

following is a rude outline of a new threshing machine, which is announced in Dr. Andarson's 'Recreation of Agriculture, Natural History, and Miscellaneous Literature,' lately imported by Mr. Young. It is invented by John Palmer, of Maxtack, near Colehill, Warwickshire.

The machine may be worked by one or two horses, in circumstances direct, but will never require more than also be set in motion by any other equivalent power, used for working machinery. Twenty-four sheaves of wheat, each one yard in circumference, may be threshed in the space of five minutes; and it will answer equally well for all other kinds of grain. The straw and grain are completely separated when delivered from the machine, and the former is less injured than when threshed by a flail; wheat straw may be bound up for thatching or carrying to market with as much ease as when performed in the common method. No additional building will be necessary, as the machine may be erected in any barn of ordinary size; the space necessary for it to stand on is about three feet by eight, and nine feet high. The horses work out of the barn, and the circle they make in turning is about 24 feet in diameter. The machine may be moved to different barns at a trifling expence, except a small part of the frame, which must be stationary.

June 18.

The following extract from the journal of Mr. Andrew Ellicott's voyage down the river Ohio, in the month of November, 1796, is calculated to throw much light upon the origin of the yellow fever.

November 15th.

"Arrived at Gallipolis, about 11 o'clock, in the morning. The village is a few miles below the mouth of the great Kanaway on the west side of the Ohio river and situated on a fine high bank; it is inhabited by a number of miserable French families. Many of the inhabitants this season fell victims to the yellow fever—the mortal cases were generally attended with the black vomiting. This disorder certainly originated in the town and in all probability from the filthiness of the inhabitants, added to an unusual quantity of animal and vegetable putrefaction in a number of small ponds and marshes within the village.

"The fever could not have been taken there from the Atlantic States, as my boat was the first that descended the river after the fall of the waters in the spring—Neither could it have been taken from New-Orleans, as there is no communication at that season of the year up the river, from the latter to the former of those places; moreover the distance is so great, that a boat would not have time to ascend the river after the disorder appeared that year in New-Orleans, before the winter would set in."

June 19.

Extract of a letter from Messrs. Berranger and company, dated Surinam, 12th April, 1800; consignees of the ship Brothers, of Philadelphia.

"The governor has granted all neutrals to take produce to England, on account of the scarcity of vessels; and they have paid no more outward duties than national ships. We have been obliged to give security for two thousand pounds sterling, in order that the ship may not enter an enemy's port, (but in case of capture.) You will therefore forward by the first opportunity, certificates of her landing the cargo in a British port."

Extract of a letter from David M. Clarkson, Esquire, dated St. Kitts, 17th May, 1800, to the owners of the ship Brothers.

"I have to inform you with great concern, of the ship Brothers, Moses Hawkins, master, being here with a very valuable cargo from Surinam, bound to London; and has been seized here with three other neutral vessels; for having acted contrary to act of parliament, in taking the produce of the colonies, which is not permitted but in British ships, and navigating according to law."

Extract from judge Cain's charge to the grand jury of Chatham county, Georgia.

Error, being in a great or less degree the companion and constant attendant on human transactions, it behooves us to correct rather than torture it into corruption. There are some who view the affairs of government through such a hazy medium, that all things appearing to others there are who think that it is proper, and the essence of public duty, to submit to oppression so long as its weight can be sustained, and a third class, who examine public proceedings, with an eye of scrutiny, compare the conduct of those in office with the powers delegated to them by the constitution; and when they discover errors, speak of them with manly firmness, but at the same time with respect.

Let it be our duty, well to consider under which of these classes it is most eligible to rank ourselves; if it is the first, it will disclose an ignorance, too gross to be acknowledged; if the second, we have more cause to regret than of being stigmatized as publicans; the third will secure to us domestic and national happiness, and place our character as a nation in a situation fully enviable. It is, however, not enough that we should think the last line of conduct the most proper to be adopted, but let our actions evidence our disposition in this regard.

BALTIMORE, June 20.

