

RAN away from the plantation of the late Mr. THOMAS DICK, near Bladensburg, on Wednesday last, a negro man named AARON, about twenty-five years of age, five feet nine or ten inches high, well made, of a black complexion; took with him sundry articles of wearing apparel not known; he was seen in Annapolis on Saturday last, at which time he had on a new blue broad cloth coat; it is supposed that he is still lurking about that place. Any person taking him up, and securing him so that I get him again, shall receive TEN DOLLARS REWARD, or if brought home to the subscriber, in Bladensburg, shall receive TWENTY DOLLARS.

JOHN HEUGH,
Prince-George's, June 6, 1803.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, and State of Maryland, letters testamentary on the estate of capt. JAMES DISNEY, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are warned to exhibit them, legally authenticated, and all those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, to

JAMES N. WEEMS, Executor.

N. B. The subscriber has for sale, sundry valuable stock, which will be sold at public sale, on the 24th inst. consisting of horses, hogs, cattle, sheep, &c. among which are two or three valuable high bred mares and geldings, one of which is surpassed by none for the road.

Annapolis, June 2, 1803.

J. N. W.

In CHANCERY, May 31, 1803.

ON application to the chancellor, by petition, in writing, of SEITH HYATT, of Prince-George's county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at the last session, on the terms therein mentioned, and a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, so far as he can ascertain the same, on oath, being annexed to his petition, and the chancellor being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said Seth Hyatt hath resided in the State of Maryland the two last years preceding the passage of the said act; it is thereupon adjudged and ordered, that the said Seth Hyatt, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted three times in the Maryland Gazette before the 25th day of June next, give notice to his creditors to appear in the chancery-office, at ten o'clock, on the 18th day of July next, for the purpose of recommending some person to be trustee for their benefit, on the said Hyatt's then and there taking the oath by the said act prescribed for delivering up his property.

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

Twenty Dollar Reward,

FOR apprehending and delivering to me, or committing to prison in Annapolis, so that I get him again, a young negro man named TOM, about twenty-five years of age, a black fellow, middle sized, and is one that attempted some time ago to get free, and who at that time called himself TOM JOICE. The above reward will be paid on his delivery to me, or on being committed to prison in Annapolis, so that I get him again.

BENNETT DARNALL.

May 28, 1803.

Charles county, &c.

I HEREBY certify, that JOHN BARTIN HAGAN on this day brought before me, as a stray, a bay mare COLT, supposed to be about two years old, and about twelve hands three inches high, neither dock'd or branded, her right hind foot is white, and some white appears to be above her hoofs on her fore feet, no other notable mark appears. Given under my hand, this 3th day of May, 1803.

IGNATIUS MIDDLETON.

The above stray filley came to my plantation in the month of October last, and hath continued with my flock ever since. The owner is hereby requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away agreeable to law.

JOHN B. HAGAN.

May 5, 1803.

Forty Dollars Reward,

FOR apprehending and securing negro SAM; he is about twenty-five or twenty-six years of age, of a dark complexion, and upwards of five feet high, very stout made, and had on a felt hat, nearly new, a short round blue jacket, and a pair of new ticklenburg trousers, fringed at the bottom. He made his escape in the month of May, 1802, and very likely has changed his cloathing; he is said to resort a negro quarter of Mr. Brice Worthington's, where his father lived, and at other times at Mr. John Chew Thomas's, where he formerly had a wife. Whoever takes up and secures him in gaol, so that I get him again, shall receive the above reward, paid by

STEPHEN BEARD, Jun.

To be RENTED,

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

SAMUEL RIDOUT.

Annapolis, May 17, 1803.

In COUNCIL, ANNAPOLIS, May 28, 1803.

ORDERED, That the bill entitled, An act to alter, change, and abolish, all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the time and manner of electing the senate, and the mode of filling up vacancies in that body, together with an extract from the journals of the senate relative thereto, be published for the information of the people, once a week, for the space of three weeks, in the American, Telegrapher, the National Intelligencer, Maryland Gazette, Bartgis's paper, at Frederick-town, Mr. Smith's paper, at Easton, and Mr. Grievess's paper, at Hagar's-town.

By order,

NINIAN PINKNEY, Clerk.

An ACT to alter, change, and abolish, all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the time and manner of electing the senate, and the mode of filling up vacancies in that body.

BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That from and after the _____ day of _____, the senate of this state shall consist and be composed of twenty members, one member to be chosen from each of the several counties of this state, and one member from the city of Baltimore; and that the senators shall be elected for four years by the electors in the several counties, and in the city of Baltimore, qualified to vote for members of the house of delegates, at the same time, in the same manner, and at the same places, where they shall vote for members of the house of delegates.

And be it enacted, That no person shall be a senator who shall not have attained the age of twenty-five years, and been a resident of the state four years next before his election, and the last year thereof a resident of the county or city for which he shall be elected, unless he shall have been absent on the public business of the United States or of this state, and having in the state real and personal property above the value of _____ dollars.

