for which he suffered does not permit us to lament his fate. How unfortunate the frenzy that propelled such a man to so dreadful an action! He served in the late war as colonel commandant of the regiment of Armagnac, and was third in command at the unsuccessful attempt made on St. Lucia, which ended so much to the honour of general Meadows, for his gallant repulsion of the enemy. In this action compte Lowendahl's regiment was cut almost to pieces. His father was the famous engineer who conducted the siege, and carried Bergen-op-zoom. It is imagined some disappointment at play, or a love affair, had influence on his mind at the time he committed the rash and malancholy act, for which society is now deprived of so very great a character as this unfortunate officer was in every other point of view. He had the rank of lieutenant-general at his death.

NEW-YORK, *November* 11.

Altho' the public is disappointed in the main object for which the commissioners went to treat with the southern Indians, yet, we hear, that they have concluded a truce with them for a number of months: And as the Indians in general discovered a pacific temper, it is to be hoped that a permanent peace may be soon settled.

Yesterday arrived the schooner Jenny, captain Schermehorn, from Savanna, in whom came passengers, captain Burbeck and the whole of his company of matrosses. By the latest accounts the commissioners were at Petersburg, on their return to this city.

ELIZABETH-TOWN, *Nov.* 11.

We hear from Amboy, that the proposed amendments to the constitution of the United States, have been under consideration of the legislature, and will be all agreed to except the second article. We further learn, that the depreciated state of the paper currency has been submitted to the house of assembly, who have adopted, as one mean of appreciating it, to call as much out of circulation as the exigencies of the state will admit; and that no new or further appropriations of it be made. Agreeably to the estimate laid before the house, near 30,000l. will be thus cancelled; and it is highly probable this measure will be adopted.

On motion, in the assembly, last Saturday, leave was given to present a bill to oblige the specific performance of contracts, and to repeal the tender laws of this state under certain restrictions.—This bill, it is conjectured, will perish in embrio.

*Extract of a letter from a gentleman on judge Symmes's tract, between the Miami rivers.*

"*Miamis, opposite Licking,*
"*August* 27, 1789.

"DEAR SIR,

"The prospect of head-quarters of the American troops being at this place, gives new animation to all concerned in the settlement, and much increases the value of the lands within this tract. Major Doughty, with a strong detachment, is erecting a garrison at this place—General Harmar is expected to remove here in a few weeks—Smiles are diffused throughout the settlement, prospects being so very favourable.

"I am, Sir, your's."

PHILADELPHIA, *November* 14.

*Extract of a letter from Exeter, (N. H.) September* 26.

"On Wednesday last, having occasion for an enlargement of an entrance into a cellar but lately dug, on an eminence contiguous to the Fresh river in this town, the workmen discovered some bones, which, on examination, appeared to be human. On further search a large number were found. From a particular examination, I conclude the bones to be part of some body formerly there buried, and that the body was enclosed in the trunk of some tree, and interred in an erect posture, as the remains of some partly decayed wood was found erect, and apparently enclosed the once entire body. Within this enclosure, in a horizontal position, were found twelve spoons, placed nearly north an south, and directly under the head of the defunk, as part of the hairy scalp adhered to the uppermost spoons. The remains of some wampum were also found, curiously sewed on two strings of undressed moose-skin.

"As the land in which the above discovery was made, is my property, I intend to endeavor some further discoveries; and if any thing curious in the attempt should turn up worthy of public communication, I propose a further publication on the subject."

*Extract of a letter from Boston, November* 9.

"On Wednesday last the president set out from Portsmouth, on his return to the seat of government, and lodged on Wednesday night at Haverhill in this state.—On Thursday he viewed the ground at Lexington where the first hostilities in the late war were commenced.—That night he lodged at Water-town, and early next morning proceeded his journey through Newton, Natick, &c.

"It is said, that some dispatches which the president received at Portsmouth, from New-York, hastened his return, and prevented him from pursuing his original intention of visiting the interior country.

"'Tis said that the transit of Mercury over the sun's disk is postponed to the 6th of December.

