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WILL BE SOLD

At public vendue, on WEDNESDAY the 19th inst. at the late dwelling of WILLIAM HORNEY, *dec'd. near the Chapel—*

All the estate of the said Horney, (on a credit of six months on all sums above eight dollars,) consisting of Horses, Cattle and Hogs, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Beds, Bedding, &c. The sale to begin at 10 o'clock.

JAMES NAPE, Ex'or.

jan. 11——2

PUBLIC SALE.

Agreeably to the last Will and Testament of JOHN TILLOTSON, *Esq. late of Hillsborough, in Caroline County, deceased—*

Will be exposed to public sale, at his late dwelling, on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, the 26th and 27th of January, all the personal property of the deceased, (negroes excepted,) comprising some valuable Household Furniture, Horses, Cattle, and Sheep, Farming Utensils, Wheat, Wheat in the ground, Corn and Corn-Blades: And at the same time, at private sale, two *NEGRO BOYS*, for a term of years—All which property will be sold on six months credit, for the purchasers' note bearing interest from the day of sale, with approved security: except for sums under ten dollars, when the money will be required.

HENRY D. SELLERS, Ex'r.

Hillsborough, jan. 4——4

NOTICE TO PHYSICIANS.

The Physicians residing within the Second Collection District of Maryland, composed of Talbot, Caroline and Queen-Ann's counties, are hereby notified that they are required to take out License, under the act passed at the last session of Congress, entitled, An act to lay duties on Licenses to Retailers of Wines, Spirituous Liquors and Foreign Merchandise. The concerned are desired to take notice.

WILLIAM CHAMBERS,
Collector of the Revenue,
Second Md. District

P S All dealers in foreign merchandise are required to take out license.

jan. 11——3

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

That on the first day of February next, or immediately thereafter, the Assistant Assessors within this district, will proceed throughout the same, for the purpose of taking lists of LANDS, LOTS OF GROUND WITH THEIR IMPROVEMENTS, DWELLING-HOUSES, and SLAVES, subject to the United States direct tax, and for valuing and assessing the same. All persons owning, possessing, or having the care or management of such property, are required by law to deliver to the Assistant Assessors, written lists containing a true and accurate description of the same; and are hereby notified and warned to be prepared on said first day of February next, or immediately thereafter, to deliver the same, under the penalty provided by law, for neglect or refusal in this respect.

WILLIAM DICKINSON, Principal Assessor of the second district of the State of Maryland.

jan. 4. 1814——4

NOTICE.

Clerks and Sheriffs, and all other persons having to pay into or receive money from the Eastern Shore Treasurer, will be pleased to take notice, that no monies will be received or paid by him, but at his office, kept at his house in Caroline county; except in the Land-office, the business whereof remains in the hands and under the direction of Richard Harwood, Esquire, at Easton.

WILLS RICHARDSON,
Treas'r of Eastern Shore, Md.

jan. 11——4

FOR SALE,

About 500 acres of LAND, situate in Tuckahoe in Talbot county, adjoining the lands of William Roberts, being a part of the estate of the late Samuel Chamberlaine, Esq. deceased. Those lands have a full proportion of Timber, and all other advantages of forest lands. A credit of one, two and three years will be given for two thirds of the purchase money, one third thereof being paid on the sale; or BANK STOCK will be received in payment for the whole or in part. Apply to

JOHN L. KERR.

dec. 28——m

BOARDING HOUSE.

The subscriber informs her friends, and the public generally, that she continues to keep accommodations for Ladies and Gentlemen, by the day, week, month, or year. As it is presumed that private lodgings are preferred by travelling ladies, she hopes to be favoured with their company particularly. She is well assured that more genteel entertainment cannot be had in this place.

SUSAN. TRIPPE.

N. B. She has a vacancy at this time for 6 or 8 boys or girls.

Easton, Washington st opposite the Bank, } jan. 4——m

IN CHANCERY.

December 29th, 1813.

The creditors of WILLIAM DRAPER, deceased, are hereby notified to produce their claims, with the vouchers thereof, to the Register, or leave them with the Trustee, before the 15th day of February, 1814.

