

her cargo and lading, be, and the same are hereby adjudged and condemned as a lawful prize to and for the use of the libellant, and the owners, officers and crew of, and belonging to the said schooner Experiment; and that the said brigantine Fame, with her boats, tackle, apparel and furniture, together with her cargo and lading, be delivered to the said owners and captors, or to the agent or agents, to be by him or them, divided among the said owners, officers and crew, of the said schooner Experiment, and all others lawfully interested therein, by reason of the premises. And I do order the taxed costs of this suit, to be paid by the said claimants.

JOHN GREEN, Judge.

Promulgated in the court of vice admiralty, this 6th day of January, 1796.

JOHN LEWIS, Register.

A true copy. Attest.

JOHN LEWIS, Register.

NORFOLK, April 11.

ATTACK ON LEOGANE.

The British fleet sailed from Port-au-Prince on the 21st March, consisting of three sail of the line, 3 frigates, 1 sloop of war, 4 letters of marque, 3 gun boats, and a number of transports having on board 4000 troops; on the 22d got possession of the town of Leogane, after six hours heavy fire, which they immediately burnt. On the 24th a ship of war arrived at the Mole with the information that Leogane was not tenable; and before capt. S's departure from the Mole, information was received that the French had re-taken the place and put all the men they could find to the sword.

The following letter was given to capt. Chapman, of the schooner Amazon, (arrived on Sunday from Jamaica) off East-Florida.

Brig West-Indian, off Cape Florida, March 27.

" S I R,

" I parted company with captain Boyd, two days captured by the French privateer Revenge, who had also captured the brig Minerva, of Philadelphia, who had sugars on board for Mr. Blight. You will excuse my haste from present circumstances—I have been out 18 days; the masters, mates, and crews of the above vessels are on board the privateer, who made some difficulty in letting me go. Their excuse for capturing them was the want of sea letters.

" I am with due respects,

" ROBERT CHARLTON.

" Mr. Geo. Blight, Norfolk."

April 18.

Extract of a letter from Martinique, to a gentleman in this town, dated Per Royal, 28th March.

" Ten thousand troops are arrived at Barbadoes; 2000 at Grenada, and 2000 at St. Vincent's; general Abercrombie and admiral Cornwallis are arrived at Barbadoes, with part of the Cork fleet; the remainder are hourly expected. A French ship from Guadaloupe with 900 hogheads of sugar and coffee, said to be the property of Victor Hughes, is captured by a frigate and sent into Antigua. An embargo took place here ten days ago. This is sent you by a vessel which obtained liberty to sail for Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, April 22.

A correspondent being credibly informed that the yellow fever prevails in several of the West-India Islands, thinks the inhabitants of Baltimore should be on their guard: If this business is neglected a few days longer, it is impossible to say what may be the consequence thereof.

Extract of a letter from a merchant of New-York, to his friend in Philadelphia, dated April 18.

DEAR SIR,

" Yours of the 16th I received, requesting to know what premium our underwriters would ask on your brig Malabar. Owing to the resolutions in congress brought forward by Mr. Gallatin, all insurances and other business is at a stand; nothing doing; the merchants from the country, who came for a supply of goods, all going back without any, as our merchants decline selling at present. Produce has fell amazingly since Saturday. Superfine flour at 11 dollars. Beef at 9 dollars. Pork 14. Wheat 18¢ per bushel, and other things in proportion; indeed there is no sale for any thing. Our banks, I understand, have got alarmed; very little they will do, as they seem to have lost confidence in the government, say the majority of the house of representatives. The consequence I fear will be fatal to a number of our merchants and speculators here, if opinions do not alter in congress; but I hope in God they will, if they do not, I am afraid our government will be almost."

April 27.

Extract of a letter, dated Philadelphia, April 24.

" The merchants have fallen into their usual business very coolly, and flour is brisk at 14 dollars. They began to be ashamed; having found that their speculations did not succeed against congress—nor could they catch either the miller or farmer."

Other letters state, that the majority in the house of representatives against the treaty continued to decrease daily—the numbers stood by the last accounts 49 to 48. Petitions were continually presented, and it was supposed a majority in favour of making provisions would appear before the question was decided.

ANNAPOLIS, April 28.

Extract of a letter from a respectable house in New-York, to a gentleman in Philadelphia, dated 20th April.

