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Letter from a Gentleman at Paris, to his Friend in London, dated August 1, 1764.

“**A** GRACIOUS to your Commands, I shall now give you my Remarks on this City, which I think to be very near a third as large as London and Westminster, and is very full of People: Its Streets are narrow, but extremely well paved and clean; but not having a Way peculiar to Foot Passengers, nor any Post to defend you from their numerous Coaches, makes it very disagreeable Walking; their Houses are five or six Story high, and all built of Free-Stone; they reckon in it above Four Hundred Hotels, such as Luxembourg, Orleans, Soubise, Thoulouse, Noailles, &c. possessed by Princes of the Blood, Nobles, Farmers General, and Others of great Fortunes. In several of those Places I have been, which for Elegance far exceed my Expectation, and it gives me Pleasure to assure you, that we have not in London so many Princely Houses as they have, and therefore not so many Beggars.

“Their public Walks, such as the Thuilleries, Luxembourg, Palais Royal, and others, are very pleasant, and they have some very fine Churches, in which one sees a Profusion of Painting, Statuary, and Monuments; but for the latter, one need not go farther than Westminster-Abbey, which excels any Thing of that Kind either in Paris, or the Kingdom of France.

“But if, Sir, you have a Mind to see the gayest Coaches in Europe, you must come hither; for such Gilding, Painting and Varnish, I will venture to say, you have never seen; and you would be equally surprized to behold the Ladies within them, who are not less Painted and Varnished than their Coaches; for nothing is more common than to see a lovely Lady here of Threescore and Ten, with Cheeks as red as a Cherry.

“And if any of your Acquaintance have too much Money, and but a little Inclination to Gaming, you may advise them to come hither, and they will be soon eased of their Cash; for, besides the Parties at every private House, there are many public Places where 2 or 3 Hundred Wretches of this Profession assemble every Day, and even at the English Coffee-House, in Rue Comedie.

“As to Intrigue and Gallantry, with all its dire Concomitants, this is the City for it; and therefore Here it is that the Idle, the Abandoned, the Debauched of every Part of Europe assemble; and I am very sorry to say that England furnishes the greatest Quota, for you would be surprized at the Number of Englishmen that are in this City, who are spending great Sums of Money, and learning Nothing but the Follies and Vices of this profligate People.

“As to their Play-Houses, they are particularly crowded on Sundays, which is also the Day of Bull and Bear Baiting. In short, it is the Region of every Vice, and where great Numbers of our Fellow-Subjects ruin both their Health and Fortunes; for as to the latter, it is enough to be known an Englishman; the People then think they have a Right to charge what they please, imagining that every Man from England comes loaded with Guineas, which indeed is the Case with many of them, and here they become Petit Maitres, adopting French Fashions, and are made Dopes to those trifling, fantastical, deceitful People; from amongst whom I hope you will, by your Persuasion, prevent as many of our Countrymen from coming as in your Power; many will thereby preserve their Health, their Fortunes, and their Morals.

“I hope soon to have the Pleasure of seeing you in London. Mean while, I am,

Your most humble Servant,

WILLIAM H. CLARENDON.”

Extract of another Letter from the same Gentleman at Rouen, in France, October 10, 1764.

“Soon after I wrote to you from Paris, I set out by the Way of Burgundy for the South of France, and in five Days arrived at Lyons, from thence to Vienna, Valence, Viviers, to Avignon;

thence through Languedoc to Nîmes, Montpellier, Bigorre, Carcassonne, Narbonne, Thoulouse; from thence to Montauban, Cahors, Quercy, Lemotin, Limoges, Guienne, La Marche, Berry, Charleferant, Romertin, Orleans to Paris, thence through Normandy, to this Place, which Tour I compute to be about 1400 Miles.

“The Country between Paris and Lyons, being 300 Miles, produces some Corn, Hemp, and Indian Wheat, having many large Woods and Waile: Its principal Production is Grapes, and you will be astonished, when I affirm, that in the Whole of that Journey, we could not get One Bottle of good Wine, although in Burgundy. As to Lyons, it is a populous and well-built City, and where the People seem to live well; from thence all the Towns and Villages on the Rhone, as far as Avignon, being 150 Miles, are very poor, where nothing else is to be had but Pigeons, Poultry and Fruit. At Avignon, Nîmes, and Montpellier, the Power of the Sun is so great, that the whole Country is burnt up, not having had any Rain for seven Months past; not an Acre of Grass in all this great Part of Languedoc, for 100 Miles together, not an Ox, Cow or Sheep to be seen; nothing Green but Olive Trees, and Vines; in short, the People live altogether on Fruit and Poultry, and very small Wines, such as we in England should call tolerable Vinegar; we were obliged to breakfast for a Month together on Fruit and a Bit of Bread; for Milk or Butter they have none, and Tea they are Strangers to.

“As to the Country People, as well as many in the Towns, they are very poor; more than half of them go barefoot all their Lives, the greatest Part of the Remainder with Wooden Shoes, and some very few with Leather.

“From Thoulouse we directed our Course Northward, and the Country about Montauban, we found very pleasant and fruitful; but Cahors the contrary: Quercy, Lemotin and Guienne, are very mountainous, but the Valleys covered with Grass, and therefore here we sometimes got a Bit of Mutton: La Marche and Berry are very level Countries, but light Soil. As we approached Orleans, the Country grew better, about which City it is very good; from thence to Paris it is tolerable: But the Province of Normandy, in which I now am, is the best in the Kingdom, and which is the principal Support of Paris: It is a Country extremely like England: In short Normandy and French Flanders are the only fruitful and desirable Countries that I have seen in this extensive Kingdom, and the French have often observed to me, what I found to be true, that where Vines prosper scarce any Thing else will.

“In short, taking one general View of the whole of this Kingdom, but particularly the South of it, I assure you I have not seen poorer People in any Part of the World, nor any with more dejected Countenances, but they are ruled with a Rod of Iron; for between the King, and the Church, the Farmers of the Revenue, and the Nobles, they divide the Property of the State, the whole Nation abject Slaves, and in the lowest State of Poverty and Misery.

“I still therefore always believe it a malicious Falshood, which I have often heard asserted in England, which is, that Great-Britain sent a Person hither, amidst all her Triumphs, to solicit a Peace from this beggarly Nation; amongst whom, I hope you will prevent as many of our Countrymen from coming, so spend their Money and learn their Vices, as in your Power; and to assure them, that they do not only live under the Best Laws, are the Freest People, but also possess the finest Country in Europe, and where I hope very soon to partake those Blessings with them. Believe me always to be, SIR,

Your most humble Servant,

WILLIAM H. CLARENDON.”

We are credibly informed from Sunderland, that one Edward Softly, of Bowdon Park Gate, having by his Frugality and Industry, scraped together 20 Guineas and two Crown Pieces, put the same into a Purse, which he enclosed in a Tinder-Box, and hid in a Hole of the Chimney, where it remained a long Time undiscovered; but upon going

one Day last Week to turn it over, or lay it to the Sun to prevent it from moulding or tarnishing, he to his great Astonishment found a Hole made in the Bottom of the Tinder-Box, and the Purse and Money both lost. The Surprise, together with the Thoughts of the Loss, had such an Effect on the poor Man that he immediately fell into Despair, and in his own Opinion would have expired in a few Days, had it not been discovered by the extraordinary Diligence of his Wife; who, in canvassing the several Holes and Corners of the House, found the Purse amongst divers Pieces of Cloth, which the Rats had gleaned and heaped up in a Corner; and who, upon Search, found the Gold and Crown Pieces in several Holes of the Wall, which were supposed to be conveyed there also by these Gentry. The Man was no sooner informed of this than he instantly plucked up his Spirits, gave a Guinea to the Poor of the Parish, and is now in a fair Way of Recovery.

A young Fellow, of the City of Bristol, being in London lately, was, out of Curiosity, led to see the Lunatics confined in Bedlam: His first approach was to the Cell of a poor Man, to whom he addressed himself thus: “*So Ho! What brings Thee here?*” The miserable Object remaining silent, he repeated his Question, and was answered only by a languishing Look, which so enraged the Visitant, that he immediately spit in his Face thro’ the Grate; this caused him to gently wipe his Face with a Wisp of Straw, and raising his drooping Head, he made him this calm, sage, and sensible Reply, “*Because GOD, Sir, deprived me of that Blessing which you never enjoyed.*”

Extract of a Letter from an English Gentleman at Rome to his Brother in London, July 14, 1764.

“I like Rome extremely well, there are so many magnificent Palaces, fine Gardens, and their Churches are the richest and grandest in all the World. I did not come to Rome for nothing, for the Pope has given me his Benediction several Times, which without doubt would make me very happy if I could think like an Italian; but, as it is, I prefer a Bottle of good Florence Wine to all the Blessings which I could receive from his Holiness, and the whole Conclave of Cardinals. I must not omit giving you a Bit of News, not less true than extraordinary: About 3 Days ago the Pope, his Life Guards, and other Attendants, made a grand Procession to St. Peter’s; but unfortunately, on their Return, there arose such a Storm of Wind, Rain, Thunder, and Lightning, as I never before saw in my Life; it put the Pope’s Guards into such a Fright that they who were on Horseback rode away as fast as they could, and they that had no Horses ran for it as fast as their Legs could carry them. The Pope had six Horses to his Carriage; the two Postillions cut the Harness of four Horses, and joined the Rest of the flying Party, leaving, like undutiful Children, their Most Holy Father with no other Attendant than the Coachman, and two Horses to draw the Carriage, which is larger than our King’s. A Man that supported a fine Golden Cross on Horseback before the Pope endeavouring to make a precipitate Retreat, was thrown down, Horse and all; but recovered with no other Damage than his Fright, and the Mortification of seeing some very severe Contusions on his Cross. The Romans are much chagrined about this Circumstance, and say that it will afford Matter of much Satisfaction to the Hereticks.”

Inscription on a DOG.

“**C**alm, tho’ not mean, courageous without Rage, Serious, not dull, and without thinking Sage; Pleas’d at the Lot that Nature has assign’d, I snarl at Will, and freely Bark my Mind: As Churchman, wrangle not with Jarring Spite, Nor, Statesman like, carelling whom I Bite: View all the canine Kind with equal Eyes, I dread no Mastiff, and no Cur despise. True from the first, and faithful to the End, I bark no Mistress, and forsake no Friend: My Days and Nights one equal Tenour keep, Rise but to eat, and only wake to sleep. Thus seal thro’ harmless Life, and live in peace, A very plish and downright honest DOG.”

Saturday last arrived here the Brig *Nancy*, Capt. Robert Bryce, in 11 Weeks from Cork.

On the 28th of February, Capt. Bryce spoke with the Brig *Hope*, — *Bedon*, from Barbados for Philadelphia, had been out 18 Days: All Well.

Last Week Died, at his Plantation in Prince-George's County, Mr. WILLIAM BRANES; in his Eighty-second Year of Life: Born in this Province, was always Esteem'd and Respected, as he maintain'd the Character of an upright, just and honest Man. He has left a Widow, nearly of his own Age, who was the Wife of his Youth, and with whom he lived agreeably Fifty-seven Years.

We cannot learn, after the strict Enquiry, that any one Person has been taken down with the SMALL-POX since our last; nor that any one Person is now down with that Distemper in Town: This it is certain several have been inoculated, in Three or Four Houses in Town, and may expect it in a few Days; and it is probable it will spread. It is said, That the November County Court, which was adjourn'd to Monday next, will be adjourn'd to Mr. Lane's, at the *Vineyard*, instead of sitting at the Court-House, on account of the Small-Pox.

A List of the LETTERS remaining in the Post-Office, at Annapolis, March 5, 1765.

ANTHONY STEWART, D. P. Mr.

- A. Margaret Adams, Bladenburg. Reverend Henry Addison, Charles County.
 - B. William Balmain, Frederick Co. 2 Letters. Robert Bedy, Oxford. Thoms Burrell, Patowmehk. Monf. Bizeoe, Maryland. Robert Buchan, Piscataway. Messrs William Williams and James Boardly, Wye River.
 - C. Richard Cooper, Cambridge. John Carstrell, Choptank Bridge. 2. Robert Carstrellbank, Kent County. Thomas Clayland, Wye River. 2. Alexander Crabbin, Kent Co. Zachariah Campbell, Nanticoke. John Cox, Princess-Anne Town. Roderick Cheyne, Maryland. The Collector and Comptroller of Potomack. Daniel Chemair, Annapolis.
 - D. William Dames, Queen-Anne's. Benj. Dawson, Piscataway. Joseph Dobson, Fr. George's. John Drycall, Bohemia. Robert Davison, Sussex County. John Hammond Dorsey, Gunpowder.
 - E. Kirtion Effices, Charles-Town.
 - F. Joseph Fortman, Broad-Creek. Henry Fithgins, Balt.
 - G. John Green, Chester. George Garnett, Chester. Rveryd Ghilkin, Annapolis. 2. Thomas Glenn, Fred.
 - H. Samuel Hill, Maryland. David Hay, Charles County. James Henry, Accomack County. Patrick Heffernan, North America. John Henry, Dorchester County.
 - I. Dr. Henry Jerrogan, St. Mary's County.
 - K. William Kington, & Co. St. Mary's County.
 - L. Christopher Lowndes, Bladenburg. Thomas Littleton, Annapolis. Rev. Francis Lander, St. Mary's Co.
 - M. Thomas Mathis, St. Mary's Co. Joseph Mullen, Patuxent River. 3 L. Robert Mundell, Port-Tobacco. Martin M'Grath, Pipe-Creek. Samuel Mead, London County. Edmond Moran, Port-Frederick. Elizabeth Mills, Frederick County. Andrew M'Ghee, Choptank. Samuel M'Cadash, Nottingham. Gideon M'Cauley, Annapolis.
 - N. William Newton, Frederick County.
 - R. John Ross, Talbot Co. Nathaniel Ramsay, Worcester County. Charles Rabotesau, Frederick Co. 2. Francis Richardson, Queen's-Town. Tho. and Wm. Ringgold, Chester.
 - S. Wm. Stewart, Annapolis. Benj. Sklaner, Nottingham. James Sarelor, Nottingham.
 - T. Adam Thompson, Schoolmaster, Maryland. Mr. Thompson, Chester-Town. John Thompson, Bladenburg. Edmond Turner, Bladenburg. George Toural-vill, Pipe-Creek.
 - U. John Underwood, Chester.
 - V. Joshua Vanant, Kent County.
 - W. Planner Williams, Somerset Co. John Williams, Annapolis. 4. Tho. Wiley, Patuxent River. Elizabeth Wells, Annapolis. Capt. Waters, Dundee, Maryland. George Wheeler, Patuxent River.
- N. B. Any of the above Letters, remaining in the Office the 5th Day of April, will be sent back to the General Post-Office.

JUST IMPORTED, in the Brigantine Nancy, from Liverpool, but last from Cork, and to be SOLD.

A Quantity of FINE SALT, best *Cheshire* CHEESE, Earthen Ware, the best *Cork* Mells Tierce BEEF, fine *Rose* and *Violet* *Brill* BUTTER, OATMEAL, Seed and Eating *Brill* POTATOES, and a few SERVANTS.

Also, the usual Assortment of European and India GOODS. Likewise, to be Charter'd, the Whole or Part of the said Brigantine NANCY.

(*) WILLIAM ROBERTS.

N. B. He will give a Bushel of SALT for a Bushel and Half of CORN.

JUST IMPORTED from LONDON, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store at the Head of the Dock in Annapolis, where Capt. Ward formerly kept Store.

A LARGE Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable for the Season, on very reasonable Terms, by Wholesale or Retail, for ready Money, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit.

COLIN CAMPBELL.



THE Brigantine *Pen-maine*, JOHN MCKIRDY, Master, now lying in the Dock at Annapolis, is fitted out with all Expedition for Sea, and will, by the Middle of next Month, be ready to proceed to any River on the Western or Eastern Shore, where a Certainty can be had of her getting Loaded soon. She will carry 350 Hogheads, and is a prime Sailer. She will take in Tobacco at Seven Pounds Sterling per Ton, with Liberty of Confinement to any Merchant in *London*. Those Gentlemen who have a Mind to take the Advantage of so early an Opportunity to Market, are desired to send a Line to the Subscribers of the Quantity they are willing to Ship, and the Time they can be ready.

(*) CHARLES WALLACE & Company.

NOTICE is hereby given to the several Creditors of Mr. REGINALD GRAHAME, That he has Conveyed all his Estate, Effects, Debts, &c. in Trust to his greatest Creditors, DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME, JAMES FORBES, and STEPHEN WEST, for the Use of the Trustees, and all the Rest of the Creditors. It is hoped there will be no great Loss, if the Creditors agree, and Mr. GRAHAME is not run to further Law Charges. The Creditors are desired to meet at Upper-Mariborough on Tuesday the 26th of March with their respective Claims, or empower some Person to act for them. The Deed is Recorded in the Provincial Office.

(*) 1 p 10/ R.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, A CONVICT SERVANT MAN, who has upwards of Six Years to serve, and is a Shoemaker by Trade.

Likewise about Ten Thousand Weight of Seal and Upper Leather (as good as any made in America); a Quantity of Tann'd Sheep skins, fit for Saddlers Use; a large Quantity of ready made Shoes and Boots; Train Oil, Lampblack, Copperas, and most Sorts of Things that are made use of in the Shoemaking Way, very Cheap, by

THOMAS HYDE.

N. B. The Subscriber desires all those that are any Way indebted to him, to make Payment, and hopes they will take this for a Demand.

To be SOLD, on the first Tuesday of April next, at the House of ORLANDO SMITH, in Prince-George's County, near Bladenburg,

TWO Hundred Acres of LAND, to be entered upon next Fall. Also, Four Negroes, a Cart and Yoke of Oxen, sundry Household Goods, and Stock of Horses and Cattle.

(*) 1 p 5/ 9. DAVID ROSS.

To be SOLD, on Monday the 18th of this Instant March, on the Premises, 1 p 5/ 5

PART of a Tract of LAND called *Burditt's* *Rest*, containing about Three Hundred and Twenty-five Acres, lying in *Charles* County, on or near the Head of a Branch of *Nanjemy* Creek, commonly called *Burditt's* Creek, about 3 or 4 Miles from *Nanjemy* Shipping and Warehouse, 6 or 7 Miles from the Church, and 13 or 14 from *Port-Tobacco*. Time will be given for Part of the Purchase Money, on giving Bond, and good Security. Tobacco will be taken in Part Payment, if the Price can be agreed on: The Land is incumbered with a Lease. *BURDITT* HAMILTON.

COMMITTED to the Custody of the Sheriff of *Calvert* County, on the 12th of February last, NEGRO SUE, the Property of Mr. Joseph Taylor, who will be Sold to the Highest Bidder (pursuant to his Advertisement published in this Gazette on the 6th of December last) on Wednesday the 20th of this Instant March, at *Princk-Frederick* Town, at Two o'Clock.

TRUMAN SKINNER.

WILLIAM LOGAN, HAVING furnished himself with the best of LIQUORS, hereby acquaints the Public, that he has opened TAVERN, at the House where the late Mr. Robert Swan kept Store, where all Gentlemen Travellers, and Others, who will favour him with their Custom, may depend on meeting with the best Entertainment, and the kindest Usage.

He carries on his Business of Peruke-Making as usual, at his old Shop, next Door to Mr. *Hammill's* near the Dock in Annapolis, where Gentlemen may be supplied with all Sorts of Wigs, made in the newest Fashion.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of *John Smith*, late of the North Side of *Severn*, Deceased, are desired to come and make immediate Payment to the Subscriber: And all those that have any just Claims against the said Estate, are desired to bring them in legally Proved, to

N. B. I have a Quantity of Sail Cloth, which I would sell cheap, for Cash.

N. B.

RAN away, the 13th of January last, from the Subscriber, living near Upper-Mariborough, in Prince-George's County, a Country-born Servant Man, named *William Blackfield*, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, a pert, fresh looking, young Fellow, about 21 or 22 Years of Age, wears his own Hair, tied behind, which is very black, and has a bad Impediment in his Speech. Had on when he went away, a Bearskin Coat, with a Velvet Cape, a blue Cloth Jacket, old Leather Breeches, new Shoes, and mill'd Worsted Stockings. He was an Orphan Boy brought up by one Mr. *Davis* on *Elk Ridge*, and from thence removed near *Bladenburg*, where he was under the Necessity of becoming a Servant.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him home, or secures him in any Jail, so as his Master may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, paid by

(*) HENRY BROOKES.

Virginia, February 27, 1765.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on *Rappahannock* River, on Friday Night the 15th Instant, Three Servant Men, imported last Summer in the *Molly*, from *London*, viz.

John Morris, a Grocer and Farmer, about 35 Years old, and 5 Feet 10 Inches high, stoops as he walks, of a fair Complexion, thin faced, very slow in his Speech. Had on when he went away, a Bearskin Jacket and Breeches lined with white Plaiding, trimm'd with black Horn Buttons, old Velvet Cap, and a Worsted one, notwithstanding his own Hair, which is not very long; and has a Wig with him, Plaid Stockings, and Country-made Shoes.

James Platts, by Trade a Gardener, about 30 Years old, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, well made, and very talkative. Had on when he went away, a Bearskin Jacket and Breeches lined with white Plaiding, trimm'd with black Horn Buttons, old brown Cut Wigs, Felt Hat, brown Linen Shirt, Plaid Stockings, and Country-made Shoes.

John Wood, a Sailor, about 40 or 40 odd Years old, of a dark Complexion, 5 Feet 8 Inches high. Had on when he went away, a Felt Hat, old grey Cut Wigs, blue Farnought Jacket, with black Horn Buttons, Cotton Drawers, old brown Linen Trowsers, brown Linen Shirt, Plaid Stockings, and Country-made Shoes.

The above Men stole a Boat cycled in the Inside. She was built for a Ferry Boat, and will carry 4 Horses in smooth Water. She is now pretty old, has had several Pieces of Plank put in her Bottom, built low, and very broad. They also stole and carried in her, a new Cast Chimney Back, 3 or 4 new Pails, Abundance of Rugs and Blankets, some of which I have room to think they will make use of for a Sail, and by what I can learn from my Servants, they used frequently to be talking of *Philadelphia*, where, I am told, *Wood* has been; therefore am inclined to think they will endeavour getting there, either by crossing the Bay to the Eastern Shore, or going along the Western Side under the Shore.

