

land by the latter. The national government is to pay to the said state D. 1,250,000 out of the first net proceeds of the sale of any part of said lands. The U. S. is authorized to appropriate [if the law for that purpose is passed within a limited time] "A portion of said lands, not exceeding 5,000,000 of acres, or the proceeds of the same, for the purpose of satisfying, quieting or compensating for any claims [besides certain ones specifically provided for in the agreement] which may be made to the said lands." Six months are allowed the legislature of Georgia to decide on this agreement.

May 14.

IMPROVEMENT IN MECHANISM.

Mr. JACOB ALRICHS, an ingenious mechanic of Wilmington, Delaware, has invented a mode of constructing clocks, which promises to be of much utility. Clocks made in this manner will have but six wheels and one pinion; instead of 12 wheels and 6 pinions, which those of the most simple kind now in use have. From the simplicity of their construction, they can be made for about two thirds of the common kind—will require less frequent and less expensive repairs—will keep time better, and be more durable. We understand Mr. Alrichs intends to apply for a patent for the improvement.

May 17.

Arrived brig Spartan, Furlong, 18 days from Cape-Francois. The day previous to the Spartan's leaving port, the report was, that general Le Clerc (that day) had an audience with general Christophe; and that Christophe had capitulated, with the troops under his command, and they were to march into town next day, April 28, to lay down their arms, and deliver themselves up.

The terms of capitulation were not known when the Spartan sailed.

Captains Rogers and Davidson of the ship St. Domingo packet, were still in prison on the 27th April. The reason of which was not known. Left at Cape-Francois, three French 74's and three frigates.

To be RENTED,

THAT commodious dwelling-house, lately occupied by WALTER DULANT, Esq; in this city, to which belongs an excellent garden, out houses, &c. For terms apply to Mr. ADDISON, now in possession of the premises, or to

R. K. WATTS.

Annapolis, May 17, 1802.

NOTICE.

THE clergy and vestries of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in Maryland, are notified according to the constitution of said church, that the next convention thereof, is to be held in Easton, on Wednesday the 9th of June, 1802.

JOSEPH G. J. BEND, Sec'y.

May 13, 1802.

In CHANCERY, May 18, 1802.

ORDERED, That the sales made by JOSEPH WILKINSON, trustee of the real estate of Richard Chew, deceased, shall be ratified and confirmed on the 14th day of June next, unless cause to the contrary be shewn on or before that day, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Maryland Gazette before the 27th instant.

The said sale as follows, 406 acres of land at £. 5, 17 acres at £. 5, 687½ acres at £. 5 5 0, 12½ acres at £. 7 10:

Test. SAMUEL H. HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

French Language and Dancing Academy.

FRANCIS MAURICE, professor of the French language, and dancing, from Rhode-Island, Massachusetts, and New-Hampshire colleges and academies, respectfully informs the ladies and gentlemen of the city of Annapolis, and its vicinity, that he proposes to teach those beautiful and useful accomplishments, if there appears sufficient encouragement.

CONDITIONS:

The French language will be taught twice a week, every Wednesday and Saturday, in the morning, from 8 o'clock till 12, for the ladies, and afternoon for young gentlemen to sun set.

Dancing every Monday and Thursday in the afternoon from 3 o'clock to sun set for the small class, and from sun set to 10 in the evening for the large class.

The price of tuition 10 dollars only each scholar per quarter, 4 to be paid at entrance, and the remainder at the end of the quarter.

N. B. Mr. Maurice recommends Boyer's grammar. Fifteen subscribers to each branch at least, and the tuition will begin immediately.

Subscriptions are lodged at the printing-office. May 19, 1802.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on Monday the 31st instant, if fair, if not the first fair day, at the house of the subscriber, near the Swamp Bridge, in Anne-Arundel county,

ALL the personal estate of PAUL BUCY, late of said county, deceased, consisting of negroes, horses, cattle, hogs, and some household furniture. The sale to commence at 9 o'clock, A. M. and continue till all is sold. Terms of sale ready cash.

