

Annapolis, June 20, 1764.

ABOUT Three Years ago, there was left with the Subscriber (which he received in Virginia from Capt. *Cuzzins*, in a Ship from Mr. *Anderfen*) a Box of STATIONARY, mark'd R T B, N^o. 4, [the T B join'd together in one] for one *Richard Ellsmore*. Enquiry has been diligently made; but no such Person can as yet be found. If the said *Ellsmore* be Living, and will apply for the said Box, or if he be Dead, his legal Representative; he or they may have the same, on producing a proper Title: But if no Body will apply, or no Intelligence be had about him, before Saturday the 28th Day of July next, they will then be Sold at Public Vendue, and the Purchase Money, after paying Charges, be referred for him, his Heirs or Assigns, in the Hands of

SAMUEL MIDDLETON.

N. B. The Box contains Paper, some Pocket-Books, Ink-Powder, Blank Books, &c. &c.

VIRGINIA, June 14, 1764.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on Sunday the 10th inst, an English Convict Servant Man, named *John Fricker*, he is about 25 Years of Age, a stout, well made Fellow, about 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, round and full faced, of a ruddy Complexion, and wears his own black Hair tied behind: Had on when he went away, a white Shirt, a Violet colour'd Waistcoat, with yellow gilt Buttons, it has a Flap down the Breast, over the Button Holes, the Skirts of it lined with white Shalloon or Tammy, a brownish colour'd old superfine Broadcloth Coat; lined with Shalloon of the same Colour, with Mohair Buttons partly worn out, a Pair of Buckskin Breeches, white Stockings, and Country made Shoes, lately half soled. It is suspected he has carried away other Clothes with him. He is a Joiner and House-Carpenter, and pretends to understand the Wheelwright's Business. Whoever brings the said Servant to me, in Stafford County, shall have the above Reward.

WILLIAM BRENT.

A YOUNG WOMAN of unblemished Character, and liberal Education, would be glad to undertake the Instruction of young Ladies in a Gentleman's Family, or the Employment of a House-keeper. Enquire at the Printing-Office.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the *Fanny*, Capt. *Richard Lane*, from London, and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Store in ANNAPOLIS, very Cheap, for Bills, Cash, or Tobacco.

GREAT Variety of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable to Summer and Winter Seasons.

Also may be had as usual, Wine, Rum, Melasses, Raisins, Rice, Coffee, Chocolate, Loaf and Brown Sugar, some very fine Maryland Barrell'd Pork, &c. &c.

NATHAN HAMMOND.

Worcester County, May 30, 1764.

TEN PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away from *Deep-Creek* Iron-Works, near the Head of *Nanticoke* River, a Servant Man named *John Abell*, about 35 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, born in this Country, wears his Hair, which is of a brown Colour, thin Visage, and down Look. Had on and took with him, an old brown Cloth Coat, with white Metal Buttons, an old Jacket without Sleeves, the fore Parts green, Check and Osnabrigs Shirts, Trowsers, old Shoes and Buckles.

Likewise, Ran away from his Bail, *John Seaman*, or *Sullivan*, upwards of 40 Years of Age, of middle Stature, Peck mark'd, wore black curled Hair, was born in the West of England, and speaks broad, is much given to Drink, and pretends to be well acquainted with driving a Team. Had on and with him, a new Hat, a new deep blue Cloth Coat, Check Shirts, Leather Breeches; Check Trowsers, good Shoes, a Callico, or stamped Linen Jacket.

They went off by Water, and 'tis thought intend for *Carolina* or *Virginia*.

Whoever takes up and secures them, so that they may be had again, shall have the above Reward, or Five Pistoles for either, paid by

JONATHAN VAUGHAN,
WILLIAM DOUGLASS.

FOUR PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away on the 23d of May last from Mr. *Arnold Liver's*, in *St. Mary's* County; an Indented Servant Man named *Peter Rose*, by Trade, a Painter, was born in *Guernsey*, speaks French, and very bad English, is of middle Stature, and dark Complexion. Had on when he went away, a Suit of blue German Serge Clothes almost new. It is supposed he will endeavour to get across the Bay, and make towards *Philadelphia*.

Whoever apprehends the said Servant, and will deliver him to Mr. *Arnold Liver's*, in *St. Mary's* County, to Mr. *Henry Bradford*, in *Charles* County, or to the Subscriber at *Piscataway*, in *Prince-George's* County, shall receive the above Reward.

BENJAMIN DAWSON.

JUST IMPORTED

In the *Friendship*, Capt. *Young*, from *BARBADOS*, PARCEL of very good RUM and SUGAR; and I have some Cane Spirit, and very fine strong old Rum, equal to the Spirit, to be Sold at my Stores on *Patuxent* and *Patowmack*, for Bills, Cash, Tobacco, or Country Produce.

