

he should request a cessation of arms when his army was committing to many depredations on the inhabitants of different parts of this state. Sir Guy, in return, said that the general might depend upon it a treaty of peace was certainly on foot."

**ANNAPOLIS, Otober 3.**  
RECEIPT of continental taxes from the state of Maryland, published in pursuance of the 6th article of instructions from the office of finance, dated the 12th day of February last.  
For the month of September, 1782, received 23,240 Dollars.

**BENJAMIN HARWOOD, receiver**  
of continental taxes for Maryland.  
October 7, 1782.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Moses Orme, of Montgomery county, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against said estate are desired to bring them in properly attested.  
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**PRISCILLA ORME, executrix,**  
**SAMUEL TAYLOR ORME, executor.**

Baltimore, September 20, 1782.

ON Thursday the 24th of October next, will be offered to public sale, at Elicotts upper mills, the subscriber's valuable plantation in Anne-Arundel county, near the main road to Frederick, by way of Elicotts mills, and within a mile of Poplar-spring chapel. This farm contains between five and six hundred acres, near one half of which is in cultivation; the rest is woodland, with a sufficiency of timber. It is divided into several fields, in each of which there is a plentiful spring of fine water, all enclosed with good fences. The meadows yield about thirty tons of timothy hay yearly, and there is meadow ground sufficient to produce double the quantity. The orchard, in favourable seasons, produces from 4 to 5000 gallons of good cider. The other improvements are a large paved yard and garden, a dwelling house, well finished, 28 feet by 24, an excellent cellar, a passage, and two rooms on the first floor, and two rooms above stairs, with kitchen, spinning house, meat and milk houses, stables, barn, cow and sheep houses, all new except the kitchen. The overseer will shew the land and improvements to all who may think proper to examine them. Possession will be given on the 20th of November next. One fifth part of the purchase money must be paid in three months from the day of sale, and such credits will be proposed for the remainder, as cannot fail of being convenient to the purchaser, who shall also have the refusal of the fall crop; about 60 bushels, now in the ground. If this farm should not be sold at the time proposed, I shall then be ready to lease it, for three or five years, from the first of December next.

Once more request all persons indebted to me for dealings before the year 1776, to pay up the interest they owe, and give me new bonds for the principal; those who neglect this notice shall have suits entered against them at the ensuing November courts,  
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**WILLIAM RUSSEL.**

**ANNAPOLIS RACES.**

On Wednesday the 30th of October will be run for, **PURSE** of fifty guineas, free for any horse, mare, or gelding, heats four miles each, four years old to carry seven stone, five years old seven stone ten pounds, six years old eight stone seven pounds, aged nine stone.

On Thursday the 31st of October,  
**PURSE** of fifty pounds specie, free for any horse, mare, or gelding, heats three miles, weights the same as the first day.

On Friday the 1st of November,  
**PURSE** of thirty pounds specie, free for any horse, mare, or gelding, of three and four years old, four years old to carry seven stone, and three years old a feather, heats two miles each.

Any horse winning two clear heats to be entitled to the purse. Three horses to start each day or no race, and the winning horse each day is excluded starting for any of the other purses.

Entrance for the first day four pounds, for the second two pounds ten shillings, and for the third one pound ten shillings.

The horses intended to be started must be entered with George Mann the day preceding the race, or pay double entrance at the post.

The horses are to start each day precisely at eleven o'clock.—Proper judges will be appointed for the races.

N. B. There being a number of the finest horses on the continent in keeping for the above races, it is hoped that those who start horses will procure proper uniforms for their riders.

St. Mary's county, August 5, 1782.  
NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to petition the next general assembly to pass an act to confirm my title to that part of a tract of land called St. Barbara's, in the possession of  
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**GEORGE HICKS.**

TAKEN up as a stray, by Seth Warfield, in Anne-Arundel county, near Samuel Mansell's tavern, a small dark roan horse, with three white feet, a blaze face, and some saddle spots on his back, about 6 years old, paces naturally, about 13 hands high, an imperfect brand on his off buttock something like an L, an old pair of shoes. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.  
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CAME to the plantation of John Nevits, in Prince-George's county, near the Woodyard, about the middle of August 1782, a red steer, with a crop and slit and an under bit in the right ear, and two under bits in the left, a bob tail, and appears to be about 4 or 5 years old. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.  
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South-river ferry, September 27, 1782.  
THE subscriber hereby informs all her kind customers residing in the adjacent counties, and the public in general, that she is provided with a good and complete ferry boat, manned with the careful old hands, and flatters herself that during the time she and her family has kept the ferry (ever since the year 1737) that general satisfaction has been given; she has obtained permit and licence to keep ferry, and humbly hopes that her losses and misfortunes since the commencement of the war, will be an inducement to the gentlemen travellers in general to give the preference and favour the widow with their custom. Her boat and hands shall at any time be ready and she thankfully acknowledge the favour.  
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**ANNE TILLY.**

