

The right of his majesty to resort to retaliation cannot be questioned. The suffering occasioned to neutral parties is incidental, and not of his majesty's seeking.

In the exercise of this undoubted right, his majesty has studiously endeavoured to avoid aggravating unnecessarily the inconveniences suffered by the neutral. And I am commanded by his majesty, especially, to represent to the government of the United States, the earnest desire of his majesty, to see the commerce of the world restored once more to that freedom which is necessary for its prosperity; and his readiness to abandon the system which has been forced upon him, when the enemy shall retract the principles which have rendered it necessary; but his majesty entertains the conviction, upon which alone his present measures are founded, that it would be vain to hope for such a retraction, until the enemy shall himself have been made to feel a portion of the evils which he has endeavoured to inflict upon others. I have the honour to be, with great consideration and respect, sir, your most obedient humble servant,
D. M. ERSKINE.

Hon. J. Madison, Sec'y of State.
[The Letter of M. Champagny appeared in our last]

APPOINTMENTS

By the Governor and Council of Maryland, April 1808.
David Shriver, junior, paymaster to 20th reg. Frederick county.
James Hammond, of Wm. capt. Larkin Hammond, lieutenant, and George Fletcher, ensign, of a company, 22d reg. Anne-Arundel county.
Nehemiah Townsend, major of the extra battalion, Caroline county.
Israel D. Maulsby, adj. to the 40th reg. Harford.
Henry Dorsey, lieutenant, do. do.
George McCauland, major, extra battalion, do.
Robert Carlon, ensign of capt. Wm. Sudler's company, 35th reg.
Charles D. Hodges, lieutenant, and Richard Estep, ensign, of capt. B. M. Coney's company, 2d reg. Anne-Arundel county.
William Lambdin, lieutenant, col. 26th reg. Talbot.
James Clayland, captain, and Richard Robinson, lieutenant, of a company, 4th reg. do.
Philemon Cromwell, captain. David Gushaw, lieutenant, and Henry Seibert, ensign, do. 8th do.
John John C., lieutenant, col. 8th reg. Washington county.
Charles W. Hanson, captain. Alexander C. Hanson, lieutenant, and John Foss, ensign, of a company, 39th reg. Balt.
Polodore Orielly, surgeon's mate, 22d reg. Anne-Arundel.

The company commanded by Charles W. Hanson have tendered their services to the executive of Maryland as part of the quota required by the president of the United States.

FOREIGN.

LONDON, Feb. 23.
Papers respecting negotiation with America were all night laid before the house of commons. The report of a change of ministry is revived. It is said the D. of Portland and Mr. Canning are to retire, and the latter gentleman to be succeeded by the marquis of Wellesley.
We have reason to believe a difference existed in the cabinet as to the manner in which the affair of Copenhagen was to be justified.
An order has been issued to prohibit the exportation of Peruvian bark to France, where a sickness is said to prevail (among the troops from Poland,) in which the bark is wanted. Mr. Whitebread centured the order.
February 24.
Lord St. John has given notice that he shall tomorrow move an address to his majesty to suspend the operation of the orders in council.

TRURO, Feb. 27:
The expedition under Spencer failed on the 20th. The troops amounted to 9000. They are supposed to be bound to Gibraltar.

ATTENTION!

THE members of the First Volunteer Company of the city of Annapolis, are ordered to parade on SATURDAY, the 16th inst. at half past two o'clock, P. M. on the usual parade ground, with arms and accoutrements in complete order.
This meeting is called agreeably to law.
By order, JOS. B. BARNES, Sec.

ANNAPOLIS ARTILLERISTS—ATTENTION!

YOU are to parade in front of Mr. SHAW'S house, at 10 o'clock, P. M. on SATURDAY next, the 16th instant, in complete uniform. This meeting is called agreeably to law, absentees must of course be fined.
JOHN MUIR, Captain.

Public Sale.

An order from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be sold, at public sale, on Friday, the 22d day of April next, on Rock Creek, Patuxent, ALL the personal property of JAMES ANDERSON, of Wm. deceased, consisting of negroes, horses, cattle, household and kitchen furniture. The sale to commence at ten o'clock, and continue till all sold. All sums over ten dollars six months credit, with notes, with approved security.
EDWARD E. ANDERSON, Administrator.
Anne-Arundel county, March 29, 1808.

Public Sale.

To be sold, at public sale, at the subscriber's, on the head of South river, on Tuesday, the 3d day of May, 1808, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter,

HORSES, cattle, hogs, corn, plantation utensils, household and kitchen furniture, and many other articles too tedious to mention. Terms of sale, six months credit on all sums over ten dollars, with bond and good security; for all sums under ten dollars, cash. Sale to commence at 11 o'clock in the morning, and to continue until all is sold.

LADDER EDWARDS.
N. B. All persons paying cash on the day of sale will be allowed a discount of 10 per cent.

State of Maryland, &c.

Anne-Arundel county, orphans court, April 5, 1808.
ON application, by petition, of ANNE PRICE, executrix of Smith Price, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered, that she 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 SMITH PRICE, 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 fifth day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 5th day of April, 1808.
ANNE PRICE, Executrix.

A STRAY.

THERE is at the farm of Mr. FRANCIS T. CLEMENTS, on the south side of Severn river, a young HEIFER, unmarked, she came to the said farm some time last summer, she appears to be about two years old, her head, neck, sides and legs, are black; her back, belly and tail, are white. The owner is desirous to prove property, pay the cost of this advertisement, and take her away.
SAMUEL W. TAYLOR, Overseer
Francis T. Clements.
Anne-Arundel county, April 12, 1808.

