WHERE DWELLS HAPPINESS?

Where the soft power of sensibility,
Rules and directs the heart;
Where the kind efforts of sweet sympathy,
Seek consolation to impart;
There dwells Happiness.

Where virtue, sense and elegance combine,
And sweet good nature adds to her charms;
Where all these do in lovely woman join,
Life's boist'rous sea to render calm;
There dwells Happiness.

Where confidence void of distrusts controul,
With generous friendship glows;
And from the lips the purpose of the soul,
In converse sweetly flows;
There dwells Happiness.

Where in the gentle bonds of wedded love,
The husband, wife and parent blend;
In union blest, superior bliss to prove,
Resolving all in one dear—friend;
There dwells Happiness.

THE TWO FAULTS OF WOMEN.

We men have many faults,
Poor women have but two:
There's nothing good they say—
There's nothing good they do.

IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS,

Transmitted to Congress by the President, tending to explain the causes of the failure of our arms on the Northern Frontier.

(CONTINUED.)

February 22, 1813.

SIR,

I have only time to inform you that the enemy, with a very superior force, succeeded in taking Ogdensburgh this morning about 9 o'clock. They had about two men to our one exclusive of Indians. Numbers of the enemy are dead on the field. Not more than 20 of our men killed and wounded; Lt. Beard is among the latter.

I have made a saving retreat of about 8 or 10 miles.—I could not get all the wounded off.

We have killed two of the enemy to one of ours killed by them. We want ammunition and some provisions sent to us, also sleighs for the wounded.

If you can send me *three hundred men, all shall be re-taken* and *Prescott* too, or I will lose my life in the attempt. I shall write you more particularly to-day.

Yours, with due respect,
BENJAMIN FORSYTH,
Capt'n. rifle regiment commanding.

Col. Macomb, Sackett's Harbor.

Extract of a letter from Gen. Dearborn to the secretary of war, dated

ALBANY; Feb 25, 1813.

"Having received information, that Sir Geo. Prevost was moving towards Upper Canada with considerable force, but not such as can be fully relied on, I have, however, ordered 400 more of Pike's command to follow the first detachment without delay."

Head Quarters, Sackett's Harbor, March 3, 1813.

SIR,

Having been informed that sir Geo Prevost had adjourned the legislature at Quebec, asserting as the motive that his majesty's service required his presence in Upper Canada, and having received certain information of his passing Montreal and having arrived at Kingston, I set out immediately for this place, having ordered the force at Greenbush, and part of colonel Pike's command in sleighs, for this place. I arrived here in fifty two hours. I am now satisfied, from such information as is entitled to full credit, that a force has been collected from Quebec, Montreal and Upper Canada, of from 6 to 8000 men, at Kingston, and that we may expect an attack within 48 hours, and perhaps sooner.

The militia have been called in and every effort will, I trust be made to defend the post; but I fear neither the troops from Greenbush nor Plattsburg will arrive in season to afford their aid. I have sent expresses to have them hurried on.

Commodore Chauncey has not arrived he will be here to-morrow. The armed vessels have not been placed in the positions intended by the commodore.

Our total force may be estimated as nearly 3000 of all descriptions.

Sir George Prevost is represented to be determined to effect his object at all events, and will undoubtedly make every effort in his power for the purpose.

We shall, I trust, give him a warm reception; but if his force is such as is expected and should make an attack before our troops arrive frrom Greenbush and Plattsburg at Sackett's Harbor, the result may at least be doubtful.

I have the honor, sir, to be, with the highest respect and consideration, your obedient humble servant,

H. DEARBORN.

Hon. John Armstrong, secretary of war.

Sackett's Harbor, March 9, 1813.

SIR,

I have not yet had the honor of a visit from sir G. Prevost. His whole force is concentrating at Kingston, probably amounting to six or seven thousand; about three thousand of them regular troops. The ice is good, and we expect him every day, and every measure for preventing a surprise is in constant activity. The troops from Greenbush (upwards of 400) have arrived. I have heard nothing from Pike; he should have been here yesterday. I have sent three expresses to meet him: neither has returned. I have suspicions of the express employed by the quartermaster general to convey the orders to Pike; the earliest measures were taken for conveying a duplicate of his orders. I hope to hear from him to-day. His arrival with 800 good troops would be very important at this time. The enemy are apprized of his movement.