Charles county, September 2, 1782.  
I HAVE in my custody, committed as runaways, I to wit: a negro woman, who says her name is TERRA, (has with her a male child of about two years of age) and that she is the property of a certain Uriah Crosby, of the state of Virginia, from whom she eloped the last spring; she has scarce any apparel at all; a negro man, who at the time he was committed said his name was JAMES ANDERSON; and a negro woman, who when committed said her name was MARY KEEKE, and both said they were free. Since in my custody they have confessed they are slaves; the man says his proper name is JAMES, and that he is the property of William Wood's heirs, of Gloucester county, of the state of Virginia was hired to a certain Josias Stubblefield, of the same county, from whence he ran away; had on, when brought to me, a red regimental coat turned up with white, red waistcoat, a pair of linsley breeches, cotton shirt, a pair of cotton stockings, and a pair of old shoes, and sundry other things with him not worth mentioning; the woman says her proper name is LUCY, and that she is the property of a certain George Dame, of the county and state aforesaid; had on a striped country cloth jacket and petticoat, and sundry other things not worth mentioning. They are all country born, appear to be young and very sensible; their matters are desired to pay charges and take them away.  
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**BENJAMIN CAWOOD, jun. sheriff.**

September 11, 1782.  
STOLEN from Tally's creek, near Annapolis, on Wednesday night last, a new YAWL, about 14 or 15 feet keel, with a pine rudder and tiller, the was tarred to her upper streaks, and built with oak plank on mulberry timbers. Thirty shillings specie will be given to any person who will deliver said yawl to the subscriber, living on Tally's creek.  
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**THOMAS WOODFIELD.**

To be SOLD for specie, at Middleton's tavern, in the city of Annapolis, on the 30th day of October next, in one, two, or three hundred acres lots, or by the whole, as may best suit the purchaser or purchasers,

A VALUABLE tract of land, containing about 1800 acres, and generally known by the name of Kent fork manor (the exact quantity will be specified on the day of sale) lying on the lower end of Kent-land, about 10 miles from Annapolis, and 25 or 30 from Baltimore, the annual rent amounts to 26,950 pounds of crop tobacco; this land has many natural advantages, such as fish, oysters, and wild-fowl in abundance; the soil is very fine, and remarkably level, and the whole tract is to advantageously intersected with small creeks, that different and convenient farms or plantations may be laid off with very little fencing; there are several good dwelling houses, with brick chimnies, on the land; any person inclined to purchase will be shown the land, by applying to Dr. Roberts, on the 11th day; five years credit will be given; bond with legal interest and approved security will be required.  
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**WILLIAM BRENT.**

N. B. The greatest part of the land is under lease, which will expire in November 1784; the plantation to be demised up in good order, under the forfeiture of a heavy penalty. I have the greatest reason to expect to have the leases in my own hands before the day of sale.  
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Intendant's office, September 3, 1782.

THE intendant of the revenue is directed by law to sell for specie, as much tobacco, wheat, or flour, as will produce money sufficient to pay one year's interest on certificates adjusted agreeable to the act relating to public creditors; and whereas there are still many claims against the state not liquidated, he hereby gives notice to all persons who have such, to bring them in, and have the same settled with the auditor-general before the 10th day of November next, otherwise they may expect to be among the last creditors that will be paid.  
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**DANIEL OF ST. THOMAS JENIFER, intendant.**

The subscriber, living in Calvert county, about a mile below Nottingham, near Patuxent river, has for sale, SEVERAL likely country born slaves, consisting of men, women, boys, and girls, which he proposes to sell to the highest bidder, on the premises, for specie in hand, or tobacco on credit from one to four years; also at the same time will be exposed to sale, horses, cattle, sheep and hogs. The sale to begin on Thursday the 10th of September next, at 12 o'clock.  
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**HENRIETTA MARIA SKINNER.**