We hope the press to announce the arrival of the brig Sally, Captain Hamilton, of this port, 13 days from St. Thomas. While getting under way from said island, a schooner arrived in at day from Boat-Louise, who said that the American commissioners had accomplished the object of their mission. Some extracts shall be given in our next from St. Vincent, and Grenada papers, of the 10th ult.

(H. Washington, (D.C.) Mirror.)

Died lately at Woolwich in England Mr. Bartlett, a superannuated carpenter of the navy, though in perfect health, he confined himself to his room for 23 years; he wore nothing during this period but a mourning gown, he did not make use of either fire or candle, never read or amused himself in any manner, and would suffer no person to see him, except his relations where he lived; neither his hair nor nails were cut, nor his face shaved for the above time; before he died his hair reached the floor, and was so matted together, from not being combed; that it was as hard and as firm as a board; his nails were about one inch longer than his fingers; curved like a parrot's bill.

THIS is to give notice, that the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Charles county, in Maryland, letters of administration de bonis non, on the personal estate of JOSHUA STEWART, late of Charles county, deceased, all persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the 14th day of January next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 17th day of June, one thousand eight hundred.

HENRY STEWART, Admr. D. B. N.

WE, the subscribers, having obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. ELIZABETH MACKUBIN, late of the city of Annapolis, deceased, do require all persons having claims against the said deceased to exhibit them, properly authenticated, for payment, and those who are indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscribers.

JAMES MACKUBIN, } Adminisr.
RICHARD MACKUBIN, } uators.

June 24, 1800.

By order of the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be SOLD at PUBLIC SALE, on Monday the 7th July next, on the premises, THE houses and lots in the city of Annapolis, late the property of JAMES RINGOLD, consisting of two large brick dwelling-houses, with stables and other necessary buildings, and five wooden tenements, near the church, with four unimproved water lots; the whole to be sold for CASH. At the same time will be sold, one spinet, one old chariot and harness, one sulkey and harness, one coach and a negro man, the property of Wm. Whetcroft, deceased.

WILLIAM WHETCROFT, Adm'r.

NOTICE is hereby given to such persons that are owing officers fees for the year 1799, that it will be necessary for them to prepare the money to settle such accounts by the tenth day of August next, as indulgence after that day will not be given, and as there is a very considerable sum due me for officers fees for the year 1798, also for poundage fees for serving of cafas and laying of fitri facias, it is therefore necessary to prepare the money to discharge said accounts immediately, for all persons owing such accounts will be executed when called on again if they are not prepared for settlement.

JOHN WELCH, Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

June 17, 1800.

TO the VOTERS of ANNE-ARUNDEL COUNTY.

I LONG ago determined to offer myself a candidate for the office of sheriff, at the ensuing election, in case district elections should be established; that just and convenient mode of election having at length prevailed, I am encouraged by my friends to persevere in the determination, and to solicit your suffrages. A long acquaintance with the duties of the office justifies me in saying, that if elected it shall be my constant endeavour and study to discharge the trust with diligence, impartiality, and fidelity.

NICHOLAS WATKINS, Elk-Ridge.

June 12, 1800.

THE creditors of MOSES MACCUBBIN, an insolvent debtor, are requested to meet at the sheriff's office, in Annapolis, on the fifth day of July next, in order to receive their dividend that hath arisen from the sale of said Maccubbin's property, agreeable to law.

JOHN WELCH, Trustee agreeable to act of assembly.

June 17, 1800.

Mr. Guichard

RETURNS his thanks to those who have favoured him with their custom to tune the PRANO FORTE and HARPICHOORD which were intrusted to him, he will attend them every week, and pay the greatest attention to them.

Mr. Guichard informs the ladies of this city, that he will teach embroidery and drawing. Apply at his lodging, at Mr. Claude's.

Sixty Dollars Reward.

