

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

On Monday the 18th inst. over Canton Race Course, the first day's purse, 300 dollars, 4 mile heats, was won by
 Joseph Clark's bay horse Anti-Democrat, } 1
 by Ranger, 6 years old, 120 lb. } 1
 Gen. Ridgely's chestnut mare, Elvira, by G. } 2
 Medley, 4 years old, 97 lb. } 2
 On Tuesday the second day's purse was run for, and won by
 Murray Shilling's b. gelding Polydore, by } 1
 Florizel, 123 lb. } 1
 Gen. C. Ridgely's bay filly Roxalana, by } 2
 Grey Medley, 4 years old, 97 lb. } 2
 J. Clark's b. h. Duke of Marlboro', by } 4
 Highflyer, 6 years old, 120 lb. } 3
 Dickenson Gorsuch's b. h. Medley, by Med- } 4
 ley, 4 years old, 100 lb. } 0
 On Wednesday, the third day's purse was run for, and won by, gen. Ridgely's b. h. Oltar, with great ease.

We understand that the president has just received a letter from the Bey of Tunis, couched in terms of friendship towards the United States, and that information, by the same opportunity, was received at the Department of State from col. Lear, of his having effected an entire adjustment of our differences with the Bey. [Nat. Intel.]

The Knot.

MARRIED, at Philadelphia, on Wednesday evening, the 20th inst. by the reverend Mr. Janeway, Mr. W. BUTLER, Printer, of Baltimore, to Miss MARGARET T. ELLIOTT, of Philadelphia.

The Knell.

DIED, in this city, on Friday night last, after a long and severe illness, Miss FRANCES RESE, of Frederick county.

ATTENTION!

A meeting of the ANNAPOLIS VOLUNTEER COMPANY is requested on Saturday next, the 30th instant, at 3 o'clock, P. M. on the usual parade ground. It is hoped and expected the members will not be remiss in turning out on that day, but that they will punctually attend, with arms and accoutrements in soldier-like order.
 May 28, 1807.

Farmers Bank of Maryland,

May 22, 1807.

NOTICE to stockholders, that the second instalment of ten dollars a share on their stock becomes due and payable the 13th June next. Any stockholder failing to make regular payment of any instalment, such stockholder's money in bank will remain free from interest, and not entitled to dividend, until such instalment or call shall be made good; and the dividend thereafter to be paid to such stockholder, well upon the money by him regularly paid, as upon the money paid after default, will be calculated only from the time when said last instalment was made good.

By order,

JONA. PINKNEY, Cashier.

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Prince-George's county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of MICHAEL ANE, late of Prince-George's county, deceased; and 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 20th day of November next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate; and all persons indebted are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber. Given under my hand this 10th day of May, 1807.

OSBORN WILLIAMS, Administrator.

Ten Dollars Reward.

STOLEN from the subscriber, living on West-River, in Anne-Arundel county, on Friday night the 16th inst. a DARK BAY MARE, about fourteen hands high, six years old this spring, a few white hairs in her forehead, a short dock and some white hairs in her tail, shod before, trots and canters; any person giving information so that I get her again shall receive the above reward.

RICHARD LAUGHLIN;

West-River, 2d May, 1807.

The person suspected of stealing the above mare, is supposed, left the one described in the following certificate:

ANNE-ARUNDEL COUNTY, to wit
 I HEREBY certify, that RICHARD LAUGHLIN, said county, brought before me a stray bay mare, of fifteen hands high, with a star in her forehead, about ten years old, branded on the near shoulder and thigh, and under the main with the figures 19, thin flesh, trots and canters, four stout shoes on. Given under the hand of me one of the justices of the peace for the county aforesaid, this 21st day of May, 1807.

EDWARD HALE, West-River.

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

RICHARD LAUGHLIN.

Interesting to the Public.

TRAVELLERS wishing a short water passage from the Eastern to the Western Shore, will find a PACKET ready at 9 o'clock to leave BROAD CREEK FERRY, and one at the same hour will start from ANNAPOLIS to KENT ISLAND. The convenience of this ferry is so well known 'tis only necessary for the public to be informed of the certainty of crossing every day in the week to command a preference. Every attention will be paid to give general satisfaction.

MOSES C. LEGG.

