

of the cavalcade proceed... not the slightest... on board the different... of the river, but on ap... of meeting, it became... measures had been tak... place for the boats to... opening, the boats were... but the landing was... not the least noise or... the Gate, there had been... constructed, which was co... cloths, and hung with... style. The house tops... at every possible place... with Chinese, who were... excellent order by a strong... policemen. The passage... place where the Man... was lined with Chinese... of about 150; and on... party there, the Marines... drawn up; and then captai... with the other captains... of the Factory; they pro... pavillion, at the end of... Hang-Heep and Chong-Heep... to receive the letter, ... several other Mandarins, and... attendance. Captain Free... and requested Dr... the Mandarins that he... a letter from the Governor... to the Viceroy of Canton... to him, he understood he... officer of proper authority... Mandarin signified by as... the letter, saluted cap... and the party retired; the... arms in the usual manner... and returned to Canton in... as they came. The inter... above two or three minutes... sented is contained in the pa... The following are extracts... of the Governor of Canton... presented to me that, in your... measures of an inimic... character have been adop... of Canton, towards Bri... countrymen; that the Pa... nation at Canton, has... taken possession of the wall... your excellency previously... polished, and that the per... outrages carried his insolence... the portrait of my agr... marked and intentional disre... further informed that there... dispute of any kind at the... between the authorities at Can... who preside over the affairs... of the British nation; that no... by the latter which was... complaint on the part of those... in short, on either side there... violation from established cus... of laws which might justly... such acts of violence. The... of a large empire. The ex... and the number of provin... the number and wealth of the... disciplined armies maintain... and commerce which visit... various harbours and cities... down to your Excellency. It... to watch over the concerns... in all this part of this world... with the authority and pow... secure the merchants of the... from injustice and oppression... influence extends, and the mea... may allow. It is on this ac... members of the British Fac... have represented to me the i... positions they have suffered. I... excellency, if they should deem... to appeal to your wisdom and... to their wrongs a fair and... eration. You will thus confer... obligation, and will relieve... anxiety, with which I should... of considering what furth... of support the aggrieved mer... right to expect at my hands... your excellency to accept the as... high consideration. (Signed) W. C. BENTON, 17th August 1831.

boat the middle of Jan. with despatches for the same gentleman. Canton Jan. 25. Since the departure of H. M. S. Wolf, no further attempts have been made by the Select Committee to communicate with the Chinese Government. The Factory have left Canton for their summer quarters at Macao, and things remain perfectly quiet. The Chinese appear to have overcome any uneasiness that they might have experienced upon the arrival of the ships of war, and the prospect of final settlement by means of force is no longer contemplated. It is well, perhaps, that such is the case: as the contest, when it does take place, will be the more felt from being unexpected. **Reverence for the Emperor.**—As an instance of the great respect which the Chinese attach to his Imperial Majesty, we will relate a fact which occurred to the American ship "Eclipse" now in this Port. On her arrival at Wampoa, the Chinese were (or pretended to be) very much struck at her figure-head, the bust of a Chinese in the dress of ceremony, and bearing in gold letters the style and title of the Emperor Kien-lung, who was up on the throne of China at the time of the Embassy of Lord Macartney. When this offensive decoration of a foreign ship was pointed out to the authorities by the vigilance of the petty Mandarins, they refused to secure the ship; and began to bluster about it in the most absurd manner. In order to prevent difficulty, however, the bust was transformed, in a single night, from the effigy of the "Son of Heaven," into a sort of semi-military "Fan Kwei" in a round hat and feather. The ship was visited by some large Mandarin boats, the officers of which, after scrutinizing this odd figure, and being assured that it had been always the same, departed apparently satisfied. Thus, in order to humour the ridiculous fancy of the Hoppo and his myrindons, it has been necessary to destroy the whole of the decorations attached to the head of the ship; and which, in perfect good feeling, were intended to please and flatter, rather than offend. Another reason given why this figure-head must be removed was, that, being the effigy of a Chinese Emperor, and bearing beneath it his style and title at full length, no native of the Celestial Empire could pass it without performing the reverence, or Ko-top, which in all cases paid to the real or ideal resemblance of His Majesty.

Maryland Gazette.

ANNAPOLIS:
Thursday, May 24, 1832.

The U. S. schooner EXPERIMENT, Capt. MARTINE, arrived and anchored in our harbor on Saturday afternoon last.

The death warrant of *Mina* directs that he shall be executed on Thursday, the 21st inst.

