own nation have actually sent forward their warriors, but that the Cherokee, Choctaw, and all the other tribes to the north had started on the expedition. [Indiana Gazette.]

An alarming fire, at Woolwich arsenal, (Eng.) on the 29th June, destroyed two long ranges of wooden store-houses; and threatened the destruction of the magazine, in which was between two hundred and three hundred thousand barrels of powder. By great exertions it was saved; and the alarm excited by the danger subsided.

**BRITISH WAVE.**

The great and rapid increase of men of war of all descriptions, from 120 guns, to a cutter of 10 guns; within these 12 months, proves very strongly the exertions of the present admiralty and those under their orders; these being now in commission, ready for sea, NINE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THREE fail of vessels, actually employed, for each of which numerical signals are appointed, from 1 to 923, and from A to Z, to know each other at sea, and to be known at the telegraphes and signal posts, and by the different port admirals. In the above number of 923, are not included any armed transports, or hired armed tenders, but only such line of battle ships, frigates, sloops, gun brig and cutters, as are commanded by post captains, commanders, and lieutenants, of the royal navy. In the above number the prison, hospital, and sloop ships in harbour, are also excluded. [London paper.]

Mr. Bowdoin, our minister to the court of Madrid, had arrived at St. Andero previous to the 28th of June.

**BALTIMORE, August 17.**

Captain Swain, from Bonavista, who arrived at Boston on Friday, informs that on the 26th of July, in lat. 30, 44, about 10 leagues distant from Bermuda, he fell in with an English fleet of 5 fail, under command of commodore hon. M. de Courcy, out 3 weeks from Port-Royal, on a cruise. The above fleet failed from Jamaica on the 20th of June, for the purpose of joining lord Nelson's Squadron, but having been informed of a French and Spanish fleet being out immediately altered their course and pursued them. They had not found the fleet when captain Swain spoke them, but had information of their being not far off. The fleet consisted of the St. George, of 98 guns, commodore Courcy; Eagle, 74, captain D. Colby; Centaur, 74, captain H. Whitby, Atlas, 74, captain S. Pym; Succes, 32, captain K. Scott. Captain S. left them steering S. E.

Captain S. was boarded by two other English frigates out of Halifax, on the 30th ult. in lat. 32, long 68, which were on a cruise. One of them was the Warner, captain Harper.

**August 19.**

Letters received in New-York on the 15th inst. from the Havanna, state an important occurrence in the modern spirit of revolutionary measures—the almost entire suppression of the monastic and religious orders in that island, and which of course will not be confined to that colony. A royal order has lately been received there for the sale of all property belonging to those religious establishments; consisting of houses and lands, sugar and coffee estates, and negroes, as well as mortgages, debts, &c. due to them. The monies arising therefrom are to be paid into the treasury of the king, who will provide for the persons so dispossessed, by paying them a certain per diem for their support. The revenue arising therefrom must, doubtless, be immense; and the purposes to which it is to be applied, and the source to which this ferocious innovation may be traced, do not require the gift of divination to ascertain. It may, perhaps, be considered as only a preliminary step to more ferocious changes in the Spanish government and nation.

The commissioners nominated to enforce the aforesaid decree in the Havanna, and the island, are—the governor, the Bishop, the intendant-general, the collector of the customs, and Don J. B. Munoz.

Extract of a letter from capt. Gilder, arrived at the Philadelphia Lazaretto, in 15 days from Point Petre, (Guad.) to the editor of the Philadelphia True American.

“Just before failing I received the following information from captain Van Antwerp, of the brig Friends Adventure.—The day of his arrival (July 29th) at Guadaloupe, off the island of Desada, saw a squadron of ships consisting of fifteen fail, seven ships of the line and eight frigates, distance three and a half leagues, standing S. W. by S.—It was thought by the inhabitants of Guadaloupe it was the French squadron from Brett, which they had received information of by a cutter brig, arrived at Martinique some time before.”

**The Knot.**

Married, on Tuesday the 30th ult. in Charlotte county, (Virg.) Mr. PERRIN ALDEY, aged one hundred and five years, to Mrs. ANNE TANLEY, aged ninety.—She is his third wife, and he her third husband.

**ATTENTION THE WHOLE !!**

THE Members composing the Volunteer Companies of Infantry and Artillery, are requested to take notice, that there will be a meeting of said Companies, on SATURDAY NEXT, the 24th inst. at 3 o'clock, P. M. The members are requested to appear in complete uniform, with arms and accoutrements in soldier-like order.

**Lands for Sale.**

THE subscriber will SELL, at private sale, his part of two tracts of LAND, lying on the Head of Severn, called Friendship and What you Please, where Lydia and Susanna Gambrell now live; also fifty acres, within four miles of said land, all wood-land. A very accommodating credit will be given, on the purchaser giving bond, with approved security.

AUGUSTINE GAMBRILL.  
August 14, 1805.

**NOTICE.**

A MEETING of the Planters of St. Mary's, Charles, Calvert, Prince-George's, and Anne-Arundel counties, who inspect their crops of tobacco at the warehouses on Patuxent river, is requested at the port of Nottingham, on the second Monday of October next, to take into consideration propositions for forming a Society of Planters out of the aforesaid counties, to protect the planting interest on said river, and to devise ways and means to prevent sacrifices of tobacco in the hands of individuals by forced sales.

August 9, 1805. Amos Johnson

**Sheriff's Sales.**

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed out of Anne-Arundel county court, will be EXPOSED at PUBLIC SALE, for cash, on the fourth day of September next, on the premises, ONE negro man named Isaac, taken as the property of William Whetcroft to satisfy a debt due Nicholas Z. Maccubbin.

J. E. TILLY, Sheriff.  
August 20, 1805.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed out of Anne-Arundel county court, will be EXPOSED at PUBLIC SALE, for cash, on the seventh day of September next, on the premises, ONE brindle bull, one red heifer, one grey mare, and one bay mare, taken as the property of Richard Wheeler, sen, to satisfy a debt due William Wells, for the use of Luke Tiernan.

J. E. TILLY, Sheriff.  
August 20, 1805.

By virtue of two writs of fieri facias, to me directed out of the general court, western shore, state of Maryland, will be SOLD, on the 10th day of September, 1805, at Walter Brooke's dwelling-house,

A TRACT of LAND, called Pinkston Delight, and two negro boys, taken as the property of Walter Brooke, to satisfy a debt due Thomas Conter. The sale for cash.

J. E. TILLY, Sheriff.  
August 20, 1805.

**In CHANCERY, August 15, 1805.**

ORDERED, That the sale made by HENRY HAWLEY CHAPMAN, as stated in his report, of a tract of land, called, or being, part of Thomas's Choice, containing 88 acres, 2 roods, and 15 perches; a tract called Varino, 39 acres, 2 roods, and 27 perches; and a tract called The Union, 10 acres, 2 roods, and 3 perches, all in Charles county, and in the whole 138 acres, 3 roods, and 5 perches, the property of Walter Hanson Harrison, deceased, at 7 dolls. 60 cents per acre, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn before the tenth day of October next, provided a copy of this order be published in the Maryland Gazette before the end of the present month.

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

**In CHANCERY, August 14, 1805.**

ORDERED, That the sale made by WILLIAM ALEXANDER, as stated in his report, of two tracts of land, in Anne-Arundel county, the property of John Brown and Robert Davis, deceased, one containing 8, and the other supposed to contain 30 acres, shall be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn before the last day of September next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, at any time during the present month.

