

MR. JOSEPH COUDEN, who formerly kept the Free-School of Cecil County, and is now Master of the Kent County School in Chester-Town, after a long and very diligent Inquiry, has lately had an Usher well recommended to him, who is thought well qualified for that Purpose, upon a proper Examination made by the Visitors. Such Persons as may do Mr. Couden the Honour to entrust their Children or Wards to his Care for Instruction, may depend on his and his Assistant's utmost Diligence and Attention both to their Literature and Morals. Good Lodgings are to be had in the Town on reasonable Terms. (6w)

June 18, 1771. Published by Order of the Visitors.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.
RAN away from the Subscriber's Plantation, near Elk-Ridge Landing, the Four following Convict Servants, viz.

JAMES BARBER, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, of a brown Complexion, short light brown Hair, and about 25 Years of Age: Had on and took with him, a Country Cloth Jacket and Breeches, an old Felt Hat, Two new Osnabrig Shirts, old Shoes, with flat Iron Buckles.

JOHN BATE, about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 5 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, with short straight brown Hair: Had on when he went away, a blue Halstuck Jacket, a Felt Hat, about half worn, a new Osnabrig Shirt, old Crocus Trousers, no Shoes or Stockings.

JOHN BATES, about 27 or 28 Years of Age, a stout well looking Fellow, of a fair Complexion, with short brown Hair, about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high: Had on when he went away, a Country Cloth Jacket, much worn, old Leather Breeches, old Felt Hat, and Osnabrig Shirt.

JOHN TOM LISON, about 35 Years of Age, 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, a well set Fellow, with sandy Hair and Beard, a little knock-kneed, and his Anles fore: Had on when he went away, an old Felt Hat, Country Cloth Jacket, much worn, greasy Buckskin Breeches, Osnabrig Shirt, old gray ribbed Stockings, and old Shoes.

Whoever takes up and secures the aforesaid Servants, or either of them, shall receive, if taken in the Province, Forty Shillings; but if out of the Province, Five Pounds for each, paid by

(3w) **BENJAMIN HOWARD.**
 N. B. They are all Englishmen.

WE have a very large and general Assortment of European and East-India Goods, just arrived from London, Bristol and Glasgow, which we shall sell, either at Wholesale or Retail, on very reasonable Terms. Our Correspondents have, thro' Misapprehension, shipped an over Quantity of 8 d. 10 d. 12 d. and 20 d. Nails, for which we will take prime Cost and Charges.

(1w) **THOMAS RINGGOLD & SON.**

Just imported, from London and Glasgow, and to be sold on reasonable Terms by the Subscriber, at his Store near the Church in Annapolis, Wholesale or Retail,

A Large and compleat Assortment of European and East-India Goods, suitable to the different Seasons.

COLIN CAMPBELL.

WHEREAS the Justices of Dorchester County Court, were empowered, by an Act passed at the last Sessions of said County, a Sum not exceeding Two Hundred Thousand Pounds of Tobacco, for the Purpose of building a Court-House; and we the Subscribers were therein appointed Commissioners, and authorized to contract for the doing and completing the same.

We do therefore hereby give Notice, that we shall attend, for that Purpose, at the Town of Cambridge, in the County aforesaid, on every Monday from the Date hereof, until the last Day of August next, when we shall be ready to contract with any Undertaker that may offer, on his giving Security for the Performance of his Agreement (if required)

Charles Dickinson,
 Robert Goldborough,
 William Ennalls,
 Robert Harrison,
 John Goldborough.

Annapolis, June 6, 1771.
 Just imported, and to be sold, Wholesale or Retail, upon the lowest Terms by the Subscriber, at the Store next Door below the Coffee-House,

A Large Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS.

(1f) **ROBERT BUCHANAN.**

May 30, 1771.
 Just imported, in the Adventure, Capt. Samuel Maynard, and the Devonshire, Capt. Robert Watts, from London,

A Great Variety of European and East-India Goods, to be sold on the lowest Terms at my Stores, at Elk-Ridge, Elk-Ridge Landing, Queen-Anne, and Upper-Marlborough, for Cash, Bills or Tobacco. Among the above Goods, are a large Assortment of Silks of the newest Patterns.

(4w) **STEPHEN WEST.**

May 30, 1771.
F O R L O N D O N,

THE Ship Devonshire, Robert Watts, Master, now lying in the Ferry Branch of Patuxent River, takes Tobacco consigned to West and Hobson, and will be quickly loaded. Insurance is ordered, and will be inserted in the Bills of Lading.

(4w) **STEPHEN WEST.**

May 30, 1771.
F O R L O N D O N,

THE Ship Adventure, Samuel Maynard, Master; now lying at Selby's Landing, in Patuxent River, takes Tobacco consigned to West and Hobson, and will sail by the last Day of June. Insurance is ordered, and will be inserted in the Bills of Lading.

The Ship is intended to return to Maryland this Fall.

(4w) **STEPHEN WEST.**

Annapolis, June 1, 1771.

Just imported, in the Betsey, Captain Henrick, from London, and to be sold by the Subscriber at his Store, near the Dock, at the very lowest Price, for Cash, by Wholesale or Retail,

A Great Variety of European and East-India Goods, suitable to both Seasons. Also may be had as usual, Wine, Rum, Molasses, Linseed Oil, loaf and brown Sugar, Chocolate, and some Seines, with Leads, Corks, and Cords compleat.

(w6) **NATHAN HAMMOND.**

To be SOLD, for ready Cash,

A Tract of Land, lying in Frederick County, called and known by the Name of Pool's Delight, containing 287 Acres, some of which is good Meadow Ground, cleared, and the rest is well timbered. A View of the Premises will sufficiently convince the Fertility of the Soil. Any Person willing to purchase said Land, may know the Conditions, by applying to

(1f) **ANNE MIDDLETON,** at Annapolis.