JACKSON CONVENTION.

The several delegations proceeded to deposit their ballots at the Secretary's table—and the balloting having been concluded, it appeared upon the count, that MARTIN VAN BUREN had received the following votes:—From Connecticut 8 votes; Illinois 2; Ohio 21; Tennessee 15; North Carolina 9; Georgia 11; Louisiana 5; Pennsylvania 30; Maryland 7; New Jersey 8; Mississippi 4; Rhode Island 4; Maine 10; Massachusetts 14; Delaware 3; New Hampshire 7; New York 42; Vermont 7; Alabama 1—being in all 208. That Richard M. Johnson had received the following votes:—From Illinois 2 votes; Indiana 9; Kentucky 15—being in all 26 votes. That Philip B. Barbour had received the following votes:—From North Carolina 6 votes; Virginia 23; Maryland 3; South Carolina 1; and Alabama 6 votes—being in the whole 49 votes. It appearing therefore, that MARTIN VAN BUREN, had received a majority of more than two-thirds of all the votes given, he was declared to be selected as the candidate nominated by this convention for the Vice Presidency. Mr. Jefferson Phelps, of Kentucky, offered the following:—*Whereas*, MARTIN VAN BUREN, of New York, has received, upon the first ballot, more than two thirds of all the votes given, for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the Vice Presidency of the United States—therefore: *Resolved*, That this Convention unanimously concur in recommending him to the people of the United States, for their support, for that office, at the ensuing election. Which preamble and resolution were adopted unanimously.

VIRGINIA AND MARYLAND BOUNDARY LINE.

From the *South Branch Intelligencer*. Maryland has again revived her claim to the territory lying between the North and South Branches of the Potomac River; and we understand, during the last session of her General Assembly, adopted some resolutions with a view of bringing this old feud before the Supreme Court of the U. States, for final determination. Not greatly apprehensive of the result, and yet disposed to a spirit of prudence to provide for every contingency, the General Assembly of this State, also, during its recent session authorized the Governor to appoint a Commission, to collect and preserve whatever evidence could at this distant day be procured, in relation to that boundary line—and in conformity thereto, the *Intelligencer* informs us, that CHARLES JAMES FAULKNER, Esq. of that place, has been appointed by the Governor of this Commonwealth, to perform the duties of said office. The claim of Maryland, we believe, embraces about a half a million of land, some of

it the richest land in Virginia; and if successful would deprive us of about one half of the counties of Hampshire and Hardy,—one third of PRINCEGEON, and parts of RANDOLPH and PAXTON. It may be well to cast a glance at the grounds, upon which this bold and formidable demand rests. The true boundary, between this State and the State of Maryland depends on the question, WHICH IS THE FIRST MOUNTAIN OF THE RIVER POTOMAC,—a question which we had supposed was long since settled, not only by the common understanding of the country, but by accurate surveys and positive adjudication. The fact that the South Branch is the largest stream, and extends farthest westwardly, has afforded to Maryland, some pretence for asserting this claim—but when we consider that at the date of the grant of the Northern Neck of Virginia, the North Branch was uniformly held to be the true head stream of that river—that such was manifestly the understanding of the grantor and grantee of that territory—that it was so, solemnly decided to be, in the middle of the 18th century after accurate and laborious examinations and surveys; and so tacitly admitted by Maryland herself in the compact between that State and Virginia; we cannot but regard this pretension of our sister State, about as idle and unfounded, as it is stale and obsolete.

There is in this county, at the corner of the present division line between Maryland and Virginia, a stone marked F X, familiarly called Fairfax's stone, which tradition informs us was planted shortly after a decision of the British Government in 1743, and intended to designate the true head spring of the Potomac River in accordance with the decision just referred to by the British Government. We presume there are none now living, who assisted at the laying of that stone, although it is possible there are some in this county, who may have derived their information immediately from those who were so engaged. We understand that it is the duty of Mr. FAULKNER, to collect and preserve all evidence of the kind, and we would therefore recommend it to those who may possess any valuable information upon the subject, to communicate the fact to him. We are authorized by him to say that he will shortly attend in this county, on the discharge of the duties confided to him. The claim of Maryland to this large slice of our territory, although never permitted entirely to slumber for many years together, has recently been revived in a more vigorous and determined spirit of prosecution, than at any previous period of her history. We do not regret this. If she is determined to litigate the question, the sooner she commences the better. We hate old claims, and long pending controversies.—But, we would take the liberty of respectfully suggesting to our mild confederate sister, whether she has not selected a most UNFORTUNATE period for seeking redress by an appeal to the Supreme Court of the U. States. Surely if Georgia can set at defiance a solemn decision of that tribunal in a case like that which has recently occurred, it could scarcely be supposed that the commonwealth of Virginia would consent without a struggle to part with half a million of her territory and seventy thousand of her population. But badinage apart if she is determined upon it, Virginia will defend her claims with every possible exhibition of kindness, courtesy and good feeling.