The report of the trustee states, that the first tract called Eagle Tower, was sold at 11 dolls. 50 cents per acre, and that the other called The Victory, was sold at 4 dolls. per acre.

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

**Twenty Dollars Reward.**

RAN away from the subscriber, at Rawlings's tavern, in Anne-Arundel county, on Saturday the 17th instant, a dark mulatto woman named HENNY, about twenty-five years of age, five feet two or three inches high, with a very pleasant countenance when spoken to; had on, when she ran away, a short calico jacket, a black skirt, and a red striped handkerchief around her head; she also carried off a quantity of other cloaths, which I cannot describe. She was purchased of Doctor Scott, of Annapolis. She will either be about Annapolis or Baltimore, as she has a number of relations in both places. Any person who will secure her, so that I get her again, shall receive the above reward, and if brought to Rawlings's tavern all reasonable expenses paid.

JOHN L. DICKINSON.  
All persons, and owners of boats are forewarned from harbouring or carrying off said negro at their peril.  
August 12, 1805.

**NOTICE.**

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

HANNAH FOWLER, Administratrix.  
July 24, 1805. 3X

**Fifteen**

RAN away, on 1805, a negro, ten years of age, high, has a dark flat nose, and very Carroll, of Carroll he made his escape, ticklenburg, his hat or shoes. Whoever him in any gown receive the above reward in the city of Annapolis, likely he has gone living there, and no I hereby forewarn ing, or receiving gro Adam.

**JOHN**

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**Fifteen Dollars Reward.**

RAN away, on Saturday the 17th of August, 1805, a negro lad named ADAM, about eighteen years of age, about five feet two or three inches high, has a dark countenance, and a downcast look, flat nose, and very white teeth, belonging to Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esq; his apparel was, when he made his escape, an over waistcoat and trousers of ticklenburg, his shirt of common osnabrigs, without hat or shoes. Whoever takes up said negro, and secures him in any goal, so that I get him again, shall receive the above reward if out of the county, if taken in the city of Annapolis FIVE DOLLARS; it is likely he has gone to Baltimore, as he has two sisters living there, and no doubt will be harboured by them. I hereby forewarn all masters of vessels from harbouring, or receiving on board their vessels, the said negro Adam.

JOHN B. ROBINSON, for CHARLES CARROLL, Esquire.

**A valuable Plantation for Sale.**

THE subscriber wishes to sell his handsome, healthy, and highly improved FARM, containing 213 1/2 acres, situate on South river, and but 3 1/2 miles distant from the city of Annapolis; this plantation possesses superior conveniences and advantages, being near a good market, and almost enclosed by two creeks, which furnish in their seasons abundance of wild fowl, fish and oysters; the soil is suited to the cultivation of small grain, corn, and tobacco, and peculiarly adapted to the production of all kinds of vegetables, that will at all times command ready sales, and yield perhaps the greatest profit, with comparatively the least labour. The buildings are all nearly new, consisting of a brick dwelling-house, 40 feet by 20, handsomely finished, a brick dairy and smoke house, a corn house, 24 feet by 12, a barn, 44 feet by 24, with sheds to shelter stock, and other necessary and convenient buildings, the whole erected with taste, and covered with cypress shingles. There is a very promising apple orchard, planted 10 years ago, consisting of the best kind of fruit trees, carefully selected, 3 peach orchards that have been particularly attended for 6 years past, and that now produce abundantly all kinds of that delicious fruit, together with a variety of other fruit peculiar to the soil and climate. There is a well of excellent water in a convenient situation. The fencing is chiefly of chestnut post and railing, and in good repair. A further description of this well known farm is thought to be unnecessary. Those wishing to purchase will no doubt view it. The proprietor's terms will be found accommodating; as he is not in want of money, a long credit would be given, on receiving satisfactory security.

SETH SWEETSER.

N. B. Stock of all kinds, and farming utensils, are also for sale. S. S. August 21, 1805.

**Twenty Dollars Reward.**

RAN away from the subscriber, on Monday night last, a negro man named HILLY, about twenty-two years old, about five feet eight or nine inches high, has a dark countenance, a broad face, and a flat nose, and broad white teeth, did formerly belong to col. Rezin Hammond, and was seen within three or four miles of said Rezin Hammond's quarter, on Elk-Ridge, near Carroll's Manor, on the 28th instant. Whoever takes up said negro, and secures him in any goal, so that I get him again, shall receive the above reward, paid by WILLIAM HARDESTY.

JAMES MATTISON, & HATTER, No. 16, North Gay-street, Baltimore.

RETURNS his sincere thanks to the citizens of Annapolis, Anne-Arundel and Prince-George's counties, for the encouragement they have heretofore given him in the above line of business, whilst he resided in Annapolis, and hopes for a continuance of their favours.

**LIKEWISE**

Inform his friends throughout the state, that he keeps a boarding house in the above-mentioned house—also has good stabling for horses. August 4, 1805.

**Thirty Dollars Reward.**

RAN away from the subscriber, in Calvert county, near Hunting-town, on Monday last, two negro girls, by the name of BETTY and NANCY; Betty is about nineteen years of age, of a good size, has a remarkable scar over her right eye, which caused it to be more prominent than the other, and which she endeavours to conceal, by tying a handkerchief over it; she was taken out of Montgomery county goal last May, and had then been runaway upwards of two years; she acknowledged since that the passed by the name of Eliza, that she had lived in Annapolis and the neighbourhood of South river about two months, and then moved to Montgomery, near Clarksborg, where she was taken up. Nancy is a sister of Betty's, not above fourteen years of age, well grown, has tolerable thick lips, awkward appearance, and stammers when spoken to; the being young 'tis supposed will not offer to travel by herself. Any person that will apprehend the aforesaid negroes, or either of them, and confine them in goal, shall be paid TEN DOLLARS a piece, or if delivered to the subscriber FIFTEEN DOLLARS a piece.

BETTY H. BECKETT,

August 1, 1805.

**Lands for Sale.**

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

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

The tract on which the said capt. Smith resided, containing 1225 1/2 acres, lying on the river Patuxent, bounded on the west by said river, and on the south and east by a fine navigable creek called St. Leonard's, so that a short fence will enclose the whole land; the soil of this tract is equal to any on Patuxent, either for farming, planting or grazing; and in their season a great quantity of fine fish and oysters may be had either from the river or creek.

One other tract, in the forest, about two miles from the former, containing 627 1/2 acres, the greater part of which is covered with hickory, chestnut, and oak wood, and a great proportion of swamp land, which, at a trifling expence, might be converted into valuable meadow.

One other tract of 536 1/2 acres, lying on Chesapeake bay, bounded on the east by said bay, and on the north by a creek called Parker's Creek; on this tract is a very fine salt marsh, a quantity of fine meadow land, and an abundance of timber.

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

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

JOSEPH WILKINSON, JOHN TURNER, JAMES HEIGHE, Commissioners. July 10, 1805.

**Public Sale.**

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

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

WILLIAM M. CARCAUD, DAVID L. WEEMS, CHARLES WILLIAMSON, Commissioners. July 3, 1805.

**This is to give notice,**

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the state of Maryland, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of JAMES DISNEY, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 30th day of January next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 30th day of July, 1805. JAMES N. WEEMS, Executor.

**To be RENTED,**

For a term of years, A FARM, on the north side of Severn, lying on the river, containing 428 acres; the fencing encloses the whole, and in good order; chestnut in plenty to repair and keep up the same. Two dwelling-houses, out houses, barn, corn house, tobacco house about 60 feet long, and a large range for stock, and a high healthy situation.

August 7, 1805. JOHN BRICE.

