ANNAPOLIS, *May 8.*

On Friday last arrived here the ship Patowmack, captain White, from Havre-de-Grace.

TO THE PRINTERS.

IN the address to the people of Maryland published in your last paper, there is a mistake, relative to the declaration of the member from the city. His meaning was, and he thinks his express words were, that upon consulting his colleague respecting amendments to the plan of federal government, he was of opinion, that the representatives of the city were not *authorised* to consider, or agree to amendments, and not, that the citizens were *against* any, the expression used in the above address. His colleague observed, that the matter had never been submitted to their constituents, and they having made no express declaration, he did not consider the delegation of the city at liberty to act in this particular. It may be remembered that this declaration of the member from the city was made at that period, when the idea was, that the amendments agreed to should accompany the instrument of ratification to New-York, and not in the latter stage of the business, when that idea was dropped, and it was proposed to refer them to the consideration of the people, from whom, if approved of, they were to pass to congress through the medium of the legislature.

Annapolis, May 7, 1788.

TO THE PEOPLE OF MARYLAND.

IT is conceived, that the address of a minority has not only mistated certain facts, but omitted some very material circumstances. Another narrative therefore will be laid before you so soon as a communication shall have taken place between the members of the majority in the committee, who separated *(perhaps rather indiscreetly)* without drawing up an accurate statement of their proceedings as, at first, they intended.

For the present, you are prayed to suspend your opinions. You cannot, however, have failed to remark, that as the convention was dissolved, without proposing to you any amendments, it is not probable, that a large majority was sincerely disposed for that business. It is notorious, that they came together with no other avowed object, or wish, than to adopt the constitution without delay, and then retire peaceably to their homes

ONE of the COMMITTEE.

May 6, 1788.

AN unjust and false report having been raised, and industriously propagated, by some malicious person, on Saturday afternoon, the 26th ultimo, that the governor refused to lend the citizens of Annapolis some of the public powder to celebrate the adoption of the new constitution by the convention, before it was ratified, urging, "That he did not consider himself at liberty to consume the public powder without the advice of his council," and we having heard the said report, incautiously mentioned the same in company, without further inquiry to ascertain the authenticity of the report, we therefore take this public method of declaring, that upon examination we found that the said report was unjust and utterly void of foundation, and that the governor, upon application on behalf of the citizens, previous to and after the said report had prevailed, without the least hesitation, always expressed the utmost readiness to lend the citizens such ammunition and ordnance as they might want, and to that purport gave orders to the armourer for the delivery without further reserve, than that he should take a receipt for the same; in justice therefore to his excellency's conduct upon this occasion, and his readiness to oblige the citizens, we think it our duty to contradict the said report, and to acknowledge, that on full inquiry we have found the same to be groundless, and void of truth.

Governor 1

JOHN DAVIDSON,
JOHN WHITE.

Annapolis, May 7, 1788.

May 1, 1788.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC VENDUE, at Upper-Marlborough, on Wednesday the 28th instant, for the benefit of the creditors of William S. Bowie,

A SMALL parcel of dry goods, some plate, a waggon and harness, three horses, a few cattle, and some plantation utensils. The sale to be on a credit of six months, the purchasers giving bond with security.

1 SAMUEL HEPBURN, THOMAS CLARK, } trustees.

St. Mary's county, May 7, 1788.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on Saturday the thirty-first instant, at the dwelling plantation of the late Mr. James Jordan,

A NUMBER of very valuable NEGROES, consisting of men, women, boys and girls; some of the women have been bred to house-work and are very handy; also at the same time will be sold a variety of excellent furniture. Twelve months credit will be given, on giving bond with approved security.

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JEREMIAH JORDAN,
JOHN A. THOMAS,
GEORGE GOLDIE.

May 7, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Calvert county court, after six weeks notice, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

10d 13/1 BURTON CROSSBY.

April 30, 1788.

To be SOLD, to the highest bidder, on Wednesday the 4th of June next, if fair, if not the next fair day,

THE plantation whereon the subscriber now lives, lying in Prince-George's county, about a mile from Rock-Creek church, between Bladensburgh and George-town, and is very convenient to several very good grist and saw-mills; the situation of this land I think equal to any in the state for trade, and the soil is suitable for planting or farming, there being plenty of excellent meadow ground on it, some in grass, and much more may be very easily improved; there is excellent fruit of all kinds, apple-trees sufficient to make 3 or 4 thousand gallons of cyder a year, when the trees bear, and they seldom miss, more or less every year; there are two very good dwelling-houses joined together by a passage of ten feet, laid with brick, the one is 24 by 16 with a cellar under the whole, walled with stone, the other is 20 by 24, the whole planked above and below, with several convenient lodging rooms, kitchen, milk house, meat house, quarter, corn house, hen house, &c. &c.