RAN away on the 9th instant, from the subscriber, living in Prince-George's county, a negro man named CHARLES; he is about 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high, is bow legged, has a full round face, and is rather of a light black or brown complexion. The above reward will be paid for securing this fellow in any goal, so that he is recovered, and reasonable charges, if brought home.

OSBORN SPRIGG.

June 16, 1800.

HENRY THOMPSON, Cabinet and Chair-Maker, Francis-street, Annapolis.

HAVING commenced business in this city, respectfully informs his friends, and the public generally, that he has laid in a quantity of the best materials for carrying on the above business, and flatters himself, from the experience he has had in the different branches, to be able to execute his work in a neat, fashionable manner, with punctuality and dispatch, and hopes by a steady application to business, to merit the patronage of a generous public.

N. B. Orders from the country will be thankfully received, and punctually attended to.

June 19, 1800.

TAKEN up at a Hay by the subscriber, living on Elk Ridge, near Hdgr. Drummond's tavern, a bright bay HORSE, ten years of age, with rather clumsy, and is dull, branded on the near shoulder T.P. has several saddle marks, a small star in his forehead, has had a recent sore on his back, his two hind feet white, shod lately, has a long tail, he is about 14 hands high, and is lengthy to his height. The owner is desired to prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

NOAH DUVALL.

THIS is to give notice, that the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, in the State of Maryland, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of ZACHARIAH HOWS, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, all persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the first day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 10th day of June, 1800.

SAMUEL BUSEY, Administrator.

Notice is hereby given, TO all persons having claims against the estate of JOHN BULLEN, late of the city of Annapolis, deceased, to appear on the first day of July next, at Mr. WILLIAM CATON'S tavern, in the said city, between the hours of ten and twelve, A. M. with their claims against the deceased, properly authenticated, at which time the assets then in hand will be divided among, and paid to, the several creditors of the deceased, in such proportion and manner as the law directs.

THOMAS JENINGS, Administrator with the will annexed.

Annapolis, May 14, 1800.

Received by the last arrivals from LONDON and LIVERPOOL, A GENERAL assortment of seasonable GOODS, among which are, silks and sein twine, all of which the subscriber offers for sale, on the lowest terms, for cash, or on the usual credit to his punctual customers.

JAMES MACKUBIN.

June 4, 1800.

Will be SOLD, to the HIGHEST BIDDER, on Friday the 1st day of August next, THE subscriber's plantation, whereon he now dwelleth, within one mile and a half of Upper-Marlborough, sixteen of the Federal City, and sixteen to Alexandria, supposed to contain 345 acres; there are on the premises, a very convenient house, with all the necessary buildings, in good repair, a new and well enclosed yard and garden, with a variety of excellent fruit of almost every kind, two valuable meadows, and a sufficiency of timber and wood to support the land. A further description is thought unnecessary, as those who wish to purchase may first view the property. The terms of sale are, one third of the money, with interest, to be paid on the first day of December next, one-third, with interest on the whole, on the first day of October, 1801, and the balance on the first day of October, 1802. Bonds, with good security, will be required. On the same day, and on the same terms as above, will be offered for sale, a lot containing 15 acres, more or less, on which is erected one of the best fixed distilleries probably in this state, with stills and every thing necessary to commence the business immediately.

COLMORE BEANS.

P. S. I will treat privately for the above property at any time before the day of sale.

Prince-George's county, Maryland, May 27, 1800.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, near the mouth of Seneca, Montgomery county, on Saturday night the 7th inst. a negro man named BOB, between 30 and 40 years of age, about 5 feet 4 inches high, has an impediment in his speech, lean face, moves but slow, and carries himself very staid; he has a very grim look; had on when he went away a pair of linen trousers and shirt, a pair of old shoes, an old hat, and green round jacket, and carried with him a blanket, one pair of trousers, and two old shirts. Whoever takes up said negro, and secures him in goal, so that I get him again, shall receive the above reward, and reasonable charges, if brought home; paid by

PETER BOWIE.

N. B. All masters of vessels and others are forewarned harbouring or carrying off said fellow, at their peril.

June 9, 1800.