

Annapolis, December 31, 1767.

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.

STRAYED or STOLEN, from the Subscriber's Plantation, on South-River, in Anne-Arundel County, Two roan 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 Tannhill, near Mr. Snowden's Iron-Works.

NICHOLAS MACCUBBIN.

Annapolis, Dec. 22, 1767.

THOMAS BALL,

From LONDON,

CONSIDERABLY encouraged by many GENTLEMEN in Town, intends the First of January next, to open a SCHOOL in the House where Mr. Goldsmith lately liv'd, next Door to Mr. Thomas Sparrow's, where he purposes teaching Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Book-keeping, and Navigation: He therefore solicits the Favour of the Public, to merit which, assiduous Care shall be taken to instruct the Pupils in the Principles of Morality and Humanity, as well as in their proper Branches of Learning. Indisputable Recommendations, with respect to his Character and Abilities, can be produced.

He also purposes keeping an Evening SCHOOL, and to commence the same the Day of the Date aforesaid, having already engaged Ten Scholars.

December 9, 1767.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in London-Town, on South-River, an Indented Servant Man, named WILLIAM COOKE, born in Staffordshire, in England, and has been in most Parts of Ireland, is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, has a small Lump in his Forehead, a Mole on his left Cheek, thin Vitag'd, and dark Eyes: Had on, when he went away, a Coarse Hat, bound round with Worsted Binding, thin black Hair, tied behind, and curled, a short grey Half-thick Coat, and Breeches, with black Horn Buttons on the Breeches, old Scarlet Cloth Waistcoat, turn'd, white Yarn Stockings, turn'd Pumps, white Shirt, and Mullin Stock, with a Brass Buckle: He may have other Cloaths with him, and probably will change his Name. He has been in the East-Indies, on board a Man of War, and boasts much of it, when drunk, in which he will not fail, if he can get Liquor. He was seen in Annapolis, on Monday Night, drunk. It is supposed he will go over the Bay, if he can.

Whoever takes up said Servant, and brings him home to his Master, shall receive THIRTY SHILLINGS, if taken within Ten Miles from Annapolis, and, if farther, THREE POUNDS Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

ALEXANDER FERGUSON.

He is a Taylor by Trade, and may pass for a Stay-maker, as he has work'd at that Business some Time.

Annapolis, December 31, 1767.

TO BE SOLD,

THE SCHOONER BOAT, BETSEY, as she now lies in the Dock, with all her Apparel and Furniture. For further Particulars, enquire of the Subscriber, (37) ROBERT BRYCE.

Prince-George's County, Dec. 17, 1767.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away, last Night, from the Subscribers, a Convict Servant Man, named JOHN EVANS, a Tailor by Trade, about Five Feet Eight Inches high, has short black Hair, and a smooth Face and Look, and stammers much when surprized: Had on, and carried with him, an old blue Surtout Coat, with Metal Buttons, a brown Sagathy Suit, lined with white, the Waistcoat has Metal Buttons; a brown lapell'd Frize Waistcoat; a white Flannel ditto; a new Castor Hat, Yarn Stockings, white and check Shirts; a blue Ratteen Pair of Breeches, and several other Things unknown. He also took with him a likely bay Horse, about 14 Hands high, has a small white Spot on the End of his Nose, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock, O S; a good Saddle, with large Swivel Stirrups, a blue fringed Cloth Housing, stripp'd Swanskin Saddle Cloth, and Snaffle Bridle.

Whoever secures the said Servant and Horse, so that they may be had again, shall have Three Pounds for the Horse and Saddle, and Forty Shillings for the Servant, and reasonable Charges, if brought home, paid by

BASIL WARING, JOHN WARING.

Annapolis, Dec. 16, 1767.

WILLIAM HARDY,

ENCOURAGED by many Gentlemen, in this Place, intends the First of next Month, to open a SCHOOL in the House where Mr. Littleton formerly taught, next Door to Mr. William Roberts, where he purposes teaching Reading, Writing, and Arithmetic, in a familiar and approved Method, and flatters himself, he can render Satisfaction: He therefore solicits the Countenance of the Public; to merit and preserve which, shall be his peculiar Study, and constant Endeavour.

Unexceptionable Recommendations, respecting Morals, &c. can be produced.

N. B. He intends opening an Evening-School, for the Convenience of those who cannot attend in the Day.

December 21, 1767.

