

tutions, which have been the source of such real felicity, and resist with unabating perseverance, the progress of those dangerous innovations, which may diminish their influence.

To your patriotism, gentlemen, has been confided the honourable duty of guarding the public interests, and while the past is to your country, a sure pledge that it will be faithfully discharged, permit me to assure you, that your labours to promote the general happiness, will receive from me the most zealous co-operation.

JOHN ADAMS.

The following are the returns of the elections for electors of president and vice-president for the First district.

Edmund Plowden 1114, John Fitzhugh 67.  
John Stone 1.

Second district.  
Francis Deskins 1669, Thomas Duckett 781.  
David Crawford 8, Thomas Turner 1.

Fourth district.  
Martin Kerfshner 1351, Elie Williams 1342.  
Tenth district.

Littleton Dennis 826, William Polk 5.  
Returns from the ninth district are not yet complete, but we are informed W. M. Robinson is elected.

### Negroes for Sale.

SEVERAL negro women, with their children, consisting of boys and girls, from three to twelve years old, to be sold in families. Inquire of the subscriber, near Pig Point, Anne-Arundel county.

SAMUEL HARRISON.

November 25, 1800.

THERE is at the plantation of Mr. PATRICK MACGILL, taken up as a stray, a bay HORSE, about 13 or 14 years old, 13 hands high, not branded, some saddle spots, and a pair of old shoes on. The owner is desired to come and take him away.

WILLIAM MESSER, Overfeer.

Elk-Ridge, November 1, 1800.

COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, on the 29th of October last, a negro man named ALLEN, of a dark complexion, about 21 years of age, and 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, who says he is the property of a Mr. JOHN SIMMS, of South Carolina, and formerly the property of capt. Thomas Rogerson, of this county. His owner is desired to come and take him away, otherwise he will be sold according to law.

THOMAS PRICE, Sheriff

Charles county.

November 15, 1800.

THE subscriber hereby forewarns all persons from hunting, or trespassing in any manner whatever, on HILL'S DELIGHT, near Annapolis, as he is determined to put the law in force against all such offenders.

JOSEPH LEONARD.

November 11, 1800.

### NOTICE.

I INTEND to apply to the next March court, of St. Mary's county, for a commission to issue to mark and bound two tracts of land, called NOTLEY HALL and NEIGHBOURHOOD, lying in said county, agreeably to an act of assembly, entitled, An act for marking and bounding lands.

JOSEPH HALL.

Montgomery county, November 17, 1800.

### NOTICE.

Will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE, on Monday the 15th day of December next, for READY CASH, if fair, if not the first fair day, and continue until all is sold,

ALL the property of Charles Mankin, of Charles county, consisting of three LOTS, lying in Charles-town, commonly called Port-Tobacco, adjoining the court-house square, whereon stands two very good boarded houses, one of which rents for one hundred and fifty pounds per year, the other for twenty-five pounds per year; three other lots in said town, lying on the Point, adjoining each other, which afford a most beautiful view of the creek and warehouses; also about one hundred acres of swamp land, covered with timber of all kinds, a deal of which is calculated for ship building; also a number of country born slaves, of all ages and sizes, men, women, boys and girls, horses, black cattle, and household furniture. This property is sold to discharge my just debts, &c. &c. Those who may think proper to purchase may be assured to receive good titles to the whole or any part, on the payment of the cash. A note from Charles Wallace, Esq; in Annapolis, or William Cooke, Esq; in Baltimore-town, will be taken in discharge of any purchase that may be made.

CHARLES MANKIN.

November 3, 1800.

THE partnership of RIDGELY and EVANS having this day been dissolved by mutual consent, all persons having claims against said firm are requested to present them to JOSEPH EVANS, who is duly authorized to receive and pay all debts due to and from said firm; those indebted to the firm aforesaid, by notes or bonds, are requested to make payment, and those indebted on open account are desired to call and pay the same, or give their notes or bonds, with security, if required, on or before the first day of January, 1801.

RIDGELY and EVANS.

September 13, 1800.

