WILL be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on Monday the seventh day of February next, if fair, if not the next fair day, at the dwelling house of the subscriber, in Durham parish, Charles county, near Smith's point, on Patowmack river,

ABOUT thirty very likely valuable country born SLAVES, consisting chiefly of able bodied MEN and WOMEN, there being few children among them. Eighteen months credit will be given; the purchasers must enter into bond with approved security. The stock of CATTLE, HOGS and SHEEP, with some plantation UTENSILS, will also be offered for sale. 4w

CATHARINE STRANGE.

January 4, 1791.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested, that we intend to apply to the next county court to be held for Anne-Arundel county, on the first Monday in March next, for a commission to prove and mark the ancient bounds and lines of the following tracts of land, in the county aforesaid, called TYLER'S LOT, PEASLEY'S INHERITANCE, PROCTOR'S PARK, COCKEY'S ADDITION, MILFORD, GOSSEL'S ADVENTURE, TIMBER NECK, HAPPY CHOICE and VACANT LANE, pursuant to the directions of an act of assembly lately made and provided.

ZACHARIAH JACOB,
DORSEY JACOB,
RICHARD BOONE,
FRANCIS CROMWELL.

w4

January 5, 1791.

A LIST of LETTERS remaining in the Post-Office, Annapolis, which, if not taken up before the fifth day of April next, will be sent to the General Post-Office as dead letters.

CHARLES ALEXANDER, Annapolis; Zachariah Allen (2), St. Mary's county.

John Adam Boyer, John Bowers, David Bangs, captain Francis Burges (2), care of Charles Carroll, Annapolis; William D. Beall, Prince-George's county.

John Hamilton Chew, Annapolis; captain Joseph Clark, Lyon's creek.

Joseph Dowson, Benjamin Dulany, Robert Dorsey, Annapolis; Henry H. Dorsey, Indian Landing.

Alexander Fraizer, William Faris, Hugh Finlay, Annapolis.

Elizabeth Gassaway, Eliza Jane Gassaway, Annapolis; John Galloway, near Annapolis; Joseph Green (2), Charles county.

James Hunt, jun. or James Hunter, Annapolis; Henry Hall, near Annapolis; Richard Harwood, Anne-Arundel county; Daniel Hughes, jun. Mount Pleasant; Benjamin Hutchens, St. Mary's county.

Anthony Jones, Annapolis.

John Kilty, captain Kemp (2), Annapolis; Mr. Knight, West Nottingham.

William Lansdale, Annapolis.

William Vans Murray, Gilbert Middleton (2), Annapolis

James Nicols, Pemberton Nicols, Annapolis.

John B. O'Kelly, Upper Marlborough.

William Paca, Annapolis; William Peacock, Charles county.

John Randall (2), Henry Ridgely, Randall and Delozier (3), Richard Ridgely, Anne Rutland, care of George Mann, Annapolis; John Ryburn, Patuxent.

Capt. John Steuart, Samuel Schumacher, Henry Steele, care of George Mann, Gustavus Scott (2), care of Richard Sprigg, William Smith, John Stewart, care of Charles Steuart, Annapolis; James Somervell, Prince-George's county; capt. Stehpen Stranack, at Robert Young's, Nottingham.

Richard Tilghman, Annapolis; Thomas Tucker, West river; Brian Taylor, St. Leonard's creek; William Gladson Taylor, Port-Tobacco.

John Welsh (2), Annapolis; John H. Williams, Upper Marlborough; rev. Dr. Charles H. Wharton, John Weems, Weems's Forest; captain Antonio Wallace (3), Lower Marlborough.

S. GREEN, D. P. M.

‡*‡ No letters will be delivered without the money.

Calvert county, December 22, 1790.

THE subscriber, having greatly suffered by his fences being thrown down in various places—paths made through every part of his plantation—and his fields becoming mere commons—finds himself under the disagreeable necessity to give this public notice, that he has laid out the road leading through his plantation to the old court-house landing; of which he begs every one to take particular notice—He forewarns all persons from crossing any part of his grounds in any other manner whatever, unless strictly by the said road to the very landing itself—for he is absolutely determined to prosecute, to the utmost rigour of the law, every one, without respect to persons, he shall find for the future deviating in any manner from this notice.—He likewise forewarns all persons from hunting either with dog or gun, on any part of his lands.

2 M. TANEY.

TO BE SOLD,

On the premises, (as per decree of the chancellor) on bond with approved security, on Wednesday the 16th of February next, if fair, if not the next fair day, the following tracts of LAND, in Dorchester county, viz.