" Our markets (in consequence of the appearance of the treaty not being carried into effect) have fallen

much—flour 12 dolls. beef, prime, 11 to 12 dolls. pork, prime, 14os. and no sales; however are in hopes when ours, and other petitions, are laid before congress, they will still do it; but if they should persevere, there is no judging the consequences. We had a large meeting of our most respectable citizens here yesterday, and there was not a dissenting voice, we suppose our petitions will be forwarded in a day or two."

To be SOLD, on Thursday the 12th of May next, if fair, or the first fair day, Sunday excepted, between the hours of eleven and twelve o'clock, in the forenoon, at the late dwelling house of JOSEPH MEEK, of Anne-Arundel county, deceased.

ALL the PERSONAL PROPERTY of said MEEK, consisting of horses, cattle, sheep, and hogs, plantation utensils, and household furniture, with some corn, wheat, and rye, also some excellent bacon, &c. &c. The terms of sale are ready money.

JOHN MEEK, Administrator of JOSEPH MEEK.

P. S. All persons who have any claims against said estate are requested to exhibit them, on the day of sale, for payment, and those indebted to said estate are requested to make payment on said day, as the administrator is desirous to settle up said estate by the last of May next.

April 27, 1796.

A LIST of LETTERS remaining in the Post-Office at Chaptico, if not taken up before the first day of July, they will be sent to the General Post-Office as dead letters.

GEOURGE P. GRINFIELD, merchant, Charles county, Maryland.

Capt. David Carcaud, Ferry Landing, Patuxent, Maryland.

Mr. John Ashcom, St. Mary's county, near Patuxent river.

J. B. GRINDALL, D. P. M.

April 23, 1796.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the COMMISSIONERS of the TAX for Anne-Arundel county will meet, in the city of Annapolis, at the house of Mr. William Goldsmith, on the second Tuesday of May next, and will continue to sit for twenty days thereafter, for the purpose of hearing appeals and making transfers.

By order,
NICH. HARWOOD, Cl. Com. Tax
A. A. county.

April 25, 1796.

LA FAYETTE,

Is in high order, and will stand this season, at the subscriber's stable, in Annapolis, three days in each week, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, and at Mr. Augustine Gambrell's tavern, about ten miles from Annapolis, on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

LA FAYETTE is seven years old this spring, fifteen hands and a half high, equal as to bone, finew, and action, to most horses in America, he was got by the imported horse Venetian, his dam by Little Figure, out of a fine imported mare.

La Fayette will cover mares at eight dollars a single mare, if two or more mares from the same person six dollars per mare and 3/9 for each mare to the groom, provided the money is paid by the first of July next, if the money is not paid by the first of July next ten dollars for each mare will be charged.

JAMES WILLIAMS.

April 20, 1796.

PIO MINGO,

A strong imported JACK-ASS, rising four years old,

COVERS mares and jennies this season, at JOSEPH LEONARD's farm, on South river, at four dollars a mare or jenny, and half a dollar to the groom, or one and an half barrels of corn if paid by the first of November, if longer credit is required five dollars will be demanded, on or before the 20th of December. Good pasturage at 2/6 per week for the mares, but not accountable for accidents or escapes.

Also for sale or barter for stock, several young JACK-ASSES, rising one and three years old, three jennies from three years old upwards.

Also for sale, on the aforesaid farm, two full bred imported mares.

JOS. LEONARD.

P. S. No money will be demanded for covering the mares sent to Pio Mingo, except the groom's fee, where owners will oblige themselves to deliver his colts on the first of October, 1797, on my paying twelve dollars for each colt.

Hill's Delight, April 21, 1796.

ECLIPSE,

STANDS this season at NEWINGTON ROSE WALK, and covers mares at six dollars per mare, and one bushel of oats, the oats to be sent with the mares; if the money is paid by the first of September one guinea will be taken in lieu of six dollars.

ECLIPSE was got by Mr. Charles Wallace's imported Eclipse, out of a sweeper mare.

WILLIAM RAWLINGS.

N. B. Any gentlemen inclinable to purchase the above horse may see him by applying to

April 27, 1796.

