Annapolis, May 31, 1774.

[illegible] Lower Counties of the Lower Counties [illegible] notice, that pursuant to an act of assembly [illegible] province, entitled "An act for emitting bills of [illegible], and applying part thereof," they will open [illegible] office in order to let out upon loan the said bills [illegible] credit to the inhabitants of the several counties, [illegible] to the directions of the said act, on Monday [illegible] 6th day of June next, that is to say — Dollars.

[illegible] the inhabitants of Baltimore county — 15,100
[illegible] of which is, by subsequent acts of assembly, appropriated [illegible]

[illegible] the use of the inhabitants of [illegible] aforesaid county, } 22,733⅓
[illegible] the use of the poor in Baltimore county, } 10,666⅔
[illegible] repairing the roads in said county, } 10,666⅔ — 33,666⅔

Rowan's

[illegible] the inhabitants of Anne-Arundel county, } 25,733⅓
[illegible] appropriated by the act for repairing the roads, } 2000 — 27,733⅓

[illegible] the inhabitants of Frederick county, } 26,933⅓
[illegible] appropriated by the above-mentioned act, } 1000 — 27,933⅓

[illegible] the inhabitants of Prince George's county, — 23,333⅓
[illegible] county, — 20,000
[illegible] county, — 9,333⅓
[illegible] St. Mary's county, — 16,000
[illegible] Queen-Anne's county, — 19,200
[illegible] county, — 18,933⅓
[illegible] county, — 24,933⅓
[illegible] county, — 14,400
[illegible] county, — 14,133⅓
[illegible] county, — 13,333⅓
[illegible] county, — 11,200

May 31, 1774.

JUST IMPORTED,

[illegible] the brig Lenox, from London, and to be sold by the subscribers, at their store on the Dock,

MEN's and womens leather shoes, womens calimanco shoes, childrens red morocco ditto; [illegible] and womens thread, cotton, and silk hose; a few pieces of table, tamed edging, fringe and fringe; full cloth, small coutilage, old red port; porter, [illegible] Gloucester cheese; double and single refined loaf sugar, green ginger, and bohea tea; hair powder, scented and plain; painter's colours, &c. 3w

THOMAS C. WILLIAMS, and Co.

Calvert county, April 16, 1774.

TO be sold at public sale, on Monday the 30th of May next, on the premises, if not before at private sale; the two following tracts of land adjoining, either separate or together, as will best suit, being in the aforesaid county, on the branches of Battle Creek; one called St. James, which by patent contains three hundred acres, some of the land in dispute, which I think can easily be cleared up, whereon is a new dwelling house, 24 by 16, covered with three feet singles, and a wood chimney nearly turned off; a new tobacco-house, 32 by 24 very good, and an orchard of young apple-trees, containing about 200.

The other called Horse Range, containing about 180 acres, whereon are orchards of apple and peaches; a good dwelling house, 20 by 24, with two rooms and a wood chimney, a kitchen and tobacco-house; the above lands will rent for account of infantes to accrue yearly, a parcel of very good wood land belonging to the aforesaid tracts.

Likewise will be sold in the same manner on Wednesday following, either by lots, or the whole, as will best suit, the plantation where I now dwell, lying on St. Leonard's Creek, near the mouth of the said creek; the several tracts or parcels of land, containing by certificate 734 acres, but is thought to contain much more; convenient for fish and oysters, whereon are several tenements; a good meadow ready fenced, and a great quantity more may be easily made, about 300 bearing fruit-trees, some of almost every sort; a dwelling house with five rooms and cellar, two brick chimnies and five places; a good barn, and about 10000 tobacco hills around it, level and good; good kitchen and quarter, and many other convenient houses. Mr. Francis Hutchings, a tenant on one of the tracts on branches of Battle Creek, will shew the lands; and Mr. Daniel Rinehart, jun. a near neighbour, will shew the lands on St. Leonard's Creek; and will treat with any person or persons, for part, or the whole of the lands for sale. JOHN MACKALL.

Prince George's county, April 29, 1774.

COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, an African negro, who calls himself Glasgow, and says he belongs to the Mr. Campbell, in Charles county; his master is desired to pay charges, and take him from RALPH FORSTER, Sheriff.

N. B. Said sheriff proposes selling at the court-house in Upper Marlborough, on Tuesday the 24th of May, three single men, agreeable to an act of assembly for the best relief for their relief.

He has also in prison, a complete blacksmith, and a farmer, who will be glad to engage themselves to any person that will undertake to pay the debts they are confined for, which are not large.

Baltimore county, April 8, 1774.

THERE is at the plantation of George Myers, living on the great road that leads from Baltimore-town, to Hanover, a stray roan mare, branded on the off shoulder thus [illegible], is a natural pacer, and appears to be about three years old. The owner may have her again, on proving property, and paying charges. w3

TO be sold in Prince-George county, five thousand acres of land, lying on Bunkler river, and Green Rock Creek; there are near four hundred acres of low ground on the river. If any persons are inclined to purchase this land, they may have the whole, or any quantity of the said land, by applying to me, w3 CHARLES HUTCHINGS.

PRINCE GEORGE's COUNTY,

NOTTINGHAM RACES,

Are fixed on Wednesday the 11th day of May, (in order to give time to horses, to go from thence to Baltimore,)

WHEN a purse of FIFTY POUNDS, common money will be run for, free for any horse, mare or gelding, on the following terms, viz. horses 4 years old to carry 7, and a half stone, 5 years old 8 stone, 6 years old 8 and a half stone, aged 9 stone, — heats 3 miles each. And,

On Thursday the 12th will be run, for whatever may be subscribed, more than the above £50. and the entrance money of both days, free for any horse, mare or gelding, carrying 9 stone — heats 4 miles each. — Subscribers of £3 may start a horse each day free, and all others to pay 40s. entrance for the £50 purse, and 30s: the second day. Judges to be appointed to determine all disputes that may arise. — To enter for either of the above plates on Monday the 9th instant, between the hours of eleven and one, at Mr. Dorsett's — a pay double entrance at the post.

THE subscribers, patentees of land at the Falls of Ohio, hereby inform the public, that they intend to lay out a town there in the most convenient place; the lots to be eighty feet front, and two hundred and forty deep, the number of lots that shall be laid off at first, will depend on the number of applications; the purchase money of each lot to be four Spanish dollars, and one dollar per annum, quitrents for ever. The purchasers to build on each lot within the space of two years, from the first of next December, a log house not less than sixteen feet square, with a stone or brick chimney, and as in that country it will be necessary the first settlers should build compactly, the improvements must naturally join each other; it is further proposed for the conveniency of the settlers, that an out lot of ten acres, contiguous to the town, shall be laid off for each that desire the same, and that at an easy rent on a long lease. Attendance will be given by the patentees at Pittsburgh, till the middle of June next, at which time one of them will set off from thence to execute the plan. The advantageous situation of that place, formed by nature as a temporary magazine, or repository, to receive the produce of the very extensive and fertile country on the Ohio and its branches, as well as the necessary merchandizes suitable for the inhabitants that shall emigrate into that country, (as boats of fifty tons burthen may be navigated from New Orleans, up to the town) is sufficient to recommend it; but when it is considered how liberal, nay profuse nature has been in stocking it so abundantly, that the slightest industry may supply the most numerous family, with the greatest plenty, and amazing variety, of fish fowl, and flesh; the fertility of the soil, and facility of cultivation, fit it for producing commodities of great value with little labour; the wholesomness of the waters, and serenity of the air, render it healthy; and that when property may be so easily acquired, we may with certainty affirm, that it will in a short time be equalled by few inland places on the American continent.

JOHN CAMPBELL,
April 3d, 1774. JOHN CONNOLLY.

Baltimore-Town, March 12, 1774.

