

was to sail for this country immediately after the ratification of the treaty.

March 23.

A letter from Surinam, dated the 2d Feb. 1801, says, "About ten days since, four French frigates, of 44 guns, and two corvettes of 22, had sailed and landed 1800 troops from Europe, at Cayenne; and brought in with them the English sloop of war Swallow, of 18 guns, and 17 English and Portuguese vessels, laden with provisions, cloathing, guns, &c. for the British forces in the West-Indies! besides a large amount in money. Victor Hugues has accordingly sent here to know if there were any French prisoners to be exchanged for those taken."

[Boston Chronicle.]

A gentleman who arrived at Boston on Friday the 13th instant, from St. Thomas's, via Vineyard, informs, that a squadron of five sail of British vessels was cruising off that island, expecting orders to capture it.

A Salem paper says, "flour is now at the high price of fifteen dollars a barrel in this market. If the exportation of this article continues free, bread, before the next crop, will be too expensive for common use."

NORFOLK, March 16.

On Saturday evening last we experienced the severest gust of wind that has happened for a long time. Though its duration was but a few minutes, yet the damage sustained in this neighbourhood has been very great. The warehouse on Town-Point, owned by Mr. R. E. Lee, was blown down, a house in Bermuda-street, the property of the heirs of Mr. John Archer, was unroofed, and otherwise considerably injured; the gable end of the new fire proof house belonging to Messrs. J. and W. Bennett, was blown down, and other damage done to different houses. The Danish brig Swift, was blown from her moorings at Hutchings's wharf and totally dismantled. Every vessel in the harbour dragged their anchors: and had the gale continued longer the consequences would have been very distressing—the pinnacle of the Chesapeake frigate, was upset and sunk—an eastern shore schooner bound home from Norfolk, was upset off Tanner's creek, and four persons drowned.

BALTIMORE, March 27.

PHILADELPHIA, March 24.

Extract of a letter from New-York to the editor of the Gazette of the United States.

"This morning arrived in this city, captain Woodham, of the ship Liberty, from Liverpool; captain W. furnishes London papers to February 9.

"I have seen the London Courier of the 9th February, wherein it is positively stated that Mr. Pitt, Mr. Dundas, Mr. Windham, and earl Spencer have resigned; and that Mr. Addington, speaker of the house of commons, Mr. Bellamy, Sir John Milford, and the earl of Westmoreland succeed them. These are all the particular friends of Mr. Pitt.

"A letter dated London, Feb. 10th, states, that owing to the immense influx of grain, the scarcity had ceased, and a considerable fall was daily expected to take place. Three thousand barrels of flour were, however, sold on the 7th, at 85 shillings, and wheat is quoted on the 4th, at 24 shillings the bushel.

"The earl of Fife, stated, in the house of lords, that he could no longer support the ministry, and some members of the house of commons are said to have made similar declarations."

One hundred acres of land for sale.

By virtue of a decree of the honourable the Chancellor of Maryland, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on Monday the 13th day of April next, at 11 o'clock, on the premises, on a credit of six and twelve months, the purchaser giving bonds, with approved securities, with interest from the day of sale,

ONE hundred acres, part of a tract of LAND called WORTHINGTON'S BEGINNING, situate and lying in Anne-Arundel county, adjoining major Philip Hammonds land, and the intersection of the road (at Rummels) leading from Carroll's Manor and Montgomery county to Annapolis, whereon might be erected a tavern, in a very advantageous situation. The whole of this land is in wood, and heavily timbered, consisting of oak, hickory, chestnut, and a very great proportion of valuable pine, which might be converted into very excellent plank and scantling at a small expence, having the advantage of several saw mills in the neighbourhood, and the convenience of navigable water within six miles to a good market. The subscriber presumes, from the above advantages and superior soil, there needs nothing more be said in favour of this valuable property, as it no doubt will call forth the attention of those inclined to purchase to view it previous to the day of sale. The above property may be seen by applying to Mr. THOMAS CROSS, living near the premises.

BENJAMIN HALL MULLIKIN, Trustee.

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 testamentary on the personal estate of JAMES GAITHER, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber at or before the ninth day of September next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 1st day of April, 1801.

PATIENCE GAITHER, Executrix of James.