To be SOLD to the highest Bidder, on the Premises, on Tuesday the 1st Day of March next, if fair, if not, the next fair Day, and so on till Sale is made, for Cash, or Tobacco,

PART of a Tract of LAND, called ALLISON'S ADVENTURE, containing 194 Acres, more or less, on which is a good Dwelling-House, 20 by 16, with a Stone Chimney, plank'd above and below, with Stairs, and a ceiled Shed at one End, a framed Barn covered with Shingles, 50 by 22 with a good Threshing Floor, a Kitchen, Quarter, Corn-House, Cellar, with a House over it, and a large Garden and Yard paved in, with about 150 large bearing Apple Trees, and about 40 or 50 bearing Cherry Trees, some Peach Trees, and Meadow Ground plenty. Likewise Three Negroes, some Cattle, Sheep, and sundry Household Goods. Any Gentleman inclinable to purchase the same, may apply to the Subscriber, living near the Mouth of Monokasy. Five Months Credit will be given, on giving good Security, if required.

JAMES GORE, senior.

Baltimore-Town, Jan. 6, 1768.

WHEREAS a Packet of Letters, directed to Brian Philpot, was, about the Middle of August last, delivered to the Skipper of a Boat, belonging to Little Chestnut, bound for Baltimore, by Captain Fox from the West-Indies, then lying in Chester-River; which said Packet has never been received. I shall therefore be obliged to any Person, into whose Hands it may have fallen, that they will send the same to me, as it contains Papers of some Consequence.

MARY PHILPOT.

Prince-George's County, Jan. 10, 1768.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living within Four Miles of Bladenburgh, an Apprentice Lad, named DAVID HENNIS, by Trade a Cordwainer and Tanner, near 18 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, of a ruddy Complexion, with dark brown Hair, tied behind: Had on, when he went away, a spotted Swainkin Jacket, a black Broad Cloth ditto, pretty much worn, an Osnabrig Shirt, a Pair of old Buckskin Breeches, and Osnabrig Trowsers, a Pair of white Yarn Stockings, a Pair of Fall Shoes, with Buckle-Straps, and an old Felt Hat, very much worn.

Whoever takes up said Apprentice, and brings him to the Subscriber, or secures him in any Jail, shall receive a Reward of Thirty Shillings, if taken in the County, if out of the County, Forty Shillings, paid by

RICHARD BEALL.

January 1, 1768.

RAN away from the Subscriber, in November last, an Irish Convict Woman, named MARY FLOYD. She was imported in October 1766, in the Randolph, Capt. Price. She is of a middle Stature, thin visag'd, has light brown Hair, a fresh Complexion, and is very bold and talkative. Her Dress is uncertain, as she has been harboured and entertained a considerable Time in the City of Annapolis.

Whoever takes up the said Convict Servant Woman, and commits her to any Jail, shall receive a Reward of FOUR DOLLARS, on applying to

EDMUND JENNINGS.

January 1, 1768.

STRAY'D or STOLEN out of the Corn Fields of James Cooper, living near Annapolis, on the Night of the 25th of November last, a Bay Horse, about 12 Hands and an Half high, Three Years old, shod before, and lame in the off Shoulder. He is neither marked or branded; but he has been seen since he went away. Whoever delivers the above Horse to the Owner, shall receive a Reward of TWENTY SHILLINGS.

STRAY'D or STOLEN from the Subscriber, on the 11th of December last, a Bay MARE, about 13 Hands high; has a Star on her Forehead, a switch Tail, and several Saddle Spots: She paces, trots, and gallops, and is branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock with the Letter O.

Whoever brings the above Mare to Newport, in Charles County, shall receive FOUR DOLLARS Reward, on applying to

ZEPHANIAH MURPHEY.

THERE is at the Plantation of John Beteler, near Broad-Creek, taken up as a Stray, a Bay MARE, about 13 and an Half Hands high, branded with the Letters T C. on the near Shoulder and Buttock, has a low paired hanging Mane, and both hind Feet white, appears to be about 10 Years old. The Owner may have her again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

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.

Bladenburgh, (Maryland) January 1, 1768.

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 George-Town, 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 15 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, plaitered 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, withing 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.

(27)

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.

14,000. As this is the first Trial of the Kind, we are much taken with our Success, and are now very busy in preparing for our next Outfits.

Od. 1. Letters from Leghorn mention, that a great Number of Jews were embarking from different Parts of Italy, and the Levant, with Intention to settle in Corsica, where People of all Nations are received with open Arms, provided that they bring Money or the Arts with them.

