

by the ship do not come down to for a
Capt. Lawrence lay at Portsmouth when he
paper. The house of commons treated the
merchants very indecently; they pre-
petitions, and then their committees were
nd one of them, who was deputed for the
bally waded their application, unless the
refer their petition to the same committee
as referred the consideration of American
house declined doing that and they wish
so appears that the corporation of London
petitioning.

awrence declares that he never saw the
don in such a situation, no business going
was perceivable, and a general appear-
consequences to be expected from the vic-
ended to be put in execution by admin-
ave one or two letters of the same import-
here, but I did not hear it by capt. Law-
ford North was, in all probability, initi-
his motion by seeing a hundred thousand
the parliament house, which I judge may
the corporation went in a body with their
doublets would have a respectable body
It is furnished that the movements of the
ght have given cause for this motion: be it
think it very providential that this suspen-
place just at a time when we expected the
rawn. I am also informed that the troops
ng. Mr. Burke, towards the close of a
h, declared to this effect, "I that if the
res were carried into execution, he would
people would second him, he would bring
o condign punishment." The protest
nt the address to the king. I am inform-
ever put together—in short, we know
I am thankful that a door is yet open to
conciliation. The joint address of the
to the king, desiring him to use the
ures to make America submit—and in-
for the minister to make a motion in
a suspension of the laws, and come into
house, is a mystery that gives me great
spect, that the offensive reason offered by
the motion, is not the sole inducement
like it. I don't doubt but the address
will alarm all that depend on trade and
and the discontent will become more ge-
ceal the loss of our custom."

ANNAPOLIS.
TOM HOUSE.
ENTERED.
Thomas Wood, London.
Lutton; Ben. Jones, Jamaica.
Brothers, David Smith, Gundaloupe.
y, Thomas Slater, Jamaica.
ll, Charles Allen, St. Croix.
try, William Woolley, Antigua.
William Barron, Lisbon.
y, Purnel Johnson, St. Croix.
CLEARED.
Charles Thompson, Falmouth.
Elijah Luce, Antigua.
William Waud, Lisbon.
ab, Nath. Bosworth, Barbados.
John Steward, Virginia.

April 16, 1775.
N of a fair character, and in general
business, would be glad to borrow
Pounds; for which he will pay interest
the principal in four or five years—
able to lead this sum, is desired to lead
Printer, directed for L. D.
unnecessary attendance of suitors and
notice is hereby given that the provin-
e adjourned, this week, to Monday the
next.
ed per order,
GEO. RANKEN, Clerk.

Annapolis, April 12, 1775.
ndebted to me, previous to my part-
Dr. Kennedy, are desired to settle
immediately; those who do not com-
quest, need not, after the first day
ing, expect any kind of indulgence
MICHAEL WALLACE.

April 15, 1775.
blic vendue, on Monday the 1st day
at the house of Mr. James Tootell, of
vern,
oes, consisting of one man, one
and one young girl about fifteen
Also one silver watch, with several
all belonging to the estate of the late
And on the Monday following we
the house of Mr. William Spiers; to
people that purchased anything at
of the said estate, and those who
and settle may expect to have suits
them without further notice.
w 3
**ALL, son of E. J. Administrators of
WRIGHT, Two Browns.**

April 13, 1775.
highest bidder, on Monday the 14th
next, at the house of Mr. Thomas
g in Charles county, at Pifer's-Fred-
ract of land, known by the name of
talling ninety-three acres, lying in
s miles of Pifer's-Fred, whereon is a
use and several out-houses, a good
orchard, all in good repair. Any
see the land, before the day of sale,
William Grey, living on the premises,
said land. Credit will be given for
life money, by
**THOMAS GRAVES, living in
Frederick county, Maryland.**

April 16, 1775.
To be sold, at public sale, to the highest bidder, on
the premises, the first Tuesday in June next, if fair,
if not, the next fair day.

