

Dorchester County, Vienna, September 22, 1770. sold, on the 10th Day of October next, at the dwelling-house of Mrs. John Wheeler, late of Dorchester County, deceased, agreeable to his last Will and Testament,

ALL the Household Furniture, Goods and Chattels, consisting of Beds, Tables, Chairs and Desks, some Plate, Horses and Cattle, a Bay Schooner of 40 Tuns Burthen, well found and fitted, for the Trade, or to any of the West-India Islands, also a lot of Land lying about Two Miles off the Town of Vienna, called Wetwork, patented for One Hundred and Acres, the Soil is extremely good, either for Tobacco or Corn. The Sale to continue until all are sold. At same Time all Persons who have Claims against said Estate, are requested to bring them in, protested, that they may be adjudged and paid, and all Persons indebted to the said Estate, are requested to settle their respective Accounts immediately, which Purpose the Subscriber will attend at the house of Vienna, at the above said Time, in order to settle all Accounts. Likewise all Persons indebted by Note, or otherwise, to Self and Company, for Goods in the Store at Oxford, and at Vienna, to Payment as soon as possible, for which Purpose the Subscriber will attend at Talbot and Dorchester Courts next, and as there has been great Injustice given, knowing the Inconvenience of crossing any, I hope all Persons will settle their Accounts at same Time, which will be most obliging.

Their most humble Servants, GEORGE WHEELER, Executor.

NEW double Forge with Four Fires and Two Hammers, a Grist-Mill and Saw-Mill, with a large House, Smith's Shop, Stables, Three Horses, Four Waggon, and other Utensils, all in good Repair. There are belonging to and adjoining thereto, Eleven Hundred Acres of well timbered Land, of which there is a great Convenience of making Thirty Acres of Bottom Meadow: And about Three Miles from said Works, there are Three hundred of good timbered Land, on which there is a body of excellent Iron Ore. The Forge and Mills situated on a never failing Stream of Water on the banks of Nanticoke River, within Two Miles and an half from said River, which leadeth into Chesapeake Bay, and within Fourteen Miles of a Landing on said River, which leadeth into Delaware Bay; within Five Miles of Two Furnaces. The Land is in an excellent Part of the Country for a very convenient to be supplied with Pig Iron from the Two neighbouring Furnaces, or by the Chesapeake Bay, being so near a Landing on a proceeding out of that Bay. The Stream of which said Works are on, is sufficient to carry off for Eight or Nine Months in the Year; and very convenient for any Purchaser inclined to a Furnace, as it will be attended with no other trouble but barely erecting it; with many other Conveniences too tedious to mention. Any Person able to purchase may know the Terms, by applying to Dr. *Wright* for Mr. William Beckman in Baltimore, or to Samuel Shankland, on the 10th of September.

old by Auction, on Monday the 15th Instant, at Alexandria in Virginia, to the highest Bidder, the Schooner GEORGE, Burthen 3000 Bushels, built at Alexandria, in May 1757. Her Rig and Materials are good. She has Two Suits of Sails, One of which have been used about Three Years only. For further Particulars apply to Captain Dent, at Piscataway.

Report set out by One Matthew Sanders, in the Publick Papers, dated September the 20th concerning my going over to Virginia, and taking my Negro Fellow off his Plantation, is false, and several credible Witnesses prove it false, for I was on his Plantation in my Life, neither do I where he lives, only by Information. John the Father of this arch Youth Matthew, ran off to Virginia, and left me Security for him, for thousand Pounds of Tobacco, which I was to pay; I should have given him up to Court before he ran away, but this cunning young Fellow, told me if I would stand Security for his Father at Court, he would see I should not suffer; his Promise I made myself content, which I did when too late, this Promise was only to Father Time to make his Escape. He ran off Court Week, and carried his Negro Fellow with him, and when he got to Virginia, he carried over this Negro and the Rest of his Effects to Matthew of his, in some blind Manner I do to defraud his Creditors, and to keep them from them. After they ran away, I got the best I could, and they advised me to follow him, and to get his Negro back, which I did, and took his Negro Fellow which he carried with him, and would have brought him back to his Father's house, but this honest Son of a Bitch, took a Bond with his Father, to see the Tobacco sold in order to show a little more Craft, he had all Persons from taking any Assignment of Bond. I do intend to assign the Bond in the office against the next Court, in order to get the as soon as I can.

