whom he continued till very lately, when he providentially made his escape—That he knows not what became of Elsmore, having never seen him since they were at the Chickamawgo towns.

RICHMOND, *January* 21.

Extract of a letter dated French-Broad, December 18, 1788.

" Governor Sevier is just returned from an excursion into the Indian country, he has captured 27 women and children, without any person being killed on either side. His object was prisoners to redeem those taken at Gallespey's fort. He took a white man with the Indians, and since has sent him back with a letter to the chiefs offering an exchange of prisoners, and assuring them that this effort should be his last; provided hostilities terminated on their parts. It is but fair play we give the last blow, as the Indians gave the first."

Extract of a letter from Sullivan county, dated December 8, 1788

" Mrs. Ingles, who was taken about a year ago from German Creek, is returned: She, with four of her children, were kept by a party of the Cherokees in the mountains, a few miles from the Kentucky path, and near the ford of Cumberland river, for 6 months after they were taken; during which time the Indians stole about 60 horses, and brought in 5 scalps. They then proceeded to the Wyandot town, on Sandusky, with their plunder, and prisoners: The latter they sold to that tribe, who are remarkably fond of increasing their numbers by adopting young prisoners. After some time, she by the assistance of an Indian trader, was sent home with her youngest child. She gives an account that several of the northern tribes were about joining the Creek confederacy, and that Alexander M'Gillivray is to have the superintendence of the whole."

Extract of a letter from Washington, December 4.

" We have just received an account of the Indians attacking a small company of travellers coming in from Kentucky in the Wilderness; one man of the name of Nash is killed, and two wounded; the remainder effected a retreat, although pursued for several miles, and reached Martin's station with the wounded men. This proves how little dependence is to be put in the solemn promises made by the Cherokee chiefs to major Moore last September, of engaging that the Kentucky path should remain unmolested, provided we did not assist North-Carolina in carrying on war against them. True it is the emigrants to Kentucky have all got through safe—and this of itself is a great matter."

Extract of a letter dated Kentucky, November 22, 1788, *to the Printer.*

" We have been listening, for some time past, with no small degree of attention, and no less solicitude, to the debates in our convention, on the subject of separation: and to the great joy of the friends to the union, the determination is favourable, and in unison with the late recommendation of congress. This decision will be a proof, that however we may all agree in wishing for a new state, at a proper time, and in an orderly manner, yet it must be a repetition of disappointments, and real injuries, that can draw off the great body of the people from federal principles. We begin to be thoroughly ashamed of the majority of our vote in the Virginia convention, and something ashamed of ourselves too; but our friends may now rest assured, the mist is removed from before our eyes, and trust we will soon see clearly, notwithstanding the letters and talks, so liberally dispersed amongst us; and the vehement oratory of others, about the navigation of the Mississippi."

ALEXANDRIA, *January* 22.

By information received from Kentucky we learn, that many of the principal people of that district, are warmly in favour of a separation from the union, and contend that it is injurious to the interests of that country, to be connected with the Atlantic states.—This idea, so pregnant with mischief to America, is said to be much cherished by the intelligence carried there by Mr. Brown, member of congress—to this effect—that he had the strongest assurances from the Spanish ambassador that, on such a declaration by the people of Kentucky, Spain would cede to them the free navigation of the Mississippi, and give them every support and encouragement in her power. Though this does not correspond with the opinion that has commonly been entertained of that minister, as to prudence, it is so serious in its consequences, to the peace and existence of the Atlantic states, as to deserve the immediate attention of congress. If it be authentic, Mr. Brown has incurred high penalties for holding such a correspondence; and it is to be hoped, the executive of this state, will consider it as a part of their duty to inquire into it.

February 4, 1789.

NOTICE.

COLONEL FRANCIS WARE, late sheriff of Charles county, having assigned his books (and other evidences of debts due him) to his securities, for their indemnification, and the said securities having appointed the subscriber to collect all balances due on the said sheriff's books; all persons concerned are hereby forewarned from paying any money, tobacco, or other property by them received, or that may be owing by them, to any other person than the subscriber, or his order. The late deputies are to receive so far as have been put into their hands for collection, they having given sufficient security to perform the trust reposed in them.

