

THREE is at the Plantation of *Hugh Mitchell*, at the Head of *Seyvern*; taken up as a Stray, a Reabitten-gray Gelding, about 12 Hands high, 12 Years old, trots and gallops, has a hanging Mane, switch Tail, but no perceivable Brand. The Owner may have him again, proving Property and paying Charges.

TO B E S O L D:
ABOUT 800 Acres of good Land, in Five Plantations, in *St. Mary's County*; on one of the Plantations, situate on the River *Piscataway*, there is a Brick House in good Order, 2 Stories high, with 4 Rooms and a large Passage on a Floor, with Office-Houses, &c. Also, about 800 Acres in *Virginia*, viz. 499 near the Town of *Dumfries*, 194 near the *Great Falls of Patowmack*, 92 upon *Cedar Run*, and the Remainder of a Tract of Land in *Fauquier County*, patented to the *Rev. Lawrence De Butts*. Proposals for the Whole, or any Part of the above recited Lands will be received, and an indisputable Title made to the Purchaser, by

JOH N D E B U T T S.
For Sale, by the Subscribers, at reasonable Rates; for Cash or Bills of Exchange.

A PARCEL of choice *Barbados Rum*, Spirit, and *Muscovado Sugar*. Also a likely young *Negro Wench*.

THREE is at the Plantation of *Samuel Bealls*, living in *Baltimore County*; taken up as a Stray, an old black Horse, branded on the near Shoulder A, paces and trots, middle sized, and has several Saddle Spots. The Owner may have him again on proving Property and paying Charges.

ALARGE and neat Assortment of Dry Goods, well calculated for the Season: Also *Liverpool bottled Beer*, and *London Porter*; any of which may be had on very moderate Terms, by applying to

AS I am determined on a Voyage to *Great-Britain*, early next Shipping, I therefore request all Persons indebted to me, either on Bill, Bond, Note, or open Account, that they adjust and pay off the same by the 10th Day of *January* next, otherwise I shall be under the disagreeable Necessity of commencing Suits against the Defaulters, without respect of Persons, or further Notice. It having been a considerable Time since I declined Business, in the mercantile Way, I hope all those that have experienced my long Indulgence, will use their Endeavours to make speedy Payments: And as it is equally incumbent on me to discharge every Claim before I leave the Province, I propose disposing of a considerable Quantity of exceeding good Forest Land, lying in *Anne-Arundel County*; on the back Parts of *Elk-Ridge*, near *Poplar Spring Chapel*; there is on the said Land several Hundred Acres of excellent Marsh, which, with a little Expence, might be made into good Meadow; the Up-land is well adapted to *Indian Corn*, *Tobacco*, *Wheat*, *Rye*, &c. but more particularly to *Tobacco* of the very best Quality, Samples of which may be seen on the said Land; as a Proof of its Fertility; there are also several very valuable Plantations, well improved, on the abovementioned Land, which the Purchaser may be put in Possession of by the first Day of *January* next. There is an excellent Range for all Kinds of Stock.

I have also to dispose of, a Lease of 150 Acres of Land, on *Mr. Ringgold's Conococheague Manor*; Eleven Years of said Lease are now to come, the Purchaser of it may be put in Possession of the Premises on the first Day of *December*, 1773; the above leased Lot is exceeding rich and level, it now rents at £25 per Annum, and I have lately been offered a much higher Rent. I propose attending on the *Conococheague* Teneement on Friday the 20th of *November* next, where any Person inclinable to purchase the same, may view the Premises and know the Conditions of the Sale. I also propose attending on the Land near *Poplar Spring Chapel* on the 26th and 27th Days of the said Month of *November*, where any Persons inclinable to purchase all or any Part of the said Land, may view the same, and be informed of the Title and Conditions of the Sale, by

HENRY RIDGELY.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living at the Mouth of the *Eastern Branch*, *Prince-George's County*, a Mulatto Slave named *WILLIAM*, (who he may change his Name, having in a former Excursion taken that of *CHARLES PROCTOR*) by Trade a Carpenter; he is about 40 Years old, 5 Feet 10 Inches high: Had on when he went away, a dark coloured furred Country Cloth Coat, white flannel Waistcoat, Osnabrig Trowsers, Osnabrig Shirt, and an old felt Hat. Whoever takes up and secures the said Slave, that the Subscriber may get him again, shall receive, if within 50 Miles Three Pounds, if further Five Pounds, and all reasonable Expences paid, by

NOTLEY YOUNG.

