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rom experience how little influence it has on society, and that influence will necessarily diminish in proportion to our increase in wealth and population, than to surrender the smallest attribute of the national sovereignty!

Mr. G. said, before he concluded, he begged permission to observe, that particular individuals supposed they had an interest in imputing to him a wish to involve this nation into a war with G. Britain, and had accordingly reproached him with the most unworthy epithets. He said, no gentleman present wished for peace, or deprecated a war with G. Britain more than himself. He said, he hoped he was not blind to his own interests, nor the interests of those inhabiting the same scene of country with himself. It was imperiously their interests, not only to preserve peace with G. Britain, but a free commercial intercourse with her.—Grain was the principal product for exportation in that part of the country; G. Britain was almost at all times in want of that article, and was this moment giving very high prices for it.—The country was generally in a very prosperous condition, in consequence of this state of things, and it could not be desirable to change it. But he never could see the incompatibility between the desire of preserving peace, and a preparation to meet unavoidable war. It appears now to be almost universally agreed, that if this course had been heretofore pursued, it would have ensured peace; and if war should now come, it would be in consequence of the fatal rejection of the proposed measures of preparation for war. In fact, there is no sounder maxim, than that a prepartion for war, was the surest mean of preserving peace. If in this moment, in consulting his own and the nation's interest, in the preservation of peace, he were called on to decide merely in reference to that object, whether we should now raise thirty thousand men (his favorite number) or ten thousand, or no men at all, he would certainly prefer the thirty thousand.

If you had 30,000 men on the confines of Canada, G. Britain would then believe you were in earnest. She would know that after that force was raised, it must be applied to its objects, and she would of course begin to calculate its consequences. If she found that the inconveniences of opposing such a force, would not be compensated for by her hostile aggressions, she would probably abandon them. If she thought that by the chances of war, an obedient and friendly colony might be converted into an enemy's country, it would afford a great inducement to her to avoid the war. If she found a hostile population approaching Halifax, the inducement be increased; for that is the point nearest her heart; and she would risk much in its protection. It is important to her, as a protection to her West Indies, &c. Besides, the war would deprive her of her best commercial customer, &c. &c. These and similar considerations might induce her to prefer peace. Without presenting a competent military force, perfectly prepared and placed in a situation for action, none of these inducements for the preservation of peace will be presented to the British cabinet. But if, disregarding these considerations, she should prefer war, no gentleman can seriously conclude that even 30,000 additional troops can be too many for the purposes of war.

BALL.

MR. LOWE, of Easton presents his compliments to the Gentlemen of Talbot and the adjacent counties, and begs leave to apprise them that A BALL will be held at the Fountain Inn, on the evening of the 22d Feb. (to commence at 4 o'clock,) in honor of the Birth of the Illustrious Washington.

WILLIAM B. SMYTH,
R. H GOLDSBOROUGH,
DANIEL MARTIN,
EZEKIEL FORMAN, } *Managers.*

february 4——3

EASTON ACADEMY,
For Young Ladies.
R. OWEN,

LATE of St John's College, (where he has been employed as an Instructor of youth 20 years) respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has removed his Academy to that airy and spacious house, formerly the Bank—where young Ladies will be received, boarded and educated——Board 140 dollars per annum: exclusive of bed and washing 120 dollars—payable quarterly in advance.

The branches of education taught in this Seminary, (with the aid of his daughters) will comprise Reading, Writing, Arithmatic, &c. as per former advertisement, at 5 dollars per quarter; Drawing six dollars; Music 12 dollars per quarter.

Being duly sensible of the important trust reposed in us, we cannot but feel a solicitude to discharge its duties with propriety:——Hence our primary object will be, to exalt the credit and perpetuate the character of this Institution On this foundation the improvement of our schoolars and the promotion of PIETY, for the furtherance of *moral conduct*, will be attended to with parental regard. RD. OWEN.

january 28——3

FOR SALE,

The following real estate, on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, at and near the town of the Head of Chester. to wit:

A FARM. FARM HOUSE and MEADOWS, situate adjoining on the north side of the town at the Head of Chester, in Kent county; containing about 30 acres of meadow and 70 of arable upland—lying at the entrance of the Chestertown and Sassafras roads into the said village; in good order and well fenced.