BENNET HANSON CLEMENTS. THERE is at the Plantation of Peter Pickens, living near Cotocton Mountain, taken up as a small gray Mare, about 13 Hands high, with black Spots on her, and branded on her shoulder thus M, and on the off Buttock M plain. The Owner may have her again, on proving Property and paying Charges.

September 27, 1770. NOTICE is hereby given, that on Thursday the 27th Instant, was lost out of the Subscriber's Pocket, on the Race Ground, near Annapolis, a plain Silver Watch, with a Silver Face, Steel Chain, and Compass Seal, the Maker's Name, Joseph Smith, Bristol. Her Number 205. Whoever will bring the said Watch to the Subscriber, at Richard Thompson's, in Annapolis, shall have Four Dollars Reward, and no Questions asked.

CHARLES ONEALE. Annapolis, October 2, 1770. LEFT at the Play-House last Week, or taken from Mr. Joshua Fraxer's by Mistake, a new blue Frize Drab Great Coat, with a Shalloon Pocket on the left Side. Whoever has got the same, is requested to return it to Mr. Fraxer.

IF any of the true Heirs of John Floyd, who came from Tidewater County, near the Court-House in Maryland, about Thirty-five Years ago, will apply to the County Clerk of Culpepper in Virginia, they will hear of something to their Advantage.

STRAYED or STOLEN about Five Weeks ago, a sorry Horse, about 14 Hands high, blaze Face, shod before, short switch Tail, trots and gallops, has no Brand, about 7 Years old, or under, large Ears. If taken Seven Miles from home Seven Shillings and Six pence, if Ten Miles Ten Shillings, if Fifteen Miles Fifteen Shillings, if upwards One Pistole Reward, and reasonable Charges if brought home, paid by BERRIAH MAYBURY.

SIXTEEN DOLLARS REWARD. BROKE out of Cecil County Jail, on Saturday Night the 22d Inst. Two Servant Men, viz. Henry Kennedy, and Cornelius Crowley; Kennedy is about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, well made; Had on a brown Coat, Check Shirt, and Linen Trousers. Crowley is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, well made; Had on a blue Coat, Linen Shirt, and Buckskin Breeches. Whoever takes up the said Runaways, and brings them to the Subscriber in Charles-Town, shall have the above Reward, or Eight Dollars for each, and reasonable Charges, paid by RICHARD THOMAS, Sheriff.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near the Head of Rock-Creek, Five Salt Water Slaves, imported last August, and became my Property the Third of September, viz. Two Men, one about 5 Feet 9 or 10 Inches high, named JOE, slim and light made; the other about 4 Inches lower, JIM, well made, and much mark'd on the Face; both likely Men, and between 20 and 30 Years old. Two Women, one about 5 Feet 1 Inches high, named CLOZ, about 22 Years of Age, and much mark'd in the Face; the other about 3 Inches lower, about 15 Years old, named CANDICE, both well made, and small Features. A Boy about 3 Years of Age, named JACK, remarkably black; the Women and Boy had Beads with them; the highest Man and Two Women had each a new white Cotton Jacket; the other Man had a Half worn Woollen Country made Jacket, and all the Men had Crocus Shirts and Trousers, with new Felt Hats, and one of them had a blue Clout for a Cap; the Boy a Shirt only; one of the Women has a Crocus Shift and Petticoat, the other left hers behind; they had both Onabrig Caps and Breech-Clouts, one blue on one Side, and striped white on the other; the other blue one Side, but not quite like the other; They took with them Two red Cotton Knapsacks: They all smoke, and probably may have Sticks with them. Whoever takes up said Slaves, and delivers them to the Subscriber, shall have, if taken within Ten Miles from home 40 s. if above Ten Miles, One Shilling per Mile, and what the Law allows.

