

BY HIS EXCELLENCY  
**ROBERT WRIGHT, ESQUIRE,**  
GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND.

**A PROCLAMATION.**

WHEREAS, it has been represented to me, on oath, that a horrid murder has lately been committed in Cecil county, by a certain ~~John M'Guire~~, on a certain James Coyle, that said John M'Guire is described to be about 5 feet 7 inches high, light complexion, dark hair, boyish countenance and cast down look, aged about twenty years, stout made, strong and active—had on when he escaped, an old short blue coat, linsley trousers and swans-down vest. His wrists considerably marked with the irons, and perhaps his legs also, and has lately broke gaol. And whereas it is the duty of the executive, in the execution of the laws, to endeavour to bring all malefactors to justice, I have therefore thought proper to issue this my proclamation, and do, by and with the advice and consent of the council, offer one hundred and fifty dollars reward, to any person or persons, who shall apprehend and bring to justice the said John M'Guire.

Given in council, at the city of Annapolis, under the seal of the state of Maryland, this ninth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eight, and of the independence of the United States of America the thirty-second.

**ROBERT WRIGHT.**

By his excellency's command,

**NINIAN PINKNEY,**  
Clerk of the council.

Ordered, that the foregoing proclamation be published twice in each week, for the space of four weeks, in the American and Federal Gazette, at Baltimore; the Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis; the National Intelligencer, the Republican Advocate, at Frederick-town; the Maryland Herald, at Hagar's-town; and in the Star at Easton.

Anne-Arundel county, January 20, 1808.

**A**PPPLICATION 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.

Anne-Arundel county, January 20, 1808.

**A**PPPLICATION 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.

**RAGS.**

Cash given for clean Linen & Cotton Rags.

**ROMULUS,**

An elegant full blooded horse, WILL stand to cover mares this season, commencing on the twentieth of April, and concluding the first of August, at the Black Horse tavern, on Mondays and Tuesdays; and Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, at Mr. Poulton's tavern, at the reduced price (owing to the embargo) of four dollars, and a bushel of oats each, to be brought with the mare, or five dollars to be paid by the first of October next.

Romulus is an elegant bright bay horse, full fifteen and an half hands high, in symmetry and elegance of carriage he is exceeded by no horse in the union.

Pedigree of Romulus.

Upper-Marlborough, February 20, 1808.

I do hereby certify, that I bought of Henry Rozier, Esq; a gray mare, now the property of John H. Hall, the dam of Romulus. Romulus was gotten by Romulus, that stood here as a full bred horse from Virginia. The gray mare above mentioned was gotten by the imported horse Venetian, out of an Arabian mare, thorough bred, as I was informed by Mr. Rozier.

**W. B. BEANES.**

The above-mentioned horse Romulus will be five years old the fifteenth day of April, 1808, and was sold by me to John Smith, of Annapolis.

**JOHN H. HALL.**

The celebrated horse called  
**BOASTER,**

WILL stand the ensuing season at Zachariah Jacobs, Esq; quarter-between-Waters's mill and the Methodist meeting-house, every Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, and at Mr. James Boone's every Monday and Tuesday. The conditions of the above horse's covering will be four dollars, and a bushel of oats. The season to commence on the 20th day of April, and end the first of August.

Pedigree of Boaster.

Boaster was raised by Mr. Richard Ward in Albemarle county, in Virginia, was got by col. Barber's High Flyer, out of a Medley mare, called the Blooming Maid.

Boaster is an elegant, well proportioned, strong, dark bay horse, upwards of fifteen hands high.

The price of covering will be expected with each mare.

**JOHN SMITH.**

State of Maryland, sc.

Anne-Arundel county, Orphans court, March 15; 1808.

**O**N application by petition, of THOMAS WOODFIELD, administrator of JOSHUA HALL, 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 of administration on the personal property of JOSHUA HALL, 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, on or before the 16th day of September next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 15th day of March, 1808.

**THOMAS WOODFIELD,** Administrator.

Calvert County, to wit:

October term, 1807.