I WILL sell or rent the HOUSE in which I now reside, in Charles-street, in Annapolis; the house is large, convenient, and in good repair, with stables, carriage house, meat house, milk house, &c. There is a large garden, and a clover lot, containing together upwards of two acres. The paling of the garden is lately repaired, and it is at present in a handsome state of cultivation. A sale will be made either for cash or on a long credit, as the purchaser may choose.

I have also a few articles of household furniture, and some office book-cases and desks.

WILLIAM KILTY,

March 31, 1801.

In CHANCERY March 31, 1801.

ORDERED, That the sale made by RICHARD HALL HARWOOD, trustee for the sale of the real estate of SAMUEL SHEKELLS, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, shall be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn on or before the fifth day of May next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Maryland Gazette before the tenth day of April next, and continued the two following weeks. The said sale was of part of a tract of land in Anne-Arundel county, called SHEKELL'S CHANCE, supposed to contain 164½ acres, to John Waring, for the sum of £.398 12 2½, current money.

Test. SAMUEL H. HOWARD,

Reg. Cur. Can.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his fellow-citizens, that having taken out licence as auctioneer, and given security agreeably to law, he is now ready to receive goods and other articles for public sale, and that they may count upon his utmost endeavours to give them satisfaction.

ROBERT ISABELL.

Annapolis, March 31, 1801.

To be SOLD,

ABOUT 250 acres of LAND, part of Anne-Arundel Manor, situated on the river Patuxent, convenient to the best shad and herring fisheries. The title indisputable. The land will be shewn to any person applying to Mr. WILLIAM TILLARD, to whom it joins. For terms apply to

THOMAS TILLARD.

P. S. I have for sale 50 hogsheds of good Upper Patuxent tobacco, and will take in payments, for all debts due, tobacco at market price.

T. T.

March 20, 1801.

JOHN THOMPSON,

Tailor,

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public, that he has commenced business in this city, in the house occupied by Mr. WILLIAM BREWER,—those who may please to favour him with their custom, may rest assured of having it executed in the most neat and fashionable manner.

Annapolis, March 25, 1801.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in Prince-George's county, near Queen-Anne-town, on Saturday night, the 14th inst. a dark mulatto man, named HARRY, a shoe-maker by trade, aged thirty-six years, about six feet high, rather spare made, a remarkable suit of hair when combed out, a very complaisant fellow when spoken to; took with him various cloathing, his shoe-makers tools, and a large black dog, with his tail cut. Whoever takes up said fellow, and brings him to the subscriber, if within ten miles shall receive TEN DOLLARS, if twenty miles TWENTY DOLLARS, forty miles FORTY DOLLARS, and if out of the state ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

March 17, 1801. THOMAS LYLES.

ON the 22d instant, two negro men, sentenced to the wheel barrow, broke out of gaol, assisted no doubt by some evil disposed person or persons; they are thinly clothed, one of them who is called MOSES, is a low set fellow, dark complexion, about thirty years of age; the other called GEORGE, about twenty-five years of age, a tall slender made fellow. Whoever will secure the aforesaid negroes, so that I get them again, shall receive as a compensation for their trouble the sum of SIXTEEN DOLLARS, one half for either of them, and an additional reward of FIVE DOLLARS will be given to any one who will inform of those that assisted the negroes in breaking the gaol, so that such base conduct may be handled with rigour.

NATHAN SMITH, Sheriff of Calvert county.

February 24, 1801.

COMMITTED to my custody, the following RUNAWAYS, on the 25th of February last, JEM BOWLING, a mulatto man, about twenty-two years of age, five feet six or seven inches high, his cloathing is an old blue jacket and trousers, osnabrig shirt, old shoes and stockings, and says that he belongs to LAFRET LAWFEY, in the state of New-York. ROBERT JACKSON, a black man, about twenty years of age, five feet eight or nine inches high, his cloathing is a blue over jacket, striped swan down under ditto, blue cloth trousers, osnabrig shirt, old shoes and stockings, and says he belongs to JEREMIAH JOHNSON, in the state of New-York. Their masters are hereby requested to take them away and pay their fees and other expences, or they will be sold agreeable to law, by

HENRY HOWARD, Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

March 14, 1801.

