

POETS CORNER.

On a young lady's making a short visit where the author was.

WHEN first Amynta on these plains appear'd, More lovely than the beams of orient day, I knew no sorrow, and no ill I fear'd; Careless and easy pass'd my hours away.

Amidst the fragrance of the breathing mead, Or by the windings of the sea-beat shore, Calm and serene, I tun'd the vocal reed, Or 'mid the rude cliffs heard old ocean roar.

Nor gentle love, nor friendship's holy flame, Mov'd with their pleasing cares my tranquil breast, Till here the bright, the sweet destroyer came— In fatal hour, and robb'd my soul of rest.

At once beheld, admir'd, rever'd, below'd, For my heart's peace too much, my tender pain, My soft dittrels, heaven saw, with pity mov'd, And call'd the dear one from these fields again.

Ah me! too late its unavailing care! Heaven call'd her hence too late for my repose: What? tho' Amynta be no longer here, My soul is with her, wheresoe'er she goes.

Kent county, Dec. 12, 1773. ELZEVI

FIFTEEN POUNDS REWARD.

May 20, 1773. RAN away from the subscriber's plantation, in Frederick county, on the head of Bennett's creek, on the 17th inst. at night, a convict servant man, named William Flint, about 22 years of age, born in the west of England, a spare slim fellow, about 5 feet 8 inches high, of a swarthy complexion, short black hair, and has lost one of his fore teeth: he had on, and took with him, a white cotton jacket, brown cloth ditto much worn, a pair of leather breeches black and dirty, two white shirts, two pair of stockings and shoes, and a new felt hat; it's possible he may have changed his name and apparel, as he has a sum of money with him.

Whoever takes up the said servant, and brings him either to John Plummer, overseer on the above-said plantation, or to the subscriber living in Anne-Arundel county, near Elk-Ridge church, shall have the above reward for their trouble, besides what the law allows, paid by HENRY RIDGELY.

TO BE SOLD, BY THE SUBSCRIBER,

THREE hundred acres of patent land, and about thirty acres leased land for ninety-nine years, all joined together, lying in Baltimore county, about ten miles from Bush-Town, on the main road that goes from Bush to York-Town, Pennsylvania, about twelve miles from Joppa, and about eighteen from Baltimore-Town; the land is good, and will suit either for farming, or planting tobacco; it is likewise well situated for a tavern or store, as it lies on the main road that all the waggons from the upper mills go to Baltimore-Town, and joins the land of Mr. Abraham Whitaker, where he now lives, who is building and letting lots to several people for keeping taverns and stores; it is well adapted for such business, as it lies in the heart of a settlement where there are large quantities of wheat made, and many merchant mills convenient; there are on the land two small plantations; on one of them a small dwelling house in middling good repair, a good barn, and a large apple orchard of good fruit, and bears well; on the other place there is a middling good large dwelling house in pretty good repair, and other convenient houses, and a small apple orchard of good fruit; there likewise may be made meadow enough to support the place with hay, without much trouble. Any person or persons inclinable to purchase, may see the above land by applying to Mr. Abraham Whitaker, or the subscriber.—Likewise to be sold, a large two story brick dwelling house in the town of Joppa, on a water lot, the house is almost new, has four rooms on a floor, and eight fire places, cellars under the whole, and a neat store made of one of the rooms, which is quite private from the other part of the house, and now rented to Walter Tolley, jun. Esq; Any person inclinable to purchase the aforesaid house and lot, may know the terms by applying to the subscriber living in the fork of Gunpowder, near Joppa. The title of the whole indisputable.

JOHN HAMOND DORSEY.

Annapolis. THE subscriber not having disposed of the lots and houses belonging to John Morton Jordan, Esq; deceased, will either sell or rent the same.—The terms may be known by applying to Mr. Cooke in this city.

WILLIAM BERNARD.

August 13, 1773. RAN away from the subscriber, near Elk Ridge church, the 8th inst. an English convict servant, named Edmund Nunn, about 5 feet 8 inches high, 21 years of age, well made, fair complexion, gray eyes, wears his hair, one of his teeth stands further forward than the others: had on when he went away, an ofnabrig shirt, roll trousers, felt hat, and coarse new shoes: he pretends to know the duties of a sailor, may have changed his name, and forged or otherwise fraudulently obtained a pass.—Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so that he may be had again, shall have if 30 miles from home, three pounds, if out of the province five pounds (including what the law allows) and reasonable charges if brought home.

THOMAS SAPPINGTON.

Who is qualified to teach the following to the visitors of King George's school, in the city of Annapolis, will be taken into consideration. His annual salary shall be certain, and £. 5 currency. He shall be capable of discharging the duties of a schoolmaster. He shall be given £. 30 sterling per annum, and £. 2: 10 currency paid by each year. He shall be given £. 30 sterling per annum, and £. 2: 10 currency paid by each year. He shall be given £. 30 sterling per annum, and £. 2: 10 currency paid by each year. He shall be given £. 30 sterling per annum, and £. 2: 10 currency paid by each year.

Signed by order, JOHN DUCKETT, register.

WANTED. A TANNER who can come well recommended, and as he will meet with good encouragement, none but such need apply. Enquire of the Printers.