About 50 acres of fine well timbered Woodland, lying on and between the said Sassafras and Chestertown roads, adjoining the same and immediately adjoining the said village. The said woodland will be divided and sold in lots to suit the adjoining lands, or for the benefit of the said village.

A Farm and Meadows, situate on Chester river aforesaid, in Queen Ann's county, about one mile above the said village, with a good farm house, 20 acres of the meadow is in good mowing order; and the upland, about 60 acres is under good fence

A Farm and Meadows, on the south side of Chester river, about a mile below the village, on a tract of land called Lower Ford, containing about 60 acres of land, with a good farm house under good fence

About 100 acres of woodland in Queen Ann's county, next adjoining to the town of the Head of Chester, and will be divided into suitable lots for the adjoining farms, or for the use of the village.

Three Lots of Meadow Ground in fine mowing order, under separate fences adjoining on the west, on the east and on the south side of the town of the Head of Chester—containing together about 70 acres of Bottom Land on Chester river—will be sold separately or together

The Tan Yard, Premises, Upland and Meadow Ground, at the aforesaid village, consisting of a tanner's house, a bark mill, currying shop, and work shop, with 20 vats in complete order for carrying on the business; a dwelling house, shop, and about 20 acres of upland, part of which is in a thriving orchard, and about 40 acres of meadow in fine mowing grass.

The new Brick Tavern, now in the tenure of Richard Newman, situate at the said village, at the north west corner of the Smyrna and Chestertown roads——together with the Garden Lot of about half an acre, and stables adjoining. The tavern is a large, commodious, two story brick house, about 34 feet by 50 feet on the two fronts, containing below three private and one large rooms, with a bar room and a kitchen—six lodging rooms above, and a large garret—the whole being on a convenient plan, completely finished in the best manner for accommodating travellers. The stable and carriage house are of brick, about 35 feet by 30 feet, contain stands for 16 horses; the stand is an excellent one, being situated on the main post road through the Eastern Shore of Maryland, leading from Wilmington to Easton

Also, the following property in the said village of the Head of Chester—

A Frame House of about 22 feet front, newly built, together with building lots, about 2 acres of ground adjoining, on the Smyrna road.

A two story Frame House, of about 30 feet front, and Lot of about 20 acres of ground, extending from the town down to Chester river.

A two story Frame House, about 30 feet front and lot of about half an acre, adjoining the same, having been formerly occupied as a tavern.

Several Building Lots in the said village, situate fronting on several of the main streets, in good situations for stores, business and improvement; to be laid off on application of purchasers.

IN THE STATE OF DELAWARE,
to wit:

A Farm and House, situate adjoining on the west side of the town of Wilmington The house on the west side of Pasture and corner of Broad street, is a well built two story brick house, with two rooms and a kitchen below, and three chambers above—The farm contains about 30 acres of fine arable Land, extending from the town of Wilmington to the King's road or Borough line, all under good fences and hedges, and may be divided into town lots to suit seperate purchasers.

A Farm of about 30 acres, situate on the most elevated ground, on the Poor House hill, west of the town of Wilmington, adjoining next the Borough line, lying between the improved lands of Dr. Tilton and John Way, and extending westward on Society street, nearly to the Kennet turnpike road, the whole being very good arable land, under good fence, and the finest situation near the Borough of Wilmington, and capable of very elegant improvement.

One Lot containing 50 acres of prime marsh, part of Cherry Island marshes, bounded on the south front by the marsh road, and surrounded on all other sides by Island Creek, the whole being well ditched and in fine mowable order—this lot containing the height of Cherry Island, is particularly valuable for improvement It will be divided into lots to suit the purchasers.

One Lot containing 40 acres of prime marsh, part of Cherry Island marshes, situate on the south side of the marsh road, and surrounded on all sides by Rock Creek, the whole being in fine mowable grass order—will be divided into small lots if required.

A two story Brick House and Lot of Ground, situate in the town of Wilmington, the lot being one entire square of ground, next north of Friends' Meeting House, bounded on the several sides by Hanover, Pasture, Queen and West streets, affording very excellent building lots fronting on each street. The lot is at present divided into small gardens and an orchard; the house is about twenty feet front, and extanding with back buildings near 100 feet deep, is in excellent order.

