

and Chickamaugie tribe of Indians, the state of Franklin has lately resolved to place a strong garrison at the mouth of Highwansee river, in order to give a check to the future progress of such a banditti of blood-hounds, who make it their business to live by their predatory excursions, and likewise to secure the great number of emigrants that are daily fetching on the frontiers of Franklin.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman at the rapids of the Ohio, to his friend in Philadelphia, dated June 20.

"The Indians are daily committing depredations in this quarter, and have killed several people in their habitations. Indeed we may say that they are actually in open war with us, and that to go in pursuit of them, would be as much in vain as, to use an old and common saying, to seek for a needle in a bundle of hay.

"Colonel Harmar and major Hamtramack, have just arrived here with three companies of the federal troops from the garrison at Miami; but their destination has not yet transpired."

A letter from Mr. Benjamin Pearson, at Norton, in Massachusetts, to his brother in Newbury-Port, dated June 29th, 1787, contains the following remarkable account, viz:

"Two or three men being at work in a field at Mansfield, were obliged by a shower to take shelter in an uninhabited house near by.—While there, to their great surprise, they saw five or six white mice run from under the hearth and back again.—One of the men proposed taking up the hearth, upon doing which, they found an infant's bones and skull, together with a knife lying by the side of the bones, the handle almost rotten, the back very rusty, but the edge quite bright.—It is thought, from what information they have been able to obtain, that the murder was committed about thirty years ago.—Strange noises had been heard by a family which formerly lived in the house."

PHILADELPHIA, August 11.

We learn by the Mediator, captain Brougham, just arrived here from Cadiz, that there were three stout Algerine cruisers in that port repairing and fitting out for sea at the king of Spain's expence, and that they were expected to fail about the latter end of July, to cruise in the western ocean.

A late letter from Ireland, contains the pleasing intelligence that every thing was quiet and peaceable in that kingdom at the date of this communication. Even the white boys in the southern parts of the island, whose abominable riots and cruel excesses had spread an alarm all over the British dominions in Europe, were reposing in the bosom of profound tranquillity; which happy change for the better is principally ascribed to general lord Luttrell's distinguished humanity and prudent conduct, when he commanded the king's army employed to reduce those deluded insurgents to obedience; and it is infinitely to the honour of his lordship, that he appeased the dangerous tumults, which degraded his country, without blood-shed.

WINCHESTER, (Virginia) July 25.

Extract of a letter from Pittsburg, dated June 25.

"A number of Indians came to town a few days ago, and brought in two packets, one to be sent to congress, the other for the superintendent of Indian affairs: We understand the packet for the superintendent contains an account of a treaty held by eighteen different tribes of Indians last fall, the result of which was, that they say the treaties held between the thirteen fires and some of their chiefs, at Fort M'Intosh and the Miami, were partial, and that the chiefs had no power to grant to the thirteen fires liberty to survey the land which is within their claim; they request a treaty may be held between them and the thirteen fires at some place more central to them than those which have already been held, that some measures may be pointed out to render the peace between them and the thirteen fires permanent; they forbid any surveyors or others for the present, to survey or lay off land within their claim, which extends all along the Ohio."

FREDERICKSBURG, August 2.

By a person lately arrived from Kentucky we learn, that about the 10th of June, a party of 150 volunteers, belonging to the Cumberland settlement, were secretly piloted by two Indians to one of the Chickamauga towns, which they immediately laid in ashes, and brought in 40 scalps, with the loss of only two men killed, and 3 or 4 wounded. By this successful expedition, we are informed, that every man shared 30l. in cash and plate, took 1000 deer skins, and far to a very considerable amount.

FREDERICK TOWN, July 25.

A gentleman of veracity belonging to this place, just arrived from Kentucky, informs, that on the 4th ult. a party of Indians fired on a boat, loaded with furs, on its way down the Ohio, from Oposit, in which were ten men, seven of whom were killed; a boat at a considerable distance in the rear, came up some time after and found four of the dead bodies, in the boat, which had been evacuated by the survivors, and was then adrift; they however had saved the cargo and sunk the boat with the unfortunate slain not being able to forward her. It is uncertain what nation of savages perpetrated this deed, but we have too much reason to fear that those tribes are indiscriminately guilty, and that notwithstanding their declarations of peace, their hearts are hostile; of this we have had many preg-

nant proofs these few days. At length our pacific measures will be explained as flowing from pusillanimity. O ye Americans, ye have, as it were, removed a mountain and now halt at a mole-hill.

ANNAPOLIS, August 23.

From the Norfolk and Portsmouth Journal.