Fifteen Dollars Reward.

RAN away from Dr. WILLIAM BREWER, living in Montgomery county, the 31st of December, 1800, a negro man named WILLOUGHBY, about thirty-six years of age, five feet five or six inches high, his cloathing unknown to me, though he may have several suits, as he is a very drestly blade, his skin rather black, and his wool very short, he has a pleasant countenance until attacked, and smooth tongue; he has upon the back of his right hand a scar, occasioned by a burn, and a small scar on the corner of his left eye, and his toes turn out much. Whoever will take up said runaway, and secure him in gaol, so that his master gets him again, shall receive the above reward, paid by

WILLIAM BREWER, sen. living in Anne-Arundel county, South river, near Annapolis.

All persons are forewarned harbouring or entertaining said negro, or concealing him, and all masters of vessels, and others, are forewarned taking him on board their vessels, or carrying said negro off at their peril, if they do the law shall be put in full force against them, or him.

W. B.

COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, on the 2d instant, a negro man who calls himself JOHN CARTER, and says he is free, but has no pass, he appears to be about thirty years of age, five feet four or five inches high, dark complexion, slender made, quick spoken, and stammers a little; his dress negro cotton jacket and overalls, coarse shoes and stockings, felt hat, and osnabrig shirt. His master, if any, is desired to take him away, otherwise he will be sold according to law, for his prison fees, &c.

THOMAS PRICE, Sheriff of Charles county.

March 14, 1801.

By virtue of several writs of *venditioni exponas* and *feri facias* to us directed from the general and county courts, will be SOLD, at Elk-Ridge Landing, on Saturday the 11th day of April next, at 12 o'clock, for ready money,

THE following tracts or parcels of Land, SAMPSON'S BEGINNING, and part of WALKER'S INHERITANCE, 284½ acres, ADDITION to SAMPSON, 104 acres, part of MEADOWS, 110 acres, HENDERSON'S meadows, 85 acres, GODMAN'S SEARCH, 111 acres, TIMBER NECK, 28 acres, YOUNG'S LOCUST PLAINS, 150 acres, and ADDITION to SOMETHING or OTHER, 18 acres.—The above is taken as the property of SAMUEL GODMAN to satisfy debts due the following persons, viz. The state of Maryland, John Johnson, Esq; Francis T. Clements, Lewis Duvall, John Lusby, and Zachariah and Lewis Duvall.

JOHN WELCH, late sheriff, HENRY HOWARD, sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

March 11, 1801.

THIS is to give notice, that we have obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county letters testamentary on the estate of JOSEPH BOTTS, late of the said county, deceased, therefore all persons who have claims against the said estate are requested to bring in the same, legally authenticated, and those in any manner indebted to make immediate payment, to

JAMES NEALE, and DANIEL MAHONEY, } Executors.

ALEXANDER WELSH, Clock and Watch-maker,

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Annapolis, that he has just removed from Baltimore to this city, to carry on the above business. He assures the public, that every exertion will be used to deserve their favours.

He repairs clocks and watches of every description. N. B. Warranted watches, and some fashionable articles in the jewellery line, for sale.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

BROKE gaol on Saturday night the 21st instant, a negro man by the name of JEM, about 38 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 8 inches high, has a down look, and very remarkable scars or marks on his legs and thighs; had on a round blue jacket and trousers, very ragged and dirty. Whoever takes up said negro, and secures him in Anne-Arundel county gaol, shall receive TEN DOLLARS, and if out of the county the above reward, paid by

HENRY HOWARD, Sheriff, or BENJAMIN DARNALL.

February 25, 1801.

Western Shore of Maryland.

GENERAL COURT, OCTOBER TERM, 1799.

ORDERED by the Court, That in all cases where rules are laid to declare, or to plead, such declarations or pleadings be filed by the tenth of April and the tenth of September respectively next following the term at which such rule was laid; and that all alterations and amendments of plots, made under warrants of resurvey issued from this court, be made and returnable the tenth of April and tenth of September respectively next following the term at which leave shall be given to add to or amend any such plot.

JOHN GWINN, Ck.

NEW CONVERSATION CARDS,

In Prose and Verse—For sale at this Office