

to inform them that the penalties of that clause do not take place until the 16th day of February next, six months after the notice from the treasurer. Until that day coppers will be legal tender as usual. Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Bourdeaux, to his friend in Boston, dated June 29th. Since the declaration of war, we have had much trouble with American seamen; many left their vessels to enter on board French privateers. The consul was determined to prevent such conduct, and applied to the officers of government to know if it was allowed to captains of privateers to entice seamen from their respective vessels, by making them large offers. They assured the consul that it was not allowed, and that they would lend their assistance in preventing such conduct. The commissary of marine very readily gave his aid, and not only threatened the captains with imprisonment, but stopped at the consul's request, the Blond, a French privateer (formerly the America) of Salem for a week; until the captain had delivered to the consul sixteen American seamen, he had shipped, who are now in prison and will be sent home, I believe, to take their trial, as an example.

Fifty other American seamen, who were about entering on board corsairs, were arrested by the commissary of police by the consul's request, and, after a few days confinement were distributed on board the different American vessels, and are not allowed to come on shore. Without these severe steps not an American vessel would have had a man to go to sea with; and had the same measures been pursued here the last war, so many of our seamen would not have fallen into the hands of the British.

The cession of West-Florida, as mentioned in letters from our minister at Paris, is, we understand, an affair of construction. Louisiana is ceded by France to the United States in the same manner as received from Spain. The ancient boundaries recognized in these transactions are found to comprise West-Florida. The latter is of course included in the present cession.

If this statement is correct, and we understand it is so considered both by Mr. Livingston and Mr. Monroe, there can be no doubt of our obtaining from Spain on easy terms the trifling residuary territory. [N. Y. Morn. Chron.]

August 27. A Rutland paper of the 15th inst. says, "We are informed that in the month of July last, in Pittsford 36 persons died—in Brandon, 39—in Chittenden, 12—in Orwell, 41—in Shoreham and other adjacent towns a similar mortality seems to have prevailed. In this village a general complaint evidences a predisposition to malignant disease, and the paucity of deaths in proportion to the prevalence of disorder, evinces here a skilful and learned practice. A malignant dysentery scourges our country, and the land seems to mourn for the dead, and in hollow murmurs, to sigh to the groans of the living."

**Annapolis, September 1.**

To the Voters of Anne-Arundel county. ON Saturday the third day of September, a beef will be roasted at Orndorff's tavern, on the Frederick road, at which time it is expected a discussion of politics will take place by the candidates that offer to represent said county in the next general assembly. A. VOTER.

**CONVENTION OF THE MEDICAL AND CHIRURGICAL FACULTY OF MARYLAND.**

Baltimore, June, 1803. THE faculty at their general convention in 1802, perceiving that the intention of the institution had not been carried completely into effect, deemed it expedient to aid the imbecilities of the law by appointing censors for all the cities, towns, and counties of the state respectively; by this resolve it was required of the censors, that "they should see that the medical and chirurgical law be not infringed by unlicensed practitioners; that the legal penalties be inflicted on trespassers; that they do all such acts as may be required of them by the by-laws; and that they make complete returns of all the practitioners of medicine and surgery within their respective districts, to the general faculty at the next convention." Notwithstanding these explicit requisitions and the personal attendance of the faculty that many persons are now practicing contrary to the letter and spirit of the law, they have seen with concern that many of the censors have made no returns to the general convention. That the censors may plead no apology for future omission, the secretary begs leave to republish their names with a confidence (in which he flatters himself he shall not be disappointed) that they will execute with fidelity the trust reposed in them by the faculty. The following are the censors, for the eastern shore, &c.

- For Baltimore, city, Drs. Coulter, Crawford and ...
- For Annapolis, Drs. Shaaff and Ghiselin
- For Fredericktown, Drs. Tyler and Baltzell.
- For Hagerstown, Dr. Fiddell.
- For Baltimore county, Drs. Crainwell and Love.
- For Anne-Arundel county, Drs. Warfield, Gen. and Wm. Murray.
- For Harford county, Drs. Davis and John Archer.
- For Frederick county, Drs. Smith and Hillary.
- For Washington county, Drs. Young and Jacques.
- For Allegany county, Drs. Bign and Murray.