Kent Island, Broad Creek Ferry, May 24, 1807.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT the property of WILLIAM GAMBRIEL, of William, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, will be SOLD at PUBLIC SALE, on MONDAY, the 15th day of June next, at the house of HARRIOT GAMBRIEL, on Curtis's Creek. The said property consists of Negroes, Cattle, Sheep, Horses, Hogs, Household Furniture, Plantation Utensils, and sundry other articles too tedious to mention.

RICHARD FISHER, Administrator.
 May 23, 1807.

Lands for Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the High Court of Chancery, the subscriber will SELL, at PUBLIC SALE, at the UNION TAVERN, at the city of Annapolis, on FRIDAY, the 26th day of June next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, all the right and estate of SAMUEL GODMAN, deceased, in and to the following lands, viz:

Talbot County.—NEGLECT, 17 1/2 acres. Anne-Arundel county.—Addition to Something or Other, 18 acres; Timber Level, 28 acres; The Addition to Deep Run, 63 acres; Deep Run Meadow, 2 acres, partly in Anne-Arundel and partly in Baltimore county.

Worcester county.—Hardship, 78 1/2 acres; Five Pond Ridge, 67 1/2 acres; Macom's Ridge, 77 1/2 acres; Retirement, 167 acres.

Washington county.—Mannan's Fancy, 92 1/2 acres; Friendship, 26 1/2 acres; More Trouble Yet, 31 acres; One Field More, 15 1/2 acres; Rotte'dam, 15 1/2 acres; David's Friend Defeated, 5 1/2 acres; Cloudy Weather, 19 1/2 acres; One Hundred Hills, 10 1/2 acres; Addition to Freeman's Forest, 9 1/2 acres; Addition to White Oak Vally, 22 1/2 acres; Addition to White Oak Land, 60 1/2 acres; Freeman's Mistake, 5 acres.

Harford county.—Bond's Neglect, 19 acres; Rich Angle, 13 1/2 acres; Timber Grove, 42 acres; Taylor's Mistake, 17 acres; Webster's Neglect, 47 acres; Silver Hills Secured, 56 acres; Saint George's Neighbour, 38 acres; Leonard's Disappointment, 19 acres; Oblong 12 acres; Orchard and Spring Re-seated, 15 1/2 acres.

Alleghany county.—Mount Hope, 64 1/2 acres; Water Works, 352 1/2 acres.

Baltimore county.—Godman's Beginning, 34 1/2 acres; Timoneum Defeated, 2 1/2 acres; Adventure, 41 1/2 acres.

Caroline county.—The Recovery Secured, 113 1/2 acres; Barren Hill Secured, 36 1/2 acres; Fowler's Plain Dealing Secured, 50 1/2 acres.

Dorchester county.—Bear's Addition, 24 acres; Godman's Advantage, 41 1/2 acres.

Charles county.—The Seat Resurveyed, 18 1/2 acres.

The terms of sale of the above property are, that the purchaser or purchasers of any part shall give bond, with approved security, for paying the purchase money, with interest, within twelve months from the time of sale.

The creditors of the said Samuel Godman, deceased, are hereby notified to bring in their respective claims, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 10th day of October next.

JOHN BREWER, Trustee.

May 27, 1807.

N. B. The subscriber has for sale, a young NEGRO WOMAN, with 2 male children. For terms apply to J. B.

Six Cents Reward,

Including what the law allows.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, living in Anne-Arundel county, state of Maryland, an apprentice boy to the house carpenter's and joiners' business, named BE. JAMIN ATWELL, about 16 years of age: I do hereby forewarn all persons from harbouring the said boy, and all masters of vessels from carrying him off at their peril. The above reward and all reasonable charges paid if brought home.

JOSEPH ATWELL.

May 4, 1807.

NO A I C E.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Mrs. ANN ROBERTS, late of Calvert county, Maryland, deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit them, properly authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 15th day of November next, otherwise they may by law, be precluded from all benefit thereof, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned living in the aforesaid county and state.

ALEXANDER BROME, Executor of the last will of the deceased.

May 7th, 1807.

* Cash given for clean linen and cotton RAGS.

Poet's Corner.

SELECTED.

ON HOPE.