By order—

JAMES P. HEATH,
Reg. Cur. Can.

jan. 4——3

ROBERT SPENCER,

Informs the public that he has removed his STORE to the Store formerly occupied by Mr. L. W. Spencer, the second door above his old stand and the second below the Bank, where he continues to sell *GOODS* at small advance.

Easton, jan. 4, 1814——3

EASTON HOTEL.

The subscriber informs his friends and customers that he has removed to the House formerly occupied by Mr. Solomon Lowe, where from his arrangements, every attention will be paid to those who may favor him with a call.

THOMAS HENRIX.

january 4, 1814——m

UNION TAVERN.

The subscriber having taken the Inn lately occupied by Mr. Thomas Henrix, and formerly by Mr. Thomas Peacock, directly opposite the Bank and Post Office, respectfully informs his former customers, and strangers, that he is determined to keep the best fare that can possibly be procured. Private rooms, and the best accommodation in respect of eating, drinking, and attentive servants, can be had at all times, as well as good hostlers, and the best provender; and every reasonable attention paid to all who may call upon him.

SOLOMON LOWE.

jan. 4——m

THE SUBSCRIBER

Has lately removed to Easton, and has taken part of the house formerly occupied by the Bank, and wishes to take in to board, a few Boys and Girls.

PERE: F. BAYARD.

jan. 11——m

BOOT AND SHOE MAKING.

The subscriber has removed the above business to the house formerly occupied by Mr. George Sewell, and opposite Mr. James Wainwright's Cabinet maker's shop, where he hopes from his serious attention to the business, to merit a generous portion of public patronage.

CHARLES BLAKE.

Easton, jan. 4——m

REMOVAL.

The subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has removed his Shop to the room lately occupied by Major John Meredith as a store-room, opposite the Court House, where he has just received from Philadelphia, and is now opening, an extensive assortment of SADDLERY—and where he will continue to execute work in his line with neatness and dispatch.

WILLIAM BROMWELL.

jan. 4——m

N. B Orders by mail or otherwise, will be punctually attended to. W. B.

FOR SALE,

A pair of handsome well matched
BAY HORSES,
Six years old—run double, single or tandem;

A PAIR OF SORREL PONIES,
well matched, unbroken, three years old next spring.

AN EXCELLENT GIG HORSE,
Sorrel, six years old.

A HANDSOME BAY HORSE,
Five years old next spring.

A PHÆTON,
The body of which is occasionally fitted on Gig-wheels, and can be used either as Phæton or Gig; can be changed in a few minutes. Apply to

J. P. RINGGOLD, Esq. or
JOHN COMEGYS.

Near Head-of-Chester, Kent county, Md. dec. 28 } ——m

To be Rented to the Shares,
1,400 ACRES OF
BANKED MEADOW LAND,

Situate in New-Jersey, 55 miles below Philadelphia, on tide-wade. The soil is rich and mellow, and produces Corn, Wheat, Rye, Oats, &c. with much less labour than upland. It will be rented in parcels, for one or more years—The owners will keep the banks, sluices, ditches and bridges in repair; pay all taxes, and find houses, pasture and fire wood for the tenants. The crop to be divided equally in the field.—Those who farm on a large scale, would be preferred; others can be accommodated, and single men that wish to rent, can have boarding at reasonable rates on the premises. Apply to

JOHN R. COATES, or
JOHN H. BRINTON.
No. 217, Arch-st. Philadelphia.

nov. 23——11q

By order of the Orphans Court of Queen Ann's county—

This is to give notice that the subscriber of Queen Ann's county, hath obtained from the Orphans Court of said county, letters of administration on the personal estate of *John Williamson*, late of said 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 20th day of June, 1814, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.—Given under my hand this 14th day of December, 1813.

ELIZABETH WILLIAMSON, Adm'rx.

january 4, 1814——3q

NOTICE.

Having already sustained much injury on my wheat sowed on Royston's Island, by persons gunning thereon—to prevent like injury. I am constrained to give this public notice, forwarning all persons from hunting, with dog or gun, on said Island, or on any property now rented by me. A violation of this caution will be treated according to law by me.

ROBERT DAWSON.

jan. 4——3

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
TO ALL MY CREDITORS,

That I intend making application to Kent county court, at March Term next, for the benefit of the Act of Assembly passed at November session eighteen hundred and five, entitled, "An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors," and the several supplements thereto.