From the National Intelligencer.

SAMUEL HOUSTON was brought to the bar of the House of Representatives. He was allowed to read and to have spread on the journal of the House, a paper protesting against the authority of the House, but avowing his submission to it, under the circumstances in which he was placed. The Speaker then pronounced the reprimand required by the vote of the House, for the contempt of the House and breach of Privilege thereof, committed by Gen. HOUSTON, in the following words: SAMUEL HOUSTON: You have been charged with the violation of the rights and privileges of the House of Representatives, in having offered personal violence to one of its members, for words spoken in debate. In exercising the high and delicate power of ascertaining and vindicating their own privileges, the House have proceeded throughout this investigation, and in relation to your individual rights, with all that deliberation and caution which ought to characterize the dignified and moral justice of such an assembly. You have been heard in person in your defence—you have been ably and eloquently defended by eminent counsel, and every facility afforded you to place your case fully and fairly before the House, and to urge upon its consideration matters of principle as well as of fact, in explanation and justification of your conduct. Whatever the motives or causes may have been, which led to the act of violence committed by you, your conduct has been pronounced, by the solemn judgment of this House, to be a high breach of their rights and privileges, and to demand their marked disapprobation and censure. If, in fulfilling the order of the House, I were called upon, as its presiding officer, to reprimand an individual uneducated and un-informed, it might be expected that I should endeavour, as far as I was able, to impress upon him the importance and propriety of sedulously guarding from violation the rights and privileges secured to the members of this House by our inviolable Constitution. But, when addressing a citizen of your character and intelligence, and one who has himself been honoured by the people with a seat in this House, it cannot be necessary that I should add to the duty enjoined upon me, by dwelling upon the character or consequences of the offence with which you have been charged and found guilty. Whatever has a tendency to impair the freedom of debate in this House—a freedom no less sacred than the authority of the Constitution itself—or to

deduct from the independence of the Representatives of the People, in the rightful discharge of their high functions, you are no doubt sensible, must, in the same proportion, weaken and degrade not only the legislation of the nation itself, but the character of our free institutions.

Your own mind will suggest to you, no doubt, more suitable reflections than any thing which I can say could convey. To those reflections I am prepared to trust, not doubting that, had you at the time, considered the act of violence which you have committed, in the light in which it has been regarded by the House, you would have been spared its disapprobation and censure, and I the duty of declaring to you the result of it.

I forbear to say more, than to pronounce the judgment of the House, which is, that you have been guilty of a high breach of its privileges, and that you be reprimanded therefor, at its Bar by the Speaker, and in obedience to the order of the House I do reprimand you accordingly. You will now be conducted from the Bar of the House, and discharged from the custody of the Sergeant-at-Arms.

IN CHANCERY.

22d May, 1832. ORDERED, That the sale made and reported by Somerville Pinkney, Trustee for the sale of Henry Troit's real estate, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 23d day of July next, provided a copy of this order be published once in each of three successive weeks before the 22d day of June next, in one of the Annapolis news-papers.—The report states the amount of sales to be \$315. True Copy. Test. RAMSAY WATERS, Reg. Cur. Can.

IN CHANCERY.

22d May, 1832. ORDERED, That the creditors of Henry Troit, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, file their claims, legally authenticated, in the Chancery Office, on or before the 22d day of September next. True copy. Test. RAMSAY WATERS, Reg. Cur. Can.

CASH FOR NEGROES.

WE WISH TO PURCHASE 100 LIKELY NEGROES,

Of both sexes, from 12 to 25 years of age, field hands, also, mechanics of every description. Persons wishing to sell, will do well to give us a call, as we are determined to give HIGHER PRICES FOR SLAVES, than any purchaser who is now or may be hereafter in this market. Any communication in writing will be promptly attended to. We can at all times be found at Williamson's Hotel, Annapolis. LEGG & WILLIAMS. May 1, 1832.

