

**114** ANNAPOLIS, January 14.  
Thursday, 6 o'Clock, Afternoon.  
At the Northern Post is not yet arrived, and the Southern One brought no Mail; and our Rivers, at same Time, being frozen up, by which we are prevented receiving any Articles of Intelligence from the different Parts of the Province, we hope we shall stand excus'd for this Single Half Sheet.

Bladenburgh, (Maryland) January 1, 1768.  
I INTEND to Let, for a Term of Years, (and will give Possession either the ensuing Spring or Fall) about 500 Acres of Land, on the Side of the Eastern Branch of Patowmack River, at navigable Water, Five Miles from Bladenburgh, the same Distance from Georgetown, and Eight Miles by Water from Alexandria; about 130 Acres are improveable Tide Marsh, 20 Acres of which are banked in, and has yielded, by Estimation, 100,000 lb. of Hay, yearly, for Four Years, and the Price of Hay, at the Towns above-mentioned, has always been 4 s. per 100 lb. I shall reserve about 200 Acres to remain in Woods; so that there will be about 170 Acres of level Land to work besides the Meadow. There are 14 Bushels of Wheat, and 13 and an Half of Rye, sowed, and about 30 Acres of fresh Ground for Corn. The Buildings are sufficient, and the Fences are in fine Order. I intend also to let Five Settlements, of about 100 Acres each, in the Woods, Part of the same Tract.

I want to sell 1500 Acres of Land, 30 Miles from George-Town, near Patowmack River; 300 of which is fine low Ground, with a large Plantation on it. The rest is Wood Land, good Soil, level, and clear of Stone, but there is no good Spring on the Land. Also about 1300 Acres of Wood Land, 3 Miles higher. The Soil is good, as level as common, and well watered. The Purchaser may have Credit, on paying Interest.  
RICHARD HENDERSON.  
If any one will give a good Price, I will sell the whole Tract on the Eastern Branch, which I proposed to Rent out, and give Credit to the Purchaser, on Condition that Interest be regularly paid; or, I will take Slaves in Payment of any Part, or the Whole.

ELK-RIDGE, January 1, 1768.  
To be sold at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Friday the 22d Instant, on the Premises, (pursuant to the Last Will and Testament of EDWARD DORSEY, deceased), ABOUT One Hundred Acres of valuable Land, being Part of said DORSEY'S DWELLING PLANTATION, to which an indisputable Title will be made, by  
JOHN & ELY DORSEY, Executors.  
All Persons who are indebted to said Estate are desired to make immediate Payment, and those who have any Demands, are desired to bring their Accounts in, that they may be adjusted and paid off.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, by the SUBSCRIBER, living near the Head of South-River, on Tuesday the 2d of February,

PARCEL of VALUABLE LAND, containing about 600 ACRES, all in one Body; whereon is a Dwelling-House, 26 Feet in Length, and 25 Feet in Breadth, Brick Chimney, with Three Fire Places, Two below Stairs, and One above; Two Rooms on the lower Floor, plastered above and below, with Two Porches, the Sides are covered with Feather-edged Plank, the Roof with Cypress Shingles, and all in good Repair; Two large Gardens, paved in; a Well in the Yard, stoned up; Cellar; House; Kitchen; Quarter; Meat-House; Milk-house; Corn-house; Two logg'd Stables, Dove-tail'd Work, with Plank Lofts; a new Barn, 20 Feet in Length, 16 Feet in Breadth, the Floor plank'd for Threshing, and the Roof covered with Shingles; a large Apple-Orchard, of the best of Fruits; Peach-Orchards; Quince ditto; Cherry ditto; Five large Tobacco-Houses, and as many Tenements, in good Repair, that rents for Fifty Pounds a-Year; a Meadow completely cleared; another almost cleared; and full Thirty Acres to clear, exceeding rich; with Two other Orchards. The said Land is well watered and timbered. The Subscriber will give Attendance on every Wednesday, on the Premises, in order to show, and treat with any Person inclinable to purchase.  
JOHN WILMOT.  
The Subscriber has Two TRACTS of LAND, lying on the Drafts of Great-Pipe-Creek, Frederick County, within 14 Miles of Frederick-Town, containing 514 Acres, which he will either sell, lease, or rent. The Title is indisputable. J. W.

