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Lancelot Warfield,

offers himself a candidate for the office of Sheriff at the next ensuing election, and respectfully solicits the votes and interests of the citizens of the city of Annapolis and Anne-Arundel county.

May 1, 1815. 14

Anne-Arundel County Court.

On application, by petition in writing of *William Wells*, 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 acts, a schedule of his property, and list of his creditors, on oath, so far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his petition, and the said William Wells having satisfied the said court by competent testimony that he has resided in the state of Maryland two years immediately preceding the time of his application, it is therefore ordered and adjudged, that the said William Wells, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette or Maryland Republican, once in each week for three months successively, before the third Monday of September next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the county court to be held at the city of Annapolis on the third Monday of September next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said William Wells then and there taking the oath by the said act prescribed, for delivering up his property, and to shew cause if any they have, why the said William Wells should not have the benefit of the several acts of assembly for the relief of insolvent debtors.

Test.

William S. Green, Clk.

June 8. 8 3m.

B. CURRAN,

has received a supply of NEW GOODS, consisting of the following articles, viz:

Superfine Cloths and Cassimeres,
Marseilles Vesting and Nankeens,
Twilled and Cross Barred Handkerchiefs,
Black Florence Silk,
Bombazett and Bombazeens,
Superfine black and white undrest Calicoes,
Cypres Gause and Italian Crape,
Black Cambric and Chinese Crape,
Cambric and Jaconet Muslin,
Book Muslins and Lenoes,
Irish Linens and Sheetings,
Shirting Cambrics and Long Cloth,
Long and short Kid Gloves,
Silk and cotton Stockings,
A variety of Calicoes and Ginghams,
Net and other Suspenders,
Domestic Ginghams and Stripes,
A trunk of Philadelphia Shoes,

Also on Hand.

A large supply of Spun Cotton.

All of which will be sold low for cash, and as usual, to those persons who know that they have been punctual.

June 15. 7 t.f

Public Sale.

By virtue of an order of the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, the subscriber will expose to public sale, on Wednesday the 2d day of August next, if fair, if not the next fair day thereafter, at the late dwelling of Samuel Harrison, near Herring Creek Church,

All the personal estate of Benjamin Harrison, consisting of Horses, Cattle & Hogs, Household Furniture, and some Workman's Tools. Terms of sale—for all sums of twenty dollars, and upwards, a credit of six months will be given, the purchaser giving note, with good security, with interest from the day of sale; all under that sum the cash must be paid. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock.

Bennett Harrison, Executor.

July 20, 1815.

Blank Bonds, Declarations on Bond, Appeal Bonds, & Constable Warrants—For sale at this Office.

NEW BOOKS.

G. SHAW,

Has received the following *Late and Valuable Publications:*

The Christian's Manual, of Faith and Devotion, price $1 00.

By Bishop Hobart of New-York.

This book is admirably calculated to exhibit and to enforce the various exercises, duties, & privileges of the Christian life; to awaken the careless, to excite the lukewarm, and to instruct and comfort the penitent believer.

The Episcopal Manual, price 1 00.

To those who are desirous of becoming more intimately acquainted with the Evangelical Character of the Episcopal Church, the purity of her doctrines, the healthful spirit which pervades all her services, this book will be found an inestimable treasure.

New Manual of Private Devotions; Containing prayers for families and private persons—offices of humiliation—for the sick and for the holy communion, price 1 50.

This volume contains forms of prayer suited to all conditions in which human beings may be placed, in a style well adapted to the simplicity of sincere and genuine piety, and is an excellent medium through which to convey the fervours of gratitude to the divine author of every good and perfect gift; the cries of penitence for pardon to the father of mercies, or the supplications of suffering and necessity to him who in the time of need "all flesh should come."