- For Montgomery county, Drs. Anderson and Magruder.
- For Prince-George's county, Drs. Bean and Marshall.
- For Calvert county, Drs. Parran and Bourne.
- For Charles county, Drs. Wood and Jameson.
- For St. Mary's county, Drs. Jackson and Hoachi.
- For the eastern shore.
- For Cecil county, Drs. King and Miller.
- For Kent county, Drs. Warrell and Scott.
- For Queen-Anne's county, Drs. Noel and Thomas.
- For Talbot county, Drs. Martin and Johnson.
- For Caroline county, Drs. Keene and Mace.
- For Dorchester county, Drs. White and Wyeville.
- For Somerset county, Drs. King and Jones.
- For Worcester county, Dr. Follet.

The following resolve of the faculty, passed at the convention of 1802, was not published as required of the secretary, he having been deprived of the records of the faculty until after the limited time of publication:

"Resolved; That the following be a by-law of the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland; viz. That all applicants for licenses, to practice medicine and surgery in this state, shall make known their intention at least three weeks before the annual meeting, to two of the examiners of each shore respectively; and that it shall be the duty of the secretary to publish this resolve for two months, twice a week at least, in two of the newspapers on the Western, and one of the papers on the eastern shore, for two months previous to the three weeks before the annual meetings of the examiners for each shore respectively."

In as much as the faculty conceived it would conduce to the interests of the institution to elect a quorum of examiners residing in the city of Baltimore, they moreover agreed that the candidates for examination shall be at liberty to call upon the examiners for examination at any time during the intervals of the stated meetings, although the certificates can only be obtained at the constitutional meetings of the faculty.

The following gentlemen were elected officers of the faculty for the next two years.

- Board of Examiners for the Western Shore.
- Doctors J. ARCHER, senior,
  - GEORGE BROWN;
  - CH. A. WARFIELD;
  - JOHN CRAWFORD;
  - JAMES STEUART;
  - A. ALEXANDER;
  - NATHL. POTTER.

- For the Eastern Shore.
- Doctors ENNALLS MARTIN,
  - S. T. JOHNSON,
  - P. E. NOEL,
  - T. THOMAS,
  - J. M. ANDERSON, junr

Dr. Shaaff having declined a re-election, Dr. H. Wilkins was elected treasurer of the faculty.

Those gentlemen who have received diplomas from medical schools will please to bear in mind, that they are nevertheless to receive certificates from the faculty of the state.

The faculty adjourned to meet on the first Monday in June, 1803.

NATHL. POTTER, secretary  
M. and Ch. F. Maryland.  
The faculty knowing of no other physician in Worcester, could only appoint Dr. Fossett.

RIVER MONOCACY.  
Mr. Leonard Harbaugh has engaged to remove all impediment from the Monocacy, so as to render it navigable for boats of 100 barrels burthen, to a considerable distance above Fredericktown. It is said that the work will be nearly completed by October or November. [Wash. pap.]

We are authorized to state that Dr. Archibald Dorsey will serve his fellow-citizens of Anne-Arundel county in the next general assembly if elected.

WE are authorized to say that the present Governor of Maryland will serve in the legislature, if elected by his fellow-citizens of Anne-Arundel county one of their representatives at the next election.

**ANNAPOLIS RACES.**

A JOCKEY CLUB PURSE, of not less than THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS, will be run for at Annapolis, on Tuesday the 25th day of October next; heats four miles each, carrying weights agreeably to the rules of the club.  
On Wednesday the 26th a colt's purse will be run for, of not less than ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS; heats two miles each.  
On Thursday the 27th a subscription purse will be run for, of not less than ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS; heats three miles each.

