69, that he hath done so before,
cient proof of *usage*, Dy. 236.")
ce it clearly follows that the *laws*
it the keeping of a dog, with
vicious propensities, and that
injury committed by such a dog,
perty or person, the owner is an-
le in heavy damages, though it
eriously against his will.
independent of the legal prohibi-
he principles of the moral code,
open hostility with the practice of
g a vicious dog, to bite a neigh-
or mangle and maim his children,
his sheep: it is a practice of *sa-*
rigin, and of *uncivilized* continu-
calculated moreover to banish har-
and kind offices among neigh-
and will infallibly annihilate that
ition to mutual patronage and
t, which ought to be fostered for
l benefit; and when it is considered
ese paramount objects are sacri-
nd the laws of man, and the obli-
s of morality are violated, for the
vation, *perchance*, of a stick of
"the generally alleged object,"
rogance of man should feel hum-
his high pretentions in the scale
ure, founded in his *reason*, should
ndoned, upon such a proof of the
ess, and *infatuation*, if not de-
y, to which that *boasted faculty* of
inence is obnoxious.
this communication, Messrs. Edi-
am induced to affix my name, that
ay not be censured for its senti-
, and for the hope too, that my
appeal to reason may preserve
harmony, by conviction, which
recent cases in point, must other-
be inevitably disturbed.
I have the honor to be,
Yours respectfully,
JOS. E. MUSE.
bridge, April 3.

om the Salem Gazette, March 30.

CERESTING FROM SOUTH AMERICA.

h much pleasure we lay before our rea-
he following highly interesting letter
friend and valued correspondent, a na-
this vicinity, now at Truxillo.

"TRUXILLO, Feb. 16, 1824.

ar Sir—I send you an important docu-
elative to this new republic, styled "the
Provinces in the Centre of America,"
ing of the Provinces of Guatimala, Ni-
a, Coast Rica, Honduras and St. Salva-
The principal towns are Guatimala, the
, with a population of about 30,000 Omoa
uxillo.
is is perhaps one of the most fertile
es in the world, producing Cocoa, Hides,
, Indigo, Sarsaparilla, and plenty of
of gold, silver, copper, &c.
present the trade is nearly all engrossed
niards and carried on with Havana.—
day is not far distant when the United
will share the greatest part of the trade,
can supply them with every material.
ttle are abundant and are exported to
a, Balize, &c. in great numbers.
is country has several fine sea ports up-
Pacific, and is most advantageously si-
for carrying on commerce with both the
c and Pacific. Its chief imports are
cottons, &c from Europe; rum, sugar,
m Havana, and flour, provisions, &c. from
ited States. But we can supply them
otton, as well as India, and Russia goods
good terms as England or any other

e English Bible Society has caused the
o be printed in Spanish, and thousands
ow distributing throughout these pro-
Formerly they were not allowed to
out now free permission is given to every

Fairs are very tranquil and have the
pacific appearance. The government
determined to cultivate the most inti-
ntercourse or interchange of commerce
he United States, and manifests the ut-
ttention and hospitality to American vi-
The intercourse with the interior is
d on without any material obstructions or
rs, and all produce is brought and car-
pon mules.

ANOTHER PIRACY.

he brig Echo, Captain Blanchard of
and, has arrived at New-York from
a Cruz. Captain B. reports, that on
7th instant, in lat. 31, 50, long. 72,
w a vessel at the eastward, bearing
upon the Echo, which had all sail
hat she could carry. At midnight
trange vessel passed the stern of
Echo, but put about and stood to-
s her. It was soon found that she
ailed the Echo, and at one o'clock,
1. she came within pistol shot, fired
muskets into her, and ordered the
ain to come to, and send a boat on
d, which being done, the boat soon
rned, full of armed men, to the num-
of about fifteen. When the boat
e along side, they demanded of the
ain his papers. They inquired as
he longitude they were in and de-
ded if there was any money on
d? The brig's crew were then
en down the forcastle, and the
tes commenced breaking open all
chests in the cabin, and all in the
taking away all the clothes they
d find. Three trunks belonging to
cargo, were also broken and plunder-
They likewise took away the new
il, which was bent, a new jib, two
ring sails, the main stay-sail, and all
running rigging belonging to the
, together with three coils of line, a
lead line; three bolts of canvass, a
ntity of spare rigging, and deck
ks, &c. and much more was destroy-
n cutting away. They further took
pare top-mast, and top-gallant mast
would have taken the cargo, had it
been for a squall which came on,
obliged them to take to their own
—which they did, keeping a small
and four oars. Two of the crew of
Echo, were kept on board the pirate,
le the plundering was going on.—
y describe the vessel as a full rigged
, mounting thirty 6 pounders, and a
18 at midships. The decks were
of men, apparently Spaniards, for
most part.

