

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber intends to apply to the general assembly of Maryland, at their present session, for an act to release him from debts which he is unable to pay, and to discharge him from confinement.

JAMES M'COY.

Elkton, November 10, 1798.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of THOMAS CROMWELL, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, are requested to bring them in, legally authenticated, and those indebted to said estate are desired to make immediate payment, to HANNAH CROMWELL, Administratrix, HANNAH H. CROMWELL, Administratrix.

November 13, 1798.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN away, on Monday last, from the subscriber, living near Queen-Anne, in Anne-Arundel county, a country negro man by the name of BEN, who calls himself BEN ANDERSON, a tall slim made fellow, about 6 feet high, 25 years of age, has short wool brushed up in front, a gap in his teeth, which he cannot hide when he speaks, and is bow legged; it is probable he will change his dress, as he has a variety of cloaths with him, and that he will obtain a pass as a free man, having plenty of money. All persons are forewarned harbouring or carrying him off. The above reward will be given to any person who will take up and secure the said fellow in any goal, so that I get him again.

DAVID STEUART.

November 12, 1798.

THE subscriber forewarns all persons from dealing with any of his slaves in any manner or way whatever without leave in writing from himself, or some one of his family; this notice he hopes will be attended to, as he is determined to put the law in force against any offender.

THOMAS HARWOOD, of Annapolis.

June 12, 1798.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of THOMAS LANE, deceased, late of Anne-Arundel county, are requested to have them legally authenticated, and all persons who are indebted unto the said estate are requested to make immediate payments, otherwise suits will be commenced against all delinquents to the spring courts.

BARBARY LANE, Executrix,
OS. S. HARWOOD, Executor.

October 15, 1798.

By virtue of a decree of the honourable the high court of chancery of Maryland, the subscriber will SELL, at PUBLIC SALE, on the premises, on Thursday the 29th of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon,

THAT valuable tract of land called SMITH'S DELIGHT, containing 150 acres, the property of SAMUEL MAYNARD, sen. lying in Anne-Arundel county, within about two miles of the Chesapeake Bay, well watered, about twenty acres of it valuable meadow ground; the greatest part of the residue cleared and fit for cultivation. The terms on which the above property is sold are; that the purchaser shall give approved bond, with security, to the trustee, for the payment of the purchase money, with interest, within six months from the day of sale.

SAMUEL MAYNARD, jun. D. T.

September 25, 1798.

To be SOLD, on credit;

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, situated on the Chesapeake Bay, on the north side of Severn river, containing between three and four hundred acres; this land lies within about eighteen miles from the city of Baltimore, and five from the city of Annapolis, it abounds with timber of every kind, a large proportion of which is calculated for ships; the soil is fertile and level, and well adapted for grazing and farming, having a quantity of salt marsh; it abounds with fish, oysters, and wild fowl, in their proper seasons. This tract of land is situated on the Chesapeake Bay, and a navigable creek on the other side, from its situation it can be enclosed with one hundred and fifty panels of fence; the improvements are, a dwelling-house and two apple orchards. From the advantageous situation of this property it must be an object to persons inclinable to purchase. For terms of sale apply to LEMUEL WARFIELD, Baltimore, or to the subscriber on the Head of Severn, Anne-Arundel county.

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LANCELOT WARFIELD.

Seth Sweetser,

Boot and Shoe-Manufacturer,

HAS received from London, a handsome assortment of Ladies fancy coloured kiddy slippers, with York and Spring heels, and Windsor do. with cords of the best quality and newest fashions; has also received from Boston a quantity of sole leather and shoe threads, which he will sell on the most reasonable terms for cash.

N. B. He requests each person against whom he has an account unsettled for twelve months or upwards, to call and settle it, and solicit an immediate compliance with this request.

Annapolis, June 27, 1798.

EDUCATION.

In the hands of the Printer, and to be published by subscription,

AN ESSAY

On "the best system of Liberal Education and Literary Instruction, adapted to the genius of the government of the United States; comprehending also, a Plan for instituting and conducting public schools in this country on principles of the most extensive utility."

By the Reverend SAMUEL KNOX, A. M.

Principal of the Frederick-town Academy.

The Essay was awarded, the premium offered by the American Philosophical Society on that subject, and to be published by their order of 15th December, 1797.

Their printer having failed in his engagement with the society, the author has taken this method of having it submitted to the attention of the enlightened patrons of literature, in the State of Maryland in particular, and the friends of a liberal system of public education, throughout the United States in general:

CONDITIONS.

It will be executed in the best manner, on good paper, and neatly half bound.

The price to subscribers, 3 quarters of a dollar, to be paid on subscribing or on delivery of the essay, as may to them be most agreeable. Subscribers names will be published, and places of residence if inserted in their subscriptions.

Subscriptions will be taken, as soon as papers for that purpose can be forwarded, at Messrs Rice's bookstore in Philadelphia—By the different booksellers in Baltimore, Annapolis, George-town and Alexandria—At Mr. Dick & Co's. store in Biadensburg, and at Messrs. John and Isaac Mantz's store in Frederick-town, and by F. and S. Green, Annapolis.

Frederick-town, October 24.

JUST IMPORTED,

And for sale by the Subscriber,

BEST white and brown hempen ticklenburgs, by the bale or piece; a few cases of Irish linens, assorted, from 14d. to 3/4 sterling cost; white lead ground in oil; best London brown stout porter, in casks of about 6 dozen each; best cheese from the Pine dairy, with sundry other articles. I have a few pipes of the first quality London particular wine, imported 3 years since, is now 6 or 8 years old. Likewise about 30 pipes of old Cogniac and Bourdeaux brandy, shipped in the Pomona in January last, which will be sold by the pipe, quarter cask, or gallon, by the 5 gallons at same price as by the cask.

