

that valuable plantation which Mr. Robert Jacob has 330 acres, about seven miles, and possesses all the facilities for navigation, fishing, and within one mile of the part of it lies sufficiently easy of cultivation, and a good ground of a superior quality. This land is covered with poplar, walnut, and an abundance of cedar, and is excellent for a corn, and consists of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood. It is necessary to admit of its being a good ground for a corn, and consists of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

and consist of a comfortable two rooms below stairs, a smoke house, &c. and also an eminence, which commands the neighbourhood, also the Chesapeake bay, and the point of beauty equalled elsewhere. The water is fine as any in the neighbourhood.

# MARYLAND GAZETTE.

T H U R S D A Y, M A Y 2, 1805.

Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, May 2, 1805.

From the American Daily Advertiser.

## LAW REPORT.

Circuit Court of the United States, sitting at Philadelphia, April 20, 1805.

IN THE CASE OF

DON JOSEF CABRERA & REMIREZ.

THIS was an application by Don Josef Cabrera and Remirez for a discharge under the Habeas Corpus act. The circumstances of this very extraordinary case are as follow:—In August last a check for 300 dollars, drawn in the name of the Marquis d'Yrujo, his majesty the king of Spain's ambassador near the United States, was presented by a black man at the Bank of Pennsylvania, and appeared on inspection to be a forgery. The man, on interrogation, said he had brought the check, by the order of a gentleman, to whom he conducted a messenger from the bank. The gentleman proved to be Mr. Cabrera; two checks, one for 1000 dollars, and the other for 600 dollars, had been presented previously to this development, and as they were palpably forged their amount had been refused by the bank to the Spanish minister. The attention of the bank had of course been called to this subject, with a view to detect the person guilty of the fraud. Don Cabrera totally denied the accusation, and said he had received the checks from a Frenchman, who, as it has since appeared, was not in America at the time. The bank addressed a letter to the governor, apprising him of the circumstances as they had occurred. The governor had applied to the Spanish minister, and he requested of the governor a warrant to confine Mr. Cabrera in the debtor's apartment of the prison, till he should learn the pleasure of the king his master respecting him. Soon after Mr. Cabrera wrote to the minister, protesting his innocence and offering to waive his privilege, in order that he might obtain a speedy trial before the state court. Upon the communication of this request of Don Cabrera's by the minister to the governor, regular process was issued against the prisoner by the attorney-general, a bill presented and found by the grand jury for forgery, and bail demanded in 2000 dollars. Don Cabrera not being able to procure this bail, was obliged to remain under confinement. He then desired that he might be sent home, to be tried by the laws of his own country; in pursuance of which the minister applied to the governor, and he directed the attorney-general to enter a *nolle prosequi* on the bill found against him. Don Cabrera applied to the secretary of state for the interference of the government of the United States; but it does not appear that any steps were taken to promote his discharge. Under these circumstances an application was made to the circuit court for Don Cabrera's enlargement; the application was made by Mr. S. Levy, supported by Mr. Heatley.

The attorney-general (McKean) stated that the court had no jurisdiction, and that the affair was entirely between Mr. Cabrera and the Spanish government, for whose orders the minister must wait.

Mr. Ingersoll on behalf of the bank, stated, that they were to be considered as having no interest whatever in the application, either for or against.

Mr. S. Levy went into an argument of great length, to shew that the prisoner was entitled to the benefit of the Habeas Corpus act, and that this court had power and jurisdiction to dispense that benefit. He read a paper purporting to be a letter of advice from the secretary for foreign affairs of the kingdom of Spain, Don Pedro Cevallos, to Don Josef Cabrera and Remirez, the directions of which were that he should come to the United States, with a salary of 12000 rials (about 1000 dollars) and an outfit in the like sum, in order that he might inform himself in the customs, politics and laws of this country, and forward testimonials of his acquaintance with these matters—and also directing him to assist at the office of secretary of legation, to which he was to be attached. Mr. Levy likewise read a commission giving him the grade of captain in the provincial militia of Spain, and declaring his appointment to be as attached to the office of secretary of legation in the United States, together with a passport which recognized his character as secretary—a certificate from the Spanish minister was read, in which Don Cabrera was styled gentleman ambassador adjunct to the secretary of legation, and said to be entitled to the benefit of the laws of nations.

\* Don Cabrera appeared at the bar in a full suit of regiments, sword, &c.

The district attorney (Dallas) read a letter he had received on this subject from the secretary of state, which stated that Don Cabrera had been received in an official capacity by our government—and Mr. Dallas further said, that the secretaryship of legation had been an office since Mr. Yrujo's coming to this country, and filled by two persons.

With these proofs of his official situation, independent of the minister of his nation, the prisoner's counsel contended that he was committed without authority and in violation of the laws of nations, and that this court had jurisdiction and would liberate him. Many authorities were adduced to shew the high and indefeasible privileges of the public representatives of one foreign state to another. On the other hand the 14th section of the United States judiciary bill was referred to: it is in these words—"Provided that writs of Habeas Corpus shall in no case extend to prisoners in gaol, unless where they are in custody, under or by colour of the authority of the United States, or are committed for trial before some court of the same, or are necessary to be brought into court to testify;" within neither of which cases, it was said, did Mr. Cabrera come, he being confined at the instance of the minister of his country, to await the sentence of his own government.

The court said, it was a case of considerable consequence, they would hold it under advisement till Monday.

MONDAY, April 22. Don Cabrera being brought to the bar, the judges proceeded to deliver their opinions.

His honour judge Peters took an extensive and accurate view of the subject, in the course of which he observed, that though the power of congress to legislate on it was undoubted, they had never exercised that power; that the sections of the laws relied on for the application did not comprehend the case; that no provision had been made for the present case; that the circuit court only have jurisdiction if process had been issued out of that court; that this case could not be brought within the purview of the 14th section of the judiciary bill, which on the contrary was exclusive of it—and that his opinion was, the prisoner could obtain no redress in this court.

His honour judge Washington, observed, that there was no occasion to examine into the authority by which Don Cabrera was in confinement, till the jurisdiction of this court to relieve him should be ascertained—that the documents produced shewed the prisoner to be in commission from his nation, and subject to the laws of nations—that the natural tribunal for such an application as the present was that where in process was depending, which could not be urged as the case here; that the 13th section of the judiciary bill was not applicable, but that the 14th was, for it took the prisoner out of the circuit court's power; that however he might be of opinion that congress should have occupied the whole ground allowed them by the constitution, it was not his sentiment that it was the part of an American judge to enlarge his jurisdiction, his powers being limited; and he concluded that the prisoner must be remanded.

Don Cabrera having obtained permission to speak to the court, a person who appeared to be an interpreter, read a paper nearly to the following effect:

When the king, my master, conferred on me the commissions I have the honour to hold, he exempted me from every jurisdiction whatever but his own. If the governor of this state, violating the most sacred privileges, has taken on himself to imprison me, there must be some power somewhere to protect me. Where shall I find it?—Shall I pass from court to court, suffering affronts and insults? The nations of Europe will hear with astonishment that the public minister of a crowned head has been eight months in imprisonment in republican America. I declare, then, that I proclaim myself FREE, and that if violence be exercised against me, I shall defend my privileges at the expense of my life.

Here the reading was interrupted by judge Peters, who said that he could not sit and hear the peace threatened, and that if the prisoner had any thing to say which his counsel approved of, he would hear it.—As, however judge Washington said he had no objection to hearing him, judge Peters consented to his going on. The interpreter then read—

I shall prove in this manner, I am worthy the character with which the king, my Master, has honoured me.

The Prisoner was remanded.

The court of appeals, says the Richmond Inquirer, lately decided, that no inhabitant of the British dominions, who was born before the American revolution, can inherit real property in this country, accruing since the revolution.

Boston, April 19.

FROM LISBON—March 13.

Yesterday arrived ship Victory, capt. Signal, in 34 days from Lisbon.—There were no preparations for war on the part of the Portuguese, and it was presumed they would do every thing which circumstances would permit to avoid a rupture with the British. There was no intelligence of the sailing of any men of war from the Spanish ports, nor of any attack on Gibraltar. Cadiz remained in a state of blockade. A report was current that the Brest fleet, crowded with troops, had got to sea.—The Prince of Wales Packet from England for Lisbon, had been taken by a French cruiser. A convoy had arrived at Lisbon from London and performing quarantine—their passage was said to be about eleven days.

Flour at Lisbon, 16 dollars—corn 117 cents—slaves per M. 100 dollars.

April 23.

We hear from Middleborough, that the wife of the rev. DAVID GIRNEY, being in the 48th year of her age, was delivered of her first child (a daughter) on the 12th ult.—after living in a married state more than seventeen years.

NEW-YORK, April 23.

Yesterday morning the frigate John Adams dropped down to the watering place, with 490 men on board, where we understand, she hourly expects orders to proceed for the Mediterranean. The gun boats lately built here, and some others, are probably to accompany her.—With this reinforcement our Squadron will be enabled, we hope, to make a vigorous attack on the Tripolitan power, and before the ensuing summer passes away, reduce the haughty foe to terms honourable to a gallant navy, and a free people.

April 24.

Besides the gun boats lately constructed in our ports, we understand four bomb brigs are building, each to carry two 15 inch mortars, to be ready by the 1st of June, to proceed to the Mediterranean. For a complete charge of one of these mortars 30 pounds of powder is necessary—and it is understood they can throw shells into the enemy's fortifications from such a distance as renders them safe from his fire.

The gun boats which are about to sail will row 30 sweeps, and besides carrying two 32 pounders, are also to carry each four 6 inch howitzers, and 30 blunderbusses. No. 6 and 7, built in this port, have received sailing orders, and No. 3, built in Philadelphia, has orders to join them, and sail in company.

We are informed that the ship Galen has arrived at Boston, from London, and that she spoke admiral Cochrane's fleet, consisting of six sail of the line and some frigates, in pursuit of the French Squadron.

April 25.

In this day's Gazette we present our readers with a few extracts from Paris papers to the 4th ult.

We learn by a gentleman who came out in the Ambition, that his Imperial Majesty, is extremely unpopular in France.—His conduct is deprecated in the severest terms, by every well informed gentleman in that country.

Markets were good—all kinds of West-India produce was high and in demand.

We learn by one of the passengers in the Ambition, that Mons. Chape, the famous Inventor and Director of the Telegraphs in France, shot himself a few days before they sailed. He left a letter directed to his family connexions, informing them, that the only reason for this act of suicide, was because he was tired of living!

PARIS, March 1.

The Toulon fleet put to sea on the 15th January, with ten thousand troops on board, commanded by general Lauriston; but meeting with strong easterly winds, were compelled to return into port again, after having been out four days. A ship of the line and three frigates had separated from the squadron. La Cornetie, which had put into Genoa, and the ship of the line, which had put into Ajaccio, are already returned to Toulon. The two frigates, L'Hortense and L'Incorruptible, have been still more fortunate—they have fallen in with an English convoy of 40 sail, escorted by two large sloops of war, which, in order to protect the convoy, kept back to engage the two French frigates, which had been in pursuit of them the whole day of February 2d; and it was not until the 3d at day break that the engagement began.

The Incorruptible engaged within pistol shot the largest of the sloops of war and the Hortense the other. In about an hour and a quarter the first struck her colours, and was taken possession of; but she made so much water that captain Billiet was obliged to take out the crew, amounting to 150 men, and wounded to the number of 30; the prize sunk shortly after. She had 23 men killed in the action; was a ship of a particular construction, very advantageous for sailing; mounted 32 carronades of 32 pounds. The Incorruptible had one man killed and five



wounded. The Hortense meanwhile, after a short resistance, took and sunk the other vessel of war, which proved to be a bombard ship carrying two mortars and heavy artillery. The two frigates then separated, and made for the convoy which was sailing in different directions. The Incomptible sunk, among others, several vessels loaded with artillery from Malta. The Hortense on her part has done the same; and the Incomptible having lost sight of her, and being incumbered with prisoners, was obliged to make port, and entered Carthage on the 6th February, to land them.

April 26.

London dates to the 9th of March have been received by the Oliver Elsworth, in 40 days from Liverpool—a few extracts follow.

LONDON, March 6.

Government have, we understand, received intelligence that an unusual degree of activity has lately prevailed in the Dutch ports; and it is also reported that Buonaparte was last week at Boulogne. If Buonaparte has seriously determined to make an attempt upon this country, we think it probable that it will be made soon, because from the disposition manifested by some of the great Continental powers, it is not very likely that he will be able long to keep so large a portion of his military force on the opposite coast of France. We confess that we should almost regret any division on the Continent that would prevent the Uurper from making his long threatened attack upon this country; because we should feel no uneasiness as to the result of such an attempt; and we should be happy to have an opportunity of proving beyond all possibility of doubt, that Great-Britain is fully able to contend single handed with France.

March 7.

Letters from Madrid, of the 24th of January, states that several privateers have put to sea to cruise against the English. Several small vessels have been sent to Majorca and Minorca with troops and ammunition. About 3000 people were carried off at Alicant by the late fever.

March 8.

We are sorry to announce that his majesty's ship Arrow and a bomb vessel, with 25 sail out of 30, which were under convoy of the former, bound from Malta to Gibraltar, were taken off Toulon by two French frigates. This intelligence was brought by the Lively, of Jersey, which arrived yesterday at Portsmouth. It is not improbable that these frigates belonged to the Toulon squadron, which is said to have failed from that port sometime ago.

A letter from Lyons, dated January 30th, says, that Port Mahon and the island of Majorca have been captured by the British, and that the Toulon squadron, on learning this intelligence returned into port. The squadron is said to have been bound to Minorca, with troops and stores.

March 9.

The channel fleet got under weigh from Torbay on Thursday with a favourable breeze at south east. It consisted of sixteen sail of the line, four frigates, and three cutters. It passed Plymouth the same evening on its course for Brest.

Accounts were yesterday received from our fleet off Ferrol, which state that five large ships with troops on board, and two smaller vessels, had been seen in lat. 40, and long. 16, standing to the S. W. supposed to be steering a course for the West-Indies. The same accounts add that the French squadron in Ferrol was ready for a start, and it was supposed they would attempt to get out while the long nights lasted. Our squadron, of course, was proportionably vigilant. Four Spanish ships were fitting out in the harbour of Ferrol, but they were in total want of stores, from the French having robbed them of every thing for the equipment of their own ships.

PHILADELPHIA, April 26.

LOSS OF THE SHIP CHINA.

As we suspected, yesterday brought us a certainty of the fate of the ship China, captain M'Pherson, from Batavia, from whom three or four pilot boats, arrived yesterday morning, with some of the officers, most of the people, and about 700 bags of coffee, which, we are told, is all that is like to be saved. From one of the officers we have the following:—

The ship sailed from Batavia the 9th of December with a cargo of sugar and coffee, worth not less than 500,000 dollars.—On Sunday, the 21st instant, they took a pilot on board, and at eleven o'clock that night she struck on the Five Fathom Bank, about five leagues from our capes—the boom carried away her rudder; towards morning she drifted off, and let go an anchor, but when hoisting the anchor it broke, and the wind coming on at N. W. she drove on the bank again, where, about three o'clock on Monday, she bilged, and soon had six or seven feet water in her hold; by this time they had several pilot boats along side, when they removed whatever they could of their baggage and cargo, to the amount of about 700 bags of coffee, on board the pilot boats—She was got off no less than three times, and as often drove on again, when, it coming on to blow a gale on Wednesday morning, the pilot boats, with the crew, were obliged to leave her. A person who was in the last boat that left her on Wednesday at twelve o'clock, says, she was then off and drifting towards the main. By the account of this person, it is not improbable her sails, rigging and some other matters, may be saved, should the weather continue moderate.

The United States have been unfortunate in the loss of ships from Batavia in the last season; this being the fourth within six or eight months, viz. the Samuel Smith and Canton, of and for Baltimore; the

Maryland, for New-York, and the China, of and for this port. To these we may add also the capture of the Manhattan, for New-York, taken by the British, as a loss in part, for should she be cleared, the detention and expenses will no doubt be very heavy.—It is conjectured that the loss sustained by those concerned in the above five vessels will be little short of two millions of dollars, and to the revenue of the United States, had they arrived safe, they would have added between 2 and 300,000 dollars.

Accounts from New Orleans to the 4th of April, are received by the brig Lion, captain Donovan, arrived this morning. Papers to that date contain nothing new. Our correspondent informs, "the Louisiana bank went into operation this day. The cashier of the branch bank of the United States has arrived, and purchased a house for the institution. An insurance company, with a capital of 200,000 dollars, is now opened for subscriptions in this city."

ALEXANDRIA, April 23.

Arrived on Saturday, schooner Young Lion, capt. Dangerfield, in 28 days from Jamaica.

When captain Dangerfield left Jamaica on the 23d March, it was not known that any additional force had arrived from France, other than the first fleet; which alone caused considerable alarm, there being but one ship of war there; all others were called in from their respective stations, to concentrate their force against the approaching danger.

The Young Lion had captain Hammond put on board him by the captain of a small French privateer, whose vessel had been taken on her passage from Jamaica to New-York.

Arrived on Saturday, brig John, captain Martin, in 20 days from Jamaica, (performing his voyage in and out in the very short space of 44 days.)

Captain Martin failed 8 days after the Young Lion, and might be expected to bring something of moment; he however but confirms the supposition, that the Toulon fleet is not in those seas.

By captain Yearly late of the schooner Perseverance, of Baltimore, who came passenger in the John, we have been obligingly favoured with Kingston papers as late as the 29th ult. they contain accounts of the arrival at Barbadoes of the Cork fleet, one hundred and twenty sail.

Our papers by the John are comparatively barren, not a word about the taking of any neighbouring island, or any great preparation for the defence of their own. By the following extract from one of the latest dates, we are led to believe the island of Jamaica was never so inviting a bate for the eye of an enemy as at this juncture.

"The military at this side cannot be too much on the alert, for what under Heaven at present is to prevent their fleet anchoring at night in Cow-Bay and throwing 3 or 4000 troops ashore, where a few hours march would take them to the city of Kingston, if not properly opposed.

"Castle and Rock Forts, the only two posts that could stop them, have been for many years totally useless, for want of the requisite repairs, and no time should be lost in placing them in a state of defence."

In the Cork fleet arrived at Barbadoes, were 11 transports with troops, which will no doubt be a seasonable relief.

April 26.

Arrived this morning, brig George, captain Lamphier, direct from Barbadoes, in 31 days.—By this vessel it is in our power to contradict the report of the destruction of the Cork fleet; for antecedent to her leaving there not more than 30 sail were in port, the remainder having sailed to their different ports of destination, but then, a report was afloat of their having fallen in with the French fleet, and were captured.

The English were fitting out an expedition against Martinique, as the best policy they could pursue. The town of Barbadoes was in a distressed situation; business at a stand, and the inhabitants moving into the country, for safety.

A vessel brought a report to Trinidad, that five sail of the line were anchored off Tobago, but whether French or English was not known. The Brothers Return was embargoed 30 days in consequence of the arrival of the French fleet. No other news.

NEW-YORK, April 26.

By the ship Ambition, we have received Paris papers to the 4th of March, we have not learnt whether they contain any news. The following we received from a passenger.

"IMPERIAL DECREE.

"It is ordered to the minister of justice to make prohibition to any officer or authority created by laws for receiving the civil acts, to receive upon their register an act of a pretended marriage contracted by M. Jerome Buonaparte, in the United States of America or elsewhere—the said marriage having been made contrary to the laws of France and the will of Madame Buonaparte, the mother of Mr. Jerome Buonaparte."

Extract of a letter from Marietta, dated March 8.

"We have lately experienced, at this place, the greatest flood in the rivers which has been witnessed since the settlement of this country. Immense damage has been sustained. Mills, bridges, houses, fences, &c. have been swept away before the irresistible flood. The greater part of the town of Marietta has been inundated; the water in the streets has been from two to ten feet deep; some houses have been entirely deserted; in others people have lived in their chambers. The hardships and dangers people have endured are inconceivable. The damages in Marietta are estimated at 10,000 dollars."

## Laws of the Union.

An ACT to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of building gun-boats.

BE it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America, in congress assembled, That the sum of sixty thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of enabling the president to cause to be built, a number of gun-boats, not exceeding twenty-five, for the better protection of the ports and harbours of the United States.

[Approved and Signed, March 2, 1805.]

An ACT to provide for the accommodation of the president of the United States.

BE it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America, in congress assembled, That the president of the United States be, and he is hereby authorized to cause to be sold, such part of the furniture and equipage belonging to his household, as may be decayed and out of repair; and that the sum of fourteen thousand dollars, together with the proceeds of such sales, be appropriated for the accommodation of the household of the president of the United States, to be laid out at his discretion, and under his direction.

[Approved and Signed, March 3, 1805.]

From the Encyclopedia.

A method to preserve fruit trees in blossom from the effects of frost.

The chevalier de Bierenberg, of Prague, we are told, has discovered a method of effectually preserving trees in blossom from the fatal effects of those frosts which sometimes in the spring destroy the most promising hopes of a plentiful crop of fruit. This method is extremely simple. He surrounds the trunks of the trees in blossom with a wisp of straw or hemp. The end of this he sinks, by means of a stone tied to it, in a vessel of spring water, at a little distance from the tree. One vessel will conveniently serve two trees; or the cord may be lengthened so as to surround several, before its end is plunged into the water.

It is necessary that the vessel be placed in an open situation, and by no means shaded by the branches of the neighbouring trees, that the frost may produce all its effects on the water, by means of the cord communicating with it. This precaution is particularly necessary for those trees the flowers of which appear nearly at the same time as their leaves; which trees are peculiarly exposed to the ravages of the frost.

The proofs of its efficacy, which he had an opportunity of observing in the spring of 1787 were remarkably striking. Seven apricot espaliers in his garden began to blossom in the month of March. Fearing that they would suffer from the late frosts, he surrounded them with cords as above directed. In effect, pretty sharp frosts took place six or eight nights; the apricot trees in the neighbouring gardens were all frozen, and none of them produced any fruit, whilst each of the chevalier's produced fruit in abundance, which came to the greatest perfection.

From Deane's Husbandry.

TRANSPLANTING TREES.

In transplanting trees, the largest roots must of necessity be shortened, and the small fibrous roots should mostly be cut off. Therefore to balance the loss of nourishment by the roots, when the head is large, a proportionable part of the limbs should be taken away. The trees may be transplanted in spring or autumn. I have generally had the best success in the spring, and rather prefer that season. I do it at the time when the buds are just beginning to open into leaves. The holes should be made so broad as to allow the roots to have their natural situation. And if dead earth be thrown out, rich earth from the surface should supply the place. If the earth be not rich, a little old dung may be mixed with it. But dung unmixed may be hurtful. Trees are sometimes killed by having dung heaps lying near to their roots, which shews that they ought to be dunged sparingly, and with caution.

In 400 towns in Massachusetts, the votes for governor stand as follow:

STRONG,	34,216
SULLIVAN,	32,060

Federal majority, 2,156

There are but a few more towns to be heard from; they will probably increase Strong's majority.

[Con. Gazette.]

Letters from Hayti, state, that general Desfaines was, on the 21st March, besieging the city of St. Domingo.

## The Knell.

DIED, in England, Sir GREGORY TURNER; 33,400 guineas were found in his exchequer and chest. He left 310,000l. in funded property, and landed estate which produced 24,000l. pr. ann.

—, In Scotland, the celebrated Dr. ROBINSON, author of the "Proofs of a Conspiracy," against the Christian Religion.

—, DR. WILLIAM BUCHAN, author of several very useful medical books.

—, At Baltimore, on Sunday evening last, Mrs. LOUISA HARVEY TILDEN, wife of Doctor TILDEN, of Kent county, Maryland, and third daughter of Samuel Harvey Howard, Esq; of this city.

From Baltimore paper

FRENCH AND

Captain Loud, arrived St. Croix, informs, that 39, long. 66, 41, he, line, and two brigs, the 7th saw the same, which course they, Loud could not ascertain them to be English.

A letter has been Cochrane, commanding the French fleet in t of March, at sea, wh badoes, on his way to

Our accounts from of Hayti are down to total silence of the fleet, renders it very direction for France.

Captain Roffeter, at Philadelphia from of April, in lat. 13, British ship Spartiate of admiral Cochrane formed, consisted of The Spartiate was th

Anne-Ar

ON application court, by per Grammer, of said c act for the relief o at November session the terms mentioned property, and a lift as he can ascertain being annexed to court being satisfied the said Gottlieb J preceding years pri within the state of J. Grammer, at the aforeaid, having p sent, in writing, o due to them the due by him at the thereupon adjudged that the said Gottlieb of this order to be once a week for six ty-fourth day of J ditors to appear b court-house of An in the forenoon of next, for the purp their benefit, on t and there taking for delivering up h Signed b

April 22, 1805

Anne-Ar

THOMAS Anne-Ar tition, in writing, praying the benef solvent debtors, p hundred and four, a list of credito required, being a said Thomas Fol process for a deb act, and having p court, that he h the two last years It is thereupon a Thomas Folks a court-house of A fourth day of Ju said court the aff two thirds of the such interrogate his creditors, an by appointed the recommend a tru said Thomas Fol this order, by c the Maryland Ga cessive weeks. Signed

April 22, 1805

A HEALTH

25 years the keeper of the February 26,



# Union.

n of money for the pur-  
gun-boats.

ate and house of repre-  
es of America, in con-  
m of sixty thousand d.  
by appropriated, to be  
the treasury, not other-  
pose of enabling the pre-  
a number of gun-boats,  
or the better protection  
the United States.  
March 2, 1805.]

ccommodation of the pre-  
ited States.

ate and house of repre-  
es of America, in congre-  
nt of the United States  
sified to cause to be sold,  
and equipage belonging to  
ecayed and out of repair;  
n thousand dollars, toge-  
ch sales, be appropriated  
he household of the presi-  
to be laid out at his dis-  
tion.  
d, March 3, 1805.]

yclopedia.

rees in blossom from the  
f frost.

berg, of Prague, we are  
od of effectually preferring  
fatal effects of those frosts  
bring destroy the most pro-  
crop of fruit. This mo-

He surrounds the trunk  
h a wisp of straw or hemp,  
by means of a stone tied to  
water, at a little distance  
el will conveniently serve  
may be lengthened so as to  
its end is plunged into the

essel be placed in an open  
s shaded by the branches of  
at the frost may produce all  
y means of the cord com-  
precaution is particularly  
the flowers of which appear  
as their leaves; which trees  
the ravages of the frost.

ncy, which he had an oppor-  
the spring of 1787 were re-  
n apricot espaliers in his gar-  
the month of March. Fear-  
er from the late frosts, he sur-  
ds as above directed. In el-  
ook place six or eight nights;  
neighbouring gardens were all  
m produced any fruit, whilst  
produced fruit in abundance,  
est perfection.

ne's Husbandry.

