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Sheriff's Sales.

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next, at Mr. James Hunter's Taven in the city of Annapolis, at 10 o'clock for Cash, All the right, title, interest and claim, of John Lusby, of and to tract or parcel of Land, called Gadsby Range, containing about one-sunder and thirty acres of Land, more or less the property of the parcent of the state of the property of the parcent of the parc

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R. WELCH, of Ben shff. A. A. County.

FOR SALE.

That valuable Lot of Ground No 59

opposite the Church, lately in the posession of Mr. Thomas Brown, from ing 82 feet on the Church Circle, as running back with Doctor-street, 42 feet to Cathedral street, thence with Costal and the cathedral street, thence with the costal street of the cathedral street, the cathedral street of the cathedral street.

Cathedral street 82 feet, and thence

the Church-Circle. The Lot is a closed with a good post and rail feed.

There is a basement story of Brick is

There is a basement story of Brick is a house 30 feet by 40 on it, nearly red dy for the first floor. Likewise may be had at moderate prices, Door Sashes, Shutters, Door and Winder frames, &c. enough of each kind to finish the building. The terms of my will be made known by applying to JOHN SHAW.

NOTICE

Is hereby soon; that a petition will be presented to the text Prince-George's county court for leave to discontinuing the week by William P.

Appelis, August 13.

R. WELCH, of Ben, shff.

A. A. County.

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Aug. 20.

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Pitts, Gaz.

Hallowell, Aug. 12. Monday last, passed through wn, Mr. Joseph Norton and nily, on their way from the of Ohio, to their old residence Kennebec.

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NARYLAND GAZETTE AND POLITICAL INTELLIGENCER.

ANNAPOLIS, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1819.

Price-Three Dollars per Annum

# IN COUNCIL,

March 18, 1815.

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By order, March 18, 1818.

NINIAN PINKNEY, Clerk of the Council.

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g that such servant or slave is entitslave out of the stite, every such pertract, contrary to the meaning of this act, shall be liable to be indicted in any se found, and on conviction shall undergo confinement in the penitentiary by order of the court for the unexpired time of their servitude, for the use of the county in which such conviction shall be had, or for the use of the may or and city council if such conviction shall be had in Baltimore city court; provided nevertheless, that if any such person who shall have purchased or received such servant or slave, without knowing of his or her title to freedom after a term of years, or after any particular time, or upon any contingency, shall immediately after knowing there. of, give information on oath, or affirmation, to one of the justices of the peace of the county where the seller shall reside, or in the county where such person may reside, or the sale may have been made, of such sale and purchase, the person so purchasing or receiving shall not be liable to prosecution or the punishment as aforesaid

3. And be it enieted, That no sale of any servant or slave, who is or may be entitled to freedom after a term of years, or after any particular time. or upon any contingency, or in whom the seller is entitled for a term of years or limited time, with the reversion in some other person or persons, shall be valid and effectual in law to transfer any right or title in or to such servant or slave, unless the same be in writing under the hands and seals of both the seller, or his or her authorised agent and the purchaser, in which the period and terms of servitude or slavery, and the interest of the seller, and also the residence of the purchaser, shall be stated, and the same be acknowledged by said purchaser and seller, or his or her authorised agent, before a justice of the peace in the county where such sale shall be made, and recorded among the records of the county court of said county, within twenty days after such acknowledgment; and if any such sale should be made, and a bill of sale so as aforesaid should not be so executed. acknowledged and recorded, or in case the true time or condition of the slavery or servitude of such servant or slave, and the residence of said purchaser, should not be therein stated, then and in such case every such servant or slave, entitled to freedom after a term of years, or after any particular time, or on any contingency, shall be thereupon free, unless the court or jury who may decide upon the question in a trial, if a petition for treedom, under the foregoing provision, shall be of the opinion that no fraud was intended by the omission of any one of the requisites aforesaid, and in case any other person shall be entitled to a reversion or remainder in said slave, then the said servant or slave shall become the right and property of the said person entitled immediately to such reversion or remainder, in the same manner as if the event or time in which the reversion or remainder was to accrue had actually occurred, unless the court or jury who may decide upon the accrual of such remainder or reversion under e omission of any one of the requisites aforesaid.