**O**N application of JAMES J. WILKINSON, of Calvert county, to the judges of the said county court, by petition, in writing, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, 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, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition, and the said county court being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said James J. Wilkinson has resided, the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act within the state of Maryland. It is thereupon adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said James J. Wilkinson give notice to his creditors of his intention to apply to the next county court, to be held at Prince Frederick-town, in said county, on the second Monday of May next, for a discharge from his debts, and to warn his said creditors to appear before the said judges on the day and at the place aforesaid, to shew cause, if any they have, why the said James J. Wilkinson should not be discharged agreeably to his said petition, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette four successive weeks, and also by causing copies of said order to be set up at the court house, and church doors of said county, two months previous to the fitting of the said next county court.

Signed by order of court,  
**WM. S. MORSELL,** Clk.

**Laws of Maryland.**

A FEW copies of the Laws passed last session may be had at the Printing-Office. Price 1 Dollar.

**Public Sale.**

By virtue of a decree of the high court of chancery, will be exposed to public sale, on the premises, on Saturday, the 2d of April, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter,

**A**LL that parcel of land, lying on the south side of South river, in Anne-Arundel county, being parts of a tract called Beard's Habitation, and a tract called South Addition, containing 435 acres, and now in the possession of Jonathan Beard; the said land is within nine miles of the city of Annapolis. Any further description is considered unnecessary, as any person wishing to purchase will, no doubt, view the premises. The terms of sale are, that the purchaser or purchasers shall either pay ready money on the day of sale, or on the day of the ratification of the sale, which, if it takes place at all, will be just five weeks from the time of the trustee's filing his report. The sale to commence at 11 o'clock.

**JOHN BREWER,** Trustee.

**Public Sale.**

By virtue of an order from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be sold, at public sale, on Friday, the 1st day of April next, at the late dwelling of STEVENS GAMBRILL, on the head of Severn,

**T**HE personal property of said STEVENS GAMBRILL, negroes excepted, consisting of horses, cattle, sheep, and hogs, household and kitchen furniture; and some Indian corn. Terms of sale, six months credit for all sums above ten dollars, all sums under ten dollars cash. Bond, or note, with good security, with interest from the day of sale, will be required. The sale to commence at 10 o'clock, and continue till all is sold.

**AUGUSTINE GAMBRILL,** Executor.

**Negroes for Sale.**

Will be exposed to public auction, on Tuesday, the fifth day of April next, if fair, if not, the first fair day, at Stephen Waters's mill, on Patuxent river, Prince-George's county,

**B**E TWEEN twenty and thirty likely country born SLAVES, consisting of men, women, boys and girls, amongst which is a good house carpenter. The terms of sale will be on six months credit, on giving bond, with two approved securities, bearing interest from the day of sale, and payable in specie, or well established bank notes of the state of Maryland. The sale to commence at 11 o'clock, and to continue until all is sold.

**JOSHUA GAITHER,**  
February 16, 1808.

**Dying and Scouring Business.**

**T**HE subscriber respectfully informs the public, that he continues to carry on the above business in all its various branches, between the lower end Peter's bridge, on the west side of Jones's Falls, Concord-street.

Silks, satins, gauzes, cloths, casimers, fluffs, velvets, corduroys, muslins, &c. dyed and finished in the neatest manner.

Ladies and gentlemen's wearing apparel of cloth, scoured or re-dyed. Elegance and brightness of colour will be particularly attended to, and the utmost dispatch may be depended on, by the public's

**JAMES WILLIAMS,**  
Baltimore, January 1808.

**This is to give notice,**

**T**HAT the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Prince-George's county, in the state of Maryland, letters of administration de bonis non, with the will annexed, on the personal estate of WILLIAM SYDEBOTHAM, late of Prince-George's 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 tenth day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this tenth day of March, 1808.

**JOHN THOMAS SHAAFF,** Administrator de bonis non, w. a.

**Notice to all my creditors.**

**T**HE subscriber, with painful sensations, announces to the public his intention of applying to the next Calvert county court, or one of its judges in its recess, for the benefit of an act of assembly, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed November session, 1805, and the act supplementary thereto, passed November session, 1806.

**FIELDER RIDGWAY,**  
February 26, 1808.

**NOTICE.**

**T**HE subscriber is under the painful necessity of announcing to the public his intention to petition the next Calvert county court, or one of its judges in the recess of 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.

**WILLIAM WELLS,**  
Calvert county, March 2, 1808.

**ANNAPOLIS:**  
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