ANTING TREES.

y, the largest roots must of ne-  
the small fibrous roots should  
herefore to balance the lots of  
ots, when the head is large, a  
he limbs should be taken away.  
planted in spring or autumn.  
the belt succeeds in the spring,  
season. I do it at the time  
beginning to open into leaves.  
made so broad as to allow the  
natural situation. And if dead  
rich earth from the surface  
If the earth be not rich, a  
mixed with it. But dung un-  
l. Trees are sometimes killed  
lying near to their roots, which  
to be dunged sparingly, and

Massachusetts, the votes for go-

34,216  
32,060

majority, 2,156  
y more towns to be heard from;  
reafe Strong's majority.  
[Con. Gazette.]

i, state, that general Deslaines  
arch, besieging the city of St.

he Knell.

nd, Sir GREGORY TURNER;  
found in his efcetreire and chest.  
in funded property, and landed  
24,000l. pr. ann.  
the celebrated DR. ROBINSON,  
fs of a Conspiracy," against the

AM BUCHAN, author of several  
books.

re, on Sunday evening last, Mrs.  
ILDEN, wife of Doctor TILDER,  
Maryland, and third daughter of  
ard, Esq; of this city.

## Postscript.

From Baltimore papers received by Wednesday's Packet.

### FRENCH AND ENGLISH FLEETS.

BOSTON, April 25.  
Captain Loud, arrived yesterday, in 21 days from  
St. Croix, informs, that on the 5th April, in lat. 20,  
39, long. 66, 41, he saw a fleet of 8 ships of the  
line, and two brigs, standing to the eastward; and on  
the 7th saw the same fleet standing to the northward,  
which course they continued the whole day. Capt.  
Loud could not ascertain who they were, but presum-  
ed them to be English.

NEW-YORK, April 27.

A letter has been received, in town from admiral  
Cochrane, commander of the Squadron in pursuit of  
the French fleet in the West-Indies, dated the 30th  
of March, at sea, when he was 240 leagues from Bar-  
badoes, on his way to the West-Indies.

PHILADELPHIA, April 29.

Our accounts from the different ports in the Island  
of Hayti are down to the 4th and 5th instant. The  
total silence of these on the subject of the French  
fleet, renders it very probable that it has taken its  
direction for France.

BALTIMORE, April 30.

Captain Rossiter, of the ship China Packet, arrived  
at Philadelphia from Canton, reports, that on the 2d  
of April, in lat. 13, long. 48, he was boarded by the  
British ship Spartiate, capt. Laforey, of 74 guns, one  
of admiral Cochrane's Squadron, (which he was in-  
formed, consisted of 13 sail,) bound to Barbadoes.—  
The Spartiate was the only ship in sight.

### Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.

A. A. County court.

April 22, 1805.

### Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

THOMAS FOLKS, an insolvent debtor of  
Anne-Arundel county, having applied by pe-  
tition, in writing, to Anne-Arundel county court,  
praying the benefit of an act for the benefit of in-  
solvent 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 Thomas Folks being under an arrest upon mesne  
process for a debt 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  
Thomas Folks appear before the said court, at the  
court-house of Anne-Arundel county, on the twenty-  
fourth day of July 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 propoed to him by  
his creditors, and that the said day be and it is here-  
by appointed the time for said creditors to appear and  
recommend a trustee for their benefit, and that the  
said Thomas Folks 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 six suc-  
cessive weeks.

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.

A. A. County Court.

April 22, 1805.

### FOR SALE.

A HEALTHY NEGRO MAN, aged about  
25 years, now in Annapolis gaol. Apply to  
the keeper of the gaol.  
February 26, 1805.

## LAND FOR SALE.

Pursuant to the last will of JOSHUA DORSEY, sen-  
late of Elk-Ridge, deceased, and agreeably to the  
decree of the honourable the Chancellor of Mary-  
land of June last, will be sold, at public sale, on  
the premises, on the sixth of June next,

THE tract of LAND called LOCUST THICKET,  
situated on Elk-Ridge, Anne-Arundel county,  
Maryland, containing about 500 acres. This land is  
one and a half miles from Spurrier's tavern, on the  
post road from Baltimore to the city of Washington.  
There are several merchant mills within a few miles  
of this farm. This land is well adapted to Indian  
corn, wheat, rye, and tobacco; it is divided into six  
fields, under good fencing, and conveniently watered,  
with good springs and streams of water. There is a  
tolerable good mill feat on this land; a good propor-  
tion of meadow now in grass, and more can easily be  
made; there is a sufficiency of woodland to support  
this farm. The improvements are, a comfortable  
dwelling-house, kitchen, smoke house, corn house,  
barn, stables, and other necessary buildings; an ap-  
ple orchard of good fruit, and a variety of other fruit  
trees. The terms of sale are, twelve months credit,  
the purchaser or purchasers giving bond, with interest  
from the day of sale, with approved security for the  
purchase money, to the subscriber. Any person call-  
ing on Mr. JOHN SHIPLEY, near the premises, can  
be shown the above mentioned land. There will be  
an accurate plot exhibited at the day of sale. When  
the purchase money is paid there will be a good and  
sufficient deed executed by the subscriber. The sale  
to begin at 12 o'clock. Immediate possession will be  
given.

GEORGE DORSEY, Trustee.

Mr. Green, of Annapolis, Mr. Hamilton,  
of Lancaster, and Mr. Edie, of York, are request-  
ed to publish the above advertisement six times, and  
forward their accounts to Yundt and Brown.  
April 23, 1805.

## LANDS FOR SALE.

In pursuance of a decree of the High Court of Chan-  
cery of this State, will be exposed to public sale,  
on Monday the tenth day of June next, if fair, if  
not, the first fair day thereafter, at the house of  
Mr. JOSEPH EDWARDS, in Chaptico, Saint-Mary's  
county,

THE following tracts or parcels of LAND, late  
the property of TOWNSHEND EDEN, deceased,  
& lying in Saint-Mary's county, to wit: Two separate  
parts of Bashford Manor, one of which lies on Chap-  
tico bay, is supposed to contain 270 acres, and is  
well improved; the other within one mile of Wicco-  
mico river, and supposed to contain upwards of 200  
acres; Cole's Adventure, and part of Neale's Lot  
Resurveyed, lie in the Forest, and are chiefly in  
woods.

These lands, or as much thereof as will produce  
the sum of seven hundred and fifty pounds, will be  
sold on the following terms: The purchaser to give  
bond, with good and sufficient security, to pay one  
half the purchase money, and interest, within one  
year from the time of sale, and the residue, and in-  
terest thereon, within two years from the time of sale,  
to be ratified and approved by the chancellor; and  
conveyances in fee-simple for the said property, for  
all the estate, right, title and interest, in said lands,  
which was in Townshend Eden, and now in James  
Eden, which hath descended to him from Townshend  
Eden, his father, will be made to the respective pur-  
chasers, on payment of the purchase money, and not  
before.

A more particular description of the lands, with  
their advantages and incumbrances, will be detailed  
at the time and place of sale. The subscriber will  
show the lands at any time previous to the day of sale  
to any person inclinable to become a purchaser.

WILLIAM MUIR, Trustee  
for the sale of said lands.

## NOTICE.

WHEREAS my wife, ELIZABETH GREEN,  
hath eloped from my bed and board, for two  
years and upwards, and is doing me great injury, by  
having suits brought against me at law, the costs of  
which I am unjustly called upon to pay, therefore, to  
put a stop to any further use of my name by the said  
Elizabeth Green, I hereby forewarn all persons from  
dealing with her, or crediting her in my name, as I  
am determined to pay no debts of her contracting,  
nor be answerable for any of her proceedings from  
the date hereof.

LANCELOT GREEN.

Anne-Arundel county, May 2, 1805.

## Forty Dollars Reward.

RAN away, on the 14th of last month, from the  
plantation of JOHN WORTHINGTON, near An-  
napolis, a negro woman named CILLA, about four  
feet two inches high, of a small delicate shape, about  
forty-five years old; had on and took with her, a  
striped country cloth petticoat, white country cloth  
jacket, of nabrig shifts, negro shoes, yarn stockings,  
and a red flowered calico gown; she may have other  
cloaths that are unknown to the subscriber. Who-  
ever takes up and secures said woman, so that her  
master gets her again, shall receive three dollars re-  
ward, if taken above ten miles from home five dollars,  
if fifteen miles ten dollars, if twenty miles fifteen dol-  
lars, if out of the county twenty dollars, and if  
taken out of the State the above reward, including  
what the law allows, paid by

WALTER FAIRBANK, Manager.

May 1, 1805.

## Poet's Corner.

### SELECTED.

To CHLOE, as she curl'd her hair.

WHAT poet can rail at the beauties of art,  
Since Chloe has frizzled her hair?  
Let him look at the ringlets that dangle and part  
O'er the arch-hazel eyes of the fair;  
Those locks that would quickly entwine round his soul,  
Dame nature would fain have as strait as a pole.  
As o'er thy white neck the curls wantonly play,  
Oh how am I drawn by a hair!  
Like SERPENTS they charm, as they languishing lay  
And fawn o'er thy bosom so fair.  
At the sight, how I shudder! yet surely I know  
That serpents can't live upon mountains of snow.  
Ah! Chloe, for whom are those locks put in curl,  
Will they fasten the heart more secure;  
If his heart is not stone, I've no doubt my dear girl,  
But the youth who beholds will adore.  
Tho' while he's at worship, and prostrate he sighs,  
Should the dew damp thy tresses, ah! would he not rise?  
No stoic am I, lovely Chloe (you know it)  
Yet a moralist sure I may be;  
A lecture platonic may come from a poet;  
Dear Chloe, then listen to me.  
The rose, my dear, withers, tho' ever so fair,  
And you know perspiration may straiten your hair.  
Then here is my text; a man is but a flow'r;  
A woman, I ought to have said;  
Alas! she's a flower cut down in an hour,  
And then, Chloe, then she is dead!  
Ah! think, while your ringlets so wantonly play  
O'er thy beautiful face, they must one day be grey.  
Yes, ringlets shall straiten, and auburn turn grey,  
E'en thy form in the dust shall be laid;  
Adorn then those beauties that do not decay;  
Intellectual charms never fade.  
I know, my dear Chloe, the thought makes you frown;  
'Tis so damp, it would spoil ev'ry curl in the town.

There is much natural description, sweetness, simplicity, and  
filial piety in the following lines. The child who can read  
them without feeling a glow of affection for his parent, has  
but little sensibility or humanity in his breast.

[BOSTON CHRON.]

### MY MOTHER.

WHO fed me from her gentle breast,  
And hush'd me in her arms to rest,  
And on my cheeks sweet kisses prest?

My mother.

When sleep forsook my open eye,  
Who was it sung sweet lullaby,  
And rock'd me that I should not cry?

My mother.

Who sat and watch'd my infant head,  
When sleeping on my cradle bed,  
And tears of sweet affection shed?

My mother.

When pain and sickness made me cry,  
Who gaz'd upon my heavy eye,  
And wept for fear that I should die?

My mother.

Who dress'd my doll in cloaths so gay,  
And taught me pretty how to play,  
And minded all I got to say?

My mother.

Who ran to help me when I fell,  
And would some pretty story tell,  
Or kiss the place to make it well?

My mother.

Who taught my infant lips to pray,  
To love God's holy book and day,  
And walk in wisdom's pleasant way?

My mother.

And can I ever cease to be,  
Affectionate and kind to thee,  
Who was so very kind to me?

My mother.

Ah no! the thought I cannot bear,  
And if God please my life to spare,  
I hope I shall reward thy care.

My mother.

When thou art feeble, old and grey,  
My healthy arm shall be thy stay,  
And I will soothe thy pains away.

My mother.

And when I see thee hang thy head,  
'Twill be my turn to watch thy bed,  
And tears of sweet affection shed.

My mother.

For God, who lives above the skies,  
Would look with vengeance in his eyes,  
If I should ever dare despise

My mother.

### ANECDOTE.

A Gentleman, not much versed in literary affairs,  
once asked an Hibernian friend what was the mean-  
ing of Posthumous works? "Zounds!" exclaimed  
Terence, "don't you know that? Why, they are  
books which a man writes after he is dead, to be sure!"

## FOR SALE.

A NEGRO WOMAN, about 25 years of age;  
she is an excellent spinner, a good washer and  
ironer, a good plain cook and a good hand on a plan-  
tation. Inquire of the Printers.  
Annapolis, March 13.







hereby forewarn all per-  
sonal with either dog  
trespassing on our farm,  
there have been number-  
on the same, we being  
such offenders, without  
utmost rigour of the law,  
MURTON,  
AS Z. M'CUBBIN.

to the estate of JOHN  
Charles county, deceased,  
ward and make immediate  
ing claims against said es-  
to bring in their accounts,  
or before the last day of  
be excluded from all be-

LACE, Administrator.

3X  
trust from THOMAS M.  
er, will be EXPOSED to  
today the 10th day of May

AND, lying and being in  
Newport; this land is re-  
foil equal to any in this  
s will be made known on  
given, when the purchase  
JOSEPH GREEN.

anted Trustee by the hono-  
of Chancery for the purpose  
of the real estate of the re-  
ON, late of Charles county,  
ent of his debts, will offer  
the premises, on the tenth  
air, if not, on the first fair

l estate aforesaid, confis-  
ing thirty acres of LAND,  
land lies immediately on the  
forty miles by water from  
Dumfries. It affords an  
selling, is extremely fertile,  
ery, and abounds in valuable  
purchaser will be required to  
security, for the payment of  
thin fifteen months from the  
y discharging the said bond  
land.

CHAPMAN, Trustee.

ing claims against the estate  
desired to exhibit them, with  
chancellor, before the tenth  
2 H. H. C.

## POUND,

rior in size and pedigree to  
any in Maryland, will stand, this  
our Queen-Anne, for Six Dol-  
utation for certainty as a foal-  
ear, his first season,) has fo-  
that his owner lately refused  
for him. The object which  
me being my own mares, and  
the price actually disbursed for  
neighbourhood has now an oppor-  
tunity of value of all plantation  
y per cent. cheaper than can  
other Jack of equal size and  
will be received, in full, if  
September next.

T. C. BOWIE.

## to give notice,

er, of Anne-Arundel county,  
Maryland, hath obtained from  
Anne-Arundel county, in Mary-  
land, de bonis non, with the  
sonal estate of JOHN MEE-  
of Anne-Arundel county, de-  
ing claims against the deceased  
exhibit the same, with the  
subscriber, at or before the  
ober next, they may otherwise  
n all benefit of the said estate,  
his 27th day of April, 1805.  
H JACOB, Administrator,  
D. B. N. W. A.

## to give notice,

er, of Anne-Arundel county,  
Maryland, hath obtained from  
Anne-Arundel county, in Ma-  
administration, de bonis non, on  
RICHARD RAWLINGS,  
of said county, deceased. All  
against the deceased are hereby  
ame, with the vouchers there-  
at or before the eleventh day of  
y otherwise by law be excluded  
said estate. Given under my  
April, 1805.  
STOCKETT, Administrator

4

APOLIS:  
DERICK and SAMUEL  
GREEN.

## MARYLAND GAZETTE.

T H U R S D A Y, M A Y 9, 1805.

## AN ACT

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

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

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

III. And be it enacted, That the capital stock of  
this bank shall be limited to one million two hundred  
thousand dollars, to consist of twenty-four thousand  
shares of fifty dollars each, one third part thereof, or  
eight thousand shares, shall be reserved for the use  
and benefit of the state, to be subscribed for in such  
manner as the legislature may direct, but no engage-  
ment shall be understood to be laid upon the state to  
subscribe or vest money therein by the admission of a  
right to do so, or by a retention of any unfilled shares,  
and the remaining sixteen thousand shares shall be al-  
lotted to the different counties, and subscribed for, in  
manner following, viz. At Annapolis, for the city of  
Annapolis and county of Anne-Arundel, for two  
thousand shares, under the direction of John Gibson,  
James Williams, John Muir, Robert Denny, Lewis  
Duvall and William Alexander, or any two of them;  
At Baltimore, for the city and county of Baltimore,  
for two thousand shares, under the direction of Tho-  
mas Dickson, Cumberland Dugan, John Stephen and Geo-  
F. Warfield, or any two of them; at Belle-Air, for  
the county of Harford, for six hundred and forty  
shares, under the direction of John Stump, William  
Willson, John C. Bond and George Patterson, or any  
two of them; at Frederick-town, for Frederick coun-  
ty, for twelve hundred shares, under the direction of  
George Murdock, doctor John Tyler, John Schley  
and Henry R. Warfield, or any two of them; at  
Elizabeth-town, for Washington county, for eight  
hundred shares, under the direction of Samuel Ringgold,  
Nathaniel Rochester, Robert Hughes and Jacob Zel-  
ler, or any two of them; at Cumberland, for Alle-  
gany county, for four hundred shares, under the di-  
rection of William M'Mahon, Daniel Fetter, James  
Scott and George Hebb, or any two of them; at  
Montgomery court-house, for Montgomery county,  
for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction  
of Thomas Davis, Upton Beall, Caleb Bently and  
Thomas P. Willson, or any two of them; at Upper-  
Marlborough, for Prince-George's county, for six  
hundred and forty shares, under the direction of Ed-  
ward H. Calvert, Archibald Van-Horn, Thomas  
Snowden and Jacob Duckett, or any two of them;  
at Port-Tobacco, for Charles county, for six hundred  
and forty shares, under the direction of Henry H.  
Chapman, William Vincent, William H. M'Pherson  
and Francis Digges, or any two of them; at Leonard-  
town, for Saint-Mary's county, for four hundred and  
eighty shares, under the direction of William Holton,  
Joseph Ford, Luke W. Barber and James Hopewell,  
or any two of them; at Prince-Frederick-town, for  
Calvert county, for three hundred and twenty shares,  
under the direction of Richard Graham, Richard  
Mackall, Joseph Wilkinson and Samuel Whittington,  
or any two of them; at Easton, for Easton and Tal-  
bot county, for two thousand shares, under the direc-  
tion of Thomas J. Bullitt, John Leeds Kerr, Hall  
Harrison, Bennett Wheeler, Joseph Haskins, Wil-  
liam Meloy and James Earle, junior, or any two of  
them; at Cambridge, for Dorchester county, for six  
hundred and forty shares, under the direction of doc-  
tor John Eccleston, Joseph Ennalls, Matthew Keene  
and Solomon Frazier, or any two of them; at Cen-  
tre-Ville, for Queen-Anne's county, for six hundred  
and forty shares, under the direction of William Car-  
michael, Richard T. Earle, John Hackett and Thomas  
Earle, or any two of them; at Denton, for Caroline  
county, for four hundred shares, under the direction  
of William Whitley, Solomon Brown, William Pot-  
ter and Isaac Purnell, or any two of them; at Ches-  
ter-town, for Kent county, for six hundred and forty  
shares, under the direction of James Scott, Benjamin  
Chambers, Richard Hatcheson and Richard Tilghman,  
4th, or any two of them; at Princess-Anne, for  
Somerset county, for six hundred and forty shares,  
under the direction of William Williams, Benjamin  
F. A. C. Dalhiell, Littleton D. Teacle and Peter  
Dalhiell, or any two of them; at Elkton, for Cecil  
county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the  
direction of Daniel Sheredine, John Partridge, John  
Gilpin and William Alexander, or any two of them;  
at Snow-Hill, for Worcester county, for six hundred  
and forty shares, under the direction of Thomas S.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

XIII. And be it enacted, That the board of direc-  
tors for the bank and branch bank shall respectively  
have power to appoint a cashier, and other officers  
and servants, for executing the business of the com-  
pany, and to allow such compensation for their ser-  
vices respectively as shall be reasonable; no director  
shall be entitled to any emolument, unless the same  
shall have been allowed by the stockholders at a gen-  
eral meeting; the stockholders shall make such com-  
pensation to the presidents for their extraordinary at-  
tendance at the bank as shall appear to them reason-  
able.

XIV. And be it enacted, That the board of direc-  
tors shall have power to purchase, rent or lease, pro-  
per buildings for the bank and branch bank, and to



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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### Sheriff's Sales.

By virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas*, to me directed from Anne-Arundel county court, will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on Friday the 17th instant, at 12 o'clock, at Mr. JOHN GWINN'S tavern, for cash,

ONE negro man named Tom, taken as the property of general Jonathan Sellman, to satisfy a debt due Robert Duvall, for the use of Baker and Burnston.

JASPER E. TILLY, Sheriff.

On the same day, at three o'clock in the afternoon, will be SOLD, at Anne-Arundel county gaol,

TWO negro men, shoe-makers by trade, one by the name of Charles, and the other Will, taken as the property of Elizabeth Sefton, deceased, to satisfy a debt due Dr. James Murray.

J. E. TILLY, Sheriff.

May 7, 1805.

#### In Chancery, April 24, 1805.

Robert Bowie against William Bowie.

ORDERED, That the sale made by PHILEMON LLOYD CHEW and RICHARD MANSBELL, trustees for the sale of certain slaves mortgaged by the defendant to the complainant, shall be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown before the twenty-fifth day of May next; provided a copy of this order be served on the defendant, or inserted in the Maryland Gazette before the twelfth day of May next.

The report states the amount of the sale to be 2261 dollars, £.847 17 6.

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

#### Notice is hereby given,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Calvert county, letters of administration on the personal estate of ROBERT DAY, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, on or before the first day of June next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit from said estate. Given under my hand and seal, this 22d day of April, 1805.

JOHN SEDWICK, Administrator.

#### NOTICE.

THE Commissioners of the Tax of Anne-Arundel county will meet at the court-house, in the city of Annapolis, on the first Monday of June next, and will sit twenty days thereafter, to hear and determine the complaints and appeals of any persons who may think themselves grieved by their property being over valued, and to make transfers.

#### This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, letters of administration on the personal estate of BENJAMIN FAIRBAIRNE, late of the city of Annapolis, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those who have claims against the same are desired to render their accounts, properly authenticated, to

ROBERT DAVIS, Administrator.

May 8, 1805.

#### FOR SALE,

A NEGRO WOMAN, about 25 years of age; she is an excellent spinner, a good washer and ironer, a good plain cook and a good hand on a plantation. Inquire of the Printers. Annapolis, March 13.

YESTERDAY  
pursuant to their sentence  
arion, at the last co  
Ned and Kate, for th  
JOHN FOWLER, or

A gentleman in Pen  
thod to preserve pe  
worms, caterpillars,  
that issues out of  
strewed a little of  
vered it with fine m  
yet so that the sun  
the brimstone to fun  
One pound of brin  
hundred trees. The  
terpillars. To de  
stick is split and a  
serted, and the po  
thus lighted will ser

Another  
paper) is become so  
surprised to hear c  
addresses under the  
Roscius, who perf  
evening to an over  
enthusiastic applaus  
at Chester on Mon  
by the Liverpool g  
going to see this li  
that Mr. Brown  
Covent Garden on  
also appeared as  
is announced for

By the Fly cutte  
Friday last from  
Thursday, the Du  
ment, two line of  
come down into th  
no doubt, gave rise  
squadron had actu  
Sweden has been  
Prussia, to declin  
country.  
Portugal is statu  
currence of this c  
remain neutral in  
millions of crusade

It will be seen  
on the 6th instant  
West-Indies, were  
landed about 400  
the city of St.  
mainder, and imm  
home.

We learn by  
that a French frig  
patches, and with  
of war having fa  
dies, but that m  
This fleet must  
particulars of wh  
through the Fre  
Toulon fleet was  
pears they were  
will now most pro  
blockading squad

Yesterday arriv  
Ellis, in 16 day  
admiral Cochran  
frigates had arriv  
fleet, that not fi  
patched 4 ships co  
brig, to the Lee  
those already the  
to cruise to win  
up the pursuit of  
guard the British  
French advice  
received, by th  
rived at this port  
the French gover  
money from the  
the produce, wh  
colonies, by the

Extract of a let  
"Arrived this  
capt. Jones, 1  
Deffaline's arm  
Domingo; the  
pulsed."

Extract of a  
"The emper  
is repulsed, ow  
at the city of  
main stand by,  
They will now  
scarcely prelun  
St. Domingo, o



## Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, May 9, 1805.