THE *Mary & Elizabeth*, Capt. *Hodge*, is arrived, and now lies at *George-Town*, the Head of *Patowmack*, to load Tobacco consign'd to Mr. *John Buchanan* of *London*. at Seven Pounds per Ton Freight. I shall order Insurance at Six Pounds per Hoghead. This is a very good new Vessel, and great Part of her Load being ready, she will be quickly loaded, and go home in the Summer Season to an early Market. Those who intend to ship Tobacco on board her, are desired to give speedy Orders; and also, all who are Indebted to me, and expect me to take Tobacco in Payment, are desired to let me have it in Time for this Vessel.

STEPHEN WES.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the *Brigantine* *Free-Mason*, Capt. *Robert Bryce*, from *BARBADOS*,

A LARGE Quantity of RUM and Muscovado SUGAR, which will be Sold very reasonable, for Cash or Bills, by

CHARLES WALLACE, & Co.

Claret, and white Port Wine, in Bottles, old Coffee, and Cocoa Nuts, may be had at same Place.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber in ANNAPOLIS,

A SMALL Quantity of SHIP BREAD, and a few Firkins of Irish BUTTER.

The Subscriber likewise gives this Public Notice to any Master of a Vessel, that may be bound to *Hatifax* or *Boston*, that by applying to him in *Annapolis*, he may hear of a Freight worth while.

EDMUND RUTLAND.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD,

RAN away on the 18th Day of May last, from the *Baltimore* Iron-Works, on *Patapsco*, an English Convict Servant Man, named *John Child*, by Trade a Gardener, speaks broad, about 30 Years of Age, has a red Beard, is much mark'd with the Small-Pox, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, and wears brown curl'd Hair: Had on when he went away, a double riveted Steel Collar, Felt Hat, two Osnabrig Shirts, Osnabrig Trowsers, Great Coat of a greyish colour, trimm'd with flat Metal Buttons, blue German Serge Coat, black Cloth Jacket and Breeches, white Cotton Stockings, and a Pair of Pumps almost new.

Whoever secures said Servant so that he may be had again, shall have the above Reward, and reasonable Charges if brought home.

JAMES FRANKLIN.

February 1, 1764.

IN an Advertisement published in the *Maryland Gazette*, bearing Date April 6th, 1763, informing the Debtors of the Loan-Office, That unless they paid off and discharged their respective Bonds by the Thirtieth Day of July last, they would be put in Suit; to which little Regard has been paid: THEREFORE the Commissioners once more give Notice, That they will immediately proceed in Suing out Executions upon all the Bonds due to them as Trustees of the Loan-Office aforesaid, and that they will continue so to do until all the Bonds are paid off, the Time for finishing and completing the whole Business being Short.

Signed per Order,
R. COUDEN, Cl. P. C. Office.

To be SOLD, pursuant to the Last Will and Testament of BENJAMIN FENDALL, Esq; deceased, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 10th of July Inst. on the Premises, for Sterling Money, or good Bills of Exchange.

THE Tract of LAND whereon the Deceased lately lived, and another Tract adjoining thereto (both containing about 300 Acres) lying in *Charles* County, on *Patowmack* River, near the Naval Office; whereon is a large and commodious Brick Dwelling House, with Four Rooms, a large Passage and Closets on a Floor; the Chambers are divided in the same Manner above Stairs; and underneath are Cellars the Bigness of the House, divided by Brick Partitions as above, all completely finished; a Brick Kitchen, a Brick Dairy, Stables, Corn House, Tobacco and Cow Houses, Quarters, and many other convenient Houses; a good Garden and Yard paved in. The Soil is mostly very good, part thereof a fine firm Marsh, some Meadow Ground already cleared, and much more to clear. It is a very pleasant and valuable Seat, and many Advantages attending it: One is the Conveniency of keeping a Ferry to *Hoe's*, &c. much frequented, and well known to Travellers; And there is now a House built at the Landing for a Tenant, which, together with the Ferry, &c. Rents for Fifty Pounds Currency per Annum. Also the Water Mills on *Allen's* *Fresh* in the said County, with Twenty Acres of Land condemned by *Ad Quod Damnum*, to build them on; there are three Pair of Stones of the best *Calaga* Grit, two Pair in one House, which was repaired about six Months ago. The single Mill is newly built, and good Workmanship, all on the same Dam, and not sixty Yards apart, a Brick Bake House 30 by 16 Feet, with a good Oven, large enough to bake 150 lbs. of Ship Bread at once, a Store House, Grainary, and Dwelling Houses, for Millers, &c. Likewise, A Tract of Land about two Miles from the said Mills, containing by Patent 47 Acres; it is a rich Soil, and full of good Timber. Any Person that is inclinable to purchase, may, at any Time, view the Land, Houses, &c. by applying to the Overseer there; or the Mills, &c. by applying to the Millers; who have Orders to shew every Thing pertinent to the Premises. Also, at the same Time and Place, A Parcel of SLAVES, of both Sexes, Grown and Young, one of them an ingenious Fellow; he is a Carpenter, Cooper, Shoemaker, and Tanner; a likely young Fellow, who has been a waiting Man, and can serve well at Table, &c. a good Cook, Wench, and several Others. A large Assortment of Household and Kitchen Furniture, such as very good Feather Beds and Furniture, Mahogany Walnut, and other Chairs, a good Couch, Mahogany, Walnut, and other Tables, a Mahogany Desk, one Ditt and Book Case, with a Looking Glass Front, a good Eight Day Clock, a Mahogany Corner Cep-board with a Glass Front, a painted Ditt, two Marble Tables, Mahogany Chests of Drawers, Looking Glasses of various Sorts and Sizes, a Silver Tea Pot, Cream Pot, Tea Spoons, &c. Table Spoons, Salts, Silver Hasted Knives and Forks, China, Earthen, and Stone Ware, of different Sorts; a large Assortment of good Pewter, Copper, Tin and Iron Pots, and many other necessary and convenient Things in a well furnish'd Houle and Kitchen. A large Stock of Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, and some Horses; raw Hides; a Riding Chaise, with Harness for two Horses. A Quantity of *Indian* Corn and Wheat at the aforesaid Mills, that will be Sold at any Time when applied for. A large Collection of Books, too tedious to particularize. The Sale to begin at Twelve o'Clock on the Day appointed, and will continue at the same Place until the Whole is disposed of.