THREE valuable improved lots in George-Town,
on Patowmack river. Any person inclining to
purchase may view the lots, by applying to Mr.
Thomas Johns, or William Deakins, jun. in George-
Town. The title and terms will be made known on
the day of sale. Credit will be given on bond, with
security if required.
w 3
HENRY WARING.

Charles county, April 8, 1775.
ON Saturday night, the 1st instant, BROKE JAIL,
the two following negroes, viz.
The one by the name of SAM, who was committed
as a runaway, said he belonged to Bun Jackson, living
in Baltimore county, about fourteen miles from Bal-
timore-Town; he is about five feet eleven inches
high, a likely, sprit, clean-limbed fellow, appears to
be about 25 years of age, carries himself, when stand-
ing or walking, very erect; he often said, when in
jail, that he should be intitled to his freedom at the
age of thirty-one years, as his mother was a free mu-
latto, and that he intended (when he left his master)
down to Point Lookout, in St. Mary's county, where
his mother lives, to see her and his old mistress, with
whom he had formerly lived, and was in hopes his old
mistress would get him again, as he thought she had
the best right to him, the said Bun Jackson having,
some years ago, taken him and another negroe, when
young, from his said mistress by force, and carried
them away in a vessel round to Baltimore. His cloath-
ing, when he broke jail, were a negro cotton jacket
and breeches, an old osabrig shirt, country made
stockings, shoes, and hat.

The other negro, called WILL, was committed for
fundry thefts, is the property of James Livers, living
in Charles county, about five miles from Port-Tobacco,
is a very impudent looking fellow, has a bold saucy
way of talking, and is a remarkable rogue in the
neighbourhood where he lived; he appears to be an
able strong fellow, about five feet four-inches high,
and thick set; had on in jail an iron collar, which he
wore under an osabrig shirt, and an old ragged great
coat, in order to conceal it, he had also a pair of old
flocking leggings, and a pretty good felt hat. Who-
ever apprehends said negroes, and brings them to the
subscriber, living about a mile from Port-Tobacco,
shall receive a reward of seven pounds ten shillings for
both; or three pounds for Sam, and four pounds ten
shillings for Will.

W. HANSON, Sheriff of Charles county.
April 10, 1775.
TEN POUNDS REWARD.
RAN away from the subscriber, living in Kent
county, Maryland, the 8th of this instant, two
Irish indentured servants, each of which has about three
years to serve, viz.
FRANCIS MAMIS, about thirty years of age, a
very stout well made fellow, about five feet ten inches
high, very full faced, short dark hair; had on and
took with him, a good brown broad cloth coat, and
black velvet jacket and breeches, and a pair of black
overlating breeches, with yellow metal buttons, an
old blue coat with new large sleeves, shirts, shoes and
stockings; his calling a ditcher or brickmaker.
JOHN DELANY, about 26 years of age, five feet
eight inches high, well made, fair skin, ruddy com-
plexion, short brown hair; had on and took with him,
a green jacket made sailor fashion; a purple under
jacket, a white shirt, one or two check shirts, much
worn; a new felt hat, a black silk handkerchief round
his neck; a pair of white kersey breeches; and a pair of
blue serge breeches, one pair of Scotch Kilmarnock;
and one pair of Kendall ribbed hose mixed black and
white, a pair of half worn shoes, and square steel
buckles, he writes a good hand; and they have both
been in different parts of Pennsylvania. Whoever
takes up the aforesaid servants, and secures them so
that the subscriber may have them again, shall receive
ten pounds reward, if taken out of the province; if in
the province, six pounds, or half the above reward for
either, by
RICHARD GRAVES.

Anne-Arundel county, April 12, 1775.
COMMITTED to my custody on suspicion of being
runaways, the four following persons, to wit,
James M'Gloin, he is a middle size man, brown
swarthy complexion, black hair, has on a claret col-
oured jacket, a blue felt hat and braches, old shoes
and stockings. Alexander Henwiken, a middle size
man, about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high; has on a blue
short jacket and waistcoat, and casimer breeches, short
black hair, and has lost one of his fingers. James
Todd, a spare young fellow; has on a brown short
jacket, blue waistcoat and breeches, short black hair;
they all three appear to be sailors; and say they came
from a ship in Hobb's Hole, called the Mars, Isaac
Middleman, captain. Likewise Daniel Murly, who
belongs to Samuel Douglase, in Frederick county.
Their masters are desired to take them away, and pay
charges to
WILLIAM NOKE, Sheriff.