Letters from Constantinople of the 11th ult. say, "The Plague, which had spread itself but little in the Capital, has, within a few Days past, made great Progress; so that there is not one Quarter of the Metropolis free from it."

October 2. Yesterday an Express arrived at St. James's, with Advice of the Death of her Royal Highness Mary, Princess of Hesse-Cassel, Daughter of the late King, and Aunt to his present Majesty. Her Royal Highness was born Feb. 22, 1722, and was married July 28, 1740, to his Serene Highness Frederick, Landgrave of Hesse-Cassel; by whom she had three Sons, viz. 1. William, Hereditary Prince, Viceroy of Norway. 2. Charles, a Lieutenant-General, in the Service of the King of Denmark. 3. Frederick, a Colonel of a Hessian Regiment.

It is remarkable, that no less than Four Persons of the Blood Royal of England have died in less than One Year and Eleven Months; viz. His Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, Oct. 31, 1765; Prince Frederick, youngest Brother of his present Majesty, Dec. 29, 1765; the Duke of York, Sept. 17, 1767; and lastly, the Princess of Hesse the same Month and Year.

Letters from Rome mention, that the Pope has lately had the Misfortune to lose the finest Set of Medals in Europe: They had been collecting many Ages, and were deposited in his Chamber for Security; but it seems some Person of Taste found Means to remove them. It is added, that his Holiness has offered his Plenary Absolution, and a Reward to the Virtuoso who stole them, in case he will bring them back.

They write from Newfoundland, that his Majesty's armed Schooner St. John, had taken Seven New-England small Craft, smuggling with the French at Mi-queson, and carried them into Placentia, where they were condemned.

Od. 3. Considerable Wagers are now depending in the City, that there will be more Scotch Members to represent the Counties, Cities, or Boroughs in England, in the next Parliament, than has been known since the Union.

October 4. They write from Brest, 2000 Tons of Ship Timber had just arrived there, in Swedish Transports, from the Baltick, for the Use of the King's Dock-Yards.

It was this Morning reported, that the East-India Company's Troops had lately defeated a Body of the Morattoes, and totally dispersed them.

PHILADELPHIA, January 7.

The Commissioners for carrying into Execution the Articles of Agreement formerly entered into between the Honourable the Proprietors of Pennsylvania and Maryland, for ascertaining the Limits of this Province and the Lower Counties, and Maryland, met lately, at Christiana Bridge, and confirmed the Lines that have been for many Years past running out; which finishes their Business. The Lines are marked by Stones set up along the same, every Mile; and the Western Line, which divides this Province from Maryland, is extended some Miles beyond the Meridian of Pittsburgh, which is something short of Five Degrees West from the River Delaware, granted to Pennsylvania.

Piscataway, November 25, 1767.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Snow AMITY, Capt. John Sowerby, from Whitehaven, and to be sold at a very low Price, for Bills, Cash, or Tobacco.

PARCEL of GOODS, to the Amount of £. 380 prime Cost, consisting of Keadal Cottons, British Osnabrigs, Irish Linens and Felt Hats. They are divided in small Packages, therefore may suit those who may only want a Part of such Articles.

JOHN BAYNES.

(47)

December 4, 1767.

CAME to the House of the Subscriber, at the Sign of Prince Ferdinand, within Three Miles of Sulquehanna Lower Ferry, on the 30th of November last, a small siz'd Man, on Pretence of being after a Runaway. His Mare giving out, stop to feed her, and told he would leave the Mare, till he return'd from the Ferry aforesaid, in order to give Notice to stop the Runaway—which he accordingly did; but, as the said Fellow did not return for his Mare, 'tis concluded he himself must be such a Person as he pretended looking after.—He said he came from Port-Tobacco: Had on a blue Surtout Coat, a close bodied brownish Cloth coloured ditto; a flowered Velvet Jacket, Cloth Breeches, with ribb'd Stockings, and good Shoes, a fine Hat and Wig. In a Word, he had the Appearance of a Gentleman.—The Mare he left with me, is very small; of a Bay Colour, without Brand, or other discernible Mark; has a Blaze in her Face, and appears to be old and of little Value: She had on an old Saddle and Bridle. Whoever applies for the above Mare (in Three Weeks after Date) shall have her again, on proving Property, and paying Charges, on applying to

JOHN RODGERS.

THERE is at the Plantation of Robert Doves, living at South-River-Neck, taken up as a Stray, a Sorrel GELDING, about 14 Hands high; has a bald Face, Three white Feet, and a long switch Tail, branded on the near Shoulder with the Letter W.

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