

Recently publish and declare the several districts composing this territory of West Florida to be a free and independent state, and that they have a right to institute for themselves such form of government as they think conducive to their safety and happiness—to form treaties—to establish commerce—to provide for their common defence, and do all acts which may of right be done by a foreign and independent nation. At the same time declaring all acts within the territory of West Florida after this date by any tribunal or authorities, not deriving their powers from the people agreeably to the provisions of this convention, to be null and void—and calling upon all foreign nations to respect this our declaration, acknowledging our independence, and giving us such aid as may be consistent with the laws of nations.

This declaration made in convention, at the town of Baton Rouge, on the 26th day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ten—We the representatives in the name and on behalf of our constituents do hereby solemnly pledge ourselves to support with our lives and fortunes.

(Signed) John H. Johnson,  
John Mills,  
John W. Leonard,  
William Barrow,  
Philip Hicky,  
John Morgan,  
Edmund Hawes,  
Thomas Lilley,  
William Spiller,  
JOHN RHEA, President.  
ANDREW STEELE, Sec.

From the same paper as the above :

Just as our paper was going to press, we were informed by a gentleman direct from the town of Washington, that his excellency David Holmes, governor of this territory, had received intelligence by an express, that Col. James Callier, of Washington county, with a party of forty or fifty men, had taken possession of the garrison and Spanish settlement on the Mobile. We give this as we received it—we cannot vouch for its authenticity.

### The Knot.

Married—At West-River, on Thursday evening last, by the Rev. Mr. PITTS, Mr. LAW WELLS to Miss HANNAH MAYO, all of this City.

### The Knell.

COMMUNICATED.

Happy day! that breaks our chains;  
That manumits; that calls from exile home;  
That leads to Nature's great Metropolis,  
And re-admits us thro' the guardian hand  
Of elder brothers to our Father's Throne."

Young.

DIED, in this city, to which she removed from her residence near Herring Bay for the benefit of her health, on Thursday last, after a lingering illness, Miss SUSAN WYVILL, in the 50th year of her age.

Early in life this amiable lady became a member of the Methodist Church, and continued firm till the hour of dissolution, when not the reluctant sigh was she heard to utter, but as a true and pure christian sunk calm and resigned into the arms of death. The years of sorrow may for a time moisten the cheeks of those friends and relatives who knew and loved her virtues, when serious reflection takes possession of their bosoms, they can but rejoice in the pleasing hope that her gentle and immaculate spirit has fled to the regions of eternal life, ever to enjoy the smiles of an approving God.

### GIDEON WHITE

Respectfully informs his Friends and the Public, that he has received an Assortment of

### Fall & Winter Goods,

Laid in on the best terms, which he will sell at a very moderate advance for Cash, Tobacco, or on the usual terms to Punctual Customers.

Those who wish to buy Bargains for Cash, may find it to their advantage to give him a call.  
Annapolis, October 29.

### NEW GOODS.

Just received, an additional supply of SUNDRY MERCHANDISE, by the last arrivals from Europe, suitable for the present and approaching season. Also a Good Collection of

### GROCERIES,

Among which are—Molasses, Loaf & Brown Sugar, Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, Old Spirit, Various Wines, and Holland Gin, &c. &c. all which will be sold low for Cash, or country produce, and as usual, to punctual customers, by the subscriber.

WILLIAM WELLS.

### Anne-Arundel County Court,

September Term, 1810.

ON application to the judges of the said county court, by petition, in writing, of Jehoshaphat M'Cauley, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition, and the said county court being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said Jehoshaphat M'Cauley has resided the two preceding years prior to the passage of the said act within the State of Maryland, and the said Jehoshaphat M'Cauley, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent in writing of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of filing his said petition; it is thereupon adjudged and ordered by the said court, that the said Jehoshaphat M'Cauley, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette once a week for three successive months, before the third Monday of April next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, to be held at the city of Annapolis, at ten o'clock in forenoon of the said third Monday of April next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Jehoshaphat M'Cauley then and there taking the oath by the said act prescribed for delivering up his property.

Signed by order,

WM. S. GREEN, Clerk  
Anne-Arundel County Court.

Oct. 24, 1810.

### Anne-Arundel County Court.

September Term, 1810.

ON application to the judges of said county court, by petition, in writing, of Gassaway Iiams, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition; and the said county court being satisfied by competent testimony that the said Gassaway Iiams has resided the two preceding years, prior to the passage of the said act, within the State of Maryland, and the said Gassaway Iiams at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced to the said court the assent in writing of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of filing his said petition, it is thereupon adjudged & ordered by the said court, that the said Gassaway Iiams, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, once a week for three successive months before the third Monday of April next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, to be held at the city of Annapolis, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said third Monday of April next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Gassaway Iiams then and there taking the oath by the said act prescribed for delivering up his property.