GEN. LAFAYETTE.

The venerable Dr. *Thacher*; of Plymouth, we learn, has recently received a letter from Gen. LAFAYETTE, by which, we understand, that a sense of duty will keep him a considerable time in Europe, and delay his contemplated and much desired visit to the United States. We imagine our country's friend thinks it his duty to remain in France to give his opposition to be changes which are said to be contemplated there, by the curtailment or aboliton of the French charter and the restoration of the monarchy as it existed prior to the revolution.

From the Columbia (S. C.) Telescope, March 20.

Mr. Editor—I observe I am charged in New York, with having advocated, protecting duties in favor of manufactures, in the preface to my Emporium in 1813. The charge is true. I thought then with the multitude on the subject. In the winter of 1818--19 the question became a national one, and I determined to study it fully. I did so. The result of my enquiry was a perfect conviction of the injustice and impolicy of the whole system. I published my opinions on this subject and to this effect in the Analytical Magazine for July, 1819, to which Mr. Mathew Carey replied in the same Magazine for next month, under the signature of Sully. In July, 1819, Dr. Maxcy, President of this College, and Dr. Smith, Chemical professor here, were alive and well; and I was settled (as I thought finally) in Philadelphia. And whatever my opinions have been, are, or may be, my grounds and reasons accompany them; and the public are interested not in names, but in facts and arguments.

THOMAS COOPER, M. D. *Columbia.*

Bedford, Penn. March 26.

On the night of the 19th inst. the dwelling house of Matthias Mort, living in Dublin township, in this county, caught fire, as is believed, from the kitchen chimney, which had not been fully built up. Mr. and Mrs. Mort providentially awoke just in time to rescue the children, who slept up stairs, from the devouring element. The fire when discovered, had gained such an ascendency that it was found useless to attempt to extinguish it; and the house was abandoned in such haste that only some bed clothes aud a few articles of wearing apparel were saved.

The family remained around the smoking ruins until morning, the parents exerting themselves to preserve their naked and freezing children from the inclemency of the weather. After day light, Mr. Mort went to a neighbour's for the purpose of procuring some grain, and from thence to the mill in order to get it ground to make bread for his distressed children. Whilst waiting at the mill for his grist, a messenger arrived bringing to Mr. Mort the heart-rending news that the chimney of the burnt house had fallen down and killed one of his sons.

The boy, aged twelve years, had been hunting amongst the ruins of the burnt house, for nails, when the chimney unfortunately gave way, fell down, aud instantly crushed him to death. When he was extricated, his bowels were burnt out.

What an awful lesson ought the above melancholy transaction teach us. By it may be seen how quickly earthly possessions, and even life itself, may be taken from us. How necessary then for us all "to have a building prepared," as Paul of old saith, "made without hands, eternal in the Heavens.

Extract of a letter, dated London, Feb. 14.

"The Canada merchants have had a meeting to-day with ministers relative to that part of the American President's Speech which spoke of negotiations for giving the Americans the right of Navigating the St. Lawrence the business is *in good hands*—they are not disposed to *yield such a point by any means.*"

M. Clement, a French chemist, has lately invented an apparatus for the distillation of sea-warter, which produces six pounds of good fresh water by the burning of one pound of common coal.—A single still will supply five hundred pints of water daily, and the distillation may be performed during the roughest weather

A useful hint to young Men.