Whoever takes up the above Servants, and delivers them to me on *Rappahannock* River, shall have Five Pounds Reward, if taken in this Colony: If out of it, Five Pounds for each, and so in Proportion for as many as are taken.

The Boat would also be worth a Premium the delivering her to

(*) *Major James* ARCHIBALD RITCHIE.

Baltimore County, near *Soldier's Delight*, Nov. 16. WILLIAM FERROL, who was taken up on Suspicion of Horric-Stealing, run away and left at the Subscriber's Plantation, a Bay Horse about 15 Hands 3 Inches high, branded on the near Buttock with something like an R, paces slow, has a bob Tail, cut Mane, some Saddle Spots, and is shod before.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

ALEXANDER WELLS.

N. B. *William Ferrol* confessed that the above Horse was Stolen from near *Fredericksburg* in *Virginia*.

March 7, 1765.
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inside and out, painted red, her Bottom also red;
the Planks on one Side of her Stern are started.
Whoever takes up the said Boat, and delivers
her to Mr. Jonas Green at Annapolis, shall have
Thirty Shillings for their Trouble.

HENRY LOWES, junior.

RAN away on the 25th of February last, one
George Gibbins, Son of George, an Indented
servant belonging to the Subscriber, living near
the Eastern Branch of Patowmack; he is a thick
well-set Fellow, about 28 Years of Age, wears
his own Hair, his fore Finger of one of his Hands
is considerably larger than any other of his Fingers,
an idle drunken Fellow, by Trade a Hoofe Car-
penter and Joiner, understands the Cooper's Trade
and Shoemaking, and is a good Hand in a Ship
Yard, and about 5 Feet 7 Inches high. He had
on a light Frize Coat, with Brass Buttons, an old
Check Shirt, a Pair of blue flower'd Everlasting
Breeches, Country made Shoes and Stockings, and
a Leather Apron. He took with him a Ship Car-
penter's Broad Ax. His Father lives in Prince-
George's County, about 2 Miles from the Brick
Church.

Whoever apprehends the said Servant, and de-
livers him to the Subscriber, or confines him in
any County Jail, so that his Master may have him
again, shall have Three Pounds Reward, paid by
WILLIAM HOWARD.

Town Furnace, Maryland, February 4, 1765.

RAN away from the Subscriber, an English
Servant Man, named William Hules, speaks
the West Country Dialect; has been about 8 Years
in the Country, of low Stature, short black Hair:
Had on when he went away, a blue Broadcloth
Coat, with white Metal Buttons, an Osnabrig
Shirt, Trowers made of Ravens Duck, old Hat
and Stockings, and a new Pair of Shoes.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, so that his
Master may have him again, shall have Twenty
Shillings Reward, if taken within 20 Miles of the
said Furnace; if above that Distance Thirty Shil-
lings, and reasonable Charges, paid by

BENJAMIN SWOPE.

N. B. It is expected the abovemention'd Servant
may stop about the Head of Severn, as it is said he
has a Brother-in-Law lives near that Place, by
Trade a Sail-maker. *Wm. W. Bush*

THERE is at the Plantation of Joseph Darby,
in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a
dark Bay Mare, about 12½ Hands high, branded
on the near Shoulder and Buttock W, has a Blaze
in her Face, paces naturally, and is about 5 or 6
Years old.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his
Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Nicholas Orrick,
in Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray,
a small, black, trotting Horse, branded on the
near Buttock thus @, a bob Tail, a few white
Hairs in his Forehead, is shod before, and had a
small Bell on.

The Owner may have him again, on proving
his Property, and paying Charges.

THE Subscribers being confined in Dorchester
County Jail, for sundry Sums of Money
and Tobacco, without any Hopes of Enlargement,
give this public Notice to all their Creditors, That
they intend to apply to the next General Assembly
for an Act for their Relief and Enlargement.

GEORGE COX,
SAMUEL KINIMONT.

A Quantity of SALT, to be Sold, on board
the Brig *Free-Mason*, lying in ANNAPOIS
Dock, on reasonable Terms, by

CHARLES WALLACE, & Co.

On Thursday the 14th Day of March, will be exposed
to Sale, at the Plantation late in the Occupation of
James Poore, of Calvert County, Deceased, for
Sterling, or Current Money,

THE Stock of NEGROES, Horses, Hogs,
Sheep, and Cattle, together with the Houf-
hold Furniture, Plantation Utensils, and other
the Estate of the said James Poore, by

CHARLES GRAHAM.

The Sale to begin at XII o'Clock, and conti-
nue till all are Sold,

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, on
the Twelfth Day of March next, at the Planta-
tion of Sarah Elliott, near the Head of South
River, for Sterling Cash, Bills of Exchange, or
Current Money,

FOUR valuable Country-born SLAVES, con-
sisting of a Man about 23 Years of Age, a
Woman that is well acquainted with Household
and Plantation Work, a Girl of 12 Years of Age,
and a Boy of 10. (21) SARAH ELLIOTT.

Baltimore-Town, February 7, 1765.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of Messrs.
Sydenham and Hodgson, are desired to pay
the same to the Subscriber, who is fully empowered
to receive it, and design to attend here on Pur-
pose till the Provincial Court in April next.

GARLAND BRITTON.

Kingston, Clappan River, Feb. 25, 1765.

CAPT. HENRY LINDALL, of the Beigantine
Grizelle, having, before his Departure from
Wicomico River, for London, in November last,
left under my Care, to be delivered to the Owner
when call'd for, Two Parcels, viz.

A Matted Bundle, mark'd HL Stores, contain-
ing *Hampshire* LINES, and SAIL TWINE:
A Hothead without Mark or Number, contain-
ing EARTHEN-WARE:

I do hereby give Notice, that if said Goods are
not applied for, on or before the First of April
next, the same will be disposed of for the Benefit
of the Owners, unknown.

(24) ANDREW MEIN.

To be LET, LEAS'D, or SOLD.

THE Dwelling-House in ANNAPOIS, where
JOHN JEUDY lately Lived, together with a
small Brew-house, and all Necessaries for
carrying on that Business, and a Quantity of Malt,
with a good Stable, a large Garden, a Hop-yard,
and a Spot of Meadow, which will be sold toge-
ther or separate, as Parties can agree.

Likewise, a small Shallop to be sold very rea-
sonable, for Terms apply to William Yeldell.

Also, to be Let, a very good Plantation, lying
in Frederick County, Virginia, six Miles from
Seweridge's Ferry, whereon is a good Dwelling-
house, Kitchen, Milk-house, Still-house, Stables,
and Barns, with a great Quantity of Meadow, and
all good Plow Land, 18 Acres with Wheat and
Rye, and a good Orchard.

For Terms enquire of Christian Ourendorff, in
Anti-Eatam; or, John Jeudy, at Whiteball.

AS I find myself under an indispensable Necessi-
ty of Collecting all Arrearages due to me
as late Sheriff of Frederick County, I take this
Method to acquaint such Persons as live in the
distant Counties, and Others concerned, That I
will attend for that Purpose, at the House of Mr.
William Reynolds in Annapolis, during the first and
second Weeks of the ensuing Provincial Court;
and I flatter myself that those who are disposed to
act justly, will then settle their several Accounts
with me, as no further Indulgence can or will be
given. This public Notice and Appointment, are
intended, as well to prevent the frivolous Excuses
of being unprovided, losing the Accounts, calling
again, &c. &c. as to suit the Convenience
of the several Debtors; it is therefore hoped those
Gentlemen, whose Affairs may not require their
personal Attendance at the Provincial Court, will
transmit their Balances by some Friend or Neigh-
bour, as Opportunities at the above public Time
may be easily met with, unless by such as are in-
clined to be ignorant of them. As I am deter-
mined that no Complaisance to any Persons what-
ever, shall induce me to sacrifice my own Credit,
or suffer that of my Securities to be impeached,
those who neglect paying a proper Regard to this
Advertisement, may depend on seeing one more
to the Purpose. THOMAS PRATNER, late Sheriff
of Frederick County.

Baltimore County, February 4, 1765.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, at
Public Vendue, at the House of Abraham Andrews
near the Premises, on the first Monday in April

ATRACT of LAND containing Five
Hundred ACRES, called and known by
the Name of *Darvall's Silvinia*, lying on the
Great Falls of Gunpowder River, and about Five
Miles from the Nottingham Iron-Works.

Any Person inclinable to purchase, may be
shown the Land before the Day of Sale, and be
acquainted with the Title and Terms, by apply-
ing to

(27) WILLIAM YOUNG.

Will be Exposed to Sale, at the next Provincial
Court in April, for Ready Money or Bills of
Exchange only.

THE HORSE called TANNER, lately be-
longing to Mrs. Harrison in England, and
Imported last Summer in the *John and Daniel*,
Capt. John Carling. He is about 15 Hands and
an Inch high, of a dark brown Colour, and his
Figure, by the best Judges, allow'd to be equal,
if not superior, to any ever Imported into the Pro-
vince. His Pedigree is too high to want the least
Recommendation, and for his Performances the
Reader is refer'd to *Hester's Book of Racing* in
1761 and 62.

Likewise, To be Let, The Subscriber's House
in Annapolis, with a large Garden, Lot, Coach-
House, Stabling for Four Horses, and a Back
Warehouse 80 Feet in Length. Also the Wind-
Mill and Warehouses situated near Mrs. Bullen's.
For further Particulars, enquire of *Walter Delany*,
Esq; in Annapolis, or of

DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME.

TWELVE Hundred Bushels of INDIAN
CORN at Two Shillings and Six Pence
per Bushel; also Two Hundred of WHEAT at
Four; which may be purchased of the Subscriber,
near *Lower-Mariborough*, for Ready Money.

(26) JOHN HAMILTON SMITH.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of Col.
JOHN ADDISON, late of Prince-George's
County, Deceased, are requested to make
speedy Payment: And all those who have any leg-
al Claims on the said Deceased's Estate, are deli-
vered to bring in their respective Claims, that they
may be adjusted and paid.

(21) THOMAS ADDISON, junr. Executor.

ALL Persons Indebted to the late Partnership
of Buchanan and Hughes, of Baltimore-Town,
are hereby desired to make Payment to
William Buchanan (the surviving Partner) by the
first Day of May next, or come and settle their
Accounts with him, and procure longer Title by
giving Bond for their respective Balances; other-
wise they may expect to be sued without further
Notice. And those who have any Demands a-
gainst the said Partnership, are likewise requested
to bring them in, that they may be adjusted.

Also all Persons Indebted to the Estate of Bu-
chanan Hughes, late of Baltimore-Town, deceased,
or to the Anti-Eatam Company, are desired to
make speedy Payment to the Subscribers. Those
who neglect discharging their Accounts, or giving
Bond, may, after the first Day of May next, ex-
pect to be sued without farther Notice. Those
who have any Demands against the said Estate,
are desired to bring them in, and they shall be
adjusted, by

WILLIAM BUCHANAN;
DANIEL HUGHES;
SAMUEL HUGHES; } Executors.

Charles County, February, 1765.
To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,
on Wednesday the 13th of March, being the festival
Day of Court; at the House of Benjamin Philpot,
in Port-Tobacco, for Ready Sterling Money, or
good London Bills of Exchange,

FIFTEEN Country-born SLAVES, viz.
a lusty, likely Cook Wench, about 36 Years
of Age, who understands Kitchen Affairs very
well, and is likewise a good Spinster; three other
Wenches, very little turned or 20 Years old, all
very likely, have been brought up to Plantation
Business, can Plough well, and cut pretty well
with an Ax; two able Fellows, about 23 Years of
Age, that have likewise been used to all Manner of
Plantation Business, one of 'em an exceeding good
Carman; three pretty Boys, from 9 to 12 Years of
Age, which have been used to waiting at Table,
and riding of Errands; and six Children.

The Sale to begin at II o'Clock.

(24) FRANCIS WARE.

THIS is to give Notice to the several Creditors
of Messrs. Alexander and Andrew Symmer,
That they have conveyed all their Real and Person-
al Estates, of which they were seized and possessed,
in Trust, for the Use of the Trustee, and the Rest
of their several Creditors. And whatever Creditor
inclines to know the Trusts, may be informed of
them by applying to Edmund Key.

And all Persons Indebted to the Estates of the
said Alexander and Andrew Symmer, are desired to
make immediate Payment to Mr. Samuel Hughes,
who will give constant Attendance at the late Store-
House kept in Upper-Mariborough by Nicholas
Symmer.



A NEW SCHOONER.
of about 30 Tons Bur-
then, a prime Sailer, and com-
pletely rigged: At also a like-
ly **NEGRO MAN**, who has
been bred to the Water, and is
a good Pilot.

BENJAMIN MAYBURY.

THE Subscribers having set up the **BLOCK-
MAKER'S BUSINESS**, at the late Mr.
Lill's, on the Dock in Annapolis, hereby give
Notice to the Public, That they may be supplied
with all Sorts of **BLOCKS** and **PUMPS** for
Ships, &c. &c. at the most reasonable Rates,
and on the shortest Notice. Such as will favour
them with their Custom, will confer a particular
Obligation on *Their most humble Servants*,

BENJAMIN MAYBURY,
JOHN GREEN.

CLINT, WEST ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

January 31, 1765.

TO BE SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, by
the Subscriber, Executor of the Last Will and
Testament of John Colvill, Gentleman, deceased,
and pursuant to the said Will, on the 8th Day
of May next ensuing, at the House of Mr. Arthur
Charles, in Frederick-Town, in Frederick
County, Maryland, for Sterling Money, Bills of
Exchange, or Current Money of Pennsylvania,
Maryland, or Virginia, at the current Rates of
Exchange.

A VERY valuable Tract of **LAND** called
Maryland, containing 6306 Acres, being
and lying in the said County of Frederick, along
the lower Side of the Shenandoe Mountain, and the
Banks of Potomac River, within 12 or 13 Miles
of the said Frederick-Town and Court-House, where
great Trade and Business is carried on. It is very
convenient for a Dutch Settlement, as many of
these People live on the neighbouring Lands about
it: Is well Wooded and Watered, and near to
two large Iron-Works. It will be Sold all together,
or in Parcels, as may best suit. A Year's Credit
will be given for one Half of the Purchase Money
(if desired) upon giving good Security, and paying
Interest. A Plat of the said Tract will be left at
the House of Mr. Charles aforesaid, together with
an authentic Copy of the Will of the said John
Colvill.

THOMAS COLVILL.

N.B. This Tract was advertised in the *Mary-
land Gazette* of the 12th September last, to be sold
on the 24th of April next, but as that will happen
in the Time of the Provincial Court; it is therefore
postponed to the Time aforesaid. (1)

THE Subscribers beg Leave to inform the
PUBLIC, That they have lately Erected,
at **BALTIMORE-TOWN**, in **MARYLAND**,
a **DISTILLERY** for making **RUM**; which,
(by many good Judges who have seen it) is allow-
ed to be one of the largest, completest and best
constructed **STILL-HOUSE** of any in **NORTH-
AMERICA**: And having furnished themselves with
an expert **DISTILLER**, and a plentiful Stock of
MOLASSES, they purpose to carry on the **DIS-
TILLING BUSINESS** extensively, and to sup-
ply constantly the Demand for Home made **RUM**,
at nearly the same as the *Philadelphia* Prices, at
least on much lower Terms than the Province of
MARYLAND has been generally supplied with that
Article. The **RUM** already made by them has
been highly approved by the best Judges, and
decided superior to either *Philadelphia* or *New-
England* **RUM**; and they hope to give Satisfaction
to the Public, as well as maintain their own Repu-
tation, by continuing to make always of the same
approved Quality.

As this Undertaking is so well calculated to
promote the general Trade of the Province, and
so convenient for supplying the Country Traders,
Farmers, &c. who bring their Produce to *Balti-
more* Market, as well as to promote the private
Emolument of the Owners; it is hoped the Public
will give proper Encouragement to a Branch of
Trade so useful, and so much wanted in the Pro-
vince.

Any Gentlemen wanting Quantities of **RUM**
for Exportation, by giving timely Notice may
be supplied, and proper Allowance made to such,
by *Their humble Servants*,

SAMUEL & ROBERT PURVIANCE, & Comp.

NATHANIEL ADAMS, BLOCK-MAKER.

HAVING supplied himself with the best of
Liquors, and having good Stabling, hereby
gives Notice to the Public, That he has opened
TAVERN, at his House near the Dock, in
ANNAPOLIS, where all Gentlemen Travellers,
and Others, who are so kind as to favour him
with their Custom, will meet with the best of
Ulage, and the kindest Entertainment, from
Their humble Servant,

Their humble Servant,

(1) **NATHANIEL ADAMS.**
N.B. He carries on all the Branches of the
BLOCK-MAKER'S BUSINESS as usual.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from *Deer-Creek*, in the upper Part
of *Baltimore* County, *Abraham Everhart*
Taylor, a German, speaks broken English very
quick, something like the Neutral French, about
5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a dark Complexion, and
black Hair. Had on when he went away, a blue
Surtout Coat; his other Cloaths not known, as he
had several Suits with him belonging to Gentlemen
who had given him Cloth to make up, and car-
ried away with him a Quantity of blue Broadcloth,
and Trimmings, the Number of Yards not known.
He rode a remarkable small, pretty, black Horse.

Whoever takes up and secures the said *Everhart*,
so that he may be had again, and gives Informa-
tion to the Subscriber near *Deer-Creek*, shall receive
the above Reward, and reasonable Charges.

NATHANIEL JOHN GILES.

ANNAPOLIS, February 6, 1765.

TO BE SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE,
by the Subscriber, on Wednesday the 13th Day of
March next, at 11 o'Clock, at the House of Mr.
Reynolds in Annapolis, agreeable to the Last
Will and Testament of Col. Benjamin Tasker,
Deceased.

ONE FIFTH SHARE of the **BALTIMORE
IRON-WORKS**, consisting of a **FUR-
NACE**, Two **FORGES** complete, and another
FORGE now Erecting; together with One Fifth
Share of all the **LANDS**, **IMPROVEMENTS**,
NEGROES, **CATTLE**, and Other **STOCK**,
belonging to the said **WORKS**. Time will be
allowed for Payment of Half the Money, if the
Purchaser desires it, upon his giving good Security
for paying the same with Interest. Any Person
inclined to purchase, or desirous to see the said
Works, or to receive any Information concerning
them, may apply to Mr. *Clement Bracks*, Clerk
at the Furnace, or to Mr. *James Franklin*, and *John
Walsh*, Clerks of the different Forges.

BENJAMIN TASKER.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Subscriber, on
Bond, Note of Hand, or Book Account, are
requested to come, settle and pay their re-
spective Balances, on or before the first of April
next, or they may expect to be Sued and War-
ranted, without further Notice.

JOSEPH COWMAN.

THE Subscriber has now opened his **TAN-
YARD** at **UPPER-MARLBOROUGH**, and
will take in **HIDES** to **TAN** against the Middle
of March, at the following Rates, viz. Sole Hides
at Five Shillings, Upper Ditto Tanned and Curried
at Eight Shillings each Hide. As they will be
Tanned whole, without stitching, they can be cut
out to more Advantage in Shoes, or any other Use.
He will give Ready Cash for Hides and Skins of
all Kinds. He has for Sale a Parcel of Goat-Skins,
which make exceeding good Chair Bottoms; also
some Shoes and Check Handkerchiefs, at the low-
est Rates. (1) X^B **THOMAS ALLAN.**

Part-Lobacco, January 14, 1765.

THE Subscriber intending to decline keeping
PUBLIC HOUSE on the first of May next,
desires all Persons Indebted to him, to settle their
Accounts, by Cash, Tobacco, or Bonds, by the
Fifteenth of March next, otherwise he will be
necessitated, in his own Defence, to oblige them;
and all those who fail, may depend on being Sued
or Warranted, as the several Debts require (with-
out Respect of Persons); which will be very dis-
agreeable to

Their very humble Servant,

(1) **BENJAMIN PHILLFOTT.**
Pork, Wheat, or Corn, will be taken in Pay,
if brought by the Tenth of February.

TO BE SOLD.

A TRACT of **LAND** adjoining to the Town
of *Nottingham*, on *Potomac* River, in *Prince-
George's* County, called *Bassett's Pasture*, contain-
ing 200 Acres whereon is a new Dwelling-House
28 by 26 Feet, finished in a very neat and con-
venient Manner; a new Kitchen 20 by 16 Feet,
(under which is a small Stone Cellar); and a Wash-
house. About Half the Tract is fine hard Marl,
which may easily be improved to very great Ad-
vantage: The other Part is very level, and of a
good Soil: The Situation is very convenient for
either a Merchant or Tavern Keeper. Also a Lot
of Ground in the Town of *Nottingham*, whereon
is a very good Stone-House 30 Feet square, with
a good Store Room, Lumber Room, Company
Room, with a Brick Chimney therein, and a Lodg-
ing Room, on the first Floor: Above Stairs there
is Three good Rooms, completely finished, and in
good Repair; there is also a good Cellar under the
House, the full Side thereof, with Three conveni-
ent Rooms therein. The Whole to be Sold toge-
ther, or separately, as the Purchaser chooses, for
London Bills of Exchange, Sterling or Current
Money, upon very reasonable Terms.

All Persons Indebted to the Estate of *Colony
Bassett*, late Deceased, are desired to settle and
discharge their respective Balances by the Tenth
Day of February next; otherwise they may depend
on being Sued and Warranted, without Respect
to Persons.

(1) **WILLIAM BRANES, Junior, Executor.**

MR. CHARLES WALLACE having given
me up his Business of **STAY-MAKING**,
and furnished me with a complete Assortment of
GOODS for carrying it on; I hereby give Notice
to his Customers and Others, who shall please to
Employ me. That their Orders for **STAYS** will
be Executed in the best Manner; and as the Bu-
siness cannot be carried on but at a great Expence,
I hope they will always contrive me the Money as
soon as possible, after receiving the Stays, as I
shall allow a considerable Abatement in the Price,
for prompt Pay, or Three Months Credit.

JOSEPH BOARD.

ALL Persons who are Indebted to *Lawrence
Spencer, Esq.* of *Liverpool*, for Distances ei-
ther with Himself, or with his late Partners in
Maryland, are desired to pay their respective Ba-
lances to the Subscriber, who is properly authoris'd
to receive the same.

