

Anne-Arundel County, to wit:

CHARLES ELDER, of Anne-Arundel county, having, by petition in writing, applied to the subscriber, chief judge of the third judicial district, in the recess of Anne-Arundel county court, for the benefit of the insolvent laws of the state of Maryland, and having offered to deliver up to the use of his creditors, all his property, real, personal and mixed, (his wearing apparel and bedding for himself and his family excepted) having annexed a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, to his said petition, having given notice, previous to his said application, in the manner prescribed and directed by the act of assembly of November session, 1805, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, of his intention to apply for the benefit of the said insolvent laws, and having satisfied the subscriber that he hath resided the two last years preceding the said application within the state of Maryland, and the said Charles Elder being now confined in the prison of Anne-Arundel county; it is, this thirteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and eight, ordered, that the sheriff of Anne-Arundel county bring the body of the said Charles Elder before me, the undersigned, at my dwelling-house, in the city of Annapolis, on Thursday next, being the fourteenth instant, at nine o'clock in the morning of said day. Given under my hand, this 13th January, 1808.

JEREMIAH TOWNLEY CHASE.

To Joseph M'Coney, sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

Anne-Arundel county, to wit:

CHARLES ELDER having appeared before me this 14th of January, 1808, pursuant to the above order, and having taken the oath prescribed by the second section of the act of assembly, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, I do hereby direct, that the said Charles Elder be discharged from imprisonment, and do appoint the 19th day of April next for the said Charles Elder to appear before Anne-Arundel county court, to answer such interrogatories as his creditors, or any of them, may propose to him.

JEREMIAH TOWNLEY CHASE,

Chief judge of the third judicial district.

ORDERED, That the said Charles Elder cause the above and foregoing to be published in the Maryland Gazette for six weeks successively.

J. T. CHASE.

Anne-Arundel county, January 20, 1808.

APPLICATION having been made to the subscriber, one of the associate judges of the third judicial district of Maryland, in the recess of Anne-Arundel county court, by the petition, in writing, of **HENRY HODGES**, of said county, praying for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, on the terms mentioned in said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his said petition, and the subscriber being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said Henry Hodges has resided the two preceding years within the state of Maryland, prior to the passage of said act, and the said Henry Hodges, at the time of presenting his said petition, having produced, in writing, the assent 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 preferring his petition; it is ordered by the subscriber, that the said Henry Hodges, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis, and in some one of the newspapers in the city of Baltimore, weekly, for three months successively before the twenty-third day of April next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the judges of Anne-Arundel county court, at the court-house, in the city of Annapolis, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the twenty-third day of April next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Henry Hodges's then and there taking the oath prescribed by the said act for delivering up his property.

RICHARD H HARWOOD, One of the associate judges for the third judicial district of Maryland.

State of Maryland, sc.

Anne-Arundel county, Orphans court, January 12 1808.

ON application by petition, of **HENRY WOODWARD**, executor of the last will and testament of **WILLIAM WOODWARD**, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered, that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in the Maryland Gazette.

JOHN GASSAWAY, Reg. Wills for Anne-Arundel county.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of **WILLIAM WOODWARD**, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. 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 twentieth day of July next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 12th day of January, 1808.

HENRY WOODWARD, Executor.

Anne-Arundel county, January 20, 1808.

APPLICATION having been made to the subscriber, one of the associate judges for the third judicial district of Maryland, in the recess of Anne-Arundel county court, by the petition, in writing, of **SAMUEL MILLER**, of said county, praying for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, 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, being annexed to his said petition, and the subscriber being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said Samuel Miller has resided the two preceding years within the state of Maryland, prior to the passage of said act; and the said Samuel Miller, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced, in writing, the assent 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 preferring his said petition; it is thereupon ordered and adjudged by the subscriber, that the said Samuel Miller, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis, and in some one of the newspapers of the city of Baltimore, weekly, for three months successively, before the twenty-third day of April next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the judges of Anne-Arundel county court, at the court-house, in the city of Annapolis, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon of the said twenty-third day of April next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Samuel Miller's then and there taking the oath prescribed by the said act for delivering up his property.

RICHARD H. HARWOOD, One of the associate judges for the third judicial district of Maryland.

In **CHANCERY**, February 2, 1808.

Francis Cromwell and Cockey Pumphrey,

vs.

William Ridgely, Rhody Ridgely, and Mary Pumphrey.

THE object of the bill is to obtain a legal title to two tracts of land, called *Milford* and *York*, situate in Anne-Arundel county, the complainant **Francis Cromwell**. The bill states, that **Mordecai Ridgely** was seized in fee of the above land, and one **William Pumphrey** was seized in fee of a tract called *Jacob's Fortune*, situate in the same county, that they exchanged, and each obtained the possession of the land exchanged, the right of **Mordecai Ridgely**, by mesne transfer, came to one **John Boone**, who by a decree obtained the legal estate; it also states, that **William Pumphrey** devised the land he received in exchange to **Mary Pumphrey** for life, remainder to **Cockey Pumphrey** in fee, it also states **Mordecai Ridgely** is dead, intestate, leaving **William** and **Rhody Ridgely** his heirs at law, the former of whom resides out of the state. It is thereupon, by **William Kilty**, chancellor, and by the authority of this court, on the motion of the complainants, ordered, that they cause a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette at least three weeks before the fourth day of March, to the intent that the absent defendant may have notice of this application, and of the subject and object of the bill, and may be warned to appear in court, in person, or by a solicitor, on or before the 5th day of July next, to shew cause, if any there be, wherefore a decree should not pass as prayed.

