

any commodities or favours he may think fit to send us. Or even, if he will give security for their being never able to return, might it not be an object to send them to Algiers without any compensation. The idea of such banishment would operate with far more force than the idea of the gallows.

N E W - Y O R K, November 15.

By a gentleman who came passenger in the ship Jenny, captain Smith, we are favoured with the following:

Extract of a letter from captain Thompson, from on board a Portuguese frigate, cruising against the Algerines, to his friend commodore Harcourt in Lisbon.

"Yesterday morning about four o'clock, a large Algerine xebec, mounting 14 guns, which for several days remained under shelter of the rock, came out under a very brisk breeze, passing most of the cruisers except the Triton, who immediately engaged with her at a leagues distance, giving chase at the same time, the xebec then standing with her head to the eastward and the Triton to the N. E. the xebec out sailing her withal. About 11 o'clock the wind veering round to the eastward and the other Portuguese cruisers being then stationed to the westward, gave the Triton an opportunity of forcing the xebec for the land; coming up with her about four o'clock a smart firing commenced by both; the xebec finding herself overpowered run for the shore, when the crew quitted her, consisting of about 135 men and 8 militia, who were supposed to be lost in the action. About eight o'clock the same evening she was set fire to, and this morning we had the pleasure of seeing her burnt down to the keel."

PHILADELPHIA, November 29.

Accounts from Savannah of November 2, say—Letters received in town last night by the stage from August, mention an express having arrived there from the commissioners, with an account of their having concluded the treaty with the Creek Indians.

Extract of a letter dated Flint River, August 22.

"The people are all ordered off the Oconee lands, and if they go, the Indians will be quiet, if not, when the time is expired, which is the last of September, then they are to fall on the white people. It seems the Chickasaws have all promised to join the Creeks. Seven hundred northward Indians arrived, and settled along side the Chickasaws, who say they will be our enemies when once the Creeks begin. McGillivray is determined the Oconee lands shall not be settled."

Extract of a letter from Flint river, August 3.

"The enclosed is a letter I wrote a few days ago and am in express, but the waters were so high, the man was obliged to return—I have therefore sent them by another hand. I set off in a few days and am in hopes to be out of the nation before any mischief is done. A Cherokee has just been a few days ago informed me, that some of the Creek Indians from the upper part of the nation had fired upon two white men that were coming into the Cherokee from some of the white settlements back of the Cherokee, killed one and wounded the other—they scalped them both, but the wounded man recovered and got home again. The Indians were followed by a party of white people, who came on a camp of Creeks, killed one Indian and wounded another, who gives an account of some white people being lately killed by the Cherokee. Several gangs of Indians have gone down to Pensacola to bring up ammunition; none are to get a y but those who are recommended by Mr. McGillivray. I believe, if proper measures were taken, satisfaction might be obtained for what mischief has been done. But Mr. McGillivray, it seems, is determined the Oconee lands shall not be settled if he can help it."

ANNAPOLIS, December 14.

The honourable William Harrison, William Hindman, Uriah Forrest, David Ross, and Nathaniel Ramsey, Esquires, are elected delegates to represent this state in congress for the ensuing year.

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, December 6, 1786.

RESOLVED, That no allowance be made to any collector for certificates suggested to be received before the sixth day of December, seventeen hundred and eighty-six, for the taxes imposed at November session seventeen hundred and eighty three, and November session seventeen hundred and eighty four, and which became payable in seventeen hundred and eighty-four, and seventeen hundred and eighty five, before the collector shall make oath (to be administered by either of the treasurers) that the certificate offered to be paid was, before the sixth day of December aforesaid, bona fide received from, or discounted with, the persons liable to pay the said taxes in the respective years in which such taxes were payable, and that such certificates were not directly or indirectly furnished to or for the parties, or to or for any of them, by such collector, or by any other person for him; and that no collector shall have a credit for any certificates suggested to be received after the said sixth day of December aforesaid, for the taxes aforesaid, unless he shall return two lists of all the certificates or which he shall request a credit, with their numbers, dates and sums, and the names of the persons from whom received, and make oath (to be administered by either of the treasurers) to be endorsed on said list, that the certificates mentioned in such list, and requested to be allowed such collector, were, since the said sixth day of December aforesaid, actually, really and truly, and without any deceit or fraud, received in payment of the assessment due on the property in his county in the years aforesaid, and from the person named in such list, except only change, if any, given on the receipt of the said certificates, in which case he gave certificates in change as far as in his power, and money only for the balance, and that such certificates were not directly or indirectly furnished to or for the

parties, or to or for any of them, by such collector, or by any other person for him.

