

Poet's Corner.

SELECTED.

From a late London paper.

THE SQUIRREL'S ESCAPE.

MY little friend! whom I have fed
With never failing care,
And mark'd thee in thy woolly bed,
Conceal thy husky fare—
My little friend! lament I much,
That thou should'st bid adieu
To luxury so sweet—and such
As seldom Squirrel knew.
Should whirlwinds howl, and pelting rain
Assail thy tender form,
Affrighted, thou wilt seek in vain
A refuge from the storm,
Till, at the stern command
Of chilling frost and snow,
Shall smite thee with her thrivell'd hand,
And terminate thy woe.
My little friend! tis vain to grieve,
But fain would I inquire,
What charms invited thee to leave
All thou could'st well desire?

THE SQUIRREL'S REPLY.

To answer—is no idle task,
E'en to a brute like me;
Art thou an ENGLISHMAN—and ask
What charms his LIBERTY?

Dry Goods and Groceries.

THE subscriber returns his sincere thanks
to the public in general, and his friends
in particular, for the share of their favour which
he has received in the line of his business,
and informs them, that he has just received,
and daily expects to receive, a further supply
of DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES,
which, added to his former stock, make his
assortment complete for the present and approaching
season, all of which he will sell low
for CASH, or on a short credit to punctual
customers.

He requests all those indebted to him
by bond, note, or open account, to come forward
and settle the same, by paying cash, tobacco
at a fair market price, or leave tobacco
in his hands at a reasonable limited price, or
by giving some other good and sufficient security
or satisfaction on or before the first day
of March next. He solicits a particular attention
to this request, as all delinquents may
depend suit will be commenced to April
Term next. JOSEPH EVANS.
Annapolis, October 30, 1809.

Public Sale.

Will be offered for sale, on FRIDAY, the 8th
of December next, if fair, if not, the next
fair day, at the dwelling of Richard Tydings,
deceased, in Anne-Arundel county,

THE personal property of said deceased,
consisting of horses, cattle, one yoke of
oxen, some household and kitchen furniture,
a quantity of corn, fodder and hay, and plantation
utensils, with many articles too tedious
to mention.

The terms of sale are, six months credit for
all sums over ten dollars, and bond, with
approved security, with interest from the day
of sale; under ten dollars the cash to be
paid.

J. TYDINGS, Junior.
Nov. 18, 1809. 3X 3w.

Public Sale.

On THURSDAY, the 14th of December next,
if fair, if not, the next fair day, I will
expose to Public Sale, on the premises,

SUNDRY negroes, horses, cattle and hogs,
household and kitchen furniture, plantation
utensils, fodder, straw, &c &c. Also a
coach and pair of horses.

The terms of sale will be nine months credit
for all sums above ten pounds, the purchaser
to give bond, with approved security, bearing
interest from the day of sale, and all sums
not exceeding ten pounds the cash to be paid
on the delivery of the articles.

ROBT. M'GILL.
Primrose, Nov. 20, 1809. 3 tc.

By the Committee of Claims.

THE COMMITTEE of CLAIMS will sit,
every day during the present session,
from nine o'clock in the morning until three
in the afternoon.

By order, THOMAS MURPHY, clk.

By the Committee of Grievances & Courts of Justice.

THE COMMITTEE of GRIEVANCES &
COURTS of JUSTICE will sit, every
day during the present session, from nine
o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

By order, L. GASSAWAY, clk.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY

Edward Lloyd, Esquire,

GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been officially represented
to me, that negro Perry, otherwise called Peregrine,
the proper slave of Elizabeth Rochester, and negro John,
otherwise called John Armstrong, a free negro,
who have lately been sentenced by the judges
of Queen-Anne's county court to suffer death
for murder, and negro Stephen, the proper
slave of Joseph Sudler, made their escape on
Sunday morning, the twelfth instant, from
Queen-Anne's county gaol: And whereas it
is the duty of the executive, in the execution
of the laws, to endeavour to bring all malefactor
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 a reward of THREE HUNDRED
DOLLARS to any person or persons who
shall apprehend and bring to justice the said
negroes Perry, John and Stephen, or one hundred
dollars for either of them.

GIVEN under my hand, and the seal of the
state of Maryland, this twenty-fourth
day of November, in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and
nine, and of the Independence of the
United States of America the thirty-fourth.

EDWARD LLOYD.

By his Excellency's command,
NINIAN PINKNEY,
Clerk of the Council.

