

should be over, he would send for him; and that he (the governor) had wrote to the government of the United States for his protection. Instead of which the French seized him by force, dragged him from his plantation, put him and two others on board a French cutter as prisoners, without provisions, cloaths or necessaries; which cutter followed the Argo to sea, fired two shot at her, and forced the captain to take them on board, without money, or without cloaths; and who must have suffered severely, but for the humanity of capt. Cushing and others.

NEW-YORK, February 2.

The committee appointed to audit the treasurer's accounts, according to recent advices from Albany, have reported a deficiency of above twenty-two thousand dollars; but which, it is said, by subsequent deposits, has been reduced to fifteen or sixteen thousand.

This defalcation, it is to be hoped, will be satisfactorily accounted for; and at present forms a subject of legislative investigation.

PHILADELPHIA, February 1.

By the report of the secretary of the treasury it appears, that the exports of the United States, for one year, ending the 1st of October last, amounted to seventy-one millions, nine hundred and fifty-seven thousand one hundred and forty-four dollars, of which thirty-five millions seven hundred and seventy-four thousand nine hundred and seventy-one dollars are estimated to be the goods, wares and merchandize of foreign growth or manufacture.

Of cotton there were 27,501,075 lbs. exported in the above period.

Of flour, 1,156,248 barrels.
Of Indian meal, 266,816 bushels.
Of pork, 78,239 barrels.

The amount of exports destined to Russia was

To Prussia	150,950
Sweden	275,255
Denmark	1,721,485
Holland	5,966,858
Great-Britain	23,925,091
Germany	121,742
Hanse towns	6,107,750
France	14,475,437

To the dominions of Spain, 11,227,839, of which 2,075,614 was destined to the Floridas and Louisiana.

To Portugal, 2,160,701.

February 3.

James Munroe, Esq; we are informed (says the New-York Mercantile Advertiser) has engaged his passage to Havre-de-Grace in the ship Warren, which is intended to sail from this port on Sunday next.

The supercargo of a vessel from Portland, at Barbadoes, writes to his owners, that on the 29th November the commandant of that port informed him, that the next mail would bring certain intelligence of the recommencement of hostilities between the French and English.

BALTIMORE, January 24.

On Monday the 17th, the house of representatives unanimously concurred in the report of the committee of elections, "that John I. Van Ness, by accepting and exercising the duties of the office of major of militia, under the authority of the United States within the Territory of Columbia, had forfeited his seat." He was therefore declared to be no longer a member of that house.

January 28.

The Norfolk Herald of the 18th instant, says—"Our London papers by the Surprise, capt. Curran, are only to the 23d November—Their contents are not interesting. On the 14th the first consul arrived at St. Cloud from his tour through France. Orders have been given to the people of Switzerland to deliver up their arms under pain of military execution; and patrols of French cavalry are dispersed over the country to enforce obedience to those orders; numbers of the patriots have been thrown into prison; and the only hopes which the Swiss now have for freedom and independence, rest upon the patriotism of the deputies who have been out to represent them at Paris. Two Jemi brigades of French troops are at Helvetiulys, from whence they are to go to Louisiana in 15 American vessels hired for the purpose; they are to be convoyed by two French frigates. Two French commissioners are at Amsterdam making necessary arrangements for provisioning this armament, which will consist of upwards of 3000 men.

French funds at 33 86.

January 29.

Extract of a letter from a member of congress to his friend in Alexandria, dated Washington, January 25, 1803.

"Mr. Davis yesterday laid a resolution on the table for concentrating the public buildings; on the question of committing the resolution to a select committee, it was carried by a large majority. We are now balloting for the committee—which will employ this day."

A FEW QUARTER CASES OF GENUINE

London Particular Madeira Wine,

FIT FOR IMMEDIATE USE,

Still on hand, and for sale by the subscriber, on reasonable terms for cash.