JOHN PARKS.

jan. 11——9

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office. Chester-Town, Md. January 1, 1813.

B.
John Bowers
Philip Brooks
Joseph Browne, 2
John Brown
Samuel Beck
Fred. Boyer
William Burchnell
C.
Mary Creswell
David Crane
John Constable
Maj. Thos. Carvill
George Comegys
Samuel Covington
John Crouch
John Collins
D.
Sarah Dawson
E.
Elizabeth Everit
F.
Richard Frisby, 3
Susanna Farrier
Hannah Foreman
G.
Darkey Grace
James Gregory
William F. Gleaves
Samuel Griffith
H.
Mary Ann Harding
J.
Benjamin Jermen
K.
Vachel Keene
L.
Rachel Lamb
Thomas Lenox
James Lewis
M.
John Metten
James Mansfield
Jacob Maslin
N.
Richard Newman
Sarah Needles
Mary Newell
G.
Samuel Owens
P.
Ann Page
John Perkins
R.
Philip Rosin
Charlotte Ringgold
Samuel Reve
Philip Reed
S.
Sheriff of Kent county
Joseph Simmons
William Spencer
Jonathan Spencer
Wm. R. Steward
T.
Isabella Thomas
John Turner
Richard S. Thomas
Dr. Charles Tilden
V.
Margaret Vickers
Eliza Vickers
W.
Clement Weeder
Edward Woodie
Thomas Williams
John A. Woodland
Edward Wright
Y.
Dianna Young

jan. 11——3

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office, at Easton, (Md.) December 31st, 1813.

A.
Rev. James Aikers, 2
B.
Howell Bowers
Mary Berridge
Lieut. Daniel Bartling
William Bryan
Charles Berry, 2
John W. Bordley
Levin Blades
Mary Benny
Henry Buckley
Isaac Bowdle
N. Beckwith
C.
Edward M'Crea
Sarah Clark
Margaret Cox
Richard Cray
Mary Catrup
Henry Casson
William Cooper
Maj Jabez Caldwell
Rev. John M'Clakey, 2
Lt. Cornelius Comegys
D.
Nicholas Dawson
William Dobson
John Dudley
Stephen Dawley
John Driehay
Daniel Dickinson, 2
E.
Joseph Edmondsen
F.
Capt. Joseph Farland
F. Fogle
Thomas Frazier
William H Fitzhugh
Nathan Frantom
G.
Elizabeth Gigeon
James Goldsborough
H.
John Holmes
Capt Wm. Hunings, 3
Thomas Harrison
Sarah Hambleton
George Higgins
J.
James Jester
K.
Sarah Keen
Seley Kenneman
L.
Joseph Ledenham
M.
William Mel[illegible]
James Martin
John C Mul[illegible]n
Edward P. Mullikin
John Merrick
Thos. Martin, jun. 2
Rev. Thos. D. Mounelly
N.
Wm. Nelson
Thos. C. Nicols
P.
Sarah Price, 2
Joel Page
James Pursley
Rebecca Parrott
R.
Benjamin Roberts
F. Rolle
Joshua Richardson
R. B. Ruth
John Ruth
Anthony Ross, jun. 2
Elizabeth Rathel
S.
Wm. Seymour, 2
Robert R. Smith
Alexander Stuart
Jonathan Spencer
Ann Sharpless
T.
John Tillotson
N Thomas
Robert Tubman
Mary Talbott
U.
Sarah M. Ute
V.
N. Valiant, 2
W.
Henry Willis
William White
Hannah Webley
Luther Williams, 2

january 4, 1814——3

NOTICE.

