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PUBLIC SALE.

Will be sold on the premise, at public vendue, on the 28th of the 7th month, (July) 1814, if fair, if not, the next fair day, by order of the Chancellor of Maryland—All the real estate of *Joseph Joins*, late of Kent county, State of Maryland, deceased, consisting of about 18 or 19 acres of valuable LAND, in Worton Manor, on a credit of twelve months, the purchaser giving bond with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale.

The creditors of Joseph Joins are directed to exhibit their claims, with the vouchers thereof, to the Chancery Office, within six months from the day of sale.

Daniel Lamb, *Trustee.*

July 5 4

PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of a Decree from the High Court of Chancery, to Elizabeth Allan directed—Will be sold at public sale, on the premises, on the 30th day of August next (if not sold before at private sale) a valuable tract or parcel of LAND, containing 405 acres clear of the water, situated on the mouths of Great Choptank and Little Choptank rivers, in Dorchester county, in the State of Maryland—has a beautiful prospect of the Chesapeake bay, and is commonly known by the name of "Hill's Point." The Land is fertile, and adapted to the growth of corn, wheat and tobacco, and is at present in a pretty high state of cultivation; has a sufficiency of timber for the plantation use—is conveniently situated for fishing, fowling and oysters in their seasons, and has excellent drinking water. About one half of the cleared land is a high and light soil, the other half rather stiff and low. The land will be sold altogether, or in lots, as may best suit.

A credit of one, two and three years will be given on such instalments as will be made known on the day of sale, on the purchasers giving bond with approved security, bearing interest from the first day of January next.

This land was advertised for sale about twelve months ago, but for unavoidable reasons was postponed, but positively will be sold now. It is thought needless to say any thing more about the aforesaid land, as it is presumed any person wishing to purchase, will view the same, and may contract, by applying to

Thomas Barnett,
Attorney in fact for Trustee.

July 19 4

MILL & MILL SEAT FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale his MILL and MILL SEAT, situated on the Head of Kings-Creek, in Talbot county, about five miles from Easton, and three from Choptank river. There are about 60 acres of Land, 20 of which is meadow of the best quality—the residue is very productive, and may be made rich with little expense from the meadow, with cattle and the ditch banks, which has been tried and found to answer a very good purpose. The improvements are as follows: the Mill House 20 by 26 feet, one story, brick, covered with cypress shingles, clap board and weather boarding—two pair of stones—a tumble dam nearly new, and over-shot wheel 11 feet 4 inches diameter—peer head nearly new; one log dwelling house and kitchen, corn house, smoke house, and stable. The stream is short but very springy, and affords water to grind from 10 to 20 bushels a-day in a drouth. The terms will be one-fourth of the purchase money, the residue in three equal annual instalments, with bond and approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale. A good and indisputable title will be given when the property is paid for.—Should this property not be sold by the 15th of September, it then will be to rent for the ensuing year.

William Scott.

Near Easton, july 19

FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale all the real estate of Mr. Samuel Wallis, dec'd. in Kent county—viz:

The FARM in the tenure of Mr. Joshua Lamb, containing 405 3-4 acres, situate near I. U. Church, and only 5 1-2 miles from Chester Town. There is on this farm a convenient two story brick dwelling, with cellars, and kitchen adjoining, beside other buildings, and a handsome apple orchard. About 1-6 of the whole tract is in wood—the soil is genial, and surprisingly adapted to the new system of Clover and Plaister.

The FARM called "Hackett's Fancy," containing one hundred and eighty-one acres, situate on the Still Pond road, within 3 1-2 miles of Chester Town.

Parts of several tracts of LAND (sold by John Black, as trustee for the sale of the undivided property of Col. Isaac Perkins) situate on and at the head of Perkins's mill pond, containing 171 1-2 acres.

That spacious and eligible Brick Tavern, in Chester Town, long in the tenure of Mr Francis Skirvin.——Also—several other dwellings, a granary and wharf, and four or five grass Lots on the environs of the town. For particulars apply to

Philip Wallis.

Easton, Md. july 12

BRANCH BANK AT EASTON,

JULY 6TH, 1814.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders in this Institution, that an election for Thirteen Directors thereof for the ensuing year, will be held at the Court House, in Easton, on the first Monday of August next, between the hours of 9 and 3 o'clock; of which the persons concerned are desired to take notice.

By order—

Joseph Haskins, *Cash'r.*

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PROFILE LIKENESSES,

Plain, or in colours,

TAKEN at Mr. Quin's, next door to the Post Office—ALSO, elegant Frames.