Signed by order,

WM. S. GREEN, Clerk  
Anne-Arundel County Court.

Oct. 24, 1810

TO BE SOLD,

### At Public Sale,

On Monday, the 26th November, 1810, SUNDRY VALUABLE SLAVES, men, women and children. Likewise a variety of household furniture.

The terms of sale are, Cash to be paid down for all purchases under twenty dollars; all larger sums to be bonded for, with approved security, payable in nine months.

### NOTICE.

THE subscriber having, on application to the orphan's court of Anne-Arundel county obtained letters of administration on the personal estate of NICHOLAS HARWOOD, late of said county, deceased, requests all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, to present the same legally authenticated, for settlement, and all persons indebted to the same to make immediate payment.

JAMES HARWOOD, Adm'r.

### Notice is hereby given,

TO all my creditors, that I intend to apply to Anne-Arundel county court, or to some judge thereof, in the recess of the court, after this notice shall have been published two months, for the benefit of the act of assembly, passed at November session, 1805, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and the several supplements thereto.

Oct. 23, 1810.

RICHARD GRAY.

### NEW GOODS.

Joseph Evans,

Has just received, by the latest arrivals at Baltimore, a Handsome Assortment of Fall and Winter Goods, Which he offers for Sale on Accommodating Terms;

—AMONG WHICH ARE—

Superfine and Second Broad Clothes.	Lustrings and Florence,
Coarse ditto.	Pelongs & Black Satins,
Casimers, Imperial Cards, Stockingnet, Devonshire Kerseys, Knapped & Mole-skin Coatings, Double milled Drabs, Superfine and Coarse Plains.	Elegant Figured Silk Shawls, Twilled Cotton do. Gambriick, Jaconet & Book Mullins, Leno, Seeded & Rich Figured do.
Jerseys, Kerseys and Halfsticks, Fearnoughts, Rofe and Matchcoat Blankets, Silk, Cotton & Woollen Hosiery, Constitution Cords, Corduroys & Velvets, Pelisse & Silk Velvets, Silk Mole-skin and Florentines, Foinettes and Marfeilles,	Ladies & Gentlemen's Silk Gloves, Ladies Long & Short Kid ditto, Gentlemen's Beaver ditto, Irish Linens & Shirting Cambricks, Irish Sheeting, India Cottons, Barcelona & Bandanna Silk Handkerchiefs, Madras & Check do Black Crapes, Cotton & Wool Card A Variety of Hardware, Also Earthen, Glass, China and Stone Ware.
Stuffs, Chintz & Calicoes, Checks, Elegant Rich Figured Satins,	
Ditto Ribbands,	

And, as usual, a General Assortment of Liquors & Groceries.

A Liberal Discount will be made for CASH!

N. B. J. EVANS requests all those who are indebted to him on open accounts, that have been more than six months standing, to call at his store and pay the same, or clothe them by note, and those who are indebted to him on note or bond are earnestly requested to pay the same on or before the 1st February next, as further indulgence cannot be given. Tobacco will be received in payment at a fair market price.

Annapolis, Oct. 22, 1810. 2

### NOTICE.

I HEREBY give notice to all my creditors, that I intend to apply to Anne-Arundel county court, or to some Judge thereof, in the recess of the court, after this notice shall have been published two months, for the benefit of the act of Assembly, passed at November session, 1805, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and the several supplements thereto.

DENNIS IGLEHART.

October 20, 1810. 2 8w.

### List of Letters

Remaining in the Post-office, Annapolis, Sept. 30, 1810

JAMES THOMAS AMARICK, Nicholas Brice, Nicholas Brewer, (2), Bailly Bruce, Moses Bullin, Clerk of the House of Delegates, Clerk of the General Court (Clerk of Anne-Arundel County, Charlotte Chisholm, William Coe (2), William Chiles, Patrick Carmady, Samuel Dilworth, William Duwall, Editor of any of the Public Papers, Susan Earls, Eliza Fox, George Fisher, Rebecca Frost, Thomas Fox, Grand secretary of the Grand Lodge of Maryland, Anne Grafton, John Gwinn, Dr. James Gray, William Garrat, Nicholas Harwood, Elizabeth Howard, Edward Hall, Jonathan Hutton, Matilda Hanson, Robert Hughes, John Jarvis, Lucy Jourdan, Sally Jones, James Jones Aaron Jones, Joshua Leavitt, Joseph M'Geney, James H. Marriott, Thomas Matson, William Ogden, William Parkerfon, Anne Price, Judge Ridgely, Nelson Reed, Anne Richeson, Sec'y. of Antanda Lodge, Sec'y. of Federal Lodge, Margaret Shepherd, Francis Striblong, Theodore St. Marguerite, Benjamin Sewell, Rt. Stocker, Mrs. Stepany, Mary Thompson, William Tuck, William Taylor, William Thumblert, Plater Young, Price Volintine, Gracy White, James Wright, John Wardin (2), Wm. Wilks, Annapolis.

