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Maryland Gazette.
ANNAPOLIS.
THURSDAY, NOV. 2, 1826.

TO DROVERS.
We are authorized to offer the use of a good three quarter-acre lot, substantially enclosed, in a convenient part of this city, gratuitously, for the accommodation of any drove of hogs or cattle, that may be brought to this city to market. The first applicant to have the preference.

MAMMOTH PEAR.
We have seen a Pear, grown in a gentleman's garden in this city, which weighed two pounds ten ounces.

Richard W. Ringgold, esq. is a candidate to represent Kent county at the next Legislature, a vacancy having occurred in the delegation from that county, by the death of Joseph Mann, esq. who was member elect.

The frigate built ship Baltimore, Capt. F. Buchanan, sailed from her anchorage above this port on Monday evening, last for Rio Janeiro. Passengers—J. C. Oliveira, Brazilian Secretary of Legation, and Lady; Capt. Faustino of the Brazilian Navy, and sons; Messrs. Richard A. Stout and Geo. W. Dobbin, of Baltimore; Mrs. Bannister, Dr. De Ly and Mr. Joseph Eckford, of New-York.

P. E. CONVENTION.
The Special Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church which assembled in Philadelphia last week adjourned on Friday without electing an Assistant Bishop for the Diocese of Pennsylvania. The Rev. William M. Meade of Virginia, and the Rev. Bird Wilson, of Pennsylvania, were the only persons nominated for that station, the former of whom received 27 votes and the latter 25, when Bishop White who presided, declared there was no election, on the ground that 54 delegates being present, 27 were not a constitutional majority. The convention recommended the subject to the next annual convention which will meet in May. One of the delegates declined voting.

COURT OF APPEALS.
Thursday, October 26th. —The argument in *S. & T. Ringgold, vs. Mary Ringgold, et al.* was continued by *Diney* and *Jones* for the Appellants in reply.
Friday, October 27th. —The argument in the same case was further continued by *Jones* and *Wirt* (Attorney-General U. S.) for the Appellants, in reply.
Saturday, October 28th. —*Wirt* (Attorney-General U. S.) continued the argument for the Appellants, in reply in the above case.
Charles Carroll Harper and *Robert Wilson*, junior, esquires, of the city of Baltimore, were admitted Attorneys of the Court of Appeals.
Monday, October 30th. —The argument in *S. & T. Ringgold vs. Mary Ringgold, et al.* was concluded by *Wirt* (Attorney-General U. S.) for the Appellants, in reply.
The argument in the case of *Mary Ringgold, et al. vs. S. & T. Ringgold* (No. 92), an across appeal from the decree of the Court of Chancery, in the preceding case, was commenced by *Mayer* for the Appellants.
Tuesday, October 31st. —The argument in the last case was continued by *Mayer* for the Appellants, and by *Jones* for the Appellees.
Wednesday, November 1st. —The argument in the preceding case was further continued by *Jones* and *Taney*, for the Appellees.

October 10, 1826.
To the Editor of the Md. Gazette.
Dear Sir,
I have not been able to ascertain the fate of the law of Public Instruction in all the counties, but have seen enough to justify the annexed petition, of which copies have been sent to several of the counties who give majorities against the law, and it is desired that they may be generally circulated in each of such counties, and I shall thank you to publish the petition.

To the General Assembly of Maryland.
The undersigned inhabitants of — county, consider that a majority of counties, and a large majority of the people of this state have adopted the law of Public Instruction, — that, by section 25, of that law, the present basis, for free schools, are included in and compose a part of the Revenues to be assigned and appropriated for the support of Primary Schools, and that such counties as have given a majority against their establishment are not only shut out, and deprived of all the benefits of these schools, but of all part of the present funds, — and share of the funds appropriated by the resolution, No. 8, of the last session, is limited at one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, a large proportion of which, it is understood, has already been incurred according to the provisions of the said resolution, and of all participation in future assignments for the support of Primary Schools; — and, confidently believing that if the merits of the system had been understood and appreciated a vast majority of this county would have voted for its establishment; they, therefore, pray that a law may be passed to admit our county to an equal participation of all the benefits of Public Instruction, as contemplated by the law, and as equal portion of the money appropriated, and hereafter to be assigned for the support of Primary Schools, — that, at all events, that all who voted for the law, and those who sign this petition, their children and posterity, may not be excluded from its beneficial operation; — And your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

Mr. Seymour has been re-elected to the Senate of the U. S. by the Legislature of Vermont.

