

ANNAPOLIS RACES.

On Monday the 28th of Sept. will be run for, JOCKEY CLUB PURSE of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS, free only for Horses &c. to the Members of the Club.

On WEDNESDAY the 29th. PURSE of FIFTY POUNDS, Give Aged Horses 14 Hands high to carry 7lb. for every Year under Age; for every Inch under 14 Hands; but for above 14 Hands, to carry 7lb. extra. Heats 3 Miles each.

On THURSDAY the 30th. PURSE of FIFTY POUNDS, free and Three Years old; Four Years to carry Three Years to carry 7 Stone, allowing 1lb. Heats 2 Miles each.

On FRIDAY the 1st of October. PURSE of FIFTY POUNDS, for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, carrying 9 Heats 4 Miles each.

There will be a Sweep-stakes on Monday the 27th of September, between Fitzhugh, Esquire's gray Filly, by Fear-

John Ogle, Esquire's gray Filly, by Othello, Heath, Esquire's gray Filly, by Traveller. Starting Eleven o'Clock each Day.

As usual, on Tuesday and Friday.

LLOYD DULANY, Esqrs. Stewards, RICHARD SPRIGG, Esqrs.

Encouragement of the Market, and the Entertainment of the Company at Annapolis Races, the JOCKEY CLUB have directed the Secretary to publish the following Proclamation.

SEVEN POUNDS CURRENCY - The largest and fattest Beef that shall be sold at Market, and sold at or under Six-pence per lb. The Four Quarters not to weigh less than Four Pounds.

ONE GUINEA - The largest and fattest Weather, above Four Months old.

THREE POUNDS CURRENCY - Any person who brings to Annapolis during the Week the greatest Quantity of the largest and fattest Fish, and retails the same at the lowest Price. Proof of which must be made to the Secretary of the Club at the End of the Week. Any person proposing to become Candidates for the Office, are to apply to the Secretary of the Club.

WILLIAM EDDIS, Secretary.

Elk-Ridge, July 21, 1773. To be sold, by publick vendue, on Monday the 27th of August, at Curtis's creek iron works, in Anne-Arundel county,

Two undivided third parts of about 7000 acres of land lying in the said county, on which stands a good furnace, stone dwelling house, and a mill, and a grist and saw mill. The land is timbered, and the water navigable within a mile of the furnace and mills, which are about five miles distant from the town of Baltimore. The credit will be given the purchaser, on a good bond, with security, if required. SAMUEL DORSEY, jun. CHARLES RIDGELY, MICHAEL PUE, Wm. GOODWIN, Wm. BUCHANAN, jun.

Prince-George's county, July 28, 1773. To be sold, at publick auction, on the premises, the first of September next, if fair, if otherwise the next fair day.

A VERY valuable tract of land, being the plantation whereon I now live, containing 100 acres. A part of this land was advertised some time ago; the reserved part, now offered, is esteemed the best. On this land is a good dwelling-house, and every necessary and convenient out-house, with a good garden and yard led in; as well as sundry tobacco-houses, and tenements, well disposed on the different parts of the land: a large stream runs through the middle of it, on which lie between two and hundred acres of rich low grounds, most of which may be made into meadow, a good deal of it already cleared for that purpose. The high ground of various qualities; but, in general, well adapted to farming or planting. It lies within four miles of the ware-houses, at Broad-creek; within a mile of Piscataway; and within two or three miles of the sea, in Virginia. Long credit will be given for the greatest part of the purchase money, and for the purchaser; giving bond, with security; or, a proper discount will be made for ready money.

JOHN ADDISON.

Charles county, July 17, 1773. To be sold, on Monday the 16th of August next, on the premises, a lot of ground in the town of Bengsdist, in Charles county, whereon is a large and convenient new house, that will answer either for a store or dwelling house. At same time and place will be sold a likely negro boy, and some household furniture.