It is hoped that such Persons as can pay directly,
will, from a Consideration of the long Indulgence
they already have had, make a Point of doing it.
And those whose Circumstances are such as to re-
quire still some further Time, must (if they chuse
to avoid being Sued and Warranted) come to the
Subscriber at *Piscataway*, and settle their Accounts
to his Satisfaction, otherwise they may depend
on Severity being used.

I have remaining on Hand for Sale, Fifteen
Crates of *Flint* Stone Ware, consisting of Dishes
and Plates, Tea Ware, Mugs, Bowls, &c. &c.
Four Tierces of Bottled Beer, about Ten Hundred
Weight of *British* Refined Sugar, from 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ to
16 per Pound, and 10 Dozen of Mens Leather
and Womens Stuff Shoes, neat and fashionable;
which I will sell at a reasonable Rate, for Cash or
Tobacco. (1) **W. SYDERHAM.**

RAN away about the Middle of September last,
from the Subscriber's Plantation beyond *Elk-
Ridge*, a Country-born Mulatto Fellow called *Jack*,
as he lived several Years on *Pepper-Island*, he is
known to most People who have used the Bay; he
is about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, has a long crooked
Nose, one of his Hands has been burned by Gun-
powder, he is much given to Liquor, and when
Drunk is very talkative and quarrelsome; he was
seen at Mr. *Blake's* Quarter about 8 Weeks ago,
where he told them he was going towards *Cape-
land*, and should pass for a Freeman.

Whoever takes up the said Slave, and delivers
him to the Subscriber, shall receive Five Pounds
Reward. All Skippers, and Masters of Vessels,
are forewarned carrying him off at their Peril;
and in Case he should be carried off, any Person
giving Information thereof, shall, upon Conviction
of the Offender, receive **THIRTY POUNDS**
Reward. (1) **CHAS. CARROLL.**

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THURSDAY, March 14, 1765.

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An Account of GIANTS, from a Memorial lately read before the Academy of Sciences at Rouen, by M. Le Cat.

THE Bible mentions several Races of Giants, as the Rephaims, the Anakims, the Emims, the Zononims, and others. Profane Historians also mention Giants; they gave 7 Feet of Height to Hercules their first Hero, and in our Days we have seen Men 8 Feet high. The Giant who was shown at Rouen, in 1735, measured 8 Feet some Inches. The Emperor Maximin was of that Size; Skeankius and Platerus; Physicians of the last Century, saw several of that Stature; and Gorgopius saw a Girl who was 10 Feet high.

The Body of Orestes, according to the Greeks, was 11 Feet and a Half; the Giant Galbara, brought from Arabia to Rome, under Claudius Caesar, was near 10 Feet; and the Bones of Secundilla and Pufio, Keepers of the Gardens of Salust, were but 6 Inches shorter.

Funnam, a Scotsman, who lived in the Time of Eugene II. King of Scotland, measured 11 Feet and a Half; and Jacob le Maire, in his Voyage to the Straits of Magellan, reports that the 17th of December, 1615, they found at Port Desire several Graves covered with Stones; and having the Curiosity to remove the Stones, they discovered human Skeletons of 10 and 11 Feet long.

The Chevalier Story, in his Voyage to the Pike of Tennerif, says that they found in one of the sepulchral Caverns of that Mountain the Head of a Guancho which had 80 Teeth, and that the Body was not less than 15 Feet long.

The Giant Ferragus, slain by Orlando, Nephew of Charlemain, was 18 Feet high.

Rioland, a celebrated Anatomist, who wrote in 1614, says that some Years before there was to be seen in the Suburbs of St. Germain's the Tomb of the Giant Iforet, who was 20 Feet high.

In Rouen, in 1509, in digging in the Ditches near the Jacobins, they found a Stone Tomb containing a Skeleton whose Skull held a Bushel of Corn, and whose Shin Bone reached up to the Girdle of the tallest Man there, being about 4 Feet long; and consequently the Body must have been 17 or 18 Feet high. Upon the Tomb was a Plate of Copper, whereon was engraved, "In this Tomb lies the noble and puissant Lord the Chevalier Ricon de Vallemont, and his Bones." Platerus, a famous Physician, declares that he saw at Lucerne the true human Bones of a Subject, which must have been at least 19 Feet high.

Valence in Dauphine boasts of possessing the Bones of the Giant Bucart, Tyrant of the Vivarais, who was slain by an Arrow by the Count de Cabillon his Vassal. The Dominicans had a Part of the Shin Bone, with the Articulation of the Knee, and his Figure painted in Fresco, with an Inscription, showing that this Giant was 22 Feet and a Half high, and that his Bones were found in 1705, near the Banks of the Merderi, a little River at the Foot of the Mountain of Crussol, upon which (Tradition says) the Giant dwelt.

January 11, 1613, some Masons digging near the Ruins of a Castle in Dauphine, in a Field, which, by Tradition, had long been called the Giant's Field, at the Depth of 18 Feet, discovered a Brick Tomb, 30 Feet long, 12 Feet wide, and 8 Feet high, on which was a grey Stone, with the Words Theutobochus Rex cut thereon: When the Tomb was opened they found a human Skeleton entire, 25 Feet and a Half long, 10 Feet wide across the Shoulders, and 5 Feet deep from the Breast Bone to the Back; his Teeth were about the Size each of an Ox's Foot, and his Shin Bone measured 4 Feet.

Near Mazario in Sicily, in 1516, was found a Giant 30 Feet high; his Head was the Size of a Hoghead, and each of his Teeth weighed 5 Ounces.

Near Palermo, in the Valley of Mazara, in Sicily, a Skeleton of a Giant 30 Feet long was found in the Year 1548, and another of 33 Feet high in 1550; and many curious Persons have preserved several of these gigantick Bones.

The Athenians found near their City two famous Skeletons, one of 34, and the other of 36 Feet high.

At Totu in Bohemia, in 758, was found a Skeleton, the Head of which could scarce be encompassed by the Arms of two Men together, and whose Legs, which they still keep in the Castle of that City, were 26 Feet long.

The Skull of the Giant found in Macedonia, Sept. 1691, held 210 $\frac{1}{2}$ of Corn.

The celebrated Sir Hans Sloane, who treated this Matter very learnedly, does not doubt these Facts, but thinks the Bones were those of Elephants, Whales, or other enormous Animals. Elephants Bones may be shown for those of Giants, but they can never impose on Connoisseurs. Whales, which by their immense Bulk are more proper to be substituted for the largest Giants, have neither Arms nor Legs, and the Head of that Animal hath not the least Resemblance with that of a Man; and if it be true, therefore, that a great Number of the gigantick Bones which we have mentioned have been seen by Anatomists, and have by them been reputed real human Bones, the Existence of Giants is proved.

WATERFORD, November 8.

YESTERDAY arrived here the Hopestill, belonging to this Place, Captain Sybrand, from Carthage, who, with his People, in his Protest, maketh Oath, That about the 16th of May, on his Voyage from Malaga and Cetta, for this Port, he fell in with 8 Spanish Men of War, who fired on him; on which he, the said Captain, immediately hoisted English Colours, which they disregarded, and continued their Fire; at this Time, the Vessel lying under the Commodore's Stern, the Captain and Crew cried out for Mercy, entreating him to desist, declaring themselves to be English: Notwithstanding this Declaration, they fired several Broadfides, which cut all their Rigging and Sails, and carried away both Masts, the Round-house, and every thing above Deck, killed a Gentleman Passenger, belonging to Madeira, wounded the Captain in the Arm, shot off Capt. Galspy's, a Passenger's Arm; also mortally wounded John Hamilton, a Supercargo, who died of his Wounds a few Days after at Carthage, to which Place they towed the said Vessel in.

It is very remarkable, that a Scotch Sailor on board the Commodore, during the firing on this Vessel, cried out several Times that they were English; for which he was directly put in Irons, and got 500 Lashes. The Vessel, during the Time, was so very near, that they could not bring Guns to bear on her, or she must have been sunk. The said Vessel has lain at Carthage, from about the 20th of May until the Middle of October, waiting in daily Expectation of Satisfaction being made by the Spanish Court; but finding it of no use to wait any longer, the Captain was obliged to sell a considerable Part of his Cargo to pay his Men their Wages and other Expences, the Spaniards not allowing him a Farthing, except repairing the Vessel. The Cargo is much damaged, and we hear the Proprietors, if not relieved, will be great Sufferers.

LONDON, November 17.

Upon deliberate Examination it appears by our public Accounts, that of 3434 Persons inoculated in the Inoculating Hospital, only Ten have died; whereas of the Number of 6000 and odd having the Small Pox in the natural Way, dying in the same Hospital, upon the lowest Computation it is Twenty-five in an Hundred. The Question is, if in common Life this is not Ten or Twenty per Cent short of the ordinary Mortality by the Disease? If so, this Hospital is of great Utility, and may be considered as preventing Contagion. It is past all doubt, that Inoculation has preserved many Thousand Lives, which probably would have been otherwise lost.

The Two Sisters, Johnson, from Maryland, is ashore at the Nore.

Nov. 22. They write from Pensacola, that the Interdiction of a Spanish Trade with the British Subjects of West Florida, has, upon a moderate Calculation, thrown into the Hands of the French Merchants at New Orleans, in the Course of the

present Year, a Sum of Money, in Gold, Dollars, and Pistres, little short of 70,000 l.

Nov. 24. It is said Orders were last Friday dispatched to Portsmouth to get five more Sail of the Line ready for Sea with the utmost Expedition.

Four Spanish Men of War were seen cruising without the Straits of Gibraltar the 28th ult. with Intent, as it is said, to intercept some Ship Loads of naval and warlike Stores, sent by certain Northern Powers as Presents to the Regencies of Barbary; his Catholick Majesty being determined to put a Stop to so injurious and unnatural a Practice, and at the same Time so highly detrimental to his own Subjects in particular.

We are informed, that for the future no warlike or naval Stores of any Kind will be included in any future Presents sent from England to Algiers, or other piratical States of Barbary.

It is certainly on the Carpet, for the British Plantations to have the Privilege of Representatives in the House of Commons in England; but we are told that they are not to be chole by the whole Body of the People in our Colonies, but by and from amongst the Members of the Assemblies of the several Provinces.

We hear a List of such British American Vessels as have been unjustly seized by the French Guardas-Costas in the West-Indies, on Pretence of illicit Trade, and carried into their Islands, amounting in the Whole to 14 Sail, was lately brought over from New-York.

The Demands for Hemp-seed from the Baltick, it is computed, will fall short this Year several Thousand Pounds, great Quantities having been imported from North-America.

Nov. 29. They write from Plymouth, that, last Thursday, a Passenger, the Master, and all the Men, belonging to a French Bark from Havre-de-Grace for Cork, were stopped, by Order, and all separately searched and examined, on Suspicion of their having some ill Design to execute at that Port; but the Event is not yet known. The Reason given by the Frenchman for putting in there, when he had a fair Wind to carry him to Cork, was, because they had forgot to take some Candles on board at Havre. In searching the Passenger, a Quantity of Lace and Ruffles were found upon him, which has been lodged in the Custom-House.

It is said the TOBACCO TRADE will certainly be exonerated next Sessions, both to the original Planter and Importer.

Yesterday 18,000 l. in Half Guineaes were delivered at the Mint.

Dec. 6. The Reports of the Sailing of several Fleets, are occasioned merely by Orders for the replacing a fresh Supply of Ships on the West-India Station, which is done every Year. And the other Articles propagated of warlike Preparations, seem calculated to serve private Purposes.

We are credibly informed, that the Circulation of Bank Notes in North-America, under proper Regulations, is now upon the Carpet.

Dec. 8. On Tuesday last arrived at Pool the Banks, Capt. Kerley, from Newfoundland; on board of which Ship came Capt. Dowling, and Four of his Crew, whose Ship, the Volunteer, of London, foundered in her Passage from Virginia, laden with Tobacco, in Lat. 41° 57' Long. 59° 18'. The Crew were taken on board the Donald, Capt. William Mores, from Virginia for Glasgow, from whom Capt. Kerley took them on board his Vessel.

NEW-YORK, February 21.

Our private Advices by the Packet are, that some Discoveries have lately been made, which have given Cause of strong Suspicion, that a Number of Frenchmen (whether with or without Authority from France we have not heard) had formed a villainous Design, which was almost ripe for Execution, whereby our Dock Yards, Vessels on the Stocks, and Naval Stores, at Portsmouth and other Places, were to be destroyed by Fire; and such a Blow given to our Naval Strength, as might have disabled us for some Time to oppose the Designs of our Enemies. In Consequence of this Discovery, we hear eight Frenchmen were taken up, and extraordinary Precautions used in all his Majesty's Dock Yards, Naval Store Houses, and Magazines in the Kingdom.

Extract of a Letter from Joseph Yeomans, late Master of the Ship St. George, Burden 45 Tons, &c. Norfolk, in Virginia, February 2, 1765.

"On Saturday, January the 12th, about Noon, set Sail from New York, bound for Maryland, with a smart Gale of Wind at N. W. which obliged me to sail under a reefed Mainfall and Jib. The Wind increased, with a very large Sea, till about 6 o'Clock, 3 Leagues S. S. E. from Sandy Hook, when a double decked Snow, called the Gordon, about 250 Tons Burden, John Pym Master, belonging to New York, ran foul of me, whereby the Sloop's Topping-lift, Shrouds, and main Boom, were carried away, 12 Feet of her Wale, with the Timbers, Wale, &c. stove in, and also one Side of the Longboat; the Sloop being by this Shock disabled from proceeding on her Voyage, to save our Lives, we all quitted her, and got on board the Snow, whose Catwater and Sheathing were also much damaged; two of my Men had their Fingers frozen. Night coming on, at my Request Captain Pym agreed to lie to till Morning, to try if any Thing might be saved from the Sloop; but there was no Appearance of her, and we have Reason to think she went to the Bottom. We all arrived here in 18 Days Passage.

Norfolk (in Virginia) Feb. 2. The Schooner Sally, Woolsey Burton Master, who sailed from Amboy on the 25th of December last, bound to Indian River, was, by hard Gale of North and Westwardly Winds, blown off to the Latitude of 37° Distance to the Eastward 45 Leagues, and lost his Mainmast.

After being out 30 Days, having expended all their Provisions, except about two Bushels of Pease, and having nothing to drink for three Weeks, except their own Water, and a little they caught from Rain, they were taken up by a Schooner belonging to Piscataqua, from Barbados, Thomas May Master, bound to this Port, who has brought them in with him, but in a very weak and low Condition.

The following is a particular Account of the Loss of the Beulah, communicated in a Letter from Apple-dore, near the Place where she was lost, dated Dec. 7, 1764.

"On Saturday, the 10th of November, the Captain had an Observation in Lat. 49° 17' and on Monday the 12th saw Lundy Isle, in the Bristol Channel, which they mistook for Portland Point, in the English Channel, bearing E. and steered Channel Course accordingly, there being then a great Fog, or Mist; when unexpectedly they found themselves imbayed in Barnaple Bay. At 7 P. M. hove the Lead, and found seven Fathom Water; next Cast three and an Half, on which they let go both Anchors, all Sails standing, cut the Jeers, and let fall the lower and top Sail Yards: At 8 struck very hard: Then hoisted the Boat out; three Men were drowned along side the Ship; the rest stood the Deck till 10, when they were obliged to go up the Main and Mizzen Shrouds, where they stayed till 4 in the Morning, at which Time they came down, and went on the Forecastle; soon after which the Main and Mizzen-Masts went overboard. At 6 o'Clock, on the 13th, the Ship parted in two, when Capt. Green, Lieut. Col. William Eyres, of the 44th Regiment, Engineer, Lieut. Primrose-Kennedy, of the same Regiment, and Eight others, were unfortunately drowned. Those who saved their Lives, of which we hear but of three, got on Shore on Part of the Deck, amongst whom was the Mate, Mr. Brooks, who was so benumbed as to require a Cart to carry him to a House.—The Vessel's Sails, Rigging, Anchors and Cables, were saved, as also the Cargo, except about Thirty Tons of Fustick. There is no mention made of the Cash that was on board her."

PORTSMOUTH (in New-Hampshire) Feb. 18.

Last Tuesday Mrs. SARAH DAVIS, of this Town, was again Tapped for the Dropsy, by Dr. Cutter, which makes the Twenty-third Time she has undergone the Operation; the most remarkable Instance of the Kind ever known in this Country.

ANNAPOLIS, March 14.

By a late Northern Paper, we find that the following Ships from this Province, are Arrived; the *Two Sisters*, JOHNSON; *Friendship*, PROIT; *Betsy*, HARRICK; *Trial*, STEWART; *Betsy Lloyd*, MONTGOMERY; *Fanny*, LANE; *Princess of Wales*, CLARKE; at GRAVESEND. The *Hazard*, COXEN, at FALMOUTH.

Yesterday a Fifth Share of the *Baltimore* Iron-Works, which belonged to the late Hon^{ble} Col. TASKER, was Sold, pursuant to his Will, for 5,000 Pounds Sterling, and is thought to be a great Pennyworth.

The March Court for this County, is adjourned to Tuesday the 21st Day of May next, on Account of the Small-Pox, now spreading in this City: And indeed it seems to be prevailing over the Province: We hear it is in Kent County, Cecil, Queen-Anne's, Talbot, Frederick, Prince-George's, Charles, and in many Parts of This, beside this Town.

This Day, a Bye-Law was Passed (to suspend the Execution of a former One, relative to the Small-Pox) allowing the Inhabitants of this City, to Receive, Harbour, Entertain, and Nurse, any Strangers whatever, who should chuse to come hither, to receive the Benefit and Advantage of Inoculation, before the Second of April. And it is to be hoped the People in Town will be unanimous and speedy in a general Inoculation, that the Town may be the sooner clear of the Distemper.

Suppose a Lottery with 116 Chances, and only One Blank in it; and Another, of 116 Chances with 21 Blanks in it; and the Prizes in Both, of equal Value: Would any Man, (in his Senses) who could have his Choice in the Two, chuse to Venture [his Life] in the Latter? This was the exact Case with regard to the Small-Pox in Boston last Year: From among those who took the Small-Pox by Inoculation, there Died only in that Proportion, One out of 116; And nearly One out of every Five who took it in the Natural Way.

Our Doctors will Inoculate Gratis, all those Poor Inhabitants of the Town who are unable to pay: And the Corporation have this Day granted a Sum of Money for providing Those with Necessaries, who shall be Inoculated before the 2^d of April.

Annapolis, March 13, 1765.

IN order to expedite the Progress of the SMALL-Pox through this City, and that every Person may have the Benefit of INOCULATION, that Business, public and private, may meet with as little Obstruction as possible, I give the Inhabitants this public Notice, whose Circumstances will not admit them to pay for the Operation, That by Application *In forma Pauperis*, I will Inoculate and Attend them *Gratis*; hoping the Corporation, after inspecting into their Circumstances, and finding them Needy, will take them under their Protection, and find every other Requisite.

X / RICHARD TOOTELL.

On Thursday the 28th Day of March, will be Sold by Public Vendue, between the Hours of III and IV o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Upper-Marlborough, in Prince-George's County, for ready Cash, or good Bills of Exchange,

AN Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, Value about Seven Hundred Pounds prime Cost, some Wine, Rum, Soap, and Sperma-Ceti Candles.

Likewise, Eleven valuable NEGROES, being 3 Men, 5 Women, 2 Girls, and 3 Children.

An Inventory of the Goods may be seen, by any Person inclinable to purchase, on Application to Mr. Samuel Hepburn, at the late Store kept by Messieurs Symmers.

CHARLES GRAHAME.

Lower-Marlborough, March 14, 1765.

THE Creditors of ALEXANDER SYMMER and ANDREW SYMMER, are desired to meet at the House of Mr. Benjamin Brooke, in Upper-Marlborough, on Wednesday the first Day of May next, between the Hours of XI and XII o'Clock in the Forenoon, that they may signify their Consent to accept of their several Proportions of the Estate of the said Alexander Symmer and Andrew Symmer, pursuant to the several Trusts, Uses, Intents, and Purposes, upon which the said Alexander Symmer and Andrew Symmer have conveyed all their Estates, real and personal, to WILLIAM MOLLESON of LONDON, Merchant, when the Deeds will be laid before them by the Subscriber, who is empowered by the Trustee, to fulfil and carry into Execution the said Trusts. And the Creditors aforesaid are desired to take Notice, that unless they shall signify their Consent to accept of their several Proportions of the Estate aforesaid, within one Year and one Day from the Date hereof, they will be precluded from receiving any Part of the said Estate, and that after such Consent given, any Creditor refusing to give a full and absolute Discharge of his whole Debt to them the said Alexander Symmer and Andrew Symmer, is likewise precluded from having or receiving any Part or Dividend of the said Estate.

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CHARLES GRAHAME.

ANY Person that understands SLITTING of SLATE, may hear of good Accommodation by applying to the Printing-Office.

WANTS Employment, and may be heard of at the Printing-Office in Annapolis. A single MAN, about 40 Years old, was brought up in the Farming Business, and is acquainted with the Method of Farming in many Counties in England, and can make any Sort of Farming Utensils, and can do Carpenter's or Joiner's Business, hath been about 5 Years in the Country, and can produce ample Testimonials of his Honesty, Sobriety, and good Behaviour, with Security if required. Any Letters, free of Postage, directed for J. C. at the Printing-Office, will be Answered.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the Vestry of St. John's, commonly called King-George's Parish, in Prince-George's County, will meet at their Vestry-Room at Broad-Creek, on Easter Monday next, when they will be ready to receive the Proposals of such who may be desirous to undertake the Enlargement of their Parish Church, in Pursuance of an Act of Assembly for that Purpose. The Work is to be executed in Brick, and will be a considerable Jobb.

By Order of the Vestry,
JOHN SUTTON, Register.

JUST IMPORTED, in the Brigantine Nancy, from Liverpool, but left from Cork, and to be SOLD,

A Quantity of FINE SALT, best Cheshire CHEESE, Barthen Ware, the best Cord Mef's Tierce BEEF, fine Rose and Violet Irish BUTTER, CATMEAL, Seed and Easing Irish POTATOES, and a few SERVANTS. Also, the usual Assortment of European and India GOODS. Likewise, to be Charter'd, the Whole or Part of the said Brigantine NANCY.

WILLIAM ROBERTS.