TO be sold, and entered upon in a month if required, a lot of ground, situate in Frederick-street, near Meyer's tan-yard, and between the two lower bridges on Jones's falls; there are 130 feet on the front, 180 feet deep, and 115 feet on the lower front. It is on lease for 99 years, renewable for ever, and subject to a ground rent of only 40l. sterling per annum. About 16 years of the lease are expired; on the front of the lot on Frederick-street, is a large brick dwelling house, wherein the subscriber now lives, 50 feet front, 23 feet deep, two story high, having two parlours, a passage, and stair-case below; four good chambers, three whereof have fire places, and above, two good garrets well finished. There are also adjoining to the said dwelling, a good brick kitchen and landry, with proper chambers for servants; also a brick warehouse, 32 feet by 25, two story and cellar, nearly one half of the front of the lot is yet unimproved, there being only an old log building hath served as a jail, and which may be removed at pleasure. There is an exceeding good garden well inclosed; this lot would suit a distiller, brewer, or sugar-baker; as there is room sufficient for building, and a lane may be opened through the lot from one street to another; what buildings are on this lot are faithfully executed, the brick walls some are 18 inches thick, none less than 14 inches, even to the ridge-pole; the purchaser need lay down but little cash, if any, good security with interest will suffice, and one fourth of the money will be only at four per cent per annum interest; as I am determined at all events, to leave this province, and desirous of settling all my affairs, any person inclinable to purchase, will find me very reasonable in my demand for this lot.

DANIEL CHAMIER.

To be sold at public vendue, on Wednesday the first day of June,

ONE tract of land, called Nutwell's Chance, containing two hundred and ninety-four acres; also one other tract, called Brecknock, adjacent to the above tract, containing one hundred acres; those two tracts are situated on Wye river, lying and being in Queen-Anne's county; also will be sold on the 20th of the said month, one tract called Lloyd's Freshes, patented for one thousand acres, contiguous to Church-Hill in said county; great part of which being capable of making good meadow. Also will be sold on the 22th of the said month, part of a tract of land called Mitchell's Park; containing four hundred acres, lying in Kent county, and is remarkably well timbered. Any person inclinable to purchase, may know the terms and title, by applying to the subscriber,

EDWARD LLOYD.

Queen-Anne's county, April 25, 1774.

MY former advertisement having been misunderstood by some people, I think proper to declare that it was not my intention to desert this country altogether, but only to absent for a while, according to my present peculiar circumstances; I have weighty concerns that will require my attention in the country, and they will soon demand my presence; beside that my connexions, and my attachment to the country will claim me. 4w

CONRAD THEODORE WEDERSTRANDT.

Upper Marlborough, April 21, 1774.

FOR the ease and convenience of the inhabitants of Prince George's county, the subscriber will attend as follows, in order to receive the public and county levies, clergy's dues, lawyers and officers fees; and as this is his last collection, he hopes all persons who have outstanding balances, will come prepared to settle them, as well as this year's charges, which will prevent trouble to themselves, and their humble servant, RALPH FORSTER, Sheriff.

At Nottingham, on Wednesday and Thursday, the 18th and 19th of May. Magruder's warehouse, Friday and Saturday, the 20th and 21st of May. Piscataway, the Friday and Saturday in Whitsun week, the 27th and 28th of May. Broad Creek, on Monday the 30th of May. Bladensburg, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 31st of May, and 1st of June. Baldwin's tavern, Thursday the 2d of June. Queen-Anne, Friday and Saturday, the 3d and 4th of June. And at Upper Marlborough, every day afterwards, till the 10th of June. 3w R F.

Annapolis, April 27, 1774.

LATELY arrived from London, in the ship Spredwell, Capt. William Clark, commander; Joseph Browning, tailor and habit-maker; he presumes to inform those ladies and gentlemen, who will so far condescend as to favour him with their commands, that he will exert his utmost abilities, and doubts not but he shall have the happiness to give entire satisfaction, to all who will do him the honour of employing him; he has lodgings at present, at Mr. Thomas Hincks's, but hopes very soon to be differently situated; in the mean time will esteem it as the greatest obligation, to be permitted to wait on any lady or gentleman at their respective houses; he humbly hopes he shall not be ungrateful for the smallest order he may receive, but is determined (if God permits) to dispatch it with the utmost expedition and fidelity. w3

April 20, 1774.

FIFTEEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away last night, an indented servant man, named Festus Burke; twenty-two years of age, about five feet eight inches high, wears his own light sandy coloured hair, tied; had on when he went away, a half worn blue duffel jacket with sleeves; white linen shirt, leather breeches, a pair of pretty good shoes, fold thread stockings, and an old castor hat; he likewise had on an iron collar, but I imagine he will soon get it off; he writes a pretty good hand, may likely forge a pass, and change his apparel. Whoever takes up the said servant, and delivers him to the subscriber in George Town, shall receive three pounds reward; if taken above twenty miles from home, five pounds; if forty miles, ten pounds; and if sixty miles, or upwards, the above reward. w3

WILLIAM DEAKINS, Junior.

Baltimore-Town, April 1774.

TO be sold by the subscriber, a valuable tract of land called the Adventure, formerly belonging to Corbin Lee, Esq; containing 1000 acres, lying on the great Falls of Gunpowder, about 13 miles from Baltimore Town, six miles from Joppa, 2 and a half from the Nottingham Forges, within 4 and 5 miles of several merchant mills; the improvements consist of a large elegant brick house 65 by 45, two story high, four rooms on a floor, with a large passage, the cellar dry and good, the inside work of the house not finished; a large stone kitchen 40 by 30, two story high, compleatly finished; a store house 35 by 22, two story high; a framed house two story, 25 by 22, with a piazza well finished; a garden of three acres with a pleasant summer house; a large frame barn with brick stables underneath, and sundry other convenient out houses; there are about 350 acres of land cleared and under good fence, about 70 acres in wheat. This tract is pleasantly situated in a healthy country, and the whole commands an extensive prospect of the country and Bay, and from its vicinity to the iron works, the wood of which there is a large quantity, will find a ready sale; The soil is remarkable good, and abounds with locust, poplars, hickory, white oak, and black walnut; it is well watered, and 70 acres of good watered meadow may be made at a small expence; it is contiguous to an extensive range of 10 or 12 miles circuit of uncultivated land, from whence any number of cattle may be raised; the main branch of the river Gunpowder runs through the tract forming a very fine mill seat. The valuable improvements on this land, with the goodness of the soil, render it a convenient seat, either for a gentleman, miller or farmer; time will be given for the payment of 2 thirds of the purchase money, on giving bond on interest, with security if required. w5

ARCHIBALD BUCHANAN.

April 11th, 1774.

TO be sold at public vendue, on Tuesday the 17th day of May next, at Benedict town, the plantation whereon the subscriber now lives, containing about 600 acres of land, and is situated within a mile of Patuxent River, and about three miles of Benedict; the land is as well, if not better timbered, than any within a considerable distance of that place; exceedingly rich and well calculated for making fine tobacco, or farming; the title is indisputable, and the land will be shewn to any one who has a mind to purchase, any time betwixt this and the day of sale; those who have a mind to purchase, shall be made fully acquainted with the terms on the day of sale. w3

TRUMAN GREENFIELD.

London Town, April the 12th, 1774.

THIS is to inform the public, and my old customers in particular, that I still continue to carry on the staymaking business in all its branches; as I have furnished my self with the best materials for that purpose, those ladies that choose to favour me with their custom, may depend upon being served in the neatest and best manner, and on the shortest notice; by the public's humble servant,

ELIZABETH FERGUSON.

N. B. She also keeps good entertainment for man and horse. tf

Chester Town, April 8, 1774.

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

ESCAPED out of the jail in Baltimore Town, on the 6th day of April 1772, a negro man, named Isaac, calls himself Isaac Wallace, about 32 or 33 years of age, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, a slim made fellow; had on when put into jail, a woollen cloth cap, turned up with furr, a light blue jacket, blue woollen trousers, a pair of black leather shoes, with plated buckles, he can write a good hand, understands arithmetick; it is supposed he was carried off by some vessel that sailed about that time from said town for London, as he has since been seen in that city. Whoever will give information thereof to the subscriber, shall, on the master of said vessel being convicted of the same, receive the above reward, from

6 m JOHN BOLTON.