1 THOMAS A. DYSON.

February 2, 1789.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Tuesday the third day of March next, for ready cash, the land and personal property of THOMAS WHITTINGTON, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased.

THREE LOTS of LAND, situate and being in the county aforesaid, viz. lot No. 1, being part of a tract or parcel of land called GORY BANKS, containing 50 acres, more or less; lot No. 2, being part of a tract or parcel of land called MAIDSTONE, containing 38½ acres, more or less, on this lot is a dwelling house, with two rooms on the lower floor, brick chimney, kitchen, one tobacco house, corn house, a good apple orchard, and some meadow ground; lot No. 3, being another part of MAIDSTONE, containing 88½ acres, more or less, this lot has on it a small dwelling house, 20 by 16 feet, brick chimney, kitchen, one tobacco house, a young orchard just planted, and some meadow ground; also NEGROES, HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS, SHEEP, household FURNITURE, and plantation UTENSILS, &c. The sale to begin at 12 o'clock, precisely.

All persons having any claims against the said estate are desired to bring in their accounts, lawfully adjusted, that they may be settled, and those who are indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, which will prevent expence to themselves, and trouble to their humble servant, 100 7/6

THOMAS WHITTINGTON, Executor.

To be SOLD, agreeable to the last will and testament of Mrs. ELIZABETH HALL, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, on Monday the 2d day of March next, if fair, if not the next fair day, on the premises, on short credit, terms made further known on the day of sale,

VARIETY of personal property, consisting of HORSES, HOGS, CATTLE and SHEEP, draught STEERS, WHEAT, RYE, OATS and CORN, sundry household FURNITURE, plantation UTENSILS, and a quantity of smoaked MEAT, &c.

All persons having claims are requested to make them known on or before the day of sale, those indebted are desired to make immediate payment to

1 HENRY HALL, JOSEPH HOWARD, } Executors.

Anne-Arundel county, February 12, 1789.

To be SOLD, agreeably to the last will and testament of HENRY MAY, late of the said county, deceased, on Friday the 20th instant, on the premises, near South river church, for ready cash,

THE late dwelling PLANTATION of the said deceased, being part of a tract of land called BESSINGTON, containing about 14 acres, more or less; also sundry NEGROES, consisting of MEN, WOMEN and CHILDREN, some household FURNITURE, STOCK, blacksmith's TOOLS, and a few hogsheads of CIDER. / M. Beard

RICHARD BEARD, jun. executor.

Frederick county, February 3, 1789.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscribers will apply to Frederick county March court next, for a commission, under the act of assembly, entitled, An act for marking and bounding lands, as well to fix, mark and bound, the tract of land called CARROLLSBURG, as our particular parts thereof.

1 JAMES YOUNG,
CHARLES ROBINSON,
SAMUEL CLELAND,
WILLIAM BROWN, sen.
Wm Gaddard ROBERT BROWN,
WILLIAM BROWN, jun.

JUST PUBLISHED,

And to be SOLD,

At the PRINTING-OFFICE,

Price One Dollar,

THE

LAWS

OF

MARYLAND,

PASSED AT 2

NOVEMBER SESSON,

Seventeen Hundred and Eighty-Eight.

To be LEASED,

SEVERAL LOTS of GROUND in this city, on the Church circle, and the streets called Tabernacle-street, opposite Mr. James Ringgold's, and Lawyer's-street, opposite Mr. John Callahan's. The terms may be known by applying to the subscriber.

2 JAMES STEUART.

Anne-Arundel county, state of Maryland, December 31, 1788.

WHEREAS my wife RACHEL CLARK has eloped from me, and refuseth to live with me, I hereby give public notice, that I forewarn all persons crediting her on my account, as I will not pay any debts of her contracting from the date hereof.

