

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 Allegany county into six separate 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 of this state 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 in 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 Hager's-Town, 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that Prince-George's county shall be divided and laid off into five separate districts, be and the same is hereby repealed.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 in 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 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 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 Hager's-town 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 constitution and form of government, whereby 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, Seign 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 sale Goods for Rye, Oats and Corn.

A FEW COPIES OF THE LAWS OF MARYLAND, PASSED DECEMBER SESSION 1816.

May be had at this Office—Price \$1 50. April 10.

In Chancery,

April 3, 1817.

Robert Franklin, } John Deale, }

A petition being filed concerning the application of the balance after satisfying the claim of the complainant, on his mortgage, the creditors of the said Deale are warned to exhibit their claims with the vouchers thereof, before the first day of July next.

By order, Thomas H. Bowie, Register. April 10.

LANDS—For Sale.

Will be sold at public sale on Monday the 5th May next, if fair, if not the next fair day, at St. Leonard's, Calvert county.

Two Tracts of Land—viz.

One tract situated on Patterson Creek, near the mouth of Patuxent River, in said county, containing about three hundred and sixteen acres. This Land is entirely covered with wood, such as yellow pine, oak, hickory, chestnut, &c. and lies so convenient to navigation that no part of said tract exceeds a half mile from a landing, where the wood may be easily hauled.

The other tract is situated on Chesapeake Bay, about four miles above Cove Point, and three from St. Leonard's containing about five hundred acres. This Land is well adapted to the growth of corn, wheat and tobacco, has a good dwelling and necessary out houses, and contains a large quantity of excellent timber, such as white and black oak, chestnut, ash, &c.

Terms of sale will be half the purchase money cash, half in 12 months, giving bond with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale.

April 10. Nut. C. Darc. 3w.

Public Notice.

Those persons who purchased articles at the sale of the personal estate of Zachariah Cromwell late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, held at the Hopes' mills on the 4th and 5th inst. and have not complied with the terms of sale, are hereby notified to come forward and do so, before the 28th of April, or on that day the goods will be sold at public sale, at the risk of the former purchasers. The sale of which will commence at 10 o'clock, A. M. J. Williams, Executors of Zachariah Cromwell. April 10. 3w.

State of Maryland, sc.

Anne-Arundel County, Orphans Court, April 5, 1817.

On application by petition of Robert Franklin, administrator of the personal estate of Martin Deale, 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 Gassarway, Reg. Wills, A. A. County.

Notice is hereby given,

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 Martin Deale, 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 first 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, 1817. Robert Franklin, admr.

50 Dollars Reward.

Ranaway from the subscriber yesterday morning, living near Upper Marlborough, Prince-George's county, Maryland, A NEGRO MAN NAMED PHILL.

He is a likely black man, about twenty-five years of age, five feet eight or nine inches high, and a little bow legged. He has a scar over his left eye, and a bite which appeared the day before yesterday under his left jaw. He speaks slowly and through his nose. He took with him a grey frock coat, and pantaloons of the same colour, the sleeves of the coat have been lately turned; a corduroy short coat, & a pair of old brown pantaloons much worn & patched; two hats, one much worn, & covered with an oil-cloth, the other quite new. A pair of half boots which have been foxed, and a pair of coarse shoes nearly new. He has connections in Washington City, George-Town, Baltimore, and on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, near George-Town Cross Roads, and the City of Annapolis, and probably may attempt to get to one of those places. The above reward will be given to any person catching him out of the county and securing him, in gaol; and twenty dollars if caught in the county and brought to me, or lodged in the Washington gaol.

March 27. William Hill.

NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of Wm. D. Broom, late of Calvert county, deceased, are requested to exhibit the same, legally authenticated, for settlement, on or before the 1st day of October next, to the subscriber, else they will be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Thos. Gray, Admr. April 3.

A Great Bargain!