Just opened, and to be sold by the subscribers, at their
store, on the head of the dock:
A NEAT assortment of stamp cottons and calicoes—
a few pieces of neat bed-furniture—a good assort-
ment of three quarter and yard wide Irish linens, from
1s. to 3s. 6d. cost;—yard and half quarter Irish and Russia
sheetings—German dowlas—a few pieces of osabrig,
and Welch cottons—a large assortment of mens neatest
made shoes—suits twine.
They have also for sale, a large assortment of clothes,
English double and single refined loaf sugar—Cheshire
and double Gloucester cheese—a few groce of porter, and
port wine—a few quarter casks of old Madeira and
Lisbon wine—old spirits, and rum by the hoghead,
quarter cask, or gallon—moasses—Muscovado sug-
ar—coffee—chocolate, &c. &c.
THOMAS C. WILLIAMS, and Co.
N. B. Have likewise for sale, excellent country
made beer, in quarter casks; made by Mr. Isaac Per-
sington, in Kent county. It is much superior to any
ever made in this province; it being entirely clear of
the common smoaky taste.

Chester town, April 10, 1775.
ANTHONY BANNING,
Hath just imported in the Hannab, Capt. Russell, from
Barbadoes.

A PARCEL of choice rum and old spirit fit for
present use, which will be sold cheap by the
quantity. He has also for sale, excellent demarara
spirit, in puncheons, quarter casks, and kegs, at
7s 6d per gallon.
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To be sold by SHAW and CHISHOLM, cabinet and
chair-makers, in Church-street, Annapolis;
A QUANTITY of mahogany, in logs, plank, and
boards, and a variety of looking-glasses in Ma-
hogany frames. They likewise do various kinds of
turner's work.
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Talbot court-house, April 9, 1775.
TO be sold by the subscribers, all their goods on
hand, consisting of a variety of articles, which
with the addition of some linens, will make out a good
spring assortment. A person inclinable to begin the
mercantile business at this place, where there will be
good opening, and will purchase the goods aforesame-
tioned, may rent the store-house now made use of by
us, with all the conveniences thereto belonging. As
the settlement of this partnership account is earnestly
requested, all persons indebted, are desired to settle
and pay of their balances.
w 4
CHAMBERLAINE and Comp.

To be sold at public vendue, on Tuesday the 25th
day of this instant, at the dock in Annapolis,
A LARGE schooner flat, which has not been built
above ten months; she is twenty-nine feet keel,
twelve feet beam, and three feet eight inches in the
hole: she is full rigged, and is a swift sailer; and
being more particularly built for the owners use by his
brothers, in all likelihood is well done: but since
that the owner is dead, and she is now to be sold by
his mother, living in the swamp.
w 2
SARANA TUCKER.

Baltimore county, Patapsco Neck, April 3, 1775.
TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.
For apprehending a Runaway.
JAMES, a mulatto slave, sometimes known by the
name of Vulcan, but commonly answers to the
name of Buck, took on about leave of his overseer
last Wednesday, and has not yet returned; he is a
dark mulatto, about 5 feet 9 inches high, strong made,
sensible, artful, and deceptive in conversation, firm
and daring in his efforts to perpetrate villainy, tho'
of mild temper, and plausible in speech; he has fre-
quently travelled through a considerable part of this
and some part of the province of Pennsylvania; is
well known, it is supposed, in the borough and coun-
ty of Lancaster, and is acquainted with Philadelphia;
may probably therefore re-visit those places: His
working cloaths were a home manufactured long clock
waistcoat with sleeves, and breeches, yarn stockings,
osabrig shirt, and good shoes, nailed with hobs; he
is possessed of and has taken with him a blue German
serge coat, a green broad cloth vest, two pair of cot-
ton and one pair of thread stocking, two white shirts
ruffled at the breast, a good castor hat with band
and buckle, a pair of good pumps, with a pair of double
rimmed silver buckles. He has a mark of distinction;
which from modesty, or some other motive, he is care-
ful to conceal; one of his ears (but which is forgot) is
remarkably less than the other. The above reward
will be paid if he should be taken up out of the pro-
vince, or 60 miles from Baltimore town in the pro-
vince, and brought home; five pounds if at the dis-
tance of 40 miles, three pounds if 30, and forty shil-
lings if 20 miles, with reasonable travelling expences,
including the legal charge under the act of assembly,
by
THOMAS JONES.

