pose, the secretary for foreign affairs be, and he is hereby instructed to procure a sufficient number of blank sea-letters, draughted in the usual form, and signed by the president of congress, for the purposes aforesaid; and that the same, when filled up, be sealed with the seal of the United States, and certified by the secretary of congress.

CHARLES THOMSON, Secretary.

Saint Mary's county, February 22, 1788.

On Monday the 17th day of March next, will be sold, at public vendue, at the dwelling plantation of Mrs. Betty Anne Eden,

ALL the personal estate of the late Townshend Eden, Esq; deceased, consisting of a number of likely negroes, stock, furniture, grain, &c. &c. A credit will be given for twelve months, on giving bond with good security; the sale to continue until all is sold.

1 BETTY ANNE EDEN, administratrix.
WALTER STONE, administrator.

Saint Mary's county, near Leonard-town, February 19, 1788.

TO BE SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, for ready cash, or on credit on interest, with approved security if required, on the 2d day of April next, at the dwelling of the late Enoch Fenwick, deceased,

SUNDRY likely country born negroes, some stock, and household furniture, by

1 JOSEPH MILLARD, executor.

I. Abell Gardner

Britain's Bay, St. Mary's county, February 12, 1788.

LANDS FOR SALE.

TO be SOLD, 314 acres of excellent land, well adapted for Indian corn, tobacco and small grain, tolerably well timbered and excedingly well watered, with good improvements, and is well calculated for a person in the mercantile line.

For sale, adjacent to the aforesaid tract, 144 acres of excellent land, well improved; application to be made to

1 JOSEPH FENWICK.

Jam. Abell Gardner

Annapolis, March 4, 1788.

Arrived in sundry late arrivals, and to be sold by the subscriber low, for cash, specie or final certificates, viz.

A Few pipes Madeira wine, of a good quality, and fit for use,—will be sold by the pipe, quarter cask, or gallon. A quantity of Muscovado sugar and coffee, choice Connecticut pork in barrels.

The subscriber will dispose of what dry goods he has on hand, in lots, to shop-keepers or others, at little more than cost and charges; and will sell by retail at a very low advance, till all sold—for cash, country produce, specie certificates, or other public securities.

1 JAMES WILLIAMS.

Forty Dollars Reward.

WHEREAS, on the evening of the 31st of January last, between the hours of 6 and 9 o'clock, the following goods were stolen from the subscriber, out of the house of Mrs. Mary Reynolds, in Church-street, Annapolis, viz.

Two pieces of Tambour'd Muslin, 1¼ yard wide.
One piece of India straw coloured Taffita,
One piece of yellow and white striped Manchester Silk and Cotton,
Three Book Muslin handkerchiefs,
Six pieces of Chintz of different patterns,
One piece of Nankeen,
One piece of black Persian Silk,
One Tambour'd Muslin Apron. 6 4 wide.

And sundry other pieces, which cannot be particularly described. It is supposed that the above goods were stolen by means of a false key, by some person acquainted in the house, as two other locks belonging to said house, could be opened by the key of the room out of which the goods were stolen, the keys of which were said to be lost.—The above reward will be given to any person, who can discover the person, or persons concerned in said felony, so that they may be prosecuted and brought to conviction; or a handsome reward for any part of the goods, or intelligence respecting them, by applying to Thomas Pryse, Sadler in Annapolis, William Wilson, merchant in Baltimore, or to the subscriber,

10d 11/3 DANIEL M'CAWLEY.

February 28, 1788.

ON the petition of John Haislope, son of Henry, of Charles county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the eighteenth day of April next, is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directons of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
Reg. Cur. Can.

10d 13/1

February 19, 1788.

THIS is to give notice that Richard Tarman, jun. intents applying to the magistrates of Prince-George's county court, in April next, for the benefit of the act of assembly for the relief of insolvent debtors.

10d 7/6

By virtue of writs of *venditioni exponas*, to me directed, will be sold on Thursday the 3d day of April, at 11 o'clock, A. M. at the dwelling plantation of Thomas Rutland, of Edmund,

SUNDRY negroes, consisting of men, boys and girls; an elegant chariot, with two sets of harness; a phaeton, with two sets of harness; a four wheel sulkey, an elegant harpsichord, a sopha and twelve elegant mahogany chairs, taken in execution and to be sold for the benefit of James Gordon Heron.