YESTERDAY were executed, near this city, pursuant to their sentence, negro George, convicted of arson, at the last county court, and negroes Dennis, Ned and Kate, for the murder of their master, Mr. JOHN FOWLER, of Patapiscu.

### PEACH TREES.

A gentleman in Pennsylvania took the following method to preserve peach trees from being injured by worms, caterpillars, &c. He cleared away the gum that issues out of the tree affected by the worm, strewed a little of brimstone round the root, and covered it with fine mould that it might not blow away, yet so that the sun might operate through and cause the brimstone to fumigate, which destroyed the worms. One pound of brimstone is sufficient for near two hundred trees. The sulphur is also destructive to caterpillars. To destroy them, the end of a pole or stick is split and a few lighted brimstone matches inserted, and the pole held under the nests. A pole thus lighted will serve for 3 or 4 nests.

### Another infant Roscius.

The furor for juvenile theatricals (says a Liverpool paper) is become so prevalent, that we should not be surprised to hear of a play performed by actors and actresses under the age of 11 years. The Cawthick Roscius, who performed at Manchester on Tuesday evening to an overflowing house, and with the most enthusiastic applause, plays the part of young Norval at Chester on Monday. Several boxes are engaged by the Liverpool gentlemen, who we understand are going to see this little phenomenon. It is rumoured that Mr. Brown is in treaty with the manager of Covent Garden on behalf of his son. The boy had also appeared as Frederick in the Lovers Vows and is announced for Hamlet.

### LONDON, March 18.

By the Fly cutter, which arrived at Yarmouth, on Friday last from the Texel, which place she left on Thursday, the Dutch fleet had made its first movement, two line of battle ships belonging to it having come down into the outer roads. This circumstance, no doubt, gave rise to the report brought by an American ship which put into Dover, that the Dutch squadron had actually put to sea.

Sweden has been obliged, by the remonstrances of Prussia, to decline the proffered subsidy from this country.

Portugal is slated to have purchased, with the concurrence of this country, the suzerainty of France to remain neutral in the war, by a yearly subsidy of six millions of crusades.

### NEW-YORK, April 30.

It will be seen by turning to the marine news, that on the 6th instant the French squadron, lately in the West-Indies, were on their return to France. Having landed about 400 troops at Martinique, they went to the city of St. Domingo, where they left the remainder, and immediately proceeded on their return home.

We learn by the brig Vidoni, from Martinique, that a French frigate had just arrived there with dispatches, and with advices of a fleet of 22 sail of men of war having sailed from France for the West-Indies, but that most of them had put back in a gale. This fleet must have been that from Toulon, the particulars of whose fate we have been advised of through the French papers. The destination of the Toulon fleet was not before known; but it now appears they were bound to the West-Indies. They will now most probably be kept in port by the British blockading squadron.

### PHILADELPHIA, May 1.

Yesterday arrived the ship Two Brothers, captain Ellis, in 16 days from St. Kitts, and informs, that admiral Cochrane, with 6 ships of the line and 3 frigates had arrived there, in pursuit of the French fleet, that not finding them in those seas, he had dispatched 4 ships of the line, 3 frigates, and an armed brig, to the Leeward Islands, to form a junction with those already there, and with the remainder he means to cruise to windward; so that he must have given up the pursuit of the French fleet, and only means to guard the British islands.

French advices to the 4th of March, have been received, by the brig Lovely Lals, capt. Clark, arrived at this port from Nantes. They mention, that the French government intended to demand a sum of money from the United States, as a retribution for the produce, which had been taken from their revolted colonies, by the American merchants.

### Extract of a letter from the Lazaretto, dated May 2.

"Arrived this morning, schooner General Greene, capt. Jones, 10 days from Cape Francois.—Part of Desfaines's army had returned from the city of St. Domingo; they made an attack on it but were repulsed."

### Extract of a letter from Cape Francois, April 19.

"The emperor has come into this city. His army is repulsed, owing to the arrival of the French fleet at the city of St. Domingo. The Americans, their main stand by, will in consequence be more respected. They will now go to peeling of coffee, and it is scarcely presumable that the French can march from St. Domingo, with 5000 troops with success."

### BALTIMORE, May 2.

Capt. Reynolds, who arrived at Charleston the 18th ultimo, in 10 days from Havana, informs, that two days before he sailed, an English sloop of war, which has been cruising off that port for sometime past, landed a number of men and took the fort at Mariel (a small place to leeward of Havana) by storm. They took and destroyed a considerable quantity of coffee, &c. &c. This attack was made in consequence of that fort having fired at a flag of truce, which had been sent to Havana a short time previous by the sloop of war.

### May 4.

A letter from Tripoli says, "the attack of Commodore Preble has not contributed to render more unpleasant the situation of the American prisoners of war. They have a house within the castle; whatever, if it can be procured, I send there. The officers lately obtained permission to walk in the country, and to the baths in the town. I hope that during the winter season (the best part of the year in Barbary) they will obtain more liberty."

The Medea and Clara Spanish frigates have been declared lawful prizes, and condemned for the benefit of the captors.—The share of each captain employed in this service amounts to ninety thousand pounds sterling.

### The Knell.

DIED, on Saturday morning last, in the 34th year of his age, Mr. JOHN R. BRUCE, of this city.

### PROPOSALS

#### FOR CARRYING

### Mails of the United States.

On the following post-roads, will be received at the general post-office in Washington, until the tenth day of July next inclusive.

#### IN MARYLAND.

FROM Annapolis, by Rock-Hall, to Chester-town once a week.

Leave Annapolis every Thursday at 6 A. M. and arrive at Chester-town by 6 P. M. Leave Chester-town every Wednesday at 6 A. M. and arrive at Annapolis by 6 P. M.

#### NOTES.

1. The postmaster-general may expedite the mails and alter the times of arrival and departure at any time during the continuance of the contracts, he stipulating an adequate compensation for any extra expense that may be occasioned thereby.

2. Fifteen minutes shall be allowed for opening and closing the mails at all offices where no particular time is specified.

3. For every thirty minutes delay (unavoidable accidents excepted) in arriving after the time prescribed in any contract, the contractor shall forfeit one dollar; and if the delay continues until the departure of any depending mail, whereby the mails destined for each depending mail lose a trip, an additional forfeiture of five dollars shall be incurred.

4. News-papers as well as letters are to be sent in the mail; and if any person making proposals, desires to carry news-papers, other than those conveyed in the mail, for his own emolument, he must state in his proposals for what sum he will carry with the emolument, and for what sum without that emolument.

5. Should any person making proposals desire an alteration of the times of arrival and departure above specified, he must state in his proposals the alteration desired, and the difference they will make in the terms of the contract.

6. Persons making proposals are desired to state their prices by the year. Those who contract will receive their pay quarterly in the months of August, November, February and May, in one month after the expiration of each quarter.

7. No other than a free white person shall be employed to convey the mail.

8. Where the proposer intends to convey the mail in the body of a stage carriage, he is desired to state it in his proposals.

9. The postmaster-general reserves to himself the right of declaring any contract at an end whenever three failures happen which amount to the loss of a trip each.

10. The contracts for the above routes are to be in operation on the first day of October next, and are to continue in force for two years.

### GIDEON GRANGER,

Postmaster-general.

GENERAL POST-OFFICE,  
Washington City, 25 February, 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 of administration, de bonis non, with the will annexed, on the personal estate of JOHN MERCER STEVENS, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the twenty-fifth day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 27th day of April, 1805.

ZACHARIAH JACOB, Administrator,  
D. B. N. W. A.

### FOR SALE,

A HEALTHY NEGRO MAN, aged about 25 years, now in Annapolis gaol. Apply to the keeper of the gaol.

## Poet's Corner.

### SELECTED.

From Macneille's Poems.

COME UNDER MY PLAIDY; OR MODERN MARRIAGE DE-LINEATED.

AIR—JOHNIE MACGILL.

'COME under my plaidy, the nights gau'n to fa';  
Come in frae the cauld blast, the drift and the snaw;  
Come under my plaidy, and sit down beside me;  
There's room in't dear lassie! believe me, for twa.  
Come under my plaidy, and sit down beside me;  
I'll hap ye from every cauld blast that can blaw;  
O! come under my plaidy, and sit down beside me,  
There's room in't dear lassie, believe me, for twa.'

"Gae 'wa wi' your plaidy? auld Donald gae 'wa,  
I fear na the cauld blast, the drift nor the snaw;  
Gae 'wa wi' your plaidy! I'll na sit beside ye;  
Ye may be my gutcher;—auld Donald gae 'wa,  
I'm gau'n to meet Johnie, he's young and he's bonnie;  
He's been at Meg's bridal, fae trig and fae brow!  
O none dances fae lightly! fae graceful! fae tightly!  
His cheek's like the new rose, his brow like the snaw!"

'Dear Marion, let that flee stick fast to the wa',  
Your Jock's but a gowk, and has nothing ava;  
The hale o' his pack he has now on his back,  
He's thretty, and I am but three score and twa,  
Be frank now and kindly; I'll husk you aye finely;  
To kirk or to market they'll few gang fae brow;  
A bein' house to bide in, a chaife for to ride in,  
And flunkies to tend ye as fast as ye ca'.

'My father' ay tauld me, my mither and a',  
Ye'd mak' a gude husband, and keep me ay braw;  
It's true I loo Johnie, he's gude and he's bonnie,  
But wae me! ye ken he has naething ava!  
I hae little toucher; you've made a gude offer;  
I'm now mair than twenty; my time is but sma'!  
Sae gi' me your plaidy, I'll creep in beside ye,  
I thought ye'd been aulder than three score and twa.'

She crap in ayont him, aside the stane wa',  
Whar Johnie was list'ning, and heard he tell a';  
The day was appointed! his proud heart it dunted,  
And strack 'gainst his side as if burling in twa.  
He wander'd hame weary, the night it was dreary!  
And thowless, he tint his gate deep 'mang the snaw;  
The howlet was screamin', while Johnie cried 'fowen'  
'Wa'd marry auld nick if he'd keep them aye bra'.

'O the deel's in the lasses! they gang now fae bra',  
They'll lie down wi' auld men o' fourscore and twa;  
The hale o' their marriage is gowd and a carriage;  
Plain luvie is the cauldelt blast now that can blaw!"

### Furniture for Sale.

I WILL dispose of a variety of very valuable HOUSEHOLD & KITCHEN FURNITURE, and will hire or sell several good house servants.

R. B. LATIMER.

Annapolis, April 24, 1805.

### LAND FOR SALE.

On Monday the 13th day of May next, the subscriber will OFFER, at PUBLIC SALE, to the highest bidder, (if not sold before at private sale,) on the premises,

TALBOT'S RESOLUTION MANOR, containing from 800 to 1000 acres of valuable land, lying on Elk-Ridge, within two miles of Ellicott's Lower Mills, and within nine miles of Baltimore-town.

This land can be divided into two farms, so as to leave every necessary improvement on each. It has a considerable proportion of valuable meadow land on it, good orchards of different kinds of fruits, and a great abundance of wood and good water.

From its convenience to a number of the most valuable mills, and one of the best markets in the United States; few places offer better profits to the industrious farmer.

This property will be sold together, or will be divided to suit purchasers, one third of the amount to be paid in hand, the balance in two annual instalments. The purchaser giving bond, with approved security.

Any person disposed to purchase can treat for the same with BENJAMIN ODEN, near Upper-Marlborough, or with the subscriber, by whom a good title will be made on the payment of the money. A liberal deduction will be made for the full payment in hand.

STEPHEN WEST.

Woodyard, March 26, 1805.

### COMPOUND,

FIVE years old, superior in size and pedigree to any covering Jack in Maryland, will stand, this season, at my stables near Queen-Anne, for Six Dollars each mare. His reputation for certainty as a foal getter, (acquired last year, his first season,) has so established his character, that his owner lately refused an almost incredible sum for him. The object which induced me to farm him being my own mares, and having no care beyond the price actually disbursed for the use of him, the neighbourhood has now an opportunity of raising that most valuable of all plantation animals—the Mule—fifty per cent. cheaper than can be effected with any other Jack of equal size and pedigree. Five dollars will be received, in full, if paid by the first day of September next.

April 15, 1805.

T. C. BOWIE.



## LAND FOR SALE.

Pursuant to the last will of JOSHUA DORSEY, sen. late of Elk-Ridge, deceased, and agreeably to the decree of the honourable the Chancellor of Maryland of June last, will be sold, at public sale, on the premises, on the sixth of June next,

**THE** tract of LAND called LOCUST TRICKET, situated on Elk-Ridge, Anne-Arundel county, Maryland, containing about 300 acres. This land is one and a half miles from Spurrier's tavern, on the post road from Baltimore to the city of Washington. There are several merchant mills within a few miles of this farm. This land is well adapted to Indian corn, wheat, rye, and tobacco; it is divided into six fields, under good fencing, and conveniently watered, with good springs and streams of water. There is a tolerable good mill seat on this land; a good proportion of meadow now in grass, and more can easily be made; there is a sufficiency of woodland to support this farm. The improvements are, a comfortable dwelling-house, kitchen, smoke house, corn house, barn, stables, and other necessary buildings; an apple orchard of good fruit, and a variety of other fruit trees. The terms of sale are, twelve months credit, the purchaser or purchasers giving bond, with interest from the day of sale, with approved security for the purchase money, to the subscriber. Any person calling on Mr. JOHN SHIPLEY, near the premises, can be shown the above mentioned land. There will be an accurate plot exhibited at the day of sale. When the purchase money is paid there will be a good and sufficient deed executed by the subscriber. The sale to begin at 12 o'clock. Immediate possession will be given.

GEORGE DORSEY, Trustee.

Mr. Green, of Annapolis, Mr. Hamilton, of Lancaster, and Mr. Edie, of York, are requested to publish the above advertisement six times, and forward their accounts to Yundt and Brown.

April 23, 1805.

## LANDS FOR SALE.

In pursuance of a decree of the High Court of Chancery of this State, will be exposed to public sale, on Monday the tenth day of June next, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter, at the house of Mr. JOSEPH EDWARDS, in Chaptico, Saint-Mary's county,

**THE** following tracts or parcels of LAND, late the property of TOWNSEND EDEN, deceased, & lying in Saint-Mary's county, to wit: Two separate parts of *Bashford Manor*, one of which lies on Chaptico bay, is supposed to contain 270 acres, and is well improved; the other within one mile of Wicomico river, and supposed to contain upwards of 200 acres; *Cole's Adventure*, and part of *Neale's Lot Resurveyed*, lie in the Forest, and are chiefly in woods.

These lands, or as much thereof as will produce the sum of seven hundred and fifty pounds, will be sold on the following terms: The purchaser to give bond, with good and sufficient security, to pay one half the purchase money, and interest, within one year from the time of sale, and the residue, and interest thereon, within two years from the time of sale, to be ratified and approved by the chancellor; and conveyances in fee-simple for the said property, for all the estate, right, title and interest, in said lands, which was in Townsend Eden, and now in James Eden, which hath descended to him from Townsend Eden, his father, will be made to the respective purchasers, on payment of the purchase money, and not before.

A more particular description of the lands, with their advantages and incumbrances, will be detailed at the time and place of sale. The subscriber will show the lands at any time previous to the day of sale to any person inclinable to become a purchaser.

**WILLIAM MUIR**, Trustee for the sale of said lands.

## NOTICE.

**WHEREAS** my wife, ELIZABETH GREEN, hath eloped from my bed and board, for two years and upwards, and is doing me great injury, by having suits brought against me at law, the costs of which I am unjustly called upon to pay, therefore, to put a stop to any further use of my name by the said Elizabeth Green, I hereby forewarn all persons from dealing with her, or crediting her in my name, as I am determined to pay no debts of her contracting, nor be answerable for any of her proceedings from the date hereof.

**LANCELOT GREEN**, Anne-Arundel county, May 2, 1805.

## Forty Dollars Reward.

**RAN** away, on the 14th of last month, from the plantation of JOHN WORTHINGTON, near Annapolis, a negro woman named CILLA, about four feet two inches high, of a small delicate shape, about forty-five years old; had on and took with her, a striped country cloth petticoat, white country cloth jacket, osenabrig shifts, negro shoes, yarn stockings, and a red flowered calico gown; she may have other cloaths that are unknown to the subscriber. Whoever takes up and secures said woman, so that her master gets her again, shall receive three dollars reward, if taken above ten miles from home five dollars, of fifteen miles ten dollars, if twenty miles fifteen dollars, if out of the county twenty dollars, and if taken out of the State the above reward, including what the law allows, paid by

**WALTER FAIRALL**, Manager.

May 1, 1805.

## A S A L E.

The subscribers, agreeably to an order of the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will EXPOSE to SALE, on Wednesday the 15th day of May next, if fair, if not the first fair day thereafter, at the late dwelling of CEPHAS CHILDS, deceased,

**NEGROES**, and some flock of horses and cattle, together with a number of articles too tedious to enumerate. The above property will be sold on a credit of three months for all sums above twenty dollars, with interest from the day of sale. The sale to commence at 11 o'clock.

**MARTHA P. CHILDS**, Administratrix.

April 23, 1805.

## LAND FOR SALE.

By virtue of a decree from the honourable the High Court of Chancery, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on TUESDAY, the second of July next, at eleven o'clock, A. M. on the premises,

**THAT** valuable FARM, lying on the upper part of Elk Ridge, adjoining Carroll's manor, whereon the late Henry Nelson formerly lived, containing about 663 acres. The terms of sale will be, that one fourth of the purchase money be paid, at the election of the purchaser, on the day of sale, or brought into the court of chancery on the ratification thereof, and the residue to be paid, with interest, at three equal annual payments, to be bonded for, with security, to be approved of by the trustee. This valuable farm lies high and healthy, within twenty miles of Baltimore city, thirty of Frederick-town, and thirty-five of the city of Washington. The improvements are, a large and convenient dwelling-house, a barn 60 feet by 40, with stables under it, three tobacco-houses, and all other necessary buildings; it abounds with all kinds of fruit, and an orchard of 300 bearing apple trees. There are about 50 acres of meadow in grass. This farm is well adapted to all kinds of country produce.

**HENRY HOWARD**, Trustee.

April, 1805.

## In Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

Signed by order,

**NICH: HARWOOD**, Clk. A. A. County Court.

April 22, 1805.

## In Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

Signed by order,

**NICH: HARWOOD**, Clk. A. A. County Court.

April 22, 1805.

## Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

Signed by order,

**NICH: HARWOOD**, Clk. A. A. County Court.

April 22, 1805.

## Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

**THOMAS FOLKS**, 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 Thomas Folks being under an arrest upon meine process for a debt 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 Thomas Folks appear before the said court, at the court-house of Anne-Arundel county, on the twenty-fourth day of July 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 Thomas Folks 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 six successive weeks.

Signed by order,

**NICH: HARWOOD**, Clk. A. A. County Court.

2

The subscriber being appointed Trustee by the honourable the High Court of Chancery for the purpose of selling and conveying the real estate of the rev. *WALTER H. HARRISON*, late of Charles county, deceased, for the payment of his debts, will offer at PUBLIC SALE, on the premises, on the tenth day of June next, if fair, if not, on the first fair day thereafter,

**THE** whole of the real estate aforesaid, consisting of two hundred and thirty acres of LAND—The greater part of this land lies immediately on the Patowmack river, about forty miles by water from Alexandria, and ten from Dumfries. It affords an elegant situation for a dwelling, is extremely fertile, has on it an excellent fishery, and abounds in valuable wood and timber. The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money within fifteen months from the day of sale, and on fully discharging the said bond will receive a deed for the land.

**HENRY H. CHAPMAN**, Trustee.

Charles county, April 12, 1805.

**P. S.** All persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, are desired to exhibit them, with proper vouchers, to the chancellor, before the tenth day of September next.

H. H. C.

## 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, de bonis non, on the personal estate of *RICHARD RAWLINGS*, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereunto, to the subscriber, at or before the eleventh day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 11th day of April, 1805.

**JOSEPH N. STOCKETT**, Administrator de bonis non.

**ANNAPOLIS:**  
Printed by **FREDERICK and SAMUEL GREEN.**

(LXIX YE

**MA**

ANNAPOLIS,

**THE** Students Liver public C to-morrow, at 3 o'clock Thursday, May

**Meffrs. Printe**  
A number of ven on the Sun for a m part of his face is Are these spots new we have a cool fum

**SPORTS O**

First day, a sweet heats, entrance, 20 Miles Selden's b. h. John Goodrich's b. Joseph Haxall's b. Richard Bate paid Time—1st heat

Second day, the mile heats, weight Barwell Wilkes's g 6 years old, John Goodrich's b. vil, 5 years old, John Hoomes's f. ling, 4 ditto, Collier Harrison's Diomed, 4 ditto, John R. Archer's lerman, 7 ditto, Richard Bate's b. Coeur de Lion, Thomas Goode's f. 7 ditto, Time—1st heat 8

Third day, the mile heats, weight Burwell Wilkes's med, 5 years old, John Goodrich's ditto, James Fletcher's med, 5 ditto, John Homes g. h. ditto, Richard Bate's b. 4 ditto, Miles Selden's g. 4 ditto, Collier Harrison's ram, 4 ditto, Time—1st heat 6

Fourth day, mile heats. Richard Bate's C Lion, 4 years William Wynne fuge, 5 ditto, Richard Bland's ditto, 90 lbs. John Hoomes, j. ditto, 110 lbs. Joseph Haxall's 90 lbs. Burwell Wilkes's to, 100 lbs.

On Tuesday the

The first day Mr. Ball's h. P. Col. Selden's h. John Taylor's T

Seco Mr. Mothey's John Taylor's David M. Ram

The handicap horse Top Ga heat—the first heat 3 m. 57 s



lices of the said county  
writing, of Gottlieb  
aying the benefit of the  
insolvent debtors, passed  
n hundred and four, on  
aid act, a schedule of his  
editors, on oath, as far  
directed by the said act,  
on; and the said county  
mpetent testimony, that  
er has resided, the two  
passage of the said act,  
d; and the said Gottlieb  
presenting his petition as  
to the said court the af-  
of his creditors as have  
two thirds of the debts  
affiling the said act.—It is  
dered by the said court,  
mmer, by causing a copy  
n the Maryland Gazette,  
e weeks, before the twen-  
give notice to his cre-  
said county court, at the  
el county, at ten o'clock,  
twenty-fourth day of July  
recommending a trustee for  
Gottlieb J. Grammer's then  
by the said act provided,  
y.

H. HARWOOD, Clk.  
A. County court.

County Court,  
RM, 1805.

an insolvent debtor of  
ty, having applied by pe-  
ne-Arundel county court,  
act for the benefit of in-  
November session, eighteen  
chedule of his property, and  
ath, as by the said act is  
o his said petition, and the  
under an arrest upon meine  
fore the passage of the said  
the satisfaction of the said  
ed in the state of Maryland  
g the passage of said act.—  
and ordered, that the said  
fore the said court, at the  
ndel county, on the twenty-  
then and there to produce to  
writing, of creditors holding  
of his debts, and to answer  
ay be proposed to him by  
e said day be and it is here-  
said creditors to appear and  
their benefit, and that the  
hem notice of the passage of  
copy of it to be inserted in  
ce in each of the next six fas-

CH: HARWOOD, Clk.  
A. County Court.

ointed Trustee by the honor-  
of Chancery for the purpose  
ng the real estate of the re-  
son, late of Charles county,  
ment of his debts, will office  
on the premises, on the tenth  
fair, if not, on the first fair  
real estate aforesaid, consisting  
nd thirty acres of LAND—  
s land lies immediately on the  
t forty miles by water from  
om Dumfries. It affords an  
dwelling, is extremely fertile,  
sherry, and abounds in valuable  
e purchaser will be required to  
nd security, for the payment of  
within fifteen months from the  
ly discharging the said bond  
the land.

H. CHAPMAN, Trustee.  
April 12, 1805.  
aving claims against the estate  
e desired to exhibit them, with  
ne chancellor, before the tenth  
3 H. H. C.

to give notice,

iber, of Anne-Arundel county,  
Maryland, hath obtained from  
Anne-Arundel county, in Ma-  
nistration, de bonis non, on  
RICHARD RAWLINGS  
of said county, deceased. All  
against the deceased are hereby  
sane, with the vouchers there-  
at or before the eleventh day of  
ay otherwise by law be excluded  
e said estate. Given under my  
of April, 1805.

STOCKETT, Administrator  
n. 3

APOLIS:  
EDERICK and SAMUEL  
GREEN.

## MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1805.

## Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, May 16, 1805.

## NOTICE.

THE Students of Saint-John's College will de-  
liver public Oration in the Hall of the College,  
to-morrow, at 3 o'clock, P. M.  
Thursday, May 16, 1805.

GEORGE-TOWN, (S. C.) April 13.

Messrs. Printers,  
A number of very remarkable spots have been seen  
on the Sun for a month past. About one hundredth  
part of his face is now opaque—he is much darkened.  
Are these spots new worlds in projection? Or shall  
we have a cool summer? INQUISITOR.

PETERSBURG, April 30.

## SPORTS OF THE TURF—April 24.

First day, a sweepstakes for four years old, 3 mile  
heats, entrance, 200 dollars, half forfeit.

Miles Selden's b. h. Sweet Briar, by Spread Eagle 1 1  
John Goodrich's b. h. Overfeer, by Cormorant, 2 2  
Joseph Haxall's b. h. Richmond, by Diomed, bolt.  
Richard Bate paid forfeit.

Time—1st heat 6 m. 14 s.—2d heat 6 m. 2 s.