**NOTICE.**

I INTEND to apply to the next general assembly of Maryland, for an act of insolvency, to release me from debts which I am unable to pay.

August 13, 1805. ISAAC PEACH.

**Poet's Corner.**

SELECTED.

THE OLD BEGGAR.

BY MRS ROBINSON.

DO you see the OLD BEGGAR who sits at yon gate— With his beard silver'd over like snow? Tho' he smiles as he meets the keen arrows of fate, Still his bosom is wearied with woe.

Many years has he sat at the foot of the hill, Many days seen the summer-sun rise; And at evening the traveller passes him still, While the shadows steal over the skies.

In the keen blasts of winter he hobbles along O'er the heath, at the dawning of day, And the dew drops that freeze the rude thistles among Are the stars that illumine his way!

How mild is his aspect, how modest his eye, How meekly his soul bears each wrong! How much does he speak, by his eloquent sigh, Tho' no accent is heard from his tongue.

Time was, when this BEGGAR, in martial trim dight, Was as bold as the chief of his throng; When he march'd thro' the storms of the day or the night, And still smil'd as he journey'd along.

Then his form was athletic, his eyes' vivid glance Spoke the lustre of youth's glowing day! And the village all mark'd, in the combat and dance, The brave yonker still valiant as gay.

When the prize was propos'd, how his footsteps wou'd bound, While the MAID of his heart led the throng; While the ribbands that circled the May-pole around, Wav'd the trophies of garlands among.

But Love, o'er his bosom triumphantly reign'd, Love taught him in secret to pine— Love waded his youth, yet he never complain'd— For the silence of Love is divine!

The dulcet ton'd word, and the plaint of despair, Are no signs of the soul-wasting smart: 'Tis the pride of Affection to cherish its care, And to count the quick throbs of the heart.

Amidst the loud din of the battle he stood Like a lion undaunted and strong; But the tear of compassion was mingled with blood When his sword was the first in the throng.

When the bullet whizz'd by, and his arm bore away, Still he shrunk not, with anguish oppress'd; And when victory shouted the fate of the day, Not a groan check'd the joy of his breast.

To his dear native shore the poor wanderer hied; But he came to complete his despair; For the maid of his soul was, that morning a bride, And a gay, lordly rival, was there!

From that hour, o'er the world he has wander'd forlorn, But still Love his companion would go; And tho' deeply fond memory planted its thorn, Still he silently cherish'd his woe!

See him now, while with age and with sorrow oppress'd, He the gate opens slowly and sighs! See him drop the big tears on his woe-wither'd breast, The big tears—that fall fast from his eyes!

See his habit all tatter'd, his shrivell'd cheek pale, See his locks, waving thin, in the air; See his lip is half froze with the sharp cutting gale, And his head, o'er the temples, all bare.

His eye-beam no longer in lustre displays The warm sunshine that visits his breast; For deep funk is its orbit, and darken'd its rays, And he sighs—for the Grave's silent rest!

And his voice is grown feeble, his accent is slow, And he sees not the distant hill's side; And he hears not the breezes of morn as they blow, Or the stream thro' the low valley glide.

To him all is silent, and mournful, and dim, E'en the seasons pass dreary and slow; For Affliction has plac'd its cold fetters on him, And his soul is enamour'd of woe!

See the Tear which, imploring, is fearful to roll, Tho' in silence he bows as you stray; 'Tis the eloquent silence which speaks to the soul, 'Tis the Star of his slow-setting day!

Perchance, ere the May-blossom cheerfully wave Ere the zephyrs of Summer soft sigh, The sun-beams shall dance on the grass o'er his grave, And his journey be mark'd—to the sky!

**This is to give notice,**

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the state of Maryland, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of EZEKIEL JACOB, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 30th day of January next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this thirtieth day of July, 1805.

ANNA JACOB, Administratrix.

**In Council.**

ANNAPOLIS, MAY 16, 1805.

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

By order,  
**NINIAN PINKNEY, Clerk.**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

**Anne-Arundel County Court,**

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

Signed by order,  
**NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.**  
May 31, 1805. A. A. County Court.

**Sixteen Dollars Reward.**

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

**GASSAWAY RAWLINGS.**

June 17, 1805.  
All masters of vessels are forewarned from carrying the said negro man off at their peril. G. R.

**TO BE SOLD,**

For a term of seven years,

**A STRONG,** active, young negro man. Inquire at the office of this paper.  
July 24, 1805.

**By Anne-Arundel County Court,**

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

Signed by order,  
**NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.**  
May 31, 1805. A. A. County Court.

**This is to give notice,**

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

**RICHARD H. HARWOOD,** Administrator.  
July 23, 1805.

By virtue of a writ of *feri facias*, to me directed out of the western shore general court, will be **EXPOSED at PUBLIC SALE,** for cash, on the second day of September next, on the premises,

**ONE** tract of land called *Walker's Inheritance*, containing 640 acres; also part of a tract called *Plummer's Pasture*, containing 120 acres, taken as the property of James Walker, and will be sold to satisfy a debt due William Alexander.

**JASPER E. TILLY,** Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.  
Annapolis, July 29, 1805.

**Notice is hereby given,**

That in virtue of a commission from Anne-Arundel county court, at April term last, directed to the subscribers, to divide or value the land of which Thomas Boon died seized, situated in Anne-Arundel county, called *Brown's Adventure* and *Neighbour's Neglect*, according to the provisions of the act, entitled, An act to direct descents, and of the supplements thereto, we, the subscribers, will, on the first Monday of September next, meet on the premises to execute the trust reposed in us by said commission, of which all persons interested will take notice.

**F. CROMWELL,**  
**CHARLES WATERS,**  
**CHARLES STEWART,**  
**DAVID STEWART,**  
**JOHN ASHBAW.**

Will be **SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE,** for cash, on Thursday the 22d inst. if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter, Sunday excepted,

**PART** of the personal property of **WILLIAM FENNEL,** junior, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, such as one hull of an old flag, one iron stove, and sundry articles too tedious to mention, at the subscriber's tavern, at the sign of the Eagle, on the Baltimore road.

**JOHN LUSBY,** Administrator.  
**EENEZER CROMWELL,** }  
August 7, 1805.

**This is to give notice,**

That the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the state of Maryland, hath obtained from orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, letters of administration, with the will annexed, on the personal estate of **NATHAN WILLIAMS,** late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 30th day of January next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 30th day of July, 1805.

**WILLIAM GRAMBRILL,**  
Administrator w. a.

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# MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29, 1805.

### Miscellany.

FROM THE VERMONT POST-OFF.

