

IN COUNCIL,

March 14, 1817.
Ordered that the following laws, passed by the general assembly, at December session, 1816, to wit: An act to alter, change and repeal all such parts of the constitution and form of government of this state as relate to the division of Prince-George's county into election districts; An act to repeal all that part of the constitution and form of government as relates to the division of Dorchester county into three separate election districts; An act to alter, change and repeal all such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the division of Washington county into election districts; An act to alter and change all and every part of the constitution and form of government as relates to the attorney general; and An act to alter and change such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the division of Anne Arundel county into election districts, and to change the place of holding elections in the second election district of said county; be published once in each week for the space of three months in the Maryland Gazette at Annapolis, the Federal Gazette and Federal Republican at Baltimore, the Frederick-Town Herald, the Torch Light at Hagerstown, the Allegany Federalist, and the Monitor at Easton.

By order,
Ninian Pinkney, Clerk.

AN ACT

To alter, change and repeal, all such parts of the constitution and form of government of this state, as relate to the division of Prince-George's county into election districts.

Whereas it is represented to this general assembly, by the petition of sundry inhabitants of Prince-George's county, that they experience great inconvenience for want of a sixth election district in said county, and praying an alteration in the second, third, and fifth districts, so as to admit a sixth district between; and the prayer of the petitioners appearing reasonable, Therefore,

Sec. 1. Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all that part of the constitution and form of government, made such by the act of seventeen hundred and ninety-eight, which directs that Prince-George's county shall be divided and laid off into five separate districts, be and the same is hereby repealed.

2. And be it enacted, That Prince-George's county shall be divided into six separate districts, and that the additional district shall be laid off adjoining and between the second, third, and fifth districts.

3. And be it enacted, That if this act shall be confirmed by the general assembly of Maryland, after the next election of delegates, in the first session after such new election, as the constitution and form of government directs, in such case this act, and the alterations herein contained, shall constitute and be considered a part of said constitution and form of government, to all intents and purposes, any thing therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

AN ACT

To repeal all that part of the constitution and form of government as relates to the division of Allegany county into six separate election districts.

Whereas it is represented to this general assembly, that great convenience would result to the voters of Allegany county by increasing the number of election districts in said county; therefore,

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Allegany county, for the purpose of holding all future elections in the said county, shall be divided and laid off into eight separate election districts.

2. And be it enacted, That all that part of the constitution and form of government, whereby Allegany county hath been divided and laid off into six separate election districts for the purpose aforesaid, be and the same is hereby repealed.

3. And be it enacted, That if this act shall be confirmed by the general assembly of Maryland, after the next election of Delegates, in the first session after such new election, as the constitution and form of government directs, in such case this act, and the alterations herein contained, shall be constituted as a part of the said constitution and form of government, any thing to the contrary notwithstanding.

AN ACT

To repeal all that part of the constitution and form of government as relates to the division of Dorchester county into three separate election districts.

Whereas it is represented to this general assembly, that great convenience would result to the voters of Dorchester county, by increasing the number of election districts in the said county; therefore,

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Dorchester county, for the purpose of holding all future elections for delegates, electors of senate, and sheriffs of the aforesaid county, shall be divided and laid off into five separate districts.

2. And be it enacted, That all that part of the constitution and form of government whereby Dorchester county hath been divided and laid off into three separate election districts, for the purpose aforesaid, be and the same is hereby repealed.

3. And be it enacted, That if this act shall be confirmed by the general assembly of Maryland, after the next election of delegates, in the first session after such new election, as the constitution and form of government directs, in such case this act, and the alteration herein contained, shall constitute and be considered as a part of the said constitution and form of government, to all intents and purposes, any thing therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

AN ACT

To alter, change and repeal, all such parts of the Constitution and form of government of this State, as relate to the Division of Washington county into election districts.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all that part of the constitution and form of government, made such by the acts of seventeen hundred and ninety-eight, and seventeen hundred and ninety-nine, which directs that Washington county shall be divided and laid off into five separate districts, be and the same is hereby repealed.

2. And be it enacted, That Washington county shall be divided into six separate districts, and that the additional district shall be taken from the third election district, and laid off by the following boundaries, and when so laid off shall be called and known by the name of the sixth election district of Washington county, viz. Beginning on the east side of Antietam Creek, at Harry's Mill, and running with said Creek to the Pennsylvania line, then with said line to the Frederick county line, and with that line to Orr's Gap, on the old road leading from Hagerstown to Frederick, and then with that road to the place of beginning; the election for said district to be held at Cave-town.