JOHN PHIPS, Administrator.

May 11, 1802.

H. HAYDEN, DENTIST,

OFFERS his sincere thanks to the ladies and gentlemen of Annapolis for their generous encouragement during his stay in February, and by his strict attention to delicacy and tenderness, in all operations on the teeth and gums, and the most implicit candour in his advice, he hopes to merit a continuance of theirs and the public's patronage. From the numerous opportunities he has had of proving his abilities in this as well as other towns in this state, he deems it unnecessary to enter into a detail of the operations that come within the line of his profession, the utility of which (when judiciously performed) is too well known to need any comment. Those persons who favoured him with their custom during his former stay, may have their teeth examined gratis, and those who wish to be waited on at their residence will please to send a line, or servant, to him at Mrs. Nixon's boarding house, Corn-hill-street.

May 19, 1802.

In CHANCERY, April 30, 1802.

Elizabeth Alcock, Philip Woolford, James Buchanan, Thomas Buchanan, William Green, Nancy Alcock, Robert Green, and Catherine his wife

against

John Dawson, Sarah Hignetti, Thomas Alford, and Esther his wife, Joseph Coxe, and Elizabeth his wife, William Dawson, Margaret Dawson, Jonas Dawson, Elisha Dawson, Shadrack Dawson, Frederick Dawson, and Joseph Dawson.

THE object of the bill is to obtain a decree for the recording of a deed of bargain and sale from John Dawson, late of Caroline county, in the State of Maryland, to Thomas Alcock, of the same county, for three several tracts of land, in the said county, called RED OAK POINT, NO NAME, and PLEASANT; the bill states, that the said Thomas Alcock, the bargainee in the said deed mentioned, hath departed this life intestate, and that the complainants are his heirs at law, and that the said John Dawson, the bargainer, hath also died intestate, and that the defendants are his heirs at law. Subpoena hath issued against the defendants who have all been summoned, except Thomas Alford, and Esther his wife, William, Jonas and Elisha, Shadrack, Frederick and Joseph Dawson, and it is alleged on the part of the complainants, that those defendants last mentioned reside in the State of Delaware; it is thereupon, and on the motion of the complainants, ordered, that they cause a copy of this order to be inserted three weeks successively, before the end of June next, in the Maryland Gazette, to the intent that the non resident defendants, and all persons claiming, as heirs to the said bargainer, may have notice of the complainants application to this court, and of the substance and object of their bill, and may be warned to appear here, in person, or by a solicitor, on or before the first Tuesday in October next, to shew cause wherefore a decree should not pass as prayed.

True copy, SAMUEL H. HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away the Wednesday after Whitsunday last, a negro boy named HEZ, about nineteen years of age, five feet high, he is a black fellow, and stammers when spoken to; he is an artful villain, and on the left or right shoulder is a mark by a burn when a child; had on when he went away, a long blue coat, a pair of corduroy pantaloons; an osnabrig shirt. I suppose he is harboured by his father who belongs to Walter Clagett, in Anne-Arundel county, near Queen-Anne. Whoever takes up said fellow, and secures him in any goal; so that I may get him again, shall receive the above reward; paid by BENJ. DUVALL, of ELISHA.

N. B. I forewarn all persons from harbouring said fellow on their peril.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors of the late Mrs PEREGRINE BOND, of Saint-Mary's county, deceased, that unless they exhibit their respective claims, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the first day of September next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from any benefit of the said deceased's estate. Given under my hand this 8th day of May, eighteen hundred and two.

ELISHA JOHNSON, Administrator of P. BOND.

COMMITTED to my custody, as a runaway, a negro by the name of WILLIAM BERBECK, who says he was set free by William Cox, of Anne-Arundel county, and has a certificate signed Nich. Harwood, dated the 26th of July, 1799, who certifies, that William Coe liberated a negro by the name of William Berbeck; this fellow, in custody, is about 25 years of age, 6 feet high, straight made, and has a black smooth skin; his cloathing a blue cloth jacket and pantaloons, a striped waistcoat, a pair of striped yarn trousers, a pair of white yarn stockings, a pair of coarse strong shoes, and an old hat. His owner is requested to release him, or he will be sold for his fees as the law directs.