A Lot in the town of Wilmington, fronting on the main street 33 feet, at the corner of Broad street, and extending on Broad street 226 feet to king street, and fronting thereon, 30 feet on the east side thereof.

A Lot in the town of Wilmington, south eastward of the Academy lot; adjoining 234 feet on the north side of Kent street, and fronting 70 feet each on Kent and French streets.

A Lot southward of the Academy and fronting 70 feet on the east side of King, and extending of that breadth 234 feet to French street. Both the foregoing lots adjoin land of the Presbyterian congregation.

Application may be made to John Turner, Head of Chester, or to

JOSHUA & THOMAS GILPIN,
february 4——3 *Philadelphia*

SECOND NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to *John Fisher*, esq late of Talbot county, deceased, are earnestly requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber, or they will certainly be dealt with according to law—Given under my hand this first day of February, anno domini 1812.

feb. 4——3 JOHN W. BORDLEY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber of Caroline county, hath obtained from the orphan's court of Caroline county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of *William Young*, sen. late of Caroline county, deceased—All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers thereof to the subscriber, on or before the first day of August next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to the said deceased, are desired to make immediate payment, as no delay will be admitted. Given under my hand this twenty-eighth day of January 1812.

JOHN YOUNG.

Denton, feb 4——4

CAUTION.

THE public will please to take notice, that the Columbian Oil will always be sold in bottles which have the words, "*Paul's Patent Columbian Oil*" blown in the glass; the bottles sealed with the initials J L in red wax; and the outside label signed with red ink by John Love, (sole agent for the United States of America and their dependencies,) without which true characteristics, none will be genuine

THOMAS H DAWSON,
Agent for Talbot county.

N. B Six cents will be allowed for every empty bottle returned.

january 7——m

THE SUBSCRIBER

BEGS leave to inform his old customers, and the public generally, that he has commenced his TAYLORING BUSINESS, in the new room adjoining the dwelling now occupied by Mr Rutter, at Denton—where he hopes, by his attention, to merit a continuance of the favors of his former customers, and a share of public patronage.

AARON MOBRAY.

Denton, jan 28——3

N B. I want a couple of Journeymen, if immediate application is made. A M.

MAIL STAGE.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has contracted to carry the Mail from Easton via Centreville to Chestertown, which makes the line of stages complete to Philadelphia;—he has furnished himself with several pair of good horses an excellent and commodious stage for the conveyance of passengers, and a careful, sober driver, and hopes by his attention to this establishment, to ensure public patronage.

The mail leaves Easton on *Mondays* and *Fridays* at 6 o'clock, and arrives at Chestertown in the afternoon of the same days; returning, leaves Chestertown on *Tuesdays* and *Saturdays*, at 6 o'clock, and arrives at Easton in the afternoon. The subscriber begs leave further to inform his friends and the public generally, that he is prepared at all times to accommodate with the best entertainment, passengers and others who may be pleased to call on him at the sign of the Fountain Inn. SOLOMON LOWE

Easton, september 10——m

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

STOLEN out of the neighbourhood of the subscriber, living in the township of Newgarden, Chester county, Pennsylvania, on the night of the 2d instant, a dark brown or black HORSE, about 15 hands high, shod all round, with the fore shoes toe pieced, about 10 years old, a small star in his forehead and some white on one hind foot, carries well, and in good order—Also was stolen at same time, an oldish saddle without a cloth, and about a half worn curb bridle Whoever secures said horse and thief so that he be brought to justice, and I get the horse, shall have the above reward, or ten dollars for the horse only

WILLIAM CHANDLER

1st mo. 14——m

N B. Any information of the above horse from the neighboring counties addressed to Joshua Taggart, in Easton, or Benjamin Chandler, near it, will receive due attention.

SIXTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away from the subscriber, at Easton, during the hollydays, negro *George*, a likely lad about 21 years of age, about the middle size, or rather under; very black, with fine white teeth; a little bow legg'd and walks with his toes rather turned in—It is not known what clothes he has on, as he had a variety and would of course change them. It is probable he has made for Philadelphia, as his father is living there—or he may be skulking about Mr. Isaac Purnell's, in Caroline county, being nearly connected with several of his negroes. The above reward will be given if taken out of the state and secured, so that I get him again, or 40 dollars if taken out of the county, and brought home, or 25 dollars if within the county JOSEPH HASKINS.