EARTHQUAKE AT ST. JAGO DE CUBA.
Extract of a letter from St. Jago, de Cuba, dated Sept. 21, 1826.
We were visited on the morning of the 13th last by three and 4 o'clock; with one of the most awful earthquakes that has been felt here for fifty years past, at which time nearly one half of the town was destroyed. There were two shocks, the second more severe than the first, and the duration of each was about one minute. The main

From an accurate and corrected list of the late and present members of the Imperial Parliament elected to represent Ireland, it appears that 64 are for Catholic Emancipation, 28 against it and the voters of eight doubtful. Of the County members, 44 are for, 16 against, and four doubtful; of the City members 9 are for, 2 against, and the 2 borough members 11 are for, 10 against, and 4 doubtful. When the state of the representation and the limitation of the exercise of the right of suffrage are taken into account, the above statement exhibits, in no doubtful manner, the public opinion of Ireland.—*Dem. Press.*

We understand that Mr. Henry Wright, one of the Engineers employed upon the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal, and Son of Judge Wright, the principal Engineer, was killed at the Canal, on Wednesday afternoon last. He was leading his horse over a rough piece of ground, when he stumbled and fell, the horse stepped upon his breast, in consequence of which, he expired in thirty minutes. [Del. Gaz.]

AN APT ILLUSTRATION.

A person asking how it happened that many beautiful ladies took up with but indifferent husbands, after many fine offers, was thus aptly answered by a mountain maiden. A young friend of hers requested her to go into a delightful canebrake, and there get him the handsomest reed. She must get it in once going through without turning. She went, and coming out, brought him quite a mean reed. When he asked her if that was the handsomest she saw? "Oh no," she replied, "I saw many finer as I went along, but I kept on, in hopes of a much better, until I had got on nearly through, and then I was obliged to take up with any one I could find."

Count Pahlen, formerly minister plenipotentiary of Russia to the United States, has been appointed Governor of Odessa, and since the departure of Count Worontzoff for Akerman, has acted as governor general of the provinces of New Russia and Bessarabia. He left, in this country, a number of friends who will rejoice in his elevation.

OBITUARY.

DIED, on the 12th inst. at Wrentham (Mass.) LEVI MAXER, Esquire, at the advanced age of 83 years, as distinguished by his genius as by his venerable and benevolent character. He was the Father of the late learned and eloquent Dr. Maxer, of South Carolina, formerly so well known and beloved in this town. *Prov. Gaz.*

In FAYAL on the 2d Sept. of apoplexy, JONAS DANEY, Esq. Consul General of the United States for the Azores. He was a native of Boston, and son of Dr. Daney, who removed to Connecticut at the commencement of the Revolutionary War. Mr. D. had resided, with his family, at Fayal upwards of twenty years.

Chancery Sale

OF VALUABLE LAND.

By virtue of a decree of the court of chancery the subscriber will expose to public sale on the premises, on Wednesday the 22d day of November inst. if fair, if not the next fair day thereafter—parts of several tracts of land whereof Mary Dorsey died seized, called Best Success, Wright's Dividend, Point Lookout, Rockhold's Purchase, and Hunting Quarter, supposed to contain in the whole about 274½ acres. These lands lie on Curtis's creek, on the Patapsco River, and is near or adjoins the residence of Amasa Linticum. It is deemed unnecessary to give a further description of the above property, as it is presumed those inclined to purchase will view the premises. Terms of Sale—One third of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale, or on the ratification thereof, and the balance to be paid within 12 months from the day of sale, with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by bond, with approved security. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock.

Louis Gassaway,
Trustee.

