

gers and goods; by way of Old Court-House point, on the Elk river, to Baltimore. For convenience and elegance of accommodations for passengers, they excel any vessel of the kind ever built in this city. A combination of Counterfeiters have been discovered in this city; the principals of which have been committed for trial.

BALTIMORE, August 9.

A letter from Bourdeaux, of the last of May, states that "business is brisker than it has been for some time—the produce of the country is low, and likely to continue so."

The counsellor of state, CRETET, is appointed governor of the National bank of France; and M. RUODIER, banker of Paris, sub-governor.

By a recent imperial decree, the uniform of the French soldiers is again changed from the republican blue, to the ancient royal white.

French Fraternity!!!

Extract of a letter from capt. John Hand, jun. of the schooner Caroline, of Alexandria, dated "Port Spain, (Trinidad) July 8, 1806."

"On the 21st of June, in lat. 14, long. 58, was boarded by two French line of battle ships, who took from us about 140 barrels of flour, all the beans and cheese, and the greater part of the hams, and never gave us the scrape of a pen for them."

### Sheriff's Sale.

In virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out of the late general court, will be SOLD, on the premises, on Saturday, the 23d instant,

ALL the right, title and interest, that Rawlings Gartrell has in a tract of land called Part of Ridgely's Great Park, containing 150 acres, taken in execution, and sold to satisfy a debt due William Alexander.

JASPER E. TILLY, Sheriff of Anne Arundel county.

August 13, 1806.

In CHANCERY, August 11, 1806.

ORDERED that the sale made by JOHN SPALDING, trustee for the sale of the real estate of Nicholas Blacklock, deceased, as stated in his report, shall be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn on or before the 10th day of October next, provided a copy of this order be inserted three times in the papers where he advertised the sale; and also in the Maryland Gazette, before the tenth day of September next.

The report states, that 514 acres of land, in Charles county, was sold for 8159 dollars 75 cents.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can. 1807/6

THE subscriber, late vice-principal of St. John's College, respectfully informs the citizens of Annapolis, and its vicinity, that he will open a SCHOOL in this city, on Monday, the 15th day of September next, for the education of young gentlemen, who will be instructed in the different Greek and Latin authors, Roman and Grecian history, logic, moral philosophy, English grammatically, reading, writing, arithmetic, &c. The subscriber hopes, from his long residence in this city, and his much longer experience as a public teacher, to meet with the support of a generous and liberal public. Terms for Greek and Latin scholars ten dollars per quarter—for English scholars six dollars per ditto. Hours of attendance from nine in the morning until one, and from three until five in the afternoon.

R. HIGINBOTHOM.

Annapolis, August 9, 1806.

### Calvert County Court,

MAY TERM, 1806.

WHEREAS, upon the application of WILLIAM SPENCER, and WIFE, two of the representatives of a certain John M'Dowel, deceased, certain commissioners were appointed to ascertain whether the estate of the said John M'Dowel would admit of division agreeably to the act of assembly, entitled, An act to direct descents, which said commissioners have made a return to Calvert county court; and whereas it has been stated, that some of the representatives of the said John M'Dowel, deceased, to wit: Anne Blackburn, James Ellis, and Dolly his wife, and Alice Blackburn, live out of the state of Maryland; it is thereupon adjudged and ordered, that notice be given by publication of this order in the Maryland Gazette and National Intelligencer at least three weeks successively before the last day of August next, to the said absent representatives to appear in Calvert county court, on the second Monday of October next, to shew cause, if any they have why the return of the said commissioners should not be ratified.

Signed by order of court, Wm. S. MORSELL, Clk. 1807/6

### This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, letters of administration on the personal estate of SAMUEL CHENEY, 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, on or before the 25th day of January next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand, this 24th day of July, 1806.

JESSE CHENEY, Executor.

N. B. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. 2 J. C.

## Treasury Department of the UNITED STATES,

June 21, 1806.

WHEREAS the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held on the 28th day of April 1806, did resolve, that the sum remaining to complete the expenditure of the annual appropriation of EIGHT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, should among other purposes be applied to the reimbursement of the NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, created in pursuance of an act of congress, passed on the 30th day of June, 1798, and to the reimbursement of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, created in pursuance of an act of congress, passed on the 3d day of March, 1795.

This is therefore to give notice, that the principal of the said NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, with the interest due thereon, will, on surrender of the certificates, be paid on the 1st day of October next ensuing the date hereof, to the respective stockholders or their lawful representatives or attorneys duly constituted and authorized, either at the Treasury or at the Loan-Office, as the case may be, where credits have been given for the amount of stock, respectively held by them; and that the principal of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, with the interest due thereon, will, in like manner, and at the same places, be paid on the 1st day of January, 1807, to the respective stockholders, or their lawful representatives or attorneys duly constituted and authorized.

It is further made known, for the information of the parties concerned, that no transfers of the NAVY SIX PER CENT. STOCK, either from or to the books of the Treasury, or from or to the books of a Commissioner of Loans, will be allowed after the 1st day of September ensuing, nor of the FIVE AND HALF PER CENT. STOCK, after the 1st day of December ensuing. And the interest on all certificates of said stocks, which shall not have been surrendered, in pursuance of this notification, will cease and determine, on the day preceding the day hereby fixed for the reimbursement thereof.

ALBERT GAILLARDIN,

Secretary of the Treasury.

### Fire Insurance.

THE Subscriber having received power and instructions from the Phoenix insurance company of London, is fully authorized to effect insurance on Houses, Buildings, Stores and Ships in harbours, Goods, Wares and Merchandise, in any part of the state of Maryland, from loss or damage by fire, on terms so moderate, as will it is presumed, make it the interest of all to resort to a measure so well calculated to give additional security to commercial transactions, and to afford protection from the injury which fires have so often occasioned.