S. Dewey.

☞Families will be waited on at their houses, (if most convenient,) either in the town or country.

july 19

LAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale his Farm in Caroline county, whereon he now lives, situated within three miles of Hillsborough, and containing upwards of six hundred acres of Land. It is unnecessary to say any thing of the soil or convenience of this Farm, as it is expected that those who wish to purchase will view the Land. If not sold at private sale, before Thursday the first of September next, it will be offered on that day at 12 o'clock, at public auction, on the premises. The terms will be made easy to the purchaser.

Thomas Daffin.

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LAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale, a FARM in Island Creek Neck, adjoining the farm of Messrs. Joseph and Solomon Martin. This farm contains about one hundred and sixty three acres, a proportionable part thereof plentifully timbered. This farm is situated on the waters of Dividing Creek, and the soil well adapted to the growth of corn, wheat, and clover. It is expected those who wish to purchase will view the land.—Terms will be made known by application to

Thomas Martin,
Near Abbott's Mill.

Talbot county, april 26

LAND TO LEASE.

BETWEEN 500 and 600 acres of Land, lying in Caroline county, on which are, a good dwelling house and necessary out houses, (formerly the residence of Mr. Charles Blair, deceased,) will be leased to a good tenant on advantageous terms. For further particulars apply at the Star office.

june 21

FOR SALE,

THE Farm at Banbury, about 12 miles from the town of Easton, containing about 550 acres of Land, more or less, now in the tenure of Mr. Nicholas Small. Possession to be given on the first day of January, 1815—For terms apply to Thomas Perrin Smith, Esq. at Easton, or Mr. Hugh Birckhead, Baltimore.

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THE SUBSCRIBERS

HAVING COMMENCED THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

GROCERY & COMMISSION BUSINESS,

UNDER THE FIRM OF

JOHN & THOMAS P. RICAUD,

IN THE WARE-HOUSE, No. 3, BOWLER'S WHARF,

(Lately occupied by Mr. Benjamin Ricaud,)

Tender their services to their friends and the public in general, and hope, by their attention and punctuality, to merit a share of public patronage; they flatter themselves they will be enabled to furnish any article in the line on the lowest terms.

John Ricaud.
Thomas P. Ricaud.

Baltimore, june 21 8

ROCK HALL PACKET.

IN consequence of a late change in the Mail routes on the Eastern Shore, this Packet will change the days of sailing, and will run in future as follows, viz:

Leave Rock Hall on Sundays, Tuesdays and Fridays, at 8 o'clock A. M. and arrive at Baltimore same days.

Leave Baltimore on Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 9 o'clock A. M. and arrive at Rock Hall same days.

The Mail via Rock Hall leaves Chester Town for Baltimore on Tuesdays and Fridays, and leaves Baltimore for Chester Town on Mondays and Thursdays, and arrives the same days.

The Stage between Rock Hall and Chester Town forms a junction, in concert with the line of Wilmington and Easton Stages, at Chester Town.

Be it observed, that, under present circumstances, this is the most preferable route for crossing the bay, for shortness of distance and safety—and that the Packet now on this route is as fine a vessel, for fast-sailing, safety and convenience, as any on the bay.

All Baggage and Goods at the risque of the owners.

T. Harris.

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MAIL STAGE,

From Easton to Chester-Town,

STARTS from the subscriber's Tavern every *Monday* and *Thursday* morning, after an early breakfast, and arrives at Chester Town before sundown same evenings, where the line continues the next morning through Wilmington to Philadelphia. Returning, leaves Chester-Town every *Tuesday* and *Friday* morning, and arrives at the EASTON HOTEL, (late Fountain Inn) same evenings; where the best accommodations are prepared for Travellers, and conveyances furnished for those wishing to proceed to either of the lower counties.

The subscriber has a new Stage, good strong horses, and a careful driver, added to the certainty of progressing on the route without delay, renders the present establishment worthy the attention of the Public, from whom he solicits a share of patronage.

His Hotel is large, and will at all times enable him to furnish private rooms to Travellers—his liquors of the best quality—his table spread with the varieties of the season; and his servants and fare for horses surpassed by none on the shore—added to his own personal attention, he flatters himself in being able to give entire satisfaction to those who may give him a call

Thomas Henrix.

april 26

APPRENTICE WANTED.

A LAD about fourteen years of age, with a tolerable English education, will be taken apprentice to the Printing Business, by early application at the

STAR-OFFICE.

march 1

COHEN'S

LOTTERY AND EXCHANGE OFFICE,

BALTIMORE

THE *Washington Monument, Hospital,* and *Trinity Church Lotteries,* having been concluded, the subscriber invites the attention of the public to the following abstract from the Schemes of the

TWO NEXT LOTTERIES,

To be drawn in Baltimore.