4. And be it enacted, That whenever any person shall purchase any slave or slaves within this state, for the purpose of exporting or removing the same beyond the limits of this state, it shall be their duty to take from the seller a bill of sale for said slave or slaves, in which the age and distinguish ing marks, as nearly as may be, and the name of such slave or slaves, shall be inserted, and the same shall be acknowledged before some justice of the peace of the county where the sale shall be made, and lodged to be record ed in the office of the clerk of the said county, within twenty days, and the clork shall immediately on the receipt thereof, actually record the same, and deliver a copy thereof, on demand, to the purchaser, with a certificate endorsed thercupon, under the seal of the county, of the same being duly recorded, on receiving the legal fees for so

recording and authenticating the same 5. And be it enacted, That if any person who shall so have purchased any slave or slaves for exportation or removal from the state of Maryland, shall have the same in any county within this state, and information be lodged with any judge or justice of the peace, supported by oath or affirmation, that the deponent or affirmant has reasonable ground to believe that such person, who shall so have such slave or slaves in his possession, is about to export and remove them from the state, contrary to law, it shall be the duty of such judge or justice of the peace to proceed to the house or place where such slaves

hereby empowered and required to enter into any such house or place where per; and if he shall have reason to be lieve that such suspected runaway i the slave of any particular person, shall cause such notice to be given by the sheriff, to such supposed owner, as he may think most advisable, but if said judge shall not have reasonable ground to believe such suspected runaway to be a slave, he shall forthwith order such suspected runaway to be re leased, and if no person shall apply for such suspected runaway, after he may he so remanded within the time for which he may be remanded, and prove his, her or their title as the law now requires, the said sheriff shall, at the expiration of such time, relieve and discharge such suspected runaway, and in either case when such suspected runaway shall be discharged the expenses of keeping such runaway in confinement shall be levied on the county as other county expenses are now le 7. And be it enacted, That in all cases where jurisdiction, power and au

thority, are given by this act to the several county courts in this state, for matters arising in said counties, the same power and jurisdiction is hereby vested exclusively in Baltimore city court, for all matters arising in Balti more county or city, and not in Baltimore county court 8. And be it enacted. That this law

shall not take effect until after the first day of July next and the governor and council be directed, and they are hereby directed, to publish this law pince a week for six months from the passage thereof in the newspapers in which the laws or orders of this state are generally published.

#### Baltimore and West River Packet.

The subscriber having purchased of the Messrs. Barbers that large, conve nient, and swift sailing Schooner, EB-WARD LLOYD, has commenced running her as a regular packet from West River to Baltimore. She will leave West River every Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock for Baltimore-return ing, leave Baltimore every Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. He has engage ed Capt. Henry Crandell, a skilful and industrious man, to take charge of her Passengers may be assured that they will meet with the best accommodation

All orders left at his store at West River will be punctually attended to.

WILLIAM NORMAN.

Jung 12

JUST PUBLISHED, And for Sale, at this Office, The Laws of Maryland, Passed December Session. 1817. Price-S 1 50.

The Votes & Proceeding-Of last Session. Price-S 1 50.

ALSO,

### BLANKS

For Sale at this Office.

first, second, and third Endorser, in assumpsit generally. Debt on Bond and Single Bill,

Common Bonds. Appeal do. Tobacco Notes, &c. &c. June 11.

# FOR RENT.

The subscriber offers for rent that large three storied BRICK BUILD ING in the city of Annapolis, opposite the Church.

The subscriber deems it unnecessary to describe this house particularly. It is certainly well adapted for a Boarding liouse, being situated in the centre of the town, and convenient to the Stadt House. Possession will be given after the 9th day of November next
SARAH CLEMENTS.

### SHERIFFALTY.

At the solicitation of many of hi friends the subscriber is induced to of fer himself as a candidate for the office of sheriff of this county, at the ensu ing October election; and pledges him self, should he be honoured with the confidence of a majority of his fellow citizens, that in the execution of the duties of that office, no pains will be

spared to give general satisfaction.

BENJAMIN GAITHIR. BENJAMIN GAITHIR at the office.
Anne-Arundel county, July 30.

### NOTICE

No. 36.7

Is hereby given, that the subscribers of Anne Arundel county have obtained from the orphans court of Ame. Arundel county, letters testamentary on the personal estate of Absaloin Ridgely, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are requested to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, and all persons indebted, are informed that prompt settlement is required. Suits will be brought against all those who do not pay immediate attention to this notice.

John Ridgely, Burctes. **6**, 1816.