I begin to entertain some doubts whether Sir George will venture to attack us; but shall not relax in being prepared to give him a decent reception.

I should feel easier if Pike should arrive in season. I am in want of officers of experience. My whole force exclusive of seamen and marines, who will be confined to the vessels and have no share in the action until my force shall be worsted, amounts to nearly 3000, exclusive of 450 militia at Brownville, and on the road leading from Kingston by land. Within two or three days I may have 800 more militia from Rome and Utica.

The ice will not probably be passable more than from six to ten days longer, it is not usually passable after the 15th of March. This unexpected movement of the enemy will effectually oppose the movements contemplated on our part, and I shall think it advisable to order general Chandler to move at present. As soon as the fall of this place shall be decided, we shall be able to determine on other measures. If we hold this place we shall command the lake, and be able to act in concert with the troops at Niagara, while Chandler's brigade, with such other troops as may assemble in Vermont, may induce a return of a considerable part of those troops that have left Lower Canada.

When I ordered Pike to move, I directed general Chandler to have the provision at Plattsburg moved to Burlington. There was but a small proportion of our magazines at Plattsburg; they are principally at Burlington and White Hall.

Yours with respect and esteem,
H. DEARBORN.

Hon. John Armstrong.

Extract of a letter from Major General Dearborn to the Secretary of War, dated

SACKETT'S HARBOR, March 14, 1813

"From the most recent and probable information I have obtained, I am induced to believe that sir George Prevost has concluded that it is too late to attack this place. He undoubtedly meditated a coup de-main against the shipping here. All the apprehension is now at Kingston. Sir George has visited York and Niagara, and returned to Montreal. Several bodies of troops have lately passed up from Montreal; but such precautions have been taken to prevent their number being ascertained, as to render it impossible to form any accurate opinion of their forces, or even to imagine very nearly what they amount to. From various sources I am perfectly satisfied, that they are not in sufficient force to venture an attack on this place, knowing as they do that we have collected a fine body of troops from Greenbush and Plattsburgh, and that the militia have been called in. We are probably just strong enough on each side to defend, but not in sufficient force to hazard an offensive movement. The differences of attacking and being attacked, as it regards the contiguous posts of Kingston and Sackett's Harbor, cannot be estimated at less than three or four thousand men, arising from the circumstance of militia acting merely on the defensive. I have ordered General Chandler with the 9th, 21st and 25th regts. to march for this place; Clark's regiment and company of artillery to be left at Burlington for the present, where the regiment will be fitted in a few weeks. I have ordered the recruits for the three regiments that will march for this place to be sent to Greenbush, and colonel Larned is ordered there to receive them with Bacchus's dismounted dragoons and other detachments from Pittsfield."

Extract of a letter from Major-General Dearborn to the Secretary of War, dated

SACKETT'S HARBOR, March 16, 1813.

"It was yesterday unanimously determined in a council of the principal officers, including commodore Chauncey, that we ought not, under existing circumstances, to make an attempt on Kingston, *before the naval force can act.* The harbors in this Lake will not probably be open so as to admit of the vessels being moved until about the 15th of April."

Extract of a letter from Major-General Dearborn to the Secretary of War, without date; proposing to pass by Kingston, and attack York, &c,

"To take or destroy the armed vessels at York, will give us the complete command of the lake. Commodore Chauncey can take ten or twelve hundred troops, to be commanded by Pike; take York, from thence proceed to Niagara, and attack Fort George by land and water, while the troops at Buffalo cross over and carry Forts Erie and Chippewa, and join those at Fort George; and then collect our whole force for an attack on Kingston. After the most mature deliberation, the above was considered by commodore Chauncey and myself as the most certain of ultimate of succes."

[TO BE CONTINUED]

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.

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EASTON AND BALTIMORE PACKET.

SCHOONER SUPERIOR,

E. AUGD, Master,

Will commence running as usual from Easton Point to Baltimore, TO-MORROW MORNING, at 10 o'clock, A. M. (and at the same hour every Wednesday morning, during the season)—Returning, leave Baltimore every SATURDAY at the same hour. For freight or passage, apply as heretofore.

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EASTON AND BALTIMORE PACKET.