MILBOURN SIGELL

Annapolis, November 25

Real Estate for Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the chancery court of Maryland, the subscriber will expose to PUBLIC SALE, on Friday the 4th day of March next, on the premises, at twelve o'clock, if fair, if not on the first fair day,

ALL that tract or parcel of land, lying in Anne-Arundel county, containing two hundred and eighty-two and an half acres, whereon Mr. Philemon Brown lately resided, except the widow's right of dower; this land lies on Patuxent river, about two miles below the Fork Bridge, and has thereon a comfortable dwelling-house, and all necessary out-houses, a spring of excellent water, within a few steps of the house; the soil is well adapted to the growth of Indian corn, small grain, and tobacco; there formerly was a saw mill on said land, which, with very little expense, might be converted into a grist mill; the wood and timber growing thereon will with care last a great number of years, and part of the said land might be very easily converted into excellent meadow ground. The terms of sale of the above tract of land are, that the purchaser or purchasers shall give bond to the trustee, with two approved securities, for the payment of the purchase money, with legal interest thereon, within twelve months from the day of sale. Upon the payment of the whole of the purchase money, with interest as aforesaid, and not before, the subscriber is authorized to execute a deed for the property sold.

JOHN WELCH, Trustee.

N. B. The creditors of the said deceased are requested to lodge their claims, with the vouchers thereof, in the chancery office, in Annapolis, on or before the day of sale.

February 5, 1803.

In CHANCERY, February 8, 1803.

Henry Cooksey,

against

Leonard Burch, Eleanor Burch, Zadock Harris, and Sarah his wife, Neiley Maddox, and Susanna his wife, Peregrine Thorn, and Anne his wife, and Sarah Burch.

THE object of the bill is to obtain a conveyance in fee-simple of the following tracts or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in Charles county, to wit: LUMLEY, PENNARY, and BROWN'S HALL, supposed to contain in the aggregate about two hundred acres, which Benjamin Burch, of said county, since deceased, sold to the complainant on the twenty-third day of March, seventeen hundred and eighty-six, and for the conveyance of which, with a general warranty of the title, he passed his bond to the complainant on the day and year aforesaid; the bill states, that Benjamin Burch, on the day and year aforesaid, sold the aforesaid tracts or parcels of land to the complainant, at and for the quantity of two hundred and twelve pounds of tobacco per acre, and on the same day passed his bond to the complainant to convey the same to him, with a general warranty; that the complainant has paid the consideration of said land; that the said Benjamin Burch died in the year 1786 or 1787, leaving the said Leonard Burch and Eleanor Burch, the children of Leonard Burch, deceased, Sarah Harris, Susanna Maddox, and Anne Thorn, sisters of the said Benjamin and Sarah Burch, the daughter of Justinian Burch, his heirs at law, and that they are without the jurisdiction of the state; it is thereupon, and on motion of the complainant, ordered, that he cause a copy of this order to be inserted three times successively in the Maryland Gazette before the twenty-fifth day of February, inst. to the intent that the nonresident defendants may have notice of his application to this court, and of the substance and object of his bill, and may be warned to appear here in person, or by a solicitor, on or before the second Tuesday of July next, to shew cause why a decree should not pass as prayed.

Tell.

SAMUEL H. HOWARD,

Reg. Cur. Can.

NOTICE.

THE creditors of SAMUEL ABELL, late of Saint-Mary's county, deceased, are hereby notified, that on the 11th of March next ensuing a distribution of the assets of said deceased will take place at the office of Jeremiah Jordan, Esquire, in Leonard-town, when and where they are desired to attend, with their claims legally authenticated, and receive their dividend, or they will be excluded from all benefit thereof.

MARY ABELL, Administratrix of SAMUEL ABELL, deceased.

Leonard-town, January 29, 1803.

IF any gentlemen of the bar wish to see the plan, conditions, and judge Tucker's preface to the American edition of Blackstone, they may be accommodated with them at this office.

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 HENRY HALL, 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 28th day of June next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 28th day of December, 1802.

RACHEL HALL, Surviving executrix of HENRY HALL.