ANY SCHOOLMASTER that wants a Place, may, by applying to Samuel Lane, at Pig-Point, meet with good Encouragement. (2\*)

TAKEN up by the Subscriber, on the 23d of last Month, at Capt. Thomas Marb's Plantation, on Ant-Island, a new PINE CANOE, about 20 Feet long, and 18 Inches wide; has nothing remarkable about her proper for advertising, except a Rope Painter. The Owner, on proving Property, and paying Charges, may have her again, on applying to  
JOHN SPAULDING.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in Frederick County, near George-Town, Maryland, a Convict Servant Man, named JAMES JOHNSON, alias Ingram, about 18 Years of Age, 5 Feet 3 Inches high, has short black Hair, is much pitted with the Small-Pox, and has been employed as a Schoolmaster. Had on, and took with him, a new Forrest Cloth Coat, with Mohair Buttons, a white Broad Cloth Jacket, which was a little too large for him, a Pair of white Serge Breeches, a white Shirt, and a Pair of Shoe Boots that has been lately Soled, a Castor Hat, and brown great Coat, about half worn. He likewise took with him, a bright bay Horse, about 14 Hands high, with a Star in his Forehead, paces, very fast, trots and gallops; had a Man's new Saddle, Saddle-Cloth, and a blue Housing.  
Whoever takes up said Servant, and delivers him to his Master, shall receive Three Pounds Reward; and Thirty Shillings for the Horse.  
JOHN CLAGETT.

THERE is at the Plantation of Basil Lucas, at Patowmack Lower Ferry, in Baltimore County, taken up as Strays, the Two following Creatures, viz. a small red Steer, about Three Years old, marked with a Crop and Slit in the left Ear, and has an Under-Bit taken out of his right. The other is a black and white Steer, of the same Age, and marked with the same Marks as the first mentioned.  
The Owner or Owners may have them again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

SANDY-POINT, January 2, 1768.  
STRAY'D or STOLEN from the Subscriber, on the North Side of Severn, a sorrel GELDING, with a Saddle on, about 14 Hands high, with a large Blaze over his Face, branded with a W upon his near Shoulder and Thigh, his hind Legs are both white, and one of his fore Legs white as high as the Knee, and the other Foot white.  
Whoever secures the said Gelding, and Saddle, so that they may be had again, shall receive FIFTEEN SHILLINGS for the Gelding, and FIVE SHILLINGS for the Saddle, paid by  
RICHARD WEEDON.

BASIL FRANCIS, WATCHMAKER from LONDON, in Market-Street, BALTIMORE-TOWN,

MAKES, SELLS, and repairs Horizontal, Repeating, and all Sorts of Watches. As his Skill in Business is well known, he needs no Apologies. He only takes this Method to inform the Public, that there is one as capable of the Business here, as any in Annapolis. And, as he hath had the Success to give Satisfaction to those Gentlemen and Ladies that have been pleased to employ him, he hopes the Continuance of their Favours, as well as the Public in general, as they may depend on having their Work done in the best and neatest Manner, and at the lowest Rates.  
Likewise sells Goldsmiths Work, and gives the full Value for old Gold and Silver.

ALL Persons indebted to John Read Magruder, are desired to come and settle their Accounts, and discharge their Balances. Constant Attendance is given for that Purpose, at his late Store, in Upper Marlborough; where may be had, the usual Assortment of European and East-India GOODS, to be sold for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco, on reasonable Terms, by  
MAGRUDER & HEPBURN.