N. B. He will give a Bushel of SALT for a Bushel and Half of CORN.



THE Brigantine Free-mason, JOHN McKINDY, Master, now lying in the Dock at Annapolis, is fitting out with all Expedition for Sea, and will, by the Middle of next Month, be ready to proceed to any River on the Western or Eastern

Shore, where a Certainty can be had of her getting Loaded soon. She will carry 350 Hogheads, and is a prime Sailer. She will take in Tobacco at Seven Pounds Sterling per Ton, with Liberty of Consignment to any Merchant in London. Those Gentlemen who have a Mind to take the Advantage of so early an Opportunity to Market, are desired to send a Line to the Subscribers of the Quantity they are willing to Ship, and the Time they can be ready.

(1st) CHARLES WALLACE & Company.

NOTICE is hereby given to the several Creditors of Mr. REGINALD GRAHAME, That he has Conveyed all his Estate, Effects, Debts, &c. in Trust to his greatest Creditors, DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME, JAMES FORBES, and STEPHEN WEST, for the Use of the Trustees, and all the Rest of the Creditors. It is hoped there will be no great Loss, if the Creditors agree, and Mr. GRAHAME is not run to further Law Charges. The Creditors are desired to meet at Upper-Marlborough on Tuesday the 26th of March with their respective Claims, or empower some Person to act for them. The Deed is Recorded in the Provincial Office.

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ANNAPOLIS, March 7, 1765.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of Lewis Strickcombe, late of the North Side of Severn, Deceased, are desired to come and make immediate Payment to the Subscriber: And all those that have any just Claims against the said Estate, are desired to bring them in legally Proved, to

NATHAN HAMMOND, Administrator.

N. B. I have a Quantity of Sail Cloth, which I would sell cheap, for Cash.

N. H.

To be SOLD, on the first Tuesday of April next, at the House of ORLANDO SMITH, in Prince-George's County, near Bladenburg,

TWO Hundred Acres of LAND, to be entered upon next Fall. Also, Four Negroes, a Cart and Yoke of Oxen, sundry Household Goods, and Stock of Horses and Cattle.

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DAVID ROSS.

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To be SOLD by the Subscriber,

CONVICT SERVANT MAN, who has
upwards of Six Years to serve, and is a
Shoemaker by Trade.

Likewise about Ten Thousand Weight of Soal
and Upper Leather (as good as any made in Ame-
rica); a Quantity of Tann'd Sheep Skins, fit for
Saddlers Use; a large Quantity of ready made
Shoes and Boots; Train Oil, Lampblack, Cop-
peras, and most Sorts of Things that are made
use of in the Shoemaking Way, very Cheap, by
THOMAS HYDE.

N. B. The Subscriber desires all those that are
any Way Indebted to him, to make Payment, and
hope they will take this for a Demand.

COMMITTED to the Custody of the Sheriff
of Calvert County, on the 12th of February
last, **NEGRO SUE**, the Property of Mr. Joseph
Taylor, who will be Sold to the Highest Bidder
pursuant to his Advertisement published in this
Gazette on the 6th of December last) on Wednes-
day the 20th of this Instant March, at Prince-Fre-
derick-Town, at Two o'Clock.

TRAUMAN SKINNER.

WILLIAM LOGAN,

HAVING furnished himself with the best of
LIQUORS, hereby acquaints the Public,
That he has opened **TAVERN**, at the House
where the late Mr. Robert Swan kept Store, where
all Gentlemen Travellers, and Others, who will
favour him with their Custom, may depend on
meeting with the best Entertainment, and the
kindest Usage.

He carries on his Business of Peruke-Making as
usual, at his old Shop, next Door to Mr. Hammond's
near the Dock in Annapolis, where Gentlemen may
be supplied with all Sorts of Wigs, made in the
newest Fashion.

RAN away, the 12th of January last, from the
Subscriber, living near Upper-Mariborough,
in Prince-George's County, a Country-born Servant
Man, named **William Thackfield**, about 5 Feet 8
Inches high, a pert, fresh looking, young Fellow,
about 21 or 22 Years of Age, wears his own Hair,
tied behind, which is very black, and has a bad
Impediment in his Speech. Had on when he
went away, a Bearskin Coat, with a Velvet Cape,
a blue Cloth Jacket, old Leather Breeches, new
Shoes, and mill'd Worsted Stockings. He was
an Orphan Boy brought up by one Mr. Davis on
Elk-Ridge, and from thence removed near Bla-
denburg, where he was under the Necessity of be-
coming a Servant.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings
him home, or secures him in any Jail, so as his
Master may have him again, shall have Forty
Shillings Reward, paid by

HENRY BROOKES.

York Furnace, Maryland, February 4, 1765.

RAN away from the Subscriber, an English
Servant Man, named **William Hulet**, speaks
the West Country Dialect, has been about 8 Years
in the Country, of low Stature, short black Hair:
Had on when he went away, a blue Broadcloth
Coat, with white Metal Buttons, an Osnabrigs
Shirt, Trowsers made of Ravens Duck, old Hat
and Stockings, and a new Pair of Shoes.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, so that his
Master may have him again, shall have Twenty
Shillings Reward, if taken within 20 Miles of the
said Furnace; if above that Distance Thirty Shil-
lings, and reasonable Charges, paid by

BENJAMIN SWORE.
N. B. It is expected the abovemention'd Servant
may stop about the Head of Severn, as it is said he
has a Brother-in-Law lives near that Place, by
Trade a Sail-maker.

To be LET, LEAS'D, or SOLD.

THE Dwelling-House in ANNAPOLIS, where
JOHN JUDY lately Lived, together with a
small Brew-house, and all Necessaries for
carrying on that Business, and a Quantity of Malt,
with a good Stable, a large Garden, a Hop-yard,
and a Spot of Meadow, which will be sold to-
gether or separate, as Parties can agree.

Likewise, a small Shallop to be sold very rea-
sonable, for Terms apply to **William Yeldell**.

Also, to be Let, a very good Plantation, lying
in Frederick County, Virginia, six Miles from
Swearingen's Ferry, whereon is a good Dwelling-
house, Kitchen, Milk-house, Still-house, Stables,
and Barns, with a great Quantity of Meadow, and
all good Plow Land, 18 Acres with Wheat and
Rye, and a good Orchard.

For Terms enquire of **Christian Ourendorff**, in
Anti-Batam, or **John Judy**, at Whitehall.

Virginia, February 27, 1765.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on Rappa-
hannock River, on Friday Night the 15th
Instant, Three Servant Men, imported last Sum-
mer in the *Molly*, from London, viz.

John Morris, a Groom and Farmer, about 35
Years old, and 5 Feet 10 Inches high, Anceps as
he walks, of a fair Complexion, thin faced, very
slow in his Speech. Had on when he went away,
a Bearskin Jacket and Breeches lined with white
Plaiding, trimm'd with black Horn Buttons, old
Velvet Cap, and a Worsted one, notwithstanding
his own Hair, which is not very long; and has
a Wig with him, Plaid Stockings, and Country-
made Shoes.

James Plate, by Trade a Gardener, about 30
Years old, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a fair Com-
plexion, well made, and very talkative. Had on
when he went away, a Bearskin Jacket and Breeches
lined with white Plaiding, trimm'd with black Horn
Buttons, old brown Cut Wig, Felt Hat, brown
Linen Shirt, Plaid Stockings, and Country-made
Shoes.

John Wood, a Sailor, about 40 or 40 odd Years
old, of a dark Complexion, 5 Feet 8 Inches high.
Had on when he went away, a Felt Hat, old grey
Cut Wig, blue Pearnought Jacket, with black
Horn Buttons, Cotton Drawers, old brown Linen
Trowsers, brown Linen Shirt, Plaid Stockings,
and Country-made Shoes.

The above Men stole a Boat ciele in the Inside.
She was built for a Ferry Boat, and will carry 4
Horses in smooth Water. She is now pretty old,
has had several Pieces of Plank put in her Bottom,
built low, and very broad. They also stole and
carried in her, a new Cast Chimney Back, 3 or
4 new Pails, Abundance of Rugs and Blankets,
some of which I have room to think they will
make use of for a Sail, and by what I can learn
from my Servants, they used frequently to be talk-
ing of Philadelphia, where, I am told, Wood has
been; therefore am inclined to think they will
endeavour getting there, either by crossing the
Bay to the Eastern Shore, or going along the Wes-
tern Side under the Shore.

Whoever takes up the above Servants, and de-
livers them to me on Rappahannock River, shall
have Five Pounds Reward, if taken in this Colo-
ny: If out of it, Five Pounds for each, and so
in Proportion for as many as are taken.

The Boat would also be worth a Premium the
delivering her to.

(3rd) 2 ARCHIBALD RITCHIE.

Kingstown, Choptank River, Feb. 25, 1765.

CAPT. HENRY LIDDELL, of the Brigantine
Grizzle, having, before his Departure from
Wicomec River, for LONDON, in November last,
left under my Care, to be delivered to the Owner
when call'd for, Two Parcels, viz.

A Matted Bundle, mark'd HL Stores, contain-
ing **Hamberough LINES**, and **SAIL TWINE**:
A Hoghead without Mark or Number, con-
taining **EARTHEN-WARE**:

I do hereby give Notice, that if said Goods are
not applied for, on or before the First of April
next, the same will be disposed of for the Benefit
of the Owners, unknown.

(4th) 3 ANDREW MEIN.

AS I find myself under an indispenfible Necessi-
ty of Collecting all Arrearages due to me
as late Sheriff of Frederick County, I take this
Method to acquaint such Persons as live in the
distant Counties, and Others concerned, That I
will attend for that Purpose, at the House of Mr.
William Reynolds in Annapolis, during the first and
second Weeks of the ensuing Provincial Court;
and I flatter myself that those who are disposed to
act justly, will then settle their several Accounts
with me, as no further Indulgence can or will be
given. This public Notice and Appointment, are
intended, as well to prevent the frivolous Excuses
of being unprovided, losing the Accounts, calling
again, &c. &c. as to suit the Convenience
of the several Debtors: it is therefore hoped those
Gentlemen, whose Affairs may not require their
personal Attendance at the Provincial Court, will
transmit their Ballances by some Friend or Neigh-
bour, as Opportunities at the above public Time
may be easily met with, unless by such as are in-
clined to be ignorant of them. As I am deter-
mined that no Complaisance to any Persons what-
ever, shall induce me to sacrifice my own Credit,
or suffer that of my Securities to be impeached,
those who neglect paying a proper regard to this
Advertisement, may depend on seeing one more
to the Purpose. **THOMAS PRATHER**, late Sheriff
of Frederick County.

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Will be Entitled to Sale, at the next Provincial
Court in April, for Ready Money or Bills of
Exchange only.

THE HORSE called **TANNER**, lately be-
longing to Mrs. Harrison in England, and
imported last Summer in the *John and Samuel*,
Capt. John Corling. He is about 15 Hands and
an Inch high, of a dark brown Colour, and his
Figure, by the best Judges, allow'd to be equal,
if not superior, to any ever Imported into the Pro-
vince. His Pedigree is too high to want the least
Recommendation, and for his Performances the
Reader is refer'd to *Hiber's Book of Racing* in
1761 and 62.

Likewise, To be Let, The Subscriber's House
in Annapolis, with a large Garden, Lot, Coach-
House, Stabling for Four Horses, and a Bank
Warehouse 80 Feet in Length. As also the Wind-
Mill and Warehouses situated near Mrs. Bullen's.
For further Particulars, enquire of *Walter Dulany*,
Esq; in Annapolis, or of

DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME.

A Quantity of **SALT**, to be Sold, on board
the *Brig Free-Mason*, lying in ANNAPOLIS
Dock, on reasonable Terms, by

CHARLES WALLACE, & C^o.

TWELVE Hundred Bushels of **INDIAN**
CORN at Two Shillings and Six Pence
per Bushel; also Two Hundred of **WHEAT** at
Four; which may be purchased of the Subscriber,
near Lower-Mariborough, for Ready Money.

(6th) JOHN HAMILTON SMITH.

Baltimore-Town, February 7, 1765.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of Messrs.
Sydenham and Hodgson, are desired to pay
the same to the Subscriber, who is fully empowered
to receive it, and designs to attend here on Pur-
pose till the Provincial Court in April next.

(1st) GARLAND BRITTON.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of Col.
JOHN ADDISON, late of Prince-George's
County, Deceased, are requested to make
speedy Payment: And all those who have any le-
gal Claims on the said Deceased's Estate, are de-
sired to bring in their respective Claims, that they
may be adjusted and paid.

(1st) THOMAS ADDISON, jun^r. Executor.

ALL Persons Indebted to the late Partnership
of *Buchanan and Hughes*, of Baltimore-Town,
are hereby desired to make Payment to
William Buchanan (the surviving Partner) by the
first Day of May next, or come and settle their
Accounts with him, and procure longer Time by
giving Bond for their respective Ballances; other-
wise they may expect to be Sued without further
Notice. And those who have any Demands a-
gainst the said Partnership, are likewise requested
to bring them in, that they may be adjusted.

Also all Persons Indebted to the Estate of *Bar-
nabas Hughes*, late of Baltimore-Town, deceased,
or to the *Anti-Batam* Company, are desired to
make speedy Payment to the Subscribers. Those
who neglect discharging their Accounts, or giving
Bond, may, after the first Day of May next, ex-
pect to be Sued without farther Notice. Those
who have any Demands against the said Estate,
are desired to bring them in, and they shall be
adjusted, by

WILLIAM BUCHANAN,
DANIEL HUGHES,
SAMUEL HUGHES, } Executors.

Baltimore County, February 4, 1765.
To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, at
Public Vendue, at the House of *Abraham Andrews*
near the Premises, on the first Monday in April,

A TRACT of LAND containing Five
Hundred ACRES, called and known by
the Name of *Darnall's Silcock*, lying on the
Great Falls of Gunpowder River, and about Five
Miles from the *Nettingham Iron-Works*.

Any Person inclinable to purchase, may be
shown the Land before the Day of Sale, and be
acquainted with the Title and Terms, by apply-
ing to

(7th) WILLIAM YOUNG.

IF HENDRICK ISSLER, who lately
came Passenger in the *Nancy*, Capt. *Thompson*,
from Rotterdam, to Patuxent River, in this Pro-
vince, be Alive, and will apply to *Thomas Jones*,
in Baltimore-Town, he will hear of something to
his Advantage.

WHERRAS one JOHN HUNT, who left England, and in the Year 1748 lived in St. Paul's Parish, Baltimore County, Maryland, as a Saddler, and removed to Westmore Parish in the same County; from thence, 'tis said, he went to Cumberland in Georgia, and from thence to St. Augustine; and in January, 1764, as it is also said, he ordered a Cargo of Goods from London, to be directed to Messrs. Barton and Rogers in St. Augustine, to be left with Messrs. Hosper and Sawalier, in Charles-Town, South-Carolina: If the said John Hunt be still Alive, and will apply to the Subscriber, living in Baltimore-Town, Maryland, he will hear of Something to his Advantage. If he is Dead, which is most likely, any Person that will bring a proper Certificate of his Death to the Subscriber, shall receive a REWARD of FIVE GUINEAS.

(12^m)

JOHN MERRYMAN, junior.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND adjoining to the Town of Nottingham, on Patuxent River, in Prince-George's County, called *Beanes's Pasture*, containing 220 Acres; whereon is a new Dwelling-House 28 by 26 Feet, finished in a very neat and convenient Manner; a new Kitchen 20 by 16 Feet, (under which is a small Stone Cellar); and a Stable. About Half the Tract is fine hard Marsh, which may easily be improved to very great Advantage: The other Part is very level, and of a good Soil: The Situation is very convenient for either a Merchant or Tavern Keeper. Also a Lot of Ground in the Town of Nottingham, whereon is a very good Stone-House 30 Feet square, with a good Store Room, Lumber Room, Compting Room, with a Brick Chimney thereto, and a Lodging Room, on the first Floor: Above Stairs there is Three good Rooms, compleatly finished, and in good Repair; there is also a good Cellar under the House, the full Size thereof, with Three convenient Rooms therein. The Whole to be Sold together, or separate, as the Purchaser chooses, for London Bills of Exchange, Sterling or Current Money, upon very reasonable Terms.

All Persons Indebted to the Estate of *Calumna Beanes*, late Deceased, are desired to settle and discharge their respective Balances by the Tenth Day of February next; otherwise they may depend on being Sued and Warranted, without Respect to Persons.

(11)

WILLIAM BEANES, Executor.

MR. CHARLES WALLACE having given me up his Business of STAY-MAKING, and furnished me with a compleat Assortment of GOODS for carrying it on; I hereby give Notice to his Customers and Others, who shall please to Employ me, That their Orders for STAYS will be Executed in the best Manner; and as the Business cannot be carried on but at a great Expence, I hope they will always contrive me the Money as soon as possible, after receiving the Stays, as I shall allow a considerable Abatement in the Prices, for prompt Pay, or Three Months Credit.

(11)

JOSEPH FOARD.

ALL Persons who are Indebted to *Lawrence Spencer*, Esq; of Liverpool, for Dealings either with Himself, or with his late Factors in Maryland, are desired to pay their respective Balances to the Subscriber, who is properly authorized to receive the same.

It is hoped that such Persons as can pay directly, will, from a Consideration of the long Indulgence they already have had, make a Point of doing it. And those whose Circumstances are such as to require still some further Time, must (if they chuse to avoid being Sued and Warranted) come to the Subscriber at *Piscataway*, and settle their Accounts to his Satisfaction, otherwise they may depend on Severity being used.

I have remaining on Hand for Sale, Fifteen Crates of Flint Stone Ware, consisting of Dishes and Plates, Tea Ware, Mugs, Bowls, &c. &c. Four Tierces of Bottled Beer, about Ten Hundred Weight of *British Refined Sugar*, from 15 d. to 26 per Pound, and 20 Dozen of Mens Leather and Womens Stuff Shoes, neat and fashionable; which I will sell at a reasonable Rate, for Cash or Tobacco.

(11)

W. SYDEBOTHAM.

TO BE SOLD,



A NEW SCHOONER, of about 30 Tons Burthen, a prime Sailer, and compleatly Rigged: As also a likely NEGRO MAN, who has been bred to the Water, and is a good Pilot.

5 BARIAH MAYBURY.

THE Subscribers having set up the BLOCK-MAKER'S BUSINESS, at the late Mr. Jacob's, on the Dock in Annapolis, hereby give Notice to the Public, That they may be supplied with all Sorts of BLOCKS and PUMPS for Ships, &c. &c. at the most reasonable Rates, and on the shortest Notice. Such as will favour them with their Custom, will confer a particular Obligation on Their most humble Servants;

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BARIAH MAYBURY,

JOHN GREEN.

CLISH, near ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

January 31, 1765.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, by the Subscriber, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of John Colvill, Gentleman, deceased, and pursuant to the said Will, on the 8th Day of May next ensuing, at the House of Mr. Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, Maryland, for Sterling Money, Bills of Exchange, or Current Money of Pennsylvania, Maryland, or Virginia, at the current Rates of Exchange.

A VERY valuable Tract of LAND called *Merryland*, containing 6300 Acres, being and lying in the said County of Frederick, along the lower Side of the *Shanados Mountain*, and the Banks of *Patowmack River*, within 12 or 13 Miles of the said Frederick-Town and Court-House, where great Trade and Business is carried on. It is very convenient for a Dutch Settlement, as many of those People live on the neighbouring Lands about it: Is well Wooded and Watered, and near to two large Iron-Works. It will be Sold all together, or in Parcels, as may best suit. A Year's Credit will be given for one Half of the Purchase Money (if desired) upon giving good Security, and paying Interest. A Plat of the said Tract will be left at the House of Mr. Charlton aforesaid, together with an authentick Copy of the Will of the said John Colvill.

THOMAS COLVILL.

N. B. This Tract was advertised in the *Maryland Gazette* of the 12th September last, to be sold on the 24th of April next, but as that will happen in the Time of the Provincial Court; it is therefore postponed to the Time aforesaid. (11) 5

THE Subscribers beg Leave to inform the PUBLIC, That they have lately Erected, at BALTIMORE-TOWN, in MARYLAND, A DISTILLERY for making RUM; which, (by many good Judges who have seen it) is allowed to be one of the largest, completest and best constructed STILL-HOUSE of any in NORTH-AMERICA: And having furnished themselves with an expert DISTILLER, and a plentiful Stock of MOLASSES, they purpose to carry on the DISTILLING BUSINESS extensively, and to supply constantly the Demand for Home-made RUM, at nearly the same as the *Philadelphia* Prices, at least on much lower Terms than the Province of MARYLAND has been generally supplied with that Article. The RUM already made by them has been highly approved by the best Judges, and deemed superior to either *Philadelphia* or *New-England* RUM; and they hope to give Satisfaction to the Public, as well as maintain their own Reputation, by continuing to make always of the same approved Quality.

As this Undertaking is so well calculated to promote the general Trade of the Province, and so convenient for supplying the Country Traders, Farmers, &c. who bring their Produce to Baltimore Market, as well as to promote the private Emolument of the Owners; it is hoped the Public will give proper Encouragement to a Branch of Trade so useful, and so much wanted in the Province.

Any Gentlemen wanting Quantities of RUM for Exportation, by giving timely Notice may be supplied, and proper Allowance made to such, by Their humble Servants,

SAMUEL & ROBERT PURVIANCE, & Comp

JUST IMPORTED from LONDON, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at the Head of the Dock in Annapolis, by Capt. Ward formerly kept Store.

A LARGE Assortment of EUROPEAN AND EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable for the Season, on very reasonable Terms, by Wholesale or Retail, for ready Money, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit.

COLIN CAMPBELL.

A LIST of the Numbers which came up PRIZES, in the Upper Cross-Road LOTTERY, in Baltimore County.

PRIZES of THIRTY SHILLINGS each.

4	75	170	256	344	420	527	593	686	817	872
10	86	171	257	352	423	530	607	697	822	875
19	93	173	258	355	429	532	618	702	823	877
22	97	177	264	359	443	534	620	704	825	902
24	98	184	265	360	451	535	623	710	827	907
25	101	185	266	365	452	542	626	724	832	944
26	105	187	269	373	453	545	632	737	833	915
27	107	188	275	377	473	547	634	742	837	916
30	112	197	279	378	478	549	640	744	841	922
34	113	198	284	381	479	560	651	747	846	924
39	115	200	293	387	480	562	652	764	847	925
41	124	212	298	388	481	563	653	766	852	939
43	130	220	306	390	484	564	662	777	856	943
44	134	225	310	398	494	567	666	779	858	947
54	137	226	314	406	495	574	667	785	859	950
63	140	229	315	408	496	578	670	792	860	967
65	142	232	320	412	501	582	675	802	864	977
66	149	239	331	417	512	587	679	807	867	981
69	158	240	332	418	518	589	681	810	869	991
73	166	246	333	419	522	591	685	814	870	998

PRIZES of FORTY SHILLINGS and UPWARDS.