The following is a description of the above
mentioned criminals, transmitted to his
Excellency the Governor by the sheriff of Queen-
Anne's county:

Negro Perry, otherwise called Peregrine,
the proper slave of Elizabeth Rochester, is
about twenty-three or four years old, very
dark complexion for a mulatto, about
five feet ten inches high, very well made but
a little round shouldered, has a scar over one
of his eyes, (not certain which,) occasioned
by the kick of a horse, a thin and very black
beard, with long whiskers that extend to the
end of his chin, also a very bushy head. He
took with him the following clothing, a
coarse muslin shirt, fullered kersey trousers,
and coat of a light drab colour, two waist-
coats, one of black cloth and the other of
yellow striped Marseilles, a light drab great
coat, with a large double cape, about
half worn, a fine pair of shoes, very long
quartered and sharp toes, and furled hat. It
is said that he has a number of other cloaths
of a good quality—he also has a silver watch,
the case very much battered and bruised, but
has no crystal in it, a black ribbon chain
and brass key—it is also said that he has two
other watches, one of them silver and the other
gold or pinchback, which cannot be particularly
described.

Negro John, otherwise called John Armstrong,
free negro, is supposed to be upwards
of thirty years of age, a very bright mulatto,
thin visage, very high cheek bone, large
black beard, small thin whiskers, and very
large white eyes, has a very stern look, a large
mouth, his lips not very thick; he is about
five feet eight or nine inches high, has a scar
on his breast, one of his arms very knotty from
being bled. Had on the following cloaths,
two linen shirt and trousers, old short blue
coat, light cloth waistcoat, old shoes, a ro-
ram hat better than half worn.

Negro Stephen, the proper slave of Joseph
Sudler, is about thirty years old, five feet
nue or ten inches high, of a yellow complexion,
very high forehead, flat nose, stout and
well built, rather round shouldered, very full
and bluff face, large black whiskers, rather
a down look, and is apt to smile when spoken
to. Had on a tow linen shirt, white kersey
trousers, and round robbin jacket, a pair of
coarse round toed shoes, double soled, almost
new, a wool hat about half worn.

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 and Maryland Republican at Annapolis,
the National Intelligencer, the Eastern
Star, Mr. Grievess's paper at Hagar's-town,
and in Mr. Bartgis's paper at Frederick-town.

By order, NINIAN PINKNEY,
Clerk of the Council.

Jacks and Jennets for Sale.

THE subscriber will sell two jackasses,
one the Jack Compound, bred by the
late Gen. Washington, and thought by him
to be one of the best he ever raised, and for
size and strength he is not excelled by any in
the United States, he is the sire of Palafox,
no the property of Charles Carroll, of Car-
rolton, and advertised by him last season, as
one of the finest jacks in this state.

The other a young jack, two years old next
spring, out of a large jennet, (the mother of
Palafox) by Compound, also the above jennet
now in foal by Compound, and two other
jennets of one and two years old.

WILLIAM HEBB.
Annapolis, Nov. 25, 1809. 3w.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY

Edward Lloyd, Esquire,

GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been represented to
me by James M'Gill, on oath, that
in the morning of the thirteenth instant, he
had a tobacco-house, with a quantity of tobacco,
and a variety of farming utensils, consumed
by fire, and that he believes that some
wicked or evil disposed person or persons set
fire to the same: And whereas it is of the
greatest importance to society that the perpetrator
or perpetrators of such a crime should
be brought 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 a reward of TWO HUNDRED
DOLLARS to whoever will discover
the author or perpetrator of the said offence,
provided, he, she or they, or any of them, be
convicted thereof. And moreover, I do, by
virtue of the authority and power vested in
me, hereby promise a full and free pardon to
any person, being an accomplice, who shall
discover the perpetrator or perpetrators of the
said offence, on the aforesaid condition.

GIVEN under my hand, and the seal of the
state of Maryland, at the city of Annapolis,
this twenty-fourth day of November,
in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and nine; and of the Independence
of the United States of America
the thirty-fourth.

EDWARD LLOYD.

By his Excellency's command,
NINIAN PINKNEY,
Clerk of the Council.

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be published twice in each week, for
the space of four weeks, in the American and
Federal Gazette, at Baltimore, the Maryland
Gazette and Maryland Republican at Annapolis,
the National Intelligencer, the Eastern
Star, Mr. Grievess's paper at Hagar's-town,
and in Mr. Bartgis's paper at Frederick-town.

By order, NINIAN PINKNEY,
Clerk of the Council.

BOOKS.

Thomas Shaw,

Has for sale, an assortment of BOOKS, comprising
the latest and most valuable publications,
amongst which are the following:

MEMOIRS of Curran's Speeches,
Thomas Jefferson, (new edition,)
Malthus on Population,
Boswell's Life of Dr. Johnson,
Fox's History of the Reign of James II,
Montesquieu's Spirit of Laws,
Harris's & M'Henry's Reports,
Public Characters,
Yankey in London,
Child of Thirty-six Fathers.

Annapolis, Nov. 28, 1809. 2 3w.

Cheap Goods.