### JOSEPH EVANS,

Takes this method to inform the public, and his friends in particular, that he has commenced business in the store-house lately occupied by RIDGELY and EVANS, where he now OFFERS for SALE.

A VARIETY of GOODS,

Suitable to the present season, Amongst which are,

**SUPERFINE**, second and coarse broad clothes.

Double milled drab of a superior quality.

Superfine and coarse coatings.

Best Flushings, fashion-casimers.

Green baizes, searoughts and halfstuffs.

Mixed plains, white kerseys.

Welch plains, flannels, striped & rose blankets.

Velvets, fancy cords, thicksets, corduroys & fustians.

Silk velvets, and swandowns.

Striped bed tickings & apron checks.

Moreens, tamboreens & Joans.

Durants, calimancoes & wildbores.

Bombazeens & bombazets.

Lucesstrings, sattins and pelongs.

Modes and saracenet.

Striped sattin florentines.

Ladies Morocco and stuff shoes.

Womens and mens silk, cotton & worsted hote.

Girls and boys cotton and worsted ditto.

Mens & boys coarse yarn, fulled, worsted gloves and stockings.

Ladies habit, kid and extra long white and coloured silk gloves.

Mens buck, died doe, drawn tanned, beaver, and white silk, ditto.

Mens and boys fine and coarse hats.

Irish linens, diapers, and diaper table cloths.

Ruffia & Irish sheetings.

Ruffia drillings.

Brown and white roles.

Brown hempen linen, and best ticklenburgs.

Bandanno, crofs barred, & black Barcelona, silk handkerchiefs.

Stamped linen and cotton ditto.

Purple shawls, chintz, muslin, and camel's hair ditto.

An handsome assortment of muslins and muslin handkerchiefs.

### ALSO GROCERIES, viz.

Best hyson, hyson-skin, fouchong & congo teas.

Loaf and brown sugars.

Coffee, chocolate, soap & fig-blue.

Candles, pepper, nutmegs alspice.

A variety of the neatest & most fashionable calicoes and chintzes.

Ribands, galoon bindings, and ferrets.

Ounce, coloured & onabrigs threads.

Best shoe do. in balls.

Fine thread edgings, and writing paper, testaments and spelling books.

Ink powder, wafers and quills.

Black lead pencils, almanacks.

Leather and Morocco pocket books.

Tooth, cloth, and scrubbing brushes.

Hair brooms & seives.

Cowhide & plated whips.

Ladies tortoiseshell and crooked horn combs.

Coarse horn, ivory, and barber's ditto.

Best gunpowder, patent shot, and gun flints.

Castor oil, in quart bottles.

Glauber salts, best red barks.

Table knives and forks.

Pocket and best penknives.

Butchers, oyster, and pruning ditto.

Razors and scissers, assorted.

Elegant japaned tea trays, and waiters.

Curry combs and horse brushes.

Wood saws & brass pins.

Locks of various kinds.

Hinges assorted, spades, and frying-pans.

Japaned, flat and short brass candlesticks.

Sprigs assorted.

4d, 8d, 10d, 12d, & 20d, flat pointed nails.

Patent iron tea kettles, & irons.

Shovels and tongs.

Iron pots, Dutch ovens, and stoves.

China and glass ware.

Green and blue edged dithes and plates.

White ditto.

Wash bowls and pitchers, &c. &c.

Large and small brown stone jars and jugs

8 by 10 and 10 by 12 Bohemia window glais.

By the COMMITTEE of GRIEVANCES and COURTS of JUSTICE.

THE COMMITTEE of GRIEVANCES and COURTS of JUSTICE will sit every day, during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the evening.

By order,

RICHARD K. WATTS, Clk.

By the COMMITTEE of CLAIMS.

THE COMMITTEE of CLAIMS will sit every day, during the present session, from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

By order,

A. GOLDBER, Clk.

NOTICE is hereby given to persons indebted for taxes in Allegany county, that Mr. JOHN SIMKINS, now in the city of Annapolis, is authorized to receive them, and if not paid by the 25th instant, the lands will be advertised and sold for the payment thereof, agreeably to law.

