

have only to lament the loss of several of our brave officers and soldiers, whose glorious deaths are to be envied.

The general presents his thanks to major Hyms, and captains Pierce, Pendleton, and Shubrick, his aids de camp, from whose activity material services were derived.

The general conceives himself particularly obliged to colonel Kutenizko and major Forth, for their voluntary services in the field; and as he cannot be more particular at present, he hopes that the other gentlemen in the several staff departments will consider, that he cannot be unmindful of their respective endeavours to promote the service.

Extract of a letter, dated Camp, at Trout Springs, September 22, 1781.

"The battle of Eutaw, which was fought the 28th instant, happened upon the same spot of ground, on which according to the tradition of this country, a memorable battle was fought above a century past, between a body of speculating Europeans, and the natives of the soil. In the first, we are told, six hundred men fell, and we find an Indian mound erected as a monument to perpetuate their glory. In the second, double that number were killed and wounded; but whether this Christian nation will give such an honourable testimony of the great worth of those who now sleep in the bed of honour, is a matter not to be expected. Our victory was complete, though the rate of the day mingled sorrows in the triumph. I will enclose you a list of the killed and wounded of the Maryland brigade, &c. which will give you a tolerable idea of the importance of this action. The enemy will, very probably, leave Monk's corner to day.

General Greene, who is one of the bravest and best soldiers himself, is highly satisfied with the behaviour of the troops in general, but particularly with our brigade; he saw them make a charge with trailed arms through the hottest of the enemy's fire, and was so delighted with their firmness and vivacity, that he rode up to me, and complimented them in the field. He has also done it in general orders, and made the Virginians a compliment in the same stile. They behaved with equal courage.

If any former misconduct or accident in war has left a stain upon the Maryland troops, their exemplary conduct upon this occasion should obliterate it for ever. Around the monument which I mentioned, four of our excellent officers and many of our brave brother soldiers fell. Let them rest in that ancient bed of honour. May their virtues only be remembered, and their spirits enjoy eternal glory."

OFFICERS KILLED AND WOUNDED.

Maryland brigade. Captains Dobson and Edgerly and lieutenants Duvall and Gold, killed. Lieutenant-colonel Howard wounded in the shoulder, captain J. Gibson in the arm, captain-lieutenant H. C. in the groin, lieutenant Woolford thigh broke, lieutenant wing dangerously in the body, lieutenant Lynn leg broke, ensign Moor thumb shot off.

Virginia brigade. Lieut. col. Campbell, capt. Corway and Oldham, and lieut. Wilson, killed. Capt. Edmonds and Morgan, and lieuts. Millett and Joubert, wounded.

North-Carolina brigade. Three captains and one lieutenant killed, and one captain and five lieutenants wounded.

Legion infantry. Two lieutenants wounded. Artillery. Four lieutenants wounded.

Cavalry. Lieut. col. Washington slightly wounded and made prisoner. Five officers wounded.

South-Carolina flat-troops. Eight officers wounded.

FORTY SHILLINGS REWARD.

Greenbury's-point, October 8, 1781.

WAS stolen from the subscriber's landing on the 25th of September, a large pettianger, with white sides, a streak of green and yellow round her gunwales, a large crack in her bow, a new pitch bottom, two oars painted red, with a vein of white on the blades and her rudder. Any person who will deliver her, or inform where she may be found, shall receive two silver dollars, and for discovering the thief twenty-five shillings.

Whereas sundry persons under pretence of picking up drift wood, come along my shores and carry off other wood, and likewise carry guns and dogs within my inclosures, I hereby forewarn all persons whatever from such practices for the future, as I am determined to prosecute every person I find so trespassing.

DAVID KERR.

THERE is at the plantation of Samuel Amery, living in Charles county, taken up as a stray, a light gray (or white) gelding, 13 hands high, trots and gallops, branded on the near shoulder S. A. The owner is desired to prove his property, pay charges and take him away.

LIST of LETTERS remaining in the Post-office, Annapolis, which if not taken up before the 5th of January next will be returned to the general post-office.