Second day, the jockey club purse, 450 dollars, 4  
mile heats, weight for age.

Burwell Wilkes's g. g. Surprise, by Bell-Air, 1 2 1  
John Goodrich's b. h. Ranger, by Dare De- 7 1 2  
vil, 5 years old, 7 1 2

John Hoomes's f. g. Dean Swift, by Ster- 2 4 dr  
ling, 4 ditto, 2 4 dr

Collier Harrison's f. b. Don Quixotte, by 5 3 ds  
Diomed, 4 ditto, 5 3 ds

John R. Archer's b. g. Chevallier, by Al- 3 ds  
lerman, 7 ditto, 3 ds

Richard Baite's b. h. Coeur de Lion, by 6 dr  
Coeur de Lion, 4 ditto, 6 dr

Thomas Goode's f. h. Ringdaw, by Diomed, 4 ds  
7 ditto, 4 ds

Time—1st heat 8 m. 32 s.—2d do. 8 m. 7 s.—3d do.

8 m. 4 s.

The second mile of the 1st heat 1 m. 57 s.  
3d do. ditto 1 58

Third day, the proprietor's purse, 225 dollars, 3  
mile heats, weight for age, 25 dollars entrance.

Burwell Wilkes's ch. h. Wonder, by Dio- 5 1 1  
med, 5 years old, 5 1 1

John Goodrich's f. h. Planter, by Druid, 2 3 2  
ditto, 2 3 2

James Fletcher's b. h. Diomedon, by Dio- 1 2 dr  
med, 5 ditto, 1 2 dr

John Hoomes g. h. Sterling, by Sterling, 3 ds  
ditto, 3 ds

Richard Bate's b. h. Deception, by Diomed, 4 ds  
4 ditto, 4 ds

Miles Selden's g. h. Bellifarius, by Bell-Air, 6 dr  
4 ditto, 6 dr

Collier Harrison's g. m. Virago, by Salt- ds  
ram, 4 ditto, ds

Time—1st heat 6 m. 9 s.—2d do. 6 m. 4 s.—3d do.

6 m. 19 s.

Fourth day, a handicap purse, 200 dollars, two  
mile heats.

Richard Baite's Coeur de Lion, by Coeur de 1 1  
Lion, 4 years old, 90 lbs. 1 1

William Wynne's Republican, by Febr- 3 ds  
fuge, 5 ditto, 110 lbs. 3 ds

Richard Bland's Overfeer, by Cormorant, 4 2 2  
ditto, 90 lbs. 4 2 2

John Hoomes, jun. Saltram, by Sterling, 5 4 ds  
ditto, 110 lbs. 5 4 ds

Joseph Haxall's Cypher, by Diomed, 4 do. bolt  
90 lbs. 4 do. bolt

Burwell Wilke's Whiskey, by Collector, dit-  
to, 100 lbs. —

FREDERICKSBURG, May 7.

## SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

On Tuesday the 30th April the races commenced at  
Broadrock, Virginia.

The first day's purse of 400 dollars—4 mile heats.

Mr. Ball's h. Floriel, by Diomed, 1 1  
Col. Selden's b. Sweet Briar, by Spread Eagle, 2 dr  
John Tayloe's Top Gallant, 3 2

Second day—three mile heats.

Mr. Mothey's Mountaineer, by Eagle, 1 1  
John Tayloe's m. Caroline, by Muffi, 2 2  
David M. Randolph's h. by Diomed, 3 ds

Third day.

The handicap purse was won by John Tayloe, Esq's.  
horse Top Gallant, distancing the field the second  
heat—the first heat was run in 3 m. 59 s.—second  
heat 3 m. 57 s.

## NEW CONNECTICUT.

This district of territory, which continues the  
north-east section of the new state of Ohio, is fast  
rising to notice. Six or eight years ago it was a  
trackless wilderness, known only to the hunter and  
the savage.—Yankee enterprise, however, promises  
to convert this wilderness into a garden, and thus  
verify the prediction of the celebrated Volney, who,  
in speaking of our north-western country, says, that  
it will hereafter become the Flanders of America.  
The emigrations already amount to about 800 fami-  
lies,\* and 200 families more are expected to come in  
the present year. Mills are erected in various parts,  
schools established, and a charter for a college. The  
general face of this country is level, and the soil un-  
commonly rich and deep. It is bounded on the north  
by Lake Erie, in latitude 24, and extends south on  
the west line of Pennsylvania, to within about 40  
miles of Pittsburgh. The climate, according to Vol-  
ney, corresponds with that of Maryland, notwith-  
standing that it lies nearly in our parallel of latitude.  
[Plebian.]

\* By the last accounts, there were 1200.

The practice of slaughtering cattle by puncturing  
the medulla spinalis, or, as it is now called, pithing  
cattle, is extended through all parts of the kingdom,  
by the laudible perseverance of the board of agricul-  
ture. The want of skill in the operators, and the  
prejudices arising from established custom, we are  
sorry to observe, however render the system less general  
than it should be. It is perfectly ascertained that the  
spinal marrow may be divided without producing im-  
mediate death, should the wound be inflicted below the  
origin of the nerves that supply the diaphragm, and  
allow the animal the power of respiration; but if the  
puncture is made into the cavity of the skull, so as to  
divide the medullary substance above the origin of  
these nerves, death is instantaneous, and without the  
least apparent sensation of pain. If a line drawn ac-  
ross the head from the foot of each ear (about an  
inch and an half from the horns) the centre of this  
line is the spot in which the puncture should be made;  
and an awl or common penknife is as good an instru-  
ment as can be used. [Lond. pap.]

A letter from a respectable commercial house in  
Cadiz to another in this city, via N. Bedford, dated  
March 12th, has the following postscript:—"The  
celebrated general Moreau, with his lady and family,  
now in this place, will proceed to the United States  
by the first good opportunity. As he may probably visit  
your city, we shall take the liberty of giving him a  
letter to you. Being unacquainted in America, he  
has requested to be the bearer of a few letters to our  
friends; and we could not refuse such a favour to a  
person of his exalted merit." N. Y. pap.

Mr. Wirt, the ingenious author of "the letters of  
the BRITISH SPY," is said to be preparing ma-  
terials for writing a biographical view of the worthies  
of Virginia. His labours are to commence with the  
memoirs of our divine orator Patrick Henry; to col-  
lect particular information about whose family, edu-  
cation and early pursuits, he has already addressed a  
series of questions to a gentleman of Hanover, the  
country which had the honour of giving birth to Mr.  
Henry. Of Mr. Wirt's distinguished qualifications  
for such an interesting office, few men can doubt,  
who have had an opportunity of admiring in the let-  
ters of the British Spy, a style always easy and often  
energetic, an imagination that so happily collects the  
beauties of the picturesque, and a discriminating ge-  
nius, which knows so well how to catch and describe  
the peculiarities of living characters. To the honour  
of having produced worthies, whose virtues and ta-  
lents so eminently deserve to be recorded, Virginia  
may soon add the boast of having given birth to an  
historian, whose genius is so admirably qualified to  
commemorate their merits.—Richmond pap.

Mr. Minutty, dispatched by general Ferrand to  
Guadaloupe, to solicit aid for the French in St. Do-  
mingo, writes to his brother-in-law at Norfolk, that  
the answer of Mr. Ernouf, governor of that island,  
was, that the wishes of gen. Ferrand were already  
anticipated; that the Rochefort Squadron had sailed  
on the 26th March for St. Domingo, with 1500  
soldiers, 200 artillerymen, 2500 muskets, an adequate  
supply of warlike stores, and provisions of every  
kind, for the relief of the garrison—he adds, that be-  
fore the Squadron quitted the windward islands they  
debarked 1500 troops at Martinique, and a like num-  
ber at Guadaloupe.—Norfolk Ledger.

The ship Mohawk, Peck, of New-Haven, from St.  
Pierre's, Martinique, for New-York, is captured and  
sent into Tortola. In this vessel, we understand,  
Madam La Pagerie (mother of the French Empress  
Josephine) and family, had taken their passage.  
N. Y. pap.

## TO FARMERS.

A most excellent method of making butter, as now  
practised in England, which effectually prevents  
its changing, and becoming rancid.

The day before churning, scald the cream in a clean  
iron kettle, over a clear fire, taking care that it does  
not boil over. As soon as it begins to boil, or is fully  
scalded, strain it, when the particles of milk which  
tended to sour and change the butter, are separated  
and left behind. Put the vessel into which it was  
strained into a tub of water, in a cellar, till next  
morning, when it will be ready for churning and be-  
come butter in less than a quarter of the time requir-  
ed in the common method. It will also become hard  
with a peculiar additional sweetness, and will not  
change. The labour in this way is less than the other,  
as the butter comes sooner and saves so much labour  
in working out the butter milk. By this method  
good butter may be made in the hottest weather.

## REPORT

OF THE OPERATIONS OF THE MINT, DURING THE  
LAST YEAR.

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

AT the commencement of the year, it is the duty  
of the director of the mint, to communicate to go-  
vernment, the state of the mint; with its issues for  
the past year.

The issues of silver coins, notwithstanding the mer-  
cantile embarrassments attending the importation of  
bullion, have greatly exceeded that of the year 1803;  
and the advantage of a public mint, has been sensibly  
experienced, by the greatest part of the deposites be-  
ing issued in small coin, which has been found very  
beneficial to the citizens at large, under the late scar-  
city of Spanish dollars, occasioned by the great ex-  
portation of them for mercantile purposes.

The quantity of gold bullion, has been equal to  
that of the last report, so that in the past year the  
coinage of the precious metals has amounted to 358,983  
dollars. The particulars will appear by the schedule  
No. 1, herewith, to which the director begs leave to  
refer.\*

It is worthy of the President's attention, that about  
11,000 dollars of the gold coin, is the produce of vir-  
gin gold, found in the county of Cabarras, in the state  
of North-Carolina, where it is said, a very consider-  
able quantity has been found since the last deposites,  
and will in all probability, be forwarded to the mint.  
It is to be regretted, that this gold is melted into  
small ingots, before it is sent to the mint, for the  
convenience of carriage; but by which, there is rea-  
son to believe, a considerable proportion of it is waf-  
ted. It is also said, that the finest particles are ne-  
glected and only the large grains and lumps sought  
after.

The increased price of copper in Europe, and the  
quantity on hand, have been thought sufficient rea-  
sons, to confine the coinage of cents to one press;  
and from the last accounts from Europe copper is like-  
ly to be considerably increased in price which will ren-  
der the coinage of cents less profitable. The last  
year there have been issued seven hundred and fifty six  
thousand eight hundred and thirty eight cents, and  
one million and fifty-five thousand three hundred and  
twelve half cents, equal to twelve thousand eight hun-  
dred and forty-four dollars and ninety-four cents, as  
appears by the same schedule, No. 1, the amount of  
the cost of copper and profit on the whole coinage of  
cents this year, will be seen in schedule No. 2.

The coinage of the year amounts in the whole, to  
the sum of three hundred and seventy-one thousand  
eight hundred and twenty seven dollars and ninety-  
four cents, and the number of pieces to two millions  
sixty-six thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine.

The director thinks it his duty to mention to the  
President, that very considerable difficulty as well as  
danger may arise to the public, from the officers and  
workmen of the mint being exposed to be called out  
to attend militia meetings or on detachments.

When large deposites of the precious metals are pas-  
sing through the mint, and particularly when in fu-  
sion, it may be of the most dangerous consequence to  
have the officers and men called away or be liable to  
fines for non-attendance. It is too important a trust to  
be thus exposed.—The President in his wisdom will  
provide against this evil.

(Signed)

ELIAS BOUDINOT, Director.

Mint of the United States,  
Philadelphia, 1st January, 1805.

[Nat. Int.]

\* The Schedules referred to in this document do not ap-  
pear in the form which it is copied.

## Extract of a letter from the Mediterranean.

"We understand that the United States brig Ar-  
gus, captain Hull, has been ordered to Egypt, where  
she is expected to take on board the ex-bathaw of  
Tripoli, who, under the guidance of a special agent,  
is to be employed in revolutionising the eastern pro-  
vinces of Tripoli."



LONDON, March 19.

In the expedition fitting out at Portsmouth, which is generally supposed to be destined for the Mediterranean, Sir T. Stuart goes out as second in command.

March 20.

We have been favoured with the sight of letters brought by the Diana packet, from Lisbon, which brings intelligence of a very late date from the coasts of Spain and Portugal, and sufficiently shew how little credit ought to be given to the accounts in the official papers of the French government, stating the destruction of the whole of our fleet from Malta.

The Gottenburg mails arrived yesterday. A Russian messenger is also said to have arrived, and that he is the bearer of dispatches of great importance. If any such courier has arrived, we do not believe that the expected treaty has been received by him; a document of such extraordinary importance would, agreeably to the known practice of the court of St. Petersburg, be transmitted, most probably by a messenger of higher consideration.

The Channel fleet sailed from Torbay on Sunday for their station off Brest.

Lord Grenville, gave notice last night in the house of peers, that he should, on Monday next, present a petition from the Irish Roman Catholics. His lordship added, he should refrain from making any observations on that occasion, and should give ample notice of the day on which the discussion of this subject will take place. Mr. Fox gave a similar notice in the house of commons.

March 21.

House of Commons, Wednesday, March 20.

Mr. Rolfe moved, that the house do, to-morrow, go into a committee to consider of the order of council for granting permission no neutral ships to trade to and from Spain. Ordered.

A cabinet council was held yesterday at the Foreign Office, and was attended (with the exception of the lord chancellor) by every member; namely, the lord president, the chancellor of the exchequer, duke of Montrose, earls of Buckingham, Chatham, Westmoreland, and Camden; viscounts Melville and Castlereagh; and lords Hawkesbury and Mulgrave. The council sat nearly three hours. It is conjectured that the dispatches brought by the Russian messenger, who arrived the preceding day, formed the subject of deliberation. Immediately on the council breaking up, a messenger was ordered to be in readiness to set off for the continent.

We have received Dutch Journals of a later date than those which arrived on Saturday. They do not furnish any intelligence of moment.

It is announced under the head of Francfort, that every thing has been tranquil in the kingdom of Naples, since the interview of prince Cardito with the French general.

Parma, it is asserted, will be incorporated with the intended kingdom of Lombardy; and it was expected that Buonaparte's journey thither would not be delayed beyond the present month, as it had been officially notified that he would be at Lyons before the 22d instant.

The French ambassador, Semonville, took his final departure from the Hague on the 8th instant. It was generally believed that the new constitution had been secretly printed, preparatory to its being submitted for approbation.

Yesterday a court of directors was held at the East-India house, when marquis Cornwallis was introduced, and took the oath, on being appointed to the government general of Bengal.

BOSTON, May 2.

THE FRENCH WEST-INDIA FLEET.

Captain Bradbury, arrived here yesterday from St. Kitts, informs, that he spoke the brig Antelope from Guadaloupe, the captain of which reported, that he fell in with the French fleet in latitude 25, steering N. E.

We have seen a letter from Bourdeaux, of the date of the 4th March, which furnishes the following intelligence of our affairs with Spain: It states, "that captain Dutton of the U. S. navy, passed through that place, from Madrid, with dispatches from Mr. Monroe to our minister in Paris; that it was understood he had not succeeded in the object of his mission to the court of Spain."

NEW-YORK, May 8.

Captain Williams, of the Grey Hound, informs, that the French privateer (formerly the British sloop of war Lily) was blown up on the 12th of April, after an action of an hour and an half with the British sloop of war Reynard, captain Coughlan, about 40 miles to the northward of the Mona Passage. The Lily had on board 160 men, 60 of whom were killed during the engagement, 40 were saved, and the rest were lost when she blew up.

Captain W. confirms the account of the return of Desfallines and Christophe to the Cape with a part of their army; but the return, it was reported, was in consequence of their expecting a visit at the Cape from the Rochefort Squadron.

He also informs, that it was reported at the Cape that the Spaniards had evacuated the city of St. Domingo.

By the ship Young Factor, we learn, that the squadron under the command of admiral Cochrane, passed Nevis for the leeward on the 11th of April; and it was reported that they had fallen in with the French Squadron off Cape Francois.

We understand, that the hon. Mr. Bowdoin, minister to the court of Madrid, has taken passage for Spain in the ship Baltic, which will sail from Boston in a few days.

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.

Mrs. Anne Alexander, an eminent minister of the Gospel amongst the Society of Friends from Great-Britain, left this city yesterday on her way to New-York, from thence to embark for Europe. During her stay at Philadelphia, she had several meetings appointed for persons not of her own religious profession, which were attended by a great number of the most respectable inhabitants. As a lady of sound understanding, and superior elegance of diction, Mrs. Alexander is justly entitled to the character of a peculiarly pleasing advocate for the cause of righteousness.

BRIDGE-TOWN, April 18.

Since the safety of the colonies has been restored by the departure of Messier's Squadron, and the arrival of admiral Cochrane's, the greatest activity prevails here in loading our homeward bound ships for the first convoy, and they are all daily engaged in taking in freight; near 1000 hhd. being shipped in the present week alone.

Admiral Cochrane's Squadron was spoke by the schooner Burchall, from Antigua, on the 7th inst. five leagues to windward of Guadaloupe.

NORFOLK, May 6.

By a gentleman from St. Thomas, we are obligingly informed of some circumstances, respecting the defeat of the Haytiens before the city of St. Domingo, by the garrison under command of the brave Ferrand; who, on this occasion, it is said, displayed all the qualifications of a consummate general, and all the firm intrepidity of real courage.

When the negro army appeared off the city, and were in a condition to attack it, a summons was sent to the following purport—"JEAN JACQUES, the first, emperor of Hayti, to general Ferrand, commanding a division of the troops of the French republic. As it is inconsistent with the laws and independence of the empire, that any portion of the French army should be allowed to remain in the island, general Ferrand is summoned to surrender the city of St. Domingo in twenty-four hours; if at the end of that time the city shall not be evacuated, it will be delivered to plunder, and all the inhabitants thereof be put to the sword."—It being difficult to procure any person who would risk the delivery of a suitable answer to this demand, the commandant ordered three cannon shot to be levelled at the Black camp, which conveyed a defiance in terms as strong as the pen could have done, and doubtless as well understood.

The action was fought on the plain of St. Charles, on the 28th of March. The resources not less than the courage of Ferrand and his associates is seen in finding means, with so small an army, to garrison every part of the city, and to make a fortie against a foe so numerous, so desperate, and so insatiable for blood and vengeance. Seconded by a little band of Heroes, he, however, attacked successfully, and successfully carried, every intrenchment of the enemy. His second in command heading the attack on the first line received a very severe wound; not discouraged he led them on to the second, where he received several others; still concealing his situation from his companions, he conducted them to the third, in carrying which he received a musket ball through the lower viscera, of which he almost instantly died. From the Spanish troops but little aid was received in the first and partial engagements with the blacks, but in this decisive one, the presence of their commander, whom they loved and feared, animated them to actions which seemed to be inspired by a desire to surpass their French comrades.

The defeat was complete. 1300 brigands were counted dead on the field of battle; all their ammunition, a large portion of their military stores, their magazines of provisions, and the military chest and treasure of the emperor, fell into the hands of the victors; whose loss in the battle did not exceed 80 men.

The fleet of admiral Messier (or Minifiss) arrived either on the day of the battle or the day succeeding, but had not at the time landed any troops. The ships did not come to anchor, but after putting the aids which they had for the garrison on shore, stood out to sea. We understand that the inhabitants of St. Domingo have been invited to return, as the siege is raised, and the army of Desfallines completely withdrawn.

Admiral Cochrane touched at St. Thomas, in pursuit of the French Squadron; but not finding it there, continued his course for St. Domingo.

Captain Thomas informs that the French had demanded and received from the inhabitants of Lubec, 200,000 marks banco, for the privilege of a free trade through Hanover.

A passenger on board the ship Hermoine, from Teneriffe, informs us that an express had arrived from Bourdeaux with intelligence of the sailing of a secret expedition from England of great magnitude.

When the Live Oak left Varel, it was reported that the emperor of Russia had entered into an alliance with England, and would commence operations in the course of the summer.

Captain Wilton, of the brig Atlantic, arrived yesterday from Antigua, informs us that the British fleet under Admiral Cochrane had arrived at that island about a fortnight before he sailed, and proceeded to leeward; and that a few days afterwards commodore Hood's advice boat arrived with intelligence that a Squadron of twenty sail of vessels of war, consisting of French and Spanish, had arrived to windward; that dispatches were immediately forwarded to recall admiral Cochrane; that the militia were again under arms, and that an embargo was hourly expected.

## Postscript.

ANNAPOLIS, May 16.

Extract of a letter from Montserrat, to a gentleman in this city, dated April 6.

"Since writing the above, it has transpired that this French Squadron is from Rochefort, and that they have been lying at anchor at Fort Royal, Martinico, ever since leaving us, until a few days past, when getting intelligence that the London fleet of merchant vessels was in the West-Indies, part of which was bound for Jamaica, (upwards of one hundred sail,) they went immediately in pursuit of them, and there is not the smallest doubt of nine tenths of them falling into their possession.—This will distress us beyond measure—we are nearly starved already."

NEW-YORK, May 10.

Capt. Paine, from Martinique, informs, that an English fleet of 10 sail of the line, and some frigates, passed St. Eustatia the 14th April. It was reported at Martinique, that 4000 men had been landed at Barbadoes.

Capt. Culver, who arrived here yesterday, in the Eliza Hamilton, from St. Croix, informs, that a few days previous to his sailing, a vessel arrived from St. Thomas, which reported that a vessel had arrived there from some part of South-America, who had fallen in with the English fleet about three days sail from Jamaica—next day fell in with the French fleet, steering the same course.

Our little Squadron, consisting of the John Adams and three gun boats, will sail for the Mediterranean on Saturday; should the weather permit.

May 11.

A rumour prevailed at St. Thomas, the beginning of April last, of the French fleet having appeared off Jacquemel, where they burnt all the shipping, destroyed part of the town, and carried away some black generals who came on board, thinking they were an English Squadron when they first hoisted in sight with the English flag.

PHILADELPHIA, May 13.

Arrived, British brig Brothers, Bullay, 50 days from Dartmouth, England. Sailed in company with a fleet of 32 sail of merchantmen, under convoy of the Camilla frigate and a 20 gun ship, and parted from them on the Banks of Newfoundland.

Also, brig Enterprize, Candler, of Marblehead, 42 days from Madeira. On Sunday last spoke brig Louisa, 48 hours from Philadelphia for Cadiz. April 19, fell in with a fleet of men of war, two three deckers, three frigates and two brigs, steering eastward, supposed them to be French or Spanish.

LEXINGTON; (Ken.) April 9.

A letter from a gentleman at St. Louis, Upper Louisiana, of the 9th March, informs, that Mr. Morrison of that place, last fall sent a party of men up the Missouri, to cross the country, and trade with the Spaniards of Santa Fe.—That they so far succeeded as to induce the inhabitants to trade with them; some of whom were returning with Morrison's party, when they were all killed by the Indians belonging to a nation who were at war with those who served as guides to conduct the party. Three Frenchmen who had remained in the village, were also murdered, in revenge for some Indians who were killed at the same time.

## 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.

Those gentlemen who subscribed to him for The Life of Washington, and have not yet taken their first and second volumes, are requested to call or send for them. The third volume is expected in a few days.

Frederick Green.

Annapolis, May, 1805.

## NOTICE.

THE sale of the property of general JONATHAN SELLMAN, as security of Joseph Watkins, is postponed.

On the 28th instant, will be sold, one negro woman named Lucy, and one negro boy named Tom, taken as the property of Joseph Watkins, to satisfy a debt due Baker and Burnetson.

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

May 14, 1805.

## NOTICE.

THE creditors of NATHAN SMITH, late of Calvert county, deceased, are requested to meet at Hunting-town, in Calvert county aforesaid, on Monday the first day of July next, ensuing the date hereof, in order to receive their proportion of the said Nathan Smith's estate, so far as assets have been received. Given under my hand this ninth day of May, 1805.

THEODORE HODGKIN, Administrator.

Far  
NOTICE is hereby  
opened on Tue  
the county town in  
Maryland, for the pu  
to the Farmers Bank  
May 13, 1805.

Prac  
MR. DUCLAIR  
ladies and ge  
city, that his pra  
Thursday next, at th  
till 10, and contin  
June. He has ju  
teach the most prop  
used in cotillions; th  
these steps, and of  
dancing, will please  
not attend longer th  
The tickets of ad  
at Mr. Gwin's tave

T O  
THE TAVER  
Grace, where  
lived, generally kn  
erry. To a person  
ferry the rent will b  
ply to the subscriber.

May 9, 1805.

Michael a  
Have received, a  
In

A variety o

CALICOES

CAMBRICK a

ther dimities,

Black and fancy can

mulins,

Laced cambric ditti

Leancoes and figured

mulis,

Book & Jaconet mu

No. do. handkerchie

India book mulin

handkerchiefs,

Laced and fancy can

shawls,

Pink, yellow, & co

crape,

Silk & cotton fust

Ladies and gentl

umbrellas,

Irish linens & bed t

And many othe

all of which will b

teries to their pun

Also a few ch

Annapolis, May

By virtue of a d

SIMPSON to the

PUBLIC SAL

June next, on t

PART of a tra

Charles count

markably level, a

neighbourhood. T

the day of sale, ar

money is paid, by

May 15, 1805.