ALL Persons who have any Demands against the Estate of *PHILEMON DORSEY*, late of *Anne-Arundel County*, deceased, are desired to bring in their Accounts legally proved, that they may be adjusted; and all those indebted to the said Estate are desired to make immediate Payment.

Just imported, in the *Nancy*, Capt. *Howe*, from London, and to be sold by the Subscribers, at their Store on the Front of the Dock in *Annapolis*, wholesale or retail, on the most reasonable Terms, for ready Money or on short Credit.

ALARGE and general Assortment of European and *East India Goods*, suitable to the approaching Season, in which there is great Variety and Choice.

To be sold for Cash; Bills of Exchange, or Crop-Tobacco

THREE following Parcels of Land, *Wynn's West Lot*, containing 52 Acres, Part of *Wynn's Middle Lot*, 162 Acres: These Two Parcels of Land join each other, lying about Three Miles from *Piscataway*, in *Prince-George's County*: *Wynn's East and West Littleworth*, containing 143 Acres, *Littleworth*, 50 Acres; Part 2d, Addition to *Littleworth*, 53 Acres: These Three Parcels join each other, about Four Miles from *Piscataway*. There are Three or Four Tenants on these Lands, but only Tenants at Will. Any Person inclinable to purchase these Lands, or any of them, may know the Terms, by applying to *Jol. Wynn*, near *Piscataway*.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living on *Elk-Ridge*, *Anne-Arundel County*, *Maryland*, a Servant Man, named *Francis Sellers*, he is about 21 or 22 years old, about 5 Feet 8 or 10 Inches high, brown Hair: Had on and took with him when he went away, an old Castor Hat, a brown Bath coating Sourtoat Coat, a brown Broad Cloth close bodied ditto, a sky blue coloured Jacket without Sleeves, a pair of Nankeen Breeches, a Pair of Cotton-Stockings, a Pair of blue Worsted ditto, Two-Pair of Shoes, a Bird-eyed Silk Handkerchief, Two Osnabrig Shirts, and had Ten Shillings Cash. Whoever takes up said Servant and secures him, so that I may get him again, shall have if taken 10 Miles from home 3 Pounds, if 20 Miles 6 Pounds, if farther the above Reward. He can write, and will no doubt forge a Pass.

N. B. The above Servant came in the Country about 6 or 7 Years ago, indentured for 5 Years, he served the first Part of his Time on *Elk-Ridge*, with *Nicholas Greenbury Ridgely*, the remaining Part with *Joshua Griffith*, at *Elk-Ridge Landing*; after being free he worked some Time with *George Gale*, a Stone Mason, then hired to *Samuel Poole*, some Time past he and some others robbed a Store-house, on which Account he indentured himself to *Samuel Poole*, who consigned him to me.

FORTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away from the *Rev. Mr. Boucher's*, in *Prince-George's County*, *Maryland*, on Sunday the 4th of *October*, a Convict Servant Man belonging to the *Rev. Mr. Bgooke*, in *Stafford County*, *Virginia*, his Name is *Samuel Gaysford*, he is an Englishman, about 23 Years of Age, came into *Virginia* a few Months ago, in the Ship *Thornton*, Captain *Copland*; It has been discovered since he ran away, that this is not the first Time of his having been convicted to *America*, and that he is well acquainted with the Country Northward; he is middle sized, or rather below it, wears his own dark Hair, which however it is not improbable he may cut off, the better to disguise himself; he rode off a small bay blooded Horse, trimmed with a ridge Mane, his Foretop cut off, with his Tail bobbed short, and has a small and remarkable white Spot upon one of his Ears, he is thought, but not certainly known, to be branded with the Letters *IM* in one Piece: The Servant took with him a Portmanteau containing some wearing Apparel belonging to his Master: He had with him of his own, a blue Coat with a red Cape, and Waistcoat of the same, together with a Suit of brown Holland, and a *Wilton* Waistcoat and Breeches; and a Pair of Leather Gones; he plays tolerable well on the German Flute, which he is fond of doing: Twenty Dollars will be paid to any Person who will deliver him and the Horse to his Master in *Virginia*, or *Dr. Brooks* in *Maryland*, provided he be taken in *Virginia* or *Maryland*; Thirty if taken in *Pennsylvania*, or Forty if taken in any other Colony.

AN Assortment of Clothes, Linens, Silks, Millinery, Hosiery, Boots, Shoes, and Saddlery, which are to be disposed of at our Store, on the Front of the Dock, with a full Assortment of almost every Kind of dry Goods, at Wholesale or Retail, for a small Advance.