3. And be it enacted, That if this act shall be confirmed by the general assembly of Maryland, after the next election of delegates, in the first session after such new election, as the constitution and form of government directs, in such case this act, and the alterations of the constitution therein contained, shall constitute and be valid as a part of the said constitution and form of government, to all intents and purposes, any thing therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

AN ACT

To alter and change such parts of the constitution and form of government as relate to the division of Anne-Arundel county into election districts, and to change the place of holding elections in the second election district of said county.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That from and after the passage of this act the polls for the second election district of Anne-Arundel county shall be held at the house of Jacob Waters near the Blacksmith's shop on the main road leading from the city of Annapolis to the city of Washington.

2. And be it enacted, That all that part of the second election district of Anne-Arundel county lying out of the city of Annapolis, shall constitute and compose the second election district of said county.

3. And be it enacted, That the city of Annapolis shall constitute the sixth election district of said county for all elections hereafter to be held, for sheriffs, electors of president and vice-president, and

electors of the Senate of this State, and for a member of Congress, which said elections shall be held by the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen of the said city or any three or more of them, at such place within the said city as they may appoint.

4. And be it enacted, That the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen of said city, or a majority of them, authorized to hold elections, as aforesaid, shall make return under their hands and seals, within the time prescribed by law, of the votes taken by them at any election held in virtue of this act, to the presiding judges of the other election districts of said county.

5. And be it enacted, That the presiding judges of the said election districts in making out their returns, shall compute and receive as a part of the votes taken at any such election, the returns made to them by virtue of this act, by the said Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen.

6. And be it enacted, That all such parts of the constitution and form of government as are repugnant to the provisions of this act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

7. And be it enacted, That if this act shall be confirmed by the general assembly after the next election of delegates, in the first session after such new election, as the constitution and form of government direct, that in such case this act, and the alterations and amendments of the constitution and form of government therein contained, shall be taken and considered, and shall constitute and be valid, as a part of the said constitution and form of government, any thing in the said constitution and form of government to the contrary notwithstanding.

AN ACT

To alter and change all and every part of the constitution and form of government as relates to the Attorney General.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all and every part of the constitution and form of government of this State, which relates to the Attorney General, be and the same is hereby abrogated, annulled, and made void.

2. And be it enacted, That the duties and services, now provided by law to be done and performed by the Attorney General, shall be done and performed by such persons, and in such manner, as the General Assembly of Maryland shall hereafter direct.

3. And be it enacted, That if this act shall be confirmed by the General Assembly of Maryland, after the next election of delegates, in the first session after such new election, as the constitution and form of government directs, in such case this act, and the alterations of the constitution therein contained, shall constitute and be valid as a part of the said constitution and form of government, to all intents and purposes, any thing therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

NEW STORE.

G. & J. BARBER, & Co.
Have recently received, a complete and general assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, Glass, Liverpool and Queens Ware, Ironmongery and Cutlery, also a large quantity of Fine and Coarse Salt, Sein Twine, Cider. Also Oats and Corn, &c. &c.

All of which we will sell cheap for Cash, or to punctual dealers on short dates.

N. B. We will purchase for Goods for Rye, Oats and Corn.

150 Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber on the night of the 21st of February last, a Negro Man named Commodore, 36 years of age, about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, yellow complexion, much marked with the small pox; his winter clothes were a blue cloth jacket and trousers; he took with him sundry other clothing that cannot be described. He has a wife and children, belonging to Mr. James Sterling, near Baltimore, and has been in the habit of visiting them with a pass every holiday for several years. Whosoever will take up said fellow, and secure him so that I get him again, shall receive a reward of 100 dollars if taken in the State, if out of the State 150 dollars will be given.

Jacob Franklin,
West-River, A. A. County.
March 20, 1817.
The editors of the Baltimore Patriot and National Intelligencer will insert the above once in each week for four weeks, and forward their accounts to this office.

TO PRINTERS.

A Great Bargain!

The Proprietor of the Establishment of the Allegany Federalist, offers for sale his Press, Types, and whole printing apparatus. To one who can act in the double capacity of Proprietor and Printer, it may be rendered a profitable establishment. The terms will be very moderate and even advantageous. When the thriving situation, and future prospects of this town, are considered, it cannot but be seen that as a Press is every day more and more wanted, so it must, at no distant period, be a source of considerable emolument to its proprietor. For terms apply to the Editor in Cumberland.

March 27. 4t.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed from Anne Arundel county court, will be exposed to public sale on Friday the 18th of April, at my office, in the city of Annapolis, at 11 o'clock, for cash, all the right and estate of Henry Wood, of and to a tract or parcel of land whereon the said Henry Wood now resides, near Friendship, in Anne-Arundel county, also one negro man by the name of Philip, and one negro boy by the name of Stephen, being taken as the property of the said Henry Wood, to satisfy a debt due William P. Hardisty, administrator D. B. N. of James Whittington. R. Welch, of Ben. Shiff, A. A. county.