Mr. Printer,

The following cures for that fatal disorder the FLUX, so rife in and about this borough, is offered to the public through the channel of your useful paper, in hopes their efficacious effects may be as fully experienced by those of my fellow-citizens labouring under that complaint, as have been to my knowledge by numbers in the northern states.

Recipe 1st. Take about three quarters of an ounce of the rind of the oldest cheese that can be got, scrape it very fine in a pint (or less) of new milk, which let be thickened with the best superfine flour to the consistence of what is generally termed mush, which let be the patients constant diet till they find the flux inclining to stop, then work it off with any gentle purge; should they desist taking the medicine too soon, and find the disorder returning, have recourse to it again, it will assuredly cure.

Recipe 2^d. Take the inner bark of a white oak saplin or tree, of which make tea sweetened with best double refined loaf sugar, which let be the patient's constant drink; if it proves unpalatable, dry the bark before a slow fire, and reduce it to a fine powder; a small tea-spoonful of which may be taken in a glass of good Port wine, warmed, in the morning fasting, and in the evening, observing to work it off as in the first recipe.—This medicine is fully as efficacious as the other, and best suits those who, through a depraved appetite, cannot take the first medicine.

A CITIZEN.

Norfolk, July 23, 1787.

A LIST of LETTERS remaining in the Post-Office, Annapolis, which, if not taken up before the fifth day of October next, will be sent to the general post-office as dead letters.

SALLY ALLEN, Prince-George's county.

Elizabeth Bordley, William Booth, Annapolis; James Brown, Anne-Arundel county; Thomas Rural, Dorchester county; John Blair, Cambridge; Mary Bordley, Queen Anne's county; Walter Brooke, Charles county; Monsieur Boisnard, Accomack county.

John Callahan, John Thomas Clifton, John Cunningham, Annapolis; Jeremiah Colson, William Clayton, Queen Anne's county; Richard Carnes, Saint Mary's county; Joseph Court, West-River; Thomas Crackels, Port-Tobacco; John Chamberlain, Prince-George's county.

John Davidson (2), Francis Dawson, Annapolis; Dr. James Doull, Patowmack; Joseph Donnison (3), Saint Mary's county; Rev. Mr. Doyn (2), Calvert county; Paggay Dehnett, Prince's-Anne county. Daniel Fitzhugh, Annapolis; Peregrine Fitzhugh, Kent Island; William Ford, Queen-Anne's county; Ignatius Fenwick, Carrollsburg; Rev. Colin Ferguson, Chester-town; Robert Fish, Saint Mary's county.

Andrew Garratty, Annapolis; Adam Gray, Queen-Anne's county; Samuel Galloway, Tulip-hill; Lewis Gale, Somerset county; Robert Goldborough, Talbot county.

Francis Holuigue, Annapolis; William Hemfley, Queen-Anne's county; Henry Hagan, Charles county. Thomas Johnson, Annapolis; James Jordan (2), Saint Mary's county; Mary Johnson, Calvert county. John Kilty (3), Annapolis.

Thomas Linthead, Anne-Arundel county; Samuel Love (2), Salisbury; James Lyon, Lower-Marlborough.

George Mann, Legh Master, William Matthews, Annapolis; Levin Mackall, Patuxent; Dr. Walter Minto (2), Washington college; Hezekiah Magruder, Calvert county; Jacob Macceney, Pig-Point.

Abraham Nield, Little Choptank; James Norman, Cambridge.

William Peat, Cambridge; Hugh Porter, Nanticoke-point.

John Rogers, Thomas Ridout (4), John Randal (3), Thomas Rutland, Henry Ridgely, Annapolis; Dr. Jacob Ringgold, Queen-Anne's county; Mr. Rouviere, Patuxent.

William Sampson, Robert Smith, Annapolis; William Stevens, and Co. Talbot county; John Stewart, Somerset county; Thomas Stanton, Caroline county; Thomas Sutton, Patuxent.

John Thompson, Annapolis; Ralph Thompson (4), Charles county; Bryon Taylor, Patuxent; Robert Tuite, Richard Tilghman, Queen-Anne's county.

Edward Vidler, Annapolis.

James Wallace, Cornelius West, John Willey, Annapolis; Joseph Wilkinson, Calvert county; Richard Waters, Anne-Arundel county; Roger Woolford, Little Choptank; Arnold Wilkins (2), Rev. Charles Wheelan, Saint Mary's county.

Robert Young, Charles county; Notley Young (3), Maryland.

F. GREEN, D. P. M.

JUST PUBLISHED,

By F. GREEN, Annapolis, and SPOTSWOOD and CLARE, bookellers, Baltimore.