On the 11th of October will be sold at George-Town, a house and lot, formerly purchased by Mess. Barnes and Ridgate from Maj. Thomas Addison, as also three lots in the addition-to-George-Town, and five lots in Carrollsburgh.

And on the 19th of October will also be sold on the premises, a lot of ground near Newport in Charles county, whereon is a large new house that will suit either for a store or dwelling house; also on the same day will be sold several tracts of valuable land lying near Newport, containing between 6 and 700 acres, formerly belonging to Mr. Robert Horner; as also sundry lots of ground or parcels of land, part of Chaptico manor; also several likely negroes, with the stock and plantation utensils of every kind on the above lands, lately the property of Mess. Barnes and Ridgate.

The above will be sold at publick sale on the several days aforesaid, and twelve months credit will be given to the purchasers, on giving bonds on interest, with security, if required.

Also, to be sold at private sale, as soon as a proper purchaser or purchasers shall offer, the following parcels of goods at Mess. Barnes and Ridgate's stores in Maryland, viz.

At Port-Tobacco, about £. 2300 cost. At Newport, about 1600. At George-Town, about 2000.

The terms of sale for the above goods will be very advantageous to the buyer, and may be known by applying to either of the subscribers, or to Mr. Thomas Johns at George-Town, Mr. Joseph Gwynn at Newport, or Mr. Zephaniah Turner at Port-Tobacco.

JOHN ROGERS, THOMAS STONE, PHILIP R. FENDALL, Trustees for Mess. Barnes and Ridgate.

Charles county, July 16, 1773. To be sold, by the subscribers, at publick vendue, on Tuesday the 17th day of August next, at the house of Ignatius Ryon, at the head of Bird's creek, Nanjemoy, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, if fair, if not, the next fair day.

THREE hundred and forty-nine acres of land, known by the name of Chrystal Milford, adjoining to the land of doctor Brown and Mr. William Winter, about 6 miles from two warehouses, convenient to the church and sundry grist-mills, one of which is about half a mile distant, and the church two miles. The land lies level, and is of a light quick soil. There is on the premises one tenement which rents this year for four thousand pounds of crop tobacco, and ten shillings sterling. The purchaser will have liberty to put in a crop of small grain at the fall, as early as he pleases, and will have full possession the first day of January next. One half of the cash to be paid down at the time of purchase, and the other half when the land is made over, which may be at new years day next. Any person inclinable to purchase the said land, may see it by applying to Mr. Hugh Perrie, or Francis Perrie his brother, near the land.

THOMAS WHARTON COOMES, WALTER COOMES.

July 22, 1773. RAN away from the subscriber, living in Philadelphia, on the 24th day of April last, a negro man, named Jack, about 22 years of age, about 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, has been used to the mill, he formerly belonged to Mr. Zephaniah Bond, in St. Mary's county, in Maryland. He stole and took with him, about 10 pounds currency, and was seen some time in the month of May last, at the house of Mr. Philip Briscoe, in Charles county, where his father and mother live: had on, when there, a blue broadcloth coat, lapelled, a red flannel jacket lined with white flannel, black plush, or cotton velvet breeches, ribbed worsted stockings, and channel pumps; a fine fashionable hat, two or three white shirts. It is supposed he has a forged pass, as he travelled from Philadelphia to Charles county without being taken up. Whoever will deliver the said negro to Mr. William Faris, or to Mr. John Fry, in Annapolis, shall receive the sum of ten pounds Pennsylvania currency reward, or fifteen pounds like money, if brought to me at Philadelphia.

N. B. He has a scar under one of his eyes. All masters of vessels are forewarned carrying him off at their peril.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Caroline, Capt. Lynth, from London, and to be sold, by the subscribers, at their store on the dock, in Annapolis, on very reasonable terms, for cash or short credit.

A CHOICE and general assortment of European and East-India Goods.

WALLACE DAVIDSON and JOHNSON.