April 14, 1774.

TO be sold all together, pursuant to the last will and testament of doctor William Wheland, late of Dorchester county, deceased, the following tracts and parcels of land, situate in the said county, near the mouth of Trenquaquing River; viz: Middleton in the Oaks, 224 acres; Cold or Cool-Spring, 260 acres more or less; addition to Cool-Spring, 51 acres more or less; Part of Marsh-Range, 318 acres more or less; part of Middleton's Grange, supposed to contain 10 acres, and Hard Putt, 836 acres more or less. Most of these lands are adjoining, and form a valuable body of up-land and marsh, containing as it is thought, some surplus. The improvements are two plantations containing about 120 acres; on one of which are, a framed dwelling-house with a brick chimney, two framed barns and other out houses; also bearing orchards, and large nurseries of apple-trees and peach-trees. Levi Oram who lives on the premises, or William White who lives near, will shew the same, and Jane Wheland, widow of the testator, dwelling at Vienna, will exhibit the title papers and plots, together with a copy of the will to such as may apply.

The said will directs, that this advertisement be inserted eight successive weeks in the Maryland gazette; that those who incline to purchase, do deliver their respective bids in writing to one or more of us, and that the lands be by us conveyed to him, or her, who shall in that manner bid most within six months after the date of the last gazette, containing such advertisement, he or she having first paid the purchase money, or secured it to be paid to our satisfaction.

We have appointed Friday the 2d day of December next, for closing the sale at the house of Joseph M'Clemmy in Vienna aforesaid; and on the same day we shall, if we conveniently can (on receiving satisfaction as aforesaid) execute to the purchaser, a deed for the lands with special warranty, as ordered by the will: the sale to be in common money, and the lands entered on by the purchaser the first day of January next.

HENRY STEELE,
JOHN HENRY,
EPHRAIM KING, } Trustees for the Sale.

JOHN Bolton's stage waggon continues to ply from Chester Town, to New Castle and Rock Hall, as usual; she sets out from Chester Town every Monday morning, and gets to New Castle on Tuesday, where there is a commodious stage boat takes in the passengers, and proceeds directly for Philadelphia, and arrives there on Wednesday, at the Crooked Billet Wharf; the boat leaves Philadelphia on Sunday, and returns to New Castle on Monday; the waggon leaves New Castle on Tuesday afternoon, or Wednesday, and returns to Chester Town on Thursday; on Friday she proceeds to Rock Hall, and returns to Chester Town on Saturday.

The rate is for passengers in the waggon from Rock Hall to New Castle, 15s; from Chester Town to ditto, 12s 6d; for luggage from Rock Hall to New Castle, 1s 6d per square foot; and from Chester Town, 1s 3d per square foot, if it does not exceed 20lb. weight, if it does, 7s 6d per hundred pounds from Rock Hall, and 6s 3d per hundred from Chester Town. Freight in the New Castle stage boat to Philadelphia, 12s per hundred; passengers pay 2s for their passage from New Castle to Philadelphia, and so back; single letters are carefully delivered to the persons directed, at 3d a piece, double at 6d, packets at 1s each. 6 m

BAY BOLTON, a full blooded HUNTER, WILL stand this next season at Torthorald, my plantation, about half way between Alexandria in Virginia and George-Town in Maryland, the place he stood at last year, and will cover Mares on the same terms, at one guinea the leap and five shillings to the groom, or two guineas the season and ten shillings to the groom. — I think it needless to describe him, as so many good judges have seen him, and agree he is the compleatest horse that has been imported for this country; he is in much better order this year than he was last, and is grown. — Those who choose to go by the season may depend on good pasture and great care, but I will not be answerable for any mares that may be lost. Last season we had twenty-odd mares at a time, some staid near a month, none were lost or hurt, and all returned in better order than when they came. — The money will be expected, when the mares are taken away, by

w6 JOHN CARLYLE.