Easton, december 31——m

SAMUEL HOLMES,

TAKES this method of informing his friends and the public generally, that he intends doing business at the same stand lately occupied by *Samuel Holmes, & Co* where he has on hand and intends keeping, a good supply of *Hardware, Ironmongery, Cutlery, Groceries, Liquors, Paints and Oils, &c. &c.* of the first quality, and on the most reasonable terms, and hopes by his particular attention to the butiness, to gain a share of their patronage.

Easton, january 7——m

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE Co-Partnership existing under the Firm of *Samuel Holmes, & Co* has this day dissolved by mutual consent, and being anxious to have their business settled up as soon as possible, desire all persons who have claims on them to bring them in immediately for settlement; and all persons owing them either on note or open account, are requested to come forward and make payment to Samuel Holmes, who is fully authorised to receive the same.

SAMUEL HOLMES, & Co.

Easton, january 7——m

A CARD.

THE subscriber informs his friends and the public, that he occupies the Red House in Centreville as a TAVERN.

JOHN BROWN.

january 28——3

IN QUEEN ANN'S COUNTY COURT.
October Term, 1811

SAMUEL THOMPSON, of Queen Ann's county, a petitioner for the benefit of the act of assembly for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and the several supplements thereto, having complied with the terms prescribed by the said acts, and having satisfied the court that he hath resided the two years immediately preceeding his application, within the State of Maryland; and having given bond with approved security, for his personal appearance in Queen Ann's county court, on the Saturday next after the first Monday in May next, to answer such allegations as may be made against him by his creditors relative to his said application—and taken the oath directed by the said act, to deliver up all his property for the benefit of his creditors. It is therefore adjudged and ordered by the court, that the said Samuel Thompson be discharged from confinement, and that by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in one of the newspapers printed at Easton, once in each week for the space of four weeks successively, three months previous to the said Saturday next after the first Monday of May next, being the day appointed by the said court—and also by causing a copy hereof to be set up at the court house door of the said county aforesaid, also three months before the said day, he give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, at the time and place aforesaid, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, or to shew cause if any the have, why the said Samuel Thompson should not have the benefit of the said acts ——True copy—Test.

JOHN BROWNE, Clk.

february 4——4

QUEEN-ANN'S COUNTY, Sc.

ON application of *Joseph Browne* (a free black man) of Queen Ann's county, in writing to me, in the recess of the court, as Chief Judge of the second judicial district of Maryland, praying the benefit of the act of assembly for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session eighteen hundred and five, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned therein; a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them at present, as directed by the said act, being annexed to his petition—and being satisfied by competent testimony, that he hath resided in the State of Maryland the two preceding years prior to his application; and having been brought before me by the Sheriff of Queen Ann's county, upon an execution against the body of the said Joseph Browne, I do hereby order and direct that the body of the said Joseph Browne be discharged from imprisonment, and that he appear before the county court of Queen Ann's county, on the first Saturday in May term next, and at such other days and times as the court shall direct, to answer such allegations and interrogatories as may be proposed to him by his creditors; and that the said day is hereby appointed for his creditors to appear and recommend a trustee for their benefit. And I do further order and direct, that the said Joseph Browne do give notice to his creditors, by crusing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Star paper published at Easton, once in every week for the space of four successive weeks, three months previous to to the first Saturday in next May term, and by setting up a copy thereof at the court house door in the county aforesaid. Given under my hand this 29th day of January, 1812

february 4——4 Rd. T. EARLE.

NOTICE

Is hereby given to the creditors of the subscriber,

THAT, being unable to pay all his just debts, he intends to petition Kent county court, at the next session, which will be on the third Monday of March next, for the benefit of the several acts of assembly, passed for the relief of insolvent debtors.

THOMAS TAYLOR

Kent county, december 17——3m

SIX CENTS REWARD.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in Caroline county, near Greensborough early in August last, a white apprentice boy, by the name of *Thomas Marshall* about 19 years of age, 5 feet 3 or 4 inches high—slender made, with brown hair. Had on when he went away, a white cotton round about jacket, striped cotton trowsers, white cotton stockings, new shoes, and felt hat.—Whoever shall take up said runaway, and deliver him to the subscriber, shall have the above reward, but no expences will be paid

DANIEL BELL, Sen.

february 4——3*

IN QUEEN-ANN'S COUNTY COURT.
October Term, 1811.

