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The following description of the Ice-bergs of the Polar Sea, of Ice-fields and Sices, and their formation, are extracted from Scoresby's Account of the Arctic Regions, lately published in Edinburgh. They are the best accounts of these appalling phenomena that we have ever read; and we have no doubt the reader will experience the same gratification from their perusal, that they have afforded us. Mr. Scoresby is an experienced and scientific navigator, who has long been engaged in the whale fishery.

The following is an account of the Ice-bergs of Spitzbergen, and affords a very favourable specimen of the author's powers of description, besides illustrating the danger of approaching incautiously, those majestic scenes. We copy from the Investigator, an interesting periodical work published in London, which we noticed some weeks since.

It is not easy to form an adequate conception of these truly wonderful productions of nature. Their magnitude, their beauty and the contrast they form with the gloomy rocks around, produce sensations of lively interest. Their upper surfaces are generally concave; the higher parts are always covered in snow, and have a beautiful appearance; the lower parts, in the latter end of every summer, present a bare surface of ice. The front of each, which varies in height from the level of the ocean, to 400 or 500 feet above it, lies parallel with the shore, and is washed by the sea. This part, resting on the strand, is undermined to such an extent by the sea, when in any way turbulent, that immense masses, loosened by the freezing of water lodged in the recesses of winter, or by the effect of streams of water running over its surface, and through its chasms in summer, break asunder, and with a thundering noise fall into the sea. But as the water is in most places shallow in front of these ice-bergs, the masses which are dislodged are commonly reduced into fragments before they can be floated away into the main sea. This fact seems to account for the rarity of icebergs in the Spitzbergen sea.

The front surface of icebergs is glistening and uneven. Wherever a part has recently broken off, the colour of the fracture is a beautiful greenish blue, approaching to emerald green; but such parts as have long been exposed to the air, are of a greenish grey colour, and at a distance sometimes exhibit the appearance of cliffs of whitish marble. In all cases the effect of the iceberg is to form a pleasing variety in prospect, with the magnificence of the encompassing snow-capped mountains, which as they recede from the eye, seem to 'rise crag above crag,' in endless perspective.

On an excursion to one of the Seven Icebergs, in July 1817, I was particularly fortunate in witnessing one of the grandest effects which these Polar glaciers ever present. A strong northwesterly swell having for some hours been beating on the shore, had loosened a number of fragments attached to the iceberg, and various heaps of broken ice denoted recent shoots of the seaward edge. As we rowed towards it, with a view of proceeding close to its base, I observed a few little pieces fall from the top; and while my eye was fixed upon the place, an immense column, probably fifty feet square, and one hundred and fifty feet high, began to leave the parent ice at the top, and leaning majestically forward with an accelerated velocity, fell with an awful crash into the sea. The water into which it plunged was converted into an appearance of vapour or smoke like that from a furious cannonading. The noise was equal to that of thunder, which it nearly resembled. The column which fell was nearly square, and in magnitude resembled a chert. It broke into thousands

Valuable Farm for Sale.

The subscriber, appointed by the Chancery Court a trustee for this purpose, will sell at public auction, on the premises, on Thursday the 16th day of August next if fair, and if not, the first fair day thereafter, at 12 o'clock A. M. all the real estate of Abraham Chaney, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, being a FARM of about 174 1/8 acres of land in said county, situate about a mile from Mount Pleasant Ferry, and about four miles from Pig Point and Queen Ann. The soil is various, and said to be well adapted to the growth of wheat, corn and tobacco, and is remarkably well watered. The improvements are a small dwelling house, with convenient out-houses; a new and valuable tobacco house; a good garden, and two excellent orchards; and the situation is considered an unusually healthy one. Mr. Anthony Woodfield who now lives on the farm, will show it to any one disposed to purchase. The terms of sale are, that the purchaser give bond to the trustee with good security, for the payment of the purchase money with interest from the day of sale, in twelve months thereafter, and upon the ratification of the sale by the Chancellor, and payment of the whole purchase money, a deed is authorized and directed to be executed by George Wickubin, Trustee. July 19. 3w

ESTRAY HOG.

On the 5th of August, a trespassing stray HOG was taken on my farm. The owner or owners are requested to come, prove property, pay all charges, and take him away. William Nicholls, South River Neck. August 2. 3w

Notice is hereby given.

That an Election will be held in the different election districts of Anne Arundel county, on the first Monday in September next, for two Electors to elect the Senate of this State, agreeably to the laws of Maryland. Benjamin Galt, Sheriff A. Arundel County. August 9.