THOMAS HARWOOD, junr.
JOH N B R I C E.

THREE very commodious fishing Landings, situate on *Patawack River*, between *Piscataway* and *Pamunky Creeks*, in a very convenient Place for Market by Land and Water; they are remarkable Places for Shads and Herrings early in the Spring; on one there is a commodious Fishing-house, and other Conveniences for securing Seines Ropes, &c. The other Two Places or either of them may be improved agreeable to the Tenant's Direction, on his producing Materials at the Place. For Terms apply to

RICHARD BRANDT.

A STAGE from the City of *Philadelphia* to *Baltimore-Town*, in a new erected, very convenient for Persons travelling or transporting Goods or Luggage, to or from either Place, which will regularly go from the respective Places, at the Times and for the Rates hereafter mentioned. The *Wilmington Stage-Boat*, kept by *Hugh and Foundry*, leaves the *Crooked-Billet Wharf* in *Philadelphia* every Wednesday, and generally arrives at *Wilmington* in a few Hours; the *Charles-Town Stage Waggon*, kept by *Patrick Hamilton*, leaves *Wilmington* every Friday Morning, and arrives at *Charles-Town* the same Day; and the *Charles-Town Packet*, kept by *John Hamilton*, leaves *Charles-Town* every Saturday, and frequently arrives at *Baltimore* the same Day; so that Passengers have a greater Certainty of travelling to and from *Philadelphia* in these Stages; and with less Expence, than in any other. On the Return, the *Charles-Town Packet* leaves *Baltimore* every Tuesday, the Stage Waggon leaves *Charles-Town* every Thursday Morning, and the Stage Boat leaves *Wilmington* every Friday. Passengers from *Philadelphia* to *Wilmington* pay Two Shillings each, from *Wilmington* to *Charles-Town* Five Shillings each, and from *Charles-Town* to *Baltimore-Town* Four Shillings each; Luggage in Proportion. As *Wilmington* is within Three Miles of *Delaware River*, and *Charles-Town* about 3 Miles from *Susquehanna* and 8 Miles from the Mouth of *Elk River*, our Boats are very seldom, if ever, detained by low Tides or contrary Winds, a Disadvantage which some other Stages from *Philadelphia* to *Baltimore* labour under. The Certainty of this Stage and moderate Rates will, it is hoped, induce the Publick to encourage a useful an Undertaking. And as *Charles-Town* is situated within Thirty-six Miles of the Town of *Lancaster*, a proper Encouragement of this Scheme may be a Means of promoting a useful Stage between *Baltimore* and *Lancaster*, by the Way of *Charles-Town*, at a very moderate Expence.

The Publick may be assured, that the greatest Care and Punctuality will be observed by the Undertakers.

Orders left with Messrs. *Smith and Flanagan*, or *Mr. William Neill*, Merchants in *Baltimore-Town*, or with *Capt. Thomas Elliott* at *Fell's-Point*, shall be executed with Fidelity.

SUCH of the Inhabitants of the Counties of *St. Mary's*, *Calvert*, *Charles* and *Prince-George's*, who approve of the Plan of uniting the Schools of those Counties, are requested to meet at *Benedict Town* on Tuesday the 15th of *December*, to consider farther on the most proper Expedients to carry this useful Plan into Execution. The Gentlemen who were commissioned to view the several Places thought of for the Situation of the proposed Seminary will then attend, and assign the Reasons why they have given the Preference to the Place known by the Name of *The Cool Springs*, which they trust will meet with general Approbation. In the mean while Subscription Papers will be handed about by Gentlemen of the Counties concerned, and an Opportunity afforded to such who are disposed to promote this beneficial Design.

BENEDICT CALVERT,
WILLIAM RITZHUUGH,
GEORGE FLATER,
HENRY ADDISON,
THOMAS THORNTON,
HENRY GREENFIELD SOTHORON,
GEORGE ADENT.

THE Judges of the Land-Office having represented to his Excellency the Governor, that there are a great Number of Certificates in their Office unpatented, many of them are returned by virtue of Warrants, which issued more than Two Years ago, and others where the Two Years are near expiring. His Excellency being desirous that those who purchased Warrants in the Lifetime of the late Lord Proprietary, should have the Benefit of such Warrants, has directed them to give publick Notice, that Patents are made out as usual, and that Applications for Warrants under the Proclamation will be received, and the Warrants issue to the first Discoverer, in preference to any other Person, whenever the Office shall be opened.

Signed per Order,
WILLIAM STEUART, Cl. Ld. Office.