#### VERMONT DIVORCES.

IT cannot be denied, that the facility of obtaining bills of divorce, has greatly tended to render us contemptible in the eyes of our neighbours; and the little respect our Judges entertain for the sacred institution of marriage, has encouraged the dissolute of both sexes in every quarter of the union to repair to our state, and make our laws subserve their wicked and immoral purposes.—Every libertine who is tired of his wife, or who, from base and corrupt motives, is desirous to transfer his property and worthless affections to another woman; and every woman, who is infamous enough to abandon her husband and children, may fly to Vermont; and by circulating a libel in the form of a petition, as far as a country paper will convey the notice, and paying the necessary fees (which constituted a very considerable emolument to our judges) can obtain a decree of our court, dissolving the bands of matrimony. The statute indeed requires that one of the parties should have resided in this state at least one year, previous to granting a divorce; but there are several instances on record, of bills being granted without even requiring proof to establish any previous residence. We shall soon have business enough of this kind in our courts, when it is known to the people of Carolina, or any other remote state, that a short visit of two months from home, will be quite sufficient to free a man from a disagreeable companion, and the incumbrance of a family, during the remainder of his life. “Do we not publish a citation, says our judges, in some of our newspapers, and afford an opportunity to the other party to appear and resist any improper attempt to impose on our courts.” Pretty reasoning this!—How shall an innocent wife, five hundred miles distant, living perhaps in the interior of the country, become acquainted with every advertisement in every one of our village papers? The first sight of the advertisement is perhaps accompanied with a copy of the record of that decree, which strips her of property; deprives her of a husband; and separates her from her children!—On this solemn, this awful subject, it is impossible for a wife or virtuous man to reflect without being agitated by alternate emotions of horror and indignation. It is really opening Pandora's box, and giving wings to every evil that can poison the felicity and morals of society. It calls a ridicule on the sacred institution of marriage; produces a confusion of progeny; creates discord in families; corrupts public and private decency; and introduces a depravity of manners, which every man of feeling and sense ought to repel as an enemy to the honour and happiness of his wife and daughters. In such a state of things, where shall we look for that faithful and dutiful devotion of the heart, which is the most powerful inducement to a state of wedlock? where find that perfect confidence and security, which are inspired by a belief, that death only can sever that religious bond which unites individuals of different sexes together, and impels them by the irresistible influence of affection, and the consciousness of a common indivisible interest, to maintain all the tender relations of father, son and brother?

#### THE SEDUCER.

“AYE, so you serve us,  
“Till we serve you; but when you have our roses,  
“You barely leave our thorns to prick ourselves,  
“And mock us with our baseness.”

SHAKESPEARE.

WHO is you meagre, ruined wretch, pressed down by disease and covered with shame and confusion? Sure it is no human being. The Almighty never stamped his image on a form so forbidding. Hush stranger! cease thy cruel animadversions on the victim of villainy. Turn thine eye for a moment, and behold the reverse. Seest thou yon sprightly coxcomb, glittering in the sunbeams of prosperity and hastening with eagerness from pleasure to pleasure? He is her seducer: in an unguarded moment he triumphed o'er her virtue, he broke his faith and left her to brood o'er her misery in penury and want. Disease, like a corroding canker preys on her vitals, and the will o'er long be added to her native dull. Stranger you weep at her misfortunes, your tears are unavailing. Her fate is determined.—Her penitence is accepted, and she shall yet be happy. Go warn thy prattling innocents of their future danger! Go show them this picture of misery; and when they inquire the cause, tell them a lordly brute fixed his cruel fangs on the object of their pity; tell them she once was as gay, as lovely, as innocent, and as happy as they now are; but she was betrayed and her fond expectations blighted forever.

#### TEMPERANCE.

THE reader will smile at the pleasantry, as well as approve the good sense, of the following thought on Temperance, taken from *The Invalid*, by the late venerable nonagenarian, the rev. R. Graves:—

“It has been observed, that all other animals besides man are contented with one species of food; flesh, fish, or fowl, or vegetables; and never encroach on that of a different species.

“The lion, though invested with sovereign power, and living in regal style, is content with the leg of a calf, or the haunch of a stag; never thinks of a second course, or of a desert, or even of a sauce, cauliflower, or carrot, pickled cucumber, or the like.

“The eagle also, king of the birds, feasts himself and the royal family, the young princes and the infants, on a brace of pheasants, a turkey, or a dozen pigeons; but would not debase himself by stooping to a nest of larks or robin-red-breasts, for a second course.

“But man, as lord of the creation, by his prerogative, falls foul on whatever comes in his way, and ransacks the universe to gratify his voracious appetite; the fowls of the air, the fishes of the sea, the beasts of the forest, with vegetables of every genus and every species; not only herbs, which were intended for the use of man, but roots, which seem reserved for the food and the snouts of hogs; nay, even the excrecences of nature, mushrooms, and truffles, indigestible substances, which, if they were ever intended to be eaten, it must probably have been by the inhabitants of the infernal regions.

“If temperance, however, regulated our use of these various articles of food with which Providence indulges us; if we killed the animals without cruelty, and cooked them with plainness and simplicity, they might be, what Providence intended them, instead of what we too often make them, a blessing, and not a curse. But when we torture them in taking away their lives, as we often do, and scarily, carbonate, and be-devil their flesh, not only with pepper and salt, as we do the gizzard of a turkey, but adding a little nutmeg, a little cinnamon, a blade of mace, with chalom and onions, &c. and eat it with oil, vinegar and mustard; such a heterogeneous mixture, instead of producing a lacteous chyle, flowing through the alimentary canal, like the gentle stream of Arno, must become a caustic fluid, rushing like the fiery torrent of Vesuvius, harrowing up and tearing the vessels; or at least generate fever, calentures, and every disease incident to the human body.”

#### MASONRY IN FRANCE.

Extract of a letter from Paris, June 14.

You have doubtless heard that Free-masonry is again in vogue in all parts of France. It is true, that not only the emperor's brothers, but likewise the marshals, senators, and literati of the first distinction, attend the lodges. I enclose you the complete printed lists. You will find that the following are the most celebrated names belonging to the principal lodge:—

- Grand Master—Prince Joseph.
- Assistant Grand Master—Prince Louis.
- Chief Administrator—Marechal Massena.
- Grand Conservator—Senator de Choiseul Praslin.
- First Grand Superintendent—Prince Murat.
- Second Grand Superintendent—De la Cepede.
- Grand Chancellor of the Legion of Honour.
- Grand Orator—De Lalande, Member of the National Institute.
- Chief Secretary—De Jancourt, Senator.
- Grand Treasurer—Magonde Medine, Rear-Admiral.

- First Grand Expert—Bournonville, Ambassador.
- Second Grand Expert—General Macdonald.
- Grand Keeper of the Seal—General Sebastiani.
- Chief Keeper of the Archives—Marechal Kellermann.

- Grand Architect—Senator De Luynes.
- First Master of the Ceremonies—Duranteau, Member of the Legislative Body.
- Second Master of the Ceremonies—Girardin, Member of the Tribunal.
- Grand Hospitaller—Marechal Angereau.
- Grand Almoner—Marechal Le Fevre.

#### TURKEYS.

THE following curious method of rearing Turkeys to advantage, is translated from a Swedish book, entitled *Rural Oeconomy*.

Many of our housewives, (says this ingenious author) have long despaired of success in rearing turkeys, and complained, that the profit rarely indemnified them for their trouble and loss of time; whereas, continues he, little more is to be done, than to plunge the chick into a vessel of cold water, the very hour, if possible, but at least the very day it is hatched, forcing it to swallow one whole pepper-corn; after

which let it be returned to its mother.—From that time it will become hardy, and fear the cold no more than a hen's chick.—But it must be remembered, that this useful species of fowls are also subject to one particular disorder while they are young, which often carries them off in a few days. When they begin to droop, examine carefully the feathers on the rump, and you will find two or three, whose quill part is filled with blood.—Upon drawing these the chick recovers, and after that requires no other care, than what is commonly bestowed on poultry that range the court yard.

The truth of these assertions is too well known to be denied, and as a convincing proof of the success, it will be sufficient to mention, that three parishes in Sweden have for many years used this method, and gained several hundred pounds by rearing and selling turkeys.

FROM THE LANCASTER JOURNAL.

Somerset, (Pen.) 1st August, 1805.