SLOOP MESSENGER,

C. VICKARS, Master,

Will commence running as usual from Easton Point to Baltimore, on SUNDAY NEXT, 20th instant, at 9 o'clock. A. M.—Returning, leave Baltimore every WEDNESDAY at the same hour, during the season. For freight or passage, apply as heretofore.

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QUEENSTOWN & BALTIMORE PACKET.

SLOOP PINKNEY,

G. CRIFFIN, Master,

Having excellent accommodations, (with 24 births) for Passengers, will commence running regularly on WEDNESDAY MORNING next, from Queens-Town to Baltimore, on which days at 9 o'clock, she will continue during the season—Returning, leave Baltimore every SATURDAY MORNING, at the same hour. The subscriber promises every personal exertion to please.

Passengers, on their arrival at Queens Town, can be furnished with a Stage, single Carriage, or Horses, to take them to any of the adjoining counties.

Queens-Town, feb. 15——3

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THIS is to give notice, That the subscriber, of Talbot county, in Md. hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Talbot county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of *William Seymour*, late of Talbot county, aforesaid, 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 first day of September next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

The above notice is given under an order of the Orphans' Court aforesaid. Given under my hand this 17th day of February, 1814.

JOHN GOLDSBOROUGH, Adm'r of William Seymour.

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THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

THAT the subscriber, of Dorchester county, hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of the said county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of *Elisha Medford*, late of said county, deceased—All persons having claims against said estate, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the first day of Sept. next—they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 10th day of February, eighteen hundred and fourteen.

PETER MEDFORD.

feb. 22. 3q

FOR SALE OR RENT,

And immediate possession given,

A LOT OF LAND,

Situate near the Academy, in the town of Centreville, Queen Ann's county, with a two-story brick house, 30 by 20 feet, with a cellar under the whole, and completely finished, with a kitchen, smoke house, stable, and carriage house, all new, and a large garden.

Likewise for sale, a copper Still and Worm, almost new, supposed to contain about forty gallons.

JOSHUA KENNARD.

Centreville, feb 15——3q

NOTICE.

CITY BANK OF BALTIMORE,

January 31st, 1814.

Agreeably to a resolution of the board of Directors, the Stockholders are required to pay the third instalment of FIVE DOLLARS on each share of stock in this Institution, on or before FRIDAY the first of April next.

By order,

JAMES STERETT, Cash'r.

feb. 8——13q

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

PUBLIC HOTEL.

BENNETT WHERRETT

Begs leave respectfully to inform the Public, that he has opened a Public Hotel, in the house formerly occupied as such by Mr. Joseph Harrison and Mr. Solomon Charles, in the village of Denton, at the corner of Gay & Second streets, sign of the Ship Hornet, where he intends by assiduity and attention to endeavor to merit a share of public patronage.

feb. 15——3q

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.

MAP OF LOWER CANADA.

Just received, and for sale at this Office,

A NEW AND CORRECT

MAP OF LOWER CANADA,

Compiled from Holland's large Map of that Province, published from actual survey, made by order of the British government.—Laid down on a scale of seven miles to an inch, with all the late revisions, corrections and improvements—By A. LAY, of N. York.

ALSO,

PART II. OF VOL. IV.

EDINBURG ENCYCLOPÆDIA,

Just received.

☞ Subscribers are requested to call for their copies.

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CHESTERTOWN AND WILMINGTON MAIL STAGE.

The subscribers respectfully inform the public that the Stage from Chester Town to Wilmington has commenced running the old and direct rout, twice a week, via Middle Town, Buck Tavern, Red Lyon, and direct to Wilmington.

The Stage will leave Chester Town every Monday and Friday, at 5 A. M. and arrive in Wilmington on the evening of the same day:—Will leave Wilmington every Monday and Friday, at 5 A. M. and arrive in Chester Town on the evening of the same day.

The subscribers are determined to use every exertion in making this line convenient and agreeable. Travellers will get on with more speed and comfort than has been experienced in this conveyance for several years.

Fare of Passengers four dollars, with the usual allowance of baggage.

J. CAMPBELL,
D. WITHERSPOON.

N. B. All baggage at the risque of the owner.

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MARYLAND:

KENT COUNTY ORPHANS' COURT, *February* 11, 1814.