Thomas Bicknell (2), John Dover, Jas. Frost, Timothy Gray, William Garner, Maria Harwood, Os. S. Harwood, Maj. Philip Hammond, Joshua C. Higgins, Joseph Hall, Thomas Hammond, Joseph Jenifer, Moses Orme (2), Relatives and Friends of Thomas Booth, John Rawlings (2), Basil Simpson, John Smith, James Slack (2), John Chew Thomas, Henry Troit, Lance lot Warfield, Joseph and Benjamin Watson, Anne-Arundel county.

S. GREEN, P. M.  
None of the above letters will be delivered without the money. 3w.

### Public Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the high court of chancery of the State of Maryland, the subscriber will Expose to Public Sale, on the premises, on THURSDAY, the 22d day of November next, if fair, if not, on the first fair day thereafter, part of the real estate of James Brice, late of the city of Annapolis, deceased, consisting of the following tracts or parcels of land.

JONES'S RESURVEY, Crouche's Triangle, Crouche's Calf Pasture, Surebind, Surefind, and Brice's Addition to North Crouchfield, containing about five hundred acres, lying on the North side of Severn River, about six miles from Annapolis. This land is extremely well wooded, and produces good Indian corn, wheat, &c. The subscriber thinks a further description of the above property unnecessary, as those who are disposed to purchase, will, it is presumed, view the premises.

The terms of sale are, the purchaser or purchasers shall give bond, or negotiable notes, with security to be approved by the trustee, for the payment of the purchase money, with interest, within twelve months from the time of sale; and on receipt of the whole of the purchase money, and after ratification of the sale by the chancellor, the trustee will by a good and sufficient deed or deeds, convey to the purchaser or purchasers, his and their heirs and assigns, in fee-simple, the said lands and premises, discharged of and from all right, title and claim, of the heirs at law of the said James Brice.

JAMES F. BRICE, Trustee.

At the same time and place will be offered at Public Sale, part of the personal property of the said deceased, consisting of stock of various kinds, and some corn and fodder. The terms of sale are, for all sums under 20

dollars the cash to be paid, and for all sums above 20 dollars a credit of six months will be given; the purchaser giving bond with approved security for the payment of the purchase money, with legal interest from the day of sale. Any persons that are desirous of purchasing at private sale can be accommodated by applying to J. F. BRICE.

The subscriber has several valuable Young Negro Men to hire. J. F. B.

### Public Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the high court of chancery of Maryland, will be offered at Public Sale, to the highest bidder, on Saturday, the 3d day of Nov. next, at 11 o'clock, if fair, if not the first fair day thereafter, on the premises,

PARTS of two tracts of land, the one called Burgel's Right, and the other called Puddington's Harbour, otherwise called Puddington's Gift, lying in Anne-Arundel county, on the South side of South River, and containing 229½ acres, which said parcels of land were purchased by Charles Stewart, deceased, of Charles Wallace, Esq. This land is bounded nearly all round by South river and creeks making from said river, from which fish, oysters & wild fowl, are to be had in their seasons. The improvements are, a framed dwelling house, a good kitchen, two oacco house and other out houses.

The terms of sale will be one half of the purchase money to be paid at the expiration of nine months from the day of sale, and the residue at the expiration of nine months thereafter; the purchaser giving bond, with security, to be approved by the trustee, bearing interest from the day of sale; and on the ratification of the sale by the chancellor, and on payment of the whole purchase money, the trustee will, by a good and sufficient deed, convey to the purchaser, & his heirs, all the right, title, claim, interest, & demand, of Charles Wallace, and the heirs and representatives of the said Charles Stewart, of, in and to, the said parcels of land and premises.

THOMAS HARRISON, Trustee.

N. B. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are warned to exhibit the same in the chancery office, within six months from the day of sale. T. H.

### NOTICE.

WE hereby give notice to all our creditors, that we intend, after this notice shall have been published two months, to apply to Charles county court, or to one of the judges thereof in the recess of the court, for the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and of the several supplements thereto.

JOSEPH TURNER,  
ROBERT TURNER.

Aug. 3, 1810.

### Anne-Arundel County.

FOUND by the subscriber living near Sandy Point, on the morning of the 18th inst. a RATTEAU about 18 feet long, partly new, painted red; had on board a cast-iron sledge hammer, and tin can. The owner is desired to come, prove property, pay expenses, and take her away.

ROBERT WEEDON.  
Oct. 19, 1810.