No. 1.  
Habeas Corpus by the act of assembly. Issued on the 31st July, 1805. Returnable forthwith before Robert Philson, Esquire, an associate Judge of Somerset county; commanding the defendants to bring before him the bodies of twelve negroes, to wit, Berry, Moses, Abraham, John, James, George, William, Benjamin, Henry, Susanna, Hagar, and Susanna; together with the day and cause of their being taken and detained.

ON the above writ the defendants endorsed the following return, viz.

To the honourable judge within named, we the undersigned respectfully return—That we are the agents of Lewis Evans and George Overacre, who are the owners of the negroes within named, though some of them by different names therein stated; which negroes they hold as slaves, and are now brought from the state of Maryland, and are taking on to the Mississippi territory after their masters. The waggons containing household furniture and other goods of the said masters, are on their way to Wheeling, in Virginia, to take boating for said territory, and the evidence of the property in the said negroes is in the possession of the said masters who are now at Wheeling aforesaid as we expect.

So answers (Signed)

JOSEPH KERR, ABRAHAM KELLY.

A large crowd of spectators attended the trial, and manifested great zeal and interest in having the negroes liberated. The counsel for the masters replied upon the exception contained in the eighth section of the act of 1st March 1780, as to “persons passing through, or sojourning in this state, and not becoming resident therein;” but this was over-ruled. The counsel then moved a postponement for ten days, giving security for the appearance of the negroes, until the masters could have time to return from Wheeling (about one hundred miles.) This was also over-ruled, and the twelve negroes discharged by the following order, to wit:

“On motion and argument of Mr. Selby and Mr. Ward for the commonwealth, the within named negroes are discharged from their confinement 31st July, 1805.”

(Signed)

ROBERT PHILSON.

#### DEAFNESS.

Professor Blumeneach states a fact, which must be interesting to all who have the misfortune to be afflicted with defective hearing: “About fifty years ago, a merchant at Clever, named Jorison, who had become almost totally deaf, sitting one day near a parpsichord while one was playing, and having a tobacco pipe in his mouth, the bowl of which rested accidentally against the body of the instrument, he was agreeably and unexpectedly surprised to hear all the tones in the most distinct manner. By a little reflection and practice, he again obtained the use of this valuable sense, which as Bonner says, connects us with the moral world; for he soon learned, by means of a piece of hard wood, one end of which he placed against his teeth, while another person placed the other end in like manner, to keep up a conversation, and to be able to understand the least whisper.”

#### IT SNAWS AWHALES.

IT was at Inverary, Scotland, a disappointed traveller, who had been confined to his inn three or four days by the wet, peevishly exclaimed at his departure, “What does it rain here always?” “Hoot, na,” answered the landlord, with great simplicity, “it snaws awhailes.”

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#### APOLIS:

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**Maryland Gazette.**

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, August 29, 1805.

**FARMERS BANK OF MARYLAND.**

STOCKHOLDERS in the Farmers Bank of Maryland are requested to take notice, that their third payment of five dollars on each share must be made on Saturday the 14th September next, to the President and Directors, for the western shore.

J. MUIR, Pres. F. B.  
Annapolis, August 20, 1805.

**FARMERS BANK.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Books will be opened at Annapolis on the 27th, and continue open on the 28th and 30th September next, for the disposal of 6392 shares in the Farmers Bank of Maryland, being the number not heretofore taken, in the several counties on this shore.

Persons inclining to take shares, will be pleased to observe, that fifteen dollars per share are to be paid, because original subscribers, will have paid three instalments before the above stated 27th September.

By order of the Directors,  
JOHN MUIR, president.

Annapolis, 15th August, 1805.  
N. B. Books will be opened at Easton, on the aforesaid days, for the disposal of shares on the Eastern shore.

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

**ATTENTION THE WHOLE!!**

THE Members composing the Volunteer Companies of Infantry and Artillery, are requested to take notice, that there will be a meeting of said Companies, on SATURDAY NEXT, the 31st inst. at 3 o'clock, P. M. The members are requested to appear in complete uniform, with arms and accoutrements in soldier-like order.

Extract of a letter from John Shaw, Esq; commanding officer of the U. States frigate John Adams, dated

GIBRALTAR, June 15, 1805.

"With pleasure I inform you of my arrival here (after a passage of 30 days,) from New-York. The second day after my leaving Sandy Hook, I unfortunately separated from the gun-boats in a heavy gale from the N. E. to E. accompanied with a thick fog, which lasted three or four days. On the 10th instant, I fell in with No. 10, lieutenant Carty, out from Norfolk 27 days. He reported his boat far exceeded his expectations, and was capable of living in any sea, and that she lay to remarkably well. I found lying to an anchor here gunboats No. 3, lieutenant Maxwell, No. 6, lieutenant Lawrence, and No. 5, lieutenant Harrison, all perfectly well. These boats all exceed the expectations of their officers. No. 2, lieutenant Izard, No. 8, lieutenant Harradan, and No. 9, lieutenant Elbert, failed from this port for Tripoli yesterday morning.

"Letters from commodore Barron, of the 21st April, make no mention of any prospects of peace, and state that he was making active preparations for this summer's siege. He has bought three large schooners, which he has cut down, strengthened and placed bombs on board. The blockade has been kept up the whole winter very rigidly by our Squadron; but the north winds occasionally compelled our fleet to weigh and beat off the shore. The result is that two small cruisers have got out. They have been lately spoke off Corfica, which I presume is their cruising ground.

"Captain Bainbridge, officers and crew, are all well and not harshly treated. I flatter myself, that they will be all liberated this summer, as I am sure every exertion of our officers will be employed to effect this.

"I am employed this morning in mounting the cannon on the boats, with my main yard, and the instant it is done, if the wind will favour, I shall weigh my anchor for Tripoli.

"Captain Stewart failed from hence on the 2d in company with one of our store ships, for Malta.

"P. S. Commodore Barron's health is perfectly restored."

Extract of a letter from an American gentleman at Gibraltar Bay, to his friend in New-York, dated June 16.

"I have the pleasure of informing you that seven of our gun boats have arrived here in 30 days from Sandy Hook. Three of them, including Mr. Izard of Charleston, left this two days ago for Tripoli, all well, and we shall follow them with the remainder to-morrow evening. The Spaniards, it is said, have at Algeiras, on the opposite side of the Bay, three hundred gun-boats and thirty thousand troops, ready to begin the siege of Gibraltar. In the afternoon of yesterday, the Spanish gun-boats got under weigh, and manœuvred a little; which occasioned the garrison at the rock to beat to arms, and lay at quarters during the night. We have no late news from our Squadron. Our consul informs me that ten days ago a brig left this bay laden with powder for the bombardment of Tripoli. The plague rages with much violence at Cadiz and Malaga."

**COMMUNICATED.**

The following extract of a letter from a gentleman belonging to this city, who went from Leghorn to Milan, to be present at the late coronation of Buonaparte, will shew the suspicious temper of that Robber of nations, and the insecurity which the best protected Americans have of their liberty, whilst travelling through any country subject to his will.

[American.]

Milan, June 8, 1805.

