whole of which is laid out in American produce. Since my arrival here, I had the satisfaction of converſing with the famous Alexander M'Gillivray, whoſe name you have ſo often ſeen in our public prints: this interview has fully convinced me, that he really is the man our papers ſometimes repreſent him to be, and that his neighbours, the Georgians, have much to fear from his penetrating genius and great addreſs. The attention paid him by the Spaniards, ſeems to have ſomething more than common politeneſs in view. They tell me, he holds a general's commiſſion under the crown of Spain; this I have reaſon to believe, as I have ſeen him in the Spaniſh uniform at the governor's table, and receive the military honours of the garriſon. This is a policy for which they are not to blame, as Mr. M'Gillivray's connexions, from his infancy up to this day, with the different Indian nations in the ſouthern part of America, has eſtabliſhed him the ſupreme legiſlator over their countries. The Spaniards but indifferently eſtabliſhed in this quarter, and ſenſible of his power, dread his conſequence. A new treaty has lately been eſtabliſhed between them and M'Gillivray, as king of the Creek nation, by which it is ſtipulated, that the navigation of that part of the Gulph of Mexico, on which St. Mark (an old abandoned fort) is ſituated, ſhall be free for the veſſels belonging to the ſaid nation. Agreeable to this article, M'Gillivray, in connexion with ſome of the moſt reſpectable merchants on the iſland of Providence, has actually eſtabliſhed warehouſes at St. Mark, in Weſt-Florida, from whence he carries on an extenſive and moſt profitable trade with the Indians and even our white ſettlements on the Weſtern waters. Thus you ſee! an individual with no other than ſavage connexions, has concluded a treaty of navigation, which the exertion and wiſdom of congreſs never yet could obtain.

March 19, 1789.

By virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas*, to me directed from the general court, will be expoſed to PUBLIC SALE, at the houſe of Mr. WILLIAM GOLDSMITH, in Annapolis, on Saturday the 11th of April next,

TWO valuable country-born NEGROES; taken as the property of JOHN ADDISON and wife, admrs. of Thomas Watkins, and ſold for the uſe of John Hall. The ſale to be at 11 o'clock, A. M. for ready caſh only.

DAVID STEUART, late ſheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

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Annapolis, March 16, 1789.

On Monday the twentieth day of April next will be SOLD, at PUBLIC VENDUE, at the late dwelling of ZACHARIAH M'CAULEY, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceaſed,

A NEGRO BOY, ſome HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, HORSES, HOGS and CATTLE. All perſons who have any claims againſt the deceaſed are requeſted to bring them in properly atteſted, and all thoſe who are indebted to the ſaid deceaſed are deſired to make immediate payment to w3

ANNE M'CAULEY, who intermarrried with WILLIAM BIRD, Adminiſtrator.

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Purſuant to the directions of the worſhipful corporation of this city, will be SOLD, on Saturday the 18th of April next, on the premiſes,

A BRICK HOUSE, ſtanding on Market-ſtreet, and now in the occupation of Mr. CHARLES WALLACE. Twelve months credit will be allowed the purchaſer, on bond with good ſecurity being given. Further particulars will be made known on the day of ſale.

JOHN DAVIDSON,
JAMES WILLIAMS,
FREDERICK GREEN.

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In COUNCIL, Annapolis, March 18, 1789.

WHEREAS, by an act paſſed at the laſt ſeſſion of the general aſſembly, it is directed, that where executions ſhall iſſue to compel payment from any of the debtors of this ſtate, the governor and council ſhall appoint a perſon or perſons to attend the ſale of the property taken in execution, and to purchaſe the ſame for the uſe of the ſtate, if a ſale cannot be otherwiſe made, ſo as to ſecure a reaſonable price for the property ſo taken,

We have thought it proper to give public notice, that appointments will ſhortly be made for the purpoſe of carrying into effect the intention of the aforeſaid act; and to prevent the delay that might ariſe from refuſals of the truſt, the board will receive written applications from perſons of good character who may be diſpoſed to ſerve the ſtate in this capacity; an adequate compenſation will be given, and ſecurity required for the faithful performance of the truſt.

By order,

T. JOHNSON, jun. clk.

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MINTY HANNAM.

WHEREAS the above named MINTY HANNAM, left England for America, in or about the year 1768, and was heard of at a Mr. CHRISTOPHER CARDIFF's, in Great-Choptank river, Bolingbrooke, Talbot county, Maryland, in the year 1771. If the ſaid Minty Hannam be now living he may hear of ſomething to his advantage by applying to Mr. JAMES WILLIAMS, of Annapolis; or if any perſon can give an account of his death, ſo that it may be fully and clearly aſcertained, they ſhall receive TEN GUINEAS REWARD by applying as above.