ALL persons indebted to Priscilla Woodward, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, are desired to make immediate payment; and her creditors are requested to bring in their accounts, legally proved, that they may be adjusted.

WILLIAM WOODWARD, Executor.

July 14, 1773. STOLEN out of the pasture from George Booth, a light gray horse, about 14 hands 3 inches high, a short thick well made horse, a short neck, thick mane, neither mark or brand, he trots and paces, when he paces he goes hard, and is apt to drag the edge of his hoof, and wares it away in travelling. Any one that will bring me the said horse, shall have a reward of 30 shillings currency, if found in St. Mary's county, if out of St. Mary's 50 shillings currency, paid by George Booth, living in St. Mary's county, within 3 miles of Leonard-town.

By the lower house of assembly, July 2, 1773. ORDERED, THAT the following be entered as the resolves of this-house, viz.

RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY, That the representatives of the freemen of this province, have the sole right, with the assent of the other part of the legislature, to impose and establish taxes or fees and that the imposing, establishing or collecting any taxes or fees on or from the inhabitants of this province, under colour or pretence of any proclamation issued by, or in the name of the Lord Proprietary, or other authority, is arbitrary, unconstitutional, and oppressive.

RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY, That in all cases, where no fees are established by law for services done by officers, the power of ascertaining the quantum of the reward, for such services, is constitutionally in a jury upon the action of the party.

RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY, That the proclamation issued in the name of his Excellency Robert Eden, the Governor, with the advice of his Lordship's council of state, on the 26th day of November, 1770, was illegal, arbitrary, unconstitutional, and oppressive.

RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY, That the paper writing, under the great seal of this province, issued in the name of the late Lord Proprietary, on the 24th day of November, 1770, for the ascertaining the fees and perquisites to be received by the registers of the land-office, was illegal, arbitrary, unconstitutional, and oppressive.

RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY, That the ADVISERS of the said proclamations were enemies to the peace, welfare, and happiness of this province, and the laws and constitution thereof.

ORDERED, That the said resolves be printed in the next week's Maryland gazette, and be continued therein, six weeks successively.

Signed by order,

JOHN DUCKETT, Cl. Lo. Ho.

July 21, 1773.

WENT away, last night, from Thomas Snowden's plantation, the six following servant men, viz. William Lowe, an Englishman, about 20 years of age, about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, by trade a blacksmith, of a swarthy complexion, and has lost one of his fore teeth; had on, an osnabrig shirt, dirty brown holland trowsers, old castor hat, old shoes, and plated buckles. Richard Ellingsworth, born in Yorkshire, about 25 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, of a dark complexion, and pretty well set; had on, an osnabrig shirt, crocus trowsers, old flowered lapelled waistcoat, old felt hat, and good shoes. Richard Thompson, born in the north of England, about 27 years of age, about 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, of a swarthy complexion, and is much pitted with the small-pox; had on, an osnabrig shirt, crocus trowsers, old felt hat, and good shoes with copper buckles. Thomas Hogg, born in Yorkshire, about 25 years of age, about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, and of a swarthy complexion; had on, an osnabrig shirt, black breeches and stockings, an half worn castor hat, and old shoes with copper buckles. Thomas Sutton, a north countryman, about 25 years of age, about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, and of a fair complexion; had on, an osnabrig shirt, canvas trowsers, old castor hat, and good shoes with plated buckles. John Driver, an Englishman, born in Norfolk, about 23 years of age, about 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, and of a dark complexion; had on, an osnabrig shirt, crocus trowsers, old castor hat, old shoes and copper buckles. Whoever takes up the said servants, shall receive, on securing them in any jail, so that their masters get them again, if taken 20 miles from home, 30 shillings for each, and so in proportion for a greater distance, and, if brought home, reasonable travelling charges, paid by HENRY and THOMAS SNOWDEN.