For your own comfort, for your friends' solace, for the sake of your eventful prosperity, cultivate a strict and manly habit of economy. It is impossible to raise a good character without it. And this one single article, connected with moderate talent, will recommend you to all with whom you are to have any transactions, from whom you may wish confidence, or expect remuneration. Assistance, should you need it, will not be withheld, if it is known that your care of personal expense is correct. Do not esteem the name of economy a trifle. Do not account the practice of it mean. Generous—free, call it what you will, are terms which do not apply, unless it is literally your own money with which you are sporting; nor then, if you sport more than your rank and circumstances prudently warrant.

DEAR WINE.—A great connoisseur in wines lately died in England, when his whole stock of claret was sold at the rate of *forty eight guineas* a dozen!

Mammoth Parsnip.—Of all the big beets and pumpkins that ever have grown in this or any other state, a Parsnip recently taken out of the ground by a gentleman of Frederick-town, Md. is the largest. It measured five feet six or seven inches in length!

COMMERCE OF HAVANA.

We have been favored by a friend with a few very late Havana papers.—The following, respecting the commerce of Havana, is the only informrtion contained in them which seems to be worth extracting:

EXPORTS.	*Boxes sugar.*	*Arrob cof*
In the month Jan. 1824,	8,129	43,300
In the month Feb. do.	14,149	98,094

[Each arroba of coffee is 25lbs.]

During these months, there entered into the port of Havana 235 vessels, (186 of which were foreign,) and sailed from it 197, (154 being foreign,) mostly belonging to the United States.

The London Morning Chronicle, in reference to the exclusion of the Catholic lawyers in Ireland from certain offices observes—

"Barristers in England are seldom very refractory; but in what state of things should we be were there 2 or 300 of them excluded from all chance of preferment, without even the hope of a commissionship of Bankrupts or a seat on the Blue Bench? *We should not be able to eat, drink, or sleep for grievances.*"

A singular and interesting case lately occurred at Cheverell Magna, in this county. Eleven week since, a youth, ten years of age, son of Mr. Fox, of Bell Inn, in that village, was attacked with fever and inflammation of the lungs.—After the inflammatory symptoms had subsided there was every reason to fear consumption was rapidly advancing.—About ten days ago, a tumour was observed to be forming between the third and fourth ribs on the left side: and on Sunday last it was deemed proper by the surgeon attending him (Mr. Clifford) to open it, when passing a lancet into the part, a hard substance impeded the instrument, which when extracted, proved to be a stone, weighing half a drachm; 40 ounces of purulent matter were taken away at the same time, having been formed in the internal part of the thorax or chest. The patient is better, and hopes are entertained of his recovery.—*Devizes Gaz.*

Lottery Incidents.—Three-fourths of a 20,000 dollar prize in a lottery, were lately sold in Philadelphia, and two-eighths of the same in Kingston, N. Y one of these eighths was sold to a man who was previously blessed with a competency, and the other to a poor man, for seven shillings, who feeling unable to risk even his small sum, resold seven eighths of his purchase, for one shilling each, to seven of his poor neighbours, retaining an 8th for himself. The result is known, and each adventurer has obtained for his shilling 265 dollars 62 and a half cents.

A splendid Hat of exquisite workmanship and materials, is now completing by Mr. John Hurley, of New York, called the *Washington Hat*, intended as a present to Gen. La Fayette; it is to have a revolutionary cockade, and be transmitted by the first vessel, for him to wear on his landing in this country.

At the Poor House Yard, Charleston, S. C. the ground has been bored 280 feet in search of good water, without success The boring has extended upwards of 200 feet below the bed of the river. Marine shells were found 70 or 80 feet down below.

In clearing a tomb lately in this city the remains of a British Officer were found. It is supposed he was buried with his clothes on, but they had all perished, except his silk sash, which was in perfect order, and the colours bright.

The schooner Eliza arrived at New Orleans about the 1st day of March, from Tampico, *with upwards of one million of dollars in doubloons.*—Much more specie was expected at New Orleans from the same place.

The decree of the king of Spain, and the comments of the Paris papers thereon, have caused a great panic on the London Exchange.—They say the British government must now declare whether the South American States *are*, or *are not*, independent.

A forgery has been recently discovered on the Bank of England for 20,000*l.* The parties absconded with the whole of the property.