By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.

By the SENATE, December 6, 1786. Read and assented to.

By order, J. DORSEY, clk.

ORDERED, That the said resolution be published in the Maryland Gazette and Baltimore Journal.

By order, W. HARWOOD, cl. ho. del.

To the PUBLIC.

IMPRESSED with a sense of duty to the Almighty as well as compassion to my fellow creatures, and gratitude to Doctor Tyler, I am bound to offer the following happy and remarkable case of my own.

I, the subscriber, of Frederick Town, Maryland, aged sixty one years, doth hereby certify, that after being entirely deprived of my eye-sight for near six years, it is now restored by an operation performed by Doctor Tyler of this town, who has since operated on two of my acquaintance with great success.

As witness my hand, FREDERICK BAKER. Frederick-town November 20, 1786.

December 7, 1786.

THE members of the Upper-Mariborough assembly are requested to attend at Mr. Halkerton's, on Tuesday the 19th inst.

November 8, 1786.

WHEREAS the business of Charles county court has been greatly retarded and delayed by the non attendance of Thomas Stone, Esq; practicing attorney of the said court, whereby the docket has been loaded and swelled to a most enormous size, we therefore think proper to give this public notice, that from this time no action or suit will be delayed on account of the non-attendance of the gentlemen of the bar, but at April term next, the causes will be taken in court, as they stand on the docket, and either heard by other counsel, struck off, or further continued, as particular circumstances (in justice to the suitors) may require.

WALTER HANSON, JOHN DENT, SAMUEL HANSON, jun. RICHARD BARNES.

Annapolis, December 6, 1786.

STOPPED at my shop, a large gold RING, with hair under the stone, which was brought by a negro boy, who says it was found on the race ground at the time of the races. Whoever has lost said ring, may have it again on describing it and paying charges.

WILLIAM FARIS.

Calvert county, November 9, 1786.

COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, a negro man who says his name is DICK, and belongs to Peter Grimms, of Baltimore county about 15 miles above Baltimore-town; he is about 30 years old, black complexion, 5 feet 6 inches high, well made, has a small scar on his left cheek; has on an old gray fearnought jacket, old check and brown linen shirts, old linen breeches, yarn stockings, new shoes, and a good felt hat. The owner is desired to take him away and pay charges to

W. ALLEIN, sheriff of Calvert county.

July 14, 1786.

COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, a luffy, well set negro man who says his name is WILLS, and that he is a house carpenter, appears to be about thirty years of age, says he belongs to Jeremiah Brown, who lived in Harford county, North-Carolina, but has removed into Mecklenburg county, in Virginia. His master is desired to come and take him away and pay charges, by the 30th of December next, or he will then be sold at Mr. George Mann's tavern, in Annapolis, for his prison fees.

DAVID STEUART, sheriff of Anne-Arundel county

To be SOLD, at PRIVATE SALE, on twelve or eighteen months credit,

THREE young negro women and seven children, boys and girls, which will be sold with their mothers. Any person inclinable to purchase, may see the negroes by applying to the subscriber, at his store, in Cornhill-street.

RICHARD MACKUBIN.

TAKEN up as a stray, by Thomas Bicknell, living near the Head of South river, in Anne-Arundel county, a brown MARE, about thirteen hands and an half high, seven years old, has a star in her forehead, neither docked nor branded, paces, trots, and gallops. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges.

INTEND to petition the next general assembly for restitution of, or compensation for, that part of my confiscated property which remains unsold.

JOHN SHUTTLEWORTH.

Port-Tobacco, September 16, 1786.

