

**T**HERE is at the Plantation of Benjamin Jacobs, on Squire Carrall's Manor, at Elk-Ridge, taken up as a Stray, a dark Bay Horse, about 12 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock with something like a B, but not plain, has a bob Tail, a Star in his Forehead, and a white Lift round his Neck.

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

**T**HERE is at the Plantation of John Brown, Son of Joshua, at Elk-Ridge, taken up as a Stray, a small Iron-Grey Horse, about three Years old, branded on the near Buttock W, has a sprig Tail, a Star in his Forehead, and one of his hind Feet is half white.

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

To be SOLD, for Sterling Money, or Leased out in Parcels, for any Term of Years, not exceeding Twenty One,

**P**ART of a Tract of Land, lying on the little Falls of Gunpowder River, in Baltimore County, containing 590 Acres.

Also, the Lots, with all the Houses, Garden, Yard, and all other Improvements, belonging to the Subscriber, lying in Upper-Marlborough Town, in Prince-George's County, either to be Sold or Let. For Terms apply to

ROBERT BRADLY.

**TO BE SOLD,**

**A**TRACT or Parcel of Land, being one Moiety of a Tract of Land called Clean Drinking, lying in Frederick County, on Rock-Creek, within six Miles of the Warehouse at George-Town, the said Moiety contains 625 Acres, of a good Soil, and well timber'd; whereon is a Dwelling House, and two Tobacco Houses, also a good Apple and Peach Orchard.

Any Person inclinable to purchase the said Land, may know the Title, and Terms of Sale, by applying to the Subscriber, living near lower Cedar-Point, in Charles County.

ARTHUR LEE.

**W**HEREAS it has been reported, by some ill-disposed Person, with a Design of prejudicing me, that I was run away; this, therefore, is to give Notice, that I am still living at Bread-Creek, on Kent-Island, and keep Ferry as usual, where all Gentlemen may depend on having good Boats and skilful Hands, and kind Usage, from

Their humble Servant,  
DANIEL MECONEKIN.

**B**ROKE out of Calvert County Goal, the first of this Instant March, two Felons, viz. Richard Dew, a lusty well-set young Fellow, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high.

Negro Jupiter, belonging to Mr. Samuel Dare, a well-set Fellow, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high.

Whoever secures the said Felons, so that the Subscriber may have them again, shall have Two Pistoles Reward for each, paid by

CHARLES GRAHAME, Sheriff.

**JUST IMPORTED,**

And to be SOLD by the Subscriber, in Annapolis, at the House where Mr. James Dick lately kept Store, either for Bills of Exchange, Current Money, or on short Credit,

**S**UNDRY EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS.

Also, Tea, Coffee, Chocolate, Gloucestershire Cheese, Window Glais of different Sizes, Weston's Snuff, good West-India Rum, and Florence Oil.

JAMES JOHNSON.

**T**HERE is in the Possession of William Molton, living at Rentsro's Old-Field, at Anti-Eatam, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Mare, she has some Saddle-Spots, and is branded on the near Buttock GV.

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

**T**HERE is at the Plantation of Thomas Manning, in Dorchester County, taken up as a Stray, an Iron-Roan Mare, about two Years old, and branded on the near Buttock H.

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

**R**AN away from the Subscribers, living on Kent-Island, the 22d of February last, the three following Convict Servants, viz.

William Edwards, a tall slim Fellow, about 6 Feet high, of a fair Complexion, has little or no Beard, is a bold Fellow, and very forward with his Tongue. He had on a blue Coat, a black Waistcoat, Check Trowsers, a coarse white Linen Shirt, an old Wig, Felt Hat, and Country Shoes and Stockings.

William Watts, a low, likely, well-set Youth, about 5 Feet 4 Inches high, he wears his own Hair, which is black, and curls very well. He had on a Country Kersey Jacket and Breeches, a Felt Hat, and a Pair of Shoes shod round with small Nails.