BENJAMIN SEWELL,

BOOT and SHOE-MAKER,
BEGS leave to inform his friends, and the public in general, that he has removed to Church-street, the next door below Jeremiah Hughes, and opposite William Caton's store, where he carries on the above-business in all its various branches, in the neatest and most fashionable manner. He returns his most sincere thanks for the encouragement he has received, and hopes, by his strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of their favours.
P. S. Mrs. Sewell carries on the millinery and mantua-making business.
Annapolis, March 22, 1808.

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 JAMES ANDERSON, 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, and those indebted to make payment, to
EDWARD E. ANDERSON, Administrator.
March 22, 1808.

Notice is hereby given;

THAT the subscriber intends to apply to the judges of Prince-George's county court, if in session, or to some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of the said court, after this notice hath been duly published for eight weeks successively, for the benefit of the act of insolvency of this state, and of the supplement thereto, on his complying with the provisions thereof.
GEORGE W. WILLETT.
Prince-George's county, March 12, 1808.

NOTICE.

THIS is to give notice to all my creditors; that I mean to apply to the judges of Calvert county court, or some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of the court, after this notice shall have been published two months, for the benefit of an act of the general assembly of Maryland, passed at November session, 1805, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and of the supplement thereto, passed at November session, 1806.
ROBERT ALLEIN.
February 18, 1808.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the late Mr. JAMES TOOMEY, of Saint-Mary's county, will be pleased to pay the same to his widow and administratrix; any demands upon the said estate are requested to be forwarded before the 1st day of July next, that they may be arranged and settled.
ANNE TOOMEY, Administratrix.
Cool Springs, St. Mary's county.

**FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE,
The LANDHOLDERS ASSISTANT
AND LAND OFFICE GUIDE.**

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Prince-George's county, in the state of Maryland, letters of administration de bonis non, with the will annexed, on the personal estate of WILLIAM SYDEBOTHAM, late of Prince-George's 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 tenth day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this tenth day of March, 1808.
JOHN THOMAS SHAAFF, Administrator
de bonis non, w. a.

In CHANCERY, March 24, 1808.

ORDERED, That the report of HAMLET GILLIS, trustee for the sale of the real estate of JOHN GILLIS, deceased, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the sixteenth day of May next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once in each of three successive weeks; before the sixteenth day of April next.

The report states, that a tract of land, situate in Anne-Arundel county, called *Farmer's Fields*, containing three hundred and fifty-six and an half acres of land, was sold for four thousand and eighty dollars.

True copy,
Test. NICHOLAS BREWER,
Reg. Cur. Can.

In CHANCERY, April 4, 1808.

ORDERED, That the sale made by JOHN BREWER, and reported by him, as trustee for the sale of the real estate of Jonathan Beard, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the fifth day of May next, provided a copy of this order be published three times in the Maryland Gazette before the thirtieth instant.

The report states, that 269 acres of land sold at £.5 per acre.

True copy,
Test. NICHOLAS BREWER,
Reg. Cur. Can.

BARK.

THE subscriber wants, this spring, one hundred cords of good Spanish, water, black or white oak BARK. He will give from seven to nine dollars per cord, or at any rate he will give one dollar more than the Baltimore price, if brought to this city; any one having that article to dispose of, so that it can be brought to Annapolis by water, and finds it inconvenient to peel or deliver it, he will get it himself, and give a good price in proportion.
JOHN HYDE.

Annapolis, March 1, 1808.
Those persons who have the above article to dispose of will send their letters to the subscriber as soon as possible.
J. H.

A Runaway.

COMMITTED to my custody, as a runaway, a mulatto man, named MOSES, who says he belongs to Mr. HENRY WILSON, of the city of Baltimore, said fellow appears to be about 20 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, well made, has a fore leg; his cloathing a furtout coat of light coloured drab cloth, vest of white flannel, faced with red cloth, nankeen pantaloons, osnabrig shirt, worsted hose, and old shoes. His owner is desirous to take him away, or he will be sold, agreeably to law, for his gaol fees, &c.
JOSEPH M'CENEY, Sheriff of
Anne-Arundel county.
January 25, 1808.

A Runaway.

COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway a negro man named CALEB, who says he belongs to GEORGE CHILDRESS, of Georgia, he appears to be about 23 years of age, 5 feet 7 1/2 inches high; of a slender make, has several scars on each of his wrists; his cloathing is a round cloth jacket, osnabrigs shirt, striped cotton trousers, and coarse hat. His owner is desirous to take him away, or he will be sold for his expences agreeable to law.
JOHN M'WILLIAMS, Sheriff of
St. Mary's county.
October 10, 1807.

A Runaway.

COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, on Friday, the 9th instant, a negro man who says his name is GEORGE, that he was formerly the property of col. William Alexander, Virginia, by him was sold to a Mr. Robertson, of Ohio, from whom he escaped when on his way home about a month since; he is a well made fellow, about six feet high, rather tawny complexion, about twenty-five years old; his cloathing when committed a round grey cloth jacket, home made trousers and osnabrigs shirt. His owner is desirous to take him away or he will be sold agreeable to law for prison fees and other expences.
NOTLEY MADDOX, Sheriff of
Prince George's count.

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