THIS is to give notice, that the subscriber hath obtained letters testamentary on the estate of JOHN MERCER STEVENS, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased; therefore all persons having claims against said estate are requested to bring them in, legally authenticated, so that they may pass the orphans court, or the register of wills, and all persons who are in any manner indebted to said estate are desired to make payment, to

DORSEY JACOB, Executor.

January 28, 1805.

Forty Dollars Reward, or Twenty for each.

I PROMISE to give the above reward to any person that will deliver to me two runaways, ISAAC, a carpenter, about 57 years old, and MOSES, a lad, about 15 years old; or ten dollars each, if committed to Upper-Marlborough gaol. I live near Port-Tobacco, in Charles county.

JOHN ASHTON.

All persons are forewarned from harbouring said negroes.

January 23, 1803.

THE two negroes described in the above advertisement, being, and having been from their infancy, a part of the property belonging to the estate, commonly called the White Marth, Prince-George's county, and actually in the possession of the subscriber, who holds the said estate, he therefore forewarns any person or persons from any way troubling or arresting the said negroes belonging to him, under pretence of their being advertised, as the law shall be put in force against the offender.

G. S. BITOUZEY.

Forty Dollars Reward.

STOLEN, or strayed from the subscriber's wagon, at Hildebrand's tavern, seven miles from Frederick-town, on the George-town road, on the night of Monday the 2d instant, a light chestnut sorrel STUD HORSE, eight years old, fifteen hands high, has a star and small blaze in his face, one hind foot white, a natural split in one of his hind hoofs, from the point to the hair, a long tail lately roughly cut, trots and paces, but inclines to the latter, a blemish on one of his eyes, occasioned by a stroke of a whip, and is rubbed with the chains and breechband; had on a halter, chain and collar. The above reward will be paid for the horse and thief, if stolen, or twenty dollars for returning the horse to the subscriber, living on Licking creek, Washington county, Maryland.

BENJAMIN BEAN.

January 14, 1803.

Pursuant to an order of the orphans court of Prince-George's county, will be SOLD, on Tuesday 15th February next, if fair, if not the first fair day, at the late dwelling of JACOB GREEN, near the Governor's Bridge,

UPWARDS of thirty likely country born slaves, men, women and children; among which are some valuable tradesmen, blacksmiths, carpenters and shoe-makers, together with all the stock, consisting of work horses, oxen, and other cattle, sheep and hogs, plantation utensils; and some household furniture. Likewise a large still, with an excellent leaden worm, a scin, part of a set of blacksmith's tools, with all the corn, fodder, hay; and the tobacco hanging in the house, and several other articles too tedious to mention. The terms of sale are such, that the purchaser or purchasers shall give bond, with approved security, for all sums above twenty dollars, and all under cash to be paid on the day of sale.

Also, on the 22d of the same month will be sold, pursuant to the above order, at the said Green's upper plantation, near Stephen Waters's mill, some stock, plantation utensils, household furniture, corn and fodder, with the crop of tobacco hanging in the house, and many other articles too tedious to mention. The terms as above.

ADDISON CONAWAY, Executor.

January 20, 1803.

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of an order from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be EXPOSED to SALE, on Wednesday the 16th of February next,

ALL the personal property of JAMES BABS, deceased, at the plantation of Philip Hammond, Esq; in the Piney Woods, where the said Babs lately resided.

The property consists of cattle, one valuable young mare, four years old, household furniture, and sundry other articles. The terms of sale cash.

ANDERSON WARFIELD, Administrator.

January 25, 1803.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber intends running his STAGE twice a week from Annapolis to George-town, and will leave Mr. Caton's tavern, in this city, every Monday and Friday, at 5 o'clock A. M. pass through Bladensburg, and arrive at Mr. Semmes's tavern, in George-town, the same evening; returning, leave George-town every Tuesday and Saturday at 5 o'clock A. M. and by the same route arrive at Annapolis the evening. Fare the same as usual.

JOHN SMITH.

Annapolis, January 25, 1803.