STRAYED or STOLEN, from the Subscriber's Plantation, on South-River, in Anne-Arundel County, Two Plow Horses, one a white Horse, and the other a grey roan Horse, they are between 13 and 14 Hands high, the roan Horse is galled on one Shoulder, they are both dock'd, but the Brand, if any, not remembered. They were taken away in the Christmas Hollydays. Any Person that will deliver the said Horses, or either of them, to me, shall receive Two Dollars Reward for each. The roan Horse did belong to Mr. Snowden, and afterwards to Mr. Samuel Tannehill, near Mr. Snowden's Iron-Works.  
NICHOLAS MACCUBBIN.

WEST-RIVER, December 28, 1767.

AS many Freeholders in Anne-Arundel County, have not yet paid their Quit-Rents, for the present Year; for the Convenience of such, the Subscriber will attend at the Houses, and, on the Days following, in January next:  
At Mrs. Riggs's, on Monday Jan. 11, } Elk-Ridge.  
Robert Davis's, Tuesday 12, }  
John Hawkins's, Wednesday 13, }  
Mrs. Ramsay's, Thursday 14, } Head of Severn.  
Bateman's Tavern, Friday 15, } H. of South River.  
Elliot's Tavern, Saturday 16, } near Queen-Anne.  
Land-Office, Annapolis, Tuesday 19,  
Elijah Robertson's, Wednesday 20, } North of Severn.  
Richard Wells's, Saturday 23, } Pig-Point.  
He hopes the Freeholders, as also the Tenants on his Lordship's Manor of Anne-Arundel, will not omit bringing, or sending the Money for their Rents, on the Days above-mentioned, which may prevent Trouble to themselves, as well as to  
JOHN THOMAS.  
N. B. He also receives Balances of Quit-Rents due to Joseph Galloway, Esq; late Receiver of Quit-Rents, in Anne-Arundel County. (3\*)

To be SOLD, for Want of EMPLOY, TWO likely NEGRO LADS. The Purchaser may have Credit, paying Interest. For further Particulars, enquire of  
THO. JENINGS.

THERE is at the Plantation of Thomas and Alexander Long, in Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray, in the Month of July last, a middle-sized brindled COW, has several white Spots, a large Lump under her Jaws; but neither Ear nor other discernable Marks. The Owner may have her again, on proving Property and paying Charges. (3\*)

STOLEN from the Subscriber, living at Menocah, in Frederick County, on the 8th of September last, a HORSE and MARE. The Horse is of a dun Colour, about 16 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock with the Letter O, has a large Mane, and a black Streak on the Ridge of his Back. The Mare is of a light bay Colour, about 14 Hands high, has a large Star in her Forehead, a black Mane and Tail, and a black Streak on her Back, has Two Lumps on her left hind Leg, about the Size of Muffet-Balls, and paces, trots, and gallops.  
Whoever brings the above Creatures to the Subscriber, or Mr. Conrad Grob, in Frederick-Town, shall receive a Reward of Ten Pounds, paid by  
CHRISTIAN KOESSEL.

SIXTEEN DOLLARS REWARD.  
BROKE out of Dorchester County Jail, on Sunday the 13th of December last, one EDWARD HUSSEY, (alias James Ryb) being committed on Suspicion of Horse-Stealing. He is about Five Feet Eight Inches high, of a dark Complexion, wears his own Hair, and has a very dull heavy Countenance: Had on, when he broke out, a brownish colour'd coarse Cloth Coat, Waistcoat, and Breeches; his last Place of Residence was near William Stewart's Tavern, in Kent County, and 'tis very probable he may endeavour to secrete himself about that Neighbourhood.  
Whoever apprehends the said Fellow, and brings him to the Subscriber, shall be paid the above Reward, and all reasonable Charges, by  
ROBERT HARRISON, Sheriff.

Lately IMPORTED, and to be sold on the most reasonable Terms, by PATRICK MACGILL, at Elk-Ridge Landings,

A LARGE and NEAT ASSORTMENT of MERCHANDIZE, suitable to the Season: Also a neat Harpicord, with Three Stops. A Spinnet, approved of by Matters of that Instrument; some other Instruments of Musick, and a few Sets of Clo. All who are indebted to me, from One, to Five Years, are requested to discharge their respective Balances, which, if they neglect, I must fall upon some Method to compel them, which will be very disagreeable to me, as well as themselves. Delivered, by Mistake, among my Goods, a Crate, mark'd L. P. No. 27. The Owner may have it on applying to P. M.