LANDS FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers at private sale, either of the two following farms, lying on the head of South River, in Anne-Arundel county, to wit: A Tract of Land called "White Hall," now in the occupation of Mr. Stephen Lee, containing about 200 acres. The soil is of the first quality, well adapted to the growth of Corn, Wheat or Tobacco, and the improvements, consisting of an excellent dwelling-house, kitchen, and a well of fine water, and a young apple orchard of the choicest fruit.

The other farm is nearly adjoining the above, and contains about 250 acres. This land is not inferior to any in the county, is under good fencing, and has a commodious dwelling-house, kitchen, two tobacco-houses, stables and corn-house. The above lands are susceptible of great benefit from the use of plaster, and from their healthy situation, and pleasant neighbourhood, offer an agreeable residence. They are distant from the city about nine miles. The subscriber invites persons disposed to purchase to view the premises. The terms, which shall be accommodating, will be made known on application to Jno. T. Barber, Annapolis, March 27.

Notice is hereby given,

That the subscriber of Calvert county hath obtained from the orphans court of Calvert county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Elliot Sollers, late of Calvert county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber on or before the 12th day of August next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 12th day of March, 1817.

Bennett Sollers, Adm'r.
March 27. 6w.

State of Maryland, sc.

Anne-Arundel county, Orphans Court, March 4, 1817.

On application by petition of Mary Armer & Ricard G. Hutton, administrators with the will annexed, of Jno Armer, late of Anne-Arundel county deceased, it is ordered that he 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 and Political Intelligencer.

John Gassaway, Reg. Will, for A. A. County.

Notice is hereby given,

That the subscribers of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of John Armer, 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 10th day of May next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 4th day of March 1817.

Mary Armer, Richard G. Hutton, admrs. March 6.

To Travellers.

Persons travelling to Baltimore will find it much the nearest and best road by way of the "Milk Ferry" formerly Holland's, which is now kept in good order and constant attendance by Henry Johnson and Wm. Arnold where liquor and horse feed can be had. The road between the ferry and Baltimore has lately been straightened and improved and is only three miles from the ferry to Mrs. Carroll's Bridge, where it intersects the Washington turnpike road. Jan. 1, 1817. one year.

TRACTS,

Published by the Protestant Episcopal Book Society of Maryland, for sale at Geo. Shaw's Store, Annapolis. The Good Old Way or the Religion of our Forefathers. Directions for Prayer. Bishop Wilson on Family Prayer. On Baptism. On the Lord's Supper. Feb. 20.

20 Dollars Reward

The above reward will be paid for lodging in gaol, or bringing home negro Sophia, a bright mulatto woman, about eighteen years old, well grown, she has large grey eyes, and her hair rather light. The above woman ran away from Col. Waring of Mount Pleasant, about the 15th June, (of whom I purchased her.) She has been heard of in the neighbourhood of Mr. William Tillard's near Pig-Point, where it is supposed she has been waiting to get a passage in the packet to Baltimore. She has acquaintances in Baltimore, Washington, Annapolis, and Norfolk. Her clothing not recollected, excepting a green stuff frock. Wm. B. Baxter.

Upper Marlboro? Sept. 28. 29

FOR SALE.

Three Hundred Acres of Land in Calvert county, and on the waters of St. Leonard's Creek, abounding in ship-house scantling, and fence rail timber, having several houses thereon; a part thereof being cleared and arable. If not sold by the second Monday of May next, it will on that day be sold at Public Sale, at the court house of the county aforesaid, on a credit of six, twelve, and eighteen months, the purchaser giving bond with sufficient security, on interest. On the payment of the purchase money, a deed will begin for the land.

March 20, 1817. James Duke.

State of Maryland, sc.

Anne-Arundel county, Orphans Court, Feb 22, 1817.

On application by petition of Child White, administrator of Reuben White, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered that he 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 and Political Intelligencer.

John Gassaway, Reg. Will, A. A. 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 of administration on the personal estate of Reuben White, 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 sixth day of May next, they may otherwise be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 20th day of March, 1817.

Caleb White, Adm'r.

State of Maryland, sc.

Anne-Arundel county, Orphans Court, February 22d, 1817.

On application by petition of Henrietta Hicki, administratrix of John Hicks, 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 and Political Intelligencer.

John Gassaway, Reg. Will, for A. A. County.

Notice is hereby given

That the subscribers of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of John Hicks, 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 subscribers, at or before the twelfth day of April next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 22nd day of February, 1817.

Henrietta Hicki, administratrix. March 6.