"The night preceding the coronation, we had retired to bed sooner than usual, with the intention of rising early the next morning to secure ourselves seats in the Cathedral, to witness the ceremonies of the day.—Soon after midnight, four officers of the French Gens D'Armes, with an officer of the Police, entered our chamber, and, after demanding our Cartis de Senete, which were shewn, informed us they were under the necessity of accompanying us to the Police.—Thus far we went cheerfully, without the least suspicion of what was after to befall us: Arrived at the Police, I was delivered over to one of the keepers, and conducted to a most loathsome prison, where I found for my companions nearly a dozen of vagabond wretches.—Amory's fate was somewhat similar, excepting his company being rather more select.—Two days following our arrest, we were reconducted to our lodgings, our papers taken and sealed, and again returned to confinement. The fourth, fifth, and sixth days we underwent separate examinations, and as I had no papers whatever, that could in the least implicate me, I was informed that I should be released on the following day. For several days after, however, I heard no further of our process, until I was again called and made acquainted with the intention of the French Commandant of Police, to send us both to Paris, to be delivered to the Police there.—Through the interest of a friend, this measure, as it respected me, was relinquished, and to him I am chiefly indebted for my liberation here.—Amory, very unfortunately, had in his possession a letter which treated freely on Buonaparte, and it was owing to this entirely, we were not liberated after the first examination of our papers. In consequence of having this letter, the Police have ordered him to be sent to Paris, for whence he set out this morning, under escort of an officer.—I am perfectly ignorant of the cause of our arrest.—I, however, conjecture, with others, that it was on a suspicion of our being Englishmen, and as such denounced by some spy of the Police."

FROM CADIZ.

Captain Collier arrived here on Friday, in 40 days from Cadiz, corroborates the account published in our last of the arrival of Mr. Bowdoin at Corunna; the capture of Gun-boat No. 3, and her immediate release on discovering her to be an American. He also informs, that two days previous to his sailing, general Moreau and family failed for Philadelphia, in the ship New-York, captain George.

[Bost. Gaz.]

In the Register of Friday last, [copied in the American of Monday] we stated, on authority which we then deemed correct, "that the matters in dispute between the United States and the government of Spain were amicably adjusted."—This information we now believe to be incorrect.—A letter from Cadiz, of the 25th June, to a respectable merchant in this city, says "that the negotiations were broken off, and that the ministers had separated in very ill humour."

[Phil. Pol. Reg.]

**AGRICULTURAL.**

Soaking feed rye in water mixed with plaster of Paris, about 36 hours, or even until it is considerably grown, is practised in some parts of Massachusetts. Justin Ely, Esq; of West-Springfield, a very accurate experimental farmer, is confident, from repeated trials made by himself and his neighbours, that it produces a valuable effect in that quarter. The grain not only comes up some days sooner, which indeed would be the case if soaked in water alone; but it continues to grow with more vigour, and yields a larger crop.

If the sowing season be dry, as it frequently is, and the seed be sown without soaking, that part which happens to be lightly covered, does not vegetate at all; and the rest comes up so late and so weak, as not to get sufficiently rooted before the frost sets in.

The plaster may have, and probably has, properties yet undiscovered, but it is well known to possess two which seem adapted to produce in some degree, the effect here ascribed to it.—It collects moisture, which is essential to vegetation; or if it does not collect moisture, it retains what comes within its sphere of attraction, which may amount to the same thing. It is also a powerful dissolvent, and as such, softens clods so that the tender roots can penetrate; and it may digest food for the roots from various substances, and even aid while necessary, in digesting that which the kernel itself contains; for every seed, like every egg, has within it a deposit of food for its embryo, sufficient to last till supplies can be drawn from other sources. So provident for wants, even before they exist, is that workmanship which the reflecting husbandman constantly admires and adores.

NORFOLK, August 19.

It is said that orders have been received by the commander of the militia of this place, from the governor of the state, to have the militia ready for immediate service. Similar orders were sent to the commander of the militia at Peterburg, in consequence, it is stated, of a communication received by express from the president of the United States.

WILMINGTON, (Del.) August 24.

With the sincerest pleasure we announce, that the celebrated general MOREAU and family, all in good health, have at length arrived. They went up the river yesterday in the ship New-York, capt. George.

**The Knell.**

Departed this life, at Baltimore, on Thursday, the 22d instant, JONATHAN WILMER, Esq; a native of this state, to which he had a few weeks since returned from Charleston, (S. C.) with the fond hope that a removal to purer air would arrest the inroads of a disease which a southern clime had engendered. But, alas, neither his wishes nor those of his friends were realized.—Death had already numbered him a victim among the pale nations of the dead, and cut him off as a proud trophy of his power, to shew how little the most cultivated understanding, or the most amiable qualities of the mind, can avail against his shafts.

**NOTICE.**

THE subscriber once more earnestly and respectfully calls on all persons indebted to him for payments of their respective balances, which, though small in themselves, are, in the aggregate, of great importance to him, and which imperious circumstances render absolutely necessary to enable him to discharge his own engagements, and to support his family. Delinquents must excuse him should he take compulsory measures, which, he assures them, will be resorted to, though with reluctance.

Frederick Green.

Annapolis, May, 1805.

**Public Sale.**

Will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, by order of the orphans court of Prince-George's county, at Mr. John Ramsay Hodges's old mill, near the brick church, on Wednesday the 18th of September next,

ALL the personal estate of CHARITY HODGES, late of said county, deceased, consisting of a number of valuable negroes, among which are, a good rough carpenter, a valuable cook, and a number of boys and girls; three head of good work horses, eight head of young cattle, one feather bed, and some other household furniture. Six months credit will be allowed, on purchasers giving their bonds, with good security. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock.

CHARLES R. HODGES, Administrator.  
August 17, 1805.

**Two Dollars Reward.**

RAN away from the subscriber, an apprentice boy by the name of ELIJAH M'CAULY. Whoever brings home said apprentice shall receive the above reward, paid by

ISAAC BARRY.  
N. B. I forewarn all persons harbouring or carrying off said apprentice at their peril. I. B.

**Lands for Sale.**

THE subscriber will SELL, at private sale, his part of two tracts of LAND, lying on the Head of Severn, called Friendship and What you Please, where Lydia and Sufanna Gambrell now live; also fifty acres, within four miles of said land, all wood-land. A very accommodating credit will be given, on the purchaser giving bond, with approved security.

AUGUSTINE GAMBRILL.

August 14, 1805.

In CHANCERY, August 15, 1805.  
ORDERED, That the sale made by HENRY HURLEY CHAPMAN, as stated in his report, of a tract of land, called, or being, part of Thomas's Choice containing 88 acres, 2 roods, and 15 perches; a tract called Varino, 39 acres, 2 roods, and 27 perches; and a tract called The Union, 10 acres, 2 roods, and 3 perches, all in Charles county, and in the whole 138 acres, 3 roods, and 5 perches, the property of Walter Hanson Harrison, deceased, at 7 dolls. 60 cents per acre, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn before the tenth day of October next, provided a copy of this order be published in the Maryland Gazette before the end of the present month.

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

In CHANCERY, August 14, 1805.  
ORDERED, That the sale made by WILLIAM ALEXANDER, as stated in his report, of two tracts of land, in Anne-Arundel county, the property of John Brown and Robert Davis, deceased, one containing 8, and the other supposed to contain 30 acres, shall be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn before the last day of September next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, at any time during the present month.

The report of the trustee states, that the first tract called Eagle Tower, was sold at 11 dolls. 50 cents per acre, and that the other called The Victory, was sold at 4 dolls. per acre.

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Anne-Arundel county, lct.

WHEREAS JOSEPH M'CENEY, collector  
of the tax for Anne-Arundel county, hath  
this day returned to the commissioners of the tax of  
said county the following list of lands in said county,  
on which there is no personal property to pay the said  
taxes, to wit:

Names of persons; names of land, and amount of tax.  
L. S. D.