NOTICE is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that the creditors of Richard Dickinson, mariner, deceased, late of Somerset county, intend to petition the next general assembly for a law to dispose of the land (or such part thereof as may be sufficient) the said Richard Dickinson died possessed of, for the purpose of discharging the just debts due them from said Dickinson.  
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NOTICE is hereby given, that the proprietors of Chew's Farm intend petitioning the next general assembly to compel their tenants to pay a proportionable part of the assessment on said farm, according to their respective interests therein.  
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NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber intends to prefer a petition to the next session of the general assembly, for an act for the recording and giving effect to a deed of bargain and sale from John King to John Furlong, both late of Somerset county.  
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**WILLIAM CARROLL.**

NOTICE is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that the subscribers intend to petition the next general assembly, to pass an act, authorizing them to have a road or passage laid off, so that they may have free ingress and egress to and from a marsh called Satcho's-land.  
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**WILLIAM HORSEY, WILLIAM M'BRYDE, WILLIAM WINDER, jun.**

Green Hills, Frederick county, August 15, 1782.  
On Monday the 18th of October next, will be exposed to public sale, on the premises,

THE plantation whereon the subscriber now lives, within five miles of the town of Westminster, with another adjoining it, containing in the whole about five hundred acres, of which a considerable part is cleared and under good fences; on the former of these places is a very commodious dwelling house, well finished, with other convenient building and offices, and a large barn, the whole nearly new, a large garden paved in, a small orchard of the best fruit, and a well improved meadow of near thirty acres under timothy, most of which is watered; on the other place is a commodious dwelling house, with a barn and other buildings, a young bearing orchard, and a considerable quantity of improved meadow. At same time will be sold, a number of slaves, men, women, boys, and girls with all the stock of cattle and farming utensils belonging to said place. The terms will be made known at the time and place of sale.  
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**CATHERINE WOOLSEY.**

THE partnership of Wallace, Davidson, and Johnson, having terminated some time since, it is absolutely necessary that the transactions of that concern should be settled; the subscribers therefore earnestly call on all those who are indebted to the said company for ceilings at Annapolis, Queen-Anne, and Nottingham, immediately to settle their balances by bond or note. Being well acquainted with the scarcity of money, and other difficulties of the times, the subscribers do not press for payment, but a settlement; and to show the world that they wish to do as they would be done by, they inform their creditors, that they are willing to give their bonds for any just claims against them, and to renew those of an old date.

For the convenience of their debtors, they have empowered Mr. Edward Botelar to settle their Nottingham balances, Mr. Samuel Tyler those of Queen-Anne store, and they will give constant attendance at Annapolis for the purpose of settling the accounts of that store; they hope no person concerned will neglect to comply with this very moderate request, should there be any such, they may be assured that suits will be commenced against them the moment the courts are opened without any further notice.  
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**C. WALLACE, J. DAVIDSON.**

Charles county, July 11, 1782.  
FOR SALE,

THE subscriber's dwelling plantation, containing 839 acres, lying about 6 miles below Pocomoke, and on the main road leading from that place to Port-Tobacco; the soil is of the first quality; the improvements are a tolerable dwelling house, two good barns, and all the necessary out-houses. This tract contains a large quantity of excellent meadow ground, a small part of which has been cleared. It will be sold for either cash or tobacco. A small part of the purchase money or tobacco may perhaps be expected down, and three years credit, without interest for the first twelve months, will be given, if required, for the balance, provided one third be punctually paid annually.  
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**SAMUEL HANSON, of Samuel.**

N. B. The water is fine and the situation remarkably healthful.

TAKEN up as a stray, by William Ridgely, on Elk-Ridge, a bay horse, about 14 hands high, 8 or 9 years old, a small star in his forehead, paces, trots, and canters, no perceivable brand. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.  
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TAKEN up as a stray, by Lancelot Warfield, on the head of Severn, a black mare, about 13 hands high, branded on the near buttock with the letter M, about 7 or 8 years old, trots and gallops. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges.  
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TAKEN up as a stray, by Richard Brice, in Prince-George's county, a small bay mare, about 12 hands high, has two saddle spots, and a cross on her near buttock, about 7 or 8 years old. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges.  
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TAKEN up by John Shipley, in Anne-Arundel county, as a stray, a sorrel gelding, about 14 hands high, branded on the near shoulder H, a blaze in his forehead, two hind feet white, shod before, paces, trots, and gallops. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.  
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WANTED, as an apprentice by the printers hereof, a lad who can read and write well.  
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DISPATCH brought by office of the royal Sir Guy had received a decisive subject of the proposal them from this country follows: that they abundance as the basis of a blessing that they will not any quarter as a boon; into no treaty with G or concerned; and t are negotiation mult lum.

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July 16. Lord J Burke, after having mons, severally g the new premier finished the session an indelible stigm the law of God and the mouth of tw be established."

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