WITHIN the mine of Sorrow's boding thought,
 What varying sources of affliction rise!
 But fancy, sitting through the darksome vault,
 Fondly on HOPE'S sustaining power relies.
 If thou, bright Goddess! with propitious smile,
 Rais'd not the pilgrim's eye to meet thy way,
 His wretched hours, ah! how could he beguile,
 Mark'd by misfortune's melancholy day,
 Weak are we all, and little us'd to scan
 The cherish'd wishes that our bosom heave;
 For often when we form some favourite plan,
 'Tis then, alas! HOPE takes her sudden leave.

SONNET.

LOUDLY the blast breaks through the fullen wood,
 O'er whose dark brow alternate lightnings play;
 In hollow murmur rolls the sweeping flood,
 And sable night usurps the throne of day;
 While mid the tumult that portends a storm,
 Each trembling insect seeks a covert warm.
 Ah! where shall I (more lowly I than they)
 Find their repose when winter rules the field,
 Shall I, without regret, arise with May,
 And taste the sweetly refreshing SPRING shall yield.

Let me, like these, though threatening ills assail,
 Pass the meridian of my summer's sun,
 Shield my frail youth, its fleeting tenure veil,
 And wake to nobler joys when life is done.

THOUGHTS ON SPRING.

O! WITH what rapture do my longing eyes
 Gaze on the swelling bud that first proclaims
 The mild return of Spring!
 The mimic leaf unfolds its satin vest,
 Cautious and fearful, lest the biting breeze
 Shoul nip the infant efforts of the year,
 And blight the embryo blossom in its cell!
 Range we the forest o'er whose swinging head
 Late roar'd the tempest in destructive sway,
 How calm, how peaceful now! the southern breeze,
 Awakening vegetation into life,
 Creeps thro' the thicket, and, with od'rous breath,
 Prompts every feather'd tenant of the grove
 To swell the song of joy and gratitude.
 Nature! in every varied form and work,
 How regular, how beautiful art thou!
 Compar'd with thee, how vain the boasted art,
 How trifling all the vaunted pride of man!
 Vain mortal! learn to venerate the pow'r
 That can arrest the torrent in its course,
 Enchain the mighty river in its bed,
 Or, with a breath, release the fetter'd stream:
 O! reverence Him, that with a father's care,
 Caters for all his children, and provides
 Ev'n for the little wren his winter store;
 That weaves the living carpet for our feet,
 With flow'rs embellish'd bids the flow'rs to fall,
 The tree to blossom, and the ripen'd fruit
 To hang in rich profusion from the bough,
 Think but on these, and gratefully adore
 The Wisdom that ordain'd—The Pow'r that guides.

W A R.

By Hannah More.

..... "WAR! what art thou!
 After the brighten'd conquest, what remains
 Of all thy glories? For the vanquish'd, chains!
 For the proud victor, what! Alas! to reign
 O'er desolated nations!—a drear waste!
 By one man's crime, by one man's lust of pow'r,
 Unpeopled, naked plains, and ravag'd fields,
 Succeed to smiling harvests, and the fruits
 Of peaceful olive, luscious fig and vine!
 Here rised temples are the cavern'd dens
 Of savage beasts, or haunt of birds obscene;
 There pop'lous cities blacken in the sun,
 And in the gen'ral wreck proud palaces
 Lie undistinguish'd save by the dun smoke
 Of recent conflagration! When the song
 Of dear-bought joy, with many a triumph swell'd
 Salutes the victor's ear and soothes his pride,
 How is the grateful harmony profan'd
 With the sad dissonance of virgin cries,
 Who mourn their brothers slain! Of matrons hoar,
 Who clasp their wither'd hands, and fondly ask,
 With iteration shrill, their slaughter'd sons!
 How is the laurel's verdure stain'd with bloody,
 And soil'd with widow's tears!"

ANECDOTES.

OLIVER MAILLARD, a Cordelier, had the reputation of being one of the most famous preachers of his time. Having glanced, in his sermon, at some traits applicable to the conduct of Louis XI. the irritated monarch desired the preacher to be told that he would drown him. "The king is master," replied Maillard; "but tell him I shall arrive sooner in Paradise by water, than he will with all his post horses."

FONTENELLE, at the age of 97, after saying many amiable and gallant things to the young and beautiful Mad. Helvetius, passed before her, without perceiving her, in order to place himself at table. "See," said Madame Helvetius, "how I ought to value your gallantries; you pass before me without looking at me." "Madame," said the old man, "If I had looked at you I could not have passed."