MASONIC HALL LOTTERY.

HIGHEST PRIZES ARE—

1 Prize of	$40,000	7 Prizes of	$5,000
1	20,000	20	1,000
5	10,000	25	500, &c.

Forty thousand Tickets—not two Blanks to a Prize.

☞ *The first drawn Ticket is entitled to* FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Present price of Tickets TEN DOLLARS—with the usual discount to purchasers of 50 Tickets or more. The drawing will commence during the ensuing fall.

LIBERTY ENGINE HOUSE LOTTERY.

HIGHEST PRIZES ARE—

2 Prizes of	$20,000	1 Prize of	$2,000
1	10,000	Besides $1000's, $500's, &c.	
1	5,000		
1	3,000		

This is one of the most approved Schemes which has been presented for some time past—it contains only 27,000 Tickets, and not 2 Blanks to a Prize.

☞ *The first drawn Ticket is entitled to* THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS,

And the first drawn 7000 Blanks are each entitled to a Prize of SIX DOLLARS—THE DRAWING WILL COMMENCE in a few weeks, and will continue rapidly until finished. Present price of Tickets only FIVE DOLLARS.

*** Orders from distant places (enclosing the Cash, or Prize Tickets in any of the Lotteries,) post paid, *addressed to the subscriber,* will be promptly and punctually attended to, and with the same exactness as if a personal application—the earliest intelligence will be forwarded of success.

†‡† Companies and individuals who purchase any quantity of Tickets, will be allowed the usual deduction, and approved Notes, payable after the conclusion of the drawing, will be received in payment, as well as prize tickets and foreign bank bills.

J. I. Cohen, Jun.
No 110, Market st. Baltimore.

COHEN'S "GAZETTE AND LOTTERY REGISTER," is published every week for the use of his customers, to whom it is sent *gratis*—others pay $2 per annum. It contains the drawings of all the Lotteries, and a regularly corrected Price Current, &c.

IMPORTANT MEMORANDA.

☞Without adverting to the Prizes of $50,000, 20,000, 10,000's, &c sold at this office in former Lotteries, it will be sufficient to enumerate the following GREAT PRIZES which have been obtained at COHEN'S OFFICE, during the LAST MONTH, a circumstance *unprecedented in the annals of lotteries,* and which establishes the singular good fortune resulting to adventurers at this office. The dates when the Prizes were drawn are given, as well as the numbers of the Tickets, viz.

May 3d—No 26023, a Capital Prize of
TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.
May 5th—No 26119, a Capital Prize of
THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.
May 9th—No 13117, a Capital Prize of
FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.
May 17th—No 23161, a Capital Prize of
FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.*
May 24th—No 30801, a Capital Prize of
THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.
May 31st—No. 10321, a Capital Prize of
FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.
Besides a large number of Thousands, Five Hundreds, &c. &c. &c.

* The $40,000 Prize was divided and sold in *one half and two quarter tickets,* being the highest prize ever sold in shares in this country. The fortunate owners were persons in extreme want, who, by expending a trifling sum at COHEN'S OFFICE, were thus in a moment put in possession of *affluence* and *independence.*

Baltimore, June 20 (july 19) 6

IN CHANCERY,

July 7th, 1814.

ORDERED, That the sale of the real estate of Samuel Abbott, deceased, as made and reported by the Trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn before the 15th day of September next: Provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Easton Star three successive weeks before the 15th day of August next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $6331 82 100.

True copy. Test—

James P. Heath,
Reg. Cur. Can.

July 19 3

IN CHANCERY,

July 7th, 1814.

ORDERED, That the sale of the real estate of Thomas Sudler, deceased, made and reported by the Trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn before the 15th day of September next: Provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Easton Star for three successive weeks before the 15th day of August next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $481.

True copy. Test—

James P. Heath,
Reg. Cur. Can.

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WOOL CARDING.

THE subscribers, for the accommodation of those who are disposed to favor them with their wool to card, have made an arrangement with Messrs Sangston & Hardcastle, merchants at Denton, and William Hudson & Co. at Bridgeville, to receive the parcels of wool—where they will send and receive them, and return the rolls twice per month.

The rolls will be nicely carded, and packed so as to make them portable to any part of the peninsula.

Samuel & Allen Talbott.

Milford, Del. June 3 3

TO THE EDITOR OF THE STAR.