Upon application made to me the subscriber Chief Judge of the Fourth Judicial District, in the recess of Somerset county court, by ROBERT COULBOURN, of the said County, he being in actual confinement in the gaol of the said county, under execution for debt, by his petition in writing praying the benefit of the act of Assembly, passed at November session, 1805, entitled an act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and the several supplements thereto, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain the same, being annexed to his petition, the said Robert Coulbourn having been brought before me by the Sheriff of said county; and I having been satisfied by competent testimony that he has resided for two years last past in the State of Maryland; and he having taken the oath required by the act of Assembly aforesaid, and given bond with sufficient security for his appearance in Somerset county court before the Judges thereof, before the Saturday next after the second Monday in April next, to answer such allegations as may be made against him relative to his said application. I do therefore order and adjudge that the said Robert Coulbourn be discharged from imprisonment, and that he cause a copy of this order to be inserted in one of the newspapers printed at Easton, and one printed at Baltimore, three months before the day appointed as aforesaid, and to be continued for four successive weeks, and also that a copy thereof be set up at the Court House door in Princess Anne town, and one copy at the most public place in the Election District in which the said Robert Coulbourn resides, thereby to give notice to his creditors to appear before the said County Court at the time and place aforesaid to shew cause (if any they have) why the said Robert Coulbourn should not have the benefit of the acts of Assembly aforesaid, according to his petition. Given under my hand this 6th day of November, in the year of our Lord, eighteen hundred and thirteen.

JOHN DONE.

True copy, Test—

JOSIAH POLK, Clerk
Somerset county court.

january 4, 1814——4

FROM THE SCIOTO GAZETTE.

PROCTOR'S LETTERS.

[We have fortunately procured for publication a considerable number of public papers, which were found among the baggage of Maj. Gen. Proctor, after he had made his escape. These documents will be viewed as official curiosities, for many of them have lost much of their importance.—But there is *one* among them, that may be considered materially important—from that, and what may follow hereafter, (for we have several numbers yet to publish) the people will be led to suspect, that emissaries like *Henry*, have not only been amongst us, but that, some who call themselves Americans, have secretly acted in concert with the enemy—Yet we are confident that such is not the fact—we firmly believe that the enemy could not, with all his pecuniary means, prevail on any citizen of the U. States, immediately on the lines, to co-operate with a spy or do any other act that would tend to injure the cause in which we have embarked.]

Fort George, Jan. 10th, 1813.

SIR,

A long letter which I addressed to you on Marine affairs for Lake Erie, will I hope have reached you safely. As it becomes a matter of the greatest moment to gain as accurate information as possible, of the preparations of the enemy, as to building armed vessels and boats; I request you will be pleased to select some intelligent inhabitant in your vicinity, who would undertake to proceed down the border of Lake Erie, as far as in his power towards Buffalo, for the purpose of obtaining the information so essential to our plans: it would be his object to examine at all the rivers & creeks, what is going forward. It would require the greatest caution and circumspection as well as secrecy on the person chosen for this service; he should be one whose habits or profession would justify his assuming the character of a person travelling on some matters of business, and to insure his attention to the objects on which he is sent it will be advisable to agree with him for a sum to be paid him commensurate to the distance he may travel, and the information he may obtain.——You will be pleased to communicate to me for the information of Major General Sheaffe, the result of the measure proposed.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
CHRISTO. MYERS, Lt. Col.
Acting Q. M. G.

Col. Proctor, 41st regt. &c. &c.
Com. at Amherstburgh.

OFFICIAL.

Fort George, April 29, 1813,
9 o'Clock, A. M.

My dear General,

This morning at 1 o'clock, accounts were received here by Brig. Gen. Vincent, with the unpleasant intelligence that, that town had been carried by a body of the enemy's troops, about 1500 men brought up the lake in 13 vessels, viz: two square rigged, and the other smaller; amongst the latter were Gun-Boats. Detailed particulars (from Sir Roger Sheaffe who was there) has not reached us, but we have ascertained, in addition to York having fallen, that the Powder magazines there have been blown up; whether this has been accidental, or been effected by our troops in their retreat, we know not.

The Grenadiers and another company of the King's were engaged. Five companies of that regiment have reached this post; two companies of the 41st on the march towards you; the first beyond Ancaster, the other at Henry's, have been recalled; they are extremely much wanted here, & had they pursued their route, they would not have reached in time to act against Harrison.

The enemy on the frontier opposite to us, have received a reinforcement within these few days of nearly 3000 men; they are well furnished with boats.

