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Benjamin Sewell,
Respectfully returns his thanks to the
public for the flattering en-
couragement he has received for nine
years past, and begs leave to inform
them that he still continues the above
business at his old stand in church
street, a few doors above the office of
the Maryland Gazette. He has on
hand an excellent assortment of Mo-
dels and Ladies' shoes, and a good
stock of leather for boots and shoes for
men, all which will be made up
and accommodated to the taste and
convenience of customers.
N. B. He constantly keeps for sale,
Cutlery and Shoe Makers Utensils.
March 14. 3

Public Sale.
By virtue of an order from the orphans
court of Anne Arundel county, the
subscriber will expose to Public Sale
on Thursday the 11th day of April next,
at 10 o'clock in the morning, at the
late residence of John Hartman, de-
ceased, near Elk Ridge Landing,
All the Personal Estate
Of said deceased, consisting of Hogs,
Sheep, Cows, Horses, Household
kitchen furniture, farming utensils,
and other property. The terms of sale
will be, the cash to be paid for all
under twenty dollars, for all over
twenty dollars a credit of six months
to be given, on purchasers giving
with approved security, with inter-
est from the day of sale.
Mary Herman, }
George Harman, } Adms.
March 21. 2

DANCING.
MR. DUCLAIRACQ.
Respectfully informs the Ladies and
Gentlemen of Annapolis, that he has
engaged the Ball-Room, where he in-
tends teaching dancing this Spring. He
begins commencing at the end of the
present month. A subscription paper
containing his terms, is left at Mr. Cas-
sels Hotel.
March 21. 3

Farmers Bank
Maryland, 15th March, 1816.
The President and Directors of the
Farmers Bank of Maryland have de-
clared a dividend of 4 per cent on the
stock of said Bank for six months end-
ing the first of April next, or after
the fourth of April next, to Stockhold-
ers on the Western Shore at the Bank
at Annapolis, and to Stockholders on
the Eastern Shore at the Branch Bank
at Eastern, upon personal application,
in the exhibition of powers of attor-
ney, or by correct simple orders.
By order
Jona. Pinkney, Cashr.
March 21, 1816. 3

FOR SALE,
THE RISING-SUN FARM.
By virtue of a decree of the hono-
rable the Chancellor of Maryland, the
subscriber will sell at public sale, on
Saturday the 27th of April next, on the
premises, all that valuable tract of land,
called Part of Howard's First Choice,
and known by the name of the Rising-
Sun, situate on the road leading from
Annapolis to Baltimore, 10 miles distant
from the former, and 20 from the latter
place; containing about five hundred
acres of kind land, full one half in
woods heavily timbered, consisting of
oak, chestnut and poplar. This
property adjoins that of Thomas Fur-
ber, Esq. who has used the plaster of
Paris to considerable advantage—it is
well watered. The improvements tolera-
bly good, with a great abundance of
choice fruit, &c. &c. Any person wish-
ing to view the land previous to the day
of sale can see the same by applying to
Augustine Gambrell near the premises.
The terms of sale will be a credit—one
third to be paid in six months, one third
in eighteen months, and the remaining
third in twenty-four months; the purchas-
er giving bonds with good security,
bearing interest from the day of sale.
When the whole of the purchase money
is paid a good deed will be given, by
William D. Baldwin, }
Augustine Gambrell, } Trustees
The Editor of the Federal Gazette
will please insert the above advertise-
ment twice a week till the day of
sale, and forward his account to this of-
fice for collection.
March 21, 1816. 3