Kinnersley, near Church Hill,
Q. A. County, July 14, 1814.

SIR,

Having noticed several statements in the different newspapers, respecting Merino Sheep, induces me to give you the weight of some fleece taken off some sheep in my possession, accompanied by the weight of carcase, and a comparative statement between them and those of the imported stock from which I bred them. About two years since I purchased a ram for $190, at Barry's sale of imported sheep; he was very poor at that time, (in the month of October) and of course got but few lambs that season, and his fleece the next spring yielded but 7 lbs. of nice wool. Poor as he was, I turned him out to take his chance with the common flock all winter, and he stood the cold and was in better order in the spring than the other sheep. I mention this to remove an erroneous impression of their not being able to bear the intense cold of our winters.

	Carcass.	Fleece.
The Prince of Peace (the above ram) weighed	122	7 1-2
Wellington, a lamb of his get, out of an imported ewe, when two years old, weighed	125	
His first year's fleece		11
Fleece of the present year		10 1-4
Washington, a year old lamb, got by the Prince (out of an imported ewe that weighed but 65lbs.) weighed	124	16 1-2
A year old ewe lamb, same stock, weighed	80	9
Another do. do. do.	75	8 1-2

The four imported ewes weighed on an average 67lbs. each fleece 5lbs.—and these ewes have brought me since I purchased them (which was on the 18th April, 1812) 9 lambs.

One of the imported ewes on the 4th January, 1813, brought a ram lamb—she again brought an ewe lamb on November 4th, 1813, and another ram lamb on the 28th of last May; which is three lambs in rather better than 16 months. If Merinoes are kept in high order, they breed very fast, and much less food will keep them fat than is necessary to keep common sheep in the same order. An acre of land will support, during the summer season, two Merinoes for one common sheep, and the produce of wool from the Merinoes will be one fourth more in quantity, and at least double in value. Farmers will find it greatly to their advantage to go as far as the half-blood; the quantity of wool will be increased at least one-fourth, and the quality very superior for any kind of use. My half-blood flock averaged 5 1-3 lbs. of nice clean wool—The thigh and belly wool can be separated for coarse negro clothing, and the back and shoulder wool can be disposed of at market for 80 cents a pound unwashed. I get mine spun up by the poor in my neighborhood, at 5s. a pound, by contract to make 2 1-2 yards of fine cloth to each pound of yarn, the cloth to be yard wide. They charge me 2s. a yard for weaving, and 2s. a yard for fulling, dying, shearing and dressing. By a calculation, this cloth, after the above expenses are incurred, stands me in $2 34 cents per yard of 6-4 wide, and is at least equal in value to any you can purchase out of the stores at $6 per yard. The above $2 34 per yard is to be understood as independent of any charge for the wool, which ought, perhaps, to be charged at from $1 to $1 25 per pound for washed wool—but this is as cheaply raised, and more so to the farmer, than common wool.

This statement must satisfy any unprejudiced person of the immense saving to any man in middling circumstances, with a large family of children, besides having the satisfaction of giving constant employment to the poor of his neighborhood, enabling them to support their families in these distressing times. If a man makes more cloth than he wants, put it in the stores and have it sold on commission.

If you think the whole or any part part of this communication will be of benefit to the public, by removing unfounded prejudices against this valuable breed of sheep, or in any other manner be beneficial, your are at liberty to publish it.

Merinoes never shed their wool, unless diseased—a very great advantage.

I remain, sir,
Your obedient servant,
R. I. JONES.

WASHINGTON, JULY 16.

Copy of a letter from Com. Chauncey to the Secretary of the Navy.

U. S. Ship SUPERIOR, Sackett's Harbor, 7th July, 1814.

SIR,

I am happy that I have it in my power to detail to you another brilliant achievement of Lieut. Gregory with his brave companions.