"By captain Samuel Prince, who arrived here last Saturday from Martinique, we are informed, that the inhabitants of that island had chosen nine deputies to wait on the general for permission to sing TE DEUM on account of the late glorious revolution in France. After some little altercation permission was granted. In consequence of which, a solemn procession took place at Port-Royal of the inhabitants, to which the Americans in harbour were invited, and requested to join their flags with the national one of France. The religious ceremony being over, the procession passed through the principal streets, and returning to the church, the flags of the two nations were solemnly consecrated, and placed in the altar, there to remain as the emblems not only of mutual friendship, but as ensigns of virtue, honour, patriotism and liberty. After the procession was over, and the flags disposed of, the general, the compte de Viomenil, gave the Americans a polite invitation to dine with him and his officers, at his house; and shewed them on this occasion every mark of attention and affection."

ANNAPOLIS, *November* 26.

The honourable Daniel Bowley, Esq; is chosen a senator in the room of the honourable William Harrison, Esq; deceased.

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Elk-Ridge, November 24, 1789.

By virtue of a decree of the honourable the court of chancery of Maryland, will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on Saturday the sixteenth day of January next, at the house of captain SPURRIER, at Elk-Ridge Landing,

ONE undivided sixth part of the ELK-RIDGE FURNACE, with the LANDS to the same belonging, containing about eight hundred acres, and held jointly with Edward Dorsey, Esquire. There are erected every necessary improvement, and a valuable grist mill, on the premises, and the furnace is in good order.

Also, five hundred acres of land, part of CALEB's DELIGHT ENLARGED, situate and lying in Anne-Arundel county, near to the plantation of John Gillis, and commonly called The Burnt House Woods. There are two small tenements on this tract of land, and a large quantity of meadow ground; it is calculated for the cultivation of fine tobacco.

Also, six hundred acres of land, being part of PILES's DELIGHT, situate and lying in Washington county, and adjoining Sharpesburg. This land is nearly equal in quality to any lands in that fertile county.

The above property, being late the estate of Samuel Dorsey, son of Caleb, is sold for the benefit of his creditors. The purchasers will be indulged with a credit of one, two and three years, on giving bond, on interest, with approved security.

RICHARD RIDGELY.

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TO BE SOLD,

At PRIVATE SALE, the following TRACTS of LAND, viz.

ONE tract of 800 acres, on Pipe creek, in Frederick county, an entire body of wood, and of kind good soil; also, a tract on Magothy river, containing 430 acres; and a tract containing 301 acres, on Deep creek (or Stoney creek) which empties into Patapsco river--Both these tracts are convenient for Baltimore or Annapolis markets, one having about 30 acres the other about 60 acres cleared, the rest in woods; the soil equal to any in those parts; both well watered. Likewise two young NEGRO WOMEN, three GIRLS, and a BOY about twelve years old. Unexceptionable titles will be given to the purchasers. For terms, apply to WILLIAM MURRAY.

Annapolis, November 23, 1789. 1

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TO BE SOLD,

At PUBLIC VENDUE, on Monday the 21st of December, if fair, if not the next fair day, at the house of WILLIAM HUTTON, near Lyon's creek, in Calvert county,

EIGHT NEGROES, a man about 21, a woman about 21, and three children, of 11 months, 3½ years and 4½ years old, a girl about 12 years old, a young woman and a child in arms. The property will be warranted to the buyers. Credit will be given upon bond and approved security, and a proper discount for ready money. The sale to begin at 12 o'clock.

At the same time and place the tract of land called HOPKINS's FANCY, 204 acres, will be offered to sale, on credit, to which I can now make a good title, having purchased the several parts. I have a quantity of good land in Prince-George's county, in Montgomery, in Frederick and in Washington, in Maryland; in Berkley, in Hampshire, in Virginia; very rich lands upon the Youghogany and Little Kanhawa, which I wish to sell upon credit, lease or rent. Several valuable lots in George-town to be sold on credit, leased or rented.

Nov. 26, 1789. 10 7/6 STEPHEN WEST.

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FOR SALE,

On Friday next, for Specie or Specie Certificates,

SEVEN likely young country-born SLAVES, consisting of Men, Women and Children.

On Thursday the third of December next, at ten o'clock in the morning, will be SOLD, at the house of Mr. Richard Wells, in Annapolis, the following articles, viz a pair of large globes, new and complete, a good looking glass, a pair of large mahogany tables, new, an elegant bridle and saddle, a carpet, bed, matrass, kitchen jack, writing desk, some chairs, about fifty gallons of mint water, and a quantity of plank and scantling, and many other articles.

And at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, will be SOLD, at Mr. Mann's, an elegant collection of fashionable plate, a gold watch, some knives and forks, and a few books. Terms ready money.

