

WANTED by the commissioners or trustees for the poor of Anne Arundel county, 450 bolts of color or locust to square seven inches, and 9 feet long; also rails of white oak or yellow poplar, 3 by 4 inches, and to be 20 feet long. Whoever will supply the above articles, are desired to apply to Mr. Nathan Hammond, one of the trustees.

Caroline county, January 24, 1775. THE commissioners appointed for building a court-house and jail in the above county, intend to meet at Melvill's warehouse, on the first day of March next, to agree with any person or persons, that will undertake to erect the said buildings.

Annapolis, January 23, 1774. To be sold by the subscriber, on very reasonable terms, all the medicines and shop furniture, belonging to the estate of the late Dr. Shaw; twelve months, or two years credit will be given to the purchaser, on giving bond, with security, if required, by RUTH SHAW.

N. B. To be sold, or hired, a likely young negro woman.

BADGER, WILL cover mares this season, at Mr. Anthony Stewart's plantation, at the Rope-walk, near Annapolis, at five pence currency each mare, and a dollar to the groom. Badger is a fine dapple gray, 25 hands one inch high, very boney and handsome, imported in 1773, bred by Mr. Willman, and got by Lord C. Irworth's B. thorough, who had seven king's plates; his dam by O'hell, commonly called Black and all Black, which beat Lord March's Bijezet over Kildare course in Ireland, his grand-dam by the Duke of Devonshire's Flying Childers.

Badger was fifty pounds at Gilford, and got lam'd at Epfom; all the times he has started. The money for each mare to be paid at the time of covering. if JOHN CRAGGS.

N. B. Good grass for mares at two shillings and sixpence per week. No mares lost out of the pasture will be accounted for.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, A MAN who has been used to driving a wagg'n and taking care of horses, such a one who can come well recommended for his honesty, sobriety and industry, will meet with good wages by the month or year, by applying to the subscriber, living about four miles from Simson's tavern, in the Upper part of Anne Arundel county, Maryland. REUBEN MERIWETHER.

Annapolis, February 24, 1775. To be sold, a likely young country-born negro weaver, about 25 years of age. For terms apply to WILLIAM NOKE.

Annapolis, February 23, 1775. To be sold by the subscriber, a genteel and agreeable round spinner. RICHARD TOOTELL.

SCHOOLMASTER that can come well recommended, will meet with encouragement, on application to SAM SNOWDEN.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD. STOLEN from the subscriber, living on the head of South river, near Annapolis, a black horse, about 14 hands and 1 inch high, with a blaze face, one hind foot white, with a very thick neck, high creck, paces slow and very easy, he is branded with a woman's stirrup, there is some gray hairs under his belly near his sheath, and some saddle spots; he is supposed to be carried into Charles or St. Mary's county, he was stolen the 25th instant. Whoever delivers the said horse to the subscriber, shall have twenty shillings reward if ten miles from home; if a greater distance, three pounds, and forty shillings for apprehending the thief if convicted. WILLIAM ST. LAWRENCE.

February 14, 1775. RAN away from the subscriber, the first instant, a black horse, about fourteen hands high, branded on the shoulder and huttock with the letter W, he has some white spots on his back, occasioned by the saddle, trot, and gallops hard. Whoever will bring the said horse to the subscriber, living near Benedict town, on Patuxent river, shall receive a reward of six dollars. HENRY TURMAN.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in St. Mary's county, Maryland, on the 1st day of January last, a negro man slave named Jesse, he sometimes calls himself Jos Cillins; 23 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, by trade a house-carpenter and joiner; I have reason to believe that he is gone up to Culpeper county, in Virginia, in company with a mulatto man, named Tom, belonging to Mr. James Jordan; he had on, and took with him a cotton jacket and breeches, olive-brig shirt, felt hat, white stockings, and a pair of country shoes. Whoever secures the said negro so that I may see him again, shall receive eight dollars reward, and if brought home, reasonable charges paid, by CLEMENT GARDINER.