I received information some time since that the enemy was building a large sch'r at "Presque Isle." I determined upon her destruction, but deferred the execution until she should be nearly ready for launching. Finding the alarm extensive down the St. Lawrence in consequence of taking the gun boat Black Snake, I thought it a favorable opportunity to attempt something at "Presque Isle."—On the 26th ult. I directed Lieut. Gregory to take with him Messrs. Vaughan and Dixon—proceed with the two largest *Gigs* to Nicholas Island (within about 7 miles of "Presque Isle" harbor) & there conceal his boats and wait for some transports which I had information were expected there to take up provisions and munitions of war, which had been sent up the Bay of Quintu for the troops at York and Fort George, but, if these transports did not make their appearance in 3 or 4 days, then to proceed to "Presque Isle," and burn the vessels on the stocks; but with positive orders not to injure a private building or any private property.—The day after Lieut. Gregory arrived on the coast he discovered a vessel beating up, but just as she shoved off to board her, a large gun boat hove in sight a little below him. This boat made a signal to the vessel in the offing, upon which she tacked and stood for the gun boat.—Lieut. Gregory secreted his boats as well as he could, but was apprehensive that he had been discovered. The gun boat and her convoy (which was full of troops) stood into Presque Isle. Lieut. Gregory was determined to ascertain whether he had been discovered—accordingly he sent one of his boats in the next night and took off one of the inhabitants who informed him that it was known, that he was on the coast, and that two expresses had been sent to Kingston in consequence. He therefore determined upon executing the latter part of his instructions and made his arrangements accordingly, landed, placed sentinels at the houses to prevent alarm, and set fire to the vessel, which was nearly ready to launch; she was a stout well built vessel to mount 14 guns, and would probably have been launched in about ten days. A small store house which contained stores for the vessel was unavoidably burnt as it was so near the vessel that it took fire from her. Lieut. Gregory learnt from the inhabitants that much property had been sent up a few days previous, that a company of the Glengary regiment had been stationed there, but had been sent to York a few days before; another company was on its way from Kingston to replace them. The few militia which had been left to guard the vessel and property, retreated upon the approach of our boats. As soon as the vessel was entirely consumed, Lieut Gregory re-embarked his men without having permitted one of them to enter a house; finding the alarm so general he tho't prudent to cross the Lake immediately; he stopped one day at Oswego, for refreshment, and arrived here last evening, having performed a most difficult service with his usual gallantry and good conduct.

Lieut. Gregory speaks in the highest terms of commendation, of Sailing Master Vaughan and Mr. Dixon as well as the men under his command, for their patient endurance of hunger and fatigue, and the zeal with which they performed every part of their duty.

I think in justice to these brave men, that they ought to be allowed something for the destruction of this vessel—they have however every confidence in the justice and liberality of the government, and submit their case most cheerfully to its decision.

I have the honor to be, &c.

ISAAC CHAUNCEY.

Hon. Wm. Jones, &c.

RICHMOND, JULY 6.

(OFFICIAL.)

Lieut. Col. Thomas M. Bayly, of Accomack, in a letter to the Governor dated June 23, states, that on the evening of the 20th a British barge was discovered from the camp at Chessenessix coming from Watt's Island—she proved to be the first cutter of the Albion, the Admiral's boat; her crew, a coxswain and 10 oarsmen, who stated that they had been sent to the Island to cut spars and stakes for the battery, had landed a lieutenant and then deserted to the American camp. Col. B. purchased the barge with the oars and sails complete, for 50 dollars, for the use of the regiment.—The deserters were furnished with a certificate from the Colonel, and set off immediately for Baltimore. They are young and hale men, apparently between 20 and 30; all natives of *England* or *Scotland*, except one black man who is a Spaniard.

The depositions of these men are before us—they state in substance, that they are from the Albion ship, 74 guns, but mounting 83, bearing the flag of Rear Admiral Cockburn now lying at Tangiers Island—that the crews there are very sickly with the flux, the water being brackish and bad; that they had been for two months on short allowance of food, but had lately obtained a supply from Bermuda—that the fort at Tangier had only three sides done, each side 250 yards long, mounting 8 24 pounders and about to mount 13 24 pounders just arrived in the Endymion; that it is to be the H. Q. of the commander in chief—that gardens are laid out in the Island, vegetables of all kinds are growing; a hospital to contain 100 sick, a church!! and 20 houses built and laid out into streets;—That in the engagement at Pungoteague one of the Albion's crew was killed, two died of their wounds; midshipman Frazer, a great favorite in the ship, who was about to quit the service and return home (having an income of £5,000 a year) was also wounded and died of his wounds; that it was believed on their part, we must have lost 15 killed and 30 wounded, out of the many with whom they supposed they were engaged;—That the ships at Tangiers, were the Albion, Endymion carrying 44:—at the Capes the Acasta rating 40 carrying 44—at New Point Comfort Armide, 40, watering—and that the Dragon, 74, the Loire and Narcissus frigates, Jasseur brig, and St. Lawrence schooner, were blockading Commodore Barney.

A TEACHER WANTED,

IN a private family, for five or six children, in a retired but very healthy situation. An elderly single gentleman, who is a good scholar, of genteel manners and moral character would be preferred. Liberal wages will be given—Apply at the Star office.

june 21