N ^o .	£.	s.	d.	N ^o .	£.	s.	d.	N ^o .	£.	s.	d.
16	2	:	10	349	10	:	0	717	2	:	0
29	2	:	0	354	2	:	10	732	2	:	10
46	2	:	10	361	2	:	0	739	10	:	0
48	2	:	0	363	10	:	0	741	2	:	0
58	2	:	0	384	2	:	10	746	10	:	0
70	2	:	0	386	2	:	0	758	2	:	10
77	2	:	0	394	10	:	0	770	2	:	10
94	5	:	0	402	5	:	0	783	5	:	0
95	2	:	10	405	5	:	0	784	2	:	0
106	2	:	0	410	2	:	10	787	2	:	10
119	2	:	0	444	5	:	0	788	2	:	0
125	2	:	10	450	2	:	0	794	2	:	0
127	100	:	0	457	2	:	0	795	2	:	10
138	20	:	0	466	5	:	0	798	2	:	0
153	2	:	0	472	2	:	10	804	2	:	10
155	2	:	0	503	5	:	0	815	2	:	10
157	50	:	0	505	20	:	0	816	2	:	10
161	2	:	10	521	30	:	0	818	5	:	0
162	2	:	0	566	2	:	0	843	2	:	0
204	2	:	0	571	2	:	0	854	2	:	0
203	2	:	0	579	50	:	0	863	40	:	0
213	2	:	10	583	2	:	10	868	2	:	10
219	5	:	0	602	2	:	10	876	2	:	0
222	2	:	0	604	5	:	0	879	2	:	0
223	2	:	0	615	2	:	0	895	2	:	0
231	2	:	10	619	2	:	10	896	2	:	0
280	2	:	0	636	2	:	10	904	2	:	10
289	2	:	0	639	2	:	10	923	2	:	10
292	20	:	0	643	2	:	0	929	2	:	10
305	2	:	10	648	2	:	0	930	2	:	0
311	2	:	0	657	2	:	10	933	2	:	10
312	2	:	0	668	2	:	10	935	2	:	0
313	2	:	0	671	1	:	10	958	2	:	0
318	2	:	0	684	20	:	0	964	2	:	0
321	2	:	10	688	2	:	10	967	2	:	0
330	10	:	0	692	2	:	0	969	2	:	0
336	2	:	10	693	2	:	10	971	2	:	0
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B O S T O N, February 7.

WE hear from Duxbury in the County of Plymouth, That on Monday Night the 4th of this Instant February, the Dwelling House of Dr. Eleazer Harlow, was entirely consumed by Fire, together with all the Furniture, Goods, &c. that was in the House, to a very great Value.—The Fire was not discovered until the Family were surrounded with Flames, which was about Midnight; the Doctor with great Difficulty escaped, with only his Shirt on him, one of his Arms was much burnt, and Mrs. Harlow had but just Time to save herself by jumping out of the Chamber Window, with only her Shift on.—But what is most melancholy, an only Daughter of the Doctor's about 13 Years of Age, and an only Daughter of Mrs. Harlow's, named Dabney, about 11 Years of Age, both perished in the Flames. It is not known how the Fire happened, but it is supposed by the Mantle-piece, or a Beam under one of the Hearths.

A few Days ago, at a House at the North End, the Nurse having left a Child in a Room below, while she went above-stairs, it fell into the Fire, and scorched its Face and Hands to a great Degree: But what rendered it still more an Object of Commiseration was, a live Coal got down its Back, which was not discovered till a considerable Time afterwards when it was undressed, the Fire having penetrated almost to the Bone.—It is hoped Accidents of this Kind will be a sufficient Inducement to Nurses to be very careful how to leave Children exposed to such Casualties.

PROVIDENCE, (N.E.) February 9.
Captain Angell, who lately arrived here from Montego-Bay, in Jamaica, informs us, That a few Days before he sailed from thence, which was on the 17th of December last, Advice was received from Spanish-Town, that the Negroes in and about that Place, who are very numerous, had formed a horrid Conspiracy for massacring all the white Inhabitants, and taking Possession of their Estates; for which Purpose they had actually provided a large Magazine of Arms and Ammunition of almost every Kind, at a little Distance from the Town, which being happily discovered, their whole Plot was laid open, before it was quite ripe for Execution: That many of the Ringleaders were apprehended and secured, and would soon meet with their Deserts; and that every necessary Precaution was pursuing, to preserve the Tranquillity of the Island.—These rebellious Negroes, it appears, intended to have begun their Operations on Christmas Day, by murdering all the white People in Spanish-Town, and after that to march to Kingston, and every other Place, and repeat the same cruel Scene, till they had gained the Mastery of the whole Island, in which they expected the cheerful Assistance of numerous Bodies of their Fellow-Slaves. Notwithstanding this seasonable Discovery, it was expected at Montego-Bay, that Martial Law would be declared in a few Days.

Extract of a Letter from London, dated Nov. 30.

—The Ministry, by Death and other Accidents, are mouldered away almost to nothing. The Ministry are now employed in preparing some Bills against next Sessions, which will render them very popular; and they have, in particular, under their serious Consideration, the Purchase of the Superiority of the Isle of Man, which hath been, for many Years, the Grand Theatre of Smuggling. This will increase the Revenue to a prodigious Degree. I have also the Pleasure to acquaint you, that, by the unusual Care of the Officers of the Revenue, and by some excellent Regulations lately made in it, as well as by the great Increase of our Commerce in general, the Sinking Fund hath this Year much exceeded Two Millions; a Sum which a Man, in high Office, told me the other Day, neither their Hopes nor Wishes ever presumed to reach before.

N E W - Y O R K, February 25.

ON Monday the 4th of February, was held a Meeting of the Society, when several Sums of Money were agreed to be lent to encourage industrious Persons in the Linen Branch.

Resolved, That a honorary Gold Medal be given for each of the Three first Flax Mills that shall be erected in this Province.

Resolved, That Mr. Lamb, Mr. Armstrong, and Mr. Wells, be a Committee to get made 50 Flax Spinning-Wheels, Ten Reels, and Two Looms and Reeds; to be paid for out of the Society's Funds, and lent out, or sold on easy Terms, by said Committee.

The Committee for Agriculture made their Report respecting the Mode of Proof, on the Articles formerly proposed by them; which Articles and Proofs requisite, are as follows.

Report of the Committee for Agriculture, concerning a Mode of Proof for Premiums on Agriculture, February 14, 1765.

AS it would be of great Importance, that the most considerable Persons in this Colony should have Opportunities of assisting their Neighbours, and of discovering to this Society, and Others, the best Manner of Culture by Experiments: The Committee would recommend the following Requisites, as well as the ascertaining the Quantity and Quality of the Articles that may be entitled to the Premiums on Agriculture, viz.

For the greatest Quantities of Flax. The Farmer is to make it appear to the Satisfaction of one of the Members of the Society, or of a Minister of the Gospel, or of a Justice of the Peace for the County, and of two reputable neighbouring Farmers, that he has raised such a Quantity of good merchantable swinged Flax in 1765. And also it is desired of the Claimants, that they give a particular Account of the Place, Soil, Condition, and Extent of the Ground; the Season, Steps of the Culture; and, as near as may be, an Estimate of the Value of the Labour. All, or any three of which Persons, are to give a Certificate that they are well convinced of the above Particulars, which being sent to the Secretary of the Society, on or before the first Monday of January, 1766, shall entitle the Claimants to stand regularly for the respective Premiums.

For the greatest Quantities of Flax off one Acre. Claims for the Premiums to be exactly in the same Way as for the former.

Hemp. The same Mode of Proof as above.

Hemp-Seed off one Acre. The same Manner of Proof as above.

Swamp, or Bog Meadow. Mode of Proof the same with the above, and also the Certificates are to mention the Quantities of the several Seeds sown in the specified Spots, and to be sent, on or before the first Monday of August, 1766.

Ground for Grass-Seed. Mode of Proof the same as for Swamp. Certificates to be sent, on or before the first Monday of November, 1766.

Thorn-Hedge. Mode of Proof the same as for Swamp.

Hops. Mode of Proof the same as for Flax. Certificates to be sent, on or before the first Monday of November, 1766.

Barley. Mode of Proof the same as for Hops.

Cheeses. Certificates from any three of the above named Persons, that they were made on the Claimant's Farms, to be sent along with the Cheeses, on or before the first Monday of November, 1765.

Mules. Any three of the above named Persons to certify the Truth of their being soaled the Property of the Claimant, and Certificates to be sent, on or before the first Monday of August, 1767.

Nursery of Apple-Trees. Certificates of the Number, properly setting them out and enclosing them, from any three of the above named Persons, to be sent, on or before the first Monday of December, 1767.

Monday the 18th Instant, was held a Meeting of the Society, when Mr. Lamb, presented three several Designs for Medals, which are to be farther considered. Some Proposals were offered for Premiums on different Articles, which agreeable to the Society's Rules, will be determined upon at a future Meeting.

The following Questions were proposed, and agreed to be debated at their next Meeting, on Monday the 4th of March, after the ordinary Business of the Evening is finished.

1st. Whether a Paper Currency is of Advantage to this Colony?

2d. Whether settling the remote Parts of the Province will be of Advantage to Great-Britain, and the lower Parts of the Colony; and if so, what will be the best Method of effecting such Settlements.

It is hoped the Members of the Society will be prepared to give their Sentiments on these interesting Topics either verbally or in Writing; and such as are at a Distance, and have any Thing to offer, are desired to communicate the same by Letter, directed to the Secretary.

Any of the Members of the Society, or Others, that have Questions to propose for the Consideration of the Society, are desired to notify them to the Secretary, who will enter them; and for the future some will be agreed on, at each Meeting, to be debated at the following.

Speedily will be published by Order of the Society, The Plan of their Institution, standing Rules, and List of the Members, with an Account of their Proceedings: To which will be added, some of the most approved Methods in sundry Articles of Husbandry, &c. Which Publications will be occasionally continued.

Published by Order of the Society,

BENJAMIN KISSAM, Secretary.

PHILADELPHIA, March 7.

Extract of a Letter from Fort-Pitt, dated Jan 31.

"A Party of Mohawks, sent from this Post with a Message to the Shawanese Chiefs, are returned, without going to the Shawanese Towns, having met, about 30 Miles from hence, Beneviffa, a Shawanese Chief, coming here with the Virginia Volunteers, who went from Mankingham to the Lower Shawanese Town, to fetch their Relations, who were Prisoners there. The Mohawks therefore returned back with them, and delivered the Message here.

"Beneviffa informs, that when he left home, the Chiefs of his Nation, who went last Summer to visit the French, were within a Day's Journey of their Town, with about 50 Frenchmen, who all returned home, on hearing that the Shawanese had entered into Terms of Peace with the English.

"Beneviffa says, his Reasons for coming here now, were to fulfil his Promise made at Mankingham, viz. to take Care of the Virginians, assist them in getting their Relations, and see them safe to this Place; and likewise to hear from ourselves, whether we are still firm for Peace; as their Nation gave no Credit to the Reports of the Red Hawk and his Party.

"The Virginians have brought in 9 Captives; they were all Frost-bit before they reached Beaver Creek, where a Sergeant and 12 Men, with Horses and Provisions, were sent to their Assistance. The extreme Cold has been severely felt by the Prisoners, consisting chiefly of old Women and young Children. Beneviffa was of great Service to our People in his Country, and on their March thro' the Woods. He says that the rest of the Prisoners were obliged to stop till the Spring at Wakatamiki, on Account of the deep Snow; but that a Number of Hostages will immediately arrive here, to replace those who foolishly ran away.

"The Weather has been so uncommonly severe at this Post, that both Rivers have been passable on the Ice these six Weeks."

LIST of CAPTIVES delivered up by the Shawanese at Mackinawack, and arrived at Fort Pitt, Jan. 5, 1765, all taken in Virginia:

"Mary and Miriam Hamilton, Jane Gilmore, Mary Bird, Elizabeth Yokam, Elizabeth Filkins, Elizabeth Counihan, Mary and David Williams."

At a Meeting of the Hibernia Fire-Company of this City, on the 4th Inst. from Motives of Frugality, and in order to reduce the present high Price of Mutton, and encourage the Breweries of Pennsylvania, it was agreed not to purchase any Lamb this Season, or drink any foreign Beer.

In order to encourage and increase the Growth of Sheep in this Province, it was agreed, at a Meeting of the Fellowship Fire-Company, on the 4th Instant, that none of their Members do buy or expend any Lamb-Meat in their Families the ensuing Season.

A Rumour is spread here of some Discoveries being made of an extraordinary Nature; but as we know not what Foundation there is for such Rumour, we shall defer saying any thing on that Head. However, we know the Troops quartered here have Orders to march under Arms to Church next Sunday, and to be supplied with 16 Rounds of Powder and Ball each Man.

DUBLIN, January 12.

Extract of a Letter from Waterford, Jan. 9. 1765.

"We are in great Hopes here, that the whole Plot of the White Boys will be discovered, which you may rely on was no less than an intended Rebellion.—Lord Carrick brought a Woman here last Saturday, who, it is expected, will discover the whole. We have a French Officer in Prison here."

PHILADELPHIA, March 14.

By the New-York Post we have the following Article from London, dated December 13.

On Monday Evening last the ingenious Dr. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN arrived here from Philadelphia, in Consequence of an Appointment from the General Assembly there, to assist in transacting the Affairs of that Province for the ensuing Year.

ANNAPOLIS, March 21.

It is generally supposed, That the April Provincial Court, which is to meet on the second Tuesday of the Month, will be Adjourned for some Time, on account of the Small-Pox being in Town: But as many are inoculated, and Others daily inoculating, it is not improbable but in a few Weeks the Town will be clear of it.

THE Gentlemen who have engaged HEMP-SEED from me, are desired to send for it, or I shall be forced to part with it. The Season for Sowing is from the Middle of April to the Beginning of June. (4th) STEPHEN WEST.

CHESTER-TOWN RACES.

TO be Run for, upon the second Wednesday in May next, upon the usual Race-Ground near the Town, a Purse of FORTY PISTOLES, free for any Number of Horses, Mares, or Geldings, (Mr. Galloway's Horse *Selim*, and Mr. Water's Horse *True Briton*, only excepted,) upon the following Terms, viz. To Run the best Two in Three Heats, four Times round the Poles for each Heat, to carry 10 Stone, Saddle and Bridle included, and the Horse, &c. winning Two Heats, to be intitled to the Purse, and not less than Three reputed Running Horses to Enter and Start, or no Race.

The Day following will be Run for, upon the Ground aforesaid, by Half Bloods, or under, Weight for Age, a Purse of TWENTY PISTOLES, upon the Terms following, viz. four Years old to carry 8 Stone and 7 Pounds, 5 Years old 9 Stone, and 6 Years old or upwards 10 Stone, Saddle and Bridle included, and to Run twice round the Poles to each Heat, and the Horse, &c. winning Two Heats, to win the Purse.

Horses, &c. to be Entered with Mr. James Porter, two Days before Running, and pay Two Pistoles Entrance for the First, and One Pistole for the Second Day's Race.

It is expected that proper Vouchers for the Age and Breed of the Horses, &c. that are to Run the second Day, will be produced, otherwise they will not be suffer'd to start.

All Disputes will be determined by Judges to be appointed for that Purpose. *J. Nicholson*

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, in LONDON-TOWN,

A TRACT of LAND lying in Prince-George's County, called *Chants Encreased*, containing 166 Acres, (Part of which may be made a good Meadow) whereon is a new Dwelling-House 20 Feet by 16, a new Log Kitchen 16 Feet by 12, a Corn-House 20 Feet by 12, a Hen-House 16 Feet by 12, a Tobacco-House 40 Feet by 22, and an exceeding fine Orchard, containing 90 odd Apple Trees, a great many Peach and Cherry Trees, and 12800 and odd Fence Logs.

The said Tract adjoins to a Tract of Land belonging to Mr. Jeremiah Berry, called the *Levels*, and is about 4 Miles from the Eastern Branch of Potomack.

Any Person inclinable to purchase, shall be shewn the Land, and the Title, by applying to

WILLIAM BROWN.

THOMAS SPARROW, GOLDSMITH and JEWELLER, ADELPHIA, OPEN'D SHOP CHURCH, in STREET, MARYLAND.



MAKES all Sorts of GOLD and SILVER WORK, such as Tureens, Tea Kettles, Bread Baskets, Chafing Dishes, Coffee Pots, Butter Boats, large and small Waiters holding from 1 Glas to 18, Stuted Soup Ladles, Tankards of all Sizes, Sugar Dishes, Punch Bowls, Tea Pots, Cream Pots, Quart, Pint, and Half Pint Cans, Slop Bowls, Porringers, Soup Spoons, Table Spoons of all Sorts, Pap Dittos, Tea Dittos, round Salts, Casters, Virgin Candlesticks, Pepper Boxes, Punch Strainers, Tea Dittos, Tea Tongs plain or pierc'd, chas'd, pierc'd, gadroon'd, and plain Sword Hilt, carv'd and plain Stock Buckles, Sleeve Buckles, carv'd, pierc'd, and plain Shoe and Knee Buckles, Heart and Diamond Breast Buckles, Broaches, Rings, Coat and Jacket Buttons of all Sizes and Fashions, Tortoiseshell Buttons tip with Silver, Sleeve Buttons and Studs of all Sorts, Stock Clasps, Shoe Dittos, Pocket Book Dittos, Whistle and Bells chas'd or plain, Whip and Cane Heads, chas'd and plain Snuff Boxes, Shell Dittos tip with Gold and Silver, Silver Spurs, Scissar and Pincushion Chains, and Hearts, Watch Chains of all Sorts, Seals of all Sorts, Thimbles, Spectacle Rims and Cases, Arm, Hair, and Wrist Plates, for Indians, Gorgets, and all Sorts of Work for Traders, Garter Buckles, Belt Dittos, Waistband Dittos, Gold Buttons and Studs, Gold Thimbles, Gold Rings, Tortoiseshell Rings lined with Gold, Motto Rings, and Stone Motto Rings, with 1, 2, or 3 Doors, to lock, for secret Names, and to contain Hair, (such as was never made before) Gold Lockets, Doctors Instruments of all Sorts, Silver Pipes, Masons Medals and Instruments, ParLOUR Sconces, Candlesticks, Barometers, Antiguars, Hydrometers, Ivory Cups and Balls, Ivory Rules, Billiard Balls, Dies, Maces, Guns and Pistols mounted with Silver, Engraving Plates, Cyphers, and Letters at a Penny each Letter, and manufactures all Kinds of Stones.

N. B. The said THOMAS SPARROW intends to Sell at the Philadelphia Prices, and marks all his Work with the Word **STERLING**, which will prevent Impositions that are too often practised, to the Prejudice of the Buyers, and much to the Discredit of true Professors of this Business.

He gives the best Prices for old Gold, Silver, Chrysal or Baltimore Stones, Copper, Brads, Pewter, and Lead; and will engage to Clean and Keep all his PLATE WORK in Repair for 7 Years *Gratis*.

Blandfield, Essex County, Virginia, Feb. 5, 1765.

TO BE SOLD.

SEVERAL Thousand Acres of LAND, in Augusta County, in Virginia, Part known by the Name of *Beverley Manor*, and the Remainder, about Five Thousand Acres, situated in the *Calf Pasture*. The said Land will be disposed of either in Parcels, or otherwise.

Any Person inclinable to purchase any Part of it, may know the Terms, by applying to Mr. Thomas Lewis, near Stanton, in Augusta, or to the Subscriber, who will attend at Stanton, at the ensuing May Court.

(1st) *M. Kay* ROBERT BEVERLEY.

To be SOLD on the Premises, by the Subscribers, Executors of William Disney, Deceased, on Monday the 8th Day of April, if fair, if not the next fair Day.

PART of a Tract of LAND called *TOWN-HILL*, containing One Hundred Acres, lying about 4 Miles from London-Town, has two good Orchards, a good Dwelling-House and Kitchen, a very good Meadow, and is well water'd & timber'd. Also a Parcel of likely Country, born SLAVES, all young, and some Draught Creatures.

(2nd) *J. B. 7th May* SARAH DISNEY, JAMES DISNEY.

Baltimore-Town, March 14. 1765.

WHEREAS we the Subscribers have given our Note of Hand, and Three Bonds, to the Amount of One Hundred Pounds, unto *Adam Selig*; the Note for Twenty-five Pounds is payable some Time in May next, and each of the Bonds payable in every Year, to commence from the 8th Day of this Instant March, for a certain Tract of Land in Baltimore County: And the said *Selig* not being able to make a sufficient Title for the said Land, we therefore forewarn any Person from purchasing the said Note or Bonds, as we will not pay any the least Part of them.

CASPER KIRCHNER, LEONARD SOWLE.

STRAYD or STOLEN from the Subscriber, living near the Patapsco upper Ferry, a dark Bay Mare, near 15 Hands high, with a narrow Blaze in her Face, a Snip on her Nose, long Ears, Spang Tail, branded on the near Shoulder W, is a natural Pacer, and Battle-Hamm'd.

Whoever takes up the said Mare, and brings her to the Subscriber, or informs, so that she be had again, shall receive Five Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

August 14. 1764.

WILLIAM MILLER.

N. B. She is supposed to be stole by those notorious Horse-stealers, the *FERROLS*, who lately broke out of Annapolis Prison.

On Thursday the 28th Day of March, will be sold by Public Vendue, between the Hours of III and IV o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Upper-Marlborough, in Prince-George's County, for ready Cash, or good Bills of Exchange,

AN Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, Value about Seven Hundred Pounds prime Cost, some Wine, Rum, Soap, and Sperma-Ceti Candles.

Likewise, Eleven valuable NEGROES, being 3 Men, 3 Women, 2 Girls, and 3 Children.

An Inventory of the Goods may be seen, by any Person inclinable to purchase, on Application to Mr. Samuel Hepburn, at the late Store kept by Messieurs Symmers.

CHARLES GRAHAM.

Lower-Marlborough, March 14. 1765.