The subscription in Liverpool in aid of the Greek cause now exceeds 500*l.*

Montevideo has surrendered to the *imperial* forces of Brazil. It until now, had been held as dependent on Portugal.

The total of the black and mulatto population in all the West India Islands is one million six hundred thousand—the total of the whites, in the same is four hundred and fifty thousand.

From a report made to the legislature of New-York, it appears that the number of paupers in that state is 22,111, and the annual expense of supporting them about half a million of dollars.

John Skinner has been convicted at Edenton, N. C. for poisoning his brother, and ordered to be executed on the 23d of April.

The American tract society located in the vicinity of Boston, has published in nine years, three millions and a half of religious tracts.

Anthony D. Duff, Esq: has been recognized by the President as Vice-Consul of Portugal for the States of N. York, East-Jersey and Connecticut.

NOMINATIONS.

Rezin Estep, esq. Capt. Christopher L. Gault and Leonard Iglehart, have been nominated as Delegates to the next General Assembly of Maryland, from Anne Arundel county.

APPOINTMENTS,

By the Executive of Maryland.—February, 1824.

Justices of the Peace for Queen Ann's county.

Samuel Burgess, William E. Meconiken, Tristram Thomas, George Palmer, Solomon Scott, Nathan Bayard, Robert Stevens, Winbert Tschudy, Nicholas M. Hobbs, Jas. Hopkins, Isaac Winchester, Charles C. Brown, John Baggs, Samuel Smith, James R. Pratt, James Roe, Jas. Baynard, Thomas Kent, John Beard, Francis A. Rochester, Charles R. Nicholson, Horatio Roberts, Edward Coppage, Greenbury Carman, Arthur E. Sudler, Robert Sparks, James Winchester, Geo. Newman, Eli S. Pardee, James Roberts, John Patrick, Edward H. Coursey, Thomas Roberts, William Jacobs, Joseph Cook, Robert Oldson, William Wallace, Samuel Thompson, Edward Eubanks, John Rigby, James Gibson, Joseph H. Calder.

Justices of the Levy Court.

Solomon Scott, James Massey, Robert Stevens, George Palmer, William E. Meconiken, Tristram Thomas, John W. Bordly.

Justices of the Orphans' Court.

Thomas Wright, Thomas B. Turpin, Daniel C. Hopper.

Baltimore Market.

Prices Current—Corrected Weekly.

Flour, wharf, $5 50; Howard-st. do. 5 75, WHEAT, $1 12½ a 1 14; Best family do. retail; $7; Corn, 28 to 30 cts; Rye, 40 cts; Barley, 60 to 65 cts; Oats, 22 to 25 cts; Whiskey, 1st proof, 25 to 26; Peach Brandy, 4th proof, 65 to 75; Apple do. 1st proof, 27 to 30 cts; Gin Baltimore, 50 to 60 cts; do. New England, 35 to 40 cts; Flax Seed, rough, per bushel, 70 to 75 cts; cleaned, per cask, $8; Flax, lb. $10 to 11; Beef, northern mess, per barrel $10; Cargo, No. 1, $8 to 8 50; do. No. 2, $6; Baltimore prime, $10; Bacon and hams, per lb. 10 cts; Cotton, W. I Island, 18 to 20 cts; Louisiana, &c. 15 to 17 cents; Georgia upland, 14 to 16 cts; Alabama, 12 to 13 cts: Cotton Yarn, No. 8, 30 cts, with an advance of 1 cent on each number up to No. 18; Candles, mould, 12 to 13 cts; Dipt, 10 to 11 cts; Spermaciti, 28 cts; Coal, Virginia, bushel, 20 to 20 cts; Susquehannah, per ton, 6 50 to 7; Feathers, live, 30 to 35 cts; Fish, cod, dry, quintel, $3, Herrings, Susquehannah, $2 75; Shad, trimmed, per lb. $6 to 6 50 cts; Hops, fresh, 35 cts; per lb; Hides, dryed, 15 to 18 cents per lb; Hog's Lard, 9 cents; Iron, pig, $35 to 40 per ton; American, bar, 75 to 95 do; Russia, 85 to 90 do; Swedes, assorted, 90; Hoop, 120 to 130 do; Sheet, 160 to 180 do; Nail rods, 125 to 130 do; Castings, 75 to 85 do; Lumber boards measurement, cargo prices; Oak timber and scantlings, 1 to 1 25; Boards all sizes, 1 50 to 2; Pine scantling, do. 1 to 1 25; Boards 4-4, 1 to 1 25; White do 5-4, 1 75 to 2 50; do. co. 4-4; 1 15 to 1 30; do. cl, 4-4, 1 80; Shingles, cyp. 18 inch. 3 to 3 50; Shingles, junip. 24, do 7 50 to 7 75; jun. com. 3 50 to 5; Staves, W. O. pipe, 40 to 45; do. hhd. 25; do. bbl. 15 to 17; R. O. bbl. 15; do. hhd. 17; Wool, fleece, merino full blood, 35 to 40 cents per lb; Cropped, 28 to 30 cts; Common country, 20 to 30 cents; Skinned, 35 to 40 cents—When assorted and cleaned, any of the above will obtain an advance of 15 to 20 cents.