On the ratification of the sale, and payment of the purchase money, the subscriber is authorised to execute a deed.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of sundry writs of fieri facias, issued out of Anne Arundel county court, and to me directed, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, of James Nicholson, at suit of John Beard, William O'Hara use of James Shaw, and John Beard and Susannah Nicholson, I have seized and taken in execution, all that tract of land whereon the said James Nicholson now resides, called Hickory Hills and Indian Range, containing 144 acres of land, more or less, also one Negro Man by the name of Tom, and one Girl named Priss, and on Wednesday the 22d day of Nov. inst. at the court house in the city of Annapolis, I shall proceed to sell the said property to the highest bidder, for cash, to satisfy the debt due as aforesaid. Sale to commence at eleven o'clock.

R. Welch of Ben.
Shff. A. A. county.

Nov. 2.

An Overseer Wanted

A person that can come well recommended for character and qualification, and without family. Apply to Susan Barber.

Nov. 2.

POSTSCRIPT

ISAAC H. WILLIAMSON.
Has been re-elected Governor of
New Jersey by the Legislature of that
State.

GEORGIA ELECTION.
The following persons have been e-
lected in their respective districts, to
represent this State in the 30th Con-
gress of the United States, to wit:

1st District	Edward P. Tattnall,
2d "	John Forsyth,
3d "	Wiley Thompson,
4th "	Wilson Lumpkin,
5th "	Charles E. Haynes,
6th "	Tonnison Fort,
7th "	John Floyd.

Alexandria Oct. 30.
Extract of a letter from a gentleman in
Tennessee, to his friend in Alexan-
dria.

HORRID MURDER.
Sevier County, Oct. 16, 1826.
On Monday night last Col. Perry,
the Clerk of Sevier County, was most
barbarously butchered in his bed. The
following are the circumstances of the
case, as nearly as I have been able to
ascertain them. About two o'clock
A. M. the perpetrator of the bloody
deed, having passed through two outer
doors, entered the chamber where Col.
P. and his wife were sleeping, and with
the edge of a small axe, or large toma-
hawk, struck him on the head with
such violence, that it penetrated the
skull into the brain, which afterwards
oozed through the wound.

Mrs. Perry, being awakened by the
blow, or some noise in the room, saw
a man go out, who she believes, judg-
ing from the indistinct view she had of
him, had his sleeves rolled up. Plac-
ing her hand on her husband, she
found that his face was covered with
blood. Some minutes elapsed before
he recovered from the effects of the
blow so as to be able to speak.

He lived however, until the after-
noon of the succeeding Friday and in
the meantime, when not suffering un-
der severe convulsions, with which he
was frequently seized, was rational,
and capable of conversing intelligibly.

Col. Perry—who was in the prime
of life—had been a representative in
the Senate of the Tennessee Legisla-
ture, and was a gentleman of the high-
est respectability. Besides a mourn-
ing widow, he has left behind him
family of five or six children to de-
plore his premature loss.

A certain John Nichols, formerly of
Va. has been apprehended on suspi-
cion of his being the murderer. It was
proven before the magistrate by whom
Nichols was committed, that he had
repeatedly, at sundry times and places,
declared a determination to kill
Col. P. in consequence of the latter
having charged him with clandestinely
dealing with his slaves."

Hirelings Wanted.

Wanted at the Alum and Coppers
Works, on the Magohy River, for the
year 1827. TWELVE good HANDS,
for whom liberal wages will be given,
payable half yearly. Apply at the
Works, or to Mr. Joseph Sands, at
Annapolis.

Nov. 2. ts.

Valuable Negroes
FOR SALE.
The subscriber will offer at public
sale, at the Quarter Farm of the late
Dr. Matthias Hammond, lying on
the head of Severn, on Saturday the 25th
day of November, instant, between
THIRTY and FORTY Valuable Negroes
consisting of Men, Women and Chil-
dren, part of the personal estate of the
said Dr. Hammond. Also Horses,
Hogs, Sheep, Cows, Corn, Hay, Pod-
der, Tobacco, and farming Utensils.
Some of this property will be sold on
a credit of six months, the purchaser
giving bond, with approved security,
and some of it will be sold for cash.
The terms of sale, whether for cash
or on a credit, will be distinctly stated
as each respective article is offered,
but in all cases where the amount of
purchase does not exceed twenty dol-
lars, the cash may be required.

Robert Welch, of Ben.

Nov. 2 1826.