Trimmer's Sermons, for family reading, 1 00.
Simeon's Sermons, 1 00.
Sermons for Children, by a lady, 18 3-4 cents.
Annals of the Poor; containing the Dairyman's Daughter,
The Negro Servant, and
The Young Cottager, 50 cents.
The Blacksmith's Letter, 50 cents,
The Velvet Cushion, by the author of the World Without Souls, 50 & 62 1-2 cents—two editions,
Allison's Sermons, 1 62 1-2 cents,
The Christian Sacrifice, or the great duty of frequenting the Holy Communion, 50 cents,
Paley's Evidences of the Christian Religion, 1 25,
Fowler's Exposition of the Book of Common Prayer, 1 25,
Prayer Books—The New-York improved edition—various sizes, editions and prices, from 75 cents to 4 50.
The History of England from the earliest period to the close of the year 1812, by J. Bigland, with a continuation of the Treaty of Paris by an American gentleman, 5 00,
Select American Speeches, 5 00.
The Lord of the Isles by Walter Scott, 1 00,
Pnumanee, or the Fairy of the 19th century,
Essay on Faith, by Rotheram, 62 1-2.

G. Shaw, will in a few days have for sale, The Homilies of the Church of England—first American edition. These invaluable relics of the piety of the reformers, owing to the difficulty heretofore of procuring them, are in the possession of but few—they are now rendered accessible to all who are desirous of obtaining them. The first part of the Homilies appeared in the reign of Edward the sixth, and is supposed to have been written by Cranmer, assisted by Latimer. The second part, published early in the reign of queen Elizabeth, is attributed chiefly to Bishop Jewell. A copy of these homilies was given to every parish priest in the kingdom, who was commanded to read them diligently and distinctly, that they might be understood by the people. These discourses have ever been considered as containing the most unexceptionable summary of doctrine, and the richest treasures of scriptural knowledge and genuine piety.

Annapolis, July 13. 3

LOST,

On Sunday the 9th inst. on the road leading from M'Gruder's Tavern, by Governor's Bridge, to Annapolis, a small red MOROCCO POCKET BOOK, used as a lancet case, in which is a thumb lancet; also containing a note on the Bank of Virginia for fifty dollars, and a small piece of court plaister recollected. It probably might have dropped under a large Cherry Tree, standing near the road on the south side. Any person delivering the above pocket book, and contents, to Wr. William Brewer at the City Hotel, in Annapolis, will receive ten dollars reward.

July 20, 1815. 2 *Wm. Purnell.* 3w*

By his Excellency LEVIN WINDER, Esq. Governor of Maryland,

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been satisfactorily represented to me, that a certain *SENECA PAGE*, who was indicted at the Court of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery for Baltimore County, for forgery, has made his escape from the gaol of Baltimore county, and whereas it is the duty of the executive, in the execution of the laws, to endeavour to bring all malefactors to justice. I have therefore thought proper to issue this my proclamation, and do by and with the advice and consent of the council, offer TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD, to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring to justice the said Seneca Page.

Given under my hand and the seal of the State of Maryland this fifth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifteen.

SEAL

LEVIN WINDER.

By his Excellency's command,
NINIAN PINKNEY,
Clerk of the Council.

July 6. 4 5w.

To the Voters

OF ANNE-ARUNDEL COUNTY.

Having been nominated as a candidate for the next General Assembly by the committees of each of the districts, I hereby give notice that I will serve if elected, and solicit the suffrages of my fellow-citizens.

July 13, 1815. 3 *Thomas Hood.*

Land for Sale.

Will be offered at Public Sale, on *Friday the 1st day of September* next, if fair, if not, the next fair day, all that tract or parcel of land, lying in Anne Arundel county, called

WEST WELLS.

Containing about one hundred and seventy acres, one half of which is remarkably heavy timbered with white oak, hickory and poplar; the soil is well adapted to the cultivation of Indian corn, tobacco, and all kinds of small grain. There can be twenty or thirty acres of fine meadow land obtained, with little labour. It has a never failing spring about one hundred yards from the dwelling-house. It is tolerably well improved, having a dwelling, barn, corn house, orchard, &c. It lays about twenty-five miles from Annapolis, three miles from Friendship, and two from the Chesapeake Bay, which abounds with fish, oysters, and wild fowl, in abundance. It is adjoining Mr. Thomas Gantt's; and the land can be viewed by applying to Mr William Stephens, on the premises. A further description is considered unnecessary as any person wishing to purchase will view the land. The terms will be made known on the day of sale. Sale to commence at one o'clock.

John & Nehemiah Birckhead.

July 13. 4 t. s.

List of Letters

Remaining in the Post-Office, Annapolis, July 1.