Tobacco—common crop, 2 to 4 dolls. per cwt; Red and brown, do. 5 to 9 do; Cinnamon, ditto 10 to 15 do; Spangled do. 16 to 35 do; Virginia, fat, 5 to 7 do; ditto middling, 3 to 4; Rappahannock, 3 do; Kentucky, 3 to 6.

Prices of Seeds—Orchard Grass per bushel, 2 50; Lucerne, per lb, 50 cts; St. Foin, do 7; Red Clover, do. do. 5 50; Timothy, do. do. 4 dollars; Herds Grass, do do 2; Millet, do do 1; Mangel Wertzel, do do 1 50; Ruta Baga, do do 1 dollar.

Retail prices of provision market—Beef, prime pieces, 10 cts; Veal, 10 cts; Mutton, 5 to 7 cts Turkeys, 75 cts to 1 dollar; Greece, 50 to 56 cts; Chickens per pair, 50 to 62 1-2 cts; Eggs, 12 1-2 cts; Butter, first quality, 20 to 21 cts; Turnips, per bushel, 50 cts; Potatoes, do. 50 cents.—*Am. Far.*

Baltimore, April 2, 1824.

AFRICAN COLONIZATION.

On Wednesday, the 7th instant, the Dorchester Colonization Society, held an election at the Court house of Cambridge, under a provision of their constitution, appointing that day for the annual election of managers; and with one exception only, those of the first appointment were re-elected.

The Managers then proceeded forthwith to elect their officers, when the following gentlemen were unanimously re-elected, sct.

JOS E. MUSE, *President.*
CHAS. GOLDSBOROUGH, *Vice-President.*
JAS. CHAPLAIN, *Treasurer,*
JAMES BRYAN, *Secretary.*

Cambridge, April 10, 1824.

NEW AND CHEAP GOODS.

THE subscribers avail themselves of this opportunity of informing their friends and the public generally, that they have just received and are now opening, an additional supply of

NEW GOODS,

Of the latest importations from Europe & India, *Adapted to the present & approaching seasons,* Which were selected with great care in Philadelphia and Baltimore markets, together with their former stock, renders their assortment complete, which will be sold at the most reduced prices; they respectfully invite all those disposed to purchase to give them an early call. Their assortment embraces *India, European and Domestic Dry Goods, Groceries, Teas, Crockery, Glass, Queensware, Hardware, Looking Glasses, Waiters, &c.* Also a fresh supply of

DRUGS, DYE STUFFS,

Patent Medicines, and many other articles,
EDWARD WHITE & CO.
april 10 3t

N. B. We expect in a few days, 2,000 yards of *Domestic Muslins* assorted, much cheaper than ever: E. W. & CO.

C. HAYDEN,

DENTIST,

RESPECTFULLY offers his services, in the line of his profession, to the Ladies and Gentlemen of *Cambridge and its vicinity;* he is at Mr. Flint's inn, where he will reman a few days, and where he will be happy to wait on those who need his assistance, and may please to honor him with their confidence. Those who prefer it, will be waited on as usual, at their residence.
April 10 3t

Birckhead & Loockerman

HAVE RECEIVED THEIR

SPRING SUPPLY

OF

NEW GOODS.

