

NOTICE

ON Monday the twenty sixth day of June next, the following tracts of land in the county of Randolph, will be exposed to public sale, at the house of Phillip South, in Kaskaskia, or so much thereof as will pay the taxes thereon. and continue during the sitting of each succeeding court until sold, or the taxes thereon paid.

<i>Present Claimant.</i>	<i>Original Claimant. Quantity.</i>	<i>Situation.</i>
Joseph Hennett entrd. by Jos. Archambeau, Joseph Archambeau same	Francis Hennett, Frs. Janis & wfei	10 arpt. in front 340 acs. from foot of hills to Mis 8 arpt. in front extending to Mis. adj. com. field 1½ art. part of nine arpt. claimed by P. Minard
William Atchison, Widow Alexis John Ash, by William Berry Jacq Baultlett same same	Peter Smith Widow A. Beauvis R. Reynolds, adm. William Berry Ant. Langlois same same same	400 acres impt. in the hills above P. D. Reeper 1 arpt. in front 34 acres from fence com. field 400 acres impt. east of the grand tower 400 acres in the forks of Muddy 1 arpt. front 34 acres in common field P. D. Q. do do do do do do adjoining the prairie
Widow Blay Shadrack Bond, jr. Widow Buyatt Christian Benk Mayrett Bentley same	Louis Laufier James Currey Etienne Page Charles Benk Raphul Beauvis same	400 acres at a place called petite pais do impt. between Plumb creek and nine mile 1 arpent in front 34 acres 400 acres improvement 1 arpt. ent. by Edgar from K. com. fence to Mis. do claimed by do 68 acres do
Antoine Bevenue Ephraim Bilderback Amos Bailey, Pie-re Boquett, his heirs of Jas. Boswell The widow Charleville Fr's. Derouffe, in right of Louis Denoyer Timothy Demumbreau, Joseph Dugy John Doyle heir of Edw. Mathews, entrd. by Jas. Gilbreath James Gilbreath for same for Louis Germain heirs of Degrace James Gilham, by John Fulton, same adn. of Isaac Hannery, same same William Hanneffe David Haley Joseph Henne same James Hagoin widow Hebert, her mother wid. Michael Lydia & Wm. Hanneffe James Hughes Joseph Herue same heirs of Jas. Scott William Kelly Jas. McRoberts entrd. by Wm. Kelly William Kelly same entrd. by Wm. Kelly for David Johnston	A. Bevenue John Sidden Amos Bailey Father James Boswell of Louis St. Pierre Widow Denoyer Frs. Demumbreau Barrois Henry Smith Ed. Mathews Godfrey Camifs Wm. McFarlad James Harris Thos. T. Gilham Saml. Findley Robt. Forsyth Thos Flannery sen. Jos. Henry dec. Abrm. Hanney dec. Thomas Hanney David Haley Jacques Henne Francis Henne William Moore Thos. Hanney John Fowler Neife Francis Herne James Scott John McClane Wm. Kelly William Kelly John M-Murtrey Gasper St. Clair, Mi- chael St. Clair Solomon Walker, Thos. Walk- er, Richard Walker	½ arpt. 17 ac. from the fence of com. field to Mis. 400 acres improvement do do at a place called the round nobb 2 arpt. 68 acres from Mississippi to hills 400 acres improvemen on Mississippi 10 arpt. front & 40 deep 340 acres w. side Kas. 2 arpt. front 68 acres ext. to Mis. Kas. prairie 5 do in depth from Mis. to hills F. C. 178 acres 400 acres improvement on the east side Kaskaskia 10 arpt. front 60 deep east side Kas. river 510 acrs 400 impt. on east side Kas. river to a spring head do do near Kaskaskia do do about six or eight miles E of Silver cr. do do on the waters of the river Marie 2 arpt. front 68 acres from com. fence to Mis. 400 acres improvement do do do on the waters of nine mile cr. do do do claimed by col. Edgar do do do thirty miles above mouth Ohio do do do on the N side Mur. island Mis. do do do on north side island do do do below the village St. Pierre do do do one mile above the river Ganne 1 arpt. wide 34 acs. from the