WILLIAM M'MAHON, Collector of Allegany county.

November 5, 1800.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the next general assembly of Maryland for an act of insolvency.

RICHARD T. CHESELDINE.

October, 1800.

### Thirty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in Prince-George's county, on the 10th instant, a negro man named CÆSAR, about 21 years old, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, of a yellowish complexion, and has a very wild look when spoken to, he has a large scar on the back of his left hand, and has had a cut across the last joint of the fore finger of the right hand, a slope in the back of the hand, which has left a very large scar, and caused the finger to be stiff; his cloaths are uncertain. Whoever will secure said negro in any goal in the state of Maryland, shall receive the above reward, and SIXTY DOLLARS if taken out of the aforesaid state, and it brought home all reasonable charges.

ARNOLD WATERS.

N. B. All masters of vessels, and other persons, are forewarned harbouring or carrying off said negro at their peril.

### Forty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, on the 19th of October last, negro JACOB, 35 years of age, about 6 feet high, smooth face, high forehead, his wool growing in a peak leaves his temples bare, speaks low and rather hoarse; had on and took with him when he went away, a brownish cotton coat, a blue coarse short coat with metal buttons, old breeches, osnabrg shirt, and a match coat blanket; his Sunday apparel, a purple cloth coat with rimmed buttons, nankeen breeches, mixed worsted stockings, and half boots; he professes to be a Methodist, and has been in the practice of preaching of nights; it is expected he is harbouring about the city of Annapolis, West river, South river, South river Neck, or Queen-Anne, as he has a wife at Miss Murdoch's. Whoever takes up and secures said fellow in any goal, so that I get him again, shall receive the above reward, paid by

THOMAS GIBBS, living near Queen-Anne.

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

March 7, 1800.

### Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, on the 28th of September last, a stout well made mulatto fellow, by the name of NED, he is about 23 or 24 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, with straight black hair like that of a white person; he had on when he went away, an osnabrig shirt and trousers, and a short white kersey coat, he also took with him some other cloaths. Whoever takes up the said fellow, and secures him in any goal in the state of Maryland, so that I get him again, shall receive the above reward, with all reasonable charges, and if taken out of the state aforesaid, and brought home, shall receive ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS, with reasonable charges, by applying to the subscriber, living near the Head of Severn river, in Anne-Arundel county, in the State of Maryland.

P. HAMMOND.

N. B. All persons are forewarned harbouring the said fellow on their peril.

October 9, 1800.

### Twenty Dollars Reward:

RAN away from the goal in Annapolis, the 23d instant, a negro man named JACK, about 40 years of age, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, stout made, dark complexion, has a high forehead; had on a brown cloth coat, and old overalls, has been a petitioner for freedom, when the property of JOHN WATKINS, who I purchased him of the day before he broke goal. Whoever takes up said negro, and gives notice or brings him to EDWARD ROBERTS, in Annapolis, or secures him in any goal, so that I get him again, shall receive the above reward, and all reasonable expences, paid by me

SAMUEL HUNTER.

N. B. I have since heard that he has lost part of out of his ears.

October 24, 1800.

IN consequence of a series of commercial losses, which prudence could neither foresee nor prevent, I shall apply to the next general assembly of Maryland for a special act of insolvency.

JOHN ATKINS BURFORD.

October 4, 1800.

I DO hereby give notice, that I shall petition the general assembly of Maryland, at their next session, for an act to have the tobacco warehouse at Coles, in St. Mary's county, with the ground on which it stands, or so much as will be necessary for public uses, to be taken for the use of the public, and the value thereof ascertained, with the disadvantages of the roads leading thereto through my land.

August 8, 1800. MICHAEL FENWICK.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to petition the next general assembly of Maryland, to obtain the benefit of an act of insolvency to release me from debts which I am unable to pay. Ill health, and a series of misfortunes, alone urge me to adopt this measure.

WILLIAM SPRIGG BOWIE.

Prince-George's county, October 8, 1800.