GREENBERRY GRIFFIN, of Queen Ann's county, a petitioner for the benefit of the act of Assembly for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and the several supplements thereto, having complied with the terms prescribed by the said acts, and having satisfied the court that he hath resided the two years immediately preceding his application, within the state of Maryland; and having also given bond with approved security, for his personal appearance in Queen Ann's county court, on the Saturday next after the first Monday of May next, to answer such allegations as may be made against him by his creditors, relative to his said application, and taken the oath directed by the said act, to deliver up all his property for the benefit of his creditors It is therefore adjudged and ordered by the court that the said Greenberry Griffin be discharged from confinement, and that by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Easton Star, and a paper published in Baltimore called the Sun, once in each week for the space of four weeks successively, three months previous to the said Saturday next after the first Monday of May next, being the day appointed by the said court he give notice to his creditors to appear before the said county court, at the time and place aforesaid, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, or to shew cause, if any they have, why the said Greenberry Griffin should not have the benefit the said acts.——True copy.

JOHN BROWNE, Clk.

january 28——4*

MARYLAND,
Worcester County, to wit:

ON application to me the subscriber, in the recess of Worcester county court, as an Associate Judge of the Fourth Judicial District of Maryland, by petition in writing of *Charlotte Greer*, of said county, praying the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session one thousand eight hundred and five, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned in the said act; a schedule of her property, and a list of her creditors, on oath, as far as she can ascertain them, being annexed to her petition, and the said Charlotte Greer having satisfied me by competent testimony that she has resided in the state of Maryland for the period of two years immediately preceding this her application, and the sheriff of Worcester county court having certified that the said petitioner is in his custody for debt and for no other cause whatever, and the said Charlotte Greer having given sufficient security for her personal appearance at Worcester county court, to answer such allegations as may be made against her by her creditors—I do therefore order and adjudge that the said Charlotte Greer be discharged from her imprisonment, and that she, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted once a week for three months successively in one of the newspapers published at Easton, and also by setting up like notice at the court house door, and at the door of one of the taverns at Berlin, three months before the first Saturday in May Term next, give notice to her creditors to be and appear before Worcester county court, on the said first Saturday in May term next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to shew cause, if any they have, why the said Charlotte Greer should not have the benefit of the act of assembly aforesaid as prayed Given under my hand this 25th September 1811. JAMES B ROBINS.

january 14 1812——3m

RUNAWAY NEGROES.

WAS committed to the goal of Dorchester county, on the 8th instant, as runaways, three negro men, viz: Negro *Joshua*, aged about 50 years, dark complexion, about 5 feet 9 inches high. His clothes are a roundabout blue cloth jacket, striped linsey trowsers, red waistcoat, and canvass hat—says he belongs to a widow Doat, of St. Mary's county, Maryland. Also—Negro *Charles*, aged about 25 years, 5 feet 11 inches high; yellow complexion. Has on a full suit of plaid country made cotton cloth, and wool hat—says he belongs to Joseph Cullison, of the same county. Also—Negro *Uriah*, about 37 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high; yellow complexion. Has on a dark brown cloth jacket and trowsers, and wool hat—says he belongs to Job Smith, of the same county, and that he is by trade a blacksmith.——The owners of said negroes are requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take them away; otherwise they will, after the expiration of sixty days be advertised and sold for their prison fees, agreeable to law.

JOHN NEWTON, Sheriff of
Dorchester county, Md.

january 28——3

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away from the subscriber, on Thursday the 12th of this inst a black negro man named *Waitman*, about 5 feet 6 inches high, aged about 4 years; he is bow-legged and has ring holes in his ears—Had on when he went away a kersey top jacket, and a pair of linen trowsers, a waistcoat made of calfskin—he may have exchanged his clothes before this time Any person or persons taking up said negro, and bringing him home to the subscriber, if taken without this state fifty dollars; if taken without the county and in this state, thirty dollars; and if taken in this county, twenty dollars paid without delay, by the subscriber at Cratchers Ferry, Dorchester county, Maryland. CYRUS BELL.

december 31——6m

BLANK BOOKS,
School Books and Writing Paper, well assorted,
For sale at the Star Office.