

# MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1812.

[No. 3402.]

[LXVIIIth YEAR.]

## Public Sale.

By virtue of an order of the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, the subscriber will expose to Public Sale, at 11 o'clock on Monday the thirtieth day of March inst. at the dwelling of the late Joseph Jenifer, All the personal property of the deceased, consisting of several valuable Negroes, Household furniture, and Stock of all kinds. Terms of sale Cash.

Thos. Norris, Attorney in fact, for Ann Jenifer, executrix of Joseph. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified to exhibit the same to the subscriber on or before the first day of June next. Thos. Norris, of Jno. West River. 3w.

## Public Sale.

By virtue of an order from the orphans court of Anne Arundel county, will be exposed to Public Sale, on Tuesday the 31st inst. if fair, if not the next fair day, at the late residence of John Rawlings, deceased, near South river church, All the personal property of the said deceased, consisting of One Negro Man, a valuable stock of Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs; plantation utensils, Household Furniture; a quantity of Indian Corn, Bacon, and Lard, with many other articles too tedious to mention. Terms of sale, for all sums under twenty dollars the cash to be paid; all sums of that amount, and over, six months credit will be given, on the purchasers giving note with approved security. Sale will commence at 10 o'clock.

John Duvall of M. Adm'r. N. B. At the same time will be offered for rent the Plantation of said deceased for the present year. March 12, 1812. J. D. Adm'r. 3w.

## For Sale

THE plantation called Aberdeen, and Lands adjoining, containing about 350 to 60 acres, situated within a half mile of South River Ferry. Also the Houses in this city, occupied at present by Messrs. John Munroe, Wm. Tuck, and Gilbert Mardock. Also a number of Negroes, amongst them there are several valuable tradesmen. Apply to William Stewart. 3w.

## NOTICE

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, letters of administration on the personal estate of John Rawlings, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate, are requested to bring them in, legally authenticated, for settlement, and all those indebted, to make immediate payment. John Duvall, of M. Adm'r. 3w.

## NOTICE

ALL persons in any manner indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call on Mr. George Mackubin, living in Corn-hill-street, Annapolis, and pay the interest due and one-fourth part of the principal, of his claims against them, on or before the 20th of March next, otherwise suits will be instituted after that day for the recovery of the whole. He also forewarns all persons from hunting with dog or gun, passing in any direction out of the public road, or trespassing in any manner whatever on his Farm, on South-River, called Hillden, and more particularly on that part of it known by the name of the "Land of Ease," as the law will be put in force against all offenders. Richard Mackubin. 3w.

## NOTICE

THE subscriber having obtained letters of administration on the personal estate of Frederick Green, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, requests all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to present the same, legally authenticated, for settlement, & all persons indebted to the said estate to make immediate payment. WM. S. GREEN, Adm'r.

## NOTICE

THE subscriber being, by a decree of the Honourable the Chancellor of Maryland, appointed trustee for the sale of the estate of George Mann, late of the city of Annapolis, deceased, in pursuance of the directions of the said decree, hereby gives notice to all the creditors of the said George Mann, and also to all the creditors of Mary Mann, late of the city of Annapolis, deceased, to exhibit their respective claims, with their vouchers, properly authenticated, in the court of chancery, within six months from the 1st day of October next. THOS. H. BOWIE, Trustee. Sept. 26, 1811. 3w.

By His Excellency ROBERT BOWIE, Esquire, Governor of the State of Maryland.

## A PROCLAMATION.

Whereas it has been represented to me by the mayor of the city of Baltimore, and the attorney-general of the state of Maryland, that an atrocious murder hath been committed on the person of a certain VINCENT LE HERMITE, late of the city of Baltimore, (barber) by some unknown hand; and praying the interposition of government: And whereas the quiet and security of the state depend on the vigilance of the constituted authorities, in causing the law against such enormities to be duly executed; I have therefore thought proper to issue this my proclamation, and do by and with the advice and consent of the council, hereby offer a reward of TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS,

To whoever will discover the author or perpetrator of the said murder; provided he, she or any of them be convicted thereof; and moreover, I do, by virtue of the authority and powers vested in me, hereby promise a full and free PARDON, to any person, being an accomplice, who shall discover the perpetrator or perpetrators of the aforesaid murder on the said condition. Given in council at the city of Annapolis, under the seal of the state of Maryland, this thirty-first day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twelve, and of the Independence of the United States of America the thirty-sixth.