For Sale.
The subscriber will sell at Private
Sale, the

Schooner Packet
Commodore John Rodgers. She is
lying at the wharf of the Messrs. Bar-
bers, and may be examined by those
who wish to purchase.

John Barber, of Geo.

Nov. 2. tf

For Sale or Rent
That part of the real estate of the
late George Hogarth, esq. lately ad-
vertised for sale, being 340 1/2 acres of
land, binding on Herring Bay. Posses-
sion will be given immediately. For
terms apply to

Lewis Nath, Trustee

Nov. 2. tf

NOTICE.

The subscriber having delivered the Accounts of City Taxes due for the present year, respectfully requests those who have not paid, to call at the store of Mr. Richard Ridgely, and make payment. In my absence Mr. Richard Ridgely is authorised to receipt for the same.

D. Ridgely, Collector.
Nov. 2, 1826

In Chancery,
October 23d, 1826.

Ordered, That the sale made and reported by John J. Donaldson, trustee for the sale of the real estate of Thomas Tillard, deceased, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 23d day of December next; provided a copy of this order be inserted once in each of three successive weeks in one of the Annapolis newspapers before the 23d day of November next. The report states that the dwelling house and plantation sold for 47 per acre, and a small unimproved tract sold for \$6 37 1/2 p. acre.

True Copy,
Test. Ramsay Waters,
Reg. Cur. Can.

Public Sale.

By virtue of an order from the Orphans Court of Anne-Arundel county, the subscriber will offer at public sale, on Thursday the 16th November next, if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter, at the late residence of John Linthicum, in South River Neck,

'The Personal Estate

of said Linthicum, consisting of Stock, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Plantation Utensils, the Crop now on the ground, &c. Terms of Sale—for all sums over twenty dollars, a credit of six months will be allowed, the purchaser giving bond, with security, with interest from the day of sale—all sums of or under twenty dollars, the cash to be paid. Sale to commence at 11 o'clock.

Willson Waters, Admr.

Sheriff's Sales.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of Anne Arundel county court, and to me directed against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, of Christopher L. Gantt, at suit of George Barber, surviving obligee of John Barber, I have seized and taken in execution, all those tracts or parcel of lands whereon the said Christopher L. Gantt now resides, called White's Hall, part of the Angles and Lug Ox, containing two hundred and forty five and a half acres of land, more or less. This land is in a high state of cultivation, having been improved in the best manner, with clover and plaster. The buildings consist of a commodious dwelling house, with every other necessary building a farm may require. Also all the stock, horses, cattle, sheep and hogs, plantation utensils, household and kitchen furniture, also a number of valuable slaves. Men and Women, together with all the crops now on the premises, consisting of corn, tobacco, wheat, oats, fodder, &c. &c. and on Monday the 20th day of November next, at the premises, I shall proceed to sell the said property without reserve, to the highest bidder, for cash, to satisfy the debt due as aforesaid. Sale to commence at half past 10 o'clock precisely.

R. Welch, of Ben. Shff.
A. A. County.

By virtue of sundry writs of fieri facias issued out of Anne Arundel county court, and to me directed, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, of Caleb Marriott, at suit of Charles Waters, adm'r of Ephraim Marriott, for the use of Charles and Jacob Waters and Chas. Duvall use of William Beckett, I have seized and taken in execution, all that tract of land whereon the said Marriott now resides, called Duvall's Delight, containing one hundred and fifty acres of land more or less. Also sundry Stock, Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs, and one Negro Boy by the name of John, and on Tuesday the 21st day of November next, at the premises, I shall proceed to sell the said property to the highest bidder, for cash, to satisfy the debt due as aforesaid. Sale to commence at eleven o'clock.

R. Welch, of Ben. Shff.
A. A. County.

Wanted to Hire

For the year 1827, four good hands to work on a farm, for which a liberal price will be given. For further particulars enquire of Mr. George Shaw, merchant Annapolis, or the subscriber two miles from South River Ferry.

John Lester.

This image is a vertical, high-contrast, black and white scan of a textured surface. It appears to be a close-up of a book cover or a piece of aged paper. A prominent vertical crease or fold line runs down the center, creating a sharp division. The left side is mostly white with some dark speckles, while the right side is predominantly black with some white highlights. The overall texture is grainy and uneven.