The Proprietor of the Establishment of the Allegany Federalist, has for sale his Press, Types, and other large apparatus. To one who has the double capacity of Proprietor and Printer, it may be considered a very moderate and even an extraordinary bargain. The terms will be very moderate and even extraordinary. When the thriving situation, and future prospects of this town, are considered, it cannot but be seen that a Press is every day more and more wanted, so it must, at no distant period, be a source of considerable employment to its proprietor. For terms apply to the Editor in Cumberland. March 27.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, 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 10 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, the 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 Whittemore, R. Wdch, of Ben. 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's 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, tobacco house and quarter, all lately erected, are in complete repair; there is also 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 300 acres. This land is under good fence, and has a commodious dwelling house, kitchen, two tobacco-houses, a stable 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 six miles. The subscriber invites persons disposed to purchase to view the premises. The terms, which shall be as accommodating, will be made known on application to

Jno. T. Barre, Annapolis, April 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 Sellers, 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 1st day of August next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from the benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 14th day of March 1817.

Bennett Sellers, Admr. March 27.

FOR SALE.

Three Hundred Acres of Land in Calvert county, and on the water side of Leonard's Creek, abounding in the house scantling, and fence rail timber, there being cleared and arable land not sold by the second Monday of the next, it will on that day be sold at Public Sale, at the court house of the county aforesaid, on a credit of twelve, and eighteen months, the purchaser giving bond with sufficient security, on interest. On the payment of the purchase money, if deed will be given for the land.

March 20, 1817. James Dabney.

20 Dollars Reward.

The above reward will be paid to any person lodging in gaol, or bringing home a 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 New-Pleasant, about the 16th June, 1817, (whom I purchased her.) She has been heard of in the neighbourhood of William Tillard's near Pig-Point. It is supposed she has been waiting for a passage in the packet to Newmore. She has acquaintances in Newmore, Washington, Annapolis, and other places. Her clothing not recollected, excepting a green stuff frock.

Wm. B. Bond. Upper Marlborough, Sept. 26.

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For Sale or Exchange.

I will sell my farm, containing between 4 and 500 acres, on the Patuxent river, between Battle and Island creeks, in Calvert county; well adapted to the staple products of Maryland; bounding in rail timber and fire wood; having an excellent orchard of choice fruits thereon. The building being commodious and convenient; fish, oysters, & wild fowl, to be had abundantly in their seasons, at the very door. I will exchange for a very small farm, in any of the upper counties on the western shore. As it is presumed that those inclined to purchase, or exchange, will view the premises, I deem needless to enter more into detail. Letters on the subject will not be attended to; as I wish persons disposed to bargain with me to examine my land, and form their opinions from a view thereof, and not from any representation of mine.

J. J. Brooke. April 17. 3m.

Public Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the court of Chancery, will be exposed to public sale, on the premises, at 11 o'clock, on Wednesday the 27th day of May next, the dwelling plantation of John Burton, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, consisting of part of two tracts of land, containing about 328 acres. This land lies within 10 miles of Annapolis, joining the lands of Major Charles Robinson, and ending on Severn River. The improvements are two tolerable dwelling houses, kitchen, and other necessary out houses; about two thirds of the said land are in woods, among which are a large proportion of valuable timber. A further description is deemed unnecessary, as those disposed to purchase can be shewn the land by Mr. Johnson, residing on the premises. The terms of sale are, that the purchaser shall give bond, with approved security, for paying the purchase money, with interest, within twelve months on the day of sale, and on the ratification of the sale, and payment of the purchase money, the subscriber is authorized to give a deed.

Wm. Brown, Trustee. April 17.

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of an order from the orphans court of Calvert county, the subscriber will sell at public sale, on the 14th of April next, at his residence near Hunting-Town, on a credit of six months, the personal estate of Martin Jones, late of said county, deceased, consisting of one negro man, one boy and one girl, with a variety of household and kitchen furniture. Sale at 10 o'clock.

Levin Stanforth, Admr. April 3.

State of Maryland, sc.

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

On application by petition of Caleb 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 Gassarway, Reg. Wills, 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 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 the benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 20th day of March, 1817.

Caleb White, Admr. April 17.

For Sale or Rent.

The House in West-street, at present occupied by Mrs. Edalen as a Tavern. Enquire at this office.

April 17. 3w.