April 10 tf

Produce Commission STORE,

NO. 23, S. GAY-ST.

OPPOSITE THE EXCHANGE,

BALTIMORE.

THE subscribers have opened a PRODUCE COMMISSION STORE at the above place, where they will attend to the sale of all kinds of Country Produce—Merchants, Farmers and others, on the EASTERN SHORE of MARYLAND, who send cargoes to Baltimore, are informed that by furnishing the subscribers with samples, they can at all times find sale for their goods. Consignments of *Wheat, Rye, Oats, Corn, Tobacco, Wool, &c. &c.* will meet with attention, and sales effected to the best advantage.

SCOTT & CO.
Baltimore, 1824. april 10 tf

TAILORING.

MR. DEVENNISH,

FROM BALTIMORE,

TAKES the liberty to acquaint the citizens of Cambridge and the public generally, that he intends to carry on (in the above named town, third door above Mr. Flint's tavern,) the TAILORING BUSINESS, in all its various branches. From his knowledge and experience in the above business, he pledges himself to execute their work with despatch, IN THE MOST NEAT, FASHIONABLE AND ELEGANT STYLE. He hopes his devotion to business, and exertion to give general satisfaction, together with the arrangements he has made to procure early, every season, the latest fashions from Baltimore, will ensure him a share of public patronage.

CAMBRIDGE, April 10, 1824. 3t

LOST.

ABOUT two months since, three vouchers to the amount of 65 or 70 dollars, were enclosed in a letter and directed to me, by Mr. Washington Eccleston, Register of Dorchester county, and delivered to Mr. Wm. Lecompte, by whom they were lost on his way to my house. A reasonable reward will be given to the person who found them—they can be of no use to any but the owner.

DEVERUX TRAVERS.
April 10 3t

UMBRELLA LOST.

WAS left at a gentleman's house in Cambridge, a short time since, an UMBRELLA, with a Buck Horn head, with a bill to it. Whoever has it will confer a favor by leaving it at the Chronicle office.
april 10 3t

Sray Heifers.

CAME to the premises of the subscriber, on Oyster Shell Point, in Dorchester county, about 12 months since, TWO HEIFERS, each marked with two slits in the right ear and a crop, and the left with a slit and an under-bit. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take them away.

WM. LECOMPTE.
April 10 3t

PUBLIC SALE.

The subscriber will dispose of the principal part of his

Household & Kitchen

FURNITURE,

CONSISTING OF

Tables, Beds, Carpets, Chairs, Looking Glasses, Waiters, China, Glass and Iron Ware, &c. The above, with a *MILCH COW*, and about six hundred weight of BACON, if not previously disposed of, will be offered at Public Sale, on *Wednesday*, 14th inst. at 10 o'clock. A credit of six months, with approved security, will be given on all sums above five dollars; for all sums less than five dollars, cash will be required.

TO RENT.

He also wishes to rent all that part of the HOUSE he now occupies, (except one room, which is appropriated to his school,) together with the Kitchen, out houses, and Garden attached thereto.

FOR HIRE,

A negro BOY, thirteen years old, who has been accustomed to house work.

GARDNER BAYLEY.
march 27 3t

FOR SALE,

A GRIST MILL

WITH THE APPERTENANCES,

SITUATED on the Upper Hunting Creek, in Caroline County; the seat contains more than *one hundred acres.*

ALSO,

25 Acres of Timbered LAND,

WITHIN HALF A MILE OF CAMBRIDGE.

A more accurate description of the mill or land is deemed useless, as those who wish to purchase, will of course view the premises, and apply to the undersigned for terms and information. The wood land will be sold in the whole, or in lots to suit purchasers.

L. M. ROBERTSON.
april 3 tf

☞ *The Editors of the Gazette and the Star, at Easton, are requested to publish the above for six weeks, and forward their bills to this office.*

To the Voters of

DORCHESTER COUNTY.