THE following were the drawn numbers in the Maryland State Lottery, No. 4, for 1832. 47 27 49 43 42 44 45 28

Clark as usual sold a number of capitals.

26th OF May Scheme.

CLARK takes great pleasure in congratulating such of his country friends as drew Prizes in the late State Lottery, and would inform those who were unsuccessful, that Scheme No. 5, to be drawn on Saturday, May 26th, 1832, presents more than ordinary opportunities for putting them in the possession of wealth, containing, as it does, no less than three Capitals of \$10,000 each.

1 prize of \$10,000	55 prizes of \$100
1 " " 10,000	51 " " 50
1 " " 10,000	51 " " 40
1 " " 4,270	51 " " 30
5 " " 1,000	51 " " 25
10 " " 500	102 " " 20
10 " " 300	1,350 " " 10
20 " " 200	11,475 " " 5

13,395 prizes, amounting to \$156,880. Whole Tickets \$5; Halves \$2 50; Qrs. \$1 25; Be sure to direct your orders to either of

J. CLARK'S

Offices, N. W. corner of Baltimore and Calvert, N. W. corner of Baltimore and Gay, N. E. corner of Baltimore and Charles-sts. May 10.

NOTICE.

CAME to the subscriber's, on or about the 20th of April last, one small Red COW, with a white face, one ditto Brindle, one young Steer Red, one ditto Brindle.—The owner or owners of the above described property is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take them away. RICHARD GARDINER, South side of Severn River, 3 miles above Annapolis. May 17.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Saint-Mary's county, in Maryland, Letters of Administration on the Personal Estate of Thomas Woodland; late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereon, to the subscriber, at or before the first day of May next, they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 9th day of May, 1832. May 17. JOE SPALDING, Adm'r.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of a decree of the Court of Chancery, the subscriber, as trustee, will offer at public sale, at James Hunter's Tavern, in Annapolis, on Saturday the 26th day of May, inst., at 12 o'clock, M. all that

PARCELS OF LAND.

in Anne Arundel county, which was heretofore sold by Roderick Dorsey, to Henry Vanbill, lately deceased, consisting of part of the addition to Stony Thicket, part of Caleb's Choice and Stony Thicket, and containing

176 1-8 ACRES

of Land, more or less. This parcel of Land constituted the dwelling plantation of Henry Vanbill at the time of his death. It lies near the public road from Annapolis to Merrill's Tavern, and about four miles from the latter place. Persons disposed to purchase are requested to view the premises. The sale will be made for ready money to be paid on the day of sale, or on the ratification thereof by the court. THOS. ALEXANDER, Trustee. May 10.

CHANCERY SALE.

BY virtue of a decree of the Court of Chancery, the subscriber will offer at Public Sale, to the highest bidder, on Thursday the seventh day of June next, at 12 o'clock, M. at the Court House door, in Annapolis, all the interest and estate of Richard R. Gaither, in a House and Lot situated on School Street, in the city of Annapolis, now in possession of George Wells, Esquire. The interest to be sold consists of the reversion in fee subject to an estate, for the life of Benjamin Gaither, of Anne Arundel county. The terms of sale will be made known at the time of sale. JOHN RIDGELY, Trustee. May 17.

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 7th day of June next, at the residence of Miss Mary Cross, in East-street, the

PERSONAL ESTATE

Of Mrs. Margaret Miller, deceased, consisting of

Household and Kitchen Furniture.

Terms of sale.—A credit of six months will be allowed on all sums of ten dollars and upwards, the purchaser giving bond with security, with interest from the date; under ten dollars the cash to be paid. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock. JOHN MILLER, Adm'r. May 17.

A TEACHER WANTED

IN the thirtieth Primary School district, in A. A. county, who can come approved of according to Law. Apply to Dr. Richd. G. Stockett, John S. Williams, or Anthony Smith trustee of said district, near Ellicott's Mills. May 17.

STORAGE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of St. Mary's county, in Md. letters of administration with the will annexed, on the personal estate of Benjamin Harrison, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereon to the subscriber, at or before the 10th day of April next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 1st day of May, 1832. BENJAMIN HARRISON, dec'd. May 10.

E. DUBOIS'

LOTTERY & EXCHANGE OFFICE, (Opposite the Farmers' Bank of Maryland.)

MORE LUCK!!

Nos. 43 49 52 a Prize of \$40.

MARYLAND STATE LOTTERY,

CLASS NO. 5, FOR 1832 To be drawn at Baltimore, On Saturday the 26th May, 1832.