I think it needless to say any more unless the quantity should be too small (which is about 300 acres). I am authorised to sell two other parcels of land, adjoining each other, and lay very well together, the whole being about 650 acres; some of this land I think equal to any in this part of the county, if not superior; it is presumed no person would choose to purchase either of the above lands without viewing them first, which may be seen at any time before the day of sale, by applying to

10d 11/3 ABRAHAM BOYD.

Calvert county, May 5, 1788.

In pursuance of a decree from the chancery court, and a trust to me for that purpose, will be exposed to public sale, on Saturday the fourteenth day of June next,

THAT valuable tract of land whereon doctor Alexander Hamilton Smith, late of Calvert county, deceased, did live, it being part of a tract of land called BATCHELDOUR'S or BATCHELOR'S QUARTER, containing two hundred and fifty acres, more or less, subject to the dower of the widow of said Alexander Hamilton Smith; upon the said land are a commodious dwelling house and kitchen, many useful outhouses, two good tobacco houses, a garden and orchard.—The land will be sold upon six months credit, the purchaser giving bond with good security.

1 SAMUEL CHEW.

May 1, 1788.

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

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

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April 30, 1788.

ON the petition of Emory Sudler, of Kent 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 sixteenth day of June next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered, that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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

10d 13/1

May 1, 1788.

ON the petition of Robert Craig, of Cæcil 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 sixteenth day of June next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered, that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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

10d 13/1

May 1, 1788.

ON the petition of Richard Dorsey, of Anne-Arundel 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 sixteenth day of June next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered, that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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

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May 5, 1788.

Four Dollars Reward.

STRAYED or STOLEN from the subscriber, on Thursday night last, a grey HORSE, he has two white hind feet, and a small star in his forehead. Whoever takes up said horse, and delivers him to the subscriber, shall have the above reward, and all reasonable expences, paid by

10d 7/6 ADAM MILLER.

May 5, 1788.

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

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

10d 13/1

May 5, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, being unable to discharge his debts, intends to petition the justices of Calvert county court, after six weeks notice, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

10d 12/10 WILLIAM WINFIELD.

May 1, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, being unable to discharge his debts, intends to petition the justices of Montgomery county court, after six weeks notice, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

10d 13/1 FIELDER PARKER.

May 5, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, being unable to discharge his debts, intends to petition the justices of Prince-George's county court, after six weeks notice, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

Geo. Nicholls 1 JOHN KING.

PITT,

WILL stand at Annapolis, and every Saturday will be at captain Baldwin's tavern, near the head of severn, and will cover at the moderate price of one guinea cash, and half a dollar to the groom, the season. PITT is six years old, a jet black, in high order, fifteen hands high, well made, handsome, strong and active; he was got by Mr. Hanson's Chatham, his dam a three quarter blood mare by Figure.

May 5, 1788. 1 JAMES WILLIAMS.

March 18, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber intends to prefer a petition to the justices of Kent county, at the adjourned court, to be held in Chestertown on Thursday the 1st day of May next, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors.

4X JONATHAN JOBSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition will be presented to the general assembly, at their next session, praying that an act may pass to confirm the title of four tracts of land, called Nutt's Cliffs, Chaplin, East Chaplin, and Meares, devised by Mr. Young Parran, late of Calvert county, deceased, by his last will and testament, to his son John Parran, since deceased, to the heir at law of the said John Parran.

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Poplar-hill, April 2, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that application will be made by the subscriber, at the next Prince-George's county June court, for a commission under the act, entitled, An act for marking and bounding lands, to prove and mark the bounds and lines of a tract of land called The Addition, in the said county.

2 ROBERT DARNALL.

April 16, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the next court for Prince-George's county, for commission under the late act of assembly, to ascertain and mark the lines of a tract of land in said county, being part of a tract of land called Adamthoria Manor.

2 HENRY ROZER.

St. Mary's county April 10, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given the creditors of the subscriber, that being unable to pay his debts, he means to petition the justices of St. Mary's county, at their June term, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

W 3 THOMAS MONRICK.

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Charles county, March 6, 1788.

WE intend to petition the legislature at the next session, that a law may pass, empowering the justices of the said county to assess on the inhabitants thereof a sum of money or tobacco, sufficient to cover the tobacco which may appear to have been lost from Pomonkey warehouse, during the tumults of the late war.

ANNE DENT, administratrix,
THEODORE DENT, administrator, of
PETER DENT, late inspector.

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Mount-Airy, March 14, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that application will be made by the subscriber, at the next June court of Prince George's county, for a commission under the act, entitled, An act for marking and bounding lands, to prove and mark the bounds and lines of two tracts of land, one called his Lordship's Kindness, the other part of the Lodge, commonly called Darnall's Lodge, lying in the said county.

ELIZABETH CALVERT, executrix of Benedict Calvert, deceased.

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