In this office no insured person is liable to any call to make good the losses of others, but in case of fire, the sufferer will be fully indemnified with that liberality and promptness which have always distinguished this company, requiring no other delay, even where presumption of fraud appears, than is necessary to distinguish the honest sufferer from the fraudulent incendiary.

As a proof of the usefulness of this institution; and the benefit that individuals have derived from it, it is only necessary to state, that since the commencement of the Office, in 1782, near seven million of dollars have been paid to claimants upon their policies. The Company's printed proposals, and the conditions, on which insurance can be effected, will be delivered by me gratis to any applicant, at the Marine Insurance Office, in Second-street, where orders for insurance, will be immediately attended to by DAVID STEWART, Agent

For the Phoenix Insurance Co. London, within the state of Maryland.

Note, The Company have Agents at New-York, Philadelphia, Charleston, Savanna and New-Orleans persons having property in these places are referred to the respective agents.

Baltimore, May 21.

### State of Maryland, &c.

Anne-Arundel county, Orphans court, August 5, 1806.

ON application, by petition, of Henry Purdy, surviving executor of Francis Gwinn, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased; it is ordered, that he give the notice required by law, for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in the Maryland Gazette.

JOHN GASSAWAY, Reg. Wills for Anne-Arundel county.

### THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court, of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of FRANCIS GWINN, 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 eleventh day of March next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Those persons indebted to said estate by bond, note, or open account, are requested to make payment on or before the 15th instant, otherwise I shall use such means as the law directs. Given under my hand, this 5th day of August, 1806.

HENRY PURDY, Executor.

## Poet's Corner.

SELECTED.

### WERTER'S ADDRESS TO THE MOON.

HERE fix'd in thought, I view thy orb arise  
In peerless glory thro' the boundless skies,  
While winds above disperse each flying cloud,  
And rocks beneath remurmur to the flood!  
As leaning o'er this elevated steep  
To view the glimm'ring shadow thro' the deep,  
High to my sight the swelling surges grow,  
Dash the wide foam, and fill the gulph below!  
The tempest spreads its shadow o'er the seas,  
Rolls the dark waves, and bends the lofty trees!  
A momentary horror spreads around,  
Shades thy pure light, and fills the dark profound;  
Till by the winds the sable cloud is driv'n,  
And thy full splendours shine throughout the heav'n.

Here, on this rock, to dark despair resign'd,  
A wretched outcast from a world unkind,  
Oft do I wander by the peaceful ray,  
To view thy path along the wat'ry way,  
Oft to thy globe my eyes in transport rove,  
To mark thee gliding thro' the realms above.  
Blest beam! that to the fainting traveller's eyes,  
Appear'st in glory from the clouded skies,  
To guide him thro' the solitary gloom,  
Or lead him wand'ring to his native home,  
Who long thro' wilds, and dismal forests lost,  
Beholds thy splendours on some stormy coast,  
Cheerful he smiles, nor thinks his journey long,  
The rocks re-echo to his tuneful song,  
While distant woods and lofty mountains rise  
To shade his prospect of the silver'd skies,  
He views with joyful hope the friendly ray  
Beam thro' the trees and point his doubtful way.

And while I view thy glory here below,  
Oft do I think the sufferer may go,  
When from this world of misery releas'd,  
To thy bright mansions of eternal rest,  
Where brooding sadness spreads no more her wing,  
Nor shrieks of woe, with dismal echoes ring!  
Where the wan slave at some high arch'd abode,  
Shall faint no more beneath his pond'rous load!  
Where no proud tyrant o'er the poor shall stand,  
With breast unfeeling and their toil command,  
While the sad orphan, trembling at his door,  
Shall beg in vain a morsel from his store,  
Where stalks no more the ghastly fiend despair,  
With look convulsive and disorder'd hair;  
Nor dire calamity (her sister) weep,  
With midnight woe, along the raging deep,  
While murder, falling from some headlong height,  
Plunges for ever to the Gulph of Night!  
There shall these scenes no more in prospect spread,  
To deaden hope, or strike the soul with dread,  
But bliss in everlasting charms shall rise,  
And day eternal circle thro' the skies.

### SONG.—BY MOORE.

THE wreath you wove, the wreath you wove,  
Is fair—but oh! how fair!  
If pity's hand had stol'n from Love  
One leaf to mingle there.  
If ev'ry rose with gold were tied,  
Did gems for dew drops fall,  
One faded leaf where Love had sigh'd  
Were sweetly worth them all.  
The wreath you wove, the wreath you wove,  
Our emblem well may be;  
Its bloom is gone, but hopeless love  
Must keep its tears for me.

### ANECDOTE.

IN a sea-fight, in the reign of Charles II. there was a very bloody engagement between the English and Dutch fleets; in the heat of which, a Scotch seaman was very severely bit by a louse on his neck, which he caught, and stooping down to crack it, just as he had put himself in that posture, a chain-shot came and took off the heads of several sailors that were about him; on which he had compassion on the poor louse, returned him to his place, and bid him live there at discretion; for, said he, as thou hast been the means of saving my life, it is but just I should save yours.

### NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the late firm of Ridgely and Weems, on open account, are requested to call on us and settle, by paying the money, or giving their notes for the same, as we are anxious to have our books settled; and those who owe us on bond or note, the times of payment being elapsed, are earnestly called upon for settlement. It is hoped that this request will be attended to more punctually than our former, as it will save trouble.

2 ABSALOM RIDGELY,  
JAMES N. WEEMS.

Annapolis, August 5, 1806.

### Notice is hereby given,

THAT I intend to apply to the Baltimore county court, for the benefit of the act of the general assembly of Maryland, passed at November session, 1805, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors.

JAMES BACON.

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