Robert Bowie.

By His Excellency's command, NINIAN PINKNEY, Ck. of the Council.

To be published twice in each week for the space of four weeks in the Maryland Republican and Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis—the Whig, American, Sun and Federal Gazette, at Baltimore—Intelligencer, at Washington—Bartgis's paper, at Frederick-town—Maryland Herald, at Hagar's-town—Star, at Easton. 3w.

## MARYLAND.

Anne-Arundel County, sc. ON application to me, the subscriber, in the recess of Anne-Arundel county court, as an associate judge of the third judicial district of Maryland, by petition, in writing, of James Beachgood, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and five, and the several supplements thereto, 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, being annexed to his petition; and the said James Beachgood having satisfied me by competent testimony that he has resided in the state of Maryland for the period of two years immediately preceding this his application, and one of the constables of Anne-Arundel county having certified that the said petitioner is in his custody for debt only; and the said James Beachgood having given sufficient security for his personal appearance at Anne-Arundel county court, to answer such allegations as may be made against him by his creditors: I do therefore order and adjudge, that the said James Beachgood be discharged from his imprisonment, and that he, (by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette every week for three months successively before the third Monday in April next), give notice to his creditors to appear before Anne-Arundel county court on the said third Monday in April next, at ten o'clock in the morning, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to shew cause, if any they have, why the said James Beachgood should not have the benefit of said act and supplements, as prayed. Given under my hand this 18th day of June, 1811. 3m. Richard H. Harwood.

## Anne-Arundel County, sc.

ON application to the subscriber, in the recess of Anne-Arundel county court, as an associate for the third judicial district of Maryland, by petition in writing of Jeremiah Mecke, of Anne-Arundel county, praying for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and the several supplements thereto, 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; being annexed to his petition and the said Jeremiah Mecke having satisfied me that he has resided in the state of Maryland two years immediately preceding the time of his application, having also stated in his petition that he is in actual confinement for debt, and having prayed that he may be discharged from said confinement on the terms prescribed in said act, I do hereby order and adjudge, that the said Jeremiah Mecke be discharged from his imprisonment, and by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette for three months successively before the third Monday in April next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the county court of Anne-Arundel county, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to shew cause, if any they have, why the said Jeremiah Mecke should not have the benefit of said act and supplements, as prayed. Given under my hand this 3d day of July, 1811. 3m. Richard H. Harwood.

## MARYLAND GAZETTE.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, MARCH 26.

His B. M's Ketch GLEANER, arrived here on Thursday night last, in forty-two days from Plymouth, with despatches for Mr. Foster. By this arrival we have been favoured with a Plymouth paper of Feb. 1st. which contains little of importance. Some extracts follow.

LONDON, JANUARY 30.

## THE KING.

Our accounts from Windsor state, that His Majesty had a very serious change for the worse during Monday night, and the attendance of the whole of the physicians was immediately required. A dispatch was sent to the Prince Regent, and another to the Lord Chancellor, on which account his Lordship did not sit on Tuesday in the court of chancery. But we understand, from accounts since received, that His Majesty's disorder had not increased.

The Cadiz mail furnishes us with a continuation of the debates in the Cortes on the proposition of Senor Arguelles. The first of these propositions namely, "That at the head of the Regency which the congress was about to nominate for the government of the kingdom, conformably to the constitution, no royal personage should be placed," was carried by 93 votes against 53. One of the arguments for placing a royal personage at the head of the regency was, that the allies would treat more efficaciously with such a head than with any other government. It seems to have been the opinion of some people at Cadiz, that the measure was suggested by the allies of Spain.

French papers to the 24th have reached town. They mention several engagements between the Russians and Turks subsequent to the late defeat of the Turkish army, but say nothing respecting a peace between those powers.

It is said that ministers have received intelligence from Sicily, that immediately on the arrival of Lord William Bentinck he had an interview with king Ferdinand at Palermo; the immediate consequence of which was, that every thing was amicably arranged, and that the trial and punishment of a number of French spies and emissaries were ordered.

London Gazette, Extraordinary, Jan. 23. DOWNING-STREET, JAN. 23.

[Transmitted by Major-general Cooke.]