The subscriber has just received by the late
arrivals, an

Assortment of Cheap Goods,
Suitable for the present and approaching seasons,
consisting of

SUPERFINE and second broad clothes,
superfine milled drabs, kersey, molefskin,
superfine and coarse coatings, napped frize,
&c. striped and rose blankets, white, mixed
and blue kerseys, blue, drab and mixed plains,
ticklenburgs, burlaps, dowlas and Brittanias,
velvets, velveteens and tabby velvet, constitution,
royal and Bennett's cord, toilinet,
swanfdown, Marseilles and Bennett's cord
waistcoatings, callicoes, ginghams, cambric
and shirting muslins, with almost every article
in the dry goods line.

Likewise GROCERIES of various kinds,
too tedious to enumerate.

All of the above goods being laid in on
the most advantageous terms for cash, and at
short dates, he flatters himself to be able to
sell very low;—for cash he will sell BAR-
GAINS

P.S. He has likewise received a handsome
assortment of excellent CARPETS & CAR-
PETING, which will be sold at Baltimore
prices.

GIDEON WHITE.
Annapolis, Nov. 28, 1808. 3w.

Public Sale.

The subscriber, being duly authorized, will
offer for sale, on THURSDAY, the 7th of
December next, if fair, if not, the next fair
day, at the dwelling of Marcen Howard
Duvall, in Prince-George's county,

A CONSIDERABLE part of his personal
property, consisting of horses, cattle,
hogs, oxen, corn, fodder, tobacco, house-
hold and kitchen furniture and plantation
utensils. The sale will commence at 10 o'clock
in the morning, at which time the terms will
be made known.

HOWARD DUVAL.
Annapolis, Nov. 28, 1809.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY

Edward Lloyd, Esquire,

GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been represented to
me by the memorial of James Cap-
pole, tanner and currier, of Chelster-town, in
Kent county, that his Bark Mill-Howe was
about five o'clock in the morning of Monday
the fourth instant, destroyed by fire, and that
he has reason to suspect that some malicious
person or persons wilfully set fire to the same.
And whereas it is of the greatest importance
to society that the perpetrators of such a
crime should be discovered and brought 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 a reward of TWO HUNDRED DOL-
LARS to whoever will discover the author
or perpetrator of the said crime, provided he,
she or they, or any of them, be convicted
thereof; and moreover, I do, by virtue of
the authority and powers vested in me, hereby
promise a full and free pardon to any person,
being an accomplice, who shall discover
the perpetrator or perpetrators of the said of-
fence, on the aforesaid condition.

GIVEN at Annapolis, under the seal of the
state of Maryland, this twenty-second
day of September, in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and
nine, and of the Independence of the
U. States of America the thirty-fourth.

EDWARD LLOYD.

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 five weeks, in the American and
Federal Gazette, at Baltimore, the Maryland
Gazette and Maryland Republican, at Annapolis,
the National Intelligencer, the Eastern
Star, Mr. Grievess's paper at Hagar's-town,
and in Mr. Bartgis's paper at Frederick-town.

By order, NINIAN PINKNEY,
Clerk of the Council.

The State of Maryland, to-wit:

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,

FREDERICK WILLIAM BRUNE,
Esquire, having produced to the Govern-
or an Exequator, signed by the President of
the United States, and sealed with the seal of
the said United States, recognizing him as
Vice Consul from his Danish Majesty for the
state of Maryland, to reside at Baltimore—
ORDERED, by and with the advice and con-
sent of the Council, that the said recognition
be published for the information and govern-
ment of the people of this state.

GIVEN in Council, at the city of Annapolis,
under the seal of the state of Maryland,
this nineteenth day of September,
in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and nine, and of the Independence
of the United States of
America the thirty-fourth.

EDWARD LLOYD.

By the Governor,
NINIAN PINKNEY,
Clerk of the Council.

JAMES MADISON,

President of the United States of America,

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—

WHEREAS it has been made to appear
to me, that Frederick William Brune, Esq.
has been temporarily appointed Vice-Consul
of his Danish Majesty for the state of Mary-
land, to reside at Baltimore, I do therefore
recognize him as such, and declare him free
to exercise and enjoy such functions, powers
and privileges, as are allowed to Vice-Con-
suls of such friendly powers, between whom
and the United States there is no particular
agreement for the regulation of the Consular
functions.

IN testimony whereof I have caused these
letters to be made patent, and the seal of
the United States to be hereunto affixed.
GIVEN under my hand at the city of Wash-
ington, the tenth day of July, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and nine, and of the Independence of
the United States of America the thirty-
fourth.

JAMES MADISON.

By the President,
R. SMITH, Secretary of State.

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and Maryland Republican, at Annapolis, the
National Intelligencer, the Eastern Star, Mr.
Grievess's paper at Hagar's-town, and in Mr.
Bartgis's paper at Frederick-town.

By order, NINIAN PINKNEY,
Clerk of the Council.

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