THIS is to give notice, that a petition will be presented to the next general assembly, that part of the main road which leads from Port-Tobacco to the old court-house, may be moved up a valley through the reverend Mr. Leonard Neale's plantation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that we intend to take the depositions of witnesses to establish the will of Notley Maddox, late of Charles county, deceased, and to establish our right to lands deviled from him, on Monday the twenty-seventh day of November next, at the house of Robert D. Seimes, in Port-Tobacco-town, of which all persons concerned are desired to take notice.

HENRY MADDOCKE, NOTLEY MADDOCKE.

Charles county, October 12, 1786.

WHEREAS a certain William Coher, of Washington county, sold Thomas Courtney Reeves, part of two tracts of land, called Betsey's Delight, containing sixty-two acres, and part of a tract called Mistake, containing forty-five acres, lying in Charles county; and the said lands by mistake were conveyed in the name of Thomas Charles Reeves, and since the said William Copher has moved off to Kentucky, but the said deed, for want of the proper name, being defective; this is to give notice, that I intend to apply to the next general assembly, praying an act may pass to give the same effect to the deed, as if the proper name had been mentioned, and likewise to have the said deed recorded agreeable to law.

THOMAS COURTNEY REEVES.

Annapolis, November 23, 1786.

Will be SOLD, on Monday the 18th of December next, at the dwelling house of Henry Jones, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, on Patuxent, about three miles from Queen-Anne, for the purpose of paying his debts,

SUNDRY articles of household furniture, some cattle and hories, and several valuable country born negroes. The terms of sale will be made known on that day, and begin at 10 o'clock.

THOMAS HARWOOD, executor of Henry Jones.

Upper Marlborough, November 16, 1786.

ALL persons who have claims of any kind against the estate of Henry King, late of Prince-Georges county, deceased, are desired to furnish their respective demands, properly authenticated, to Mr. Elias Fucker, at the register's office, in Upper Marlborough, in the county aforesaid, as soon as they conveniently can, he being authorized to settle and adjust the estate of the deceased. It being the wish of the subscriber to close the administration as soon as possible, and satisfy the claims of creditors, it is hoped they will be speedy in their application.

ROBERT SIM, administrator.

P. S. All persons indebted to the deceased are also requested to call on Mr. Elias Fucker, without delay, to settle and pay off the demands against them, as the situation of Henry King's affairs will not admit of long indulgence.

R. S. adm.

November 5, 1786.

THE subscribers, being the only surviving trustees for the charity school, and the several tracts of land thereto belonging, in Talbot county, give notice, that they intend to apply to the next general assembly, for leave to vest in the commissioners of the poor house of the same county, the value of the said charity-school, and of the lands above mentioned.

MATTHEW WILGHMAN, JOHN GORDON.

November 16 1786.

By the COMMITTEE of GRIEVANCES and COURTS of JUSTICE,

NOTICE is hereby given, that the committee of grievances and courts of justice will sit every day, during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

JOHN GASSAWAY, clk.

EIGHT DOLLARS REWARD. Montgomery county, November 12, 1786.

RAN away from the subscriber, on the 12th instant, living within six miles of the court-house negro JAMES, a likely young fellow, about 24 years of age, and about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high; had on when he went away a light coloured country tuied coat, a dark gray bearskin waistcoat, double breasted, a pair of old corduroy breeches, osnabrig shirt, and felt hat. Whoever takes up the said slave and secures him in any goal, so that his master gets him again, shall receive four dollars if ten miles from home, and if twenty or a greater distance the above reward, paid by

ALLEN BOWIE.

N. B. All masters of vessels are earnestly requested to have the said negro committed to goal, should he offer to engage on board of their vessel.

October 12, 1786.

Wanted immediately, As an overseer,

A MAN that is well acquainted with the management of a number of negroes, and understands farming; none need apply that cannot be well recommended; with or without a family will be immaterial; good encouragement will be given to a man that understands his business. Inquire of the Printers.

THERE is at Talley's, the plantation of Mr. Ogle, a small handsome black MARE, which has a star, and her rear hind foot white. The owner is desired to pay charges of advertising and take her away.