JUST IMPORTED. In the Molly and Betsey, Captain Nicholson, 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 NEAT and general assortment of European and East-India goods. WALLACE DAVIDSON and JOHNSON

AMERICAN MAGAZINE. THOSE gentlemen and ladies, who incline to encourage the publication of the Royal American Magazine, are hereby informed, that the subscription papers will be returned to the intended publisher in a few days, in order that he may ascertain the number subscribed for. Subscriptions are taken in by the printers hereof.

N. B. The introduction to the Royal American Magazine (or number I. to be ornamented with two elegant copper-plate prints) will be published on the first day of January next.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

October 10, 1773. RAN away from the subscriber, living near Annapolis, an Irish indentured servant lad, named James Garland, about 18 years old, 5 feet 6 inches high, pretty well made, has short brown hair, fresh complexion, but now pale, having had fevers for some time, and is poek marked: had on, a felt-hat, fearnought jacket, and ofnabrig shirt and trousers.

Whoever takes up and secured the said servant, so that his master gets him again, shall receive, if taken 10 miles from home, forty shillings currency; and if out of the province, the above reward, paid by BRICE T. B. WORTHINGTON.

Annapolis, November 23, 1773. ALL persons indebted to the estate of Walter Dulany, Esq; deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; those indebted by bonds or notes, who cannot comply with the above, are desired to renew without loss of time, as otherwise they will be put in suit. They who have any claims are to bring them in proved as the law directs, to DANIEL DULANY, jun. administrator.

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Annapolis, November 23, 1773. A MAN that understands farming and making meadow, that will undertake the care of 12 hands, and bring proper recommendations of his knowledge and fidelity, may meet with encouragement, by applying to DANIEL of SAINT THOMAS JENIFER.

SCHEME OF A LOTTERY

For raising the sum of five hundred and six pounds five shillings, to be laid out in building a market-house in Chester-Town, and in repairing the town wharf, and erecting ferry stairs for the convenience of the public pailing to and from Queen-Anne's county.

Table with 3 columns: No. of Prizes, Dollars, Dollars. Row 1: 1 - of - 1000 - is - 1000. Row 2: 1 - - - 500 - are - 500. Row 3: 2 - - - 250 - are - 500. Row 4: 4 - - - 100 - are - 400. Row 5: 10 - - - 50 - are - 500. Row 6: 50 - - - 20 - are - 1000. Row 7: 100 - - - 10 - are - 1000. Row 8: 800 - - - 5 - are - 4000.

968 Prizes. 1282 Blanks. 2250 Tickets, at 4 dollars each, are 9000

But a little more than one and a quarter blanks to a prize. Fifteen per cent. to be deducted for the above purposes.

The necessity of repairing the town wharf, and building ferry stairs, for the convenience of the public, will be readily acknowledged—and the ruinous condition of the market-house, must induce every friend to the prosperity of the town or country, not only to wish, but to assist, in having it removed, and a neat and convenient edifice erected in its room. To effect these good purposes the above scheme is offered,—and it is presumed a lottery so favourable to the adventurers, and instituted for such good designs, cannot fail to meet with the favour and patronage of the public.

The drawing is to begin on the 22d day of February next, at the court-house in Chester-town, under the inspection of the following gentlemen, who are appointed managers, and will give bond, and be on oath faithfully to discharge the trust reposed in them; viz. Thomas Smyth, Eleazer M'Comb, Col. Richard Lloyd, John Maxwell, John Voorhees, James Hynson, John Page, Jeremiah Nicols; Thomas Ringgold, William Sluby, jun. and Dr. William Bordley. As soon as the drawing is finished, the fortunate numbers will be published in the Annapolis, Baltimore and Philadelphia news papers, and the Prizes paid by the respective managers who signed the-tickets.

Tickets may be had of the managers, and of Messieurs Gilpin and Jurey of Kent county, of Messieurs Richard Tilghman Earle, & Co. of Mess. Hopper and Kent, and of Mr. Robert Brown, of Queen-Anne's county, of Mr. John Clapham, and Mr. Charles Wallace, at Annapolis, and of Mr. James-Chelton, at Baltimore.

RICHARD BURLAND, TAILOR AND HABITMAKER, FROM LONDON,

LATE foreman to Mr. Robert Pinkney, deceased, takes this method to acquaint the public, that he has opened shop at the house where formerly Mr. Philip Hammond kept store, near the market-house.

He takes this opportunity to assure those ladies and gentlemen who may please to favour him with their custom, that he will make it his constant endeavour, by punctuality, and a strict-attention to business, to merit their lasting approbation. w 5

Annapolis, November 23, 1773. ALL persons who have any demands against the estate of Robert Pinkney, late of this city, deceased, are desired to bring their accounts in legally proved, that they may be adjusted, and all those indebted to the said estate, are desired to make immediate payment, to PRISCILLA PINKNEY, Administrator; JONATHAN PINKNEY, Administrator.

N. B. The times of several valuable Tailors to be disposed of.

Prince-George's county, Nov. 21, 1773. COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway a certain Jacob Tharp, as he says a Jerseyman born, and has been a soldier in Amherst's regiment, is about 39 years old, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, pretty well made, and appears to have had a small cut over his left eye: has on a red lappelled outside jacket with leather buttons, a striped lincey under jacket, a check shirt and a white one under it, ofnabrig trousers, worked hose and a pair of pretty good shoes. His master, if he has one, is desired to pay charges and take him from RALPH FORSTER.