The Columbian Magazine, for July, 1787, embellished with a perspective view of the state-house in Philadelphia.

The American Museum, for June and July, 1787. Anecdotes of the reign of Lewis XVI, present king of France, since and previous to his accession to the throne of his ancestors.

Adams's Defence of the Constitutions of Government of the United States of America.

PUBLIC SALE of SEVEN VALUABLE

TRACTS of LAND, adjourned from the second to Friday the seventh of September next.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of an act of the last session of assembly, entitled

An act to empower Sarah Buchanan, executrix of Archibald Buchanan, deceased, Alexander Cowen, Thomas Sim Lee, Dan. of St. Tho. Jenifer, and Benjamin Nicholson, to sell and dispose of certain

TRACTS of LAND, for the purpose herein after mentioned—the subscribers will sell at Timonium the DWELLING PLANTATION of SARAH BUCHANAN, on Friday the seventh day of September next, for FINAL SETTLEMENT CERTIFICATES, (which may be paid into the treasury of the state, at two and a half for one) for the purpose of discharging sundry judgments obtained by the state of Maryland, against the heir at law of the said Archibald Buchanan, deceased.—the following

TRACTS of LAND, lying and being in Baltimore county, on the great road that leads from Baltimore-town, to York town, and within eleven miles of the former, called TAYLOR'S PALACE, WELSH FANCY and ROBINSON'S ADDITION—three tracts adjoining, containing 240 acres, 50 of which are already in excellent meadow, and 50 acres more may be made at a small expence, with a fine stream of water running through the whole, which is sufficient to water every foot of it. Also

FOUR other TRACTS, lying near the aforementioned lands, each adjoining, called JACK'S DOUBLE PURCHASE, part of JACK'S DOUBLE PURCHASE, part of SULIST and STRIPS, containing in the four tracts, 350 acres, upwards of 30 acres in meadow, and more may be made at a small expence. The most part of these lands are bottom, remarkable for its fertility in producing all kinds of grain, and three or four elegant situations for country seats, that command an extensive inland prospect—the whole well watered, and is part of that well known and valuable estate, formerly called BELLEFIELD. One third of the purchase money to be paid the 10th day of September next; another third on the 10th of March next, and the remaining third on the tenth day of September, in the year 1788.

SARAH BUCHANAN, Executrix.

THOMAS SIM LEE.

DAN. of St. THO. JENIFER.

ALEXANDER COWEN.

BENJAMIN NICHOLSON.

At the same time and place, will be offered by

SALE a variety of useful and elegant HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, for CASH or FINAL SETTLEMENT.

SARAH BUCHANAN.

August 18, 1787.

August 22, 1787.

ON the petition of Peter Boswell, a prisoner in Charles county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, an Act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the eighth day of October next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery-office, in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the direction of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD.

10/21/87 Reg. Cur. Can.

August 20, 1787.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscribers of Dorchester county, being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Dorchester county court, in October next, to liberate him agreeable to the act for the relief of insolvent debtors, passed last session of assembly.

10/21/87 JOSHUA MULLINEAUX.

Annapolis, August 15, 1787.

STOPT, on suspicion of being stolen, an old sloop, with a mainsail and jib, her stern has been lately blanked and is neither tarred nor painted, has a black bottom; she was in possession of a person who calls himself GEORGE ROBOSON, who says he was skipper, and a man by the name of JOHN PERRY. Roboson is an old offender, and Perry was discharged from Baltimore goal on the 20th of June last; they say the sloop belongs to a Mr. Callahan, at the head of the basin in Baltimore; there is a small batteau with the sloop; there was on board the sloop a sack of wheat and about half a barrel of flour, a neat new fowling piece, one hide of tuffet leather, and some other trifling articles. Whoever owns the sloop, or any of the above articles, are requested to apply, prove property and pay charges, to

WILLIAM GOLDSMITH.

August 16, 1787.

CAME to the subscriber's plantation, in the upper part of Anne-Arundel county, the 4th day of August, two bright bay horses, about eight years old, shod all round, about fifteen hands high, twitch tails with stars in their foreheads, tror and gillip, no branded. The owner is desired to come, prove property, pay charges, and take them away.

10/21/87 JOHN WAYMAN.

Baltimore, August 13, 1787.

JUST IMPORTED,

And to be SOLD by

RICHARD CURSON,

An elegant assortment of Italian marble chimney

pieces; slabs for hearths and tables; paving stones of 18, 21 and 25 inches square; and marble mortars of all sizes with pestles.

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