True copy,

NICHOLAS BREWER, Reg. Cur. Can.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber intends petitioning the court of Anne-Arundel county, at their next session, or some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of the court, for the benefit of the act for the relief of insolvent debtors, after this notice shall have been published two months.

December 28, 1807.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber intends petitioning the court of Saint-Mary's county, at their next session, or some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of the court, for the benefit of the act for the relief of insolvent debtors, after this notice shall have been published two months.

January 19, 1808.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber intends petitioning the court of Anne-Arundel county, at their next session, or some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of the court, for the benefit of the act for the relief of insolvent debtors, after this notice shall have been published two months.

January 19, 1808.

Prince-George's County, sc.

IHEREBY certify, that **JOHN PADGETT** brought before me, this day, a dark bay **MARE**, taken up as a trespassing stray, she is upwards of fourteen hands high, about seven or eight years old; has a large star in the forehead, and a snip, her right hind foot white, and appears to have been branded on the near buttock. Given under my hand, this 4th day of January, 1808.

The owner is desired to prove property, pay charges, and take said mare away.

Wm. Marshall.

JOHN PADGETT.

Public Sale.

In pursuance of a decree from the hon. the Chancellor of Maryland, to me directed, will be SOLD, to the highest bidder, on the 15th day of March next, on the premises,

ALL the right, title, and estate of **William Smallwood**, Samuel, Anastasia Smith, and Cornelius Smith, her husband, Calbert Smallwood, and **Mary or Pelly Smallwood**, in and to the land whereon **Henry Smallwood**, late of Charles county, deceased, lived, lying on Mattawoman, contained by deed, forty-six acres, two rods, and three perches. As it is presumed that all persons who wish to purchase will view the land, a particular description is deemed unnecessary. The terms of sale will be that the purchaser give bond, with sufficient security, for the payment of the purchase money, in six months, with interest from the date.

JOHN H. BEANES, Trustee.

FOR SALE,

A TRACT of LAND, containing from 5 to 600 acres, lying on Beard's creek, a little below **Quynn's ferry**, on South river; this land is distant from Annapolis about 7 miles, and 2 from said ferry, it lays very level, and suits the cultivation of tobacco, corn, rye, &c. and a great proportion of it is covered with oak, chestnut and pine, which lay very convenient to the creek, where there are several good landings; the improvements are, a very comfortable dwelling, 40 by 18, with 2 rooms and a passage on the lower floor, and 3 above stairs, kitchen adjoining the house, and all other necessary out houses, a large garden, and a variety of fruit trees, also a large barn, 48 by 24, sheded on both sides for stabling horses and cattle; this house will cure from 3 to 10 hogheads of tobacco. The terms will be made easy to a purchaser who will give bond, with good security, or good paper will be taken in payment. If the above plantation is not sold between this and the 25th of November next, it will then be rented. Apply to the subscriber,

SAMUEL MACCURRY

Annapolis, September 10, 1807.

Public Sale.

Agreeably to the last will and testament of **Mrs. JANE URQUHART**, of Anne-Arundel county, will be SOLD, on Thursday, the 25th day of February, instant, at the late residence of **Mrs. Jane Urquhart**, deceased, known by the name of *Urquhart's Tavern*, on the head of Severn river, **PART** of the personal property of the deceased, consisting of a variety of household and kitchen furniture, amongst which are, several good dining tables, and smaller tables, a quantity of good chairs, a number of valuable beds and furniture, together with plantation utensils, and a variety of articles too tedious to mention. The terms of sale, cash. Sale to commence at 11 o'clock.

ANDERSON SWARFIELD, Executor w. a.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber is under the painful necessity of announcing to the public his intention to petition the next Anne-Arundel county court, or one of its judges, in the recess of the court, for the benefit of an act of assembly, entitled, An act for the benefit of insolvent debtors, passed November session, 1805, and the supplementary act thereto, passed November session, 1806.

JOSEPH HOPKINS.

Anne-Arundel county, February 1, 1808.

Public Sale.

THIS is to give notice, that the subscriber hath obtained an order from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county to dispose of the personal estate of **JAMES ROYSTON**, deceased, for the payment of his debts, and agreeably to said order the property will be SOLD, on Friday, the 26th instant, on a credit of six months for all sums over twenty dollars, under that the cash to be paid. Bond, with security, will be required, with interest from the day of sale. The property consists of a number of excellent beds and furniture, and a variety of household and kitchen furniture, also a negro woman, turned of thirty years of age, also a house and lot, containing four acres of ground, leasehold property, now under rent to **Mr. John Smith**, the house and lot is near the city of Annapolis. And,

On Saturday, the following day, will be sold, the personal property of **Mrs. MARGARET ROYSTON**, on the same terms and conditions. The sale to commence at 10 o'clock on each day.

WILLIAM SPENCER, Administrator de bonis non, of **James Royston**, and administrator of **Margaret Royston**. February 2, 1808.

NOTICE.

THIS is to give notice to my creditors, that I mean to apply to the judges of Prince-George's county court, at their next session, or some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of the court, after this notice shall have been published two months, for the benefit of an act of the general assembly of Maryland, passed at November session, 1805, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and the supplement thereto.

HENRY T. COMPTON.

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