March 16, 1789. 3aſ6w.

James Williams

A SCHOOL.

THE ſubſcriber reſpectfully informs the citizens of Annapolis, that he propoſes opening a SCHOOL on Monday the 23d inſtant, at the houſe where Mr. WILLIAM DEBLOIS now lives, for the purpoſe of teaching reading, writing, arithmetic and ſurveying.

The ſubſcriber has the happineſs of informing the public, that he has taught ſchool ſeveral years in Baltimore with (as he hopes) credit and ſucceſs, of which (if required) certificates can be produced. As he is a native of Baltimore county, and perſonally known to ſeveral reſpectable citizens of Annapolis, every gentleman, ſo diſpoſed, may readily inform himſelf as to his moral character. He only thinks it neceſſary to add, that thoſe who may honour him with the care of their children, may depend upon the greateſt care and attention on his part for their improvement—hopes the ſucceſs of his endeavours will merit the approbation of his patrons. w3

JOHN DEAVER.

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March 17, 1789.

IN conſequence of ſome property being legally ſold at the ſale of the property of HENRY MAY, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceaſed, agreeably to the terms of ſale, and not taken away, the ſubſcriber hereby gives public notice, that there will be SOLD, at the late dwelling houſe of ſaid deceaſed, on Saturday the 28th day of March, inſt. a NEGRO BOY, about ten years old, a quantity of HAY, and a few other articles too tedious to mention.

The ſubſcriber alſo requeſts all perſons indebted to the eſtate of the ſaid deceaſed upon bond, note or open account, to come in and pay their reſpective balances, and all perſons having claims againſt ſaid eſtate are requeſted to bring them in legally atteſted, to

RICHARD BEARD, jun. Exr.

Matthew Beard

RAN away from the ſubſcriber, a young NEGRO MAN, called DAVY, on the 13th of March, 1789; his dreſs is an oſnabrig ſhirt, and cotton waiſtcoat and breeches; it is probable he will change his dreſs as he has other cloaths; he is an artful, deceiving fellow, about 5 feet 3 or 4 inches high, and ſtole a large ſum of money two or three days before he went off: it is thought he is gone off with his overſeer, ROBERT JACKSON, who is gone away with Joſhua Pearce's wife. Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid negro, ſhall be entitled to EIGHT DOLLARS REWARD.

tf ELIZABETH RAWLINGS.

Samuel Rawlings

Anne-Arundel county, February 24, 1789.

To RENT.

THE ſubſcriber ſtill has unoccupied four or five ſmall TENEMENTS, within four miles of Annapolis, on South river, contiguous to fine ſprings, well wooded, &c. which he will rent very reaſonable; to be paid for in caſh, or merchantable transfer tobacco.

3 THOMAS RUTLAND.

In COUNCIL, February 24, 1789.

WHEREAS, by a report made by the treaſurer of the weſtern ſhore to this board, it appears that ſeveral of the county clerks have neglected to make regular returns of ordinary and marriage licences, licences to retailers of ſpirituous liquors, licences to ſell liquor at horſe races, and hawker's and pedler's licences granted, and of fines and forfeitures, forfeited recognizances, and amerciaments, accruing in their reſpective counties, and alſo that ſeveral of the ſheriffs and other officers have neglected to make annual payment of the public money collected by them on the above-mentioned accounts, whereby the revenue of the ſtate is greatly injured; notice is hereby given, that it is determined by this board to take effectual ſteps for compelling a compliance with the law in the before-mentioned reſpects, of which all perſons concerned, as well on the eaſtern as the weſtern ſhore, are deſired to pay attention.

By order,

T. JOHNSON, jun. clk.

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Annapolis, February 18, 1789.

For SALE,

A PLANTATION, on the north ſide of Severn river, containing about 400 acres, under good fencing, bounding on the river Severn, about five miles diſtant from Annapolis, with a very good framed dwelling houſe, with brick ends and cellar, and very convenient out houſes thereon, an orchard of excellent young fruit trees.

A deſcription of the ſoil, wood, timber and ſituation, are thought unneceſſary, as no perſon would purchaſe who would not examine the premiſes. This property will be ſold for any ſtate or continental ſecurities, good aſſigned bonds, or ſix years credit on bond with ſecurity, upon the regular payment of intereſt at five per cent. per annum. Apply to

JAMES RINGGOLD.

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THERE is in the poſſeſſion of the ſubſcriber, living at Rezin Hammond's mill, near the Head of Severn River, in Anne-Arundel county, taken up as a ſtray, a bay HORSE, about thirteen hands high, appears to be old, his near hind foot white, has a ſmall ſtar in his forehead, is low in fleſh, and has no perceivable brand. The owner is deſired to come and prove property, pay charges and take her away.

