

THE Subscriber having been a long Time confined in Talbot County Goal, for Debt, and not having wherewith to redeem his Body, hereby gives Notice, That he intends to apply to the next General Assembly for an Act for his Relief.
FERDINANDO BREWER.

THERE is at the Plantation of Samuel Grible, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Bright Bay Horse, with a bob Tail, branded on the Shoulder L K.
The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is in the Possession of Andrew Mike-fell, living at the Head of Israel Creek, taken up as a Stray, a middle-fiz'd Sorrel Mare, she paces slow, is branded on the near Shoulder, but with what is uncertain, her Back has been very much hurt, and has some white Spots on it: She had on a Bell with a Leather Collar.
The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Mrs. Rebecca Brown, near the Head of Severn, Two small Steers, one of them Black, with a white Face, and the other a Brindle, with a Star in his Forehead, and a small Pied Heifer, all mark'd with a Swallow Fork in the right Ear, and the left Ear cropp'd.
The Owner or Owners may have them again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

LATELY PUBLISHED,
And to be Sold by the Printer hereof,

THE MARYLAND ALMANACK, for the Year 1758.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in Prince-George's County, on the 16th of September last, the Three following Negroes, viz.
Forrester, a lusty well-made Fellow, between 50 and 60 Years of Age. Had on when he went away, a light Cloth colour'd Jacket, with slash Sleeves, a striped Country Cloth Jacket and Breeches, Check Shirt, and old Stockings and Shoes.
Jee, a low well-made Fellow, about 30 Years of Age. He had on when he went away, a Country Cloth Jacket and Breeches, an Osnabrigs Shirt, and old Shoes and Stockings.

Best, a low well-made Wench, between 40 and 50 Years of Age. She had on when she went away, a Country Cloth Jacket and Petticoat, an Osnabrigs Shift, and old Shoes and Stockings; and took with her a Callico Jacket and Petticoat, and a Cotton Dittó.

Whoever takes up the said Negroes, and brings them home, shall have Ten Shillings Reward for each, besides what the Law allows, paid by
THOMAS NOBLE.

THERE is at the Plantation of Henry Boone, in Prince-George's County, a Dark Brown and White Cow, with a large Star in her Forehead, marked with a Slit and large under Bit in the right Ear, and a Slit in the Left, with the under Part of the Ear cut half off.
The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Thomas Hamilton, taken up as a Stray, a Black Horse, about 12½ Hands high, branded on the Shoulder and Buttock with something like an I, has several white Spots on each Side of his Back, and his Feet have been cut with Spangles.
The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

[The Writer of this Advertisement has forgot to mention the County he lives in.]

JUST IMPORTED from BRISTOL,
And to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Stores at UPPER-MARLBOROUGH and PIC-POINT,

A PARCEL of WELCH COTTONS, FRIZES, RUGS, and BLANKETS, and other WINTER GOODS; CROWN GLASS 8 by 10, and 11 by 9; NAILS and IRON WARE, QUART BOTTLES, &c. &c. &c.
STEPHEN WEST.

To be Sold to the Highest Bidder, on Monday the 2d of January next, at Lower-Marlborough, for Sterling Money, Currency, or Bills of Exchange,

SEVEN Hundred and Twenty-Eight Barrels of FLOUR, and Two Thousand Six Hundred Bushels of old WHEAT. For the Convenience of Purchasers, the Flour will be Sold in Lots of Fifty Barrels, and the Wheat in Quantities not less than Two Hundred and Fifty Bushels. The Sale to begin at II o'Clock, at the Warehouse where the Grain now lies. Any Person inclining to purchase, may see the Condition of the Wheat and Flour at any Time before the Day of Sale, by applying to Messieurs Wardrop and Grabame; and if any Person inclines to purchase any Part before the Day of Sale, they may apply to the Subscribers.

3. ALEXANDER and ANDREW SYMMER.

IMPORTED in the CUNLIFFE, Capt. MATTHEWS, from LIVERPOOL, and to be Sold by the Subscriber at OXFORD,

A QUANTITY of SALT, which will be delivered overboard at 1/9 Bills of Exchange per Bushel, or Equivalent in ready Cash; or Plantation Crop Tobacco delivered on board at 9/0 Sterling per Hundred.

This SHIP will take in TOBACCO, delivered along-side, or at any convenient Warehouse on Chestnut, Miles, Wye, or Patuxent, at 14 l. per Ton, consigned to any House in Liverpool: She mounts 18 Carriage Guns, and 50 Men.