SIR—In my last I had the honour to state, that the enemy commenced to batter in breach on the 29th December, since which period until yesterday he kept up a heavy fire of cannon on the breach, and of shells on the town, cause-way and island. At 8 o'clock on the morning of the 31st December, a strong column was seen rapidly advancing on the breach; our musketry several times checked the enemy; and the firm front and intrepid behaviour of the troops, in less than an hour, gained a complete victory. The most bold of the enemy fell near the foot of the breach, and the mass of the column made a precipitate retreat.

The situation of the enemy's wounded, with which the ground was covered between his battery and our fire, where they must have inevitably perished, induced me, from motives of compassion, to hoist a flag of truce to carry them off. Some were brought into the place over the breach, but from the extreme difficulty attending this, I allowed the enemy to carry the remainder away. Gen. Leval, the French commander in chief, expressed his acknowledgment for the conduct of the British and Spanish nations on this occasion, in the most feeling and grateful terms. We have made prisoners ten officers and 20 or 30 soldiers; the enemy's loss has been very severe. The column that attacked the breach was 2000 men, composed of all the grenadiers and voltiguers of the army. The enemy invested this town on the 20th Dec. since which period, 1000 British and 7 or 800 Spanish troops, with only the defence of a wall, which appears to have been built as a defence against archery, and before the use of gun-powder, have resisted an army of 10,000 men, with a regular battering train of artillery, and have at last defeated and repulsed them. The wall of the town had the additional disadvantage of being commanded within half musket shot, and flanked on every side in almost every part. The conduct of all the troops has been admirable, and that of Lt. Col. Gough, and the 2d battalion of the 87th regiment, exceeds all praise. Equal credit is due to the indefatigable exertions of captain Smith's royal engineers, to whom much of our success is

due. I have on all occasions received the greatest assistance from the military experience and the great exertions of Lt. Col. Lord Proby, second in command.

We have to regret the loss of two officers killed, Lieut. Longley, Royal Engineers, and Lieut. Hall, 47th regiment. I have, &c. (Signed) J. B. SKERRETT, col.

Tariffa, Jan. 5.

SIR—In my letter of the 1st inst. I had the honour to relate the particulars of our proceedings here, and of our victory at the breach. Since that period the enemy has kept up a partial fire, and the breach was yesterday completely open for the space of 25 or 30 yards.

From the movements of the enemy last night, I was induced to suppose he intended another assault, and the garrison waited in eager expectation to give him another proof of British valour. To our astonishment, this morning at day-light, the columns of the enemy were already at a distance, having taken advantage of a dark and stormy night to make a precipitate retreat, leaving in our possession all his artillery, ammunition, stores, &c. I immediately ordered major Broad, with a part of the 47th regiment to follow the enemy; he took possession of his artillery, wagons, and a quantity of stores, time enough to save them from the flames, the enemy having set fire to them. We have made some prisoners. From the number of dead found on the ground the enemy occupied, his loss on the whole must have been very great. Marshal Victor was present in the French camp to give orders for the retreat.

We have thus seen the greatest effort the French are capable of making frustrated by 1800 British and Spanish troops, with only the defence of a paltry wall; and an army of 10,000 men, commanded by a marshal of France, retreating from them silently in the night, after having been repulsed and defeated, leaving behind all their artillery and stores, collected at a great expense and by immense exertions.

I enclose a return of artillery and stores taken from the enemy. The unremitting vigilance and exertions, the zeal and intrepidity of every individual of the garrison, is above praise.

I have the honour to dispatch this by my acting aid-de-camp, capt. O'Donoghue, of the 47th regiment, who is in possession of every information relative to my proceedings at this place, an officer of great merit and considerable length of service.

I have the honour to be, &c. (Signed) J. B. SKERRETT, col. To major-general Cooke, &c. &c.

[Here follows another letter from Colonel Skerrett, expressing his consideration of the unremitting exertions and great assistance afforded to the place by captains Dickson, Searle, Pell and Carroll, of the navy.]

[Then follows a despatch from Lieut. Gen. Campbell, at Gibraltar, which after detailing the result of the enemy's attack, states their loss at 300 men in killed and wounded, besides 10 officers prisoners, many deserters, and a great number of sick, which are left without accommodation. Fifty deserters reached Algiers on the 2d of January, in the most deplorable state, and assert that great numbers would come in but for the difficulty which they experience.]

[Next follow the letters of captain Dixon, and commodore Penrose. Nothing of importance is communicated by them which may not be found in the despatches from colonel Skerrett.]

PLYMOUTH, FEB. 1.