John Long, a Youth about 5 Feet 2 or 3 Inches high, and is thin-faced. He had on an old Damask Waistcoat, a Country Kersey Jacket, and a white one over it, Country Kersey Breeches, a Felt Hat, Country Shoes and Stockings, and a Cap. He has had a scald Head, and has but little Hair on the Crown of it.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, and secures them so that they may be had again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward for each; or if brought home, Forty Shillings for each, besides what the Law allows, paid by

THOMAS BARNES,  
CHARLES COCKEY,  
MARY COCKEY.

N. B. They went away in a small Boat, without Sails.

Upper-Marlborough, Feb. 20, 1756.

**W**HEREAS, by the repeated Encouragement of his Friend Mr. William Potts, the Subscriber set up several printed Advertisements of his Intentions to attend at Annapolis, Upper-Marlborough, and Baltimore, to Teach the Use of the Foil, and with the said Advertisements sent several printed Copies of his Method of Teaching, as it is diametrically opposite to that in Use (and even an Improvement on Lord Marcar's safe Method), by which he has brought Gentlemen in Barbados, Antigua, &c. beyond Expectation forward. The Subscriber arriving in Capt. Scougall, in December, got as far as this Town on his Way, but was hindered by a severe Relapse of his Disorder, which confined him to his Room and Bed: He is now so much mended as to hope soon to proceed, intending then to give Notice in the GAZETTE of his Public Schools; and also of his Readiness to wait on Gentlemen in private, who desire his Instructions in that Manner, relating to the Use of the Foil, Globes, Geography, Mathematics, and Natural Philosophy, with several other Things useful in Life, &c. &c. In all which Gentlemen and Ladies may command the Attendance of Their very humble Servant,

JULIUS CÆSAR PARKE.

Marlborough, February 16, 1756.

**S**TOLEN from the Subscriber's Plantation, near the Wood-Yard, in the Night of Sunday the 8th Instant, a Roan Mare about 13 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock and other Places with an H, has a Blaze Face and two Lumps on the Ridge of her Back, she is heavy with Foal. It is supposed she was stolen by a Runaway who was at the Plantation about Midnight and enquired the Way to St. Mary's County, he was a tall middle-aged Fellow, had a Felt Hat and Worsted Cap, an Osnabrigs Shirt, brown Waistcoat, Leather Breeches, and blue Leggings.

Also on Saturday the 14th, was stolen from the same Plantation, a black Mare about 13½ Hands high, branded IG on the near Buttock, E on the near Shoulder, and a Heart on the near Side of her Neck, she is likewise with Foal; there is a poor little tired One left: A few Hours after she was stolen, a tall Mulatto Fellow was seen riding her by Mr. Ignatius Digges's, towards Marlborough; he had on her a Bag and Wallet full of something that had the Appearance of Goods, and it is supposed has broke some Store on Patowmack, and is making off with the Goods.

Any Person that will bring either of the said Mares to the Subscriber, shall have Ten Shillings Reward for each, and Thirty Shillings more for each of the Fellons, if either of them can be taken and convict.

J. HEPBURN.

Annapolis, February 18, 1756.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, That the Subscriber will give constant Attendance, at his Office in Annapolis, every Wednesday and Thursday, before the Tenth of April next, to receive all Money due from the Inhabitants of this County for Public Levies. And as he has farmed his Lordships Quit-Rents for this County, he is in Hopes every Person concerned will take Care to make punctual Payments, agreeable to the Times mentioned in their Patents (which are the 25th of March and 20th of September yearly), as it will prevent Trouble (as well as Expence) to themselves and

Their most humble Servant,

JOHN RAITT, Sheriff  
of Anne-Arundel County.

Oxford, February 9, 1756.

To be SOLD, at Oxford, on reasonable Terms, for Bills, Current Money, Tobacco, Wheat, Corn, and short Credit,

**T**HE Stock in Trade of Richard Gildart, Esq; and Sons, of Liverpool, Merchants. All Persons inclin'd to purchase are desired soon to apply to the Subscriber, who intends for England early in the next Summer, and gives this public Notice to all those who have any Demands on the said Company, or himself, or are in Arrears to either, that they may come and settle their respective Accounts, and avoid further Trouble to themselves, and

THOMAS BRERETON.