B. RICHARD BEARD, Annapolis. John Smith Brooks and Co. Upper Marlborough. Dr. Brown, Port-Tobacco.

C. Rev. Isaac Campbell, Charles county. Ignatius Craycroft, Cartwright and Co. Robert Chelby, St. Mary's county. John Caick, Talbot county. Mariamne Craik (2), Elizabeth Carigan, near Port-Tobacco.

D. Joseph Dowson, John Davidson, Annapolis. Jacob Duvall (2), Prince-George's county.

E. Edward Ldalen (3), Piscataway.

F. Thomas Fitzsimmons, Francis Fairbrother, Annapolis. John Forbes (2), Benedict.

G. Woolman Gibson 30, Wye-river. John Grahame, Lower-Marlborough.

H. William Hayward, jun. Talbot county. Samuel Harrison, Anne-Arundel county. Jenny Hicky, Blitha Harrison, Burditt Hamilton, Charles county.

J. Rinaldo Johnson, Aquasco.

L. William Leigh, near Port-Tobacco. John Low, Talbot county.

M. Richard Mitchell, Richard Mason, Charles county. Capt. John Mitchell, Piscataway.

N. Capt. Thomas Noel, Caroline county.

Q. Dr. William Quynn, Annapolis.

R. Bu dett Kitchin, Charles county. Elizabeth Richardson, Caroline county.

S. Patrick Sim Smith, Calvert county. Col. John Hopkins Stone, Annapolis. Francis Shibus, near Annapolis.

T. Thomas Tillard, Calvert county. Vinfon Thornton, St. Mary's county.

W. Daniel Wells, Thomas Willson, Annapolis. Thomas Ward, Charles county. John Weems, jun. Calvert county. Richard White, Maryland. David Weems, John Whitney, Anne Arundel county.

F. GREEN, D. P. M.

THERE is at the plantation of John Ashton, living on Patuxent, Prince-George's county, taken up as a stray, a dark bay horse, having a white star on his face, branded E, about 10 years old. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.

Anne-Arundel county, October 10, 1781.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Vachel Sewell, late of this county, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment to the subscribers; and likewise all persons indebted to the estate of Deborah Sewell, of the county aforesaid, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment as above directed, and all those who have just claims against either of the above named estates, are desired immediately to make them known legally authenticated to us, that they may be paid off.

To be sold at the dwelling house of Vachel Johnson, in Middle-neck hundred, near to the creek called Oyster creek, at public vendue, on Saturday the 20th of this present month October, two negroes, a woman and her son; both have had the small pox, the woman is about two or three and twenty years of age, understands carding and spinning either cotton or wool exceeding well, and can work, either in the house or the field; the boy 5 or 6 years old, and very likely. Some household furniture, consisting of beds, tables, &c. also some very valuable cows with calf, and other dry cattle; one horse, and some very good hogs, &c. The sale will begin on the above mentioned day, if fair, at not the Monday following, and continue till all is sold. The terms will be agreed on at the day of sale.

VACHEL JOHNSON, administrators.

JACOB LUSBY,

THE inhabitants of Queen-Anne's county intend to prefer a petition to the general assembly of the state of Maryland, for an act of assembly to dissolve of the old court-house and other public property in Queen's town, and to purchase a quantity of land at the head of Cortica creek, whereon the public buildings for the use of the county may be erected, at such time and particular place as by the judgment of the general assembly shall be appointed and ascertained; and in the mean time for holding the courts of election, and the county and orphans courts, at the dwelling house now occupied by Elijah Minor, near Chester-mill, and directing the clerk and other public officers, to attend there until public buildings can be erected for the accommodation of the public, at the place directed and ascertained by the general assembly.

THERE is at the plantation of Samuel Jacob, in Anne-Arundel county, taken up as a stray, a red and white cow, appears to be old, marked with a crop in the right ear, and an under slip in the left. The owner is desired to prove his property and pay charges.

EDWARD LLOYD.

Office for confiscated estates, Annapolis, August 27, 1781.