George and Edward Calvert, lots in the city of Annapolis,	1	15	3
Benjamin Oden, for Mrs. West, ditto do.	2	5	6
Margaret Pryse, ditto ditto,	0	18	8
John Wells, ditto ditto,	3	1	6
John Welch, shoe-maker, ditto ditto,	5	2	1
John Steele, Baltimore, ditto ditto,	1	0	2
John Bullen, ditto ditto,	0	13	3
Francis Campbell, ditto ditto,	0	18	0
Eleanor Hewitt, ditto ditto,	0	18	2
John Wells, part Todd's Range,	0	5	6
Mary Hesselius, part Young's Inn,	8	1	3
Mark Johnson's heirs, Welton, Ginfwill, and Meek's Rest,	0	5	0
Margaret Sappington, part Grindstone,	0	17	8
Charles Griffith, Hickory Neck, and part Partnership,	5	15	6
Horatio Johnson, land name unknown,	1	15	3
Valentine Brown, part Hebron, and part Bachelors Choice,	0	17	0
Vachel Barnes, part Invasion, and Any Thing,	1	5	6
John Cornelius, Carter's Rocks, and Patapco Mill Seat,	2	1	0
Ely Brown, part Ranter's Ridge, part Brown's Addition, Goodfellowship,	2	8	3
John Brown, of Adam, heirs, part Invasion, part Conclusion, and What's left,	1	9	5
Sarah Brown, part Brown's Prospect,	1	1	2
Luther Martin, Even Downy,	0	8	7
Dennis Griffith, or the heirs of Joshua Griffith, lots in Elk-Ridge Landing,	1	3	5
Charles Ridgely's heirs, lot in ditto,	0	2	0
William Urquhart, lots in ditto,	1	19	10
Samuel Godman's heirs, lots in ditto,	0	8	10
John Hood's heirs, part Invasion, Jafon's Mistake, and Briar Bottom,	1	11	2
John Ahton, Campbell's Chance,	0	19	10
Elizabeth Dickerfon, part 2d Addition to Snowden's Manor, part Warfield's Range,	1	9	9
Samuel Owings, part Neal's Delight,	0	9	8
Samuel Godman, Sampson, Beginning, part Walker's Inheritance, Addition to Sampson, part Meadows, Henderfon's Meadows, Timber Level, Godman's Search, Young's Locust Plains, Addition to Something or Other,	2	18	0
Doctor Samuel Stringer, Pleasant Plains, Croffes Forest, Hobb's Addition, and Stringer's Advantage,	6	12	6
William Smith, Baltimore, part Weedy Glade,	1	0	10
John Walham, part Timber Ridge,	1	11	10
Mary Leatherwood, part Support to Small Quantity,	0	5	10
Stephen Price, part Walker's Inheritance,	0	17	1
Luther Martin, part Indian Lane, Addition to Good for Little,	8	11	6
Richard Shipley, part Stamp Act Repealed,	0	14	0
William Wood, part Forest Range,	0	3	11
Thomas Waters, Woodstock Enlarged,	0	15	5
Hugh Finley, Its to be or not to be,	0	15	4
Talbot Shipley, trustee of George Shipley, part Shipley's Adventure,	1	12	0
Nathan Hammond, executor of Aquila, part Chestnut Hill, and Tarecoat Thickett,	1	4	6
Isaac Pollock, Blooming Plains,	4	1	4
Ephraim Gaither, part Brown's Enlargement,	0	14	6
Jacob Cramblich's heirs, part Walter Worthington's Land,	1	7	5
Philemon Spincer, Shipley's Purchase,	1	2	8
Martin Norris, part Hawkin's Addition, and part Saint-Thomas's Neck,	0	17	1
Thomas Cook, Birkhead's Lot,	1	13	0
William Smith, Miles Chance,	1	1	11
Benjamin Galloway, Taylor's Settlement,	13	9	7
Anne Caton, lots in London-town,	0	4	4
Randolph B. Latimer, lots in ditto,	0	2	3
Jacob Joice, part Jacob's Improved Purchase,	1	17	2
Thomas Sparrier, part Best Success,	0	9	11
William Boyce's heirs, part Holland's Choice,	0	13	3
James Hawkins, part Duncan's Choice, and Murphey's Lot,	0	8	9
Rezin Hawkins, part Murphey's Lot,	0	8	11
Hockley Company, land name unknown, part Yates's Inheritance, and part Howard's Range,	1	5	0
Thomas Mortimer, Timber Neck,	1	19	9

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT unless the county charges aforesaid are paid within thirty days after the publication of this notice, that the said lands, or such parts thereof as will be sufficient to pay the tax and costs thereon, will be sold to the highest bidder, agreeably to the directions of the act of Assembly, entitled, An act for the more effectual collection of the county charges in the several counties of this state.

By order,  
NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.  
August 27, 1805.

Sheriff's Sales.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed out of Anne-Arundel county court, will be EXPOSED at PUBLIC SALE, for cash, on the fourth day of September next, on the premises,  
ONE negro man named Isaac, taken as the property of William Whetcroft to satisfy a debt due Nicholas Z. Maccubbin. 2X  
J. E. TILLY, Sheriff.

August 20, 1805.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed out of Anne-Arundel county court, will be EXPOSED at PUBLIC SALE, for cash, on the seventh day of September next, on the premises,  
ONE brindle bull, one red heifer, one grey mare, and one bay mare, taken as the property of Richard Wheeler, sen. to satisfy a debt due William Wells, for the use of Luke Tiernan. 2X  
J. E. TILLY, Sheriff.

August 20, 1805.

By virtue of two writs of fieri facias, to me directed out of the general court, western shore, state of Maryland, will be SOLD, on the 10th day of September, 1805, at Walter Brooke's dwelling-house,

A TRACT of LAND, called Pinkson Delight, and two negro boys, taken as the property of Walter Brooke, to satisfy a debt due Thomas Contee. The sale for cash. 2  
J. E. TILLY, Sheriff.

August 20, 1805.

A valuable Plantation for Sale.

THE subscriber wishes to sell his handsome, healthy, and highly improved FARM, containing 213½ acres, situate on South river, and but 3½ miles distant from the city of Annapolis; this plantation possesses superior conveniences and advantages, being near a good market, and almost enclosed by two creeks, which furnish in their seasons abundance of wild fowl, fish and oysters; the soil is suited to the cultivation of small grain, corn, and tobacco, and peculiarly adapted to the production of all kinds of vegetables, that will at all times command ready sales, and yield perhaps the greatest profit, with comparatively the least labour. The buildings are all newly built, consisting of a brick dwelling-house, 40 feet by 20, handsomely finished, a brick dairy and smoke house, a corn house, 24 feet by 12, a barn, 44 feet by 24, with sheds to shelter stock, and other necessary and convenient buildings, the whole erected with taste, and covered with cypress shingles. There is a very promising apple orchard, planted 10 years ago, consisting of the best kind of fruit trees, carefully selected, 3 peach orchards that have been particularly attended for 6 years past, and that now produce abundantly all kinds of that delicious fruit, together with a variety of other fruit peculiar to the soil and climate. There is a well of excellent water in a convenient situation. The fencing is chiefly of chefnut post and railing, and in good repair. A further description of this well known farm is thought to be unnecessary. Those wishing to purchase will no doubt view it. The proprietor's terms will be found accommodating; as he is not in want of money, a long credit would be given, on receiving satisfactory security. SETH SWEETSER.  
N. B. Stock of all kinds, and farming utensils, are also for sale. S. S.  
August 21, 1805. 2

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, at Rawlings's tavern, in Anne-Arundel county, on Saturday the 17th instant, a dark mulatto woman named HENNY, about twenty-five years of age, five feet two or three inches high, with a very pleasant countenance when spoken to; had on, when she ran away, a short calico jacket, a black skirt, and a red striped handkerchief around her head; she also carried off a quantity of other cloaths, which I cannot describe. She was purchased of Doctor Scott, of Annapolis, by the subscriber, on Thursday last, and it is presumed she will either be about Annapolis or Baltimore, as she has a number of relations in both places. Any person who will secure her, so that I get her again, shall receive the above reward, and if brought to Rawlings's tavern all reasonable expences paid. JOHN L. DICKINSON.  
All persons, and owners of boats are forewarned from harbouring or carrying off said negro at their peril.