THE Subscriber having a good ASSORTMENT of GOODS remaining on Hand, he will dispose of them on very easy Terms, for Cash, Tobacco, or Bills. Short Credit will be given to the Purchaser, giving Bond with Security. He also desires all Persons who have open Accounts with him, either in the Store, or Balances, as Sheriff of Anne-Arundel County, that they will come and settle the same, to prevent such Steps as would be disagreeable to them, as well as to  
WILLIAM STEWART.

Prince-George's County, November 11, 1767.

T O B E R E N T E D, THE PLANTATION, and FIVE NEGROES, lately belonging to NICHOLAS LOWE DARNALL, lying in Baltimore County, near the Fork of Gunpowder, and about 12 Miles from Baltimore-Town. The Land is good, and the Buildings upon it new, convenient either for Planting, or Farming. Any Person inclinable to Rent, may know the Terms, by applying to  
FRANCIS HALL.

Piscataway, Dec. 7, 1767.

JUST IMPORTED, FROM GLASGOW, And to be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, for Cash Bills, Tobacco, or short Credit,  
TWO small lumping PARCELS of GOODS, consisting of Kendal Cottons, Bearskins, Duffles, Frizes, Half-Thicks, and Scots Plaiding.  
JAMES BROWN.

Dec. 13, 1767.  
L O S T or STOLEN, on the Third Instant, at the House of Mr. William Reynolds, in Annapolis, a SILVER WATCH, without the Crystal, Maker's Name, Jo. Herring, No. 326; had to it a Steel Chain, and Key; also Two Seals, the one of Silver, with the Letters B D in a Cypher. The other, a brown Crystal set in Silver, with a Coat of Arms, of Five Darts, and a Lion Passant at the Top. Whoever brings the above Watch to Mr. Reynolds, shall receive a Reward of Twenty Shillings.  
N. B. All Watchmakers, and others, are desired to stop the said Watch, if offered to Sale, and they shall have the above Reward.

XXIII<sup>d</sup> YEAR. MARK

LETTERS from a FARM to the Inhabitants of L E T T  
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What but the indisputable Right of the Colonies be the Reason, that in this One Hundred and Fifty Year...

England in Part of that Britain in other Parts, was pensive Wars; troubled bold Parliaments; govern wicked Ministers: Yet n to touch the Palladium of tion, Avarice, Faction, Whenever it was necessary lonies, the Requisitions and dutifully complied w Time to Time, regulated the rest of the Empire, to p and the Connexion of the The People of Great-B Privileges, boast much of well be questioned, if the British Subject, supported or more uninterrupted Te Right of Taxation in the Great-Britain consider that of these Colonies, and w vereignty, a Prerogative would they bear this, was would they think of a r the Crown? We may gue be, from the Transports fell, about the late Emba emergent Necessities of St and for which there were our Liberties be treated and it is all we desire. Explicit as the Conduct Ages, is, to prove that n these Colonies, by Parli raising a Revenue, yet it our Favour. Every one of the most the Legality of the Stan Force against the Act no are well known, it seems here. This general one only sent: That tho' these Great-Britain; and tho' make Laws for preserv is not necessary for this Relation between a Mot nies, as was eagerly con the Stamp-Act, that she them without their Cons Colonies were former tions, to keep their Enem Country, over-burthened charge a Number of di Citizens. But in more Violence, being, in some may be allowed, sheath have been settled by th Purposes of Trade. Th thined by the Colonies r those Things which she and by supplying them they wanted. These w Commencement of our C formly so in their Prom To answer these gra was known to be necessa Trade and Freedom are By a due Regard to thi fant Colonies, exposed in unexplored Wilderness grew, and flourished. The Parent Country, and Virtue, attentive to nization, drew to her self sonably expect, and pre

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