This

THAT the fu

ministration o

tate of JONAT

county, deceased,

county. All per

deceased are her

the vouchers ther

the 15th day of I

be excluded from

under my hand, t

WAL

de

Noti

THAT the f

phans cou

ministration on

DAY, late of

having claims ag

hibit the fame,

fore the first day

by law be execu

Given under my

1805.

2 JO

Th

orphans c

of administration

MIN FAIRBA

polis, deceased,

are requested

who have claim

der their account

F

May 8, 1805



ipt.  
ANNAPOLIS, May 16.  
nterrat, to a gentleman  
d April 6.  
it has transpired that  
Rocheport, and that they  
Fort Royal, Martinico,  
few days past, when ge-  
ondon fleet of merchant  
ies, part of which was  
s of one hundred sail,  
rfruit of them, and there  
nine tenths of them fall-  
is will distress us beyond  
ed already."

New-York, May 10.  
nique, informs, that an  
e line, and some frigates,  
April. It was reported  
men had been landed at  
ed here yesterday, in the  
roix, informs, that a few  
a vessel arrived from St.  
a vessel had arrived  
South-America, who had  
fleet about three days fall-  
in with the French fleet

ling of the John Adams  
ail for the Mediterranean  
ther permit.

May 11.  
t. Thomas, the beginning  
n fleet having appeared off  
t all the shipping, destroy-  
ried away some black ge-  
d, thinking they were as  
y first hove in sight with

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.  
Brothers, Bullay, 30 days  
Sailed in company with  
hantmen, under convoy of  
20 gun ship, and parted  
Newfoundland.

andler, of Marblehead, 42  
a Sunday last spoke brig  
Philadelphia for Cadiz. April  
of men of war, two three  
two brigs, steering east-  
French or Spanish.

INGTON; (Ken.) April 9.  
eman at St. Louis, Upper  
March, informs, that Mr.  
st fall feat a party of men  
the country, and trade with  
That they so far succeed-  
tants to trade with them;  
rning with Morrison's party,  
by the Indians belonging to  
ar with those who served as  
ty. Three Frenchmen who  
ge, were also murdered, in  
who were killed at the same

TICE.  
r once more earnest-  
ls on all persons indebt-  
ents of their respective  
ugh small in themselves,  
of great importance to  
rious circumstances ren-  
ary to enable him to dis-  
gements, and to support  
ents must excuse him  
ulsory measures, which,  
be resorted to, though

who subscribed to him for  
ngton, and have not yet  
second volumes, are re-  
nd for them. The third  
a few days.

Frederick Green.  
1805.

TICE.  
roperty of general JONATHAN  
curity of Joseph Watkins, is

, will be sold, one negro wo-  
one negro boy named Tom,  
f Joseph Watkins, to satisfy  
urneston.

ER E. TILLY, Sheriff of  
e-Arundel county.

TICE.  
NATHAN SMITH, late of  
deceased, are requested to meet  
Calvert county aforesaid, on  
of July next ensuing the date  
so far as affects have been re-  
may have this ninth day of

ROCKIN, Administrator.

Farmers Bank.  
NOTICE is hereby given, that BOOKS will be  
opened on Tuesday, the 16th of July next, at  
the county town in every county in the State of  
Maryland, for the purpose of receiving subscriptions  
to the Farmers Bank of Maryland.  
May 13, 1805.

Practising Ball.  
MR. DUCLAIRACQ respectfully informs the  
ladies and gentlemen of this city, and its vi-  
cinity, that his practising ball will take place on  
Thursday next, at the assembly room, from 7 o'clock  
till 10, and continue every Thursday till the end of  
June. He has just began a new quarter, and will  
teach the most proper and fashionable steps which are  
used in cotillions; those who are desirous of learning  
these steps, and of being more perfect in the art of  
dancing, will please to apply immediately, as he will  
not attend longer than to the end of June.  
The tickets of admittance for gentlemen to be had  
at Mr. Gwin's tavern. 1X 07/16

TO RENT,  
THE TAVERN and FERRY, at Havre-de-  
Grace, where JOHN H. BARNEY formerly  
lived, generally known by the name of the Lower  
Ferry. To a person who is accustomed to managing a  
ferry the rent will be made very low. For terms ap-  
ply to the subscriber, at Havre-de-Grace.  
WILLIAM B. STOKES.  
May 9, 1805. 1X 07/16

Michael and Barney Curran,  
Have received, and offer for sale, at their store,  
In Corn-Hill-street,  
A variety of fashionable printed  
CALICOES AND CHINTZES,  
CAMBRICK and o-  
ther dimities,  
Black and fancy cambrick  
mullins,  
Laced cambrick ditto,  
Leaves and figured mull-  
mulls,  
Book & Jaconet mullins,  
Do. do. handkerchiefs,  
India book mullins and  
handkerchiefs,  
Laced and fancy cambrick  
shawls,  
Pink, yellow, & coquelico  
crape,  
Silk & cotton suspenders,  
Ladies and gentlemen's  
umbrellas,  
Irish linens & bed ticking,  
And many other articles too tedious to mention,  
all of which will be sold low for cash, or on the usual  
terms to their punctual customers.  
Also a few chests of Imperial,  
Hylon, and } Teas.  
Young Hylon }  
Annapolis, May 16, 1805.

By virtue of a deed of trust from THOMAS M.  
SIMPSON to the subscriber, will be EXPOSED to  
PUBLIC SALE, on Tuesday the 25th day of  
June next, on the premises,  
PART of a tract of LAND, lying and being in  
Charles county, near Newport; this land is re-  
markably level, and the soil equal to any in that  
neighbourhood. The terms will be made known on  
the day of sale, and a title given, when the purchase  
money is paid, by  
JOSEPH GREEN.  
May 15, 1805.

This is to give notice,  
THAT the subscriber hath obtained letters of ad-  
ministration, de bonis non, on the personal es-  
tate of JONATHAN BURCH, late of Charles  
county, deceased, from the orphans court of said  
county. All persons having claims against the said  
deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with  
the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before  
the 15th day of December next, otherwise they may  
be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given  
under my hand, this 6th day of May, 1805.  
WALTER DYSON, Administrator,  
de bonis non. 1X 07/16

Notice is hereby given,  
THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the or-  
phans court of Calvert county, letters of ad-  
ministration on the personal estate of ROBERT  
DAY, late of said county, deceased. All persons  
having claims against the deceased are warned to ex-  
hibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, on or be-  
fore the first day of June next, they may otherwise  
by law be excluded from all benefit from said estate.  
Given under my hand and seal, this 22d day of April,  
1805. 2 JOHN SEDWICK, Administrator.

This is to give notice,  
THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the  
orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, letters  
of administration on the personal estate of BENJA-  
MIN FAIRBAIRNE, late of the city of Annā-  
polis, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate  
are requested to make immediate payment, and those  
who have claims against the same are desired to ren-  
der their accounts, properly authenticated, to  
ROBERT DAVIS, Administrator.  
May 8, 1805. 2

Furniture for Sale.  
I WILL dispose of a variety of very valuable  
HOUSEHOLD & KITCHEN FURNITURE,  
and will hire or sell several good house servants.  
R. B. LATIMER.  
Annapolis, April 24, 1805.

COMPOUND,  
FIVE years old, superior in size and pedigree to  
any covering Jack in Maryland, will stand, this  
season, at my stables near Queen-Anne, for Six Dol-  
lars each mare. His reputation for certainty as a foal  
getter, (acquired last year, his first season,) has so  
established his character, that his owner lately refused  
an almost incredible sum for him. The object which  
induced me to farm him being my own mares, and  
having no care beyond the price actually disbursed for  
the use of him, the neighbourhood has now an oppor-  
tunity of raising that most valuable of all plantation  
animals—the Mule—fifty per cent. cheaper than can  
be effected with any other Jack of equal size and  
pedigree. Five dollars will be received, in full, if  
paid by the first day of September next.  
T. C. BOWIE.

NOTICE.  
THE Commissioners of the Tax of Anne-Arun-  
del county will meet at the court-house, in the  
city of Annapolis, on the first Monday of June next;  
and will sit twenty days thereafter, to hear and deter-  
mine the complaints and appeals of any persons who  
may think themselves grieved by their property being  
over valued, and to make transfers.

PROPOSALS  
FOR CARRYING  
Mails of the United States,  
On the following post-roads, will be received at the  
general post-office in Washington; until the tenth  
day of July next inclusive.  
IN MARYLAND.  
FROM Annapolis, by Rock-Hall, to Chester-  
town once a week.  
Leave Annapolis every Thursday at 6 A. M. and  
arrive at Chester-town by 6 P. M. Leave Chester-  
town every Wednesday at 6 A. M. and arrive at An-  
napolis by 6 P. M.

NOTES.  
1. The postmaster-general may expedite the mails  
and alter the times of arrival and departure at any  
time during the continuance of the contracts, he sti-  
pulating an adequate compensation for any extra ex-  
pense that may be occasioned thereby.  
2. Fifteen minutes shall be allowed for opening and  
closing the mails at all offices where no particular  
time is specified.  
3. For every thirty minutes delay (unavoidable ac-  
cidents excepted) in arriving after the time prescribed  
in any contract, the contractor shall forfeit one dol-  
lar; and if the delay continues until the departure of  
any depending mail, whereby the mails destined for  
each depending mail lose a trip, an additional for-  
feiture of five dollars shall be incurred.  
4. News-papers as well as letters are to be sent in  
the mail; and if any person making proposals, de-  
sires to carry news-papers, other than those conveyed  
in the mail, for his own emolument, he must state in  
his proposals for what sum he will carry with the  
emolument, and for what sum without that emolu-  
ment.  
5. Should any person making proposals desire an  
alteration of the times of arrival and departure above  
specified, he must state in his proposals the alteration  
desired, and the difference they will make in the  
terms of the contract.  
6. Persons making proposals are desired to state  
their prices by the year. Those who contract will  
receive their pay quarterly in the months of August,  
November, February and May, in one month after  
the expiration of each quarter.  
7. No other than a free white person shall be em-  
ployed to convey the mail.  
8. Where the proposer intends to convey the mail  
in the body of a stage carriage, he is desired to state  
it in his proposals.  
9. The postmaster-general reserves to himself the  
right of declaring any contract at an end whenever  
three failures happen which amount to the loss of a  
trip each.  
10. The contracts for the above routes are to be  
in operation on the first day of October next, and are  
to continue in force for two years.  
GIDEON GRANGER,  
Postmaster-general.

GENERAL POST-OFFICE,  
Washington City, 25 February, 1805.

FOR SALE,  
A HEALTHY NEGRO MAN, aged about  
25 years, now in Annapolis gaol. Apply to  
the keeper of the gaol.

NOTICE.  
ANY person who understands the mathematics,  
and will teach in a private family, with good  
recommendation, will meet with encouragement, by  
applying to the subscriber, living on the Head of  
Severn, in Anne-Arundel county.  
P. HAMMOND.

FOR SALE,  
A NEGRO WOMAN, about 25 years of age;  
she is an excellent spinner, a good washer and  
ironer, a good plain cook and a good hand on a plan-  
tation. Inquire of the Printers.  
Annapolis, March 13. 9 X 1

Poet's Corner.  
SELECTED.  
LOVE IN THE BLOSSOM.  
OBSERVE where yonder rose bush stands!  
'Tis somewhat old, and much decay'd;  
Twas planted there by Henry's hands,  
When Mary was a little maid.  
This bush he cried, I give to you;  
It always was my favourite tree;  
And prithee, little Mary, do  
Look on it, and remember me.  
These words in Mary's heart sunk deep,  
And, tho' the cause she could not tell,  
She would not give her eyes to sleep.  
Till that poor bush was water'd well.  
With eyes impatient she beheld,  
And chid, fair spring! thy tardy power,  
Till the full bud triumphant swell'd,  
And burst into a lovely flower.  
She pluck'd it with an eager hand;  
Shall I to Henry offer this?  
She said, not long she made a stand,  
Her heart responsive whisper'd yes.  
And, strange as it may seem to you,  
Tho' roses lin'd the garden wall,  
More lovely far, in Mary's view,  
T'his single bush surpass'd them all.  
And tho' the bush hung very thick  
With flowers, and tho' the ground was strewn,  
None ventur'd there a rose to pick,  
'Twas Henry's plunder, his alone.  
And once a rose I saw him strip,  
And give it to a flander-by;  
Resentment quiver'd Mary's lip,  
Her pride but half surpris'd the sigh.  
Now join'd in wedlock's holy rite,  
In mutual love and peace they dwell;  
Yet still it gives their hearts delight,  
This simple incident to tell.

ODE TO FORTITUDE.  
CELESTIAL nymph whose power divine,  
Can soothe the wounds that grief bestows,  
Here on thy votary's breast recline,  
And yield his aching heart repose.  
Shall disappointment's lifted dart,  
Strike terror to the throbbing heart,  
And chill the soul with fearful dread?  
No, blest'd with thee her power I'll scorn,  
And laugh at sorrows hidden thorn,  
That haunts the path I tread.  
Short is her reign: Misfortunes band  
At thy approach all trembling fly,  
Like figures in the yielding sand,  
Soon viewless to the curious eye.  
'Tis thine to steel the human heart  
Against stern sorrow's piercing dart:  
Then grant to me the friendly power  
Adversity's dread storm to dare,  
That darkens in the lurid air,  
And drives the whelming shower.  
When false I find a much lov'd friend,  
And weep to think all friendship frail,  
Quick to my aid, sweet nymph descend;  
Nor let despair's dread power prevail.  
When faithless proves the maid I love,  
Far from my thoughts her form remove;  
Teach me the charmer to forget;  
To court no more the dream of joy,  
That truth can with a breath destroy,  
And scorn the false coquette.  
And oh! when death enwrap in gloom,  
Advances with his pallid train,  
And pointing to the silent tomb,  
Proclaims all mortal pleasures vain;  
When Health and Ease and Joy have fled,  
Be thou attendant on my bed,  
To soothe the tortures of dis ease;  
And Resignation teach my heart,  
With all its mortal cares to part,  
And bow to Heav'n's decrees.

ON A LADY'S TAKING THE SEA-BATH.  
BE hush'd ye winds, ye tempests cease,  
My love now tries the faithless main;  
Be hush'd ye waves, and roll in peace,  
Until my love returns again.  
Yet should the wat'ry mountains roll,  
And overwhelm their lovely prize,  
'Twere jill, for the their treasure stole,  
Their brightest glitt'ring gems for eyes.  
Yet see, more bright, with blushing charms,  
My darling girl returning see;  
She tells me all her soul's alarms—  
What rudely dared the saucy sea.  
That, down her hair, in fond embrace,  
The raptur'd waves enamour'd clung;  
And loth to leave so sweet a place,  
In brilliant, o'er her tresses hung.  
That one bold wave upon her breast,  
To die with ecstacy resolv'd,  
And weeping as it closer prest,  
In showers of silver tears dissolv'd.  
Yet grateful still for so much bliss,  
It left a gift its thanks to prove;  
And fix'd its coral, in a kiss  
Upon her ruby lips of love.

ANECDOTE.  
LORD THURLOW.  
Mr. Pitt, when chancellor of the exchequer, was suffi-  
ciently notorious for the positiveness with which he delivered  
and supported his opinions. Lord Thurlow once rebuked  
him in his own way. Mr. Pitt was declaiming, at a cabi-  
net dinner, on the energy and beauty of the Latin language,  
and amongst other things, mentioned as a peculiar elegance  
in it, that two negatives made a thing more positive than  
one affirmative possibly could. "Then," said Thurlow,  
"your father and mother must have been two negatives, to  
have made such a damned positive fellow as you are."

WRAPPING PAPER.  
A few reams of WRAPPING PAPER, at  
1 dollar per ream, for sale at the Printing-Office.



## LAND FOR SALE.

Pursuant to the last will of JOSHUA DORSEY, sen. late of Elk-Ridge, deceased, and agreeably to the decree of the honourable the Chancellor of Maryland of June last, will be sold, at public sale, on the premises, on the sixth of June next, THE tract of LAND called LOCUST THicket, situated on Elk-Ridge, Anne-Arundel county, Maryland, containing about 500 acres. This land is one and a half miles from Spurrier's tavern, on the post road from Baltimore to the city of Washington. There are several merchant mills within a few miles of this farm. This land is well adapted to Indian corn, wheat, rye, and tobacco; it is divided into six fields, under good fencing, and conveniently watered, with good springs and streams of water. There is a tolerable good mill seat on this land; a good proportion of meadow now in grass, and more can easily be made; there is a sufficiency of woodland to support this farm. The improvements are, a comfortable dwelling-house, kitchen, smoke house, corn house, barn, stables, and other necessary buildings; an apple orchard of good fruit, and a variety of other fruit trees. The terms of sale are, twelve months credit, the purchaser or purchasers giving bond, with interest from the day of sale, with approved security for the purchase money, to the subscriber. Any person calling on Mr. JOHN SHIPLEY, near the premises, can be shown the above mentioned land. There will be an accurate plot exhibited at the day of sale. When the purchase money is paid there will be a good and sufficient deed executed by the subscriber. The sale to begin at 12 o'clock. Immediate possession will be given.

GEORGE DORSEY, Trustee.

Mr. Green, of Annapolis, Mr. Hamilton, of Lancaster, and Mr. Edie, of York, are requested to publish the above advertisement six times, and forward their accounts to Yundt and Brown.

April 23, 1805.

## LANDS FOR SALE.

In pursuance of a decree of the High Court of Chancery of this State, will be exposed to public sale, on Monday the tenth day of June next, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter, at the house of Mr. JOSEPH EDWARDS, in Chaptico, Saint-Mary's county,

THE following tracts or parcels of LAND, late the property of TOWNSEND EDEN, deceased, & lying in Saint-Mary's county, to wit: Two separate parts of *Bashford Manor*, one of which lies on Chaptico bay, is supposed to contain 270 acres, and is well improved; the other within one mile of Wicomico river, and supposed to contain upwards of 200 acres; *Cole's Adventure*, and part of *Neale's Lot Resurveyed*, lie in the Forest, and are chiefly in woods.

These lands, or as much thereof as will produce the sum of seven hundred and fifty pounds, will be sold on the following terms: The purchaser to give bond, with good and sufficient security, to pay one half the purchase money, and interest, within one year from the time of sale, and the residue, and interest thereon, within two years from the time of sale, to be ratified and approved by the chancellor; and conveyances in fee-simple for the said property, for all the estate, right, title and interest, in said lands, which was in Townsend Eden, and now in James Eden, which hath descended to him from Townsend Eden, his father, will be made to the respective purchasers, on payment of the purchase money, and not before.

A more particular description of the lands, with their advantages and incumbrances, will be detailed at the time and place of sale. The subscriber will shew the lands at any time previous to the day of sale to any person inclinable to become a purchaser.

WILLIAM MUIR, Trustee for the sale of said lands.

## NOTICE.

WHEREAS my wife, ELIZABETH GREEN, hath eloped from my bed and board, for two years and upwards, and is doing me great injury, by having suits brought against me at law, the costs of which I am unjustly called upon to pay, therefore, to put a stop to any further use of my name by the said Elizabeth Green, I hereby forewarn all persons from dealing with her, or crediting her in my name, as I am determined to pay no debts of her contracting, nor be answerable for any of her proceedings from the date hereof.

LANCELOT GREEN. Anne-Arundel county, May 2, 1805.

## Forty Dollars Reward.

RAN away, on the 14th of last month, from the plantation of JOHN WORTHINGTON, near Annapolis, a negro woman named CILLA, about four feet two inches high, of a small delicate shape, about forty-five years old; had on and took with her, a striped country cloth petticoat, white country cloth jacket, of snabrig shifts, negro shoes, yarn stockings, and a red flowered calico gown; she may have other cloaths that are unknown to the subscriber. Whoever takes up and secures said woman, so that her master gets her again, shall receive three dollars reward, if taken above ten miles from home five dollars, of fifteen miles ten dollars, if twenty miles fifteen dollars, if out of the county twenty dollars, and if taken out of the State the above reward, including what the law allows, paid by

WALTER FAIRALL, Manager. May 1, 1805.

## LAND FOR SALE.

By virtue of a decree from the honourable the High Court of Chancery, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on TUESDAY, the second of July next, at eleven o'clock, A. M. on the premises,

THAT valuable FARM, lying on the upper part of Elk Ridge, adjoining Carroll's manor, whereon the late Henry Nelson formerly lived, containing about 665 acres. The terms of sale will be, that one fourth of the purchase money be paid, at the election of the purchaser, on the day of sale, or brought into the court of chancery on the ratification thereof, and the residue to be paid, with interest, at three equal annual payments, to be bonded for, with security, to be approved of by the trustee. This valuable farm lies high and healthy, within twenty miles of Baltimore city, thirty of Frederick-town, and thirty-five of the city of Washington. The improvements are, a large and convenient dwelling-house, a barn 60 feet by 40, with stables under it, three tobacco-houses, and all other necessary buildings; it abounds with all kinds of fruit, and an orchard of 500 bearing apple trees. There are about 50 acres of meadow in grass. This farm is well adapted to all kinds of country produce.

HENRY HOWARD, Trustee. April, 1805.

## In Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

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

April 22, 1805.

## In Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

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

April 22, 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 of administration, de bonis non, with the will annexed, on the personal estate of JOHN MERCER STEVENS, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the twenty-fifth day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 27th day of April, 1805.

ZACHARIAH JACOB, Administrator, D. B. N. W. A.

## Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

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

April 22, 1805.

## Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

THOMAS FOLKS, 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 Thomas Folks being under an arrest upon mesne process for a debt 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 Thomas Folks appear before the said court, at the court-house of Anne-Arundel county, on the twenty-fourth day of July 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 Thomas Folks 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 six successive weeks.

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

The subscriber being appointed Trustee by the honourable the High Court of Chancery for the purpose of selling and conveying the real estate of the rev. WALTER H. HARRISON, late of Charles county, deceased, for the payment of his debts, will offer at PUBLIC SALE, on the premises, on the tenth day of June next, if fair, if not, on the first fair day thereafter,

THE whole of the real estate aforesaid, consisting of two hundred and thirty acres of LAND—The greater part of this land lies immediately on the Patowmack river, about forty miles by water from Alexandria, and ten from Dumfries. It affords an elegant situation for a dwelling, is extremely fertile, has on it an excellent fishery, and abounds in valuable wood and timber. The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money within fifteen months from the day of sale, and on fully discharging the said bond will receive a deed for the land.

HENRY H. CHAPMAN, Trustee. Charles county, April 12, 1805.

P. S. All persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, are desired to exhibit them, with proper vouchers, to the chancellor, before the tenth day of September next.

## 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, de bonis non, on the personal estate of RICHARD RAWLINGS, late of said 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 eleventh day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 11th day of April, 1805.

JOSEPH N. STOCKETT, Administrator de bonis non.

ANNAPOLIS: Printed by FREDERICK and SAMUEL GREEN.

(LXIth YEA

MA

ANNAPOLIS,

A LETTER from the arrival of ship Erin, captain St. more, having on board and LADY.—It was ed proceeding to France Madame Buonaparte Amsterdam. M. Jerome, we Lisbon, presented ca dollars, and plate pounds.

A correspondent i our last, respecting thor of The Letter native of Virginia, informs us, that M burg, in this state.

WE are authori GASSAWAY, of Rh the ensuing election, Anne-Arundel count Rhode river, Ma

On Tuesday, the failed from Pittsbu

On Saturday the Granger, postmaster On Monday, he pri where, we are told, to hold a conferenc order to extinguish ter.

By a gentleman intelligence has been consisting of about at the mouth of th tion is said to cons Western tribes—T deliberate on the si Ofage Indians, up they have long been a gentleman prefer that as Mr. Jeffe averte to the effu bably use his exert Indians appeared r right to interfere i to their own sover When the gentle left the Ohio, he deliberations.

The report, by that the French contradicted in la that John Lowell were at Leghorn. Mr. Bowdoin, failed from this po

By the arrival yesterday, in 35 o favoured with a si the 30th of Marc

We find the w occupied with and awaits their belo and M. de Segur departed for Mila nation of Buona tribunate had rel dent, to wait up pacity, to felicit tion.

The cardinal officiate at the c chamberlain, M. the ornaments to left Paris.

In general or derial Flotilla an miral Lacrosse ment to succeed of February.



