POETS CORNER.

To Mr. PEALE, *on his painting Miss* HALLAM *in the Character of* Fedele *in* Cymbeline.

THE grand Design in *Grecian* Schools was taught,
Venetian Colours gave the Pictures Thought:
In thee, O PEALE, both Excellences join,
Venetian Colours, and the *Greek* Design.
Thy Stile has match'd what ev'n the Antients knew,
Grand the Design, and as the Colouring true:
Purſue the Path thou haſt ſo well begun,
And ſecond be to Nature's eldeſt Son.
Shakeſpeare's immortal Scenes our Wonder raiſe,
And next to HIM thou claim'ſt our higheſt Praiſe.
When *Hallam* as *Fedele* comes diſtreſs'd,
Tears fill each Eye, and Paſſion heaves each Breaſt;
View with upraiſed Eyes the charming Maid,
Prepar'd to enter, tho' ſhe ſeems afraid:
And ſee, to calm her Fears, and ſooth her Care,
Belarius, and the royal Boys appear.
Thy Pencil has ſo well the Scene convey'd,
Thought ſeems but an unneceſſary Aid:
How pleas'd we view the viſionary Scene,
The friendly Cave, the Rock and Mountain green:
Nature and Art are here at once combin'd,
And all *Elyſium* to one View confin'd.
Another Scene ſtill claims thy Pencil's Aid;
Stover in *Ariel*. Enchanting Maid!
Whoſe eaſy Nature every Grace affords,
And charms without the empty Pomp of Words;
The liſt'ning Ear on every Word intent,
Catches the Sound, and gueſſes what is meant.
"Her Name, the Boaſt of ev'ry tuneful Choir,
"Shall tremble on the Strings of ev'ry Lyre."
Accept, O PEALE, theſe friendly, artleſs Lays,
The Tribute, that a fond Admirer pays;
Unrivall'd as unmatch'd, be ſtill thy Fame,
And *Shakeſpeare*'s Scene; ſtill raiſe thy envy'd Name.

Port Tobacco, Charles County, *Sept.* 29, 1771.

THE Subſcriber has laid out a Plan of a Town by the Name of *Edenburg*, at *Chapel Point*, near the Mouth of *Port Tobacco* Creek, extending about Three Quarters of a Mile along the Creek and about 80 Perches from the Water Side, containing in all upwards of 100 Acres and 196 Lots, of which the Proprietor the Subſcriber retains 5, *viz.* Two Water and Three Inland Lots, which are diſtinguiſhed by the Letters G, H. The Plan is to be ſeen at the Clerk's Office at *Port Tobacco* on Wedneſdays and Saturdays, at Mr. *Francis Ware*'s, and at the Subſcriber's, at all which Places Tickets may be had ſigned and numbered by the Subſcriber. The Lots are to be drawn for by a publick Lottery in *Port-Tobacco*, on the 20th of *November*, in which the Number of the Lot, as marked in the Plan drawn againſt the Number of the Ticket, will entitle the Bearer thereof to the ſaid Lot; by which Method every Adventurer will have an equal Chance. The Conditions are, that Ten Pounds Currency be paid down on the Delivery of each Ticket, ſigned and numbered by the Subſcriber. If any Accident prevents the ſaid Lottery's being drawn at the above Time, each Adventurer, on returning his Ticket, ſhall have his Money refunded him. Item, if a marſhy Spot falls to any One's Lot that may be reaſonably Objected againſt, he ſhall likewiſe in that Caſe, on giving back his Ticket, have his Purchaſe Money returned him. A Fee ſimple ſhall be conveyed by Deed of the above Lots to the Purchaſers.

The Lots not to be entered upon until *Chriſtmas* next, the whole of the Ground being now in Corn.

(t d.) GEORGE HUNTER.

TWELVE DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, *May* 27, 1771, living in *Mauington* Townſhip, *Salem* County, *Weſt New-Jerſey*, an *Iriſh* Servant Man, named RICHARD HANDLEY, about 20 Years of Age, wears his own fair Hair, 5 Feet 4 or 5 Inches high, a likely well-ſet Fellow, ſtoops as he walks, ſpeaks in the *Iriſh* Dialect, and is remarkable for calling working Cattle *Oxens*: Had on, and took with him a Felt Hat, old Homeſpun Cloth Jacket of a lightiſh Colour, a fine Shirt, a Tow Cloth ditto, 2 Pair of Trouſers, one of Check Linen, a Pair of Buckſkin Breeches, and Shoes tied with Strings; he may probably have a forged Paſs with him. Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and ſecures him, ſo that his Maſter may have him again, ſhall receive the above Reward, and all reaſonable Charges, paid by me, JOHN ROBERTS.

Annapolis, June 19, 1771.

Juſt imported, in the Polly, *Capt.* John Keltye, *from* London, *and to be ſold by the Subſcriber, in* Church-Street, Annapolis, *Wholeſale and Retail, on the moſt reaſonable Terms,*

A Large and neat Aſſortment of *European* and *India* Goods, ſuitable to the different Seaſons.