NEW-MARKET, containing 22 acres of land, with dwelling and outhouses; BENNETT'S PASTURE, six acres, adjoining; GREEN TIMBER YARD, sixty-five acres; all on Hunger river. HOG-QUARTER, 250 acres, on Black-Water.

3 CHARLES STEUART, Administrator of JOHN BENNETT.

Bank of Maryland.

THE number of shares prescribed by the charter of the BANK of MARYLAND, as necessary to proceed to the election of directors, being complete—NOTICE is hereby given, that a meeting of the stockholders will be held on the first Monday in March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at Mr. Grant's tavern, for the purpose of choosing the directors.

ROBERT GILMOR,
JAMES CAREY,
JEREMIAH YELLOTT,
THOROWGOOD SMITH,
SAMUEL SMITH,
CHARLES GARTS,
NICHOLAS SLUBEY,
WILLIAM PATTERSON,
THOMAS HOLLINGSWORTH,
JAMES EDWARDS.

2

Baltimore, December 15, 1790.

December 14th, 1790.

By virtue of a decree in chancery, at May term last, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC VENDUE, for ready money, on the premises, on FRIDAY, the fourth day of FEBRUARY next,

A TRACT or parcel of LAND, containing two hundred acres, more or less, lying in Pomonkey, in Charles county, on which Thomas Smallwood formerly lived, and now in the possession of Samuel Ward Middleton. A conveyance will be made in terms of the decree, which may be seen by applying to me in Piscataway, in Prince-George's county.

4 JOSEPH NOBLE BAYNES, Trustee.

To be SOLD,

For CASH only, on the 18th day of this inst.

SOME valuable STOCK, consisting of cattle and horses; some household furniture—For the purpose of discharging the debts of Vachel Johnson, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. The sale to begin at nine o'clock. JACOB LUSBY, Executor.

January 5, 1791. 2x

To be SOLD,

On the 25th day of January, if fair, if not the next fair day,

THAT valuable PLANTATION near Herring creek church, lately the property of THOMAS DEALE, deceased, containing 329 acres.

At the same time will be SOLD sundry NEGROES, consisting of men, women and children, boys and girls, and some STOCK. The terms of sale will be made known on the day of sale, by

3x JOSEPH DEALE, Executor.

Annapolis, December 28, 1790.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of THOMAS DALZIELL, late of this city, deceased, are desired to make immediate payment to the subscriber, and those having claims against said estate are requested to bring them in legally proved, as they may be settled by

2 MARGARET DALZIELL, Executrix.

An ACT respecting the creditors and debtors of this state.

WHEREAS the provision for the debts of the respective states by the congress of the United States renders it essential to the interest of this state, that its creditors should subscribe to the loan proposed by congress, upon receiving a full compensation from the state for any injury which they might sustain thereby,

Be it enacted, by the general assembly of Maryland, That it be proposed to the creditors of this state, to subscribe to the loan proposed by the congress of the United States, by an act of the said congress, entitled, An act making provision for the debt of the United States, and the faith of this state is hereby pledged to receive from the creditors, who shall subscribe to the said loan, all certificates bearing an interest of three per cent, and all certificates bearing an interest of six per cent. after the year eighteen hundred, which the said creditors shall become entitled to by such subscription; and in exchange therefor, there shall be paid by the trustee appointed by this act, to the said respective creditors, a compensation in stock, created under the act of congress aforesaid, bearing an immediate interest of six per cent. to the full amount of the principal sums mentioned in the said certificates.

And, in order to establish a fund for making the said payment to the subscribing creditors, *Be it enacted,* That Benjamin Harwood, of the city of Annapolis, be and he is hereby appointed a trustee for the purpose of subscribing to the loan proposed by congress the continental paper now in the treasury of this state, and for other purposes herein after mentioned.

And be it enacted, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby directed to deliver to the said trustee all the continental paper now in the treasury, which may be subscribed to the said loan under the act of congress aforesaid, taking his written declaration acknowledging the receipt of the said paper as trustee of the state, and that the said trustee shall subscribe the same in his own name, and shall deliver the certificates, which he shall receive therefor from the continental commissioner, to the treasurer of the western shore.