By order of the Orns Court of Anne-Arundel county, sold at public auction, on Sathe 17th of October next, at residence of Mrs. Deborah Sterett, in Elkridge, in said county, All the Possonal Estate of the deceas-\ ed,

consisting of heds, bedsteads, bedding, tables, chairs, loking glasses. China, &c. &c. a handsome second hand Carriage, horses and dows, with two male slaves for life. The terms will be, a credit of six months for all sums over wenty dollars.

All persons having claims against the said deceased, are berely warred to exhibit the same with the vonders hereof to me, in Baltimord for setlement.

J. STERETT Augus 6.

#### 100 Dollars Reward.

Ranaway from the subscriber's farm in South river, in Anne Brondel county, on Friday the 21st met, a black man

# PETER.

He is about six or seven and twenty years of age, shout five feet ten inches high, stout and well made, large hands and feet, has a remarkable scar on the cheek bone, under the left eye, in the form of an angle, large full eyes, thick ips; and when he speaks, (particularly if spoken to sharply.) stammers; his countenance sour, his common clothng of strong linen, but has other cloth-

ing. I will give the above reward if he is taken out of the state; Fifty Dollars if taken within the state and out of the county, and Forty Dollars if taken in the county, provided that he is brought to me in the city of Annapolis, or secured in any gaol so that I get him a-

Richard Harwood, (of Thos.) August 27

The Editors of the Federal Guzette an: American will publish the above advertisement one a week for three weeks and forward their accounts to this office.

## LA D FOR SALE.

In pursuance of the last will and testament of the late Benjamin Allein, the subscribers will offer for sale, on Thursday the 17th September next, if fair, if not the next fair day, at the late residence of the deceased, All the Land Declarations on Promissory Notes, and hills of exchange against Drawer, bills of exchange against Drawer, one mile above Pig Point. The improvements are a tolerable Water mill, a good dwelling house, and all necessary out houses, and in tolerable good repair. The above property will be sold on a credit of three years, subject to the widow's dower. The purchaser will be required to give bond, with two approved securities, withinterest there-The above property will be shewn to any one by applying to Mr Joseph Allem on the premises, or Thomas Tongue, jr. at Tracey's Landing, Anne Arundel county

At the same time and place, by order of the orphans court of Anne Arundel county, will be sold a Negro Girl, about ten years of age, on a credit of six months, the purchaser giving bond with approved security, with in-

terest from the day of sale.

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The Editors of the Federal Gizatte, Baltimore, and National Intelligencer, Washington, are requested to insert the above advertisement once a week for three weeks in their respective papers, and forward their accounts to this office for collection

### Wanted to purchase,

By a person residing in this city. a Woman of good character who understants plain cooking. One from the country would be preferred. Inquire at the office. tc.

Waterford, on the Muskingung bout 20 miles above Marietti. There he resided until about to an eligible place for himself and NOL. LXXVI. mily; he speat the time when the in ascertaining the prices & quali of the adjacent lands, and the pe MINTED AND FUELISHED suce of the country. Most of t led to freedom as aforesaid, with an ter into any such house or place where lands and all that are good, (as he,) are in the hands of Speculate intention to transport such servant or such slave or slaves may be, and to demand of the person or persons in whose custody the said slave or slaves may JONAS GREEN, son making any such purchase or conor men of property; their circu be, an inspection and examination of GURCH-STREET, ANNAPOLIS. stances are such, as not to rend stances are such, as not to rendimmediate sales necessary, conquently they never sell unless at rygnhanced prices. The high montainous and rocky lands are t said slave or slaves, and also of the bills

county court in this state where he may for a term not exceeding two years, and such slave or slaves shall be sold

thin been found moreover, that ser me in slaves have been seduced foatieservice of their masters and rues, and fraudulently removed out stisseate, and that the children of tenegroes and mulattoes have been Pemped from their masters, protechat places, and sold as slaves for

fines, and to punish them when comie. 1. Be it enacted by the General rator sleve to be entitled to freedom successid, to any person who shall not be at the time of such sale a bona ik resident of this state, and who has not been a resident therein for the space of at least one year next precedstemplayed, to purchase servants or shres for any other person not being melaining, possessing, or being en ell or dispose of him 'or her to any tild, knowing that such person is not a resident as a toresaid, or to any person who shall be procured, engaged ing so resident, knowing the peron so buying or receiving such serrant or slave to be so procured, enwart of the county where such seller ersellers shall reside, or sale he made, and on conviction shall be sentenced to tidergo confinement in the penitentialyfora term not exceeding two years, acording to the discretion of the court