You will thus perceive the critical situation in which we are placed on this line. We look with confident hope for the report of your success—and Brig. Gen. Vincent (who is here, and by whose directions I am writing to you) has desired me to impress upon you, what essential aid could be rendered to us, by the timely arrival here of *five hundred Indians; should you have secured Harrison's army*, it is the Brig. General's desire, and in which I most earnestly join, that you forward to us in the King's vessels to Point Abino, that number with as great expedition as possible. *In the event of your having captured Harrison's army, you will see the impossibility under existing circumstances, of our taking charge of them here, and therefore Brig. Gen. Vincent requests you will make the best arrangements in your power to dispose of them, either by securing them at one or the other of your own posts, or passing them on parole into the U. States, by way of Cleveland, or other route, as you may find expedient;* the latter line of conduct, perhaps the most preferable, on account of the state of your supplies of provisions.

Sincerely wishing every success, and hoping to send to you, and receive from you good accounts.

I have the honor to remain,
My dear friend, most faithfully,
Your obedient servant,
CHRISTO. MYERS, Col.
Acting Q. M. G.

Brig. Gen. Proctor.

Norton had gone towards you as far as the head of the Lake, but is called back.

C. M.

Dep. Asst. Com. Gen's. Office.
Amherstburg, 14th Aug. 1813.

SIR,

The near prospect of a scarcity of provisions in this District is to me an object of the greatest concern and uneasiness. The whole of the flour now in store will not be more than sufficient for 14 days, according to the quantities now issued daily, and very little can at present be expected in this District. One particular cause for this is that the two principal mills (M'Gregor's & Arnold's) are not now going for want of water: The dam of the former has been broken, and that of the latter much injured from the back water, occasioned by the great rains, &c. this year. The wind-mills at this season are of but little comparative service. The greatest part of the flour required for Detroit and Sandwich will now have to be supplied from the 670 barrels lately brought from Long Point, by the schr. Mary (transport) and as this is all that I have to depend on, we shall very soon be in absolute want, without some very great abatement takes place in the quantities issued to Indians, or some extraordinary exertions made to supply our wants from the neighborhood of Long Point. The possibility of the former is an object worthy every attention, as the practicability of the latter, until our fleet are enabled to go down to Long Point is rather doubtful; by land carriage I fear little can be expected from that distance in the present state of the roads from thence.

Dep. Com. Gen. Couche has been informed of this, in as strong language as I am master of. He has in consequence made purchases of flour at Long Point, and sent an officer of his department to that neighborhood to purchase cattle for this place. For the last ten days I have stationed Acting Dep. Asst. Com. Gen'l. Reynolds at Detroit, with a clerk of the Commissarial Department for purchasing supplies in the Michigan territory & about Sandwich. Two boats have been sent to river Thames for flour, and Com. Agents have been appointed by me here; at Sandwich, river Thames and Delaware for purchasing cattle, but with all my possible exertions, I despair of being able for any length of time of supplying provisions to his majesty's forces in addition to the immense quantities now issued to Indians; the latter I estimate at 14,000 rations per day at this post, Detroit and Sandwich.

It gives me additional pain to be thus obliged to trouble you.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient
Humble servant,
ROBERT GILMOR,
Deputy Asst. Com. General.

Brig. Gen. Proctor, Commanding, &c. &c.

Amherstburg, 13th March, 1813.

SIR,

Eight Munseys left this on the 7th inst. to reconnoitre at the Miami Rapids, and yesterday returned *with a scalp.*—They report that the Americans are numerous, and have completed a stockade much larger than the Fort here.

One hundred and twenty Indians which I had sent over the River yesterday, left Brown's town for the Rapids with six interpreters along, and by them I expect some prisoners or some more information than we have yet had. The snow being yet deep out there, will however be no detriment to them.

I am, Sir,
Your humble servant,
M. ELLIOTT.

Brig. Gen. Proctor.

Amherstburg, 8th Sept. 1813.

SIR,

A few days ago, I sent out to Sandusky some of the Hurons of Brown's Town to see what those of Sandusky were about: they found the Americans had taken them into the State of Ohio, on Mad river, where they are guarded by a number of Americans. The Crane told the messengers that there were 9,000 men within 12 miles of that place, and that their intention was to advance to the foot of the Rapids & fortify themselves there, building block houses on their way to that place, at the distance of every five miles, and to cross in winter on the ice, and attack and take this place, and afterwards sweep the English from this all along into the sea. In consequence he sent a message to the Hurons and other nations (which was yesterday delivered in my presence) to withdraw themselves from this and join him on Mad river.