FRANCIS MILLARD, Sheriff of St. Mary's county, Maryland.

February 23, 1802.

FOR SALE,

A NEGRO man, his wife, and five children: the four oldest are boys. The man is a good gardener, and the woman a good house wench. For terms inquire at this office.

In CHANCERY, April 30, 1802.

Leakin Dorsey and David Lafavour,

The heirs of George Steyer.

THE object of the bill filed in this cause is to obtain a decree to wit in David Lafavour, one of the complainants, the legal title and estate in fee of and in two tracts of land lying in Washington county, one called THE WIDOW'S PURCHASE, the other called ROCHE'S HARBOUR, which George Steyer, deceased, by bond of conveyance, dated the first day of March, in the year one thousand seven hundred and seventy-nine, sold unto Leakin Dorsey; and which the said Leakin Dorsey, by a bond of conveyance dated the twenty-eighth of March, seventeen hundred and eighty-nine, sold unto David Lafavour. The bill states, that the said George Steyer is dead, without having any heir known of and capable of inheriting his real estate; it is thereupon, on motion of the complainants, ordered, that he cause a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once in each of three successive weeks before the first day of June next, to the intent that the heirs of the said George Steyer may have notice of the present application, and the object of the bill filed, and may be warned to appear in this court, in person, or by solicitor, on or before the first Tuesday of October next, to shew cause, if any they have, why a decree should not pass as prayed.

True copy, SAMUEL H. HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

GEORGE WELLS, Boot and Shoe-maker,

BEGS leave to inform his friends, and the public, that he has removed to the house formerly occupied by THOMAS M'NREN, in Church-street, a door below Capt. West's, and nearly opposite the City Tavern, where he carries on the above business in all its branches with neatness and dispatch; he returns thanks to the public for past favours, and hopes to merit a continuance.

N. B. He has a quantity of silk umbrellas for sale. Annapolis, April 20, 1802.

FASHIONABLE DRY GOODS, Of every Description.

THE subscribers beg leave to inform the public ingeneral, and their friends in particular, that they have just received from Philadelphia, and now opening at their shop, in Cornhill-street, next door to Mr. Lloyd M. Lowe, an elegant assortment of ladies and gentlemen's fashionable goods, for this and the ensuing season, which they are determined to sell at the most reduced prices, and hope thereby to merit the attention of those who wish to favour them with their custom.

M. & B. CURRAN. Annapolis, April 27, 1802.

HEREBY forbid all persons from passing in any manner through my plantations, but by and with the public roads leading through them, or from hunting with either dogs or gun, particularly those who pull down my fences on that direction of my plantation adjoining the land of the late Vincent Lusby.

April 22, 1802. W. BROGDEN.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN away on the evening of the first instant, a negro man called CHARLES, a short black fellow, thirty-five years of age, strong and active, broad shoulders, large face, nose, mouth, and thick lips, marked in the face by the small-pox; his left ear is much smaller than the right; he walks remarkably wide, and turns his toes very much in. He went off about this time last year, and was out nine months; employed by; and taken in the house of, a free negro, who rents land of Samuel Ward, near Herring creek church, who knew him to be my slave; he has a quick way of speaking, and a remarkable down look when spoken to. It is presumed he will make for the Federal City or Baltimore, and will endeavour to pass for a free man, and probably will take the name of, and may obtain a pass from, some free negro. A reward of twenty dollars will be paid for taking and securing him at either of the above cities, or ten dollars if taken a less distance, with reasonable expenses if delivered to Joseph Taylor, or W. BROGDEN. Anne-Arundel county, July 20, 1801.

JUST PUBLISHED, And to be sold at the Printing-Office, Price, One Dollar,

The LAWS

OF MARYLAND, Passed November Session, 1801.