by resident as aforceaid, or to any prion who shall be procured, engaged inployed, to purchase servants or laves for any other person not a resident as aforesaid, shall be sold by the rier of the court for the time he or he may have to serve, for the benefit of the county where such conviction tall be had, or for the use of the mayor and city council of Baltimore if the conviction shall be had in Baltimore city court. 2. And be it enacted, That if any person who is not a bona fide resident of this state, and who has not resided therein for the space of at least one Jear next preceding such purchase, shall purchase er receive on any contract any such servant or slave, who is or may be entitled to freedom as afore-

or if any person whomsoever who shall be procured, engaged or employ any other person not being resident as Moresaid, shall purchase or receive on of sale for them respectively, and if upon such demand and examination no bill or bills of sale are produced for either or any such slave or slaves, or if the bills of sale produced shall not have been executed, acknowledged and re corded, agreeably to the provisions herein contained, that the description of any such slave or slaves shall be, in the judgment of such judge or justice of the peace false or fraudulent, then it shall be the duty of such judge or justice of the peace to cause such slave or slaves, for whom no bill of sale is produced, or for whom a fulse or fraudulent bill of sale is produced to go before some judge or justice of the peace of the county aforesaid, and the person or persons who has or have said slave or slaves in possession shall. also appear, &enter into a recognizance before the same judge or justice of the peace. with two sufficient securities in the sum of one thousand dollars, for every such servant or slave in his, her, or their possession, without bills of sale as is herein provided for, to appear at the next county court to answer to the petition of said slave or slaves; and if such judge or justice shall have reason to suspect that such slave or slaves have been stolen by such person or persons, or received by them knowing them to be stolen, or that they had knowingly aided therein, in such cases the recognizance shall provide for their answering such offence; and if such person or persons, so having such slave or slaves, shall refuse or neglect to enter into such recognizance, then such judge or justice of the peace shall commit said person or persons, and such slave or slaves, to the gaol of the county; and the said judge or justice of the peace shall make return of said commitment to the county court, or Baltimore city court if then in session and if not in session then to the next term of said courts respectively; or if such person, having entered into such recognizance, shall refuse to appear a greeably thereto, or if having appeared it shall appear that such slave or slaves is or are entitled to freedom, then the court shall adjudge them free, and if said court shall adjudge them to be slaves for life, or for a term of years. and it shall appear that said slave or slaves shall have been purchased with intent to remove them from the state of Maryland, and no bill of sale for the same shall have been taken for such slave or slaves, or a false or fraudulent bill of sale, then the said court shall order such slave to be sold for the time such slave may have to serve for the benefit of the county, or for the mayor and city council of Baltimore, if the aforesaid proceedings should be had in Baltimore city court; but if any slave or slaves, after a term of years or upon any contingency, then the said ervant or slave shall become imme diately the right and property of the said person entitled to such reversion or remainder, in the same manner as if the event or time in which the reversion or remainder was to accrue had actually occurred; Provided, that the said person, so entitled to the re version or remainder, shall pay the costs of the proceedings which may have been had in the case, otherwise the said servant or slave shall be sold for the use of the county, or the may, or and city council of Baltimore, for the time he or she may have been bound to serve the person who sold said servant or slave; provided, that nothing herein contained shall be con strued to extend to the case of any citizen removing from the state of Maryland with his servants and slaves,

provided such citizen shall have resi-ded within the state one year next pre-

ceding such removal, or to any per-

son travelling with his or her servants

or slaves in or through the state, not

purchased with intent to export the

same within the meaning of this act.

6. And be it enacted, That hereaf-

ter when any servant or slave shall eb

committed to the gaol of any county in

this state, as r runaway, agreeably to

the laws now in force, and the notice re

quired to be given by law by the sheriff shall have been given, and the time

for their detention expired, and no per

son or persons shall have applied for

and claimed said suspected runaway, and proved his, her, or their title to such suspected runaway, as is now re-

quired by law, it shall be the duty of

the sheriff forthwith to carry such slave

or slaves before some judge of the county court, or judge of the orphan-

court, with his commitment, and such

judge is hereby required to examine

and inquire, by such means as he may

deem most advisable, whether such

suspected runaway be a slave or not

and if he shall have reasonable grounds

to believe that such suspected runa

way is a slave, he may remand such

suspected runaway to prison, to be con-

fined for such further or additional