THE Creditors of ALEXANDER SYMMER and ANDREW SYMMER, are desired to meet at the House of Mr. Benjamin Brooks, in Upper-Marlborough, on Wednesday the first Day of May next, between the Hours of XI and XII o'Clock in the Forenoon, that they may signify their Consent to accept of their several Proportions of the Estate of the said Alexander Symmer and Andrew Symmer, pursuant to the several Trusts, Uses, Intent, and Purposes, upon which the said Alexander Symmer and Andrew Symmer have conveyed all their Estates, real and personal, to WILLIAM MOLLESON of LONDON, Merchant, when the Deeds will be laid before them by the Subscriber, who is empowered by the Trusts, to fulfil and carry into Execution the said Trusts. And the Creditors aforesaid are desired to take Notice, that unless they shall signify their Consent to accept of their several Proportions of the Estate aforesaid, within one Year and one Day from the Date hereof, they will be precluded from receiving any Part of the said Estate, and that after such Consent given, any Creditor refusing to give a full and absolute Discharge of his whole Debt to them the said Alexander Symmer and Andrew Symmer, is likewise precluded from having or receiving any Part or Dividend of the said Estate.

(2nd) CHARLES GRAHAM.

ANY Person that understands SLITTING of SLATE, may hear of good Encouragement by applying to the Printing-Office.

JUST IMPORTED, in the Brigantine Nancy, from Liverpool, but left from Cork, and to be SOLD,

A Quantity of FINE SALT, best *Cheshire* CHEESE, Earthen Ware, the best *Cork* Malt Tierce BEEF, fine Role and Violet Irish BUTTER, OATMEAL, Seed and Eating Irish POTATOES, and a few SERVANTS.


Also, the usual Assortment of European and India GOODS. Likewise, to be Charter'd, the Whole or Part of the said Brigantine NANCY.

(1st) WILLIAM ROBERTS.

N. B. He will give a Bushel of SALT for a Bushel and Half of CORN.

WANTS Employment, and may be heard of at the *Printing-Office* in *Annapolis*. A single MAN, about 40 Years old, was brought up in the Farming Business, and is acquainted with the Method of Farming in many Counties in England, and can make any Sort of Farming Utensils, and can do Carpenter's or Joiner's Business, hath been about 5 Years in the Country, and can produce ample Testimonials of his Honesty, Sobriety, and good Behaviour, with Security if required. Any Letters, free of Postage, directed for J. C. at the *Printing-Office*, will be Answered. (N^o 2)

NOTICE is hereby given, That the Vestry of St. John's, commonly called King-George's Parish, in Prince-George's County, will meet at their Vestry-Room at *Broad-Creek*, on *Baker-Monday* next, when they will be ready to receive the Proposals of such who may be desirous to undertake the Enlargement of their Parish Church, in Pursuance of an Act of Assembly for that Purpose. The Work is to be executed in Brick, and will be a considerable Jobb. By Order of the Vestry, JOHN SUTTON, Register. (N^o 4)

 **THE** Brigantine *Free-mason*, JOHN McKIRDY, Master, now lying in the Dock at *Annapolis*, is fitting out with all Expedition for Sea, and will, by the Middle of next Month, be ready to proceed to any River on the Western or Eastern Shore, where a Certainty can be had of her getting Loaded soon. She will carry 350 Hogheads, and is a prime Sailer. She will take in Tobacco at Seven Pounds Sterling per Ton, with Liberty of Confinement to any Merchant in *London*. Those Gentlemen who have a Mind to take the Advantage of so early an Opportunity to Market, are desired to send a Line to the Subscribers of the Quantity they are willing to Ship, and the Time they can be ready. (N^o 1) CHARLES WALLACE & Company.

NOTICE is hereby given to the several Creditors of Mr. REGINALD GRAHAME, That he has Conveyed all his Estate, Effects, Debts, &c. in Trust to his greatest Creditors, DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME, JAMES FORBES, and STEPHEN WEST, for the Use of the Trustees, and all the Rest of the Creditors. It is hoped there will be no great Loss, if the Creditors agree, and Mr. Grahame is not run to further Law Charges. The Creditors are desired to meet at *Upper-Marlborough* on Tuesday the 26th of March with their respective Claims, or impower some Person to act for them. The Deed is Recorded in the Provincial Office. (N^o 6)

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, A CONVICT SERVANT MAN, who has upwards of Six Years to serve, and is a Shoemaker by Trade. Likewise about Ten Thousand Weight of Seal and Upper Leather (as good as any made in America); a Quantity of Tann'd Sheep Skins, fit for Saddlers Use; a large Quantity of ready made Shoes and Boots; Train Oil, Lampblack, Copperas, and most Sorts of Things that are made use of in the Shoemaking Way, very Cheap, by (N^o 1) THOMAS HYDE.

N. B. The Subscriber desires all those that are any Way Indebted to him, to make Payment, and hopes they will take this for a Demand.

RAN away, the 13th of January last, from the Subscriber, living near *Upper-Marlborough*, in Prince-George's County, a Country-born Servant Man, named William Thackfield, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, a pert, fresh looking, young Fellow, about 21 or 22 Years of Age, wears his own Hair, tied behind, which is very black, and has a bad Impediment in his Speech. Had on when he went away, a Bearskin Coat, with a Velvet Cape, a blue Cloth Jacket, old Leather Breeches, new Shoes, and mill'd Worsted Stockings. He was an Orphan Boy brought up by one Mr. Davis on *Elk-Ridge*, and from thence removed near *Bladenburg*, where he was under the Necessity of becoming a Servant. Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him home, or secures him in any Jail, so as his Master may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, paid by (N^o 4) HENRY BROOKS.

To be SOLD, in the first Tuesday of April next, at the House of ORLANDO SMITH, in Prince-George's County, near *Bladenburg*.

TWO Hundred Acres of LAND, to be entered upon next Fall. Also, Four Negroes, a Cart and Yoke of Oxen, sundry Household Goods, and Stock of Horses and Cattle. (N^o 4) 3 DAVID ROSS.

York Furnace, Maryland, February 4, 1765. **R**AN away from the Subscriber, an English Servant Man, named William Hales, speaks the West Country Dialect, has been about 8 Years in the Country, of low Stature, short black Hair: Had on when he went away, a blue Broadcloth Coat, with white Metal Buttons, an Offshirts Shirt, Trowsers made of Ravens Duck, old Hat and Stockings, and a new Pair of Shoes. Whoever takes up the said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, if taken within 20 Miles of the said Furnace; if above that Distance Thirty Shillings, and reasonable Charges, paid by (N^o 4) BENJAMIN SWOPE.

N. B. It is expected the above-mentioned Servant may stop about the Head of *Severn*, as it is said he has a Brother-in-Law lives near that Place, by Trade a Sail-maker.

Virginia, February 27, 1765. **R**AN away from the Subscriber, on *Rappahannock River*, on Friday Night the 15th Instant, Three Servant Men, imported last Summer in the *Molly*, from *London*, viz.

John Morris, a Groom and Farmer, about 35 Years old, and 5 Feet 10 Inches high, stoops as he walks, of a fair Complexion, thin faced, very slow in his Speech. Had on when he went away, a Bearskin Jacket and Breeches lined with white Plaiding, trimm'd with black Horn Buttons, old Velvet Cap, and a Worsted one, notwithstanding his own Hair, which is not very long; and has a Wig with him, Plaid Stockings, and Country-made Shoes.

James Plato, by Trade a Gardener, about 30 Years old, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, well made, and very talkative. Had on when he went away, a Bearskin Jacket and Breeches lined with white Plaiding, trimm'd with black Horn Buttons, old brown Cut Wig, Felt Hat, brown Linen Shirt, Plaid Stockings, and Country-made Shoes.

John Wood, a Sailor, about 40 or 40 odd Years old, of a dark Complexion, 5 Feet 8 Inches high. Had on when he went away, a Felt Hat, old grey Cut Wig, blue Fearnought Jacket, with black Horn Buttons, Cotton Drawers, old brown Linen Trowsers, brown Linen Shirt, Plaid Stockings, and Country-made Shoes.

The above Men stole a Boat cielel in the Inside. She was built for a Ferry Boat, and will carry 4 Horses in smooth Water. She is now pretty old, has had several Pieces of Plank put in her Bottom, built low, and very broad. They also stole and carried in her, a new Cast Chimney Back, 3 or 4 new Pails, Abundance of Rugs and Blankets, some of which I have room to think they will make use of for a Sail, and by what I can learn from my Servants, they used frequently to be talking of *Philadelphia*, where, I am told, Wood has been; therefore am inclined to think they will endeavour getting there, either by crossing the Bay to the Eastern Shore, or going along the Western Side under the Shore. Whoever takes up the above Servants, and delivers them to me on *Rappahannock River*, shall have Five Pounds Reward, if taken in this Colony: If out of it, Five Pounds for each, and so in Proportion for as many as are taken. The Boat would also be worth a Premium the delivering her to (N^o 3) X 3 ARCHIBALD RITCHIE.

Kingstown, Choptank River, Feb. 25, 1765. **C**APT. HENRY LIDDELL, of the Brigantine *Grinnis*, having, before his Departure from *Wicomico River*, for *LONDON*, in November last, left under my Care, to be delivered to the Owner when call'd for, Two Parcels, viz. A Matted Bundle, mark'd HL Stores, containing *Hamborough LINES*, and SAIL TWINE: A Hoghead, without Mark or Number, containing EARTHEN-WARE: I do hereby give Notice, that if said Goods are not applied for, on or before the First of April next, the same will be disposed of for the Benefit of the Owners, unknown. (N^o 4) X ANDREW MEIN.

Will be Exposed to Sale, at the next Provincial Court in April, for Ready Money or Bills of Exchange only.

THE HORSE called TANNER, lately belonging to Mrs. Harrison in England, and Imported last Summer in the *John and Samuel*, Capt. John Carling. He is about 15 Hands and an Inch high, of a dark brown Colour, and his Figure, by the best Judges, allow'd to be equal, if not superior, to any ever Imported into the Province. His Pedigree is too high to want the least Recommendation, and for his Performances the Reader is refer'd to *Heber's Book of Racing* in 1761 and 62.

Likewise, To be Let, The Subscriber's House in *Annapolis*, with a large Garden, Lot, Coach-House, Stabling for Four Horses, and a Bank Warehouse 80 Feet in Length. As also the Wind-Mill and Warehouse situated near Mrs. Bullen's. For further Particulars, enquire of *Walter Dulany*, Esq; in *Annapolis*, or of DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME.

AS I find myself under an indispensable Necessity of Collecting all Arrearages due to me as late Sheriff of *Frederick County*, I take this Method to acquaint such Persons as live in the distant Counties, and Others concerned, That I will attend for that Purpose, at the House of Mr. William Reynolds in *Annapolis*, during the first and second Weeks of the ensuing Provincial Court; and I flatter myself that those who are disposed to act justly, will then settle their several Accounts with me, as no further Indulgence can or will be given. This public Notice and Appointment, are intended, as well to prevent the frivolous Excuses of being unprovided, losing the Accounts, calling again, &c. &c. as to suit the Convenience of the several Debtors; it is therefore hoped those Gentlemen, whose Affairs may not require their personal Attendance at the Provincial Court, will transmit their Ballances by some Friend or Neighbour, as Opportunities at the above public Time may be easily met with, unless by such as are inclined to be ignorant of them. As I am determined that no Complaisance to any Persons whatever, shall induce me to sacrifice my own Credit, or suffer that of my Securities to be impeached, those who neglect paying a proper Regard to this Advertisement, may depend on seeing one more to the Purpose. THOMAS PRATHER, late Sheriff of *Frederick County*. (N^o 1)

To be LET, LEAS'D, or SOLD.

THE Dwelling-House in *ANNAPOLIS*, where JOHN JEUDY lately Lived, together with a small Brew-house, and all Necessaries for carrying on that Business, and a Quantity of Malt, with a good Stable, a large Garden, a Hop-yard, and a Spot of Meadow, which will be sold together or separate, as Parties can agree.

Likewise, a small Shallop to be sold very reasonable, for Terms apply to William Tiddell.

Also, to be Let, a very good Plantation, lying in *Frederick County, Virginia*, six Miles from *Sawwings Ferry*, whereon is a good Dwelling-house, Kitchen, Milk-house, Still-house, Stables, and Barns, with a great Quantity of Meadow, and all good Plow Land, 18 Acres with Wheat and Rye, and a good Orchard.

For Terms enquire of *Christian Overendureff*, in *Anti-Eatam*; or, *John Jeudy*, at *Whitehall*.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

BROKE out of *Anne-Arundel County Jail*, the Two following Persons, who were committed for Horse-Stealing:

John Ferrell, about 5 Feet high, wears his own Hair, and is about 22 Years old.

Dennis Ferrell, about 20 Years of Age, has black Hair, about 5 Feet 4 Inches high, and of a dark Complexion.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Fellows, so that the Subscriber may have them again, shall receive the above Reward, or Ten Pounds for either; and if brought to *Annapolis*, reasonable Charges will be allowed. JOSEPH GALLOWAY, Sheriff.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Subscriber, on Bond, Note of Hand, or Book Account, are requested to come, settle and pay their respective Ballances, on or before the first of April next, or they may expect to be Sued and Warranted, without further Notice. JOSEPH COWMAN.

JUST IMPORTED from LONDON, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store at the Head of the Dock in Annapolis, where Capt. Ward formerly kept Store.

A LARGE Assortment of EUROPEAN AND EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable for the Season, on very reasonable Terms, by Wholesale or Retail, for ready Money, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit.

COLIN CAMPBELL.

NATHANIEL ADAMS, BLOCK-MAKER,

HAVING supplied himself with the best of Liquors, and having good Stabling, hereby gives Notice to the Public, That he has opened TAVERN, at his House near the Dock, in ANNAPOLES, where all Gentlemen Travellers, and Others, who are so kind as to favour him with their Custom, will meet with the best of Usage, and the kindest Entertainment, from

Their humble Servant,

(17) NATHANIEL ADAMS.

N. B. He carries on all the Branches of the BLOCK-MAKER'S Business as usual.

By Virtue of a Writ of *Venditioni Exponat*, to me directed, from the Commissioners or Trustees of the Paper Currency Office, against the Lands and Tenements of Samuel Brashears, senior, late of Prince-George's County, deceased, to pay and satisfy the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds Current Money, due to the said Office: Public Notice is hereby given, That on Wednesday the 10th Day of March, between the Hours of 11 and 12 o'clock, in the Afternoon, at the House of Mr. Benjamin Brookes in Upper-Marlborough, will be exposed to Sale, the following Parcels of Land, viz. *Brookside's Delight*, Part *Gleanings*, *Leavings*, and *Little North*, containing in the Whole 184 Acres; that, at the Return of the Writ, I may have the Money ready, as I am commanded.

(37) GEORGE SCOTT, Sheriff of Prince-George's County.

WHEREAS the Rev^d. Mr. MORRIS, of *Garthbire* in the County of Montgomery, in the Year 1755, took the Resolution of leaving his native Country, and went to the Rev^d. Mr. JONES, Rector of St. Stephen's and Augustine Parishes, in Cecil County, Maryland, where he made some Stay: But his Friends have had no late Accounts of him. If said MORRIS be still Alive, he may hear of something much to his Advantage, by applying to the Subscriber living in Baltimore-Town, Maryland. Or, if he is Dead, the Subscriber will be much obliged to any Person that is acquainted with the Particulars of his Death, to inform him by Letter or otherwise.

(87) JOHN MERRYMAN, junr.

TWELVE Hundred Bushels of INDIAN CORN at Two Shillings and Six Pence per Bushel; also Two Hundred of WHEAT at Four; which may be purchased of the Subscriber, near Lower-Marlborough, for Ready Money.

(67) JOHN HAMILTON SMITH.

HENDRICK ISSLER, who lately came Passenger in the *Nancy*, Capt. Thompson, from Rotterdam, to Patuxent River, in this Province, be Alive, and will apply to Thomas Jones, in Baltimore-Town, he will hear of Something to his Advantage.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from Deer-Creek, in the upper Part of Baltimore County, Abraham Everhart, Taylor, a German, speaks broken English very quick, something like the Neutral French, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a dark Complexion, and black Hair. Had on when he went away, a blue Surcoat Coat; his other Cloaths not known, as he had several Suits with him belonging to Gentlemen who had given him Cloth to make up, and carried away with him a Quantity of blue Broadcloth, and Trimmings, the Number of Yards not known. He rode a remarkable small, pretty, black Horse. Whoever takes up and secures the said Everhart, so that he may be had again, and gives Information to the Subscriber near Deer-Creek, shall receive the above Reward, and reasonable Charges.

NATHANIEL JOHN GILES.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of Col. JOHN ADDISON, late of Prince-George's County, Deceased, are requested to make speedy Payment: And all those who have any legal Claims on the said Deceased's Estate, are desired to bring in their respective Claims, that they may be adjusted and paid.

(11) THOMAS ADDISON, junr. Executor.

Baltimore County, February 4, 1765. To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, at Public Vendue, at the House of Abraham Andrews near the Premises, on the first Monday in April,

ATRACT of LAND containing Five Hundred ACRES, called and known by the Name of *Darnall's Silvinia*, lying on the Great Falls of Gunpowder River, and about Five Miles from the Nottingham Iron-Works.

Any Person inclinable to purchase, may be shewn the Land before the Day of Sale, and be acquainted with the Title and Terms, by applying to

(77) WILLIAM YOUNG.

WHEREAS one JOHN HUNT, who left England, and in the Year 1748 lived in St. Paul's Parish, Baltimore County, Maryland, as a Saddler, and removed to Westmore Parish in the same County; from thence, 'tis said, he went to Cumberland in Georgia, and from thence to St. Augustine; and in January, 1764, as it is also said, he ordered a Cargo of Goods from London, to be directed to Messrs. Barton and Rogett in St. Augustine, to be left with Messrs. Hoopers and Sewall, in Charles-Town, South-Carolina: If the said John Hunt be still Alive, and will apply to the Subscriber, living in Baltimore-Town, Maryland, he will hear of something to his Advantage. If he is Dead, which is most likely, any Person that will bring a proper Certificate of his Death to the Subscriber, shall receive a REWARD of FIVE GUINEAS.

(127) JOHN MERRYMAN, junior.

TO BE SOLD,

ATRACT of LAND adjoining to the Town of Nottingham, on Patuxent River, in Prince-George's County, called *Beaver's Pasture*, containing 220 Acres; whereon is a new Dwelling-House 28 by 26 Feet, finished in a very neat and convenient Manner; a new Kitchen 20 by 16 Feet, (under which is a small Stone Cellar); and a Stable. About Half the Tract is fine hard Marli, which may easily be improved to very great Advantage: The other Part is very level, and of a good Soil: The Situation is very convenient for either a Merchant or Tavern Keeper. Also a Lot of Ground in the Town of Nottingham, whereon is a very good Stone-House 30 Feet square, with a good Store Room, Lumber Room, Compting Room, with a Brick Chimney thereto, and a Lodging Room, on the first Floor: Above Stairs there is Three good Rooms, completely finished, and in good Repair; there is also a good Cellar under the House, the full Size thereof, with Three convenient Rooms therein. The Whole to be Sold together, or separate, as the Purchaser chooses, for London Bills of Exchange, Sterling or Current Money, upon very reasonable Terms.

All Persons Indebted to the Estate of Colmore Beaver, late Deceased, are desired to settle and discharge their respective Balances by the Tenth Day of February next; otherwise they may depend on being Sued and Warranted, without Respect to Persons.

(11) WILLIAM BEANES, Executor.

MR. CHARLES WALLACE having given me up his Business of STAY-MAKING, and furnished me with a complete Assortment of GOODS for carrying it on; I hereby give Notice to his Customers and Others, who shall please to Employ me, That their Orders for STAYS will be Executed in the best Manner; and as the Business cannot be carried on but at a great Expence, I hope they will always contrive me the Money as soon as possible, after receiving the Stays, as I shall allow a considerable Abatement in the Prices, for prompt Pay, or Three Months Credit.

(11) JOSEPH FOARD.

TO BE SOLD,

A NEW SCHOONER, of about 30 Tons Burthen, a prime Sailer, and completely Rigged: As also a like-ly NEGRO MAN, who has been bred to the Water, and is a good Pilot.

BENJAMIN MAYBURY.

THE Subscribers having set up the BLOCK-MAKER'S BUSINESS, at the late Mr. Ince's, on the Dock in Annapolis, hereby give Notice to the Public, That they may be supplied with all Sorts of BLOCKS and PUMPS for Ships, &c. &c. at the most reasonable Rates, and on the shortest Notice. Such as will favour them with their Custom, will confer a particular Obligation on Their most humble Servants,

BENJAMIN MAYBURY,

JOHN GREEN.

CLISH, near ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

January 31, 1765. To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, by the Subscriber, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of John Colvill, Gentleman, deceased, and pursuant to the said Will, on the 8th Day of May next ensuing, at the House of Mr. Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, Maryland, for Sterling Money, Bills of Exchange, or Current Money of Pennsylvania, Maryland, & Virginia, at the current Rates of Exchange.

A VERY valuable Tract of LAND called *Merryland*, containing 6300 Acres, being and lying in the said County of Frederick, along the lower Side of the *Shanados Mountain*, and the Banks of *Patowmack River*, within 12 or 13 Miles of the said Frederick-Town and Court-House, where great Trade and Business is carried on. It is very convenient for a Dutch Settlement, as many of those People live on the neighbouring Lands about it: Is well Wooded and Watered, and near to two large Iron-Works. It will be Sold all together, or in Parcels, as may best suit. A Year's Credit will be given for one Half of the Purchase Money (if desired) upon giving good Security, and paying Interest. A Plat of the said Tract will be left at the House of Mr. Charlton aforesaid, together with an authentick Copy of the Will of the said John Colvill.

N. B. This Tract was advertised in the *Maryland Gazette* of the 12th September last, to be sold on the 24th of April next, but as that will happen in the Time of the Provincial Court, it is therefore postponed to the Time aforesaid. (1)

THE Subscribers beg Leave to inform the PUBLIC, That they have lately Erected, at BALTIMORE-TOWN, in MARYLAND, A DISTILLERY for making RUM; which, (by many good Judges who have seen it) is allowed to be one of the largest, completest and best constructed STILL-HOUSE of any in NORTH-AMERICA: And having furnished themselves with an expert DISTILLER, and a plentiful Stock of MOLASSES, they purpose to carry on the DISTILLING BUSINESS extensively; and to supply constantly the Demand for Home-made RUM, at nearly the same as the Philadelphia Prices, at least on much lower Terms than the Province of MARYLAND has been generally supplied with that Article. The RUM already made by them has been highly approved by the best Judges, and deemed superior to either Philadelphia, or New-England RUM; and they hope to give Satisfaction to the Public, as well as maintain their own Reputation, by continuing to make always of the same approved Quality.