1 X BENJAMIN CLARK.

Kent-Island, January 28, 1789.

LOST,

FROM Broad Creek, which it is supposed was carried off by the ice, the wind being then at north-east, on Monday morning, the 26th instant, a SCOW, nearly new, about twenty feet long, and eight or nine feet wide, her sides are gum: From the wind being at north-east, it is imagined she drifted down towards Talley's or Thomas's Point. FOUR DOLLARS REWARD will be given for bringing her to Broad Creek, Kent-Island, or TWO DOLLARS if delivered at Annapolis, in care of Mr. John Sands, jun.

2 JAMES O'BRYON.

January 9, 1789.

THIS is to give notice, that the subscribers intend to petition the next general assembly of Maryland, for an exclusive privilege of running STAGES on the eastern shore of Maryland.

2 ROBERT HODGSON.
GERSHOM JOHNSON.

WILLIAM CATON,

Ladies and Gentlemens Hair-dresser,

ANNAPOLIS,

BEGS leave to inform his customers, that he still carries on the business of HAIR-DRESSING, and CUSHION and WIG-MAKING, in the newest fashions, and neatest manner.

As he is supplied with an assortment of the best perfumes, pomatums, powder and hair, and is determined to carry on his business with the greatest punctuality and dispatch, he hopes to merit the custom of those who please to honour him with their commands.

He returns his sincere and grateful thanks to his friends and customers, for the great encouragement he has received in the line of his profession, since his commencement, and hopes, by an unremitting attention to his business, to merit a continuance of their favours.

Orders from any part of the state will be thankfully received, and duly attended to.

The highest prices given for hair of all colours.

N. B. High wages will be given for good journeymen to the above business. 3

January 15, 1789.

THE subscriber being appointed by the orphans court of Prince-George's county, administrator de bonis non, to the two estates of ISAAC JACOBS and GEORGE JACOBS, of said county, deceased, requests all persons indebted to either of them to make immediate payment to him, and those who have claims to send them in properly proved, that he may know how to proceed in settlement thereof.

3 X MARSH M. DUVALL.

Strawberry-hill, December 8, 1788.

To be SOLD,

A VALUABLE tract of very rich LAND, lying near West-river, formerly the property of colonel JOSEPH RICHARDSON, deceased. Any person desirous of purchasing will view the land, and may know the terms of sale, by applying to 10w

RICHARD SPRIGG.

N. B. A long credit will be given for the greatest part of the purchase money. 10 X

January 23, 1789.

NOTICE.

THE sale of the property of the late Dr. EPHRAIM HOWARD, published to be sold on Thursday the 29th instant, January, is postponed until Tuesday the 3d day of March next, if fair, if not the sale to commence on the next fair day. The subscriber was under the necessity of delaying the sale on account of the creditors neglecting to meet as requested on the 22d, previous to the sale, for the purpose of exhibiting their claims against the deceased; she does once more request it as a favour of the creditors to meet at the late dwelling house of the deceased, near Elk-Ridge church, on Thursday the 26th of February next. The articles advertised for sale on the 29th of January, will certainly be sold the day above mentioned. w4

3 ACHSAH HOWARD, Executrix.

Nottingham, January 17, 1789.

THE subscriber having received full powers from WILLIAM MOLLESON, Esq; of London, to settle the affairs of WILLIAM MOLLESON, and WILLIAM and ROBERT MOLLESON, in America, requests all persons indebted to them on bond, note or open account, to settle, and pay off the same without delay. Constant attendance will be given at Nottingham for that purpose.

He flatters himself that due attention will be paid to this notice, otherwise suits will be commenced without respect to persons.

3 X ROBERT YOUNG.

Annapolis, September 26, 1788.

JUST IMPORTED

In the ship WILLING TOM, captain GEORGE JEFFERY, from LONDON, and for sale, on the most reasonable terms, for

CASH OR COUNTRY PRODUCE, by

JOHN PETTY, and Co. 10

A general assortment of merchandize suitable for the present and approaching season.