Fifteen Dollars Reward.

RAN away, on Saturday the 17th of August, 1805, a negro lad named ADAM, about eighteen years of age, about five feet two or three inches high, has a dark countenance, and a downcast look, flat nose, and very white teeth, belonging to Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esq; his apparel was, when he made his escape, an over waistcoat and trousers of ticklenburg, his shirt of common osnabrigs, without hat or shoes. Whoever takes up said negro, and secures him in any goal, so that I get him again, shall receive the above reward if out of the county; if taken in the city of Annapolis FIVE DOLLARS; it is likely he has gone to Baltimore, as he has two sisters living there, and no doubt will be harboured by them. I hereby forewarn all masters of vessels from harbouring, or receiving on board their vessels, the said negro Adam. JOHN B. ROBINSON,  
for CHARLES CARROLL, Esquire. 2X

Poet's Corner.

SELECTED.

THE MUCH ADMIR'D SONG,  
"Let him meet his welcome home."

BANISH grief, thou lovely creature,  
See who comes to bring thee peace:  
Joy now sparkling in each feature,  
Bids thy grief-and sorrow cease:  
O'er the rude, the boist'rous ocean,  
He by fate was doom'd to roam—  
Cease, dear Maid, this wild emotion,  
Let him meet his welcome home.

Now from slav'ry come to greet thee,  
Sav'd by fate from Algier's coast—  
See, he flies, sweet Maid, to meet thee,  
Love and constancy his boast;  
Each long night he pass'd in sorrow  
Made him blest each day to come,  
Hope, that on each joyous morn'g,  
He should meet his welcome home.

Banish grief, thou lovely creature,  
See, thy sailor brings thy peace;—  
Know thee not those sun burnt features?  
William bids thy sorrow cease:  
On the rude, the boist'rous ocean,  
He no more shall luckless roam—  
Then, dear Maid, with glad emotion,  
Joyful hail his welcome home.

THE WELCHMAN.

A WELCHMAN, coming late into an inn,  
Asked the maid what meat there was within:  
Cow-beels, she answer'd, and a breast of mutton:  
But, quoth the Welchman, since I am no glutton,  
Either of them shall serve; to-night the breast,  
The heels i'th' morning, then light meat is best.  
At night he took the breast, and did not pay—  
I'th' morning took his heels, and ran away.

EPIGRAM.

On the marriage of Mr. Lamb to Miss Toogood.  
A WOMAN too good! that I'll never believe,  
Was e'er such a thing from the days of old Eve!  
There is I am sure, and I've made her my wife,  
To bless me with comfort the rest of my life.  
Alas! my good friend, your fine scheme will prove  
vain,  
For indeed she will never be too good again.

TRIFLES.

THE Parisian belles wear no ear-rings in the morning, or have them so small as not to be perceived. In the evening, except in very full dress, they wear ear-rings of a large circumference, resembling a serpent in a circle, with an apple in its mouth: So that in looking on a well-sketch'd naked belle, one sees, at the same time, the woman, the serpent and the apple! and cannot avoid exclaiming, "these Parisian dames are the first women of the world!"

AMUSING EXTRACT.

There is a very singular extract in Pliny, which I do not know whether it has ever been tried by the moderns; it is in the 32d book and 5th chapter:  
"Democritus says, let the tongue of a living frog be extracted, without permitting a particle of its other flesh to adhere to it, then throw it into water; after a short time take it out, and lay it on the breast of a woman asleep, on the spot where the palpitation of her heart is perceptible; whatever questions you then propose to her, she will answer to you truly." What an easy and admirable mode is this of discovering the thoughts and affections of the coy, the coquetish, and gallant female? Little do they know the power of this key, which infallibly unlocks all the amorous secrets contained in their breasts! I might have made a fortune by advertising this valuable recipe, which effectually cured the vagaries of the Grecian ladies 2000 years ago. The ladies will be obliged to me, I expect, for putting them on their guard.—Charleston Courier.

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the state of Maryland, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of EZEKIEL JACOB, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 30th day of January next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this thirtieth day of July, 1805. ANNA JACOB, Administratrix.

NOTICE.

A MEETING of the Planters of St. Mary's, Charles, Calvert, Prince-George's, and Anne-Arundel counties, who inspect their crops of tobacco at the warehouses on Patuxent river, is requested at the port of Nottingham, on the second Monday of October next, to take into consideration propositions for forming a Society of Planters out of the aforesaid counties, to protect the planting interest on said river, and to devise ways and means to prevent sacrifices of tobacco in the hands of individuals by forced sales. 2  
August 9, 1805.

### In Council.

ANNAPOLIS, MAY 16, 1805.

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

By order,  
NINIAN PINKNEY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

### By Anne-Arundel County Court, APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

Signed by order,  
NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.  
May 31, 1805. A. A. County Court.

### This is to give notice,

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

RICHARD H. HARWOOD, Administrator.  
July 23, 1805.

By virtue of a writ of *feri facias*, to me directed out of the western shore general court, will be EXPOSED at PUBLIC SALE, for cash, on the second day of September next, on the premises,

ONE tract of land called *Walker's Inheritance*, containing 640 acres; also part of a tract called *Plummer's Pasture*, containing 120 acres, taken as the property of James Walker, and will be sold to satisfy a debt due William Alexander.

JASPER E. TILLY, Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.  
Annapolis, July 29, 1805.

### NOTICE.

I INTEND to apply to the next general assembly of Maryland, for an act of insolvency, to release me from debts which I am unable to pay.

ISAAC PEACH.  
August 13, 1805.

### Sixteen Dollars Reward.

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

GASSAWAY RAWLINGS.

June 17, 1805.

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

### This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the state of Maryland, hath obtained from orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, letters of administration, with the will annexed, on the personal estate of NATHAN WILLIAMS, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 30th day of January next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 30th day of July, 1805.

WILLIAM GRAMBRILL,  
Administrator w. a.

### NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the subscribers for property bought at their sale in July, 1803, and March, 1804, are earnestly requested to make immediate payment, as further indulgence cannot be given. Those who neglect this notice may expect suits will be commenced against them without respect to persons.

JAMES N. WEEMS,  
MARY DISNEY.  
July 30, 1805.

### Tavern for Rent.

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

LUCY BALLEE.

Anne-Arundel county, July 6, 1805.

### Twenty Dollars Reward.

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

JEROME PLUMMER, Trustee for ROBERT WILLIAMS, a lunatic.

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

West river, Anne-Arundel county,  
June 25, 1805.

### This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the state of Maryland, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of JAMES DISNEY, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 30th day of January next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 30th day of July, 1805.

JAMES N. WEEMS, Executor.

### To be RENTED,

For a term of years,

A FARM, on the north side of Severn, lying on the river, containing 428 acres; the fencing encloses the whole, and in good order; chefnut plenty to repair and keep up the same. Two dwelling-houses, out houses, barn, corn house; tobacco house about 60 feet long, and a large range for stock, and a high healthy situation.

JOHN BRICE.  
August 7, 1805.

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