Chancery Sale.
By virtue of a decree of the chancery
court of Maryland, the subscriber
will expose to public sale, on Wed-
nesday the 10th day of April next, at
Beckley's Tavern, on the Baltimore
more and Frederick turnpike road,
A Tract or Parcel of Land
Called Columbia, containing about
200 acres. This property is situated in
upper part of Elk Ridge, Anne Ar-
undel county, distant from Baltimore
about 20 miles, from Frederick Town
and city of Washington about 20, and
there are on the place a comfortable
dwelling-house, other improvements
and a thriving young orchard; it con-
tains a large portion of fine rich
top meadow, and the soil is extremely
well adapted to derive the highest
degree of improvement from the use
of clover and plaster. This farm pre-
sents inducements to purchasers equal-
ly inviting to the planter, the farmer,
the grazier, being well suited to the
pursuit of either. Sale to commence
at 12 o'clock.
Terms of Sale.
The purchaser to pay the purchase
money on the day of sale, or on
ratification thereof by the chancery
and on payment of the purchase
money, the subscriber is authorized
to give a deed.
Louis Gasaway, Trustee.
March 21.

The Real Estate
Of the late John Brees, Esq. lying
in the upper part of Anne Arundel
county, containing 200 acres of land,
to which are a sufficiency of wood
land for the support of the place;
the improvements are very tolerable
good dwelling houses suitable
for mechanics; also other necessary
out-houses, and a good apple orchard.
Sale to commence at 12 o'clock.
Terms of Sale.
The purchaser to pay one tenth part
of the purchase money on the day
of sale, and to give bond with approved
security, for payment of the balance
within two years from the day of sale,
with interest thereon; and on pay-
ment of the whole purchase money, the sub-
scriber is authorized to give a deed.
The creditors of the said John Brees,
Brees are hereby notified to exhibit
their claims, with the vouchers there-
to, to the chancery office, within 60 days
from the day of sale.
Louis Gasaway, Trustee.
March 21.

The Editor of the Baltimore Tele-
graph will insert the above adver-
tise-ment twice a week till the day of
sale, and forward his account to this of-
fice for collection.
March 21.

H. G. Munroe,
Has just received, and will sell cheap,
4-4 and 7-8 Course
and Fine Irish
Linen, } Of A. Brown &
5-4 do. do. do. } Son's approved
3-4 & 7-8 do. do. } Bleaching.
Dowlags,
Linen Cambric,
Long Lawns,
4-4 & 6-4 Plain and Corded Cambric &
Book Muslins,
Cotton & Silk Hosiery,
3-4, 6-4, 7-4 & 8-4 Diapers,
Bed Ticking,
Domestic and India Cottons,
Calicoes,
3-4 and 6-4 Dimities,
Men and Women's Gloves assorted,
Shawls and Handkerchiefs, &c.
And a variety of other articles in the
Dry Good Line.
On hand a good assortment of
IRONMONGERY, among which are
No 1, 2, 3, 4 Virginia Broad and Hill
ing Hoes.
Also,
A general assortment of GROCE-
RIES:—Loaf and Lump Sugar at the
Baltimore Factory Prices.
March 21. 3

Public Sale.
By virtue of an order of the orphans
court of Anne Arundel County, the sub-
scribers will sell at public sale, on
Thursday the 11th day of April next, if
fair, if not the next fair day thereafter,
a part of the personal estate of Mary
Gaither, deceased, near Snell's bridge,
consisting of stock of different kinds;
also household and kitchen furniture,
plantation utensils, &c. Terms of sale
—for all sums under twenty dollars the
cash to be paid, for all sums over ten
ty dollars six months credit to be given,
on the purchaser's giving bond with ap-
proved security. Sale to commence at
two o'clock.
John Gaither, } Adms.
Edward Gaither, }
March 28, 1816. 3

Take Notice.
The subscriber forwarus all persons
from trespassing in any manner on his
land, lying in the lower end of A. A
county, as he is determined after this
Notice to prosecute all offenders.
March 28. 2 Leonard Gary. 3w.

This is to give Notice.
That the subscriber has obtained
from the orphans court of Anne Arun-
del county, letters of administration
on the personal estate of Richard
Smith, late of said county, deceased.
All persons having claims against said
estate are requested to present them,
properly authenticated, and those in-
debted to make payment to.
William Smith, Admr.
March 28. 3w.