H. CALLISTER.

We expect to Load in a Month.

JUST IMPORTED,

From LONDON, in the THETIS, and to be Sold on board the said Ship, lying at ANNAPOLIS, by Wholesale or Retail,

SINGLE and Double Refin'd Sugar, Cheeses, Lemons, Beer, in Cask or Bottles, Pickles, viz. Olives, Capers, Anchovies; Sweet Oil, Durham Mustard, Scotch Snuff, Shoes and Pumps, Mens and Womens Thread, Worsted, and Silk Stockings, Worsted and Silk Patterns for Breeches, Felt and Castor Hats, both plain and laced, Osnabrigs, Sheetings, Brown Rolls, Irish Linen, Cotton and Linen Checks, stamp Linens, Chintz, plain Lawn, figur'd Gauzes, Womens Ruffles and Handkerchiefs, Scotch Handkerchiefs, Welch and Kendall Cottons, blue Ditto, Flannels, Rugs and Blankets, Knives, Razors, Buckles, Lancets, Cutlasses, Medicines of all Sorts, Surgeons Instruments, Hungary Water, new Books and Magazines, cut Tobacco, several Sorts of Stone and Earthen Ware, viz. Sets of white Tea Ware, Decanters, Porringers, Chamber Pots of different Sorts, Bowls of all Sizes, Stew Plates and Dishes of the newest Fashions and Sizes, Breakfast Plates, Pickle Plates, Fruit Baskets, Butter Pots, Welch Ware, viz. China Cups and Saucers, red China Coffee-Pots, &c. Nails of all Sorts, Hoes and Frying Pans, Drinking Glasses, Wine and Water Glasses, Tumblers, Decanters, and several other Things too tedious to mention.

JAMES HOUSTON.

OPEN'D by Mistake, and left with the Printer hereof, A Letter dated March 1757, externally superscribed, To George Caney, Merchant, Eastern Shore, Maryland, per Captain White: And internally, To George Caney, Eastern Shore. It contains an Account Current, and mentions a Balance due to him for a valuable Hoghead of Tobacco received per Capt. Coxon in 1752. Enquiry has been made for the said Caney, or Caney, but no such Person, as yet, can be found. The Person to whom it belongs, may have it, on Application to the Printer hereof, and paying the Charge of this Advertisement, 3/0.

THE Subscriber having engaged a very skilful TANNER, and provided every Thing requisite for carrying on the TANNING BUSINESS, at his House on West-River, will Tan at FOUR SHILLINGS and SIX PENCE per Hide.

STEPHEN STEWARD.

TO BE SOLD,

For Sterling Money, good Bills of Exchange, or Current Money,

SEVERAL Tracts of LAND, lying in Frederick County, below Frederick-Town, well Timbered and Watered, with Plenty of good Meadow Ground.

Any Person inclinable to purchase, may know the Terms by applying to
HENRY WRIGHT CRABB.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Persons that are any Ways indebted to the Concern at Piscataway, belonging to Edward Trafford, Esq. and Sons, in Liverpool, to come and pay their several Balances, or settle the same by Bond, or Note of Hand; otherwise they will immediately be sued.

Likewise all Persons that have any Demands against the said Concern, are desired to come and receive the same; which will be paid them either in Tobacco or Goods, or settled in the most agreeable Manner, by
GEORGE BOWDON.

N. B. As there are several Persons that have very large Balances now standing in the Book, and have stood so for some Years past, and by all Appearance they seem to take little or no Notice about them: This is to acquaint all such, that without they come and settle the same, either by Bond, or Note of Hand, or discharge them, they may expect further Trouble, let the Consequence be what it will.

