

*leaves of Mob—a foul-mouth'd and inflaming Son of Discord and Faction—a common Disturber of the public Tranquility—but, could all this, or any Part of it, be applicable to a Gentleman of his meek and peaceable Spirit, a Gentleman so eminent for his Zeal in promoting Order and Decorum, so active in preventing Confusion, and suppressing the lawless Excesses of the Populace? Among all the Virtues which adorn his Character, does not GRATITUDE shine forth with conspicuous Lustre? Has he not sacrific'd to this noble Passion the gainful Pursuits of his own Occupation, and does not his whole Soul glow with the most lively Feelings of Retribution to his Benefactors? How then could we imagine, that he, of all Men in the World, would insidiously join in a Confederacy to asperse a Set of Men, to whose Appointment he was for some Years indebted for his best Bread, and that, like the Viper, he would sting the Bosome which had warm'd him into Life? How could we suppose, that a Gentleman, who in every Instance of his Conduct, sustains a Propriety of Character, should, as Prosecutor to the Court, most unjustly and ungratefully vilify the very Men, whose Authority and Dignity it was peculiarly his Office to support? This would be indeed to proclaim him unworthy of every kind of public Trust. But not to insist upon a minute Catalogue of the eminent Qualities which mark his Character—Are not the good People of this City, every Day of their Lives, receiving the most indisputable Testimonies of his public Merit, even from that pure and immaculate Fountain of Truth—HIS OWN MOUTH? Why then should he suspect us of any Design to detract from his Worth, or to throw a Cloud upon such a Constellation of Virtues? We hope he is now convinc'd that the Task of Encomium is more pleasing to us than that of Censure, when he is the Topic, and are under no other Pain than that his Modesty may be as much affected now at this just Tribute of Praise, as his Delicacy was piqued before at the suppos'd Injury he receiv'd from us. Let these imperfect Out-lines of his Picture be preserv'd in the grateful Bosom of every Lover of his Country, till this Metropolis, animated by a noble Zeal to perpetuate the Memory of his exemplary Merit, shall commit the Charge of his Fame to the faithful Canvass, and, as a Monument of the Patriotic Virtues of this Son of Liberty, and of the inviolable Integrity and happy Versatility of his Principles as a Lawyer, let a Label from his Mouth deliver the following Words, extracted from a late celebrated Speech of his—*

“Every Client may use, every Lawyer would support, and every Judge receive the STAMP—ACT”—as a good and sufficient Plea in Law, whence we may conclude, that there is at least one Lawyer in America, who, upon proper Considerations, would most dutifully defend the late STAMP—ACT, as a regular and constitutional Exercise of Parliamentary Power.

Walter Dulany,  
M. Macnemara,  
Geo. Stuart,  
John Brice,  
U. Scott.

**ANNAPOLIS, June 19.**

Yesterday arrived in Severn River, the *Albion*, Capt. Spencer, in Seven Weeks from Bristol, with upwards of a Hundred of His Majesty's SEVEN YEAR Passengers; who had the Small-Pox among them; but by the discreet Management of the City Magistrates, there is very little Danger of that Distemper spreading among us, as there are but very few in Town liable to it, and the Diseas'd being all sent by Water far distant from Town.

It was said and rumour'd about, on Capt. Spencer's Arrival, that he had the Jail Distemper on board; but the Report proves groundless; for after the most diligent and strict Enquiry, we cannot find that he has imported any Contagion whatever, except the SMALL-POX and ROQUERY, as above related.

THERE is a the Plantation of James Riggs, in Frederick County, taken up as Strays, Two Horses, viz. One a Black with a Bald Face, one Wall Eye, no perceivable Brand, and about 13 Hands high. The other Black, with no perceivable Brand, and about 13 Hands high. The Owner or Owners may have them again, on proving their Property, and paying Charges.

**RAN away from the Subscriber, the 9th of this Instant June, Five Indented Servant Men, viz.**

*William First*, by Trade a Gardener, and employed in that Capacity by the Subscriber, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, thin visaged, wore his own light brown Hair, which was shaved as far back as the Crown of his Head, but has a Wig which he wears occasionally over his Hair. Had on when he went off, a striped Flannel Jacket with a black Manchester Velvet one over it, a bad blue Coat with yellow Buttons: He is a Man of Education, but remarkable talkative, has been in America before in Quality of a School-Master, and may perhaps call himself such now, he is about 45 Years of Age.