grand cowler to hills 10 do front 340 do from hills to Mis. prairie 400 acree improvement six miles east of Kas. 2 arpents in front 68 acres 400 acres impt. below the village St. Pierre do do do E. of Kas. four miles from village 2 arpents in front sixty eight acres do do do do 250 acres impt. three miles from vil. St. Phillips 400 acres impt. on east bank Plumb creek do do do on the Vincennes road do do do near Cape St. Hommes do do do do 2000 acres impt. five rights waters of nine mile cr. 400 acres impt. American bottom do do do above Murrays station Mis. do do do above the mouth of Plumb creek do do do about six miles E. Kaskas. do do do do do do do do one & a half miles below G. Tower do do do three miles above Grand Tower do do do do do do do do on E. side Kaskaskia creek do do do do one & a half miles below C. St. H. do do do do do do do do do do
Richard Loid and } William Kelly }	Gasper St. Clair, Mi- chael St. Clair Solomon Walker, Thos. Walk- er, Richard Walker	
John Kidd Moses Laracey Richard Loid, same same same same same same Akljah Lovett same Jean Lafourard Saucier Lauvierre Jos. H. Murill, heir of J. B. Bagut G. Morgan, } some } some }	James Harris Moses Laracey John Murphy John Taylor James Taylor Thomas Kelly Thomas Griffin Eljah Rowth Robert Higgins Barnett Pumpilley same Jacques Boutelette Ant. Lauvierre Saml. Wharton, Ant. Byn- tor, George Morgan J. Battlett & wife Francis Gobdon Joseph Dubardo Thomas Chaldron same Chas. Davis Isaac Henry Louis Turpin P. Tingcon John Edgar Louis Pittit sen. Eljah Smith S. De-ke Pat. McFall F. Boquet L. Marchdown same Abm. Mirrical Wm. Whitefides David Hunter William Kelly Phillip Huff	do do do above Murrays station Mis. do do do above the mouth of Plumb creek do do do about six miles E. Kaskas. do do do do do do do do one & a half miles below G. Tower do do do three miles above Grand Tower do do do do do do do do on E. side Kaskaskia creek do do do do one & a half miles below C. St. H. do do do do do do do do do do 1 apt. front ext. from hills to Mis. P. D. Rocher 400 acres impt. on hill opposite village St. Phillips 12 apt. wide 408 acres from Mis. to hills P. Sav. three and a quarter miles long by seven acres wide about 440 acres from Mississippi to hills six acres wide 240 acres from hills to Mississippi one acre wide from hills to Mis. nine acres K. skaskia 20 acres or thereabouts in the vil. St. Phillips 5 acres with a water mill & ½ arpt. each side same 7 arpt. front 238 acres from hills to Mis. 5 do front 170 acres on Kaskaskia river four hundred acres improvement. one square acre in Kaskaskia four hundred acres improvement 40 apt. joining Kas. village 34 acres 1 arpt. 34 acres in common field 2 do front 68 acres in common field 400 acres impt. 15 miles above Kas. on E. side riv. do do do on Nine mile creek do do do on a fork of Murrays road 4½ arpents in front, 153 acres 1 arpent 6 perches front eighteen acres 400 acres impt. five miles below the river Mary do do do between Kas. & Silver creek do do do on Cox's creek do do do on the Mississippi do do do on Clarks trace to Vincennes
William Murrey same same heirs of M. Phillip ent. by The heirs of J. Pigot same Thomas Newberry M. Derouffe St. Pierre L. Peacan, alias Virbuncan, same Louis Petit jun. heirs of Eljah Smith William Wilfon same John Edgar same William Wilfon Samuel Allen David Hunter Joel Perk Robert Reynolds	Chas. Davis Isaac Henry Louis Turpin P. Tingcon John Edgar Louis Petit sen. Eljah Smith S. De-ke Pat. McFall F. Boquet L. Marchdown same Abm. Mirrical Wm. Whitefides David Hunter William Kelly Phillip Huff	