Baltimore, April 3, 1775.
TO BE SOLD.
A BRICK house, situated on Market-street, in
Baltimore town, has been built two years, is
forty-two feet front, and forty-four deep, has four
rooms on each floor, and is well adapted for a mer-
chant, having a good store and counting house; the
lot is two hundred and twenty-six feet deep, extending
from Market-street, to German-lane.
Also a tract of land situated on the north branch of
Shannadoah river, in Augusta county, Virginia, con-
taining 220 acres; called the Great Plain; remarkable
for the fertility of the soil; there is on the said tract;
a merchant mill, saw-mill, and oil-mill, all in good
repair, and in the dryest season, plentifully supplied
with water from a never failing spring, the source of
which is not more than a quarter of a mile from the
mills.
Also one other tract near the former, containing
270 acres of good timbered land.
Also one other tract adjoining the first-mentioned
tract, containing 270 acres. Extraordinary good land
proper for hemp, grain, or grass.
Also one other tract adjoining the second men-
tioned tract; containing 253 acres.
For further particulars concerning the lands, apply
to Alexander White, Esq; in Winchester; who will
give directions how the lands and mills may be viewed;
and is empowered to dispose of the same.
We intending to decline the dry goods trade, have
upon hand about three thousand pounds sterling cost
of goods, which we would dispose of on very moderate
terms.
w 2
ASHBURNER and PLACE.

To be sold on Monday, the eighth day of May next,
by the subscriber; pursuant to the last will and tes-
tament of James Sothoron Briscoe, deceased,
A TRACT of land lying in St. Mary's county,
containing upwards of two hundred acres, there
are valuable improvements on the land, to wit; a
dwelling-house with three rooms on a floor, with a
good kitchen and all other convenient out-houses,
barns, tobacco-houses, stables, &c. there are about
twenty acres of very fine meadow land, part of it
cleared. The land is about four miles from Patuxent
river, and about the same distance from Cole's Ware-
house. To be sold at the same time and place, a like-
ly young negro wench, and two children, by
w 2
MARY BRISCOE, Executrix.

Frederick county, March 22, 1775.
To be sold at public sale, to the highest bidder, on
the premises, the first Monday in May next, if fair,
if not, the next fair day.

ALL my part of that valuable tract of land called
Hall's Craft, lying in Calvert county, and con-
taining one hundred and forty-four acres. It is well
timbered and the soil good, part of which may be
made into excellent meadow at a small expence; it is
improved with a dwelling-house sixteen feet square
almost new, with a brick chimney, a tobacco-house,
kitchen and some other small houses; there is like-
wise on the land a good apple orchard. Time will be
given if required, for one half of the purchase, paying
interest and giving security. My brother Patrick will
show the land to any who apply before the day of sale.
The title is indisputable. w 5
RICHARD SMITH.
N. B. It will not be convenient to give possession
until the crop now to be made on the land is secured,
but the purchaser will have the liberty of putting in a
crop of grain in the fall.
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Baltimore, February 28, 1775.
FOR SALE.
THE corner water lot at Fall's Point, lying on Bond
and Thame's streets, opposite the London coffee-
house, with the wharf, granaries, and dwelling-house,
at present occupied by Mr. George James. The lot is
120 feet front on the street, and the wharf 120 feet
front on the water, well filled in and secured, and has
17 feet water at a common tide. The granaries, to
which a ship may lay her side and take in her whole
cargo, hold 14,000 bushels, and are strong well built
framed houses. The dwelling-house has good cellars,
and is sufficient for a small family, with a pump of
water at the door; the whole well fenced in. A pur-
chaser may have any reasonable credit, and know the
terms, by applying to
w 6
**JAMES CHRISTIE, jun.
or ROBERT CHRISTIE, jun.**