*John Leary*, by Trade a Caulker, a lusty Man, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a ruddy Complexion, wore his own dark brown Hair, which is shaved quite back to the Crown of his Head, lips very much in his Speech, has a large Mouth and thick Lips. Had on, a blue Jacket very much soiled, long Osnabrigs Trowsers, a small coarse Felt Hat, which he commonly wore flapped before, a Check or Osnabrigs Shirt, having both with him.

*James Russell*, a Baker, a little Fellow, about 5 Feet high, very much pitted with the Small-Pox, has very thin Lips, a remarkable catching in his Speech, and lips in pronouncing many Words, he has been on board a Man of War, and may perhaps pass for a Sailor. Had on, a blue Sailor's Jacket, with perhaps a striped Flannel one under it as he had both, a Check or Osnabrigs Shirt, long Osnabrigs Trowsers, and wore on his Head commonly, a blue Cloth Cap, but may perhaps have changed it with one of the Men that went with him, for a Leather Cap lined with Leopard's Skin, which turned quite up round the Cap, this is very probable, as he wore this Cap the Day before they went off.

*John Relings*, a Butcher, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, has a remarkable Stupidity in his Countenance, and is very deaf, has a pretty deep Voice, and speaks very deliberate, tho' seldom. Had on, a blue Jacket, with a striped Flannel one under it, an Osnabrigs Shirt, long Trowsers of the same, a small Felt Hat, or perhaps a Leather Cap lined with Leopard's Skin, or a Cloth Cap, as it was with this Man that the Baker exchanged Caps.

*Joseph Dent*, a Labourer, this Fellow was purchased by the Subscriber sometime last Summer, as a Gardener, from whom he soon after ran away, but was taken again and thrown into Calvert County Jail; he was very particularly described in a former Advertisement, to which the Public is referred for an Account of him.

The above mentioned Servants went off in a small Boat, with a Pitch Bottom, and naked Gunwale. *William First*, the Gardener, was formerly a Servant in the *Jessys*, and will probably endeavour to get there by Way of Philadelphia, and as he writes a good Hand, and is an artful, insinuating Villain, it is likely he may forge Passes for the others.

Whoever secures the said Servants, so that they may be had again, shall have FIVE POUNDS Reward, beside what the Law allows, and if brought home, be paid reasonable Charges, by

WILLIAM FITZHUGH,  
ROUSBY-HALL, Patuxent River.

**TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.**

RAN away from Alexandria the 20th of last May, Four Convict Servant Men, who took with them a small painted Yawl with a white painted Bottom, and are supposed to have made down the River Patuxent, and its probable may attempt going down or crossing the Bay.

*Francis Wingle*, an Englishman, and by Trade a Shoemaker, about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 or 11 Inches high, a stout, well-made Fellow, smooth Face and brown Complexion, has an impudent Look and speaks very fast, and wears his own Hair, which is short and curly. Had on when he went off, a grey Coat and lappelled Jacket, a Pair of black Plush Breeches, white Shirt and Stockings, and has been in the Country about 12 Months.

*Stephen Devault*, an Englishman, and by Trade a Baker, about 20 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, short Hair, a dark brown Complexion, a red Face, and is pretty much pitted with the Small-Pox, and has a dull stupid Look. Had on, a green lappelled Jacket lined with white Flannel, Osnabrigs Shirt and Trowsers, light colour'd Yarn ribb'd Stockings, and strong Shoes: Has been in the Country about two Years.

*James Trump*, an Englishman, about 23 or 24 Years of Age, also a Baker by Trade, and has been sometime at Sea on board of a Man of War, and may perhaps pass for a Seaman, is about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, smooth Face and pale Complexion, speaks pretty fast, and partly has a kind of Cast with one Eye, is remarkable for having a very scabb'd Head, which he has had for some Years, and wears a Worsted Cap under his Hat. Had on a grey Jacket, and has been in the Country three Years.