# SUPPLEMENT TO THE MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1805.

## AN ACT

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

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

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

III. *And be it enacted,* That the capital stock of this bank shall be limited to one million two hundred thousand dollars, to consist of twenty-four thousand shares of fifty dollars each, one third part thereof, eight thousand shares, shall be reserved for the use and benefit of the state, to be subscribed for in such manner as the legislature may direct, but no engagement shall be understood to be laid upon the state to subscribe or vest money therein by the admission of a right to do so, or by a retention of any unfilled shares, and the remaining sixteen thousand shares shall be allotted to the different counties, and subscribed for, in manner following, viz. At Annapolis, for the city of Annapolis and county of Anne-Arundel, for two thousand shares, under the direction of John Gibson, James Williams, John Muir, Robert Denny, Lewis Duvall and William Alexander, or any two of them; At Baltimore, for the city and county of Baltimore, for two thousand shares, under the direction of Thos. Dickson, Cumberland Dugan, John Stephen and Geo. F. Warfield, or any two of them; at Belle-Air, for the county of Harford, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of John Stump, William Wilton, John C. Bond and George Patterson, or any two of them; at Frederick-town, for Frederick county, for twelve hundred shares, under the direction of George Murdock, doctor John Tyler, John Schley and Henry R. Warfield, or any two of them; at Elizabeth-town, for Washington county, for eight hundred shares, under the direction of Samuel Ringgold, Nathaniel Rochester, Robert Hughes and Jacob Zeller, or any two of them; at Cumberland, for Allegany county, for four hundred shares, under the direction of William McMahon, Daniel Feiter, James Scott and George Hebb, or any two of them; at Montgomery court-house, for Montgomery county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of Thomas Davis, Upton Beall, Caleb Bently and Thomas P. Wilton, or any two of them; at Upper-Marlborough, for Prince-George's county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of Edward H. Calvert, Archibald Van-Horn, Thomas Snowden and Jacob Duckett, or any two of them; at Port-Tobacco, for Charles county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of Henry H. Chapman, William Vincent, William H. McPherson and Francis Digges, or any two of them; at Leonard-town, for Saint-Mary's county, for four hundred and eighty shares, under the direction of William Holton, Joseph Ford, Luke W. Barber and James Hopewell, or any two of them; at Prince-Frederick-town, for Calvert county, for three hundred and twenty shares, under the direction of Richard Graham, Richard Mackall, Joseph Wilkinson and Samuel Whittington, or any two of them; at Easton, for Easton and Talbot county, for two thousand shares, under the direction of Thomas J. Bullitt, John Leeds Kerr, Hall Harrison, Bennett Wheeler, Joseph Haskins, William Meluy and James Earle, junior, or any two of them; at Cambridge, for Dorchester county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of doctor John Eccleston, Joseph Ennalls, Matthew Keene and Solomon Frazier, or any two of them; at Centre-Ville, for Queen-Anne's county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of William Carmichael, Richard T. Earle, John Hackett and Thomas Earle, or any two of them; at Denton, for Caroline county, for four hundred shares, under the direction of William Whitely, Solomon Brown, William Potter and Isaac Purnell, or any two of them; at Chester-town, for Kent county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of James Scott, Benjamin Chambers, Richard Hatchefon and Richard Tilghman, 4th, or any two of them; at Princess-Anne, for Somerset county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of William Williams, Benjamin F. A. C. Dalhiell, Littleton D. Teacle and Peter Dalhiell, or any two of them; at Elkton, for Cecil county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of Daniel Sheredine, John Partridge, John Gilpin and William Alexander, or any two of them; at Snow-Hill, for Worcester county, for six hundred and forty shares, under the direction of Thomas S.

Fossett, Zadock Sturgis, Ephraim K. Wilton and Stephen Purnell, or any two of them.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### PROPOSALS FOR CARRYING

#### Mails of the United States,

On the following post-roads, will be received at the general post-office in Washington, until the tenth day of July next inclusive.

#### IN MARYLAND.

FROM Annapolis, by Rock-Hall, to Chester-

town once a week.

Leave Annapolis every Thursday at 6 A. M. and arrive at Chester-town by 6 P. M. Leave Chester-town every Wednesday at 6 A. M. and arrive at Annapolis by 6 P. M.

#### NOTES.

1. The postmaster-general may expedite the mails and alter the times of arrival and departure at any time during the continuance of the contracts, he stipulating an adequate compensation for any extra expense that may be occasioned thereby.

2. Fifteen minutes shall be allowed for opening and closing the mails at all offices where no particular time is specified.

3. For every thirty minutes delay (unavoidable accidents excepted) in arriving after the time prescribed in any contract, the contractor shall forfeit one dollar; and if the delay continues until the departure of any depending mail, whereby the mails declined for each depending mail lose a trip, an additional forfeiture of five dollars shall be incurred.

4. News-papers as well as letters are to be sent in the mail; and if any person making proposals, desires to carry news-papers, other than those conveyed in the mail, for his own emolument, he must state in his proposals for what sum he will carry with the emolument, and for what sum without that emolument.

5. Should any person making proposals desire an alteration of the times of arrival and departure above specified, he must state in his proposals the alteration desired, and the difference they will make in the terms of the contract.

6. Persons making proposals are desired to state their prices by the year. Those who contract will receive their pay quarterly in the months of August, November, February and May, in one month after the expiration of each quarter.

7. No other than a free white person shall be employed to convey the mail.

8. Where the proposer intends to convey the mail in the body of a stage carriage, he is desired to state it in his proposals.

9. The postmaster-general reserves to himself the right of declaring any contract at an end whenever three failures happen which amount to the loss of a trip each.

10. The contracts for the above routes are to be in operation on the first day of October next, and are to continue in force for two years.

GIDEON GRANGER,  
Postmaster-general.  
GENERAL POST-OFFICE,  
Washington City, 25 February, 1805.

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

#### GENTLEMEN,

FROM the promised support of many of my fellow-citizens, I am encouraged to offer myself a candidate for the next SHERIFFALTY of this county. Should I be honoured with your support on that occasion, you may rest assured, that every exertion on my part will be used to discharge the duties that will necessarily devolve on me with industry and fidelity. I am, Gentlemen,

Your obt. serv't.

JOSEPH MCENEY.

April, 1805.

AT  
The Artiller  
panies are requeste  
the 25th instant,  
Stadt-House Hill,  
ments in good an  
officers hope and  
to parade on that  
it convenient to t  
May 23, 1805.

#### THE subsc

ly and respectfully  
ed to him for pay  
balances, which,  
are, in the aggreg  
him, and which in  
det absolutely nec  
charge his own e  
his family. Del  
should he take co  
he assures them,  
with reluctance.

Those gentleme  
The Life of Wa  
taken their first  
requested to call o  
volume is expecte

Annapolis, M

In Anne-A

ON application  
court, by petiti  
of said county, pr  
relief of sundry in  
ber session, eight  
mentioned in the fa  
and a list of his cr  
ascertain them, as  
nected to his petiti  
ing satisfied, by co  
David Hopkins ha  
prior to the passag  
Maryland; and th  
of presenting his  
duced to the said  
many of his credits  
of two thirds of t  
passing the said a  
ordered by the fa  
kins, by causing  
in the Maryland  
once a week, for  
day of July next,  
pear before the fa  
of Anne-Arundel  
noon of the said  
pole of recommen  
the said David H  
oath, by the said  
property.

Signed

April 16, 180

I DO certify, t  
Holly ferry, t  
fore me, one of  
a forrel HORSE  
and one inch hi  
he has considerab  
his eyes, he has  
on his back, and

The owner o  
ed to come and  
from

1007

By virtue of  
SIMPSON to  
PUBLIC S

June next, o

PART of s

Charles o  
markedly level  
neighbourhood  
the day of sale  
money is paid,

May 15, 18

T  
THAT th  
ministra  
tate of JON  
county, decre  
county. All  
deceased are h  
the vouchers  
the 15th day  
be excluded  
under my ban

2

A fe

1 dollar per



the same, from being also  
the said excess; and such  
have been absent when  
who may have differed  
thereby the same was cre-  
ate themselves from being  
notice of the fact, and  
the governor of the state,  
general meeting, which  
for that purpose.

That this act shall be  
term of ten years, and  
ext session of assembly,  
and be it enacted, That  
hundred thousand dollars  
d, and one hundred and  
prior to the said first  
en and in that event this  
ion shall cease and be of

ed, That in the event of  
coming void as aforesaid,  
received the subscriptions  
they have transmitted the  
at Annapolis and Easton,  
billioners at Annapolis and  
y subscribed and paid as  
the respective subscribers,  
of non-payment, may be  
ted, as the case may re-  
ted, in the same manner  
ts, any thing herein con-  
withstanding; provided,  
awful for the said commis-  
t from the money received  
urred in opening the sub-  
n the same amongst the  
e respective sums by them

S A L S  
RYING

United States,

as, will be received at the  
Washington, until the tenth  
ve.

VIAND.  
Rock-Hall, to Chester.

Thursday at 6 A. M. and  
6 P. M. Leave Chester.  
6 A. M. and arrive at An-

T E S.

al may expedite the mails  
arrival and departure at any  
ce of the contracts, he fi-  
penation for any extra ex-  
ended thereby.

be allowed for opening and  
offices where no particular

utes delay (unavoidable ac-  
ing after the time prescribed  
tractor shall forfeit one dol-  
lars until the departure of  
ereby the mails declined for  
a trip, an additional for-  
be incurred.

al as letters are to be sent in  
erson making proposals, de-  
other than those conveyed  
emolument, he must state in  
um he will carry with the  
at sum without that emolu-

making proposals desire an  
arrival and departure above  
his proposals the alteration  
nce they will make in the

oposals are desired to state  
r. Those who contract will  
y in the months of August,  
d May, in one month after  
arter.

ee white person shall be em-

er intends to convey the mail  
arriage, he is desired to state

neral reserves to himself the  
contract at an end whenever  
hich amount to the loss of a

the above routes are to be  
ay of October next, and are  
two years.

GIDEON GRANGER,  
Postmaster-general.

25 February, 1805.

ne-Arundel county and City  
Annapolis.

d support of many of my fel-  
encouraged to offer myself a  
SHERIFFALTY of this  
onoured with your support on  
y rest assured, that every ex-  
y used to discharge the duties  
olve on me with industry and  
tlemen,

JOSEPH MCENEY.

## ATTENTION!

The Artillery and Infantry Com-  
panies are requested to meet on Saturday next,  
the 25th instant, at 3 o'clock P. M. on the  
Stadt-House Hill, with arms and accoutre-  
ments in good and soldier-like order.—The  
officers hope and expect no member will fail  
to parade on that day who can possibly make  
it convenient to turn out.  
May 23, 1805.

## NOTICE.

THE subscriber once more earnest-  
ly and respectfully calls on all persons indebt-  
ed 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 ren-  
der absolutely necessary to enable him to dis-  
charge 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.

Those gentlemen who subscribed to him for  
The Life of Washington, and have not yet  
taken their first and second volumes, are re-  
quested to call or send for them. The third  
volume is expected in a few days.

Frederick Green.

Annapolis, May, 1805.

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

ON application to the justices of the said county  
court, by petition, in writing, of David Hopkins,  
of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the  
relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at Novem-  
ber session, eighteen hundred and four, on the terms  
mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property,  
and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can  
ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being an-  
nexed to his petition; and the said county court be-  
ing satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said  
David Hopkins has resided, the two preceding years  
prior to the passage of said act, within the state of  
Maryland; and the said David Hopkins, at the time  
of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having pro-  
duced to the said court the assent, in writing, of so  
many of his creditors as have due to them the amount  
of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of  
passing the said act.—It is therefore adjudged and  
ordered by the said court, that the said David Hop-  
kins, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted  
in the Maryland Gazette and Baltimore Telegraph,  
once a week, for six successive weeks, before the 24th  
day of July next, give notice to his creditors to ap-  
pear before the said county court, at the court-house  
of Anne-Arundel county, at 10 o'clock in the fore-  
noon of the said 24th day of July next, for the pur-  
pose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on  
the said David Hopkins then and there taking the  
oath, by the said act prescribed, for delivering up his  
property.

Signed by order, *10/10/5*  
NICH: HARWOOD, Clk.  
A. A. County Court.

April 16, 1805.

I DO certify, that JAMES MURRY, living at Mount  
Holly ferry, brought, this 17th May, 1805, be-  
fore me, one of the justices of Anne-Arundel county,  
a sorrel HORSE, 8 or 9 years old, 14 or 15 hands  
and one inch high, one of his feet is white behind,  
he has considerable white in his face, and is grey over  
his eyes, he has a bobbed tail, and some saddle spots  
on his back, and is shod on all his feet.

HENRY HALL DORSEY.

The owner of the above described horse is request-  
ed to come and prove his property, and take his horse  
from

*10/7/5* JAMES MURRY, Living at  
Holland's Ferry.

By virtue of a deed of trust from THOMAS M.  
SIMPSON to the subscriber, will be EXPOSED to  
PUBLIC SALE, on Tuesday the 25th day of  
June next, on the premises,

PART of a tract of LAND, lying and being in  
Charles county, near Newport; this land is re-  
markably level, and the soil equal to any in that  
neighbourhood. The terms will be made known on  
the day of sale, and a title given, when the purchase  
money is paid, by

2 JOSEPH GREEN.

May 15, 1805.

## This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained letters of ad-  
ministration, de bonis non, on the personal es-  
tate of JONATHAN BURCH, late of Charles  
county, deceased, from the orphans court of said  
county. All persons having claims against the said  
deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with  
the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before  
the 15th day of December next, otherwise they may  
be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given  
under my hand, this 6th day of May, 1805.

2 WALTER DYSON, Administrator,  
de bonis non.

## WRAPPING PAPER.

A few reams of WRAPPING PAPER, at  
1 dollar per ream, for sale at the Printing-Office.

## Practising Ball.

MR. DUCLAIRACQ respectfully informs the  
ladies and gentlemen of this city, and its vi-  
cinity, that his practising ball will take place this  
Evening, at the assembly room, from 7 o'clock till  
10, and continue every Thursday till the end of  
June. He has just began a new quarter, and will  
teach the most proper and fashionable steps which are  
used in cotillions; those who are desirous of learning  
these steps, and of being more perfect in the art of  
dancing, will please to apply immediately, as he will  
not attend longer than to the end of June.

The tickets of admittance for gentlemen to be had  
at Mr. Gwinn's tavern. 2X  
May 23, 1805.

Michael and Barney Curran,

Have received, and offer for sale, at their store,  
In Corn-Hill-street,

## A variety of fashionable printed CALICOES AND CHINTZES,

CAMBRICK and o-  
ther dimities,  
Black and fancy cambric  
mullins,  
Laced cambric ditto,  
Leaves and figured mull-  
mulls,  
Book & Jaconet mullins,  
Do. do. handkerchiefs,  
India book mullins and  
handkerchiefs,  
Laced and fancy cambric  
shawls,  
Pink, yellow, & coquelico  
crape,  
Silk & cotton suspenders,  
Ladies and gentlemen's  
umbrellas,  
Irish linens & bed ticking,  
Diaper & table clothes,  
Marfeilles quilts & coun-  
terpanes,  
Damask and serge silk  
shawls,  
Linen and cotton pocket  
handkerchiefs,  
Thread laces & edgings,  
Black palmetto lace,  
Pullicat & Madras hand-  
kerchiefs,  
Pic nic mits & silk gloves.  
English and French Silk  
stockings,  
Ladies and gentlemen's  
cotton ditto,  
Coloured cotton gloves &  
mits,

And many other articles too tedious to mention,  
all of which will be sold low for cash, or on the usual  
terms to their punctual customers.

Also a few chests of Imperial,  
Hylon, and } Teas.  
Young Hylon }

2  
Annapolis, May 16, 1805.

## LAND FOR SALE.

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

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

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

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

As the subscriber is not induced from necessity to  
dispose of this place, any reasonable credit that may  
be required will be given, upon the purchaser's giving  
bond, with approved securities, and upon the pay-  
ment of the whole, an indisputable title will be  
given.

JOHN GASSAWAY, of  
Rhode River.

Any person in want of cedar, locust, and walnut  
poles, for building or fencing, may be supplied by ap-  
plying to the subscriber.

JOHN GASSAWAY, of  
Rhode River.

March 3, 1805, }  
Rhode River. } 9

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

Gentlemen,

FOR the honour you once conferred on me, in  
making me your choice as Sheriff of Anne-Arundel  
county, and particularly for the zeal you manifested  
on that occasion, I offer you my warm and sincere  
thanks; having reason to hope that my official con-  
duct, during three years, met your approbation, and  
that you have had no cause to regret your choice,  
I flatter myself that your confidence in me has not  
diminished. Presuming therefore on your future sup-  
port, and being solicited by numerous friends, I take  
the liberty of declaring my intention to offer as a  
candidate at the next election for Sheriff; should  
I be so happy as to obtain your suffrages, every  
effort of mine shall be used to discharge, with prop-  
riety, the various and important duties of that of-  
fice. I remain, gentlemen, with every sentiment of  
respect, your humble servant,

JOHN WELCH.

Annapolis, September 18, 1804. 12

## Poet's Corner.

### SELECTED.

From the New-England Palladium.

### THE BUMPER OF WINE.

YE lovers of wine, and of friendship and joy,  
Let Greek and let Latin no longer annoy.  
Dull epics of Homer and Virgil resign—  
Our song is in praise of a Bumper of Wine.  
Your deep metaphysics serve only to show  
How little their studious votaries know.  
We ask not if matter and spirit can join—  
We find them unite in a Bumper of Wine.  
For Pike and for Euclid not one of us cares,  
Farewell to their angels, lines, circles and squares.  
Plain Nature will teach us to form a curve line,  
Or a circle of friends, round a Bumper of Wine.  
Let Enfield investigate physical laws,  
For every phenomenon guests at a cause;  
Suffice it for us, that the fruit of the vine,  
When press'd, will produce us a Bumper of Wine.  
Physicians may swear to secure us in health;  
They care for no more than a gripe at our wealth;  
Emetics and opiates they may enjoin—  
But these are contain'd in a Bumper of Wine.  
Our good natur'd souls no contention shall draw  
Around the drear mazes of labyrinth law.  
On quarrels let Lawyers and Judges refine,  
But we'll drown all our's in a Bumper of Wine.  
The truths we revere of Religion sublime,  
But Solomon says for all things there's a time;  
And Paul has prefer'd to a brother divine,  
For the sake of the stomach, a Bottle of Wine.  
May Bards ne'er be wanting to furnish a song,  
To carry life easy and smoothly along;  
Yet they need no longer invoke the coy Nine,  
For Helicon's Fount is a Bottle of Wine.  
Here's a Bumper to Our's and to Honesty's friend;  
May health and contentment for ever attend;  
Whatever the orbit in which he may shine,  
May he ne'er want a Friend or a Bottle of Wine.

### AN APOLOGY FOR SCOLDING.

OBSERVE, fair CELIA, all in all,  
Mild, beautiful and young;  
'Tis true; but then her mouth's so small,  
She cannot hold her tongue.

From a Manuscript of Dean Swift.

### RESOLUTIONS WHEN I COME TO BE OLD.

NOT to marry a young woman.  
Not to keep young company, unless they desire it.  
Not to be peevish, morose or suspicious.  
Not to tell the same story over and over to the same peo-  
ple.  
Not to be covetous—T be barren of all to be kept.  
Not to neglect decency or cleanliness, for fear of falling  
into naivness.  
Not to be over severe with young people, but to make  
allowance for their youthful follies and weakness.  
Not to be too free of advice, nor trouble any but those  
who desire it.  
Not to talk much, nor of myself—Very hard again.

### ANECDOTE.

A CLERGYMAN, preaching in the neighbourhood of  
Wapping, (in England,) observing that most part of his  
audience were in the seafaring way, very naturally em-  
bellished his discourse with several nautical tropes and figures.  
Amongst other things, he advised them to be ever on the  
watch, so that upon whatever tack the devil should bear down  
upon them, he might be crippled in action. "Aye, Master,"  
cried a jolly son of Neptune, "but let me tell you, that I'll  
be d—d if it don't depend upon your having the weather  
gauge of him."

### JUST PUBLISHED,

And for Sale at the Printing-Office,  
(Price one dollar.)

## The LAWS of MARYLAND,

Passed November session, 1804.

### Furniture for Sale.

I WILL dispose of a variety of very valuable  
HOUSEHOLD & KITCHEN FURNITURE,  
and will hire or sell several good house servants.

R. B. LATIMER.

Annapolis, April 24, 1805.

### NOTICE.

ANY person who understands the mathematics,  
and will teach in a private family, with good  
recommendation, will meet with encouragement, by  
applying to the subscriber, living on the Head of  
Severn, in Anne-Arundel county.

23X P. HAMMOND.

### Notice is hereby given,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the or-  
phans court of Calvert county, letters of ad-  
ministration on the personal estate of ROBERT  
DAY, late of said county, deceased. All persons  
having claims against the deceased are warned to ex-  
hibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, on or be-  
fore the first day of June next, they may otherwise  
by law be excluded from all benefit from said estate.  
Given under my hand and seal, this 22d day of April,  
1805.

3X JOHN SEDWICK, Administrator.

### A POEM

ON THE DEATH OF  
General Alexander Hamilton,

BY A LADY OF BALTIMORE.

For Sale at this Office—Price 12 1-2 cents.



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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### PROPOSALS FOR CARRYING

#### Mails of the United States,

On the following post-roads, will be received at the general post-office in Washington, until the tenth day of July next inclusive.

#### IN MARYLAND.

FROM Annapolis, by Rock-Hall, to Chester-town once a week.

Leave Annapolis every Thursday at 6 A. M. and arrive at Chester-town by 6 P. M. Leave Chester-town every Wednesday at 6 A. M. and arrive at Annapolis by 6 P. M.

#### NOTES.

1. The postmaster-general may expedite the mails and alter the times of arrival and departure at any time during the continuance of the contracts, he stipulating an adequate compensation for any extra expense that may be occasioned thereby.

2. Fifteen minutes shall be allowed for opening and closing the mails at all offices where no particular time is specified.

3. For every thirty minutes delay (unavoidable accidents excepted) in arriving after the time prescribed in any contract, the contractor shall forfeit one dollar; and if the delay continues until the departure of any depending mail, whereby the mails destined for each depending mail lose a trip, an additional forfeiture of five dollars shall be incurred.

4. News-papers as well as letters are to be sent in the mail; and if any person making proposals, desires to carry news-papers, other than those conveyed in the mail, for his own emolument, he must state in his proposals for what sum he will carry with the emolument, and for what sum without that emolument.

5. Should any person making proposals desire an alteration of the times of arrival and departure above specified, he must state in his proposals the alteration desired, and the difference they will make in the terms of the contract.

6. Persons making proposals are desired to state their prices by the year. Those who contract will receive their pay quarterly in the months of August, November, February and May, in one month after the expiration of each quarter.

7. No other than a free white person shall be employed to convey the mail.

8. Where the proposer intends to convey the mail in the body of a stage carriage, he is desired to state it in his proposals.

9. The postmaster-general reserves to himself the right of declaring any contract at an end whenever three failures happen which amount to the loss of a trip each.

10. The contracts for the above routes are to be in operation on the first day of October next, and are to continue in force for two years.

GIDEON GRANGER,  
Postmaster-general.  
GENERAL POST-OFFICE,  
Washington City, 25 February, 1805.

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

#### GENTLEMEN,

FROM the promised support of many of my fellow-citizens, I am encouraged to offer myself a candidate for the next SHERIFFALTY of this county. Should I be honoured with your support on that occasion, you may rest assured, that every exertion on my part will be used to discharge the duties that will necessarily devolve on me with industry and fidelity. I am, Gentlemen,

Your ob't. serv't.

JOSEPH MCENEY.

April, 1805.

AT  
The Artiller  
panies are request  
the 25th instant,  
Stadt-House Hill  
ments in good an  
officers hope and  
to parade on that  
it convenient to t  
May 23, 1805

THE subscri  
ly and respectfully  
ed to him for p  
balances, which,  
are, in the aggreg  
him, and which i  
der absolutely ne  
charge his own c  
his family. De  
should he take c  
he assures them,  
with reluctance.  
Those gentlem  
The Life of W  
taken their first  
quested to call o  
volume is expect

Annapolis, M

In Anne-A

ON application  
court, by peti  
of said county, pra  
relief of sundry in  
ber session, eight  
mentioned in the f  
and a list of his c  
ascertain them, as  
nected to his petiti  
ing satisfied, by c  
David Hopkins h  
prior to the passa  
Maryland; and th  
of presenting his  
duced to the said  
many of his credit  
of two thirds of t  
passing the said  
ordered by the fa  
kins, by causing  
in the Maryland  
once a week, for  
day of July next  
pear before the fa  
of Anne-Arundel  
noon of the said  
pose of recomme  
the said David  
oath, by the said  
property.

Signed

April 16, 180

I DO certify, t  
Holly ferry,  
fore me, one of  
a forrel HORSE  
and one inch h  
he has considera  
his eyes, he has  
on his back, an

The owner c  
ed to come and  
from

By virtue of  
SIMPSON to  
PUBLIC S  
June next,  
PART of  
Charles o  
markedly leve  
neighbourhood  
the day of sale  
money is paid,

May 15, 1

THAT th  
ministr  
tate of JON  
county, dece  
county. All  
deceased are  
the vouchers  
the 15th day  
be excluded  
under my ha

2

A dollar per



the same, from being also the said excess; and such have been absent when or who may have dissented thereby the same was created themselves from being notice of the fact, and the governor of the state, a general meeting, which for that purpose.

That this act shall be term of ten years, and next session of assembly, and be it enacted, That hundred thousand dollars, and one hundred and, prior to the said first men and in that event this tion shall cease and be of

ted, That in the event of coming void as aforesaid, received the subscriptions they have transmitted the at Annapolis and Easton, tioners at Annapolis and they subscribed and paid as the respective subscribers, of non-payment, may be nted, as the case may re- rded, in the same manner ts, any thing herein con- otwithstanding; provided, awful from the said comm- ft from the money received curred in opening the sub- on the same amongst the ne respective sums by them

## ATTENTION!

**The Artillery and Infantry Companies** are requested to meet on Saturday next, the 25th instant, at 3 o'clock P. M. on the Stadt-House Hill, with arms and accoutrements in good and soldier-like order.—The officers hope and expect no member will fail to parade on that day who can possibly make it convenient to turn out.

May 23, 1805.

## 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.

Those gentlemen who subscribed to him for *The Life of Washington*, and have not yet taken their first and second volumes, are requested to call or send for them. The third volume is expected in a few days.

Frederick Green.

Annapolis, May, 1805.