Sixty Number Lottery—Nine Drawn Ballots.

SCHEME:

4 prize of \$10,000
1 prize of 10,000
1 prize of 10,000
1 prize of 4,270
5 prizes of 1,000
10 prizes of 500
10 prizes of 300
20 prizes of 200
35 prizes of 100
51 prizes of 50
51 prizes of 40
51 prizes of 30
51 prizes of 25
102 prizes of 20
1,530 prizes of 10
11,475 Prizes of 5

13,395 Prizes. Tickets \$5—Halves \$2 50—Quarters \$1 25. Tickets and Shares for Sale At

E. DUBOIS'

LOTTERY & EXCHANGE OFFICE, May 17.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of an order from the Orphans' Court of Anne Arundel county, will be sold at Public Sale, on THURSDAY the 24th of May, if fair, if not the first fair day thereafter, at the subscriber's on Magdaly, part of the personal estate of Sarah Welch, deceased; viz:

Four Young Negroes, two Boys and two Girls, the oldest about 10 years, and the youngest about 6 years of age, slaves for life.

TERMS OF SALE.

For all sums above ten dollars a credit of six months will be given, the purchaser giving bond, with approved security, with interest from the date. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock. JOHN M. WELCH, Adm'r. April 26.

CAUTION.

THIS is Public Notice to all offenders, that the law will be rigidly enforced against all persons trespassing either with dog or gun, or in any other manner, on any part of Belmont, situated near the city of Annapolis, and belonging to the Representatives of the late Mrs. Matilda Chase, and the subscriber respectively. RICHARD MOALE CHASE. May 2.

\$100 REWARD.

RAN away from the subscriber, on the 13th instant, Negro man

BEN,

He is about 35 years of age, about 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, tolerable bright mulatto, rather slender built, slow of speech, speaks low, and has a down look when spoken to, he has a small grey fore hair, about the size of a dollar, which is conspicuous.

He was purchased of the estate of the late Chancellor Johnson, in 1825, and as he was his carriage driver, and has also been mine, has travelled pretty generally throughout the State, and has a very general acquaintance in and about Annapolis and Baltimore. He will no doubt make his best way through one of those places out of the State; his object we believe to be Pennsylvania. It is probable that he has been furnished with a false pass, as several have obtained them from an individual in this neighbourhood within the last year. His clothing being various, cannot be correctly described, but will be found in part to be a drab roundabout, a mixed roundabout, and pafalons to match, also possibly a Cassin coat, with a half worn black for hat. The above reward will be given if taken 40 miles or more from my residence, and 50 dollars elsewhere, so that I get him again. BASIL MULLIKIN. Near Queen-Anne's, P. George's Co. Md. May 17.

ART OF DANCING.

MR. DUROCHER, RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Annapolis, that he will open his DANCING SCHOOL, at the Assembly Room, on the 20th June next. Parents, and others desirous of placing pupils under his charge, will find a subscription paper at the Hotel, of Messrs. Williamson & Swann. May 10.

BASIL SHEPARD,

MERCHANT TAILOR. HAS just returned from Philadelphia and Baltimore, with a well selected and choice assortment of articles in his line of business, consisting of

GLOVES, CASIMERE, Silk and Marseilles Vestings, SUMMER CLOTHS & CASSIMERE, MERES, MERINOS, CHECK AND PLAIN; CHECK DRILLINGS, SATTEANS, GLOVES, STOCKS, SUSPENDERS, for gentlemen's wear. He will be glad to serve his customers and obtain new ones. May 10.

NOTICE.

THE Commissioners for Anne Arundel County, will meet at the Court House, in the city of Annapolis, on Monday the 28th instant, for the purpose of hearing appeals and making transfers, and transacting the ordinary business of the Levy Court. By order, R. J. COWMAN, Clk. Comm'r. A. A. C. May 3.

CHARLES D. HODGES,

ATTORNEY AT LAW. HAS located himself, permanently, in the city of Annapolis. He will attend to business in the High Court of Chancery, the Court of Appeals, and the Courts of Anne Arundel and the adjoining counties. He has taken the office in Church street, formerly occupied by Charles T. Flusser, Esq. April 26.

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THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Saint-Mary's county, in Maryland, Letters of Administration on the personal estate of Sarah F. Johnson, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereon, to the subscriber, at or before the 3d day of March next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 1st day of May, 1832. KNOX HAMMET, Adm'r. May 10.