A quantity of cordage, well assorted, from spun yarn, to 10 inch cables, with all kinds of white rope and lines, &c.

JAMES WILLIAMS.

November 7, 1798.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the collectors and supervisors of Anne-Arundel county appear before the justices of said county on Monday the 16th day of this instant, to settle their several accounts.

By order,

NICH. HARWOOD, Ck.

November 7, 1798.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber intends preferring a petition to the general assembly of the State of Maryland, at the next session, for an act of insolvency.

JOHN F. BEALL.

Charles county, November 1, 1798.

NOTICE.

I INTEND to apply to the next general assembly of Maryland for an act of insolvency, to discharge me from debts which I am unable to pay.

WILLIAM THOMPSON.

Charles county, November 1, 1798.

COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, on the 24th instant, a likely negro man, of a dark complexion, who says his name is CUFF, and that he was hired this present year by GERARD B. CAUSIN, Esq; to a Mr. Ashron, of Montgomery county. His owner is desired to take him away, or he will be sold agreeably to law for his prison fees, &c.

THOMAS A. DYSON, Sheriff of Charles county.

October 28, 1798.

CAME to the subscriber's, on the 17th instant, an iron gray HORSE, near 15 hands high, paces, trots and canters, shod all round, and appears to be 6 or 7 years old, has no perceivable brand. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

JOHN H. DORSEY.

Elk Ridge, October 29, 1798.

BACON'S LAWS For SALE.

A FEW copies of Bacon's Abridgement of the laws of Maryland may be had at this office.

IN COUNCIL.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the general assembly of Maryland did, by an act passed at November session, seventeen hundred and ninety, entitled, "An act directing the time, place and manner of holding elections for representatives of this state in the congress of the United States, and for appointing electors on the part of this state for choosing a president and vice-president of the United States; and for the regulation of the said elections, and also to repeal the act of assembly therein mentioned," direct the governor and council, after having received the returns, papers and instruments containing the number of votes for each candidate for representatives of this state in the congress of the United States, should enumerate and ascertain the number of votes for each and every candidate and person chosen as representatives, and by proclamation signed by the governor, and dispersed through the state, declare the names of the persons duly elected as representatives—we, in pursuance of the directions of the said act, do by this our proclamation declare, that by the returns made to us, it appears that George Dent, John Chew Thomas, William Craik, George Baer, Samuel Smith, Gabriel Christie, Joshua Seney and John Dennis, Esquires, are duly elected representatives of this state in the congress of the United States.

Given in council, at the city of Annapolis, under the seal of the state of Maryland, this eighteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight.

JOHN HENRY.

By the Governor,

NINIAN PINKNEY, clerk

of the governor and council.

ORDERED, That the foregoing proclamation be published in the Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis; the Eastern, George-town, Frederick town, and one of the Baltimore papers, once in each week, for the space of four weeks successively.

By order,

NINIAN PINKNEY.

Forty Dollars Reward.

RAN away, on the 17th of February, from the subscriber's plantation, five miles from Annapolis, a negro man named HARRY, he is 5 feet 2 or 3 inches high, strong made, bow legs, and very black; had on an osnabrig shirt, nankeen pantaloons, with strings, coarse cloth short coat, much worn, and coarse hat half worn; he had my leave to go to see his wife who then lived at the college in Annapolis, but she has since gone to Upper-Marlborough, where she has all her family, by the name of CHUBB, or CHURK, the mother's name is Peggy Chubb, and herself Baiter, she has several sisters and brothers in Prince-George's county, particularly in town; it is supposed he is harboured by them, or may be furnished with a pass by them. I bought the said negro from Mr. Hammond, at the iron works, who had him of Mr. Lawson, on the turnpike road, two or three miles from Baltimore, where he has a brother and sister, and one sister free in Baltimore by the name of Suke. Whoever will take up and secure said fellow, so that I get him again, shall receive TWENTY DOLLARS if taken within this state, and if out of the state the above reward, including what the law allows, paid by J. F. LEFEBRE.

I will give a generous reward to any person or persons who can bring proof against those who conceal him so that they be brought to justice.

October 29, 1798.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of WILLIAM WYVIL, deceased, are requested to bring them in, legally authenticated, that they may be paid, and those indebted to said estate are desired to make immediate payment, to

THOMAS M'NEIR, Administrator de bonis non to WILLIAM WYVIL.

Annapolis, October 29, 1798.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of SARAH WYVIL, deceased, are desired to bring them in, legally proved, and those indebted are requested to make immediate payment; as I am anxious to settle the estate no indulgence can be given.

THOMAS M'NEIR, Administrator of SARAH WYVIL.

Annapolis, October 29, 1798.

Thirty Dollars Reward.

I WILL give the above reward for apprehending the following negroes, and securing them in goal, so that I may get them, WILL, about sixty years of age, of a dark complexion, and five, six ten or eleven inches high. TOM, about thirty six or seven years of age, a dark mulatto, about six feet high, and well proportioned, and BETTY, a likely dark mulatto girl, about seventeen years of age; the last two call themselves THOMAS, and all of them have been frequently seen in Annapolis, where I have reasons to suppose they now are. The above reward shall be paid for apprehending the said negroes, or ten dollars for either of them, and reasonable charges if brought home. All persons are forewarned from harbouring them at their peril.

JAMES MORRIS.

Charles county, September 25, 1798.

THIS is to give notice, I intend, in petition the next general assembly of this state for the benefit of an act to relieve me of debts I am at present unable to pay.

JOHN R. BRYCE.