The American ship Peace & Plenty, capt. Hall, which it was feared had been lost on her passage from America to this port, arrived in Cawsand Bay on Monday last, from Wilmington N. Carolina, with a cargo of timber, sailed 56 days since, and came a running ship. Early on Monday morning she fell in with H. M's frigates Endymion and Fortunate, the Scilly islands then bearing S. W. distant about 4 miles, and was boarded by the latter. They were then in chase of two French frigates and a national brig that had previously chased the Fortunate into Cork, where the latter was joined by the Endymion, when both ships proceeded immediately in pursuit of the enemy's squadron.

On Thursday came in a very fine American schr. called the Spy, of 200 tons from N. York, with a valuable cargo of sugar, coffee, &c. bound to Bourdeaux, Costegan, master, detained within 10 leagues of Bourdeaux, after a smart chase of 8 hours, by the Belle Poule and Dryad frigates; the former was left in chase of another American schr. which it was expected she would come up with.

NEW-YORK, MARCH 11. FROM ENGLAND. Leslie, late last night, favoured the N. Y. Gazette with Letters to Jan. 18, inclusive. They contain the news that follows. We find nothing relating to us.

on, January 17.—It is now ascertained from a Danish newspaper of the 15th, that only five seamen and crew were saved from the Defence, and it is supposed the whole of the St. George, of 98 guns, perished. These two vessels have lost 1400 men.

RUSSIANS & TURKS. Petersburg Court Gazette, of Dec. 25, contains an account of the Russian signal victory over the Turks on Nov. 29, when the Grand Vizier, the left bank of the Danube, was surrounded, and the troops compelled to throw down their arms before the Russian whole of the Turkish army, their officers, and the commander in chief, Chaban Ouglow, a Bashaw of Tails, surrendered prisoners of war, 200 pieces of cannon, magazines, &c. in the hands of the Russians. This was, in various actions, previous to the Danube, lost, in killed and wounded about 10,000. The Turkish army consisted of 35,000 men. It is supposed above victory will lead to a peace in these two powers.

January 15.—The King's illness.—The committee of the House of Commons, appointed to examine the King's illness, has been printed and delivered this morning. It occupies 14 folio pages, the first question put to all the physicians whether his majesty's health was to render him incapable of coming to the Parliament in person, or attending to it. The reply of all was in the affirmative.

## LATEST FROM LISBON.

Burke, of the ship Fanny, left Lisbon the 28th of Jan. and confirms the account of the capture of Ciudad Rodrigo on the evening of the 19th. The report stated, the attack was made on points, under Generals Crawford, M'Kim, and Gen. M'Kim. Gen. M'Kim was killed, and Gen. Crawford dangerously wounded. On entering the fort the French a mine, which destroyed near 700 men. The French fought desperate and valiantly, but for every man that was bayoneted or taken prisoner, about 1700 prisoners were sent to the English loss was about 1100. Lord Wellington's official account has been received at Lisbon when the sailed.

## Land for Sale.

Will sell a small tract of Land situated at the head of South river, in Anne-Arundel county, containing about 200 acres. This land is valuable, and well adapted to the growth of grain or tobacco. There is a very good apple orchard, also a good meadow, a portion of timber land of the best quality, as young chestnut and white oak in place. This land lies in a most excellent neighbourhood. The subscriber thinks it unnecessary to say any thing more of this land, as he wishes to purchase will first view the land, which will be shewn by Mr. Thomas Woodhouse, lives adjoining said land, and terms known, which will be accommodating. Joseph Howard. 3w.

## Fifty Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber, living near Mount Pleasant Ferry, in Anne-Arundel county, on the 29th of December last, a negro man named

## ISAAC,

calls himself ISAAC LOWE; he is about 25 years of age, five feet eight or nine inches high, rather slender made, brown complexion, his little fingers crooked; had on when he ran away a new striped country cloth jacket and white yarn stockings, strong shoes, hob nails in the soles, old osnaburg shirt, good wool hat; he is very fond of spirits, and will make use of it to excess, then very talkative; it is supposed he will go to Baltimore, the city of Washington or Alexandria, having relations and acquaintances at each place. A reward of Thirty Dollars will be given if taken in Anne-Arundel county, or out of said county, and a reward of Fifty Dollars if out of the state, and second reward if out of the state, and if brought reasonable charges paid by the subscriber. Zachariah M'Conry. 3w.

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