TO BE SOLD,

A CONVENIENT TANYARD, lying in Annapolis, adjoining to a good Landing, with all the Appurtenances thereunto belonging: In which are, 14 Vats, 2 Lurches, 5 Handles, 4 Limes, 2 Granaries, and 2 large Water-Ponds, most of them all lately sunk, and done in the best Manner. The Water-Ponds are constantly supplied, from a natural Spring, by a Drain under Ground, and are sunk in the Beam-House, with the Granaries: The House is 40 Feet by 18, and framed with Poplar Scantling, and well covered. There are also Two other Houses, lately built, one with Brick, a Story and ½ high, 23 Feet by 16, and hath one Fire-Place, and covered with Clapboards, and Shingled over them: The other House is 60 Feet by 21, one End of which, 30 Feet long, is built with Brick and Stone, a Story and ½ high; in which is Two Fire-Places below, and one above; in the other End is a Mill-House, with a Leather-Room below, and Lodging-Rooms above, with sundry convenient Sheds joining to it, such as Meat-House, Stables, Lime-House, and Bark-House, all covered with Shingles. There is also a good Garden and small Pasture, both well paved and fenced in. Also to be Sold sundry NEGROES, chiefly brought up in the Tanyard, and to the Tanning Business. And as the Subscriber intends soon to depart this Province, the Whole will be Sold on reasonable Terms, and Time given for Payment if required. He has also to Sell, a small SLOOP, suitable for the Grain Trade, being a prime Sailer, and in as good Repair as when first Launched, and will carry about 8 or 900 Bushels of Grain. For Terms apply to
ROBERT SWAN.

N. B. The Tanyard, with the Improvement, will be Sold with, or without, the Negroes, as the Purchaser pleases.

TO BE SOLD OR LET,

A TRACT of LAND, containing 260 Acres, 16 Acres of which is excellent fresh Water Meadow, with a good Orchard of young grafted Trees, lying on the Round-Bay near the Vine-Yard, on which there is a good Dwelling-House, Stable, Corn-House, &c. For Terms, and further Particulars, enquire of Mr. Lancelot Jacques, Merchant, in Annapolis.

TO BE SOLD,

By the SUBSCRIBER near Severn-Ferry, by Wholesale or Retail,

CHOICE GOOD SINGLE and DOUBLE REFINED SUGAR, and fine old CANE SPIRIT: As likewise by Retail, MADEIRA WINE, WEST-INDIA RUM, and MUCOVADO SUGAR. JOHN CLAPHAM.

MARY
Contain

The Governor's MESSAGE to the Legislature of Assembly, in Answer to their Address, Printed in last Gazette.

Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly,

AS there are, in your Address to me, some Insinuations calculated to injure my Character, I think it proper, before I proceed to any other Parts of that Address, to submit to the disinterested Reader, whom you are pleased to address, a plain Narrative of those Transactions of mine, which you conceive I should be silent of, and would have proper for the Knowledge of the Public.

By an Act of Assembly that was passed in July 1754, upon the News of the Virginia having been Defeated at the Little-Mt. Treasurers and Commissioners of the Province for the Time being, 6000 l. to be applied towards the Defence of Virginia, and his Majesty's and the Relief and Support of the Widows and Orphans of the Indian Allies, that should be under the Protection of this Colony at such Times, and in such Sums, as the Governor of the Province for the Time being should judge necessary. As soon as this Act was passed, I advised Governor Dinwiddie thereof, and he thought it proper, that he should write to me, how he thought the Province might be most usefully expended for the Service; and upon his giving it as his Opinion, that a Company of about a Hundred ought to be raised in Maryland, to act with the Troops that were then in the Province, under the Command of General Innes, I forthwith issued Commission for such a Company. As it was then expected, these Men would be immediately employed beyond the Allegany Mountains, where they had not at all Times to be easily got, as to had to their Cost experienced, I immediately directed Col. Cresap, who lived in the Part of the Province, to purchase, as much Flour and Salt Provisions, as could be furnished by One Hundred Men in Two Months, and to enable the Colonel to purchase at the cheapest Rate, I did, on the 30th and at several Times afterwards, advance much Money as made together, the Sum of 1000 l. in the Currency, which he engaged to account for my Satisfaction. When the Officers about 50 Men, some of them were ordered with them, and encamp on Col. Cresap's, where they continued until November, when they proceeded to join his Majesty's Three Companies, that were then employed at Fort Cumberland; from the Time they reached Conococheague, they were victualled by Col. Cresap, out of the Provisions which he had in pursuance of my Order. In the Month of November 1754, having received my Order, to take Command of all the Troops, had been, or that should be raised in the Province, for his Majesty's Service, I presented myself to the Assembly, in Hopes that they would give me to Answer, in some Degree, his Majesty's expectations and Intention, in Honouring me with such a Commission; and, about the 10th of December, gave Col. Cresap Orders to purchase till he had filled up the Number of Men which I had wanted: In the Hopes which I had that the Assembly I was however dissolved, the End was put to the Session the 24th of December, and I was very soon after informed that the Assembly had been graciously pleased to give me a Commission, and two Regiments of Foot to embark for Virginia. Between

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