*John Hand*, also an Englishman, about 25 Years of Age, by Trade a Sawyer, and has some Part of his Time kept an English School, and may forge himself and the others some kind of Pass, wears his own Hair which has lately been cut short, a brown Complexion, a smooth Face, and has a good Countenance, about 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, and has his Legs considerably shorter than the other, and walks very lame. Had on, a blue Surtout Coat lined with red Shalloon, and had with him Check and Osnabrigs Shirts and Trowsers, blue Broadcloth Breeches, and wears a striped Cotton Cap under his Hat. He has not been long in the Country. It's imagined they will endeavour to get on board some Vessel; therefore, all Masters are at their Peril forbid to take them away.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Servants in any Jail, so as the Owners get them again, shall receive the above Reward of Twenty Pounds, or FIVE POUNDS for each; and if brought and delivered here, reasonable Charges will be allowed: Also ONE PISTOLE for the Yawl, if delivered here, paid by

ALEXANDRIA, June 7th, 1766. ROBERT ADAM, and PETER WISE.

**BALTIMORE-TOWN, June 7, 1766.**  
RAN away from the Ship *Essex*, *John Carr*, *Joseph Mallett*, a stout, sturdy Fellow, of a swarthy Complexion, long Visage, and a sharp Hook Nose. And, *John Kelsey*, about 5 Feet 2 Inches high, and of a black swarthy Complexion.

They took with them the Yawl, clean scraped, with a white Bottom, her Stern painted blue, and Quarters flourish'd with white, had a new Spritfail and Forefail, a Mizen mast, and Oars painted red.

Whoever takes up the said Sailors, and brings them to the said Ship, lying in *Patuxent* River, shall receive a Reward of FIVE POUNDS for the Men and Yawl, and reasonable Charges, paid by (3<sup>w</sup>) JOHN CURLING.

to be SOLD by private Sale, by the Subscriber, living on the Premises,

A LOT of GROUND, situated in the Addition to Baltimore Town, near Mr. *Erasmus Philpot's*, it has two Fronts, the one 112 Feet, the other 80; there is an extraordinary well built Two Story House 28 Feet Front, with an Addition of a One Story Brick Building of 20 Feet Front, a good Kitchen, Stable, and every other Convenience, suitable for either a Public or Private House: And, as I intend to leave the Country by the last Day of August, desire all Persons Indebted, either by Bond, Note, or Book Debt, to come and Pay their respective Balances; and all Persons having any Demands, to bring in their Accounts that they may be paid, by JAMES VINTRELL.

N. B. A very good BILLIARD TABLE to be sold.

THERE is at the Plantation of *John Campbell* at the Fork of *Lingans* in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a small Black Gelding, with a small white Speck in his Forehead, and another under his left Eye, branded on the Shoulder and Thigh, but with what imperceptible, he has some Saddle Spots.

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

JUST IMPORTED in the *Sally*, Capt. Buchanan, from LONDON, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Stores at Upper-Marborough, Pig-Point, and Queen-Anne, or Patuxent, and at George-Town on Patowmack,

GREAT Variety of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, at the most reasonable Rates, for Bills of Exchange, Cash, Tobacco, Wheat, and other Country Produce.

STEPHEN WEST. All Persons Indebted above a Year are desired to Pay.

JUST IMPORTED In the Planter, Richard Carr, from London, and to be Sold by the Subscriber, in Upper-Marborough, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco,

GREAT Variety of EAST-INDIA and EUROPEAN GOODS, suitable to all Seasons of the Year. (3<sup>w</sup>) FRANK LEE.

**June 11, 1766.**

LEFT with me, last Week, by Mr. *John Ridgely*, Chief Mate of the Ship *Lord Baltimore*, Capt. *James Mitchell*, from *London*, a BOX, mark'd I H, No. 1, directed [For *John Huckwell* at Mr. *S Shields* Tem's Creek (Baltimore *Merryland*)] which he desired me to keep until the Owner himself came for it. It contains a Watch, and some Wearing Apparel, sent him by his Brother. The Owner is requested to call for, and receive it from J. GREEN.

**St. Mary's County, May 10, 1766.**

RAN away last Night from the Subscriber, a Convict Servant Boy, named *Samuel Matter*, about 16 Years of Age, sandy Complexion, a down Look, short light colour'd Hair, has been a Drummer in the Army, and is a very great Villain: Had on when he went away, a blue *Elmarnack* Cap, short Copper colour'd Kersey Jacket, Cotton Breeches, Osnabrig wide Trowsers, and Shoes and Stockings, with large Brass Buckles. Likewise took with him, a Pair of Blankets, and a large Woollen Rugg.

Whoever secures the said Servant, so that the Owner may get him again, shall receive FORTY SHILLINGS Reward. (4<sup>w</sup>) VERNON HESS.

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