Henrietta Addison, Lydia Andrews, David B. Ayres, Mrs. Battee, John Brewer, (2,) Revd. M. Bitowzie, (2,) Josiah Bailey, Levin Baily, Clotworthy Birnie, Stephen Beard, John W. Beard, John S. Camden, (2) Able Crandle, Mr. Claston, Wm. Cain, Walter Cross, Richd. Caton, Anne Carroll, Cornelius Davis, John Davis, Jacob Dorsey, Elizabeth Elliot, Chs. H. Fleming, Lewis Gassaway, The clerk of A. A. County, (2,) Jonas Green, (2,) John Golder, (2,) Horace J. Gibson, John Gibson, (2,) Stephen Gambriel, Thos. Grayson, Richd. Gambriel, John Glasion, Jas. P. Heath, (7,) Lieut. Wm. H. Harwood, Jonathan Hutton, (2,) Richard Hall, John Hyde, Fredk. Hyde, Henry A. Hall, Christopher Hohne, Henry Howard, Jas. Hubbard, Nancy Holland, Siran Hopkins, Thos H. Hall, (2,) Rezin Igleheart, Thos. Leitch, Anne Lavache Sarah Lee, Obadiah Lloyd, Saml. Mackubin, Joshua Marboy, Francis Maynider, Mary Miller, Henrietta Marshall, John Oharrow, Zacharia Felps, Viney Queen, Samuel Peaco, Henry Price, (2,) Mrs. Richards, Rebecca Robinson, Anthony Stewart, Mary Stockett, Rachel N. Sevar, Geo. H. Stewart, Jas. Saunders, Wm. S. Stockett, John Smith, (of Robt.) Henrietta M. Smith, (2,) Margaret Shepherd, Frank Sowers, Elizabeth Stalker, Abel Tucker, Alice Thomas, George W. Tuck, W. G. Tuck, John Tellitt, John P. Tydings, Henry Tasker, Catharine Tydings, Mary Thompson, Milcha Williams, (2,) Chs. Waters, (2,) Jos. N. Williams, Jos. Watkins, Henry Woodward, (2,) Clement S. Whittington, Wm. Whetcroft, John N. Watkins, John C. Watters, Anderson Warfield, Jos. Williams, Wm. Williams.

3 *John Munroe, P. M.*

A CARD.

WILLIAM H. MARRIOTT has removed his Office to the one formerly occupied by Arthur Shaaff, esq.

July 20. 2 7w

Singing School.

Azariah Fobes, Music Master, proposes to open a school in this city to teach Psalmody—those who are desirous of learning this useful and interesting accomplishment, will be pleased to leave their names with Mr. Geo. Shaw, by whom the terms will be made known.

June 20. 2

REMOVAL.

Nicholas J. Watkins,

Having removed his Shop to the one lately occupied by Mr. William Coe, opposite the City Tavern, returns his thanks to his patrons for their past favours bestowed on him in his line of business, and hopes by a continued attention to business to give general satisfaction to his friends and the public generally. He has now on hand a choice selection of Cloths, Cassimeres, Stockinghets, Nankeens, Marseilles and other vestings, which he will make up to suit, on the shortest notice, and the most liberal terms. Those who wish to purchase bargains will find it to their advantage to give him a call.

June 29. 5 tf.

SHERIFFALTY.

Having passed the greatest part of my life in the service of my country, I now again offer my services to my Fellow Citizens of the County of Anne-Arundel and the City of Annapolis, as SHERIFF. I trust that I shall be able to discharge the duties of that office, if elected, so as to give satisfaction to all—and shall therefore be thankful to all who may please to honor me with their confidence.

John S. Belt.

Elk Ridge, 4th July, 1815. 2

To the Voters

OF ANNE-ARUNDEL COUNTY.

Being nominated by the general committee appointed by the several election districts, as a candidate to represent Anne-Arundel county in the next General Assembly, I beg leave to notify that I will serve, if elected, and solicit the votes of my fellow-citizens.

Brice J. Worthington.

July 13, 1815. 3

TAXES.