And be it enacted, That when any creditor or creditors of this state, who shall subscribe to the said loan, shall produce to the said trustee, any certificate granted by the said commissioner, bearing an interest of three per cent. or any certificate granted by such commissioner, bearing an interest of six per cent. after the year eighteen hundred, and shall assign and transfer the said certificates to the said trustee in due form of law, it shall be lawful for the said trustee, and he is hereby required to transfer to the said creditor or creditors, in exchange therefor, so much of the stock herein before mentioned, bearing an immediate interest of six per cent. as shall amount to the principal sums mentioned in such certificates; and the said trustee shall deliver all certificates, transferred to him by any creditor or creditors as aforesaid, to the treasurer of the western shore for the use of this state: Provided always, that the said trustee shall first be satisfied, that the certificates so produced by any creditor shall have been received from the said commissioner on loans, subscribed in certificates issued by this state.

And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the trustee, appointed or to be appointed in virtue of this act, to receive the interest which shall become due on the stock which he shall hold in trust for the state, and to pay the same to the treasurer of the western shore.

And be it enacted, That in case the said trustee, or any other trustee to be appointed in virtue of this act, shall refuse to act, or die, or refuse or neglect to give security as herein after required, the governor and council shall appoint another person in his stead.

And be it enacted, That every trustee appointed, or to be appointed, in virtue of this act, shall, within thirty days after notice of his appointment, and before he proceeds to act, give bond to the state, with good security to be approved of by the governor and council, in the sum of five thousand pounds current money, for the faithful performance of the trust reposed in him by this act, and the said bond shall be recorded by the clerk of the general court for the western shore, and a copy thereof, certified by the said clerk, under his hand and seal of office, shall be received as evidence in any court of law or equity of this state.

And, Whereas the taking out of circulation the certificates issued by this state, will be injurious to the debtors of the state, who were permitted to make payment in the said certificates by the act, entitled, An act respecting the debtors and creditors of this state, under the act to establish funds to secure the payment of the state debt within six years, and for the punctual payment of the annual interest thereon; *Be it enacted,* That all debtors who installed, or might have installed, under the act aforesaid, shall be allowed to make payment of their debt as follows: that is to say, all arrears of interest to the first day of December, in the year seventeen hundred and ninety, and two thirds of the principal, in specie, or in depreciation or other liquidated state certificates, or in stock created under the act of congress herein before mentioned, bearing an immediate interest of six per cent. one third of the principal in specie, or in stock created under the said act of congress, and bearing an interest of six per cent. after the year eighteen hundred; and all interest accruing after the said first day of December, in the year seventeen hundred and ninety, in specie only.

And be it enacted, That the stock paid by the said debtors shall be transferred by them to the trustee appointed by, or to be appointed in virtue of, this act.

And be it enacted, That no execution shall issue against any debtor who installed, or might have installed under the said act, before the first day of August next; and if executions have already issued, the attorney-general shall suspend them, the defendants first paying all legal costs.

And be it enacted, That the first payment due on the bonds of the debtors who have installed, shall be postponed until the first day of August next.

And be it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for all debtors, who had permission to install by the act aforesaid, to install at any time before the first day of August next, upon the same terms and principles as are prescribed and established by the act aforesaid, except that the time of the first payment shall be on the said first day of August next, and that the manner of making payment shall be as is herein before mentioned: and if any of the said debtors who have not installed, and who shall install before the first day of August next, have paid any part of the principal of their debt since the first day of August last, the governor and council shall have regard to the said payments, and in taking their bonds shall regulate the times of payment, so as to put them on the same footing as if they had installed before the first day of August last.

And be it enacted, That where the security of any debtor has obtained an assignment of the bond of his principal, under the act aforesaid, nothing in this act contained shall prevent the said security, his executors, administrators, or assigns, from proceeding and recovering on the said assigned bond, in the same manner as if this act had not been made; and if any security shall not be able to prevail on his principal to install before the first day of August next, the said security, or his heirs, executors, or administrators, may install on the same terms that the principal might have done, and shall thereupon be entitled to an assignment of the original bond from the treasurer of the western shore, who is hereby directed to make the same, and shall have the same proceedings thereon in his or her own name, for his or her own use, as the state might have had.

And be it enacted, That all powers vested in the governor and council by the act aforesaid, shall be and are hereby continued until the end of the session of assembly which shall be first held after the next general election of delegates for this state.

And be it enacted, That the trustee appointed, or to be appointed, in virtue of this act, shall have, as a compensation for his services for the present year, two hundred and fifty pounds current money, and for every subsequent year, if his service shall be required, the sum of seventy-five pounds current money.

And be it enacted, That the governor and council be requested to cause this act to be published, for the space of six weeks, in the several news-papers of this state, and to send one hundred printed copies thereof to each respective county, for the information of the people. 3