Agreeably to a decree of the court of chancery will be EXPOSED to SALE, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday the 16th day of May next, at ten o'clock, on the premises,

ALL that LOT or parcel of GROUND, in the city of Annapolis, with the dwelling house and buildings erected thereon, now in the tenure and occupation of Mr. WILLIAM WATKINS; also a lot or parcel of ground near the said house, which will be particularly shown and described at the sale, belonging to the estate of JOSEPH DOWSON, deceased. This property will be sold clear of dower, the purchaser or purchasers to give bond for paying the purchase money, with interest, within one year from the day of sale.

BURTON WHETCROFT, Trustee.

April 16, 1796. 2

Pursuant to the directions of an act of assembly, passed last session, will be SOLD to the HIGHEST BIDDER, at Pig-Point, on Saturday the second day of July next, on a credit, the purchaser giving bond with approved security, and paying the interest punctually.

A VALUABLE tract of Glebe Land, belonging to St. James's Parish, in Anne-Arundel county, originally patented for 715 acres, called WRIGHTON, lying on the navigable river Patuxent, which affords plenty of fish and fowl in season, and adjoining the inspection and town of Pig-Point, which was laid out of said tract; there is wood sufficient on said land for its support, a dwelling house, with some out houses, and a young apple orchard, with other fruit trees, &c. &c.

RICHARD HARRISON,
JAMES DISNEY,
BENJAMIN ALLIEN,
EZEKIEL GOTT,
THOMAS HILLARD,
GASSAWAY PINDEL,
MORDECAI HALL,

Vestrymen.

N. B. All persons holding lots in the town of Pig Point, taken up and paid for, according to law, are requested to make it known to the vestry.

April 20, 1796. 2

SPRING GOODS.

The subscriber has just received, by the last arrivals from Europe, a beautiful and elegant assortment of SEASONABLE GOODS,

CONSISTING of 4-4 and 7-8 yard wide Irish linens, light and dark printed cottons and chintz; japanned muslin; book muslin; book muslin handkerchiefs; tamboured aprons and petticoats; jaconet muslin, plain and tamboured; tamboured aprons, petticoats and handkerchiefs; tucked aprons; corded muslin, striped, checked and fancy; muslin and chintz shawls; cambric, &c. &c. nankens and nankenes; hosiery; hemping, spriggs, ofsnabrigs and dowlais.

I have also some groceries, viz. rums, wines, and very excellent French brandy; brown and loaf sugar; fouchong and hyfon tea; coffee; chocolate; raisins and currants; mustard; rice; black pepper, &c. also queen's ware, cuttlery, and japanned ware; all which articles will be sold on the most reasonable terms the buyer can possibly expect, by

WILLIAM WELLS.

LOFTY,

A full bred imported hunter, in good health and high condition,

WILL cover mares this season, at the subscriber's, at three guineas a mare, and half a dollar to the groom, but if the money is paid when the mares are taken away, two guineas and half a dollar to the groom will be taken in lieu thereof.

LOFTY is four years old this spring, perfectly sound and free from blemish, a beautiful chestnut sorrel, with a star and snip, one white foot behind, full seventeen hands high, with bone, finew, and symmetry, superior to any blooded horse of his age ever imported, and from his youth, superior form, great powers, and action, promises to get a useful stock fit for any service.

JOHN MITCHELL.

N. B. Good and convenient pasturage for mares (as any in the state) at half a dollar per week, and all imaginable care taken of them, but will not be answerable for accidents or escapes.

Greenbury Point, April, 1796. 2

I WILL sell that corner LOT, in Upper Marlborough, which I lately occupied, with the improvements thereon, consisting of a dwelling house, containing three spacious rooms and passage on the first floor, two large chambers on the second, a large garden and yard, well paved, &c. Its vicinity to the court-house and public offices, renders it an eligible situation for a merchant or inn-keeper; the purchaser, on giving a bond with approved security, will be indulged with a year's credit. The terms, which will be moderate, may be known by applying to Mr. JOSEPH M. O'REILLY, near Upper Marlborough, or the subscriber, in Annapolis.

HUGH MAGUIRE.

Annapolis, March 29, 1796.

Wanted to Purchase or Hire,

A NEGRO WOMAN, who is a good cook, a washer and ironer. Inquire of the PRINTERS.

Annapolis, April 1, 1796. 2

To be SOLD,

A COMMODIOUS DWELLING HOUSE, in a pleasant part of this city.—Apply to the PRINTERS.

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