JOHN COOKE. THERE is at the Plantation of John Hammond, Son of Thomas John, near Annapolis, taken up as a Stray, a white HORSE, about 10 Years old, 13 Hands and a half high, branded on the off Buttock H, has Shoes on his fore Feet, a switch Tail, trots and gallops. The Owner may have him again, and proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Charles Allanjam Ford, in Charles County, taken up as a Stray, a gray Flea-bitten MARE, about 12 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock WH joined together. The Owner may have her again, on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of John Brown, Son of Benjamin, living in Prince George's County, about Six Miles from Upper-Marlborough, taken up as a Stray, a small black Mare, about 11 Hands high, 5 Years old, no perceivable Brand when taken up, but since an Appearance of IB on her near Thigh. The Owner may have her again, on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of William Simpson, on Elk-Ridge, taken up as a Stray, a black Horse, about 5 Years old, 13 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder C with O on the Top, has Shoes on his fore Feet, a bob Tail, and his Mane trimmed. The Owner may have him again, on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE are at the Plantation of Jesse Tomlinson, living near Elk-Ridge, four taken up as Strays, Two small dark brown Mares, the One trots, the other can pace and trot, no perceivable Brand on either. The Owner may have them again; on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of John Hail, living in Baltimore County, on Britton-Ridge, taken up as a Stray, a small bay Horse, branded thus T L. The Owner may have him again, on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Basil Lucas, living in Baltimore County, on Moales Point Ferry-Branch of Patuxent River, taken up as a Stray, a large dark bay Horse, with Two Saddle Spots on his near Side, a small Star in his Forehead, paces, and is branded on his near Thigh with O and a T in it. The Owner may have him again, on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Henry Hausman, near Josiah Chaplins, Anti-Batum, taken up as a Stray, a bay roan Gelding, appears to be old, with a small Bell on, tied on with a tanned Leather String, branded on the near Shoulder thus M. The Owner may have him again, on proving Property and paying Charges.

By the Committee of Grievances and Courts of Justice. NOTICE is hereby given, that the Committee will meet at the Hour of Three o'Clock in the Afternoon during this Session in the Stadt-House, in order to hear all such Matters as properly lie before them.

RALPH DOBINSON, Clerk. COMMITTED to my Custody, as a Runaway, Henry Kennedy, who says he came from Somerset County, in Maryland; he is about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, and well made; he has with him some Check Shirts and Trousers. The Owner is desired to come and pay Charges, and take him away.

RICHARD THOMAS, Sheriff. N. B. He came away in a Schooner belonging to Edward Parker. THE Subscriber hereby acquaints the Publick, that he continues to teach, at his School at Elk-Ridge Landing, the following Branches of Learning, at the most reasonable Rates; viz. The English, Latin, and French Languages; Writing; vulgar, decimal, artificial (or logarithmical) and instrumental Arithmetick; Geometry, or Mensuration of Plains and Solids, by Decimals, Logarithms, and by Scale and Compasses; Trigonometry, exemplified, and applied to Problems in Plain Sailing and Surveying, &c. His Method in general is this: While the Boys are learning the first Rudiments and Principles of the Latin Tongue, he at the same Time exercises them in Writing and Arithmetick; after they have attained to the first Principles of the Latin, he then enters them into the French; and thus, by varying their Studies, renders the whole rather a Pleasure and Diversion than the contrary: And after they have attained to a sufficient Knowledge in the common Rules of Arithmetick, Extraction of Roots, &c. he then enters them into Geometry, and so on to the other Branches (keeping them at the same Time to the Latin, French, &c.) And for the Encouragement of such Gentlemen as are willing to promote a School at this Place, he intends immediately to open a Night School, from Six to Nine o'Clock, for the teaching of Arithmetick, and other Branches of the Mathematicks; and to continue the same 'til the first Day of March next, without any Increase of Charge (for such as attend the Day-School) any more than a proportionable Part of the Expence for Wood and Candles. He also expects by the Spring Ships a Pair of Globes, and (if they come to Hand without Damage) he then intends to instruct such of his Pupils (whose Knowledge in Trigonometry may render them capable of it) in the Use of them; which will be an agreeable, profitable, and Gentleman-like Employment. He would willingly flatter himself, that his Plan will be generally approved of; but nevertheless, Directions from any Gentleman respecting his own Children shall be carefully attended to, and the utmost Endeavour shall be used to give Satisfaction in the Care of such Children as shall be committed to the Tuition of

JOHN CHISHOLM. Their most humble Servants, N. B. There are several very good Houses at the Place, where any Number of Children may be boarded at the most reasonable Rates.

LEFT with the Subscriber, some Time in April last, a Clinch-work Boat, with about Four Fathom of Rope for a Painter; she is almost new, and was taken in the Bay with Two runaway Servants in her. Whoever may own her are requested to come, and prove their Property, pay Charges, and take her away, or she will be sold in One Month from this Date, by WILLIAM GORDON.

September 26, 1770. NOTICE is hereby given, that the Committee will meet at the Hour of Three o'Clock in the Afternoon during this Session in the Stadt-House, in order to hear all such Matters as properly lie before them.