As this Undertaking is so well calculated to promote the general Trade of the Province, and so convenient for supplying the Country Traders, Farmers, &c. who bring their Produce to Baltimore Market, as well as to promote the private Emolument of the Owners; it is hoped the Public will give proper Encouragement to a Branch of Trade so useful, and so much wanted in the Province.

Any Gentlemen wanting Quantities of RUM for Exportation, by giving timely Notice may be supplied, and proper Allowance made to such, by

Their humble Servants, SAMUEL & ROBERT PURVIANCE, & Comp.

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THURSDAY, March 28, 1765.

[N^o. 1038.]

The particular Methods made Use of by the principal People that raise HEMP in GREAT-BRITAIN, which differ not at all from that made Use of by the People of RUSSIA, viz.

1. **T**HE Land to be strong, and wrought up fine.
2. To Sow about the 20th of April.
3. To Sow about 10 Pecks to an Acre.
4. Let it stand about 13 Weeks.
5. When it is Ripe it will turn Yellow, and the Leaves drop.
6. Pull it, and tie it with the under Hemp in Bunches about two Spans.

TO DEW-ROT.

1. Lay it on the Land.
2. Spread it at such a Distance as a Person can Walk between the Rows.
3. Turn it oftⁿ when it is Dry.
4. When you Rub it, if it is enough, it will come clear from the Stalk at the Head.
5. Get it in Bunches, and tie it with its own.
6. When it is Dry get it in, and keep it so.
7. Then Drefs it with Hemp-Brakes.

TO WATER-ROT.

1. Tie it in Bunches, as the other.
2. Make Beds about 16 Feet square, and two Feet deep.
3. Keep it under Water, but not to touch the Bottom.
4. To know when it is enough, put your Hand into the Middle of the Bed; and if it feel Soft and Slimy, then get it on the Land and spread it as the other; and when Dry get it in, and keep it so, and Drefs it as the other.

N. B. Having likewise made myself thoroughly acquainted with every Clause in the Act for the Bounty on HEMP from the British Plantations, it is highly recommended that such Hemp be Shipped well Broke and Cleaned, with a Certificate of its Growth.

WILLIAM TIPPELL, Broker,

For the American Hemp, at the Virginia Coffee-House, London.

LONDON, December 18.

ON Saturday, at the Old Bailey, Sarah Lane, otherwise Sarah Wife of William Marchant, otherwise Sarah Wife of George Errington, otherwise Sarah Wife of Thomas Flint, otherwise Sarah Wife of Thomas Morgan, otherwise Sarah Wife of Adam Steadman, was indicted for Bigamy, to which she pleaded Guilty, and will receive her Sentence at the End of the Sessions.

Jan. 3. Certain Advices are received, that the Spaniards have already formed one Encampment on the Borders of Portugal, near Almeida, and are in great Forwardness with another, to consist of 15 Battalions, and 24 Squadrons. The King of Portugal has ordered all his Officers to join their Corps.

Private Letters from Cadiz say, that 4 Ships of the Line, 3 Frigates and a Bomb-Ketch, are fitting out in that Port, intended, it is thought, for an Expedition against the Portuguese Settlements in the Brazils.

Advices from Naples of the 4th say, that to their own Misfortunes, occasioned by the tumbling down of their Houses, and the Inundations of their Rivers, are now added the Afflictions, that an epidemical Distemper is broke out again among them in several Places.

Last Night an Express arrived at the Secretary of State's Office, and this Morning, we hear, the same was laid before his Majesty: It is said to come from France, and to have brought a conclusive Agreement relative to certain Matters lately contested.

Extract of a Letter from Portsmouth, Jan. 2.

"This Day was paid off at Spithead the Thunderer Man of War, and remains with the Phoenix and Solebay Frigate.

"The Talk in some Papers of a Fleet fitting out from this Place, is intirely without Foundation."

We have the greatest Satisfaction in informing the Public (and we flatter ourselves have good Authority for it) that their Majesties, sensibly affected at the Wounds given to Thousands of their British manufacturing Subjects, by the Wear of French Manufactures, have not only themselves determined never to wear any Thing whatsoever of that Kind, but to give the same all Discountenance imaginable at their Court.

A speedy Commencement of Hostilities on the Coast of Guiney is now looked upon as hardly avoidable, considering the naval Strength of the French on that Station, who are actually said to have five Men of War of the Line, besides Frigates and Transports, with a considerable Number of Land Forces on board.

We are informed, the last West-India Mail dispatched, contained Orders for Sir William Burnaby to grant a sufficient Convoy from the Ships of his Squadron to the British Logwood Cutters in the Bay of Honduras, with positive Orders to repel any offered Indignities by Force.

The Ships of War which were ready to sail for the Newfoundland Station, we hear, will be countermanded, on Account of the Arrival of Commodore Palliser.

The last Letters from Lisbon advise, that four large Transports, under Convoy of a King's Ship, sailed from the Tagus the 10th of December, with Materials and Ordnance Stores for his Portuguese Majesty's Western Islands, where some additional Forts are to be erected.

Extract of a Letter from Plymouth Dock, Jan. 1.

"An Express arrived Yesterday Morning at Plymouth Dock, with Sailing Orders for the Edgar, [who has been lying 15 Weeks in the Sound.] The Crew are exceedingly sickly, and their Disorder seems Epidemical. It is said there are near 70 upon the sick List; owing principally to want of fresh Air, the Weather in Winter Time being so bad in the Sound, that it is very seldom Ships can open their lower Tier of Ports.

"The Edgar is to sail in Company with the Shannon and Hound to the Coast of Guiney, to demolish a Fort called Abralca, which the French have erected opposite to ours in the River Gambia; she is not to touch at the English Settlements at all, but, after touching at Cape Coast and Anamaboa, make the best of her way back, without going to Jamaica.

"Commodore Graves, who commands the Edgar, is to hoist a Broad Pendant as soon as he sails."

On Saturday Night, about Ten, a Fire broke out in the Work-shop of Mr. Laiden, Snuff-maker, at the Back of the Castle and Falcon Inn, in Aldersgate-Street, and burnt furiously till 4 o'Clock Yesterday Morning; which consumed that and several small Houses in the same Court. Cooks Hall was reduced to Ashes. The Flames reached Mr. Brown's Timber Yard, and consumed a great Quantity of Mahogany and other Wood, to the Amount of several Thousand Pounds Value. Two Houses in the front of Aldersgate-Street were damaged; the Castle and Falcon Inn received but little Damage. Several Persons were much hurt in endeavouring to save their Goods, and were sent to St. Bartholomew's Hospital. A Guard of Soldiers attended to prevent the People from being plundered.—Mr. Alderman Harley, assisted by the Officers, gave Directions to the Firemen, Guards, &c. as well we hope, not only prevent any future bad Effects from this terrible Accident, but hinder those worst of Thieves, who take Advantage of so calamitous a Misfortune, from pilfering the few remaining Effects of the already too much distressed; three of whom were detected in secreting Goods during the Fire, and committed to Prison.

We are likewise informed of the following Accidents: A Box-maker in Newgate-street terribly bruised by a Piece of Timber falling on his Breast, who is since dead; and a Child of Mr. Mott, Master of the Castle and Falcon Inn, who was

brought out with two others in the Small-Pox, is likewise dead. A Gentleman who was sick in Bed, and removed, is saving Mad.

Messrs Murray and Newka, considerable Strong Beer Brewers by Leather-Lane, Holborn, have just built a Cask that holds 21,800 Gallons of Strong Beer, with a proper Vacuum for the Air, and is superior to that some Years since built at Lady Parson's Works.

It is said Dispatches of a very singular Nature were lately sent off by Authority, to a certain British Governor in America, in Consequence of the very extraordinary Behaviour of the Council and Assembly of that Province, over which he presides.

It has been computed, from an Estimate sent over by the late New-York Mail, that 500 Pieces of Iron Ordnance, great and small, will be required to fortify the most important frontier Passes, extending from the Forks of Delaware to the Western Confines of that Province, including the Cannon to be put on board the several armed Vessels for the greater Security of Navigation on the Lakes Erie, Ontario, and Michigan.

It is said the six Independent Companies of New-York, which were broke soon after the Peace, will speedily be put in Commission, under proper Regulations, and to be in the Pay of that Province.

WILLIAMSBURG, March 1.

Capt. James Briggs, of the Schooner Brothers, from Grenada, arrived in York River, informs us, that on the 30th of January, in Latitude 31° 30' Longitude 69° 35' he saw a Ship to Leeward, which hove out a Signal of Distress, whereupon he immediately bore down to her. She proved to be a Ship from London, called the Planter's Adventure, Miles Lowley Commander, which had been out 12 Weeks, and had been within two Degrees of where she then was since Christmas Day, the Wind being constantly westerly. The Ship was very leaky; and the Captain told him they had only 4 Casks of Water on board, two of which stunk so that he was afraid they could not be used. There were 60 People in her, 40 of them Palatines, sent by Subscription to settle our Conquests; and a Charles-Town Lady, who was very ill, and at the same Time big with Child. All the fresh Provisions in the Ship being exhausted, this poor Lady was in a deplorable Situation; and tho' it was not in Capt. Briggs's Power to give them much Relief, he himself having for some Time been upon Allowance of a Biscuit, half a Pound of Meat, and a Quart of Water a Day, yet he let them have all his Live Stock, some Rum, (of which they were quite out) and some other little Necessaries for the poor Lady. The Captain told him he was of Opinion they should be obliged to bear away for Bermuda, which he fancied they did, the Wind having been westerly ever since.

Capt. Thompson of the John and Presley, from London, arrived in James River, in Latitude 32° spoke a Sloop from Tortola, which a few Days before had been plundered of every Thing of Value by a Spanish Brigantine. The Spaniards ordered the Sloop's Boat on board, which being leaky was at first refused; but on their firing into them, the People were obliged to venture in her, and on their coming on board the Brigantine were very ill used.

NEW-YORK, March 4.

Tuesday last, the Earl of Halifax Packet Boat, Capt. Bolderson, sailed with the Mail for Fal-mouth.

The same Day his Majesty's Sloop of War the Gaspey, Capt. Allen, arrived here from Halifax, after a tedious Passage of 4 Weeks. The following Ships of War were at Halifax when she sailed, viz. Romney, Aldborough, Senegal, Mermaid and Squirrel; and we hear the Coventry, Archibald Kennedy, Esq; Commander; and the Garland. — St. John, Esq; Commander, now in this Port, are to proceed as soon as fitted for Halifax, there to join the Squadron on that Station, under the Command of Lord Colvil, who, we are told, will, as soon as the Season permits, proceed to Newfoundland, in order to watch the Motions of whatever French Ships may arrive there from Old France in the Spring.

By a Letter from Barbados, of the 28th of January, we are informed, That several Vessels from this Province, and Virginia, have lately been Seized there, and were expected to be Condemned, for Want of a Certificate from the Officers of the Customs of the Loading Port, setting forth, That the Captain, before he took on Board any enumerated Goods, had given Bond, with Security in the Penalty of One Thousand Pounds, agreeable to the late Act of Parliament, obliging Himself to Land 'em in some of the British American Colonies; with Condition, That if he took on Board any Molasses, Syrups, or Paneles, from either of the Islands not under the Dominion of his Britannick Majesty, he should carry the same, without Fraud, or wilful Diminution, to some of our Plantations in America, &c.

Saturday Night last, we had a Storm of Snow, and on Sunday Morning it was above Mid-Leg deep on a Level; but it is now all gone.

Such has been the Success by Inoculation in this City, for the Small-Pox, since it's Spreading, that no One has Died, tho' Hundreds have been Inoculated.

NOTICE is hereby given, That any Letters remaining in the Post-Office of those which were Advertised in Gazette N^o. 1035, will be sent to the General-Post-Office on Monday the 8th Day of April, without fail.

ANTHONY STEWART, D. P. Mr.

ALL Persons Indebted to ISAAC HARRIS and JONATHAN PINKNEY in Company, of the City of Annapolis, are requested to make Payment of the same before the Tenth Day of May next, otherwise they may depend on being Sued or Warranted, without Distinction.

They carry on the BLACKSMITH'S BUSINESS as usual, at their Shop near the Head of the Dock, where any Person may be supplied with what they may want in that Way, at the lowest Price, for READY MONEY only.

ISAAC HARRIS,
JONATHAN PINKNEY.

TO BE SOLD,

A CONVICT SERVANT WOMAN, who has near 7 Years to serve. She can Sew, Wash and Iron, very well, is a sober, and an exceeding handy, Woman. Enquire at the Printing-Office.

J. Brown, Prop.

RAN away from the Subscriber, in Northumberland County, Virginia, a Convict Servant Man named James Irwing, imported last May from London into Patowmack, by the Trial, Capt. McGadden. He is a stout swarthy looking old Fellow, pretends to have been many Years Boatwain of a Ship, and seems to understand the Business very well. Had on a close Pea Jacket and Breeches of coarse blue Cloth, with black Horn Buttons and lapelled Breasts (tho' he has probably other Cloaths with him) looks almost as dark as an Indian, and wears his own black curly Hair, a good deal mix'd with grey. He and another Sailor from the Virginia, in Wicomico River, stole a Canoe, and were since seen on the Tangier Islands, on their Way up the Bay. It is imagined they will push for Philadelphia; tho' Irwing pretended he was born in Maryland, and had a Right to some Land and Negroes in Somerset County. The other Sailor is a tight well looking little Man, and pretended also to be a Boatwain. Whoever apprehends the said Irwing, and so secures him that he may be had again, shall have Three Pistoles Reward; and if brought home, or on board the said Ship, Five Pistoles, paid by

DAVID GALLOWAY.

N. B. They will probably endeavour to get on board some Vessel outward bound: All Masters are forewarned from taking Irwing at their Peril.

STOLEN from the Subscriber, on the Night of the 19th Instant, a Bay Horse, near 13 Hands high, is about 14 Years old, trots and gallops, and is a good Plow Horse. The Villain who Stole him, left a Bay Mare with Foal, about the same Height and Age, paces slow, has a few grey Hairs in her Forehead, a Switch Tail, and hanging Mane, and has been used to the Draught.

Whoever will bring the said Horse to the Subscriber, and apprehend the Thief, so that he may be brought to Justice, shall receive Twenty Shillings Reward. And whoever owns the said Mare, may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying the Charge of this Advertisement.

ANNE CHAPMAN.



JUST IMPORTED in the last Vessels from LONDON, and to be SOLD on the lowest Terms, by EDMOND MILNE, Goldsmith and Jeweller, at the Sign of the Crown and Three Pearls, next Door to the Corner of Market Street, in Second Street, PHILADELPHIA.

A LARGE and neat Assortment of the newest fashion'd PLATE and JEWELRY, consisting of neat chased and pierced Bread-Baskets, Coffee Pots, Waiters, Sauce-Boats, chased and plain Tankards; Silver fluted and pillar'd Candlesticks of the Corinthian Order; flower'd Silver handled Cafe Knives and Forks, Desert D^o in Shagreen Cases; neat pierced and polished Silver Casters or Bottle Stands, Tun Dishes and Cocks; Sugar Dishes and Covers, chased and plain; Pint Cans; Pepper and Mustard Casters; Salts, nurl'd, chased and plain, with Glasses; chased and plain Ewers, Urns and Milk Pots fluted and plain; Soup Spoons, Gravy Ditto; Tureen Ladles; Marrow Scoops; chased Tea Spoons, and Tongs, in the Form of a Tea Leaf; Spring Tea Tongs; Silver plaited Spurs, and Buckles chased, and plain; Whistle and Bells, and Sockets, chased and plain, without Bells; Silver Pipe-lighters; Table and Tea Spoons; Tea Tongs; Buckles and Buttons of all Sorts; Silver and Steel top'd Thimbles; Taylor's Ditto; gilt Ditto; Silver, Stock, Shoe, and Book Clasps and Studs; Garnet, Paste, and Stone Shoe, Knee, and Stock Buckles; Diamond and Fancy Rings; false Stone D^o; green, Paste, and Garnet Hoop Rings; Garnet, and Paste Brooches; Bracelets; Gold Brooches; gilt Ditto, chased and plain; Gold Lockets for Children's Necks; Gold Seals; Triangle Ditto, in Gold, Metal, and Silver; Mocho Sleeve Buttons set round with Garnets in Gold; brown and white Chrystal Ditto; Gold, Silver, and Silver gilt, Mason's Medals; Clocks in painted and ginner'd Cases; neat Silver Watches in ing'd turn Cases; Ditto in black and green Shagreen Cases fluted; painted Watch Papers; neat painted, gilt, and japan'd Tea Boards; Etwee Cases; Spy Glasses; Mother of Pearl, and Tortoise-shell Coat Buttons, with Silver Roses; Paper Snuff Boxes; Enamell'd Ditto, in the Shape of Birds, Fruit, Flowers, &c. Watch Ditto, and Patch Boxes, Silver ditto, with chased and Pebble Tops, and gilt inside; Enamell'd China Smelling Bottles, tipp'd with Gold; colour'd and white glass'd Ditto, in Cases; Silver Pencil Cases, with Diamonds for writing on Glass; Glaziers Diamonds; red Spanish and black Leather Pocket-Books, with Silver Locks and Instruments; Silk, Velvet, and rich Gold and Silver Needle Books; Gold and Silver Watch Strings; Steel and Metal Watch Keys, with Hooks; Silk Purfes; gilt, Silver, and Steel Watch Chains for Ladies; Men and Womens Ivory and Tortoise-shell Memorandum Books, with the Days of the Week engrav'd; gilt and Metal Shoe and Knee Buckles; sanguin'd Ditto; neat Ivory green handled Cutteaus; Ditto Dirks, or Hangers, mounted in Silver; neat seam'd Buff Belts; green Silk Ditto; Doeftin and black Leather Boot Garters; with various Articles in the Watch-Maker's Way, such as Chrystal, Main-springs, inside Chains, Hands, Pendants, Bowes, &c. and an Assortment of Chapes and Tongues, &c.

N. B. Those Ladies and Gentlemen who will please to Honour me with their Commands, may depend on being used in the best Manner, by

Their most obedient Servant,

EDMOND MILNE.

Blandfield, Essex County, Virginia, Feb. 5, 1765.

TO BE SOLD,

SEVERAL Thousand Acres of LAND, in Augusta County, in Virginia, Part known by the Name of Beverly Manor, and the Remainder, about Five Thousand Acres, situated in the Calf Pasture. The said Land will be disposed of either in Parcels, or otherwise.

Any Person inclinable to purchase any Part of it, may know the Terms, by applying to Mr. Thomas Lewis, near Stanton, in Augusta, or to the Subscriber, who will attend at Stanton, at the ensuing May Court.

ROBERT BEVERLEY.

THOMAS GOLDSMITH from PHILADELPHIA HAS JUST near St. Ann's South-East-ANNAPOIS,



SPARROW, and JEWELLER, ADELPHIA, OPEN'D SHOP CHURCH, in STREET, MARYLAND,

MAKES all Sorts of GOLD and SILVER WORK, such as Tureens, Tea Kettles, Bread Baskets, Chafing Dishes, Coffee Pots, Butter Boats, large and small Waiters holding from 1 Glass to 18, fluted Soup Ladles, Tankards of all Sizes, Sugar Dishes, Punch Bowls, Tea Pots, Cream Pots, Quart, Pint, and Half Pint Cans, Slop Bowls, Porringers, Soup Spoons, Table Spoons of all Sorts, Pap Ditto, Tea Ditto, round Salts, Casters, Virgin Candlesticks, Pepper Boxes, Punch Strainers, Tea Ditto, Tea Tongs plain or pierc'd, chased, pierc'd, gadroon'd, and plain Sword Hilt, carv'd and plain Stock Buckles, Sleeve Buckles, carv'd, pierc'd, and plain Shoe and Knee Buckles, Heart and Diamond Breast Buckles, Brooches, Rings, Coat and Jacket Buttons of all Sizes and Fashions, Tortoiseshell Buttons tip with Silver, Sleeve Buttons and Studs of all Sorts, Stock Clasps, Shoe Ditto, Pocket Book Ditto, Whistle and Bells chased or plain, Whip and Cane Heads, chased and plain Snuff Boxes, Shell Ditto tip with Gold and Silver, Silver Spurs, Scissar and Pincushion Chains, and Hearts, Watch Chains of all Sorts, Seals of all Sorts, Thimbles, Spectacle Rims and Cases, Arm, Hair, and Wrist Plates, for Indians, Gorgets, and all Sorts of Work for Traders, Garter Buckles, Belt Ditto, Waistband Ditto, Gold Buttons and Studs, Gold Thimbles, Gold Rings, Tortoiseshell Rings lined with Gold, Motto Rings, and Stone Motto Rings, with 1, 2, or 3 Doors, to lock, for secret Names, and to contain Hair, (such as was never made before) Gold Lockets, Doctors Instruments of all Sorts, Silver Pipes, Masons Medals and Instruments, Parlor Sconces, Candlesticks, Barometers, Antiquaries, Hydrometers, Ivory Cups and Balls, Ivory Rules, Billiard Balls, Dies, Maces, Guns and Pistols mounted with Silver, Engraving Plates, Cyphers, and Letters at a Penny each Letter, and manufactures all Kinds of Stones.

N. B. The said THOMAS SPARROW intends to Sell at the Philadelphia Prices, and marks all his Work with the Word STERLING, which will prevent Impositions that are too often practised, to the Prejudice of the Buyers, and much to the Discredit of true Professors of this Business.

He gives the best Prices for old Gold, Silver, Chrystal or Baltimore Stones, Copper, Brads, Pewter, and Lead; and will engage to Clean and Keep all his PLATE WORK in Repair for 7 Years Gratis.