COMMITTED to the jail of Charles county as a runaway, a negro man who calls himself Frank, and says he is the property of William Jetty, of Meclinburg county in Virginia; he is about five feet five inches high, a likely well made young fellow, his face much scarified, particularly his forehead, occasioned, as he says, by his being burnt when a child: Has on and with him, a good osnabrig shirt, a pair of old dived jeans breeches, old shoes and stockings, a felt hat almost new, and a woman's osnabrig petticoat, which he says he took from his sweet-heart by way of a love memorandum. His master is desired to take him away and pay charges, to Wm. HANSON, depy. sheriff.

TO THE PUBLICK. THE DEPUTY COMMISSARY'S GUIDE.

Is now in the Press, and will be speedily published.

IN gratitude to the publick in general, who so generously and extensively subscribed to, and countenanced this my undertaking, I solicited, and readily obtained the favour, from the several gentlemen of the law, in this place, to peruse the performance; they have been so obliging to do it, and as a mark of their approbation, have permitted my publishing the following letter, with their signature.

Mr. Vallette,

WE have perused your manuscript, entitled "The deputy Commissary's Guide," &c. and do much approve of it; we apprehend that performance will be of general utility, and that it well deserves the encouragement of the publick.

We are your's &c.

THO. JENINGS, J. HALL, TH. JOHNSON, jun. SAMUEL CHASE, Wm. PACA, Ja. TILGHMAN, 3d. W. COOKE.

The fundamental principles on which testamentary proceedings depend, being derived from laws, in most cases uncontrollable by any local acts of assembly, the treatise can be little affected, by any future internal regulation. In some few instances, however, the testamentary laws now existing, may, and probably will, soon undergo the revival of the legislature. To amend and correct which eventual alteration or addition, a number of blank leaves will be added to each book, in which, every possessor of a copy may himself enter the proper alteration or addition, agreeable to the advertisements I shall from time to time insert in the Gazette, whenever any such alteration shall take place.

The subscription having increased far beyond what was conjectured, and provision made for, there will remain but a small number of copies to be disposed of: Those therefore, who still chuse to become subscribers, are requested to be speedy in their application, as none but such can have their names printed in the title page.

I am,

The publick's

Devoted servant,

ELIE VALLETTE.

The gentlemen who have been so obliging to take in subscriptions, are requested to send in the original papers by the last day of August, to Their obliged servant, E. V.

LOST, from the brig Betsey, the 23d inst. July, between Poplar and Kent islands, a mofes built long-boat; she is a new boat, painted yellow and blue, has a graven piece in her stern post, and had eight dolphins tails tacked to her stern. The subscriber will give any person forty shillings that will deliver her in Baltimore-Town. RICHARD DAVIES.

Baltimore, July 17, 1773. JUST IMPORTED, And to be sold by the subscriber, on reasonable terms,

DRUGS and medicines, apothecary shop furniture, surgeons instruments, urinals, nipple glasses, and every article in common use among the medical and chirurgical gentlemen. Also painters colours, oils, and utensils, gold leaf, varnish, &c. ALEXANDER STENHOUSE.

Annapolis, July 19, 1773. The subscriber has for sale at his house, the next door above Samuel Chase, Esq;

A SMALL parcel of saddlery, consisting of narrow diaper, and straining webs, fringes of all colours, broad and narrow orrice, steel head-stall and throat buckles, common stirrup irons, plain and silvered staples and plates, also plain and silvered tuft nails, a few thousands of 3d. 2d. and clout tacks; leather bags, double and single girths lined and unlined, bridles, stirrup leathers, cruppers, &c. He likewise makes and repairs ladies and gentlemen hunting and common saddles, &c. Those ladies and gentlemen that please to favour him with their custom, may depend on having their work done in the best and neatest manner, and at the most reasonable rates.

By their humble servant,

WILLIAM JACOB.

ANY Person wanting Searches made in the Rentals for the Western Shore of this Province may apply to J. CLAPHAM.