THOMAS GASSAWAY, junr.

A conſiderable Difference will be made to thoſe who pay ready Caſh.

WANTED,

A CLERK in the PREROGATIVE-OFFICE, apply to

ELIE VALLETTE, Regiſter.

October 10, 1771.

Juſt imported, in the Liberty, *Capt.* Blackwell, *from* London, *and to be ſold by the Subſcribers, at their Store, in* Church-Street, *Annapolis, by Wholeſale or Retail,*

AN Aſſortment of Winter Goods, amongſt which are a Variety of ſuperfine faſhionable Clothes, and a few Pieces of genteel Silks.

THOMAS HARWOOD, junr. &
(4w) JOHN BRICE.

THERE is at the Plantation of Mr. *Daniel Dulany*, in *Baltimore* County, taken up as a Stray, a black Mare, branded on the near Shoulder thus, C and on the Buttock thus, R; paces, trots and gallops, and is near 13 Hands high. The Owner may have her again by applying to *Greenbury Wilſon*, proving Property and paying Charges. (w3)

October 6, 1771.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living in *Fredericksburg, Virginia*, an indented Servant Man, by Trade a Tailor, named *John Driver*, ſometimes calls himſelf *Windſor Driver* was born in the Weſt of *England*, he is about Five Feet Five Inches high, ſpeaks quick and ſhort, and of an effeminate Voice: Had on, when he went away, a brown Frock Coat with gilt Buttons, a light blue Pair of Breeches, a dark Bath Coating Waiſtcoat, brown Thread Stockings, a Pair of new Shoes, double ſtitched at the Eyes, a Felt Hat, bound with Tape, braſs Buckles not Fellows, a blue Silk Hankerchief ſpotted white, a Check Shirt, dark brown Hair commonly tied, has a dark Complexion, and a thin Viſage. Whoever takes up ſaid Servant, and lodges him in any of his Majeſty's Jails, ſo as his Maſter ſhall get him again, ſhall receive Forty Shillings, and if brought home to his ſaid Maſter, Four Pounds, beſides what the Law allows, paid by me

(3w) JAMES NEWTON.

N. B. As he pretends to know a little of the Sea, this is therefore to forewarn all Maſters of Veſſels, on their Peril, not to carry ſaid Servant out of the Colony.

SIXTEEN DOLLARS REWARD.

October 22, 1771.

STOLEN the 7th Inſtant, at Night, out of the Paſture of the Subſcriber, living at the Head of *Cheſter* River, in *Kent* County, *Maryland*, a bay Horſe, about 15 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder thus IVS but not very plain; hath a Half Circle on his Forehead, with a ſmall crooked Blaze down his Face, is long dock'd, and appears a little like the Blood; paces and trots well. Whoever ſecures the Thief that he be brought to Juſtice, and the Horſe that the Owner gets him again, ſhall have the above Reward, or for the Horſe only Four Dollars and reaſonable Charges, paid, if brought Home, by JOHN VANSANT.

RAN away laſt June, from the Subſcriber, living in *Frederick* County, near the *Great Falls* of *Patowmack*, an *Engliſh* convict Servant Man, named JOSEPH JAMES, about 20 Years old, 5 Feet 9 Inches high, and has worked at the Blackſmiths Trade about Three Years; his Cloaths are unknown; he was taken up in *Charles* County, but made his Eſcape. Whoever takes up ſaid Servant, and brings him home, if in *Maryland*, Four Pounds, and if in *Virginia*, Six Pounds, and reaſonable Charges, paid by

(w3) NINIAN BEALL, Son of *Ninian*.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Forge near *Elk-Ridge Landing*, on the 9th of *September* laſt, a Servant Man, by Name JOHN WINTERS, he is about Five Feet Eight Inches high, Pock marked, bald headed, and about Forty-five Years old: Had on a Fearnought Jacket, coarſe Country Linen Shirt, Oſnabrig Trouſers, and a Felt Hat. He has ſerved Four Years, and pretends that he is a Freeman. He is a very complaiſant diſſembling Fellow. Whoever brings him to his Maſter, living near *Elk-Ridge* Church, *Anne-Arundel* County, or to *William Hammond*, at the Forge, ſhall receive Three Pounds, if within the Province, and if out, the above Reward, paid by EPHRAIM HOWARD.

N. B. He has taken with him ſome old Cloaths, in particular, an old Cloth Coat lined with red Flannel.

JAMES LOGAN, who not only has been regularly bred to the tailoring Trade in the moſt capital Houſe for that Buſineſs, in the City of *Cork*, but alſo worked for a conſiderable Time with much Applauſe, with moſt eminent Maſters in *England* and *Ireland*; has now opened Shop at the Houſe of Mr. *William Goldſmith*, Shoemaker, near the Town-Gate, *Annapolis*, where he intends carrying on his Trade in all it's various Branches; from a ſuperior Ability in his undertaking, and conſtant Adherence to the due Aſſiduity highly neceſſary in the Execution thereof, he flatters himſelf he will be able to give the utmoſt Satisfaction to thoſe who pleaſe to favour him with their Cuſtom. (tf)

To be ſold to the higheſt Bidder, on Monday the 18*th of* November, *purſuant to the Laſt Will and Teſtament of* Nicholas G. Ridgley, *at his late Dwelling-Houſe, for Sterling Cash, Bills of Exchange, or current Money, the following Tracts or Parcels of Land,* viz.