FELLOW CITIZENS—As the time will soon arrive when you will be called on to select a suitable person to fill the office of SHERIFF for the ensuing term—I therefore beg leave to offer myself as a candidate for that office—Should you see proper to make choice of me as a suitable person, I pledge myself that nothing shall be wanting on my part, in the performance of the duties of the office, to render myself worthy of your confidence.

The public's obedient servant,
ANDREW BANNING.
april 3 tf

To the Voters of

DORCHESTER COUNTY.

FELLOW CITIZENS—As the period for the election of a new SHERIFF is fast approaching, and as no doubt there will be several candidates for your favour, the subscriber begs leave respectfully to solicit your suffrages.—He relies entirely upon the calm and unprejudiced decision of his fellow-citizens—of his qualifications it becomes not him to speak.—Having been employed to perform the duties of constable and deputy Sheriff, you have had an opportunity of estimating the extent of his qualifications. Without arrogating to himself any peculiar merit or fitness for the office to which he aspires, he will with the candour and confidence of an American freeman observe, that if you should honour him so far as to elect him your next Sheriff, not only the dictates of duty, but the warm feelings of honest gratitude will induce him to make every exertion to merit your confidence, and to perform the duties of the office, with integrity, energy and impartiality.

The public's obedient servant,
THOMAS H. HICKS.
april 3 tf

Land for Sale.

BY virtue of a decree of Dorchester County Court, will be sold on TUESDAY, the 20th instant, on the head of Church Creek, at Williams & Dixon's store, between the hours of 12 and 3 o'clock, all the real estate of which Doctor Harrison Dixon, deceased, was seized and possessed, to wit: a valuable tract of

WOODLAND,

Situated near the head of Church Creek, containing *two hundred and fifty acres.* This land is perhaps as rich as any unimproved land in the county, and most of it within about half a mile of navigable water, which together with its adjacency to the village of Church Creek, makes it valuable and desirable property; it will be sold in lots to suit purchasers. The terms of sale will be a credit of 18 months, the purchasers securing the purchase money with interest from the sale, by bond or note, with approved surities, when the whole shall be paid, a good title to the property will be conveyed by the trustee.

NOAH DIXON, *Trustee.*
april 3 3t

NOTICE

TO CREDITORS,

IN obedience to the law and the order of the honorable Orphans' Court of Dorchester county, this is to give notice, that the subscriber of Dorchester county, hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of *William Marshall*, late of said county deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof to the subscriber, on or before the sixth day of October next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 3d day of April, anno domini, 1824.

ELIZABETH MARSHALL, adm'tx.
of William Marshall, deceased.
april 3 3t†

☞ *The Editor of the Baltimore Patriot is requested to insert the above three times, and forward his bill to this office for payment.*

Fortune's Home,

Baltimore, March 26, 1824.

STILL a chance for Wealth transcendantly great!!! Every prize floating the next drawing!

Eighteenth report of the drawing of the

GRAND STATE LOTTERY,

No. 13679, a prize of	-	$100
4685, a prize of	-	50
And 198, prizes of	-	12 each

When it is recollected that out of the stupendous amount of $187,826, contained in this splendid scheme, only $2526 escaped at this drawing, it may be considered as an insignificant one indeed. The peculiar attractions of this magnificent lottery would seem to increase geometrically as the drawings progress.

Only two more drawings now remain to complete the distribution of the following brilliant prizes, all of which are now floating and of course liable to be drawn at any time, viz:

100,000 *DOLLARS,*
20,000 *DOLLARS,*
10,000 *DOLLARS,*
10,000 *DOLLARS,*
5,000 *DOLLARS,*
7 *of* 1,000 *DOLLARS, &c.*

Besides a multitude of 100s, 50s, and 12s.

Amounting in the aggregate to the overwhelming sum of 185,300 dollars! Besides the unparallled inducements which this magnificent lottery presents to adventurers, the fact that the payment of all its prizes is guaranteed by the state of Maryland, is a circumstance which entitles it to superior consideration.

For tickets and shares, of which a few remain still unsold, warranted undrawn, apply or send forthwith to

CONINE'S

No. 32, Market-street, near the Market.

Present price:

Whole Tickets	$20	Quarters	$5
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