ORDERED, That RICHARD BRICE, administrator of *Joseph Brice*, deceased, cause to be inserted for three successive weeks, in the Star published in Easton, a notice according to law, for said dec'd's creditors to produce their claims.

Test—

RICHARD BARROLL, Reg'r.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

THAT the subscriber, of Kent county, hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of *Joseph Brice*, late of Kent 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 fifteenth day of September next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 14th day of February, eighteen hundred and fourteen.

RICHARD BRICE, Adm'r.

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TALBOT COUNTY ORPHANS' COURT,

16th day of February, A. D. 1314.

ON application of JAMES CAIN, administrator of *Elijah Spence*, late of Talbot county, deceased—It is ordered that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate; and that the same be published once in each week for the space of three successive weeks, in one of the newspapers at Easton.

In testimony that the above is truly copied from the minutes of proceedings of the Orphans' Court of the county aforesaid, I have hereunto set my hand, and the seal of my office affixed, this 16th day of February, Anno Domini, 1814.

L. S.

Test—

JA: PRICE, Reg'r of Wills for Talbot county.

In compliance with the above order,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscriber, of Talbot county, hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Talbot county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of *Elijah Spence*, late of Talbot county, deceased—All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the first day of September next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Persons indebted to the estate of said deceased, are required to make immediate payment to the subscriber. Given under my hand this 22d day of February, eighteen hundred and fourteen.

JAMES CAIN, Adm'r of Elijah Spence, dec'd.

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THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

That the subscriber, of Dorchester county, hath obtained from the orphans' court of Dorchester county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of *James Twilley*, late of said county, deceased—All persons having claims against said deceased, are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 17th day of August next—they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate; All persons indebted to the estate of said deceased, are desired to make immediate payment to the subscriber.—Given under my hand this 15th day of February, 1814.

BETSY ANN TWILLEY, Adm'x of James Twilley, deceased.

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SALE OF THE REAL ESTATE OF JEREMIAH COLSTON.

IN CHANCERY, January 21st, 1814. On the petition of JAMES COLSTON, of Talbot county, claiming as assignee of John Lecompte, a creditor of the said estate—It is ordered that the said petition be heard on the first Monday in April next, and that depositions taken on two days notice to the petitioner or the said John Lecompte be read in evidence: Provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Easton Star, at least once in each of three successive weeks before the 10th day of March next.

True copy. Test—

JAMES P. HEATH, Reg. Cur. Can.

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CREDITORS ATTEND.

The creditors of *Levin Wright*, (of Levin) late of Caroline county, deceased, are requested to exhibit their claims, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 16th day of March next, on which day a dividend will be struck—Those neglecting this notice, will be barred all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand, this 9th day of February, 1814.

TH: SAULSBURY, Adm'r of Levin Wright (of Levin).

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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

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.

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NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the estate of the late Dr. *William E. Seth*, dec'd. of Talbot county, are desired to make payment to the subscriber—those having claims against said estate, are requested to bring them in properly authenticated. Also, those who purchased property at the sale of said deceased's personal property, are informed that their notes are now due, and payment is expected to be made to the subscriber, without delay, or those she may authorise to collect the same—Those neglecting, will be proceeded against after the first day of April next.

SUSAN SETH, Adm'x of Dr. Wm. E. Seth, dec'd.

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NOTICE.

Whereas Jonathan Nevill, one of the heirs of James Nevill, late of Queen-Ann's county, deceased, preferred to the said county court his petition in writing at May term, in the year eighteen hundred and eleven, praying that a commission might issue according to the act of descents, to divide the real estate of the said James Nevill among his heirs at law: And whereupon a commission did issue in pursuance of the prayer of the said petitioner, and the commissioners therein named returned to the said county court that the real estate of the said James would not admit of a division among his heirs, without loss and injury, and valued the same in current money—which said return was ratified and confirmed by the said county court: And whereas Mary Nevill, one of the heirs of the said James, is absent from the said county, who is entitled to make her election to take the said real estate at its valuation—It is therefore ordered by the said county court, that the said Mary Nevill, one of the heirs of the said James, who it is alledged is residing out of the said county, appear on the first Saturday in May term next, and make her election to take the said real estate at its valuation; and on her non appearance at the time aforesaid, the other heirs next entitled may come into the said county court and make their election in the same manner as if the said Mary Nevill, so absent, had appeared and refused to take the said estate at the valuation of the commissioners before mentioned: Provided that this notice be published in the Easton STAR four weeks successively before the said first Saturday in May term next of the said county court.