## In Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

ON application to the justices of the said county court, by petition, in writing, of *David Hopkins*, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and four, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition; and the said county court being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said David Hopkins has resided, the two preceding years prior to the passage of said act, within the state of Maryland; and the said David Hopkins, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent, in writing, of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of passing the said act.—It is therefore adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said David Hopkins, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the *Maryland Gazette* and *Baltimore Telegraph*, once a week, for six successive weeks, before the 24th day of July next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, at the court-house of Anne-Arundel county, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the said 24th day of July next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said David Hopkins then and there taking the oath, by the said act prescribed, for delivering up his property.

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

April 16, 1805.

I DO certify, that *JAMES MURRY*, living at Mount Holly ferry, brought, this 17th May, 1805, before me, one of the justices of Anne-Arundel county, a foal HORSE, 8 or 9 years old, 14 or 15 hands and one inch high, one of his feet is white behind, he has considerable white in his face, and is grey over his eyes, he has a bobbed tail, and some saddle spots on his back, and is shod on all his feet.

HENRY HALL DORSEY.

The owner of the above described horse is requested to come and prove his property, and take his horse from

*JAMES MURRY*, Living at Holland's Ferry.

By virtue of a deed of trust from *THOMAS M. SIMPSON* to the subscriber, will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on Tuesday the 25th day of June next, on the premises,

PART of a tract of LAND, lying and being in Charles county, near Newport; this land is remarkably level, and the soil equal to any in that neighbourhood. The terms will be made known on the day of sale, and a title given, when the purchase money is paid, by

JOSEPH GREEN.

May 15, 1805.

## This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained letters of administration, de bonis non, on the personal estate of *JONATHAN BURCH*, late of Charles county, deceased, from the orphans court of said county. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 15th day of December next, otherwise they may be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand, this 6th day of May, 1805.

WALTER DYSON, Administrator, de bonis non.

## WRAPPING PAPER.

A few reams of WRAPPING PAPER, at 1 dollar per ream, for sale at the Printing-Office.

## Practising Ball.

MR. DUCLAIRACQ respectfully informs the ladies and gentlemen of this city, and its vicinity, that his practising ball will take place this Evening, at the assembly room, from 7 o'clock till 10, and continue every Thursday till the end of June. He has just began a new quarter, and will teach the most proper and fashionable steps which are used in cotillions; those who are desirous of learning these steps, and of being more perfect in the art of dancing, will please to apply immediately, as he will not attend longer than to the end of June.

The tickets of admittance for gentlemen to be had at Mr. Gwinn's tavern.

May 23, 1805.

Michael and Barney Curran,

Have received, and offer for sale, at their store, In Corn-Hill-street,

A variety of fashionable printed CALICOES AND CHINTZES,

CAMBRICK and other dimities, Black and fancy cambrick muslins, Laced cambrick ditto, Leanoes and figured mull-mulls, Book & Jaconet muslins, Do. do. handkerchiefs, India book muslins and handkerchiefs, Laced and fancy cambrick shawls, Pink, yellow, & coquelico crape, Silk & cotton suspenders, Ladies and gentlemen's umbrellas, Irish linens & bed ticking,

And many other articles too tedious to mention, all of which will be sold low for cash, or on the usual terms to their punctual customers.

Also a few chests of Imperial, Hyson, and Young Hyson } Teas.

Annapolis, May 16, 1805.

## LAND FOR SALE.

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

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

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

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

As the subscriber is not induced from necessity to dispose of this place, any reasonable credit that may be required will be given, upon the purchaser's giving bond, with approved securities, and upon the payment of the whole, an indisputable title will be given.

JOHN GASSAWAY, of Rhode River.

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

JOHN GASSAWAY, of Rhode River.

March 3, 1805, } Rhode River. }

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

Gentlemen,

FOR the honour you once conferred on me, in making me your choice as Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county, and particularly for the zeal you manifested on that occasion, I offer you my warm and sincere thanks; having reason to hope that my official conduct, during three years, met your approbation, and that you have had no cause to regret your choice, I flatter myself that your confidence in me has not diminished. Presuming therefore on your future support, and being solicited by numerous friends, I take the liberty of declaring my intention to offer as a candidate at the next election for Sheriff; should I be so happy as to obtain your suffrages, every effort of mine shall be used to discharge, with propriety, the various and important duties of that office. I remain, gentlemen, with every sentiment of respect, your humble servant,

JOHN WELCH.

Annapolis, September 18, 1804.

## Poet's Corner.

### SELECTED.

From the *New-England Palladium*.

### THE BUMPER OF WINE.

YE lovers of wine, and of friendship and joy, Let Greek and let Latin no longer annoy, Dull epics of Homer and Virgil resign— Our song is in praise of a Bumper of Wine.

Your deep metaphysics serve only to show How little their studious votaries know: We ask not if matter and spirit can join— We find them unite in a Bumper of Wine.

For Pike and for Euclid not one of us cares, Farewell to their angels, lines, circles and squares, Plain Nature will teach us to form a curve line, Or a circle of friends, round a Bumper of Wine.

Let Euclid investigate physical laws, For every phenomenon guests at a cause; Suffice it for us, that the fruit of the vine, When press'd, will produce us a Bumper of Wine.

Physicians may swear to secure us in health; They care for no more than a gripe at our wealth; Emetics and opiates they may enjoin— But these are contain'd in a Bumper of Wine.

Our good natur'd souls no contention shall draw Around the drear mazes of labyrinth law. On quarrels let Lawyers and Judges refine, But we'll drown all our's in a Bumper of Wine.

The truths we revere of Religion sublime, But Solomon says for all things there's a time; And Paul has prescrib'd to a brother divine, For the sake of the stomach, a Bottle of Wine.

May Bards ne'er be wanting to furnish a song, To carry life easy and smoothly along; Yet they need no longer invoke the coy Nine, For Helicon's Fount is a Bottle of Wine.

Here's a Bumper to Our's and to Honey's friend; May health and contentment for ever attend; Whatever the orbit in which he may shine, May he ne'er want a Friend or a Bottle of Wine.

### AN APOLOGY FOR SCOLDING.

OBSERVE, fair CELIA, all in all, Mild, beautiful and young: 'Tis true; but then her mouth's so small, She cannot hold her tongue.

From a Manuscript of Dean Swift.

### RESOLUTIONS WHEN I COME TO BE OLD.

NOT to marry a young woman. Not to keep young company, unless they desire it. Not to be peevish, morose or suspicious. Not to tell the same story over and over to the same people.

Not to be covetous—'T be hardest of all to be kept. Not to neglect decency or cleanliness, for fear of falling into naughtiness.

Not to be over severe with young people, but to make allowance for their youthful follies and weakness.

Not to be too free of advice, nor trouble any but those who desire it.

Not to talk much, nor of myself—Very hard again.

### ANECDOTE.

A CLERGYMAN, preaching in the neighbourhood of Wapping, (in England,) observing that most part of his audience were in the seafaring way, very naturally embellished his discourse with several nautical tropes and figures. Amongst other things, he advised them to be ever on the watch, so that upon whatever tack the devil should bear down upon them, he might be crippled in action. "Aye, Malher," cried a jolly son of Neptune, "but let me tell you, that I'll be d—d if it don't depend upon your having the weather gauge of him."

### JUST PUBLISHED,

And for Sale at the Printing-Office; (Price one dollar.)

The LAWS of MARYLAND, Passed November session, 1804.

### Furniture for Sale.

I WILL dispose of a variety of very valuable HOUSEHOLD & KITCHEN FURNITURE, and will hire or sell several good house servants.

R. B. LATIMER.

Annapolis, April 24, 1805.

### NOTICE.

ANY person who understands the mathematics, and will teach in a private family, with good recommendation, will meet with encouragement, by applying to the subscriber, living on the Head of Severn, in Anne-Arundel county.

P. HAMMOND.

### Notice is hereby given,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Calvert county, letters of administration on the personal estate of *ROBERT DAY*, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, on or before the first day of June next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit from said estate. Given under my hand and seal, this 22d day of April, 1805.

JOHN SEDWICK, Administrator.

### A POEM.

ON THE DEATH OF

General Alexander Hamilton,

BY A LADY OF BALTIMORE.

For Sale at this Office—Price 12 1-2 cents.



## LAND FOR SALE.

By virtue of a decree from the honourable the High Court of Chancery, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on TUESDAY, the second of July next, at eleven o'clock, A. M. on the premises,

**THAT** valuable FARM, lying on the upper part of Elk Ridge, adjoining Carroll's manor, whereon the late Henry Nelson formerly lived, containing about 665 acres. The terms of sale will be, that one fourth of the purchase money be paid, at the election of the purchaser, on the day of sale, or brought into the court of chancery on the ratification thereof, and the residue to be paid, with interest, at three equal annual payments, to be bonded for, with security, to be approved of by the trustee. This valuable farm lies high and healthy, within twenty miles of Baltimore city, thirty of Frederick-town, and thirty-five of the city of Washington. The improvements are, a large and convenient dwelling-house, a barn 60 feet by 40, with stables under it, three tobacco-houses, and all other necessary buildings; it abounds with all kinds of fruit, and an orchard of 500 bearing apple trees. There are about 50 acres of meadow in grass. This farm is well adapted to all kinds of country produce.

HENRY HOWARD, Trustee.

April, 1805.

## In Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, Ck. A. A. County Court.

April 22, 1805.

## In Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, Ck. A. A. County Court.

April 22, 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 of administration, de bonis non, with the will annexed, on the personal estate of *JOHN MERCER STEVENS*, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the twenty-fifth day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 27th day of April, 1805.

ZACHARIAH JACOB, Administrator, D. B. N. W. A.

## Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

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

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, Ck. A. A. County Court.

April 22, 1805.

## Anne-Arundel County Court,

APRIL TERM, 1805.

**THOMAS FOLKS**, 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 Thomas Folks being under an arrest upon mesne process for a debt 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 Thomas Folks appear before the said court, at the court-house of Anne-Arundel county, on the twenty-fourth day of July 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 Thomas Folks 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 six successive weeks.

Signed by order,

NICH: HARWOOD, Ck. A. A. County Court.

The subscriber being appointed Trustee by the honorable the High Court of Chancery for the purpose of selling and conveying the real estate of the rev. *WALTER H. HARRISON*, late of Charles county, deceased, for the payment of his debts, will offer at PUBLIC SALE, on the premises, on the tenth day of June next, if fair, if not, on the first fair day thereafter,

**THE** whole of the real estate aforesaid, consisting of two hundred and thirty acres of LAND.—The greater part of this land lies immediately on the Patowmack river, about forty miles by water from Alexandria, and ten from Dumfries. It affords an elegant situation for a dwelling, is extremely fertile, has on it an excellent fishery, and abounds in valuable wood and timber. The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money within fifteen months from the day of sale, and on fully discharging the said bond will receive a deed for the land.

HENRY H. CHAPMAN, Trustee.

Charles county, April 12, 1805.

P. S. All persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, are desired to exhibit them, with proper vouchers, to the chancellor, before the tenth day of September next.

H. H. C.

## NOTICE.

**THE** creditors of *NATHAN SMITH*, late of Calvert county, deceased, are requested to meet at Hunting-town, in Calvert county aforesaid, on Monday the first day of July next ensuing the date hereof, in order to receive their proportion of the said Nathan Smith's estate, so far as assets have been received. Given under my hand, this ninth day of May, 1805.

THEODORE HODGKIN, Administrator.

## NOTICE.

**THE** Commissioners of the Tax of Anne-Arundel county will meet at the court-house, in the city of Annapolis, on the first Monday of June next, and will sit twenty days thereafter, to hear and determine the complaints and appeals of any persons who may think themselves grieved by their property being over valued, and to make transfers.

## LAND FOR SALE.

Pursuant to the last will of *JOSHUA DORSEY*, sen. late of Elk-Ridge, deceased, and agreeably to the decree of the honourable the Chancellor of Maryland of June last, will be sold, at public sale, on the premises, on the sixth of June next,

**THE** tract of LAND called *LOCUST THICKET*, situated on Elk-Ridge, Anne-Arundel county, Maryland, containing about 500 acres. This land is one and a half miles from Spurrier's tavern, on the post road from Baltimore to the city of Washington. There are several merchant mills within a few miles of this farm. This land is well adapted to Indian corn, wheat, rye, and tobacco; it is divided into six fields, under good fencing, and conveniently watered, with good springs and streams of water. There is a tolerable good mill seat on this land; a good proportion of meadow now in grass, and more can easily be made; there is a sufficiency of woodland to support this farm. The improvements are, a comfortable dwelling-house, kitchen, smoke house, corn house, barn, stables, and other necessary buildings; an apple orchard of good fruit, and a variety of other fruit trees. The terms of sale are, twelve months credit, the purchaser or purchasers giving bond, with interest from the day of sale, with approved security for the purchase money, to the subscriber. Any person calling on Mr. JOHN SHIPLEY, near the premises, can be shown the above mentioned land. There will be an accurate plot exhibited at the day of sale. When the purchase money is paid there will be a good and sufficient deed executed by the subscriber. The sale to begin at 12 o'clock. Immediate possession will be given.

GEORGE DORSEY, Trustee.

Mr. Green, of Annapolis, Mr. Hamilton, of Lancaster, and Mr. Edie, of York, are requested to publish the above advertisement six times, and forward their accounts to Yundt and Brown.

April 23, 1805.

## LANDS FOR SALE.

In pursuance of a decree of the High Court of Chancery of this State, will be exposed to public sale, on Monday the tenth day of June next, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter, at the house of Mr. JOSEPH EDWARDS, in Chaptico, Saint-Mary's county,

**THE** following tracts or parcels of LAND, late the property of *TOWNSEND EDEN*, deceased, & lying in Saint-Mary's county, to wit: Two separate parts of *Dashford Manor*, one of which lies on Chaptico bay, is supposed to contain 270 acres, and is well improved; the other within one mile of Wickomico river, and supposed to contain upwards of 200 acres; *Cole's Adventure*, and part of *Neale's Lot Resurveyed*, lie in the Forest, and are chiefly in woods.

These lands, or as much thereof as will produce the sum of seven hundred and fifty pounds, will be sold on the following terms: The purchaser to give bond, with good and sufficient security, to pay one half the purchase money, and interest, within one year from the time of sale, and the residue, and interest thereon, within two years from the time of sale, to be ratified and approved by the chancellor; and conveyances in fee-simple for the said property, for all the estate, right, title and interest, in said lands, which was in Townsend Eden, and now in James Eden, which hath descended to him from Townsend Eden, his father, will be made to the respective purchasers, on payment of the purchase money, and not before.

A more particular description of the lands, with their advantages and incumbrances, will be detailed at the time and place of sale. The subscriber will shew the lands at any time previous to the day of sale to any person inclinable to become a purchaser.

4

WILLIAM MUIR, Trustee for the sale of said lands.

## NOTICE.

**THE** sale of the property of general *JONATHAN SELLMAN*, as security of Joseph Watkins, is postponed.

On the 28th instant, will be sold, one negro woman named Lucy, and one negro boy named Tom, taken as the property of Joseph Watkins, to satisfy a debt due Baker and Burnellson.

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

May 14, 1805.

## This is to give notice,

**THAT** the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, letters of administration on the personal estate of *BENJAMIN FAIRBAIRNE*, late of the city of Annapolis, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those who have claims against the same are desired to render their accounts, properly authenticated, to

ROBERT DAVIS, Administrator.

May 8, 1805.

## FOR SALE.

**A** HEALTHY NEGRO MAN, aged about 25 years, now in Annapolis gaol. Apply to the keeper of the gaol.

## ANNAPOLIS:

Printed by FREDERICK and SAMUEL GREEN.



# SUPPLEMENT TO THE MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, MAY 30, 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 Bargis's paper, at Frederick-town; Grievous's paper, at Hagerstown; and in Smith's and Cowan's papers, at Ealton.

By order,  
NINIAN PINKNEY, Clerk.

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

BE it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That this state shall be divided into six judicial districts, in manner and form following, to wit: Saint-Mary's, Charles and Prince-George's counties, shall be the first district; Cecil, Kent, Queen-Anne's and Talbot counties, shall be the second district; Calvert, Anne-Arundel and Montgomery counties, shall be the third district; Caroline, Dorchester, Somerset and Worcester counties, shall be the fourth district; Frederick, Washington and Allegany counties, shall be the fifth district; Baltimore and Harford counties, shall be the sixth district; and there shall be appointed, for each of the said judicial districts, three persons of integrity and sound legal knowledge, residents of the state of Maryland, who shall, previous to and during their 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 hereby 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 the 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.

## NOTICE.

THE partnership of GEORGE & JOHN BARBER and Co. commencing the 9th of July, 1803, dissolved this day by mutual consent; all persons indebted to said firm are requested to come forward and settle their accounts, and all persons having claims against said partnership are requested to present them for payment to the subscribers, who are authorized to settle the same.

They offer for sale their stock of goods, being a general assortment of GROCERIES, &c. The terms will be made known on application.

There are a number of articles in their possession, which came from Baltimore in the packets, (the owners of which are unknown) to wit: Four trunks, a bag of sailor's cloaths, a small bundle of cloaths, marked C R, one barrel of sugar, one barrel of porter, a bar of iron, and a small parcel of china, marked A M T. The owners of the above-mentioned articles are requested to come forward and pay the charges thereon, on or before the 4th day of July next, otherwise they will be sold for that purpose.

GEORGE and JOHN BARBER.  
May 11, 1805.

## TO RENT,

THE TAVERN and FERRY, at Havre-de-Grace, where JOHN H. BARNEY formerly lived, generally known by the name of the Lower Ferry. To a person who is accustomed to managing a ferry the rent will be made very low. For terms apply to the subscriber, at Havre-de-Grace.

WILLIAM B. STOKES.  
May 9, 1805.

## 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.

Those gentlemen who subscribed to him for The Life of Washington, and have not yet taken their first and second volumes, are requested to call or send for them. The third volume is expected in a few days.

Frederick Green.

Annapolis, May, 1805.

## Farmers Bank.

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

May 13, 1805.

## NOTICE.

THE subscriber having obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county letters testamentary on the estate of MARGARET HALL, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to exhibit the same, properly authenticated, and those indebted are desired to make immediate payment, to

ALLEN B. DUCKETT, Executor.

May 21, 1805.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed out of Anne-Arundel county court, at the suit of Johonott and Small, will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on the premises of James Given Howard, on the 5th of June next, the following property, to wit:

ONE negro boy, horses, and household furniture. The terms will be for cash.

HENRY HOWARD, Late Sheriff.

April 20, 1805.

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

ON application to the justices of the said county court, by petition, in writing, of David Hopkins, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and four, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition; and the said county court being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said David Hopkins has resided, the two preceding years prior to the passage of said act, within the state of Maryland; and the said David Hopkins, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent, in writing, of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of passing the said act.—It is therefore adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said David Hopkins, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette and Baltimore Telegraph, once a week, for six successive weeks, before the 24th day of July next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, at the court-house of Anne-Arundel county, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the said 24th day of July next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said David Hopkins then and there taking the oath, by the said act prescribed, for delivering up his property.

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

April 16, 1805.

## Furniture for Sale.

I WILL dispose of a variety of very valuable HOUSEHOLD & KITCHEN FURNITURE, and will hire or sell several good house servants.

R. B. LATIMER.  
Annapolis, April 24, 1805.



# Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, May 30, 1805.

## NOTICE.

THE subscriber intending to leave this city in the course of two or three months, MOST RESPECTFULLY requests those indebted to him to make immediate payment.

M. SIGELL.

May 30, 1805.

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.

An article under the date of Rome, March 5, mentions, that Cardinal Sommaglia has invited the Clergy to preach against the INDECENCY of the dress of Females!

We have been requested to republish from our paper of the 23d of February, 1804, the following account of The JERUSALEM WHEAT, copied from a London paper of November, 1803.

## A NEW WHEAT.

The original seed, imported by a servant of the late T. Whealy, Esq; on that gentleman's Jerusalem expedition, was at first taken notice of by a Mr. Doran, of Francis-street, an eminent experimental farmer and distiller. That gentleman's account of the various branches of his experiment, as communicated to the numerous crowds of admiring spectators of the sample he produced, at the exhibition at the duke of Leinster's, stands critically as follows: He sowed about two stone and a half of what he calls Jerusalem Wheat, in the space of an haggard, about August last, after a previous crop of Vetches; this seed he had dibbled by two men and four children, the whole expence of labour amounting to no more than 7s. British; in the last reaping season it exhibited stalks of 7 feet in length, bent considerably at top by the weight—a bunch of ears, on an average, from 42 to 45 in number to each stalk, and each ear containing generally from 150 to 190 large round grains of wheat, almost transparent through a film, resembling a skin or husk; its colour only approached the Lands Wheat, so well known in this country. The stalks, formed into reeds, filled with a white pulp, from their strength towards the root, were forced to have been cut about two feet from the surface of the soil.—The straw, or rather reed, Mr. Doran got cut with a machine, and served to horses, as a substitute for oats, on which they greedily fed, and seemed to thrive on it as well as on their usual food. The general produce of wheat, respecting the seed, was ten barrels wanting six pounds; on grinding, the proportion of bran, respecting the flour, was three pounds of the former to one barrel of the latter.

From the Richmond Enquirer.

It is confidently reported and believed that the president of the United States will serve in his PRESENT OFFICE, no longer than his present term. The reason which has been supposed to influence his determination, will cast no disgrace upon the previous lustre of his life. Mr. Jefferson is the friend of rotations in office. He is an enemy to that monopoly of it, which should keep it for any long time in the hands of a single individual. He knows, that the longer any man remains in office, the smaller opportunity can others have of acquiring it; and the smaller this chance, the smaller will be the incitements for them to deserve it. He knows too, that a permanent continuance in office not only enables a single individual to accomplish, gradually, a system of measures, and to collect around him a set of instruments favourable to his own usurpation, but that it prepares the people themselves for an undue reverence towards particular men or particular families.

Next to an unusual and extraordinary authority exercised by an individual, such as exists in the head of an army, there is nothing so capable of inspiring a respect for a permanent and excessive power, as wielding the usual executive authority for any long period. It is at the same time reported, that Mr. Jefferson is willing to give an additional proof of the honourable liberality of his views, by consenting to serve in any of the executive departments under a successor whom he may approve.—Should these reports be correct, is it not time for the republicans of the union to agree at once upon some candidate whom they will place in the presidential chair?

The last rains have brought down a great number of boats laden with flour, &c. through the canal to this town.

We are happy to hear by these opportunities, that the prospects for great crops of wheat and hay were never more promising than up the river Patowmack this season. As our neighbourhood has become a principal granary for the United States, this will be welcome news to our commercial friends in every quarter of the union.

A spirited exertion is now making here for a new bridge at the site below the Little Falls. We wish it success.—Wash. Fed.

LONDON, April 1—8.

Secret Expedition. Several ships with troops for the expedition, failed on Sunday from Portsmouth for the Isle of Wight.

It is reported, but we believe without foundation, that the secret expedition will be dispatched to the West-Indies, instead of its original destination.

It appears by accounts from Constantinople, that the Russians mean to establish themselves at Phare, several frigates having arrived there, and sailed up the river.

According to the last accounts the Brest, Toulon and Ferrol Squadrons, were in port, but all ready for sea.

The troops destined for the East-Indies are ready for embarkation.

Mr. Pitt's plan for reducing the militia, and augmenting the regular forces, succeeds beyond expectation.

The Hibernia, of 120 guns, the finest ship in the English navy, has failed to join the fleet off Brest. It is reported at Paris that general Brune has advised the occupation of the Dardanelles, and even of Constantinople, where, he says, the inhabitants are ripe for insurrection.

It is said that dispatches have been received from the North, of an unfavourable nature as far as they regard the co-operation of Russia.

Some late Paris papers contain a story of an attempt to surprise the garrison of Gibraltar, which was defeated by the vigilance of gen. Fox and the troops.

A great part of the army which was encamped on the coast from Dunkirk to Brest, amounting to 54,000 men, have received orders to march for the south of France.

It was lately reported at Brest and Paris, that the French fleet was destined for the Mediterranean, in order to gain a great maritime superiority, and then to attack the Russians at Corfu.

Accounts from Italy by a late Hamburg mail, confirm the report of a corps of 4000 Russians having failed from Corfu, on board some British ships of war, on a secret expedition.

The Courier de Londres asserts, that Sebastiani, who lately went to Holland, was accompanied by 40 desperadoes, whose orders were to seize the king of Sweden who was then on his travels.

In the late great inundation of the Tiber more than 100 persons lost their lives in the neighbourhood of Rome.

A few days ago about 200 of the flotilla came out of Boulogne harbour, and ranged themselves close under the batteries. In the evening, however, they retired.

A strange report was lately propagated at Vienna; it was said that a courier had passed through that city from the East-Indies, with intelligence, that the governor-general had declared himself independent.

NEW-YORK, May 22.

Captain Davis, who arrived here yesterday, failed from Bourdeaux on the 10th ult.—the latest from that quarter—at which time no accounts had been received of the sailing of either the Brest or Toulon fleets. There was nothing new in France.

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.

A letter from Lisbon, dated the 6th of April, says,—"Your nation is not the only one at war with the Barbary powers; the Algerines have lately done much damage to the Portuguese in taking 21 vessels, in consequence of which a squadron composed of two 74 gun ships and six frigates of 44 guns, set sail this day to blockade the port of Algiers, &c."