To be SOLD on the Premises, by the Subscribers, Executors of William Disney, Deceased, on Monday the 8th Day of April, if fair, if not the next fair Day,

PART of a Tract of LAND called TOWN-HILL, containing One Hundred Acres, lying about 4 Miles from London-Town, has two good Orchards, a good Dwelling-House and Kitchen, a very good Meadow, and is well water'd & timber'd. Also a Parcel of likely Country-born SLAVES, all young, and some Draught Creatures.

SARAH DISNEY,
JAMES DISNEY.

THE Gentlemen who have engaged HEMP-SEED from me, are desired to send for it, or I shall be forced to part with it. The Season for Sowing is from the Middle of April to the Beginning of June. (4th) STEPHEN WEST.

NOTICE is hereby given to the several Creditors of Mr. REGINALD GRAHAM, That he has Conveyed all his Estate, Effects, Debts, &c. in Trust to his greatest Creditors, DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME, JAMES FORBES, and STEPHEN WEST, for the Use of the Trustees, and all the Rest of the Creditors. It is hoped there will be no great Loss, if the Creditors agree, and Mr. Graham is not run to further Law Charges. (4th)

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CHESTER-TOWN RACES.

TO be Run for, upon the second Wednesday in May next, upon the usual Race Ground near the Town, a Purse of FORTY PISTOLES, free for any Number of Horses, Mares, or Geldings, (Mr. Galloway's Horse *Selin*, and Mr. Waters's Horse *True Briton*, only excepted,) upon the following Terms, viz. To Run the best Two in Three Heats, four Times round the Poles for each Heat, to carry 10 Stone, Saddle and Bridle included, and the Horse, &c. winning Two Heats, to be intitled to the Purse, and not less than Three reputed Running Horses to Enter and Start, or no Race.

The Day following will be Run for, upon the Ground aforesaid, by Half Bloods, or under, Weight for Age, a Purse of TWENTY PISTOLES, upon the Terms following, viz. four Years old to carry 8 Stone and 7 Pounds, 5 Years old 9 Stone, and 6 Years old or upwards 10 Stone, Saddle and Bridle included, and to Run twice round the Poles to each Heat, and the Horse, &c. winning Two Heats, to win the Purse.

Horses, &c. to be Entered with Mr. James Porter, two Days before Running, and pay Two Pistoles Entrance for the First, and One Pistole for the Second Day's Race.

It is expected that proper Vouchers for the Age and Breed of the Horses, &c. that are to Run the second Day, will be produced, otherwise they will not be suffer'd to start.

All Disputes will be determined by Judges to be appointed for that Purpose.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, in LONDON-TOWN,

A TRACT of LAND lying in Prince-George's County, called *Chance Enclosed*, containing 166 Acres, (Part of which may be made a good Meadow) whereon is a new Dwelling-House 20 Feet by 16, a new Log Kitchen 16 Feet by 12, a Corn-House 20 Feet by 12, a Hen-House 16 Feet by 12, a Tobacco-House 40 Feet by 22, and an exceeding fine Orchard, containing 90 odd Apple Trees, a great many Peach and Cherry Trees, and 12800 and odd Fence Logs.

The said Tract adjoins to a Tract of Land belonging to Mr. Jeremiah Berry, called the *Levels*, and is about 4 Miles from the Eastern Branch of *Potomack*.

Any Person inclinable to purchase, shall be shewn the Land, and the Title, by applying to
(11) WILLIAM BROWN.

STRAY'D or STOLEN from the Subscriber, living near the *Parapet* upper Ferry, a dark Bay Mare, near 15 Hands high, with a narrow Blaze in her Face, a Snip on her Nose, long Ears, Sprig Tail, branded on the near Shoulder W, is a natural Pacer, and Battle-Hamm'd.

Whoever takes up the said Mare, and brings her to the Subscriber, or informs, so that she be had again, shall receive Five Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by
August 14, 1764. WILLIAM MILLS.

N. B. She is supposed to be stole by those notorious Horse-stealers, the FERROLS, who lately broke out of Annapolis Prison.
(11)

To be SOLD, on the first Tuesday of April next, at the House of ORLANDO SMITH, in Prince-George's County, near *Bladensburg*,

TWO Hundred Acres of LAND, to be entered upon next Fall. Also, Four Negroes, a Cart and Yoke of Oxen, sundry Household Goods, and Stock of Horses and Cattle.
(14) DAVID ROSS.



THE Brigantine *Free-mason*, JOHN MCKINDY, Master, now lying in the Dock at Annapolis, is fitted out with all Expedition for Sea, and will, by the Middle of next Month, be ready to proceed to any River on the Western or Eastern Shore, where a Certainty can be had of her getting Loaded soon. She will carry 350 Hogheads, and is a prime Sailer. She will take in Tobacco at Seven Pounds Sterling per Ton, with Liberty of Consignment to any Merchant in London. Those Gentlemen who have a Mind to take the Advantage of so early an Opportunity to Market, are desired to send a Line to the Subscribers of the Quantity they are willing to Ship, and the Time they can be ready.
(11) CHARLES WALLACE & Company.

ANY Person that understands SLITTING of SLATE, may hear of good Encouragement by applying to the Printing-Office.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the Vestry of St. John's, commonly called King-George's Parish, in Prince-George's County, will meet at their Vestry-Room at Broad-Creek, on Easter Monday next, when they will be ready to receive the Proposals of such who may be desirous to undertake the Enlargement of their Parish Church, in Pursuance of an Act of Assembly for that Purpose. The Work is to be executed in Brick, and will be a considerable Jobb.
By Order of the Vestry,
(14) 3 JOHN SUTTON, Register.

JUST IMPORTED from LONDON, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store at the Head of the Dock in Annapolis, where Capt. Ward formerly kept Store,

A LARGE Assortment of EUROPEAN AND EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable for the Season, on very reasonable Terms, by Wholesale or Retail, for ready Money, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit.
4 COLIN CAMPBELL.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber,

A CONVICT SERVANT MAN, who has upwards of Six Years to serve, and is a Shoemaker by Trade.

Likewise about Ten Thousand Weight of Seal and Upper Leather (as good as any made in America); a Quantity of Tann'd Sheep Skins, fit for Saddlers Use; a large Quantity of ready made Shoes and Boots; Train Oil, Lampblack, Copperas, and most Sorts of Things that are made use of in the Shoemaking Way, very Cheap, by
(11) THOMAS HYDE.

N. B. The Subscriber desires all those that are any Way Indebted to him, to make Payment, and hopes they will take this for a Demand. 4

RAN away, the 13th of January last, from the Subscriber, living near Upper-Marlbrough, in Prince-George's County, a Country-born Servant Man, named William Thackfield, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, a pert, fresh looking, young Fellow, about 21 or 22 Years of Age, wears his own Hair, tied behind, which is very black, and has a bad Impediment in his Speech. Had on when he went away, a Bearskin Coat, with a Velvet Cape, a blue Cloth Jacket, old Leather Breeches, new Shoes, and mill'd Worsted Stockings. He was an Orphan Boy brought up by one Mr. Davis on Elk-Ridge, and from thence removed near *Bladensburg*, where he was under the Necessity of becoming a Servant.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him home, or secures him in any Jail, so as his Master may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, paid by
(14) 4 X HENRY BROOKES.

York Furnace, Maryland, February 4, 1765.

RAN away from the Subscriber, an English Servant Man, named William Hulet, speaks the West Country Dialect; has been about 8 Years in the Country, of low Stature, short black Hair: Had on when he went away, a blue Broadcloth Coat, with white Metal Buttons, an Osnabrigs Shirt, Trowsers made of Ravens Duck, old Hat and Stockings, and a new Pair of Shoes.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, if taken within 20 Miles of the said Furnace; if above that Distance Thirty Shillings, and reasonable Charges, paid by
(11) BENJAMIN SWOPE.

N. B. It is expected the above-mentioned Servant may stop about the Head of *Severn*, as it is said he has a Brother-in-Law lives near that Place, by Trade a Sail-maker.
4 X

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDOR, at the House of Mr. John Orme, in George-Town, in Frederick County, on the Tenth Day of May next,

PART of Two Tracts of valuable LAND, lying in the Sugar Lands in Frederick County; one of which is called *Proffers's March*, the other called *Sugar Bottom*, adjoining each other, and Tenanted out.
X 2

ALEXANDER CUMMING, NINIAN EDMONSTON.

THERE is at the Plantation of Leonard Waller, near Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Mare about 4 Years old, near 14 Hands high, has a Star in her Fore-head, and 3 white Feet.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

A Quantity of SALT, to be Sold, on board the Brig *Free-Mason*, lying in Annapolis Dock, on reasonable Terms, by
CHARLES WALLACE, & Co. 4

AS I find myself under an indispensable Necessity of Collecting all Arrearages due to me as late Sheriff of Frederick County, I take this Method to acquaint such Persons as live in the distant Counties, and Others concerned, That I will attend for that Purpose, at the House of Mr. William Reynolds in Annapolis, during the first and second Weeks of the ensuing Provincial Court; and I flatter myself that those who are disposed to act justly, will then settle their several Accounts with me, as no further Indulgence can or will be given. This public Notice and Appointment, are intended, as well to prevent the frivolous Excuses of being unprovided, losing the Accounts, calling again, &c. &c. as to suit the Convenience of the several Debtors; it is therefore hoped those Gentlemen, whose Affairs may not require their personal Attendance at the Provincial Court, will transmit their Ballances by some Friend or Neighbour, as Opportunities at the above public Time may be easily met with, unless by such as are inclined to be ignorant of them. As I am determined that no Complaisance to any Persons whatever, shall induce me to sacrifice my own Credit, or suffer that of my Securities to be impeached, those who neglect paying a proper Regard to this Advertisement, may depend on seeing one more to the Purpose. THOMAS PRATHER, late Sheriff of Frederick County.
(11)

To be LET, LEAS'D, or SOLD.

THE Dwelling-House in ANNAPOLIS, where JOHN JUDY lately Lived, together with a small Brew-house, and all Necessaries for carrying on that Business, and a Quantity of Malt, with a good Stable, a large Garden, a Hop-yard, and a Spot of Meadow, which will be sold together or separate, as Parties can agree.

Likewise, a small Shallop to be sold very reasonable, for Terms apply to William Yeldell.

Also, to be Let, a very good Plantation, lying in Frederick County, Virginia, six Miles from Swearingen's Ferry, whereon is a good Dwelling-house, Kitchen, Milk-house, Still-house, Stables, and Barns, with a great Quantity of Meadow, and all good Plow Land, 18 Acres with Wheat and Rye, and a good Orchard.

For Terms enquire of Christian Ourendorff, in Anti-Eatam; or, John Judy, at Whitehall.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

BROKE out of Anne-Arundel County Jail, the Two following Persons, who were committed for Horse-Stealing:

John Ferrell, about 5 Feet high, wears his own Hair, and is about 22 Years old.

Dennis Ferrell, about 20 Years of Age, has black Hair, about 5 Feet 4 Inches high, and of a dark Complexion.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Fellows, so that the Subscriber may have them again, shall receive the above Reward, or Ten Pounds for either; and if brought to Annapolis, reasonable Charges will be allowed.
JOSEPH GALLOWAY, Sheriff.

Kingstown, Choptank River, Feb. 25, 1765.

CAPT. HENRY LIDDELL, of the Brigantine *Grinnis*, having, before his Departure from Wicomeco River, for LONDON, in November last, left under my Care, to be delivered to the Owner when call'd for, Two Parcels, viz.

A Matted Bundle, mark'd HL Stores, containing *Hamburg* LINES, and SAIL TWINE: A Hoghead without Mark or Number, containing EARTHEN-WARE:

I do hereby give Notice, that if said Goods are not applied for, on or before the First of April next, the same will be disposed of for the Benefit of the Owners, unknown.
(14) ANDREW MEIN.

Will be Exposed to Sale, at the next Provincial Court in April, for Ready Money or Bills of Exchange only.

THE HORSE called **TANNER**, lately belonging to Mrs. *Harrison* in England, and Imported last Summer in the *Jehu and Samuel*, Capt. *Jehu Carling*. He is about 15 Hands and an Inch high, of a dark brown Colour, and his Figure, by the best Judges, allow'd to be equal, if not superior, to any ever Imported into the Province. His Pedigree is too high to want the least Recommendation, and for his Performances the Reader is refer'd to *Heber's Book of Racing* in 1761 and 62.

X Likewise, To be Let, The Subscriber's House in *Annapolis*, with a large Garden, Lot, Coach-House, Stabling for Four Horses, and a Bank Warehouse 80 Feet in Length. As also the Wind-Mill and Warehouses situated near Mrs. *Bullen's*. For further Particulars, enquire of *Walter Dulany, Esq;* in *Annapolis*, or of

DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME.

WILLIAM LOGAN,

HAVING furnished himself with the best of LIQUORS, hereby acquaints the Public, That he has opened **TAVERN**, at the House where the late Mr. *Robert Swan* kept Store, where all Gentlemen Travellers, and Others, who will favour him with their Custom, may depend on meeting with the best Entertainment, and the kindest Usage.

He carries on his Business of Peruke-Making as usual, at his old Shop, next Door to Mr. *Hammond's* near the Dock in *Annapolis*, where Gentlemen may be supplied with all Sorts of Wigs, made in the newest Fashion.

NATHANIEL ADAMS, BLOCK-MAKER,

HAVING supplied himself with the best of Liquors, and having good Stabling, hereby gives Notice to the Public, That he has opened **TAVERN**, at his House near the Dock, in *ANNAPOIS*, where all Gentlemen Travellers, and Others, who are so kind as to favour him with their Custom, will meet with the best of Usage, and the kindest Entertainment, from

Their humble Servant,

NATHANIEL ADAMS.

N. B. He carries on all the Branches of the BLOCK-MAKER'S Business as usual.

WHEREAS the Rev^d. Mr. *MORRIS*, of *Garthbire* in the County of *Montgomery*, in the Year 1755, took the Resolution of leaving his native Country, and went to the Rev^d. Mr. *JONES*, Rector of *St. Stephen's* and *Augustine* Parishes, in *Cecil County, Maryland*, where he made some Stay: But his Friends have had no late Accounts of him. If said *MORRIS* be still Alive, he may hear of something much to his Advantage, by applying to the Subscriber living in *Baltimore-Town, Maryland*. Or, if he is Dead, the Subscriber will be much obliged to any Person that is acquainted with the Particulars of his Death, to inform him by Letter or otherwise.

(8th) JOHN MERRYMAN, junr.

X **HENDRICK ISSLER**, who lately came Passenger in the *Nancy*, Capt. *Thompson*, from *Rotterdam*, to *Pataasco River*, in this Province, be Alive, and will apply to *Thomas Jones*, in *Baltimore-Town*, he will hear of Something to his Advantage.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from *Deer-Creek*, in the upper Part of *Baltimore County*, *Abraham Everbatt*, Taylor, a German, speaks broken English very quick, something like the Neutral French, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a dark Complexion, and black Hair. Had on when he went away, a blue Surtout Coat; his other Cloaths not known, as he had several Suits with him belonging to Gentlemen who had given him Cloth to make up, and carried away with him a Quantity of blue Broadcloth, and Trimmings, the Number of Yards not known. He rode a remarkable small, pretty, black Horse.

Whoever takes up and secures the said *Everbatt*, so that he may be had again, and gives Information to the Subscriber near *Deer-Creek*, shall receive the above Reward, and reasonable Charges.

NATHANIEL JOHN GILES.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of Col. *JOHN ADDISON*, late of *Prince-George's County*, Deceased, are requested to make speedy Payment: And all those who have any legal Claims on the said Deceased's Estate, are desired to bring in their respective Claims, that they may be adjusted and paid.

(1st) 6 THOMAS ADDISON, junr. Executor.

Baltimore County, February 4, 1765.
To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, at Public Vendue, at the House of *Abraham Andrews* near the Premises, on the first Monday in April,

ATRACT of LAND containing Five Hundred ACRES, called and known by the Name of *Darnall's Sitovia*, lying on the Great Falls of *Gunpowder River*, and about Five Miles from the *Nottingham Iron-Works*.

Any Person inclinable to purchase, may be shewn the Land before the Day of Sale, and be acquainted with the Title and Terms, by applying to

(7th) 7 X WILLIAM YOUNG.

WHEREAS one *JOHN HUNT*, who left England, and in the Year 1748 lived in *St. Paul's Parish, Baltimore County, Maryland*, as a Saddler, and removed to *Westmore Parish* in the same County; from thence, 'tis said, he went to *Cumberland* in *Georgia*, and from thence to *St. Augustine*; and in *January, 1764*, as it is also said, he ordered a Cargo of Goods from *London*, to be directed to Mess^{rs}. *Barren* and *Rogett* in *St. Augustine*, to be left with Mess^{rs}. *Hooper* and *Swallow*, in *Charles-Town, South-Carolina*: If the said *John Hunt* be still Alive, and will apply to the Subscriber, living in *Baltimore-Town, Maryland*, he will hear of Something to his Advantage. If he is Dead, which is most likely, any Person that will bring a proper Certificate of his Death to the Subscriber, shall receive a REWARD of FIVE GUINEAS.

(12th) 6 JOHN MERRYMAN, junior.

TO BE SOLD,

ATRACT of LAND adjoining to the Town of *Nottingham*, on *Pataxent River*, in *Prince-George's County*, called *Beanes's Pasture*, containing 220 Acres; whereon is a new Dwelling-House 28 by 26 Feet, finished in a very neat and convenient Manner; a new Kitchen 20 by 16 Feet, (under which is a small Stone Cellar); and a Stable. About Half the Tract is fine hard Marsh, which may easily be improved to very great Advantage: The other Part is very level, and of a good Soil: The Situation is very convenient for either a Merchant or Tavern Keeper. Also a Lot of Ground in the Town of *Nottingham*, whereon is a very good Stone-House 30 Feet square, with a good Store Room, Lumber Room, Compting Room, with a Brick Chimney thereto, and a Lodging Room, on the first Floor: Above Stairs there is Three good Rooms, compleatly finished, and in good Repair; there is also a good Cellar under the House, the full Size thereof, with Three convenient Rooms therein. The Whole to be Sold together, or separate, as the Purchaser chooses, for *London Bills of Exchange*, *Sterling* or *Current Money*, upon very reasonable Terms.

All Persons Indebted to the Estate of *Colmore Beanes*, late Deceased, are desired to settle and discharge their respective Balances by the Tenth Day of *February* next; otherwise they may depend on being Sued and Warranted, without Respect to Persons.

(1st) 12 WILLIAM BEANES, Executor.

MR. *CHARLES WALLACE* having given me up his Business of STAY-MAKING, and furnished me with a compleat Assortment of GOODS for carrying it on; I hereby give Notice to his Customers and Others, who shall please to Employ me, That their Orders for STAYS will be Executed in the best Manner; and as the Business cannot be carried on but at a great Expence, I hope they will always contrive me the Money as soon as possible, after receiving the Stays, as I shall allow a considerable Abatement in the Prices, for prompt Pay, or Three Months Credit.

(1st) 15 JOSEPH FOARD.

TO BE SOLD,



A NEW SCHOONER, of about 30 Tons Burthen, a prime Sailer, and compleatly Rigged: As also a likely NEGRO MAN, who has been bred to the Water, and is a good Pilot.

BRIAN MAYBURY,

THE Subscribers having set up the BLOCK-MAKER'S BUSINESS, at the late Mr. *John's*, on the Dock in *Annapolis*, hereby give Notice to the Public, That they may be supplied with all Sorts of BLOCKS and PUMPS for Ships, &c. &c. at the most reasonable Rates, and on the shortest Notice. Such as will favour them with their Custom, will confer a particular Obligation on Their most humble Servants,

BRIAN MAYBURY,

JOHN GREEN.

CLISH, near ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

January 31, 1765.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, by the Subscriber, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of *John Colvill*, Gentleman, deceased, and pursuant to the said Will, on the 8th Day of May next ensuing, at the House of Mr. *Arthur Charlton*, in *Frederick-Town*, in *Frederick County, Maryland*, for *Sterling Money*, *Bills of Exchange*, or *Current Money* of *Pennsylvania, Maryland*, or *Virginia*, at the current Rates of Exchange;

A VERY valuable Tract of LAND called *Merryland*, containing 6300 Acres, being and lying in the said County of *Frederick*, along the lower Side of the *Shanadoe Mountain*, and the Banks of *Potomack River*, within 12 or 13 Miles of the said *Frederick-Town* and Court-House, where great Trade and Business is carried on: It is very convenient for a Dutch Settlement, as many of those People live on the neighbouring Lands about it: Is well Wooded and Watered, and near to two large Iron-Works. It will be Sold all together, or in Parcels, as may best suit. A Year's Credit will be given for one Half of the Purchase Money (if desired) upon giving good Security, and paying Interest. A Plat of the said Tract will be left at the House of Mr. *Charlton* aforesaid, together with an authentick Copy of the Will of the said *John Colvill*.

THOMAS COLVILL.

N. B. This Tract was advertised in the *Maryland Gazette* of the 12th September last, to be sold on the 24th of April next, but as that will happen in the Time of the Provincial Court; it is therefore postponed to the Time aforesaid. **(1st)**

THE Subscribers beg Leave to inform the PUBLIC, That they have lately Erected, at *BALTIMORE-TOWN*, in *MARYLAND*, A DISTILLERY for making RUM; which, (by many good Judges who have seen it) is allowed to be one of the largest, completest and best constructed STILL-HOUSE of any in *NORTH-AMERICA*: And having furnished themselves with an expert DISTILLER, and a plentiful Stock of MOLASSES, they purpose to carry on the DISTILLING BUSINESS extensively, and to supply constantly the Demand for Home-made RUM, at nearly the same as the *Philadelphia* Prices, at least on much lower Terms than the Province of *MARYLAND* has been generally supplied with that Article. The RUM already made by them has been highly approved by the best Judges, and deemed superior to either *Philadelphia* or *New-England* RUM; and they hope to give Satisfaction to the Public, as well as maintain their own Reputation, by continuing to make always of the same approved Quality.

As this Undertaking is so well calculated to promote the general Trade of the Province, and so convenient for supplying the Country Traders, Farmers, &c. who bring their Produce to *Baltimore Market*, as well as to promote the private Emolument of the Owners: it is hoped the Public will give proper Encouragement to a Branch of Trade so useful, and so much wanted in the Province.

Any Gentlemen wanting Quantities of RUM for Exportation, by giving timely Notice may be supplied, and proper Allowance made to such, by

Their humble Servants,

SAMUEL & ROBERT PURVIANCE, & Comp.

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