JAMES GILBREATH, Collector.

WASHINGTON CITY,
April 20.

Important.

Since the arrival of Mr. Oakley at Winghamton Mr. Smith, secretary of State, and Mr. Erskine, the British minister, have been we understand, every day engaged in discussion in relation to the points of difference between the United States and Great Britain, which, it seems, Mr. Erskine has been authorized to arrange, in virtue of powers received from his government by the British fleet of war now lying at Hampton, subject to his orders. The following notes show the happy result of these discussions.

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Washington, April 17, 1809.

SIR,
I have the honor to inform you that I have received his majesty's commands to represent to the government of the United States that his majesty is animated by the most sincere desire for an adjustment of the differences which have unhappily so long prevailed between the two countries the recapitulation of which might have a tendency to impede, if not prevent an amicable understanding.

It having been represented to his majesty's government, that the Congress of the United States, in their proceedings, at the opening of the last session, had evinced an intention of passing certain laws which place the relations of Great Britain with the United States upon an equal footing in all respects with the other belligerent powers, I have accordingly received his majesty's commands in the event of such Laws taking place, to offer, on the part of his majesty an honorable reparation for the aggression committed by a British naval officer in the attack on the United States frigate Chesapeake.

Considering the act passed by the Congress of the United States on the first of March (usually termed the non-intercourse act) as having produced a state of equality in the respect to the United States, I have to submit, conformably to instructions, for the consideration of the American government, such terms of satisfaction and reparation as his majesty is induced to believe will be accepted, in the same spirit of conciliation, with which they are proposed.

In addition to the prompt disavowal made by his majesty on being apprized of the unauthorized act, committed by his naval officer, whose recall, as a mark of the king's displeasure, from an highly important and honorable command, immediately ensued, his majesty is willing to restore the men forcibly taken out of the Chesapeake, and, if acceptable to the American government, to make a suitable provision for the unfortunate sufferers on that occasion.

I have the honor to be, with sentiments of the highest respect and consideration, Sir your most ob't humble servant.

D. M. FRISKINE.

The hon. Robert Smith,
Esqr. &c.

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Department of State.

April 17th, 1809.

I have laid before the president your note, in which you have, in the name and by the authority of his Britannic majesty, declared that his Britannic majesty, is desirous of making an honorable reparation for the aggression committed by a British officer in the attack of the United States frigate the Chesapeake: that, in addition to his prompt disavowal of the act, his majesty as a mark of his displeasure, did immediately recall the offending officer from an highly important and honorable command; and that he is willing to restore the men forcibly taken out of the Chesapeake, and if acceptable to the American government, to make a suitable provision for the unfortunate sufferers on that occasion.

The government of the United states, having at all times entertained

a sincere desire for an adjustment of the differences which have so long and so unhappily subsisted between the two countries, the president cannot but receive with pleasure, assurances that his Britannic majesty, is animated by the same disposition, and that he is ready in conformity to this proposition to make atonement for the insult and aggression committed by one of his naval officers, in the attack on the United states frigate the Chesapeake.

As it appears, at the same time, that in making this offer, his Britannic majesty derives a motive from the equality now existing in the relations of the U. states with the two belligerent powers, the president owes it to the occasion, and to himself, to let it be understood that this equality is a result incident to a state of things, growing out of distinct considerations.

With this explanation, as requisite as it is frank, I am authorised to inform you that the president accepts the note delivered by you, in the name and by the order of his Britannic majesty, and will consider the same with the engagement contained therein, when fulfilled as a satisfaction for the insult and injury of which he has complained. But I have it in express charge from the president to state, that while he forbears to insist on a further punishment of the offender, he is not the less sensible of the justice and utility of such an example, nor the less persuaded that it would best comport with what is due from his Britannic majesty to his own honor.

I have the honor to be,

With the highest consideration,

Your most ob't serv't.

Rt. Smith.

The Hon. David M. Erskine, Esq.
Envoy Extraordinary, and Minister
Plenipotentiary, of his Britannic
Majesty.

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Washington, April 18, 1809.

Sir, I have the honor of informing you that his majesty, having been persuaded that the honorable reparation which he had caused to be tendered for the unauthorized attack upon the American frigate *Cheapeake* would be accepted by the government of the U. States, in the same spirit of conciliation with which it was proposed, has instructed me to express his satisfaction, should such a happy termination of that affair take place—not only having removed a painful cause of difference, but as affording a fair prospect of a complete and cordial understanding being re-established between the two countries.

The favourable change in the relation of his majesty with the United States, which has been produced by the act (usually termed the non-intercourse act) passed in the last session of Congress, was also anticipated by his majesty, and has encouraged a further hope, that a reconsideration of the existing differences might lead to their satisfactory adjustment.

On these grounds and expectations, I am instructed to communicate to the American government, his majesty's determination of sending to the U. S. an envoy extraordinary, invested with full powers to conclude, a treaty on all the points of the relations between the two countries.

In the mean time, with a view to contribute to the attainment of so desirable an object, his majesty would be willing to withdraw his orders in council of January and November 1807, so far as respects the United States, in the persuasion that the president would issue a proclamation for the renewal of the intercourse with Great Britain, and that whatever difference of opinion should arise in the interpretation of the terms of such an agreement, will be removed in the proposed negotiation.

I have the honor to be,
 &c. &c. &c.

D. M. Erskine.

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Department of State.

April 18th, 1809.

SIR, THE note which I had the honor of receiving from you this day, I lost no time in laying before the president who being sincerely desirous of a satisfactory adjustment of the differences unhappily existing between Great Britain and the United States has authorized me to assure you,