ALL persons indebted for TAXES, will please take notice, that the same are now due, & that they will be waited on by the subscriber's deputies in the different districts; he hopes those concerned will be prepared for payment as early a day as possible. It is important that his collections should be speedily made to enable him to meet the demands against him by those who have claims on the levy list. He returns his thanks to those who have facilitated his collections heretofore, by making payment to Mr. William Warfield, in Annapolis, and he again solicits their favors in the same way. Mr. Warfield is again authorised to settle accounts and pass receipts.

R. Welch, of Ben. Col. A. A. county.

July 13. 3 3w

Public Sale.

By virtue of an order from the orphans court of Anne Arundel county, will be sold at public sale, at the late dwelling of Joshua Johnson, on the north side of Severn, on Saturday the 5th day of August next, if fair, if not the first fair day thereafter, Sunday excepted,

A Negro Man,

late the property of Joshua Johnson, deceased. A credit of six months will be given, the purchaser giving bond, with security, with interest from the day of sale. Sale to commence at 11 o'clock A. M.

Elizabeth Johnson,
David Robinson, } Admrs

June 20. 2 3w

NOTICE.

The subscribers having obtained from the orphans court of Anne Arundel county, letters of administration on the personal estate of William R. Miles, late of said county, deceased, request all persons having claims against said estate, to bring them in, legally authenticated, and those indebted to make immediate payment.

Susanna R. Miles,
Jacob Wheeler, } Admrs.

July 20. 2 3w.*

WASHINGTON CITY, JULY 14.

We this day lay before the public, documents lately received from England, relative to the killing and wounding of the American citizens imprisoned at Dartmoor.

Plymouth, 26th April, 1815.

We, the undersigned commissioners, appointed on behalf of our respective governments, to inquire into and report upon, the unfortunate occurrence of the 6th of April inst. at Dartmoor prison: having carefully perused the proceedings of the several courts of inquiry instituted immediately after that event, by orders of admiral Sir John T. Duckworth and major general Brown, respectively, as well as the depositions taken at the coroner's inquest upon the bodies of the prisoners, who lost their lives upon that melancholy occasion; upon which inquest the jury found a verdict of justifiable homicide; proceeded immediately to the examination upon oath in the presence of one or more of the magistrates of the vicinity, of all the witnesses, both American and English, who offered themselves for that purpose; or who could be discovered as likely to afford any material information on the subject, as well as those who had been previously examined before the coroner, as otherwise, to the number in the whole of about 80.—We further proceeded to a minute examination of the prisons, for the purpose of clearing up some points, which, upon the evidence alone were scarcely intelligible; obtaining from the prisoners, and from the officers of the depot, all the necessary assistance and explanation, and premising, that we have been from necessity compelled to draw many of our conclusions from statements and evidence highly contradictory, we do now make upon the whole proceedings the following report:

During the period which has elapsed since the arrival in this country of the account of the ratification of the treaty of Ghent, an increased degree of restlessness and impatience of confinement appears to have prevailed amongst the American prisoners at Dartmoor, which, though not exhibited in the shape of any violent excesses, had been principally indicated by threats of breaking out, if not soon released.

On the 4th of this month in particular, only two days previous to the events which are the subject of this inquiry, a large body of the prisoners rushed into market square, from whence, by the regulations of the prison, they are excluded, demanding bread, instead of biscuit, which had on that day been issued by the officers of the depot; their demands however having been then almost immediately complied with, they returned to their own yards, and the employment of force on that occasion became unnecessary.

On the evening of the 6th, about 6 o'clock, it was clearly proven to us, that a breach or hole had been made in one of the prison walls, sufficient for a full sized man to pass, and that others had been commenced in the course of the day near the same spot, though never completed.

That a number of the prisoners were over the railing erected to prevent them from communicating with the sentinels on the walls, which was of course forbidden by the regulations of the prison, and that in the space between the railing and those walls they were tearing up pieces of turf, and wantonly pelting each other in a noisy and disorderly manner.

That a much more considerable number of the prisoners was collected together at that time, in one of their yards near the place where the breach was effected, and that although such collection of prisoners was not unusual at other times (the Gambling Tables being commonly kept in that part of the yard) yet, when connected with the circumstance of the breach, and at the time of the day, which was after the hour the signal for the prisoners to retire to their respective prisons had ceased to sound, it be