True copy, taken from the minutes of proceedings of said court, at the October term last past.

JOHN BROWNE, Clk. of Q. A. C. C.

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RUNAWAY,

From the subscriber, living near Easton, a negro woman by the name of *FANNY*, about five feet six or eight inches high, of a blackish complexion, and about thirty years of age, delicately made, flat breast and short woolly head, large projecting mouth, thick lips and full teeth. She was purchased at the sale of Andrew Callender's property, exposed by Joseph Martin, administrator, at the Chappel, in this county, on or about the 1st of July last, and left my service on the 27th of August. She had a variety of clothing—Has a husband by the name of Charles, a black negro, the slave of Peter Edmondson, Esq. at Dover Bridge, in this county, and she is supposed to be lurking in the neighbourhood of that place. Whoever will take up and secure said negro, within the State of Maryland, so that I get her again, shall be paid thirty dollars; and if out of the State, fifty dollars, and all reasonable charges if brought home or secured in Easton.

DAVID KERR, Junior.

Oakland, Talbot county, Maryland, dec. 7. ——m

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.

Runaway from the subscriber, on the 27th ult. a bright mulatto bound servant called *DANIEL*, about seventeen or eighteen years of age, of a slender form, near five feet high; his hair is long and straight, of a light colour and very fine, no resemblance of a negro's wool; the features of his face regular and fine, except his under lip which is large and drops so as to show his under teeth.—Had on and took with him one pair of nankeen pantaloons, one pair cross-barred do. one red spotted vest, one striped coatee, one new pair of shoes, one half worn fur hat, and two half worn muslin shirts, besides a number of other articles, of winter cloathing. The above reward will be given, if secured in any gaol so that I get him again, and all reasonable charges if brought home.

All masters of vessels and others are forwarned harboring him at their peril.

JAMES WAINWRIGHT.

Easton, Md june 1——m

☞ The Editors of the Wilmington Watchman and Philadelphia Aurora will please to insert the above three times, and send their accounts to this office. J. W.

BROKE GAOL.

On Wednesday-night, 9th inst. one dark mulatto man by the name of *Daniel Johns*, about 5 feet 8 or 10 inches high; he has a large beard and whiskers—He is well known in and about Easton—He says he was set free by a lady of Easton, formerly Miss Harriott M'Callum. He was committed to gaol on suspicion of stealing a horse.

Also a bright mulatto man by the name of *Nathan*, (slave of Mr. Robert Gardner, on Kent Island,) about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, of a pert lively look. He was committed to gaol on suspicion of piloting the British up to Queens-Town. Any person apprehending both or either of said negroes, and returning them to the gaol in Centreville, shall be paid all reasonable expenses they may be at in so doing.

RICHARD MOFFETT, Sh'ff of Queen Ann's county.

feb. 15——m

NOTICE.

Was committed to the gaol of Frederick county, Maryland, on the 18th day of January last, as a runaway, a negro man who calls himself *Arnold*. He is about 15 years of age, five feet four inches high; his clothing when committed were a blue striped kersey roundabout, homespun twill'd cotton jarket, linsey pantaloons—frost bitten feet: Says he belongs to Mr. Edward Clouden, about 12 miles from Leonard Town, St. Mary's county, Maryland. The owner is hereby requested to come and release him, otherwise he will be sold for his imprisonment fees, as the law directs.

MORRIS JONES, Sheriff Frederick county, Maryland.

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NOTICE.

Was committed to the gaol of Frederick county, Maryland, on the 15th day of January inst. as a runaway, a negro man who calls himself *Joshua*; says he is fifty-two years of age, five feet four inches high; his clothing when committed were a drab coloured cloth great coat, black cloth waistcoat, a muslin shirt, blue cloth pantaloons, good coarse shoes and stockings—has a scar on the right side of his nose, also a mark on his breast which was caused by a burn: Says he belongs to Mr. James Combs, on the Sugar Land, Montgomery county, Maryland. The owner is hereby requested to come and release him, otherwise he will be sold for his imprisonment fees, as the law directs.

MORRIS JONES, Sheriff Frederick county, Maryland.

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