THE property of Harry Dorsey Gough, hands at Perry Hill, Baltimore county, where he will cover two guineas the season, he is only to go to white mares; therefore those that send will find a better chance of a colt than in the common way; this horse never was backed, and it is intended never shall, but kept on purpose for covering, he is five years old this spring, handsome, and upwards of fifteen hands high, and out of a remarkable fine English dray mare, therefore he is what they call in England the coach horse; from this strain out of light mares, they breed those noble horses called hunters, which is preferred to any in Great Britain, for either strength, carriage, or saddle.

COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, negro Dick, who says he belongs to Mrs. Elizabeth Akew, near Bryan town. His mistress is desired to pay charges, and take him from FRANK LEEKE, sheriff.

To be sold by way of public vendue, on Saturday the 25th of March next, at the house of Richard Peacock, in Kent county,

EIGHT hundred acres of exceeding good land, lying on the north side of Chatham, in Kent county; the soil is remarkably good for wheat, corn, or tobacco; on said premises are two tenements and two good apple orchards, and about fifteen acres of exceeding good meadow ground, fit to be put into grass in the spring, and 30 acres more may be easily made as good as any in the county; an extraordinary good fishery may be easily cleared, where plenty of shad may be caught every spring. The whole of the place is so well watered, that in every field of 50 acres, good water may be had. Any person or persons that may incline to purchase said lands, may be shewed the premises by the subscribers any day before the sale. The sale to begin at twelve o'clock on said day, and the terms made known. A good title will be made for the same.

N. B. The above lands may be divided into two or three parcels, by JAMES PEARCE, GEORGE FALCONER, TH. BROWNING.

January 16, 1775. RAN away from the subscriber, living in St. Mary's county, Maryland, on the 4th of November last, a mulatto man slave, named Tom, about fifty years of age, five feet nine or ten inches high, by trade a carpenter and cooper; he formerly did belong to Philip Key, Esq; at which time he resided chiefly at Brant's creek, and it is supposed that he is now harboured somewhere in that neighbourhood; one of his knees is twisted, which causes him to limp. He has lost the fore finger of his left hand, it was cut off some years ago; had with him many good cloaths of different sorts, and a set of carpenter's tools; he is an artful deceitful villain, and may endeavour to pass for a free man. Whoever secures him in such a manner that I may have him again, shall receive six dollars reward, and if brought home, reasonable charges paid, by JAMES JORDAN.

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In a few weeks will be published by W. Aikman, in 4 handsome vols. 12mo. price 24s. bound; Lord Chesterfield's letters to his son, on the art of pleasing. 3 w.

Prince George's county, February 8, 1775. COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, an Irish woman, who says her name is Ally Henry, and that she is a free woman, and was on her way to Hog Island, in Virginia, where she says she has two brothers, named Arthur and John Henry; she is a short thick woman, about 4 feet 8 inches high, light brown hair, fresh complexion, her right eye much hurt (as she says by the small pox) and it appears so, and some pock-pits in her face; she has on an old black tammie or stuff gown, an old dark brown camblet petticoat, light coloured worsted hose, and a pair of black calimanco shoes much worn, a white Barcelona handkerchief, and a white chip hat with white ribbon round the crown of it; she has a bundle with her of sundry other women's small cloaths. Amongst which was found a letter signed Dominick Hughs, directed to Alexander McDonald, near Dunganan, in Ireland; giving an account of the said Hughs, his arrival at Philadelphia, and that he lived with Isaac Keary (perhaps Carey) in Mondam, or Moridam town in the said New Jersey. Her master (if she has one) is desired to pay charges, and take her from FRANK LEEKE, sheriff.

FOR SALE, THE following tracts of land, lying in Worcester county, in the province of Maryland, viz. the tract called Adventure, containing 338 acres, in the branch, known by the name of Johnson's hill, on the river; containing 210 acres, lying on Potomac river; they will be sold for sterling or current money. The title indisputable. For terms apply to WILLIAM T. WOODMAN.