And be it enacted, That immediately after the senators shall be assembled in consequence of the first election, they shall be divided by lot into four classes; the seats of the senators of the first class shall be vacated at the expiration of the first year, of the second class at the expiration of the second year, of the third class at the expiration of the third year, and of the fourth class at the expiration of the fourth year, so that one fourth may be chosen every year; and if the seat of any senator shall become vacant by death, resignation or otherwise, a warrant of election shall issue by the president of the senate for the election of another in his place, in the same manner, and under the same regulations, as warrants of election are issued by the speaker of the house of delegates, to supply vacancies in that body; and any senator who may be elected to fill a vacancy shall hold his seat so long as the person in whose place he is elected might have done if no vacancy had happened.

And be it enacted, That if this act shall be confirmed by the general assembly, after the next election of delegates, in the first session after such new election, as the constitution and form of government directs, that in such case this act, and the alterations and amendment of the constitution and form of government therein contained, shall be taken and considered, and shall constitute and be valid, as a part of the said constitution and form of government, to all intents and purposes, any thing in the said constitution and form of government to the contrary notwithstanding.

And be it enacted, That the fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth, seventeenth, eighteenth and nineteenth sections of the constitution and form of government, shall be, and are hereby declared to be, repealed and abolished on the confirmation hereof.

REFERRED.

On motion, ORDERED, That the governor and council cause the bill, entitled, An act to alter, change, and abolish, all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the time and manner of electing the senate and the mode of filling up vacancies in that body, to be inserted in such of the news-papers of this state as to them may appear best calculated to communicate the same to the people of the state.

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J. B. DUCKETT, clk. Senate.

I DO hereby certify, that a servant of Mrs. ANNE STEUART, of Doden, hath brought before me a small bay GELDING, about 8 or 9 years old, as a trespassing stray; said horse has no perceivable brand, is about thirteen hands high, and has a long switch tail.

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WM. STEUART.

Anne-Arundel county, 4th April, 1803.

The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

THOMAS HIGDON, Overseer.

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 EDWARD GWINN, 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 fourteenth day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 14th day of April, 1803.

ACHSAH GWINN, Administratrix.

SPRING GOODS.

JOSEPH EVANS,

On the Dock, opposite the Market-house,
Has just received by the Spring vessels arrived at Baltimore, and offers for sale,

A Handfome assortment of GOODS, suitable for the present season, consisting of a variety of the latest and most fashionable articles for Ladies and Gentlemens wear.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the subscriber, whose accounts have been longer standing than twelve months, are earnestly requested to call and discharge the same, or give note or bond for the amount thereof.

JOSEPH EVANS.

Annapolis, May 19, 1803.

MISFORTUNES of various kinds, together with the harrassing disposition of my creditors, who are continually burthening me with heavy costs, hath at length reduced me to the necessity of surrendering my property for the benefit of my creditors; I therefore hereby give notice, that I intend to petition the next general assembly of Maryland for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

May 17, 1803.

SAMUEL EVANS.

To the Voters of Anne-Arundel county and the City of Annapolis.

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by the solicitation of a number of my friends, I respectfully beg leave to inform you, that I intend offering myself as a candidate for your suffrages at the ensuing election of a sheriff of this county, and to assure you, should I be fortunate enough to meet with your approbation, that every exertion shall be made to give general satisfaction, and to prove myself worthy of your confidence and support.

As it is my wish to avoid egotism, and as few tasks can be imposed on a man, more disagreeable than that of becoming his own encomiast, I shall therefore forbear making any farther professions on the score of abilities, than to observe, that I have acted for sometime past as deputy to Mr. John Welch, the late, and to Henry Howard, Esquire, the present sheriff, and have thereby, I flatter myself, acquired a competent knowledge of the duties incident to the office.

ROBERT WELCH, of BEN.

To the Voters of Anne-Arundel county and the City of Annapolis.

COMING forward as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Anne-Arundel county, with respectful deference I offer myself to fill the important station, and solicit their suffrages, at the ensuing election, in my favour; should my wishes in this instance be realized, I sincerely promise a strict attention to impartiality, legality, and assiduity, and the public shall find in my attention to the discharge of the duties of the office a grateful return for the confidence they may repose in me,

And remain their obedient servant,

ISAAC DORSEY.

EDUCATION.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform the citizens of Annapolis, and the public generally, that on Monday the 16th inst. he proposes to open an ACADEMY in a large and spacious room of the house he now occupies, opposite the south corner of the episcopal church, for the sole purpose of teaching young ladies orthography, English grammar, writing, arithmetic, geography, &c. also drawing and French, if required; he hopes the utility of this institution will be more satisfactorily evinced by the improvement of his pupils in literature, as well as morality, than pompous professions, which is the sincere wish of the public's most devoted, and very humble servant,

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HUGH MAGUIRE.

N. B. For terms, &c. apply as above.

Annapolis, May 11, 1803.

THE subscriber returns his sincere thanks to his friends and customers for the liberal and generous support he has hitherto experienced, and begs leave to inform them, that he has opened his STORE and PORTER CELLAR, in the house lately occupied by THOMAS ROGERS, Esq; opposite the south corner of the episcopal church, where he hopes, by the goodness of his liquors, &c. and desire to please, to merit a further continuance of their favours, which will be gratefully received by their most obedient and very humble servant,

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HUGH MAGUIRE.

Annapolis, May 11, 1803.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away the Wednesday after Whitfunday 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 osabrig 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 gaol, so that I may get him again, shall receive the above reward, paid by

BENJ. DUVAN, of ELSHA.

N. B. I forewarn all persons from harboring said fellow on their peel.

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