Public Sale.
By virtue of a decree of the high court
of Chancery will be disposed of at
Public Sale, on Friday the 12th day
of April next, if fair, if not the next
fair day thereafter, on the premises,
All the real estate of Nicholas Nor-
man, deceased, lying in the Swamp, near
Herring Creek, consisting of three
Tracts or Parcels of Land. The land
is well timbered. As it is presumed
persons inclined to purchase would wish
to view the land previous to the sale, a
further description is deemed unneces-
sary.
Terms of Sale.
A credit of six and twelve months,
the purchaser giving bond, with ap-
proved security, for the payment of one
half of the purchase money in 6 months,
& the other half in twelve months, with
interest from the day of sale.
William Norman, Trustee.
March 28.

Public Sale.
By virtue of an order of the orphans
court of Anne Arundel County, the sub-
scribers will sell at public sale, on
Thursday the 11th day of April next,
if fair, if not the next fair day thereaf-
ter, at the late dwelling of Sally Gaither,
deceased, near Snell's bridge, a part of the personal
estate of the deceased, consisting of
horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, plantation
utensils, household and kitchen furni-
ture, &c. Terms of sale that all sums
under twenty dollars cash to be paid,
all sums over twenty dollars a credit of
six months will be given, on the pur-
chaser's giving bonds, with approved
security. Sale to commence at ten
o'clock.
John Gaither, } Exors.
Edward Gaither, }
March 28, 1816. 3w.

[From the N. Y. Mercantile Advertiser,
March 20.]
CAPTAIN RILEY'S NARRATIVE.
Messrs. Crookes & Butler.
I send you, herewith, a short ac-
count of the loss of the brig Com-
merce, late of Hartford Con. which
I wish you to publish for the infor-
mation of the friends of that part
of the crew who still remain in slave-
ry, and to make public the names of
the worthy gentlemen who so nobly
saved the lives, redeemed from slave-
ry, and restored to our country
and friends, myself and four of my
unfortunate companions.

I sailed from Connecticut river
on the 6th of May, 1815, bound to
New Orleans, with a crew consist-
ing of George Williams, chief mate,
Aaron R. Savage, 2d mate, Archi-
bald Robins, Wm. Porter, James
Clark, and Thomas Burris, seamen,
Horace Savage, boy, Richard De-
lille, black man, cook, and 2 lan-
guens, who left the brig at New Or-
leans, where I shipped in their stead
John Hogan and James Barrett, sea-
men. With this crew I sailed for
Gibraltar, where I received on
board part of a cargo of brandy,
wine and specie. An old man named
Antonio Michael, of N. Orleans,
who was recommended to my char-
ity was here taken on board.—I
sailed from Gibraltar on the 24th of
August and experienced very thick
foggy weather for a number of days.

On the evening of the 28th while
we were in the act of hauling the
brig off to N. W. she struck & was
soon driven before a tremendous
surf on a sandy beach near cape
Bassador, coast of Africa. We all
reached the shore in safety, but
were driven back to our boat on the
30th by the armed Arabs, except
Antonio Michael, whom they seized
and kept. We then put to sea
on our leaky boat, with a few pieces
of pork and 5 gallons of water. Af-
ter remaining at sea in this situati-
on for 4 days and finding no relief
we put back for the land which we
regained on the 8th of Sept. as we
judge in lat. 25. Three days after,
we were all seized upon by a party
of Arabs, stripped entirely naked
and taken on camels and on foot 7
days journey into the desert of Sa-
bara; our only sustenance a pint of
camels milk and the same quanti-
ty of brackish water each per day,
changing places and masters every
day; our skins parched off by the
heat of the sun, our flesh mangled
by the motion of the camels, our
feet lacerated by the sharp flint
stones, with insects and vermin
gnawing our exposed flesh, & with-
out a tree or even shrub to shelter
us from the damp cold trade winds
which prevail at night! Thus we
suffered till about the last of Sept.
when I succeeded in prevailing on
two itinerant Arabian merchants, to
purchase myself Aaron R. Savage,
Horace Savage, James Clark, and
Thomas Burns, and carry us to Mo-
rocco; having no more goods, they
could not purchase the rest of my
unfortunate shipmates. After a
journey of 24 days, across the dreary
desert of Sabara, during which
we suffered frequent beatings, fati-
gues and all the privations human
nature is capable of enduring, we at
length arrived in the kingdom of
Sara, worn down to the bones, and
incapable of moving farther.