PURSUANT to an act of the general assembly of Maryland, passed at their last session, will commence the sale of all the property, both real, personal, and mixed, late belonging to James Kuffell and company, commonly known by the name of the Nottingham Company, consisting of about 22,000 acres of valuable land, situate in Baltimore county, and about 12 miles from Baltimore town; 160 slaves of different ages and sexes, amongst whom are several valuable tradesmen, such as forgers, men, colliers, blacksmiths, carpenters, &c. stock of every kind, household furniture, and farming utensils. On the premises are two excellent forges, one furnace, and two grist-mills, all in good repair. That part of the premises called the Long-Cain, where the forges stand, is in point of situation perhaps equal to any on the continent for water-works, the Brandywine not excepted. Besides two mills which are already built, eight or ten more may be erected, and from the same dam and same race be supplied with a great abundance of water in the driest seasons. The iron-works together with a quantity of lands, negroes, and stock of every kind sufficient for carrying them on will be sold in undivided shares, not exceeding tenth; or the lands and property of every kind will be divided into small and convenient parcels, and sold separately, as may appear at the time of sale best to suit the wishes of the purchasers, and the intention of the state. The sum bid to be paid in specie, or in the bills of credit emitted in this state by the act to enable the treasurer of the western shore to draw and sell bills of exchange, and for an emission of bills of credit if necessary. Credit will be given to the purchasers to the first day of January 1786, upon their giving bonds with two good securities, each having real property in this state to the value of the purchase money. The sale will begin on the 30th day of November next, at Capt. Phillips's, that noted tavern, about 12 miles from Baltimore-town, which being part of the premises will also be sold.

By order of the commissioners, JOSEPH BAXTER, clk.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition will be preferred to the next general assembly of this state, for an act to pass, making the repair and keeping the causeway that leads through Pocomoke swamp to Snowhill-town, in Worcester county, a public charge upon the said county in general.

THE subscriber intends to petition the next general assembly of this state, setting forth his claim, and praying to be put into possession of that part of Calverton Manor in Charles county, which is included in the lines of a tract of land called Inoian Creek, to which he apprehends he has a just title.

CLEMENT HOLLYDAY.

July 31, 1781.

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to the next general assembly of Maryland, by a number of the freemen of Cecil county, to have an act passed for a special election, in order to take the sense of the county where the court of justice ought to be fixed, and that the election be held two days where the court house now stands, two days at the Head of Elk and two days at Charles-town, and that proper judges be appointed to hold the election.

Charles county, September 12, 1781.

AGREEABLE to law will be sold at public vendue, at Port-Tobacco, on Tuesday the 13th day of November next, for ready cash, a very likely young negro man named George, if no sooner applied for by his master. The said negro was committed to my custody as a runaway on the 21st day of July, 1780, by the name of George, the property of John Nelson, I suppose it ought to have been Arthur Nelson, as a certain Mr. Arthur, of Frederick county, says the said negro was once his property, and that he sold him to one Alexander of Augusta county in Virginia, and from thence he was sold to one Mitchell, near Charles-town, South Carolina.

BENJAMIN CAWOOD, Sheriff.

Talbot county, Sept. 26, 1781.

WANTED, as an overseer, this fall, a person who will take charge of several plantations; all of which lay contiguous to each other. Any person who can be well recommended will receive a handsome salary for his trouble.

EDWARD LLOYD.

A FEW copies of the LAWS of MARYLAND, passed last session of assembly, may be had at the Printing-office.

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For the MARYLAND Gaudia

HE man who private misfortune, callous or deaf to the joys of happiness, with him families of prosperity; both, the parent of every other deserve the favourer blind to her frowns) her excellencies. In private a limited exertion that confidence of action adventurous from the will to rejoice in public felicitate, equally reprehensible congratulations to the rejoices indicates a want of sympathy her vicissitudes, that decl interestedsness in her citizen can withhold his gratulations for which their our military affairs give should the impulses of expectations to a height, too sanguine, such an error more than expiated by

Since we classed ourselves a democracy of republics, we have the affairs of the union. The state of Maryland, the real energy of freemen from the felicity of feeling which she lately expected, exemplarily marked in the highest and peculiar care. More than half the chartered from contrast: of the southern states, this competent judges, when most severe and alarming such as at present are the most encouraging and deed must we feel, when from these subjects, which contemplation of the Union dreary, that even Hope, every friend forsakes," the rapid progress of war, hark as the summer, when their states became but the experience of our own docties of the fair sex could tunes, which, from a courageous exertions of the state completion of the ha by this state been felt but

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