South River Bridge Company.

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders in the South River Bridge Company, that an instalment of Five Dollars on each share of stock by them respectively held, is required to be paid to the treasurer of the said company, on Monday the 20th day of August next. By the Act of Incorporation, any stockholder who shall fail to pay any instalment which shall at any time be called for, for the space of one month, shall forfeit the sum or sums before paid by him on his stock, to the use of the said corporation, and shall also forfeit his right to said stock; and the President and directors shall have power to sell said stock for the use of said corporation, and if any forfeited stock shall not produce on sale, a sum sufficient to discharge the balance due thereon, and the expenses of sale, the said delinquent stockholder shall remain liable for the balance due. By order of the President & Directors. Thos. Franklin, Treasurer. July 17. 1A20.

State of Maryland, St. Calvert County, Orphans Court.

February 13th, 1821. On application by petition of William D Gray, administrator of Thomas Gray, late of Calvert 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 Maryland Republican. W. Smith, Reg. of Wills to Calvert County. July 17.

Notice is hereby Given,

That the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans Court of Calvert county in Maryland, letters of administration with the will annexed, on the personal estate of Thomas Gray, late of Calvert county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers therefor, to the subscriber, at or before the 20th day of December next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this tenth day of June, 1821. William D. Gray, Adm'r. of Thomas Gray. 10

10 Dollars Reward.

Strayed away from the subscriber living near the head of Severn, in Anne Arundel county, on the 20th of May last, a bright Bay Mare, about five years of age, fourteen hands and a half high, paces and trots, with one hind foot white, and a knot on one of her fore legs, about the size of an English walnut. Whoever takes up the said Mare, and brings her home to me, shall receive the above reward. John Hammond. June 31. 9

Anne Arundel County Court, April Term, 1821.

On application to the Honourable Richard Ridgely, Esq. one of the associate judges of Anne Arundel county court, in the recess of the said court, by petition in writing of Joseph Jones, 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 of the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said acts, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors on oath, as far as he could ascertain them, being annexed to his petition, and the said Joseph Jones having stated in his petition that he was in actual confinement, and prayed to be discharged therefrom, and the said Richard Ridgely being satisfied by competent testimony that the said Joseph Jones had resided in the state of Maryland the two preceding years prior to his said application, it was ordered that the said Joseph Jones be discharged from his confinement, and it is further ordered and adjudged by Anne Arundel county court, that the said Joseph Jones, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in one of the public news-papers printed in the city of Annapolis, for three successive months before the third Monday of October next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, to be held at the city of Annapolis on the third Monday of October next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Joseph Jones then and there taking the oath by the said act prescribed, for delivering up his property, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said Joseph Jones should not have the benefit of the several acts for the relief of insolvent debtors. By order. William Green, Ck. July 5. 3m.

Anne Arundel County, to wit:

On application, to me the subscriber Associate Judge of the third Judicial District of the State of Maryland, in writing, of John Thompson, of the city of Annapolis, stating that he is in actual confinement, and praying for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session, 1805, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms therein prescribed, 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 John Thompson having stated in his petition that he has resided two years in the state of Maryland, immediately preceding the time of his application, I do therefore, hereby order and adjudge, that the said John Thompson be discharged from his confinement, and that he give notice to his creditors by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in one of the public news-papers printed in the city of Annapolis, once a week for three months before the third Monday in October next, to appear before the said county court at the court house in said county on the third Monday of October next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said John Thompson should not have the benefit of the said acts as prayed. Given under my hand this 14th day of June 1821. RICHARD RIDGELY, WM S. GREEN, Ck. July 5. 3m.

A Farm for Sale,

The subscriber will sell the Farm on which he resides, containing three hundred and twenty-nine and a half acres of land. The whole is in a high state of improvement, the soil is well suited to Tobacco, Wheat, Corn, &c. and every part of it has been improved with Clover—Plaster acts powerfully on it, and has been used liberally. The buildings of every description are such as to accommodate a family with comfort and convenience. D. MURRAY, West River. July 12. 6

EDUCATION.