And sundry negroes, consisting of men, women, boys and girls, taken in execution and to be sold for the benefit of Bennett Chew.

1X DAVID STEUART, sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

March 2, 1788.

To be SOLD, at the premises, in Annapolis, on Wednesday the 16th day of April,

THE revenue-office, with the ground it stands on, for specie, payable in certificates, agreeably to the act of assembly, passed November session, 1784.

1 DAN. of ST. THO. JENIFER, agent.

March 1, 1788.

ON the petition of Jacob Gibson, sen. of Talbot county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 21st day of April next, is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
Reg. Cur. Can.

10d 13/1

March 3, 1788.

ON the petition of John Williams, of Frederick county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the twenty-second day of April next, is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
Reg. Cur. Can.

10d 13/1

February 27, 1788.

ON the petition of Edward Spurrier, of Anne-Arundel county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 18th day of April next, is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
Reg. Cur. Can.

*** The above application is made in consequence of a very heavy loss by fire. 10d 13/1

February 11, 1788.

ON the petition of James Kent, of Queen Anne's county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 28th day of March next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery-office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
4 Reg. Cur Can.

February 11, 1788.

ON the petition of William Hopper, of Queen-Anne's county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 28th day of March next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
4 Reg. Cur. Can.

January 29, 1788.

ON the petition of Thomas Selby, jun. of Montgomery county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the fourteenth day of March next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
6X Reg. Cur. Can.

February 14, 1788.

ON the application of the trustee and sundry of the creditors of George Sibbald, the tenth day of April next is limitted and appointed by the chancellor for the creditors of the said George Sibbald to bring in and declare their respective claims to the said trustee, that the same may be on that day liquidated and adjusted. And the first day of May next is appointed for the sale of the goods assigned by the said George Sibbald to, and now in the possession of, the trustee; due notice hereof to be published in Mr. Green's and Mr. Goddard's news-papers.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
3 Reg. Cur. Can.

Frederick county, December 31, 1787.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber intends to make application to Frederick county court, in March next, for a commission to mark and bound a tract of land, called Locust Neck, lying in the county aforesaid. 2 FREDERICK KEEFER.

February 11, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to Kent county court to receive the benefit of the late insolvent act, after this notice is given six weeks in the Baltimore Journal and Maryland Gazette.

2 WILLIAM BRADSHA.

Charles county, February 21, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given to all the creditors of the subscriber, that being unable to discharge his debts, he intends to petition Charles county court, at April term next, and take the benefit of the act for the relief of insolvent debtors.

2 FRANCIS IGNATIUS STEWART.

February 12, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to Calvert county court for a commission to ascertain and mark, under the late act, the bounds and lines of five tracts of land in said county, called Trotter's Purchase, Robert's Chance, Little Land, Chalk Hills, and Letchworth's Chance.

3 JAMES HEIGHE.

February 19, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Prince-George's county court, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

3 HUMPHREY BECKETT.

Annapolis, February 4, 1788.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice to all her creditors, that being unable to discharge her debts she intends to apply to the justices of Anne-Arundel county, at the ensuing March court, for the benefit of the act for the relief of insolvent debtors.

5 MARY RANKEN.

February 4, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Anne-Arundel county court, at their next March term, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors. 5 HENRY SCOTT.

February 14, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Prince-George's county court in April next, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors. 4 SAMUEL WHITEHEAD.

January 24, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Prince-George's county court, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

6X JOHN MITCHEL, jun.

January 24, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Prince George's county court, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

6X WILLIAM HARDEY.

February 4, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Prince-George's county court for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

5 THOMAS WHITEHEAD.

Frederick county, February 7, 1788.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that he intends to petition to next March court, for a commission to mark and bound the following tract of land, agreeable to an act of assembly, entitled, An act for marking and bounding lands, &c. his part of a tract of land, called the Meadow, and another tract of land called Something, both situate on the Meadow Branch, a branch of Great Pipe-creek.

3 MICHAEL PFOUTZ.

January 25, 1788.

ON the petition of Andrew Scott, of Montgomery county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the fourteenth day of March next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
6X Reg. Cur. Can.

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