N. B. As I intend to decline keeping Tavern, I beg of those Persons who have not yet settled their Accounts, to make speedy Payment. I shall take in Boarders, and keep as usual good Hay and Oats, likewise Ferry Boats to any Part of the Bay. Those Gentlemen that will favour me with their Custom, may depend on being punctually served, by

A. M.

(6m) Philadelphia, May 13, 1771.

E N O C H S T O R Y
BEGS leave to inform the Publick in general, and his Friends in particular, that he has removed to a House well situate for Business, at the Corner of Market and Second Streets, near the Court-House, in this City, where he has fitted up a convenient Store for the Reception of Merchandize, which he proposes selling upon Commission, on the lowest Terms for Cash only, either there or at his Vendue-House up Second Street, (upon certain Days, of which timely Notice will be given) as may be most agreeable.

He also proposes doing Business as a Broker, to buy or sell West-India or European Goods, Bills of Exchange, Ships or other Vessels, Houses, Lands, &c. &c. and in general, such Business as he may be intrusted with, and that upon such low Terms, as may make it advantageous for the Gentlemen, Merchants, and Traders of this City, and those of the neighbouring Provinces to employ him.

He begs leave to assure them, his utmost Endeavours shall be exerted to give Satisfaction in the Management and Negotiating any Business that may be put under his Direction; and the Favours conferred on him will be thankfully received and gratefully remembered.

N. B. We the Subscribers, being acquainted with the above-named Enoch Story, are of Opinion, from our Knowledge of his Abilities and Character, that he is well qualified to execute the several Branches of Business above-mentioned.

Rese Meredith, Thomas & Isaac Wharton,
 James & Drinker, Stecker & Wharton,
 Willing & Morris, Samuel Morris, junr.
 Edward Penington, James Wharton.

Kent-Island, June 5, 1771.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,
A PERSON who is well qualified in the Business of burning BARKS. Such a one will meet with proper Encouragement, by applying to the Subscriber.

JAMES HUTCHINGS.

WHEREAS Richard Culverwell, of Cbedder, in the County of Somerset, in May 1759, was ship on board the Atlas, then lying in the Port of Bristol, and bound for Maryland; this is to give Notice, that if the said Richard Culverwell is living, and will apply to Mr. John M'Kirdy, Captain of the Royal Charlotte, now lying at Baltimore-Town, he will hear of something to his Advantage; or if the said Richard Culverwell is dead, and any Person can give a satisfactory Account of his death and when, by applying as above, shall be rewarded to his Satisfaction. (1f)

Annapolis, May 28, 1771.

SOME Time in the latter End of the Summer 1769, I lent a Pair of Wool Combs to one Thomas Savidge, a Wool-comber by Trade, who went to Prince-George's County (as he told me) to do some Work there, and promised to return my Combs in some short Time after, which he has not done, nor can I hear with any Certainty what is become of him. Any Person that knows where he is, and will recover my Combs, or the Value (Three Pounds) in Dollars, at Seven Shillings and Six-pence each; the Favour shall be gratefully acknowledged, and if he refuses to deliver my Combs with One Pipe and some spare Teeth, which I lent him with the Combs, I shall esteem it as a Favour, that any Person will order a Writ for him in my Name, to oblige him either to deliver the Combs, &c. or to pay for them Three Pounds as above.

(6w) **WILLIAM REYNOLDS.**

N. B. Said Reynolds wants to employ a Person to repair Three Stocking Frames; any one capable to undertake such a Job, he would be glad to employ.

May 22, 1771.

T O B E S O L D,
A Commodious Plantation, on Elk-Ridge, within Twenty-two Miles of Annapolis, Eighteen of Baltimore-Town, and Ten of Elk-Ridge Landing, well adapted to Grain and Grass. A View of the Premises will sufficiently evince the Beauty of the Situation and Fertility of the Soil.

(1f) **H. GRIFFITH.**

Just imported in the Galloway, Captain Bishoprick, from London, and to be sold by the Subscriber, Wholesale or Retail, at their Store, in Church-Street, Annapolis,

A Genteel, and well assorted Cargo of European and India Goods, suitable to each Season, among which are a great Variety of fashionable Silks and Millenary.

(1f) **THOMAS HARWOOD, & JOHN BRICE.**

THE Subscriber being fully empowered to settle and adjust the Accounts of Mr. Joshua Johnson, late of this Province, requests all those who have any Claims against him to bring them in; and all those who are indebted to him to make immediate payment; those who neglect to comply with this Request, will have Suits commenced against them to August Court next. Constant Attendance is given at my Office.

JOHN DAVIDSON.

May 7, 1771.

W A N T E D,
A N O R G A N I S T for Port-Tobacco Parish, in Charles County.—The Salary is Four Pounds of Tobacco per Poll; there are about One Thousand Nine Hundred Taxables in said Parish, and it is mostly paid off at Twelve Shillings and Six-pence per Cent. Any Person inclinable to undertake the said Organs, is desired to apply to the Rev. Mr. Thomas Thornton, Rector of said Parish, who will have a Vestry called for that Purpose.

Signed per Order of the Vestry,

THEO. HANSON, Register.

General Post-Office, New-York, Jan. 22, 1771.

HIS MAJESTY'S Post-Master General, having (for the better facilitating of Correspondence between Great-Britain and America) been pleased to add a Fifth Packet Boat to the Station between Falmouth and New-York: Notice is hereby given, that the Mail for the future will be closed at the Post-Office in New-York, at Twelve of the Clock at Night, on the First Tuesday in every Month, and dispatched by a Packet the next Day for Falmouth.

By Command of the D. Post-Master General.

(12m) **ALEXANDER COLDEN, Secretary**

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