S. BARSTOW Returns his thanks to the Citizens of Annapolis, and the public, for their liberal patronage for several years past, and informs them that he will recommence his operations, at his old commodious stand, on the 23d of the present month. As there is no relaxation on his part he hopes there will be none on the part of the Community. He will instruct a few more in the various branches of the mathematics, according to the latest and most improved system. From his strict adherence to method, and his long and successful experience, in the sublime art of teaching, he pledges himself to advance all who are sent to him CONSTANTLY, with correctness and rapidity. Particular attention is paid to the deportment and morals of his Pupils. Elegant specimens of improvement and scholarship may be seen by calling at his establishment. He can accommodate two or three Students more with board. Recommendation of President Measer, Brown University, Providence Sept. 27, 1808. I certify that we hold in esteem the talents and character of the Bearer, Mr. Simon Barstow, a late Graduate of this Institution; and that we think him well qualified to take the charge of any school, or academy in need of his services. ASA MESSER, Ann. 2, 1821. 3w.

Anne Arundel County Court.

On application to me the subscriber, chief judge of the third judicial district of the state of Maryland, by petition in writing of Jehosaphat M'Cauley, of Anne Arundel county, stating that he is in actual confinement, and praying the benefit of the act of the general assembly of Maryland, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session 1815, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms therein prescribed, 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 Jehosaphat M'Cauley having satisfied me by competent testimony, that he has resided two years in the state of Maryland immediately preceding the time of his application, I do therefore hereby order and adjudge, that the said Jehosaphat M'Cauley be discharged from his confinement, and that he give notice to his creditors, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in one of the public newspapers, printed in the city of Annapolis, once a week for three months, before the 3d Monday of October next, to appear before the said county court, at the court house of said county, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said Jehosaphat M'Cauley should not have the benefit of the said acts, as prayed. Given under my hand this 14th day of June 1821. Jeremiah Chase, 3m. May 14. 10

NEW SPRING GOODS.

GEORGE SHAW Has just received a supply of Goods of the latest importation, including a great variety of new articles of the denomination of Dry Goods. ALSO A general assortment of Groceries, Ironmongery and Stationary. April 19. 10

Just Published

THE LAWS OF MARYLAND, December Session, 1820. And for Sale at this office. Price—\$1 50. April 12.

George M'Neir,

Having taken out license under the authority of the Corporation of Annapolis as AUCTIONEER, offers his services to the public in that business generally, and hopes by attention to deserve encouragement. July 19. 3w

State of Maryland, St. Anne Arundel County Orphans Court.

July 17th, 1821. On application by petition of Charles D Warfield, administrator of Caleb Dorsey, 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. THOMAS H. HALL, Reg. Wills. A. A. County. Notice is hereby Given, That the subscriber of Anne Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of said county, 4n Md letters of administration on the personal estate of Caleb Dorsey, 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 22d day of January next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 17th day of July 1821. Charles D. Warfield, Adm'r. 5

State of Maryland, St. Anne Arundel County, Orphans Court.

July 17, 1821. On application by petition of Charles D Warfield, administrator of John Barns, 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. Thos. H. Hall, Reg. of Wills A. A. County, 5

Notice is hereby given,

That the subscriber of Anne Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne Arundel county, in Md. letters of administration on the personal estate John Barns, 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 22d day of January next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 17th day of July, 1821. Charles D. Warfield, Adm'r. 5

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing between George and John Barber has been mutually dissolved. All persons indebted to the said firm are requested to settle, either by bond or note, and those who have claims are requested to present them for payment to George Barber, who is authorized to adjust the concerns of said firm. George Barber, John T. Barber.

The public are informed, that their Packets will run as usual. Merchants and others, who send Goods, &c. are requested to designate particularly the names of the persons for whom they are intended, and the places where to be sent. They will not be responsible for letters sent in the packets, but every attention will be paid to their delivery. They have an Extra SCHOONER, which will take and carry Freight to and from any port in the Chesapeake Bay. The editors of the Federal Gazette and American, Baltimore, are requested to insert the above once a week for six weeks, and forward their accounts to this office. May 17. 14 6w

STATE OF MARYLAND, St. Anne Arundel County Orphans Court.

July 6th, 1821. On application by petition of Samuel Maynard, administrator D. B. N. of Thomas Callahan 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. Thomas H. Hall, Reg. Wills. A. A. County. 14

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 D. B. N. on the personal estate of Thomas Callahan, 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 8th day of January next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 6th day of July, 1821. Saml. Maynard, Adm'r. D. B. N. 14