THOMAS CONTEE, } Executors.
HENRY FENDALL, }

N. B. Those that have just Claims against the Estate of *Benjamin Fendall*, Esq; Deceased, are desired to bring them in, legally proved, and those that are Indebted to the said Estate, are desired to pay the Executors without further Notice.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

FIFTEEN Acres of LAND, or thereabouts, at the Head of *Bals-River*, in *Baltimore* County, the First Tuesday in August next, at *Jesse* Court, conveniently situated for a Warehouse.

RICHARD RICHARDSON.

The MAR

[XXth Year.]

TALBOT County, July 1st, 1764.

Mr. GREEN,

AS you were pleas'd, in your Paper the 28th of June, to take some Notice of a malignant Fever, that had carried off a great many Negroes in *Talbot* County, and as that Disorder tho' now subside'd here, is frequently incident all these Colonies, by Means of Servants or Slaves brought from on board of crowded Ships, perhaps the following Dissertation, on that dangerous and often fatal Malady, may not be unacceptable many of your Readers.

It's Symptoms are generally, a Chilliness first, which in some, attended with a Sense of Heat and Cold by Turns, continues for Ten or Twelve Hours; a Sense of Tightness round, rather than acute Pain in, the Head; Sickness at Stomach, and Nausea; a Pain in the Back and Loins, and sometimes wandering Pains all over the muscular Flesh. The Pulse in this Period (which continues generally the first 24 Hours) I cannot precisely describe, having never seen any of them early in the Distemper, but am told, that it is very irregular, sometimes flow and full, at other Times quick and low. During the whole Course of the Disorder, the Drought is seldom considerable. The second and following Days the Strength and Spirits sink, even when no Evacuation has been used; the Pulse becomes quick, small and thready; the Skin feels rather cooler than in Health, but the Patient complains of vast internal Heat, Labour, Weight and Oppression, upon the Praecordia the Countenance appears stupid and dejected, the Eyes heavy and languid, and they complain of a Kind of Confusion in the Head (as they express it) which, tho' it deprives them of Rest and Sleep, yet seldom rises to a Delirium.

Sometimes for an Hour or Two, they seem perfectly easy, their Pulse, Respiration and Heat, regular and moderate, and if ask'd, they will tell you they are much better; but in a little Time, the Scene is altered without any manifest Cause, all the Symptoms recurring with double Violence, such as vast Anxiety and Oppression about the Praecordia, intense Heat in the Bowels, a deep and labouring Respiration, interrupted with frequent Sighs; but these Exacerbations are most common towards Night, tho' not so regularly and constantly so, as to constitute the Fever a regular Remittent. A Yellowness of the Eyes and Tongue coming on about the Fifth or Sixth Day, has always been a fatal Symptom in those I have seen, and they seldom reach the Ninth Day alive: In general, these that outlive the Ninth Day, get over it; tho' I have heard of, some who have lingered a Fortnight or more, and died at last, but that was where no Assistance from Medicine was used. The Body is generally cosine for the first Five or Six Days, unless any opening Medicine has been given, on the Use of which, or a loose Stool from a Clyster, the Patient generally finds great Relief. I have not seen any who have had a *Subsultus Tenuium*, or much Tremor in the Hands, but several, whose Tongues have trembled much upon being put out to look at; nor have I observed any petechial Spots, but these are hardly visible on Negroes, and I have never seen any white Person, who had the Disorder in so violent Degree as it is common among the Negroes, nor have I attended any white Person that died of it, except one Woman, whose Condition (being then in-Childbed) might prevent the Eruption of these Spots, and her I did not see the Three last Days of her Illness.

This is a pretty exact Description of the Disease, taken from too many who have fallen Sacrifices to it's Malignity; and if compar'd with Dr. *Pringle's* Account of the Hospital Fever, or Bilious Disease, or with *Huxham's*, of the malignant putrid Fever, it will be apparent, that they are nearly related, if not the same Disease, allowing for the quicker Progress of the Distemper here, from the Heat of the Climate.

It is certainly more Infectious, and more Fatal among Negroes; than among white People, for which several Reasons may be assign'd; as first,

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