Another letter from Lisbon, received at Alexandria, dated the 3d April, says—"Since our last, we have had arrivals of more cargoes of wheat from France, and some of flour from America, the greater part of which would probably have been re-exported to Spain in our coasters, but this trade for the moment is checked by the appearance of an Algerine squadron, who have made some captures near Cape St. Vincent. A Portuguese squadron is fitting out to oppose them. In the interim, sales for exportation are suspended, and for the consumption of the country they are not now so brisk as they have been. The appearance of our harvest is very favourable, and if it continues so, prices will no doubt lower during the summer—which we think it our duty to communicate, and hope the information may be useful. Flour 12 50."

BALTIMORE, May 26.

By the Betsey, arrived yesterday in 24 days from Jamaica, which place she left the 30th ult. we have received Jamaica papers to the 29th April. At the time the Betsey sailed the British remained in quiet possession of that colony. Our papers contain nothing of importance. Every exertion was making in Jamaica, to give the French admiral a warm reception, should he make an attempt to invade the island, which they did not think was likely to take place.

A gentleman has favoured us with the perusal of a letter from his friend at Malta, dated on board the frigate Constitution, March 1st, 1805, from which we extract the following:—"Schooner Nautilus, capt. Dent, has just come in, she captured a brig yesterday with guns and ammunition on board, bound to Tripoli.—We sailed from Lisbon on the 10th of February, and arrived at Gibraltar on the 16th. We have been only 6 days making our passage from Gibraltar to this place. The ship sails remarkably fast; she has gone at the rate of thirteen miles an hour since I have been on board.—Phil. paper.

Yesterday morning a detachment of marines left this city for the city of Washington. We understand they are intended for the Mediterranean service.

## Poet's Corner.

### SELECTED.

[The muse of PINDAR is often faucy, and not unfrequently profligate; but the following effusion is delicate and moral.—Palladium.]

### ADVICE TO YOUNG WOMEN,

OR THE ROSE AND STRAWBERRY.—A FABLE.

YOUNG women! don't be fond of killing;

Too well I know your hearts unwilling

To hide beneath the veil a charm—

Too pleas'd a sparkling eye to roll,

And with a neck to thrill the soul

Of every swain with love's alarm.

Yet, yet if PRUDENCE be not near,

Its snow may melt into a tear.

The dimpled smile and pouting lip,

Where little Cupids nectar sip,

Are very pretty lures, I own;

But ah! if PRUDENCE be not nigh,

Those lips where all the CUPIDS lie,

May give a passage to a groan.

A ROSE, in all the pride of bloom,

Flinging around her rich perfume,

Her form to public notice pushing,

Amidst the summer's golden glow,

Peep'd on a STRAWBERRY below,

Beneath a leaf in secret blushing.

"Mils STRAWBERRY," exclaim'd the ROSE,

"What's beauty that no mortal knows?"

"What is a charm if never seen?"

"You really are a pretty creature;"

"Then wherefore hide each blooming feature?"

"Come up and shew your modest mein."

"Mils ROSE," the STRAWBERRY replied,

"I never did possess a pride,

"That with'd to dash the public eye:

"Indeed I own I am afraid—

"I think there's safety in the shade;

"AMBITION causes many a sigh."

"Go, simple child," the ROSE rejoind,

"See how I wanton in the wind:

"I feel no danger's dread alarms:

"And then observe the GOD of day,

"How amorous with his golden ray,

"To pay his visits to my charms!"

No sooner said, but with a scream,

She started from her fav'rite theme—

A clown had on her fix'd his pat:

In vain she screech'd—How did but smile,

Rub'd with her leaves his nose awhile,

Then bluntly fluck her in his hat!!!

### ANECDOTE.

A LIEUTENANT of a man of war, who was very fond of fine terms, having received orders from the captain on shore to send the cutter to him instead of the barge, told the boatswain to postpone the barge and expedite the cutter. The rough unlettered son of Neptune ruminated some time upon the lingo without making it out; at length he luckily thought it related to some of his crew, and replied to the officer, that "Postpone was ill in his hammock, and Expedite was gone on shore."

### Michael and Barney Curran,

Have received, and offer for sale, at their store, In Corn-Hill-street,

### A variety of fashionable printed CALICOES AND CHINTZES,

CAMBRICK and other dimities,	Diaper & table clothes,
Black and fancy cambrick	Marcelles quilts & counterpanes,
muslins,	Damask and serge silk shawls,
Laced cambrick ditto,	Linen and cotton pocket handkerchiefs,
Leanoes and figured mull-mulls,	Thread laces & edgings,
Book & Jaconet muslins,	Black palmet lace,
Do. do. handkerchiefs,	Pulicat & Madras handkerchiefs,
India book muslins and handkerchiefs,	Pic nic mits & silk gloves,
Laced and fancy cambrick shawls,	English and French Silk stockings,
Pink, yellow, & coquelico	Ladies and gentlemen's cotton ditto,
crape,	Coloured cotton gloves & mits,
Silk & cotton suspenders,	
Ladies and gentlemen's umbrellas,	
Irish linens & bed ticking,	

And many other articles too tedious to mention, all of which will be sold low for cash, or on the usual terms to their punctual customers.

Also a few chests of Imperial,

3 Hyson, and Young Hyson } Teas.

Annapolis, May 16, 1805.

By virtue of a deed of trust from THOMAS M. SIMPSON to the subscribers, will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on Tuesday the 25th day of June next, on the premises,

PART of a tract of LAND, lying and being in Charles county, near Newport; this land is remarkably level, and the soil equal to any in that neighbourhood. The terms will be made known on the day of sale, and a title given, when the purchase money is paid, by

May 16, 1805. 3 JOSEPH GREEN.



# Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, May 30, 1805.

## NOTICE.

THE subscriber intending to leave this city in the course of two or three months, MOST RESPECTFULLY requests those indebted to him to make immediate payment.

M. SIGELL.

May 30, 1805.

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.

An article under the date of ROME, March 5, mentions, that Cardinal Sommaglia has invited the Clergy to preach against the INDECENCY of the dress of Females!

We have been requested to republish from our paper of the 23d of February, 1804, the following account of The JERUSALEM WHEAT, copied from a London paper of November, 1803.

## A NEW WHEAT.

The original seed, imported by a servant of the late T. Whealy, Esq; on that gentleman's Jerusalem expedition, was at first taken notice of by a Mr. Doran, of Francis-street, an eminent experimental farmer and distiller. That gentleman's account of the various branches of his experiment, as communicated to the numerous crowds of admiring spectators of the fable he produced, at the exhibition at the duke of Leinster's, stands critically as follows: He sowed about two stone and a half of what he calls Jerusalem Wheat, in the space of an haggard, about August last, after a previous crop of Vetches; this seed he had dibbled by two men and four children, the whole expanse of labour amounting to no more than 7s. British; in the last reaping season it exhibited stalks of 7 feet in length, bent considerably at top by the weight—a bunch of ears, on an average, from 42 to 45 in number to each stalk, and each ear containing generally from 150 to 190 large round grains of wheat, almost transparent through a film, resembling a skin or husk; its colour only approached the Lands Wheat, so well known in this country. The stalks, formed into reeds, filled with a white pulp, from their strength towards the root, were forced to have been cut about two feet from the surface of the soil.—The straw, or rather reed, Mr. Doran got cut with a machine, and served to horses, as a substitute for oats, on which they greedily fed, and seemed to thrive on it as well as on their usual food. The general produce of wheat, respecting the seed, was ten barrels wanting six pounds; on grinding, the proportion of bran, respecting the flour, was three pounds of the former to one barrel of the latter.

From the Richmond Enquirer.

It is confidently reported and believed that the president of the United States will serve in his PRESENT OFFICE, no longer than his present term. The reason which has been supposed to influence his determination, will cast no disgrace upon the previous lustre of his life. Mr. Jefferson is the friend of rotations in office. He is an enemy to that monopoly of it, which should keep it for any long time in the hands of a single individual. He knows, that the longer any man remains in office, the smaller opportunity can others have of acquiring it; and the smaller this chance, the smaller will be the incitements for them to deserve it. He knows too, that a permanent continuance in office not only enables a single individual to accomplish, gradually, a system of measures, and to collect around him a set of instruments favourable to his own usurpation, but that it prepares the people themselves for an undue reverence towards particular men or particular families.

Next to an unusual and extraordinary authority exercised by an individual, such as exists in the head of an army, there is nothing so capable of inspiring a respect for a permanent and excessive power, as wielding the usual executive authority for any long period. It is at the same time reported, that Mr. Jefferson is willing to give an additional proof of the honourable liberality of his views, by consenting to serve in any of the executive departments under a successor whom he may approve.—Should these reports be correct, is it not time for the republicans of the union to agree at once upon some candidate whom they will place in the presidential chair?

The last rains have brought down a great number of boats laden with flour, &c. through the canal to this town.

We are happy to hear by these opportunities, that the prospects for great crops of wheat and hay were never more promising than up the river Patowmack this season. As our neighbourhood has become a principal granary for the United States, this will be welcome news to our commercial friends in every quarter of the union.

A spirited exertion is now making here for a new bridge at the site below the Little Falls. We wish it successful.—Wash. Fed.

LONDON, April 1—8.

Secret Expedition. Several ships with troops for the expedition, failed on Sunday from Portsmouth for the Isle of Wight.

It is reported, but we believe without foundation, that the secret expedition will be dispatched to the West-Indies, instead of its original destination.

It appears by accounts from Constantinople, that the Russians mean to establish themselves at Phare, several frigates having arrived there, and failed up the river.

According to the last accounts the Brest, Toulon and Ferrol squadrons, were in port, but all ready for sea.

The troops destined for the East-Indies are ready for embarkation.

Mr. Pitt's plan for reducing the militia, and augmenting the regular forces, succeeds beyond expectation.

The Hibernia, of 120 guns, the finest ship in the English navy, has failed to join the fleet off Brest.

It is reported at Paris that general Brune has advised the occupation of the Dardanelles, and even of Constantinople, where, he says, the inhabitants are ripe for insurrection.

It is said that dispatches have been received from the North, of an unfavourable nature as far as they regard the co-operation of Russia.

Some late Paris papers contain a story of an attempt to surprise the garrison of Gibraltar, which was defeated by the vigilance of gen. Fox and the troops.

A great part of the army which was encamped on the coast from Dunkirk to Brest, amounting to 54,000 men, have received orders to march for the south of France.

It was lately reported at Brest and Paris, that the French fleet was destined for the Mediterranean, in order to gain a great maritime superiority, and then to attack the Russians at Corfu.

Accounts from Italy by a late Hamburg mail, confirm the report of a corps of 4000 Russians having failed from Corfu, on board some British ships of war, on a secret expedition.

The Courier de Londres asserts, that Sebastiani, who lately went to Holland, was accompanied by 40 desperadoes, whose orders were to seize the king of Sweden who was then on his travels.

In the late great inundation of the Tiber more than 100 persons lost their lives in the neighbourhood of Rome.

A few days ago about 200 of the flotilla came out of Boulogne harbour, and ranged themselves close under the batteries. In the evening, however, they retired.

A strange report was lately propagated at Vienna; it was said that a courier had passed through that city from the East-Indies, with intelligence, that the governor-general had declared himself independent.

NEW-YORK, May 22.

Captain Davis, who arrived here yesterday, failed from Bourdeaux on the 10th ult.—the latest from that quarter—at which time no accounts had been received of the sailing of either the Brest or Toulon fleets. There was nothing new in France.

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.

A letter from Lisbon, dated the 6th of April, says,—"Your nation is not the only one at war with the Barbary powers; the Algerines have lately done much damage to the Portuguese in taking 21 vessels, in consequence of which a squadron composed of two 74 gun ships and six frigates of 44 guns, set sail this day to blockade the port of Algiers, &c."

Another letter from Lisbon, received at Alexandria, dated the 3d April, says—"Since our last, we have had arrivals of more cargoes of wheat from France, and some of flour from America, the greater part of which would probably have been re-exported to Spain in our coasters, but this trade for the moment is checked by the appearance of an Algerine squadron, who have made some captures near Cape St. Vincent. A Portuguese squadron is fitting out to oppose them. In the interim, sales for exportation are suspended, and for the consumption of the country they are not now so brisk as they have been. The appearance of our harvest is very favourable, and if it continues so, prices will no doubt lower during the summer—which we think it our duty to communicate, and hope the information may be useful. Flour 12 50."

BALTIMORE, May 26.

By the Betsey, arrived yesterday in 24 days from Jamaica, which place she left the 30th ult. we have received Jamaica papers to the 29th April. At the time the Betsey failed the British remained in quiet possession of that colony. Our papers contain nothing of importance. Every exertion was making in Jamaica, to give the French admiral a warm reception, should he make an attempt to invade the island, which they did not think was likely to take place.

A gentleman has favoured us with the perusal of a letter from his friend at Malta, dated on board the frigate Constitution, March 1st, 1805, from which we extract the following:—"Schooner Nautilus, capt. Dent, has just come in, she captured a brig yesterday with guns and ammunition on board, bound to Tripoli.—We failed from Lisbon on the 10th of February, and arrived at Gibraltar on the 16th. We have been only 6 days making our passage from Gibraltar to this place. The ship fails remarkably fast; she has gone at the rate of thirteen miles an hour since I have been on board.—Phil. paper.

Yesterday morning a detachment of marines left this city for the city of Washington. We understand they are intended for the Mediterranean service.

## Poet's Corner.

### SELECTED.

[The muse of PINDAR is often faucy, and not unfrequently profligate; but the following effusion is delicate and moral.—Palladium.]

### ADVICE TO YOUNG WOMEN,

OR THE ROSE AND STRAWBERRY.—A FABLE.

YOUNG women! don't be fond of killing;

Too well I know your hearts unwilling

To hide beneath the veil a charm—

Too pleas'd a sparkling eye to roll,

And with a neck to thrill the soul

Of every swain with love's alarm.

Yet, yet if PRUDENCE be not near,

Its snow may melt into a tear.

The dimpled smile and pouting lip,

Where little Cupids nectar sip,

Are very pretty lures, I own;

But ah! if PRUDENCE be not nigh,

Those lips where all the CUPIDS lie,

May give a passage to a groan.

A ROSE, in all the pride of bloom,

Flinging around her rich perfume,

Her form to public notice pushing,

Amidst the summer's golden glow,

Peep'd on a STRAWBERRY below,

Beneath a leaf in secret blushing.

"Mils STRAWBERRY," exclaim'd the ROSE,

"What's beauty that no mortal knows?"

"What is a charm if never seen?"

"You really are a pretty creature;

"Then wherefore hide each blooming feature?"

"Come up and shew your modest mein."

"Mils ROSE," the STRAWBERRY replied,

"I never did possess a pride,

"That wish'd to dash the public eye:

"Indeed I own I am afraid—

"I think there's safety in the shade;

"AMBITION causes many a sigh."

"Go, simple child," the ROSE rejoind,

"See how I wanton in the wind:

"I feel no danger's dread alarms:

"And then observe the GOD of day,

"How amorous with his golden ray,

"To pay his visits to my charms!"

No sooner said, but with a scream,

She started from her favourite theme—

A clown had on her fix'd his hat:

In vain she screech'd—How did but smile,

Rub'd with her leaves his nose awhile,

Then bluntly stuck her in his hat!!!

### ANECDOTE.

A LIEUTENANT of a man of war, who was very fond of fine terms, having received orders from the captain on shore to send the cutter to him instead of the barge, told the boatswain to postpone the barge and expedite the cutter. The rough unlettered son of Neptune ruminated some time upon the lingo without making it out; at length he luckily thought it related to some of his crew, and replied to the officer, that "Postpone was ill in his hammock, and Expedite was gone on shore."

### Michael and Barney Curran,

Have received, and offer for sale, at their store, In Corn-Hill-street,

### A variety of fashionable printed CALICOES AND CHINTZES,

CAMBRICK and other dimities, Diaper & table clothes, Black and fancy cambrick, Marcellis quilts & counterpanes, mullins, Damask and serge silk shawls, Laced cambrick ditto, Linen and cotton pocket handkerchiefs, Leanoes and figured mull-mulls, Thread laces & edgings, Book & Jaconet mullins, Black palmet lace, Do. do. handkerchiefs, Pullicat & Madras handkerchiefs, India book mullins and handkerchiefs, Pic nic mits & silk gloves, Laced and fancy cambrick shawls, English and French silk stockings, Pink, yellow, & coquelico crape, Ladies and gentlemen's cotton ditto, Silk & cotton suspenders, Coloured cotton gloves & mits, Ladies and gentlemen's umbrellas, Irish linens & bed ticking.

And many other articles too tedious to mention, all of which will be sold low for cash, or on the usual terms to their punctual customers.

Also a few chests of Imperial, Hyfon, and Young Hyfon } Teas.

3 Annapolis, May 16, 1805.

By virtue of a deed of trust from THOMAS M. SIMPSON to the subscriber, will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on Tuesday the 25th day of June next, on the premises,

PART of a tract of LAND, lying and being in Charles county, near Newport; this land is remarkably level, and the soil equal to any in that neighbourhood. The terms will be made known on the day of sale, and a title given, when the purchase money is paid, by

JOSEPH GREEN. May 16, 1805. 3



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

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

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

April 22, 1805.

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

THOMAS FOLKS, 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 *Thomas Folks* being under an arrest upon mesne process for a debt 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 *Thomas Folks* appear before the said court, at the court-house of Anne-Arundel county, on the twenty-fourth day of July 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 *Thomas Folks* 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 six successive weeks.

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

The subscriber being appointed Trustee by the honorable the High Court of Chancery for the purpose of selling and conveying the real estate of the rev. *WALTER H. HARRISON*, late of Charles county, deceased, for the payment of his debts, will offer at PUBLIC SALE, on the premises, on the tenth day of June next, if fair, if not, on the first fair day thereafter,

THE whole of the real estate aforesaid, consisting of two hundred and thirty acres of LAND.—The greater part of this land lies immediately on the Patowmack river, about forty miles by water from Alexandria, and ten from Dumfries. It affords an elegant situation for a dwelling, is extremely fertile, has on it an excellent fishery, and abounds in valuable wood and timber. The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money within fifteen months from the day of sale, and on fully discharging the said bond will receive a deed for the land.

HENRY H. CHAPMAN, Trustee.

Charles county, April 12, 1805.

P. S. All persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, are desired to exhibit them, with proper vouchers, to the chancellor, before the tenth day of September next.

# NOTICE.

THE creditors of *NATHAN SMITH*, late of Calvert county, deceased, are requested to meet at Hunting-town, in Calvert county aforesaid, on Monday the first day of July next ensuing the date hereof, in order to receive their proportion of the said *Nathan Smith's* estate, so far as assets have been received. Given under my hand, this ninth day of May, 1805.

THEODORE HODGKIN, Administrator.

# NOTICE.

THE Commissioners of the Tax of Anne-Arundel county will meet at the court-house, in the city of Annapolis, on the first Monday of June next, and will sit twenty days thereafter, to hear and determine the complaints and appeals of any persons who may think themselves grieved by their property being over valued, and to make transfers.

# LAND FOR SALE.

By virtue of a decree from the honourable the High Court of Chancery, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on TUESDAY, the second of July next, at eleven o'clock, A. M. on the premises,

THAT valuable FARM, lying on the upper part of Elk Ridge, adjoining Carroll's manor, whereon the late *Henry Nelson* formerly lived, containing about 665 acres. The terms of sale will be, that one fourth of the purchase money be paid, at the election of the purchaser, on the day of sale, or brought into the court of chancery on the ratification thereof, and the residue to be paid, with interest, at three equal annual payments, to be bonded for, with security, to be approved of by the trustee. This valuable farm lies high and healthy, within twenty miles of Baltimore city, thirty of Frederick-town, and thirty-five more of the city of Washington. The improvements are, a large and convenient dwelling-house, a barn 60 feet by 40, with stables under it, three tobacco-houses, and all other necessary buildings; it abounds with all kinds of fruit, and an orchard of 500 bearing apple trees. There are about 50 acres of meadow in grass. This farm is well adapted to all kinds of country produce.

HENRY HOWARD, Trustee.

April, 1805.

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

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

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

April 22, 1805.

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

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

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

April 22, 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 of administration, de bonis non, with the will annexed, on the personal estate of *JOHN MERCER STEVENS*, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the twenty-fifth day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 27th day of April, 1805.

ZACHARIAH JACOB, Administrator,  
D. B. N. W. A.

# LAND FOR SALE.

Pursuant to the last will of *JOSHUA DORSEY*, sen. late of Elk-Ridge, deceased, and agreeably to the decree of the honourable the Chancellor of Maryland of June last, will be sold, at public sale, on the premises, on the sixth of June next,

THE tract of LAND called *LOCUST THICKET*, situated on Elk-Ridge, Anne-Arundel county, Maryland, containing about 500 acres. This land is one and a half miles from Spurrier's tavern, on the post road from Baltimore to the city of Washington. There are several merchant mills within a few miles of this farm. This land is well adapted to Indian corn, wheat, rye, and tobacco; it is divided into six fields, under good fencing, and conveniently watered, with good springs and streams of water. There is a tolerable good mill seat on this land; a good proportion of meadow now in grass, and more can easily be made; there is a sufficiency of woodland to support this farm. The improvements are, a comfortable dwelling-house, kitchen, smoke house, corn house, barn, stables, and other necessary buildings; an apple orchard of good fruit, and a variety of other fruit trees. The terms of sale are, twelve months credit, the purchaser or purchasers giving bond, with interest from the day of sale, with approved security for the purchase money, to the subscriber. Any person calling on Mr. JOHN SHIPLEY, near the premises, can be shown the above mentioned land. There will be an accurate plot exhibited at the day of sale. When the purchase money is paid there will be a good and sufficient deed executed by the subscriber. The sale to begin at 12 o'clock. Immediate possession will be given.

GEORGE DORSEY, Trustee.

Mr. Green, of Annapolis, Mr. Hamilton, of Lancaster, and Mr. Edie, of York, are requested to publish the above advertisement six times, and forward their accounts to Yundt and Brown.

April 23, 1805.

# LANDS FOR SALE.

In pursuance of a decree of the High Court of Chancery of this State, will be exposed to public sale, on Monday the tenth day of June next, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter, at the house of Mr. JOSEPH EDWARDS, in Choptico, Saint-Mary's county,

THE following tracts or parcels of LAND, late the property of *TOWNSHEND EDEN*, deceased, lying in Saint-Mary's county, to wit: Two separate parts of *Bashford Manor*, one of which lies on Choptico bay, is supposed to contain 270 acres, and is well improved; the other within one mile of Wicomico river, and supposed to contain upwards of 200 acres; *Cole's Adventure*, and part of *Neale's Lot Resurveyed*, lie in the Forest, and are chiefly in woods.

These lands, or as much thereof as will produce the sum of seven hundred and fifty pounds, will be sold on the following terms: The purchaser to give bond, with good and sufficient security, to pay one half the purchase money, and interest, within one year from the time of sale, and the residue, and interest thereon, within two years from the time of sale, to be ratified and approved by the chancellor; and conveyances in fee-simple for the said property, for all the estate, right, title and interest, in said lands, which was in *Townshend Eden*, and now in *James Eden*, which hath descended to him from *Townshend Eden*, his father, will be made to the respective purchasers, on payment of the purchase money, and not before.

A more particular description of the lands, with their advantages and incumbrances, will be detailed at the time and place of sale. The subscriber will shew the lands at any time previous to the day of sale to any person inclinable to become a purchaser.

WILLIAM MUIR, Trustee  
for the sale of said lands.

I DO certify, that *JAMES MURRY*, living at Mount Holly ferry, brought, this 17th May, 1805, before me, one of the justices of Anne-Arundel county, a sorrel HORSE, 8 or 9 years old, 14 or 15 hands and one inch high, one of his feet is white behind, he has considerable white in his face, and is grey over his eyes, he has a bobbed tail, and some saddle spots on his back, and is shod on all his feet.

HENRY HALL DORSEY.

The owner of the above described horse is requested to come and prove his property, and take his horse from

2 JAMES MURRY, Living at  
Holland's Ferry.

# This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained letters of administration, de bonis non, on the personal estate of *JONATHAN BURCH*, late of Charles county, deceased, from the orphans court of said county. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 15th day of December next, otherwise they may be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand, this 6th day of May, 1805.

3X WALTER DYSON, Administrator,  
de bonis non.

# ANNAPOLIS:

Printed by FREDERICK and SAMUEL GREEN.

(LXII YB.

MA

ANNAPOLIS

SPORT

HARLEM

ON Tuesday the 1st run by Mr. bay colt and the both heats with mare Matilda, won Cornwell's. Mr. B. ful on the turf this all the purses, the since. On that Conful beat Mr. R. high style.—The a some running at First Conful and the latter had the heel ground.

WE are auth GASSAWAY, of the ensuing election Anne-Arundel cou Rhode river, M

The ship Hard last evening from pers to the 12th received. These ance. We learn strong hopes were fective co-operati France; that a leading between extensive inform hostility to the C been received in mitted in the W that the Brest fl were in complete ing an opportuni been dismissed f dition was fitting utterly unknown ons, and the va thing of any cer although every p ing a vigorous v happy coinciden enjoying the ble

By the ship days from Live Gazette have re April. The m signation of lon on account of l mons of having money. The l

We last night and a Dutch parations carry ously represent menfe; and th is said, be v minal Orde. that sometime gallant admira ment.

We received and Dutch to we communie fleet at Cadiz to be twelve gates; and is activity of pr ef that the fl to sea. Adm mentioned in

A paper pr Russian army Russia and S millions, to p country. A Mediterranean 150,000 men ence, that a having been they are far politics of th change favou