September 22, 1770. WHEREAS a certain Alexander Morton left Scotland about Two Years ago, and has since taken his abode in Maryland, as I am informed; this is to give Notice, that the said Morton's Friends have wrote to the Subscriber, living near Piscataway, to make proper Inquiry for to find out his Place of Residence: and have deposited in my Hands a Letter for him, which I should be obliged to him to make Application for.

September 14, 1770. RAN away, the 26th of August last, from the Subscriber, living near the Head of Rock-Creek, Frederick County, Maryland, an Irish Servant Man, named ISAAH THOMSON; about 38 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, a broad well set Fellow, short brown curled Hair, has had the Small Pox, is slow of speech, and will endeavour to pass for a Sailor or Soldier: Had on and took with him, Two Check Shirts, brown Roll Trousers, old Shoes, One Pair of Leather Breeches, One blue Pea Jacket, One striped Flannel ditto, and One old Catior Hat. It is supposed he will endeavour to pass to Philadelphia. He has said that he is Proprietor of 100 Acres of Land in Pennsylvania Government, and has Two Brothers living there. Whoever will secure said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall receive a Reward of Three Pounds current Money, and if pursued, and taken out of this Province, Twenty Dollars, paid by RECTOR MAGRUDER.

September 24, 1770. RAN away Yesterday from the Subscriber, living near Annapolis, an Irish indentured Servant Man, named PATRICK DOWLING, a Shoemaker by Trade, 25 Years old, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, well made, of a brown Complexion, has black Hair, large Beard, pitted with the Small Pox, and is marked in his right Arm with Gunpowder, P D IS, with some other Marks which cannot be described: Had on, a new Felt Hat, old Bearskin Coat, Olinabrig Shirt and Trousers, and it is supposed he has a Pair of old Shoes, and a large Knife. Whoever takes up, and secures said Servant, so that his Masters get him again, shall receive, if taken above Ten Miles from home, Forty Shillings, and if out of the Province, the above Reward, and reasonable Charges, if brought home, paid by CALEB BURGESS, JOHN WORTHINGTON, junr. TO THE PUBLICK.

September 8, 1770. THE Capital Prize in Col. Byrd's Lottery, consisting of a double Forge and Grist-Mill, convenient to several Towns, with Two Acres and a Half of Land adjoining. The Use of the Landing. The Canal which affords a never failing Stream, with Ten Feet on each Side, and Two Thousand Acres of Land, the farthest Part of which is not more than Two Miles from the Forge, beautifully situated on the Falls of James River, and convenient to several Towns. All the Works were built in the Year 1765, and are now in good Repair. The Mill has been well accustomed these 60 Years past, and is worth at least £.200 per Year. This Land is estimated to be as good as any high Land on James River, and is extremely well timbered, not above 150 Acres of it having been cleared, which renders it still more valuable. If not sold privately, between this Time and the 5th of November next, it will then be exposed to publick Sale before the Rowleigh Tavern. The Terms, which will be reasonable, any Person may be acquainted with in the mean Time, by applying to me in Williamsburg, or directing a Line for me, to be left at the Post Office. The Land and Works may be viewed at any Time, by applying to Mr. Thomas Brown, who resides upon the Premises.

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September 15, 1770. AT the Maryland Factory, lately established in Frederick-Town, Flax and Hemp are dressed; double and single Linen Wheels, Check Reels, Cotton and Woollen Wheels, are made after the most approved Manner; Weaving of all Sorts, done with Care and Expedition; Sleas or Reads for Weavers, and Looms, are made according to the best Model, and all at very moderate Prices: Undressed Flax or Yarn, of any Kind, will be taken as ready Money for any Work done at the Factory.

September 4, 1770. FOR SALE, A LUMPING Parcel of GOODS, which will be sold cheap, for Bills, Cash, or Tobacco, on Patowmack, in Maryland, consisting of Goods well assorted, within the Association of Maryland, to the Amount of Four Hundred and Thirteen Pounds first Cost. For Terms apply to the Subscriber at Bladenburg.

ANDREW LEITCH. Baltimore-Town, September 18, 1770. FOR LONDON, and will sail in Three Weeks. THE Ship HOUSTON, now lying at Falls-Point, has Room for about One Hundred and Eighty Hogheads of Tobacco, which will be taken in at a low Freight, with Liberty of Conignment. For Particulars apply to