THAT Tract whereon the deceaſed lived, lying in *Anne-Arundel* County, about 20 Miles from *Elk-Ridge Landing*, 25 Miles from *Bladenſburg*, and 30 from *George-Town*, containing upwards of 600 Acres, whereon is a Dwelling-Houſe with Three Rooms and Two Fire Places on the Lower Floor, and Two Rooms above, all finiſhed, a Kitchen, Store-houſe, Milk-houſe, Meat-houſe, Corn-houſe, Stables, and Three Tobacco-houſes almoſt new, covered with Shingles, about 20 Acres Meadow, fit for the Scythe, and as much more may be made with little Trouble, great Part thereof being already cut down, and may be watered at little Expence by a Stream that runs through it, Two large young Orchards, the Land is exceeding good and well timbered, the Plantation in good Order and will ſuit either Planter or Farmer; on the ſame Tract is a good Brick Houſe lately built, and a Kitchen very convenient for a Tenant. One other Tract containing about 266 Acres, lying about 4 Miles from the above; whereon is a Dwelling-houſe, Corn-houſe and Tobacco-houſes, in good Repair. The Land is rich and well timbered, and the Plantation in good Order for cropping, the greateſt Part being freſh. One other Tract, lying about 3 Miles from the firſt mentioned Plantation, containing about 100 Acres, whereon is Two ſmall Dwelling-houſes and a Tobacco-houſe; the Plantation in good Order, and now Rents for £. 10 currency *per Annum*, alſo Twelve valuable Slaves, Men, Women, Boys and Girls, amongſt which are ſeveral Ploughmen, a complete Waggoner, and Wenches that underſtand Houſe Work; the Time of Four Servants, a Carpenter, Shoemaker, Bricklayer and Labourer, a good Waggon and Team, many other valuable Horſes, Mares and Colts, a large ſtock of Cattle, Hogs and Sheep, a Wheat Fan, Ploughs, Cart, and every Plantation Utenſil; all the Houſehold Furniture, conſiſting of Plate, China, many good Feather Beds, Chairs, &c. almoſt new, alſo about 150 Barrels of Corn, a large Quantity of Oats, ſome Wheat, Fodder and Straw; about £. 130 Coſt of Goods, conſiſting of *Iriſh* Linens, Mens and Boys Hats, ſome Silks, &c.

On Saturday the 23d of *November* will be ſold as above, on the Premiſes, a valuable Tract of Land at the Mouth of *Seneca Creek*, in *Frederick* County, about 18 Miles from *George-Town*, containing about 160 Acres, whereon is a Dwelling-Houſe with a Brick Chimney, Kitchen, Milk-houſe, Store-houſe, and ſeveral other Out-houſes. This Place lies on *Patowmack* River, at the Head of the *Seneca* Falls, where in all Probability will be a Landing Place for all Commodities brought down the River from the Back Country, and is likely to be a Place of conſiderable Trade, as it lies convenient to ſeveral Water-Mills. The Land is exceeding rich and well timbered, and the Plantation in good Order for cropping, and would ſuit either Planter, Farmer, or Merchant.

Alſo will be ſold, at the ſame Time and Place, one other Tract of Land, lying in ſaid County, near Mr. *John Riley*'s, containing about 200 Acres; ſome Part of which is cleared, and the Soil good, 40 Barrels Corn, ſome Hogs and Plantation Utenſils.

On Saturday the 30th *November* will be ſold, at Publick Sale, at the Houſe of Mr. *John Orme*, in *George-Town*, Two convenient Lots in the Addition to *George-Town*. Twelve Months Credit will be given to the Purchaſer of the Lands, and till the laſt of *July* to the Purchaſer of the Negroes, &c. where the Debt is above Ten Pounds, on giving Bond and Security to

JANE RIDGELY, Executrix of *Nicholas Greenbury Ridgely*.

N. B. All who have Claims againſt the ſaid *Ridgely*'s Eſtate, are deſired to make them known before the Sale to Mr. *Greenbury Ridgely*, on *Elk-Ridge*, or Mr. *Thomas Johnſon, George-Town*.

Upper-Marlborough, September 13, 1771.

THE Subſcriber intending to leave this Place earneſtly intreats all Perſons indebted to him to pay off their Accounts, on or before the Firſt Day of *November* next, that he may be enabled thereby, before his Departure, to pay thoſe to whom he owes Money, who are deſired to bring in their Claims before the above Time.

(tf) JOHN WARREN.

TO BE SOLD,

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.

(tf) H. GRIFFITH.

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