**FOR SALE, OR RENT,**

THAT valuable farm lying in Broad Neck, on the north side of Severn river, about five miles from this city, this farm contains upwards of 600 acres of rich, level, and fertile land, and is as productive perhaps as any farm in Maryland of its size. If sold a credit will be given for two thirds of the purchase money, and if rented, the person renting may have negroes, stock of all kinds, and plantation utensils, with the farm. One hundred and twenty bushels of wheat may be sown this fall on the corn ground now in cultivation. J. H. STONE.  
Annapolis, August 22, 1803.

**NOTICE.**

By virtue of a decree of the court of chancery, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the premises, at twelve o'clock, on Monday the nineteenth day of September next, if fair, if not on the first fair day thereafter,

PART of lot No. 11, in the town of Bladenburg, containing about half an acre, with the buildings and improvements thereon, for the payment of the debts of William J. Jackson, the purchaser to give bond, with security, approved of by the trustee, for paying the purchase money, with interest, within twelve months from the day of sale.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors of William John Jackson, late of Prince-George's county, deceased, to exhibit their claims, with the vouchers thereof, to the chancellor, within four months from the day of sale.

N. BREWER, Trustee.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, at Pig-Point, on Saturday the 1st day of October next, on a long credit, if not sold before at private sale, of which due notice will be given,

BETWEEN five and six hundred acres of valuable LAND, being part of a tract called WRIGHTON, situated on the river Patuxent, convenient to the best fisheries; and adjoining to Pig-Point, where is commonly inspected from 500 to 1000 hhd's of tobacco annually, a warehouse among the first in reputation on the river; there are on this tract of land a comfortable dwelling-house, out houses, &c. with an orchard. For further particulars apply to the vestry, or any one of them. To accommodate purchasers the above land if necessary will be laid off in two or more lots.

By order of the vestry,  
WILLIAM H. HALL, Register.  
Herring Creek, August 9, 1803.

Will be SOLD, on the first Tuesday of October, at the dwelling-house of JOSEPH M'CUBBIN, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased,

A VARIETY of articles too tedious particularly to enumerate, consisting of plantation utensils and stock, household furniture, negroes, &c. &c. A credit of six months allowed upon notes being given by each purchaser, the amount of whose bill of sale exceeds five pounds.  
DORCAS M'CUBBIN, Administratrix.

TAKEN up, by the subscriber, living near the Bodkin, on the 24th of May, between the Bodkin point and Rock point, inches, a WHALE BOAT, about eleven feet ten inches keel, painted on the outside yellow, black bands, painted on the inside with different colours; said boat built principally with trunnels, a plate of iron on her stern, and has eight row locks.

FRANCIS ATKINSON.

**FOR SALE,**

TWO valuable young NEGRO WOMEN, who are good house servants; one has three likely children, a girl about eight years of age, and two boys about six and four years old, the other has one child, a girl, about seven years of age; they are sold for no fault, but want of employ. Also a very likely girl, about eleven years of age; as they will be disposed of for no fault in them they will not be sold out of the State. For terms of sale apply to JOHN DAVIDSON, of the city of Annapolis, who has a power from me to dispose of them.

DAVID KERR.  
Annapolis, July 12, 1803.

COMMITTED to my custody, as a runaway, a negro man by the name of JOSEPH, who says he belongs to GRIFFIN GARLAND, of Richmond county, Virginia, he is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, and has a dark smooth skin; his clothing a white flannel short coat, an old long yellow cloth coat, a pair of old fustian pantaloons, an old white shirt, a pair of old white yarn stockings, a pair of old shoes, one of them longer than the other, 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 Saint-Mary's county, Maryland.  
May 30, 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, 1803, and very likely has changed his clothing; he is said to resort a negro quarter of Mr. Rice Worthington's, where his father lives, and at other times at Mr. John Chew Thomas's, where he formerly had a wife. Whoever takes up and secures him in goal, so that I get him again, shall receive the above reward, paid by me.

STEPHEN BEARD, Junr.  
To the PUBLIC.  
I have property for sale, that I will act as auctioneer, on application. My experience and ability in that line may be known on inquiry.  
Annapolis, August 17, 1803.  
C. MILLS.