N. B. Time will be given for payment of the great part of the purchase money if required.

Calvert county, January 10, 1775. RAN away from the subscriber the 10th instant, a negro fellow named Jeffery, of a yellow complexion, has an impediment in his speech, aged about 20 years, about 5 feet 2 or 3 inches high, had on an olive-brig shirt, green Welsh cotton jacket and breeches, a pair of English yarn stockings, country shoes made with iron, he may change his dress having other cloaths near Hunting-town, in the aforesaid county, or secure him in any manner so that he can be had again, shall receive five pounds reward, and if taken 40 miles from home, twenty dollars. JOSEPH IRLAND.

N. B. All masters of vessels are hereby warned at their peril not to carry the said negro off.

THERE is at the plantation of Richard Stewart near John Bealls, taken up as a stray, a foal horse, about 2 and a half hands high, and about 2 years old, has not any brand; has a ball face, and his off hind foot white. The owner may have him again, on proving his property, and paying charges.

BAY BOLTON, A FULL blooded hunter, seven years old last June, will stand this next season at Torcharold my plantation, about half way between Alexandria, Virginia, and George-town in Maryland; (the place he stood the two seasons past) and will cover mares on the same terms; at one guinea the season, 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 he is so generally liked by all that have seen him, his colts have turned out so very fine, that several have been sold at one month old for one hundred dollars; if the weather is good, I will send him to Prince George's March court.

Those who send mares any distance, may depend on good pasture and great care, but I will not be answerable for any mares that may be lost. The money will be expected when the mares are taken away. JOHN CARLYLE.

N. B. I will sell my horse after this season if I am offered my price, and credit will be given for the money on giving bond, &c.

Post Office, Annapolis, Sept 3d, 1775. NOTICE is hereby given, that a rider will set off from this office every Monday morning at nine o'clock for Baltimore, where he meets the mails from the northward, and will return early on Tuesday. And on Friday, the mails from the northward and southward come in as usual, and are dispatched the same evening.

ANTHONY STEWART, D. P. M.

LOST on Sunday night the 25th December, in the bay, between the Three Sisters and Kent point, a small sloop, about 18 feet long, rowed very well, outside and bottom painted white, the inside and seats painted white also; one of the fore-stays has a small spot burnt on the upper part of it; she has five row-locks, four of which rows double on occasion; had fastened to her stern an iron chain about 15 feet long, and a short piece of 1 1/2 inch tow rope; it is supposed she drove ashore between Sharp and Lowe island, the wind being N. W. at the time she broke away. Whoever takes up the said sloop, and brings her to Mr. Richard Grafon on mouth of Wye river, or to Col. Edward Lloyd in Annapolis, or to me the subscriber, shall have 40 shillings reward.

BENJAMIN ROBERTS.

Fell's point, January 9, 1775. THE subscriber having removed from Annapolis, to Fell's point, near Baltimore town, takes this method of informing his former customers and the public in general, that he carries on the business of splicing in all its branches, as also the making of collars, on the most reasonable terms, and quickest dispatch; having furnished himself with sufficient workmen and a convenient loft for the business at Captain M'Gachan's store, opposite to Mr. Newton's on said point. All gentlemen who please to favour him with their custom, may depend on having their work done in the best manner, as he will make it his study to give general satisfaction to all his employers.

WILLIAM JOHNSON.

Annapolis, December 7, 1774. TO be sold, or rented, the lot and improvements thereon where Patrick Touhy lately lived in this city; consisting of a dwelling-house, brew-house, and other conveniences, all adjoining to the water; in the brew-house there are a large copper-boiler and distil with a malt-kiln. For terms, apply to JAMES DICK and STEWART, and ROBERT COUDEN.

George-town, on Potowmack, December 27, 1774. THE manufactory of snuff of various sorts is now carried on by me at this place, where I can furnish it by retail, or wholesale, at reasonable rates. I have also manufactured tobacco for sale, viz. bag and factory, and shall shortly begin and continue to manufacture it in all the different forms, if I receive proper encouragement. Orders from persons at a distance will be duly attended to, either by myself, or Mr. Joseph Birch, and I will give ready money, or focus for empty snuff bottles delivered here.

RICHARD THOMPSON.

N. B. I will now lay, and with some degree of confidence, that at present I have by me, (and shall continue to make) as good snuff as is manufactured in the world.