To be sold to the highest bidder, at Mr. Ninian Beall's
of Ninian, on the 20th day of August next, if fair,
if not the next fair day.

TWELVE hundred acres of land, lying on great
Seneca creek; (near the mouth) in Frederick
county, Maryland; whereon is three plantations,
a great quantity of valuable meadow land, and two
exceeding good mill seats, the purchaser or purcha-
sers to have immediate possession, on giving bond
with approved security, payable the 30th day of No-
vember 1776: to carry interest from the date of the
bond, if not punctually discharged at or on the afore-
said 20th day of November. The land will be laid out
in lots suitable to the purchaser. Any person inclina-
ble to view the land before the day of sale, may ap-
ply to Ninian Beall, son of Ninian.
w 16
CHARLES BEALL.

Annapolis, February 24, 1775.
TO be sold, a likely young country-born negro
wench, about 15 years of age. For terms ap-
ply to
w 7
WILLIAM NOKE.

Annapolis, January 23, 1774.
TO be sold by the subscriber, on very reasonable
terms, all the medicines and shop furniture, be-
longing to the estate of the late Dr. Shaw; twelve
months, or two years credit will be given to the pur-
chaser, on giving bond, with security, if required, by
RUTH SHAW.
N. B. To be sold, or hired, a likely young negro
woman.
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Port-Tobacco, March 7, 1775.
THE committee of Charles county have impowered
me to engage a vessel of 2000 to 2500 bushels
burthen, to load with grain on Patowmack river, for
the use of the poor inhabitants of the town of Boston,
where it is to be delivered. Any person that has such
a vessel to charter, and will let me know their terms
if they be agreeable, shall have the above freight.
w 5
R. T. HOOE.

Annapolis, March 9, 1775.
THE trustees for building a new church in the
city of Annapolis, in St. Anne's parish, give
notice, that the old church will be pulled down on
Monday the 20th instant; and all persons desirous to
keep such parts of the said church as have been erected
at their private expence; or willing to remove the
tomb-stones, are desired to meet the trustees at the
church, on that day. Subscribers are desired to pay
their subscription money to Mr. Thomas Hyde.
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WHEREAS the subscriber has repeatedly in a
public and private manner, earnestly but un-
successfully solicited a payment of all sums of money
that are due to him, by bond, note, or on open ac-
count; he now gives this further and last notice, that
every debt which shall not be discharged by the 21st
day of April next, or otherwise settled to his satis-
faction by that day, will be put into a lawyer's hands,
to be recovered by suits at law.
w 6
JOSEPH SELBY.

THE trustees impowered to have a new church
built in the city of Annapolis, having contrac-
ted for materials, are now ready to treat with work-
men; any stone-masons, bricklayers, or carpenters,
that are inclined to undertake the work, are desired
to apply and deliver their proposals to Mr. Thomas
Hyde in Annapolis, one of the trustees.
w 7
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Annapolis, March 14, 1775.
ALL persons indebted to Thomas Harwood jun.
and to Thomas Harwood, jun. and John Brice,
are requested to make immediate payment, or other-
wise settle to their satisfaction; no longer indulgence
will be given; as this is a reasonable request, and long
indulgences have already been given; hope it will be
speedily complied with, should it be neglected, such
steps must be taken to produce payment as will be
very disagreeable. Benjamin Harwood, jun. will con-
stantly attend as usual, at the brick building on the
front of the dock, for the purpose of receiving pay-
ments, or otherwise settling, where it is not im-
mediately convenient to do so.
w 5