100 Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber, living near Friendship, Anne Arundel county, on Whitesunday morning last, the 10th inst, two negroes, one a man by the name of JAMES HILL, about 25 years of age, 5 feet 10 or 11 inches in height, of a dark brown complexion, very humble when spoken to, but, when irritated, daring and insolent. He has a scar on the left side of his mouth one on his upper lip, and another over one of his eyes, occasioned by a bile. His clothing, when he left the neighbourhood, was a blue coat, dark pantaloons, a light waistcoat, and an old fur hat, the top of the crown somewhat broke. The other a likely boy about 15 or 16 years of age, named DANIEL HILL, a brother to the above mentioned James, belonging to the estate of the late John Whittington, about the same complexion. Has no particular marks. They will, no doubt, remain together. His clothing not recollected. They have two brothers belonging to Mr. John Pumphrey, near Upper Marlborough, Prince Georges County. The above reward will be given for apprehending and securing said negroes, so that I get them again, or \$50 for either of them, with all reasonable charges paid if brought home. Henry Childs. N. B. All owners of vessels and others are forewarned from receiving, harbouring or carrying off said negroes at the peril, as they will be dealt with according to law. June 21. 9

100 Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, living near Queen Anne, Prince Georges county, on the 10th inst. NEGRO HARRY, aged 50 years, a bright mulatto, round full face, and bushy hair, six feet high, stout made, and speaks quick and impudently; he is an excellent carpenter, exceeded by none of his colour; if close attention is paid to him while at work, there will be discovered a gritting of his teeth. He was raised by William Diggles of Montgomery county, and lived near George Town many years. The above reward will be given for lodging him in, Washington city or Baltimore goal. William D. Clagett, lawsr. June 21. 9

BENJAMIN T. PINDLE,

Takes this method to inform the citizens of Anne Arundel county, that he offers himself a candidate for their suffrages at the next sheriff's election, and hopes that his long experience in all the duties of that office will entitle him to their support. June 14. 20

A HOUSE & LOT.

fronting on the dock in this city, whereof Florida's Junco did seize. This property is well calculated for a private family, or a person in the mercantile business, as it possesses every convenience for a dwelling house or store. The terms of sale are—a credit of twelve months to the purchaser, giving bond with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, with interest thereon from the day of sale, and upon payment of the purchase money, a conveyance will be executed for the said house and lot. On failure of the highest bidder to comply with the above terms, by giving bond on the day of sale, the next highest bidder will be considered the purchaser, and so on if there should be several bidders. Somerville Pinkney. July 19. 3t

New Arrangement of Days.

THE STEAM BOAT MARYLAND, will continue to run as heretofore until the last day of the present month. But afterwards she will take her routes as follows: On Sunday the first of April, she leaves Easton at 8 o'clock, and will proceed to Annapolis, leaving there at half past 2 o'clock, for Baltimore, and arrive at 6 o'clock the same day; leaves Commerce street wharf, Baltimore, on Wednesday at 8 o'clock, and returns by Annapolis to Easton at 6 o'clock, the same evening; And so leaves Easton at the same hour, and by the same route, every Sunday and Thursday. In every route she will touch at Todd's Point, the Mills and at Oxford, if hailed, to take and land passengers. On Monday of every week she will leave Baltimore at nine o'clock for Chestertown, and arrive there in the afternoon; and on Tuesday morning leaves at 9 o'clock Chestertown and returns to Baltimore, touching in both routes at Queen's town, to take and land passengers. She will take freights from and to the respective places above mentioned, as not to incommode the passengers, their Horses or Carriages. Passengers wishing to go to Philadelphia will find it the most convenient and expeditious route, as she meets the Union line of steam boats, when they can be put on board, and arrive in Philadelphia the next morning by 9 o'clock. All baggage, of which due care will be taken, will nevertheless be at the risk of the passengers heretofore. March 22. 25

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership of Warfield and Ridgely having this day been dissolved by mutual consent, all persons having claims against said firm are requested to present them to either of the subscribers, who are duly authorized to receive and pay all debts due to and from said firm. Those indebted to the firm aforesaid, by notes or bonds, are requested to make payment, and those indebted on open account are desired to call and pay the same, or give notes or bonds, on or before the 1st April 1821. William Warfield, David Ridgely. The business will be conducted in future under the firm of 25 Ridgely, & Co. Who have on hand, and will constantly keep, a good assortment of Dry Goods & Groceries. And who respectfully solicit the continuance of the custom of their friends and the public. March 1. 25

SHERIFFALTY

WILLIAM O'HARA Having understood that a report circulating of his having declined to take a Candidate for the office of Sheriff, takes this opportunity of declaring the same to be unfounded. He begs the public not to suffer themselves to be deceived by reports of this kind, and means to continue his candidature for their suffrages for the said appointment, and respectfully solicits their votes. March 20. 25

JUST PUBLISHED.

AND FOR SALE, AT THE OFFICE, The Votes & Proceedings of the last session of the Legislature. Price—\$1 75. June 14. 20