2 WALTER PUMPHREY.

Patowmack Company.

AT a meeting of the PRESIDENT and DIRECTORS of the PATOWMACK COMPANY the 17th of February, 1789.

Agreeable to the acts of the aſſemblies of Virginia and Maryland, the ſaid preſident and directors direct, that the proprietors advance and pay into the hands of the treaſurer five per cent. on the ſhares held by them reſpectively, on or before the tenth day of April next.

GEORGE WASHINGTON,
THOMAS JOHNSON,
THOMAS S. LEE,
GEORGE GILPIN,
JOHN FITZGERALD.

The Preſident and Directors, at the time of their laſt call, flattered themſelves that another would not be neceſſary, till they could compel delinquent ſubſcribers to pay up. Legal proceedings have been carried on as far as the ſervice of executions againſt many, but the money is not yet in the treaſury. The Preſident and Directors have therefore been obliged, with other efforts, to make another call, or to ſee their exertions by which the Shanandoah and Seneca Falls are already ſo far reduced as to have permitted the paſſage of a few loaded boats, produce no ſubſtantial benefit. It is now, however, happily aſcertained that a few months labour more, in a favourable ſtate of the river, will effect a ſafe and eaſy navigation through the Shanandoah and Seneca, and to the Great Falls.

Thoſe who have not complied with the two laſt calls, are requeſted to do it immediately, or coercive meaſures will be purſued ſpeedily. 3

ROYAL GIFT,

And the

KNIGHT of MALTA,

Two valuable imported Jack-Aſſes,

WILL cover mares and jennies at Mount Vernon the enſuing ſpring for three guineas the ſeaſon, and two ſhillings and ſix-pence to the groom, for his care of, and attention to, the females. The firſt is of the moſt valuable race in the kingdom of Spain; the other of the beſt breed in the iſland of Malta. ROYAL GIFT (now ſeven years old) has increaſed in ſize ſince he covered laſt ſeaſon. The KNIGHT of MALTA will be five years old this ſpring, about fourteen hands high, moſt beautifully formed for an aſs, and extremely light, active and ſprightly; comparatively ſpeaking, reſembling a fine courſer.

Theſe two JACKS ſeem as if deſigned for different purpoſes, but equally valuable; the firſt, by his weight and great ſtrength, to get mules for the ſlow and heavy draught; the other, by his activity and ſprightlineſs for quicker movements. The value of mules, on account of their ſtrength, longevity, hardineſs and cheap keeping, is too well known to need deſcription.

The money is to be paid before the mares or jennies are taken away, as no accounts will be kept. Good paſture, well encloſed, will be provided, at half a dollar per week, for the convenience of thoſe who may incline to leave their mares or jennies, and every reaſonable care will be taken of them, but they will not be enſured againſt theſts, eſcapes or accidents.

JOHN FAIRFAX, Manager.

Mount Vernon, March 6, 1789. 2

THERE is at the plantation of WILLIAM HALL, 3d. living on the Head of South River, in Anne-Arundel county, taken up as a ſtray, a ſmall black MARE, about four years old, thirteen and an half hands high, with a ſtar in her forehead, and without any perceivable brand, has a long ſwitch tail, and appears unbroke. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges. 2

Kent-Iſland, January 28, 1789.

LOST,

FROM Broad Creek, which it is ſuppoſed was carried off by the ice, the wind being then at north-eaſt, on Monday morning, the 26th inſtant, a SCOW, nearly new, about twenty feet long, and eight or nine feet wide, her ſides are gum. From the wind being at north-eaſt, it is imagined ſhe drifted down towards Talley's or Thomas's Point. FOUR DOLLARS REWARD will be given for bringing her to Broad Creek, Kent-Iſland, or TWO DOLLARS if delivered at Annapolis, in care of Mr. John Sands, jun.

JAMES O'BRYON.

6

Maryland, St. Mary's county, January 27, 1789.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the ſubſcriber intends to apply to the next county court for the county aforeſaid, for a commiſſion to eſtabliſh, mark and bound, the lines of the following tracts of land, called and known by the names of CHANCE, LINSTEAD, and DISCOVERY, according to law in ſuch caſes made and provided.

3 ZACHARIAH MATTINGLY.

February 9, 1789.

WAS committed to my cuſtody, on the 2d inſt. as a runaway, negro JENNY, whom I know to be the property of JOHN MADDOX, ſon of William. Her maſter is deſired to pay charges and take her away.

3X THOMAS A. DYSON, Sheriff of Charles county.