BENJAMIN HOWARD, Sheriff.

N. B. For PRIVATE SALE, an elegant fashionable mahogany sideboard, with cases, drawers and coolers, complete. Also, an elegant phaeton, with or without harness.

Annapolis, November 24, 1789. 1X

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*For Sale.*

On the 15th day of December next, at the late dwelling of JAMES DRANE, deceased, in Prince-George's county, will be SOLD for ready money,

A NUMBER of young NEGROES, and also the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and STOCK of different kinds, PLANTATION UTENSILS and the DWELLING PLANTATION, supposing to be two hundred and nine acres. All persons having claims against the said estate are requested to bring them in, and all those indebted to the said estate will be pleased to discharge them.

ELIZABETH DRANE, Executrix.
JAMES DRANE, Executor.

November 18, 1789. 10 7/6

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TO BE SOLD,

At PUBLIC VENDUE, on Tuesday the 15th day of December next, at the dwelling house of RICHARD LEE, Esquire, late of Charles county, deceased,

PART of the PERSONAL ESTATE of the said Richard Lee (for the purpose of paying the debts due from the said estate,) consisting of NEGRO MEN, WOMEN, BOYS and GIRLS, HORSES, HOGS, and about one hundred head of CATTLE; a great variety of HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FURNITURE and PLANTATION UTENSILS, to wit: TABLES, CHAIRS, CASES of DRAWERS, BEDS, BEDSTEADS and FURNITURE, TABLE CLOTHES, NAPKINS, TOWELS, CHINA, EARTHEN WARE, PEWTER, BRASS and COPPER KETTLES, &c. IRON POTS, FRYING PANS, CARTS, PLOUGHS, HOES, AXES, and a great variety of other ARTICLES too tedious to mention. Twelve months credit will be allowed to the purchaser or purchasers for all sums exceeding fifty shillings, upon giving bond or bonds with approved security, on interest from the day of sale.

All persons who are indebted to the said estate are requested to make speedy payments, and all those who have claims against it are desired to bring them in that they may be settled and adjusted before the day of sale, for which purpose the subscriber will attend at the dwelling house aforesaid, from the tenth day of December next to the day of sale.

Should the day aforesaid, appointed for the sale, prove rainy, the sale will be put off to the next fair day, and continue from day to day till all are sold.

PHILIP R. FENDALL, Administrator,
de bonis non, of Richard Lee.

November 19, 1789. 10 7/6

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*Seth Sweetser,*

BOOT and SHOE MANUFACTURER,

RESPECTFULLY informs the public in general, and his friends in particular, that he has opened SHOP in Church-street, next door to Mr. Charles Tinges, watch and clock maker, where he carries on his business in all its various branches in the neatest and most fashionable manner, and on the lowest terms. As he has supplied himself with the best materials, and is determined to carry on his business with the greatest punctually and dispatch, he hopes by his attention to merit the custom of those who please to favour him with their commands.

Annapolis, November 23, 1789. 10 7/6

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In Chancery, November 19, 1789.

ON the application of the trustees of James Kent of Queen-Anne's county, the first day of April next is limitted and appointed by the chancellor for the creditors of said James Kent to bring in and declare their respective claims to the said trustees, that the same may on that day be liquidated and adjusted; due notice thereof to be published in Mr. Green's and Mr. Goddard's news-papers, and by advertisements set up at the court-house door, and at other public places in the said county of Queen-Anne's.

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

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Pomonkey Neck, November 16, 1789.

I HEREBY give public notice, and warn any body inclinable to rent Mr. RICHARD BRANDT's FISHING LANDINGS on the Patowmack, as advertised in the Maryland Gazette of the 6th instant to beware how they will bargain with him, as I am determined to oppose any encroachments which may be attempted by him (said Brandt) upon the orphan's estate now under my directions, as Mr. Brandt has been very industrious these several years to spread about under the appearances of truth, his illegal claims to a landing lawfully sold and made over to Kenhelm Truman Stoddert by Allison Ford, both deceased. Whoever rents his landings may likely, through his crafty insinuations, be brought into trouble.

As to the advantages which may result by fishing at said landings, I think it my duty to say, that they are too far extolled in Mr. Brandt's advertisement, there with I have been acquainted by three years experience upon said shore. Profitable fisheries have been formerly carried on there, but now the time is past and not likely to return for causes which may be explained whenever required, by

PETER DE JEAN.

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