Here we procured some barley to
sustain life. I wrote a note on a
small piece of paper with a stick,
which my master carried to Mogadore,
they 7 days journey distant.
This note he delivered to William
Willshire, Esq. the most respecta-
ble merchant in Mogadore, a native
of London, and agent to the United
States consul at Tangier, who in
the most prompt and humane man-
ner paid out of his own funds \$1200
for us, and sent a respectable moor,
named Reis Bel-Cosim, with cloth-
ing and provisions to our relief.
The Moor on arriving was seized &
detained 5 days; but had the ad-
dress to effect his own and our de-
liverance, and took us to Mogadore
on Mules, here we were received in
the kindest manner by Mr. Will-
shire, who took us to his own house,
and administered all the necessaries

and comforts our deplorable situa-
tion required. Having paid our
former masters he dispatched them,
after binding them by an oath to
search for and bring up the remain-
ing part of the crew, if they could
be found alive.

In my first note to Mr. Willshire,
I had named Mr. Horatio Sprague,
a respectable merchant of Gibraltar,
formerly of Boston, as my friend,
though I had only known him ten
days. Mr. Willshire immediately
wrote to him describing our situa-
tion, and when his express returned,
I received the following letter, dat-
ed Gibraltar November 13, 1815.
It speaks the soul of the writer.

"My dear Riley—I will not waste
a moments time by unnecessary pre-
amble. I have written to Mr. Will-
shire that your draft on me for
\$1200 or more, for obtaining your
liberty, and those with you shall be
fully paid. I have sent him two
double barrelled guns to meet his
promise to the Moore. In a short
time after you receive this I hope
to have the happiness of taking you
by the hand under my own roof a-
gain; you will come by the way of
Tanger.

Your assured friend,
HORATIO SPRAGUE.
My feeling on receipt of this can-
not be expressed by words. On my
arrival at Gibraltar I found those
of my companions who left Mogadore
in a Gibraltar schooner had
reached there in safety. I was most
generously received by my friend
Sprague who treated me like a brother.

Captain Robert Williams of the
ship Rapid, most generously offered
to myself, Mr. A. R. Savage and
Horace Savage, a passage in his
ship, in which we are happily ar-
rived here this day. His kindness
and attentions, merit our warmest
thanks.

I have the satisfaction to inform
the friends of those who were left
in slavery, that every exertion pos-
sible will be made both by Mr. Will-
shire and Mr. Simpson, our consul,
for their speedy redemption and res-
toration to their country. Any
information from them on this sub-
ject shall be made public; enquiries
respecting them may be addressed
to me at Middletown, Connecticut.
JAMES RILEY.
New-York, March 11, 1816.

New-London, March 20.
MELANCHOLY OCCURRENCE.
Between 7 and 8 o'clock, on
Wednesday evening last, the dwell-
ing house owned by Mr. Samuel
Douglas, 2d, at Nantic village and
occupied by Mr. John Smith, ship
Carpenter, was nearly destroyed by
fire.—Mr. Smith had gone to a
neighbour's, leaving at home his
wife and daughter, aged 9 years. On
the first appearance of the fire, a
considerable number of people as-
sembled on the spot, who unfortu-
nately having received the impres-
sion that no one was in the house
without examination of the fact, pro-
ceeded to extinguish the flames
which were bursting through the
roof and windows.—Mr. W. D.
Caverly, ascended to the chamber
window, where the child was put
to bed by her father that evening and
would have entered, but was assur-
ed he was risking his life uselessly,
as the mother and child were both
safe. Mr. Smith soon arrived, and
in a frenzy cried out for his wife &
child.—He ascended to the chamber
window and fell back to the ground
in a state of suffocation.—Soon af-
ter the shrieks of the child were
distinctly heard; when Mr. Caverly;
a young man of great sensibility and
spirit, rushing through the smoke
and flames ascended to the chamber
where he found her writhing in a
agonizing on the floor, and succeeded in
bringing the little sufferer out alive.
The fire being nearly extinguish-
ed, on searching the house, the bod-
y of Mrs. Smith was found in her
bed room almost consumed. The
child died the following day. There
is hardly a doubt but the fire was
communicated from a candle, an-
other admission! to the thousands
which have preceded it, to be care-
ful of that necessary but dangerous
light.