To be SOLD for Bills of Exchange, or Sterling Money,

**A**TRACT of Land containing 190 Acres, lying on the South Side of Magethy River, situated very pleasant and convenient for Fishing and Fowling, and within 5 Miles of Annapolis, whereon is a good Dwelling-House, Kitchen, Meat-House, a Negro Quarter, two Corn-Houses, a Garden, well-paled in, and two Orchards.

Also a young Negro Wench, a Negro Girl, and a Negro Boy.

For Terms apply to the Printer hereof.

**TO BE SOLD,**

For Sterling Money, good Bills of Exchange, Gold Silver, or Paper Currency,

**T**HE following Tracts and Parcels of Land, viz.

Rover's Content,	466	} Acres.
Part of The Inclosure,	89	
Part of Goodluck,	445	
Fife, - - - - -	78	
Beall's Chance,	290	
Father's Gift,	183	
Bread and Cheese Hall,	91	

These are all adjoining, and make a Body of choice well timbered Land, whereon are Three Plantations, with good Orchards, lying in Prince George's County, within five Miles of Bladenburg, ten of Upper-Marlborough, and six of the Eastern Branch Ferry.

Copper,	113	} Acres.
Part of Laybill,	649	
Beall's Reserve,	380	
Drumdry,	225	

The Four last mentioned lie in Beall's Neck, in Frederick County, not above twelve Miles from Bladenburg, being a choice Parcel of fine Wood-Land.

Also 459 Acres of Land, being Part of a Tract called Allison's Park, lying likewise in Frederick County, on or near a Branch, called and known, by the Name of Captain John's Branch.

Any Person inclinable to purchase Part of the first mentioned seven Tracts, lying in Prince George's County, may have the Quantity desired, provided it be taken so as not to incommode the remaining Part, to render it unserviceable, or prejudice the Sale thereof; and likewise, any Part of the several Tracts, in Frederick County, in like Manner.

The Title and Terms may be known, by applying to the Subscriber, or to Josias Beall, junior, living on Ackekick, near Piscataway, in Prince-George's County.

JOHN BEALL, junior.

N. B. Time will be given for the Payment of Part, on good Security, if required.

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-----Incipe rumpere,  
**S**LOTH is the insidious Delay, both of worst Habits we come, in Regard to Point of Fortune. most all Sorts of Diseases almost every Species of tance. Nothing is more common, even about Thirty, recall back Seven Years of this a severe Satire on the this peremptorily convict Misapplication of their Time says,  
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The venerable Philosopher tur vita transcurrit. Omnis tempus tantum nostrum est. cis, ac lubrica possessionem nos expellit, quicumque virtus reproaches his Delay the most likely to recover he has lost; if that he Spirit enough to act and per Caution, Vigilance, and the Offspring of Reflection Guardians against almost ev tune, which, in the ord Things, can invade us, and Delay to take Place in any They admonish, instruct, pr Surprise. They sleep with us; shelter us of Envy, Calumny and D

Whoever procrastinates Time and robs himself of the sure he ever can be possessed. Time, knows no Delay, but ing about. 'Tis heroic, 'tis in Youth, to embrace every nity which offers, and su thereof to be lost. All the dicate the Genius, and emb the laudable Acquisitions in which adorn the Man, flows cation of this invaluable Blef

The vast Series of all good led in this transitory State, ting. Nor is it Destiny that Delays which torment us. N is partial in the Distribution who, by Sloth and Delay, ar Fortuna fortes metuit, Spirit and Activity, repose of Ease and Pleasure, Indol us into the flinty Vale of S Activity exalts us to Honour dolence and Delays, sink us into tempt.

We complain of the Wo we exclaim against Fortune thing more absurd, nothing thing more puerile. All the Sound. All Things are ju perhaps, ever will be so. the same; the Choice our o the Reproach and Ignominy who abuse ourselves, betray Delays, lose the Acquisition Renown.---

The Vicissitude of Seasons mutable; the Fruits thereof different, just as the genial kind or unkind. Even so Tide of Life runs steady whose glittering Perquisites, small, just as the Talent and are either diligently or sloth