LATEST FROM ENGLAND.
Last evening arrived at this port
the ship Laura Ann, Capt. Farn-
ham, from Liverpool. Sailed, Feb-
7, and brought London papers to
the 4th, with which we have been
favoured from the Merchant's Hall.

The British Parliament com-
menced a session on the 1st of Fe-
bruary. In the message of the
Prince Regent he mentions the
treaty of commerce with the U. S.
and says he confidently trusts it
will be found advantageous to the
interests of both countries, and ce-
ment the good understanding which
so happily subsists between them.
He says the manufactures, com-
merce and revenue of the British
Empire are in a flourishing condi-
tion.

The address in answer passed
the House of Lords nem. con.
The British government have
paid 500,000l. to the Portuguese
for the detention of their slave ves-
sels.
Roscoe, Clarke and Roscoe at
Liverpool, are said to have failed
for 500,000l.

Paris dates are to Jan. 31. The
usual rumours are given in the En-
glish papers of the uneasy condition
of France.
Disturbances continue at Lyons.
Government was disarming the In-
habitants. General Levallee had
been arrested there.

The circulation of English news-
papers in France has been provision-
ally suspended by order of the
minister of Police. The King,
the Duke of Richelieu and Barbe
Marbois, are said to have been ad-
verse to the measure.
The Edinburgh Review is inter-
dicted in France. The Englishmen
who had been arrested at Paris for
assisting Lavalette, have been liber-
ated on giving bail.
Lavalette was said to have es-
caped to England.

Talleyrand is said to have deter-
mined not to quit Paris but on com-
pulsion.
Gen. Travot has been arrested.—
Abbe Sieyes has gone off.
Some mention is made of a pro-
ject to abolish the National Insti-
tute.
A commission has been appointed
to decide on the article of the am-
nesty which applies to the Regicides,
as respects the extent of the term.
Col de la Tour-du-Pin, has been
killed at Paris in a duel with M.
Malanda. They were both Aids
to the duke de Belluno.

The Naval Officers of Marseilles,
have required that foreign mariners
be not admitted on board French
vessels.
The new French Minister to the
U. S. was preparing for his voyage.
The plague has broken out in
Bari, in the kingdom of Naples.
An article from Rome says the
Emperor of China has revoked the
edict against the Jesuits, and allowed
Christian Missionaries to be sent
to his empire.

Extract of a letter dated, Madeira,
18th February, received in New-
York.
"On the 2d February, in the
morning, about 20 minutes past 12
o'clock, we experienced in this is-
land one of the most severe shocks
of an earthquake ever felt here,
which continued for the space of
six minutes; during which time the
island was in as great a motion as
a ship at sea in a heavy swell.
Thanks be to a kind Providence,
no lives have been lost;—several
old buildings have fallen, and two
or three large churches have been
much injured.

Boston, March 21.
FIRE!—The dwelling houses (all
wooden buildings) of Nos. 92, 93,
and 94, Fish-street, were totally
destroyed by fire this morning, at
about two o'clock. They were oc-
cupied by Mr. M. Crocker, Hatter;
Mr. Magoron, who had a Crocker
Ware store in front Mr. Annable,
boarding house, and several widow
ladies and their families. Very lit-
tle of anything was saved.
The fire originated in the Chamber
of 98.