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riens never be obliged again to take up arms but against a foreign foe. We hope that the union, which has so remarkably taken place throughout the American colonies, may acquire, if possible, greater firmness by this unjustifiable, inhuman, murderous attack upon our countrymen; for, upon an universal firmly cemented union of the American colonies, under God, depends the salvation and establishment of American liberty. I am, in behalf of the committee of correspondence for the town of Newport, Gentlemen, your and America's sincere friend.

WILLIAM BILERY. To the committee of correspondence in the city of Philadelphia. In committee, Philadelphia, May 1, 1775, received per capt. Whitman this day, and forwarded to Annapolis. J. B. SMITH, Sec. of committee.

CUSTOM HOUSE ENTERED. Ship Hercules, John Norwood, Dublin. Ship Baltimore Packet, Alexander Kennedy, London. Brig Joseph, Joseph Thompson, Poole. Brig Jane, Peter Templeton, London. Snow Elizabeth, James Smyth, London. Brig Maryland Merchant, T. Nicholson, London. Brig Amy, Thomas Almon, Amsterdam. Schooner Sally and Polly, N. Freeman, Jamaica. Brig Autumn, James Campbell, New York. Sloop Two Sisters, J. Oakman, Salem. Brig ally Van, Richard A. King, Jamaica. Schooner Ninety-Two, Isaiah Stetson, Salem.

CLEARED. Schooner Three Prothers, David Smith, Nova-Scotia. Brig Mary Carroll, David Simmons, Dublin. Schooner Betty, Thomas Slater, Dartmouth. Ship Peggy, William Burrow, Cork. Brig Wren, Thomas Wood, London. Ship industry, Arthur Barnes, Bristol. Schooner Ninety-two, Isaiah Stetson, Bristol.

To be sold to the highest bidder, on Thursday the 8th day of June next, on the premises.

THREE hundred and seventy-three 1/2 acres of valuable land, abounding with plenty of wood and excellent timber, lying near Lower Marlborough, in Calvert county, about two miles from Patuxent river, where there is an extraordinary landing for catching fish; about 1/2 miles from a good merchant mill, and also within 3 miles of Thomas John Cagget's church, and 4 miles from Humm's town. On the said land there is three different settlements; on one of them there is a good dwelling house, kitchen, quarter, corn-house, stable, and a new barn 40 by 24 feet, double ground-ward, framed and shingled in the best manner, a good paved garden, and a good apple orchard of excellent fruit all in good repair. On another settlement, there is a good dwelling-house, and tobacco house, and a fine young orchard of exceeding good fruit; there is also about 6 acres of meadow land under a good ditch and fence, and so acres more may be added to it, equally as good. And on the other settlement, there is a dwelling-house and corn-house, with about four acres of meadow land cleared, to which may be added about 6 acres more. The above land and improvements will be sold, either altogether or in lots, as may best suit the purchaser. The land will be shown, the terms made known to those who incline to purchase privately, and an undoubted title to the said land and premises, made by the subscriber.

Those who are inclinable to purchase privately, are desired to apply soon, as there has been several offers made already. Liberty will be given to the purchaser to sow small grain his fall, and possession given the 25th day of December next. JOHN CASTURN, grower.

OF THE HELLO. NOW rising four years old, will cover this season, at Belmont, near Chichester, in Virginia, at four pistols, and a dollar to the groom. This high bred horse was got by Earnought, his dam by Traveller, his grand dam by Fox, and his great grand dam by Lord Portmore's noted horse Regulus. Good care will be taken of the mare; sent to him, but will not be liable for any that may get off. The money will be expected when the mare is brought, by 3 w. JOHN CASTURN, grower.

TAKEN up on the 1st of April, in Patuxent river, a cunch named Boat, about 20 feet long, with a woman's cheek on the side, and a dog's head on the bottom. Whoever owns the said boat, may have her again, on proving his property, and paying charges, to James Fox, living on Patuxent river, near the Bodkin. 17 1/2 w.

TAKEN out of the subscriber's pasture on Monday the 17th of April last, a dark bay horse, about 16 hands high, eight years old, shod before, down in skin, and has a small sore on his back. I do suppose he was taken by some negro. Any person that will bring him to the subscriber, shall be paid one dollar for their trouble. 3 w. WILLIAM HALL, jr.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in St. Mary's county, Maryland, on the 1st day of January last, a negro man, named John Collins, 23 years of age, about 5 feet high, by trade a house carpenter, and joined; he was taken up at Broad-creek in Prince George's county, on the 16th day of April last, and his name was Stephen Calvert, and got away from the person that took him up, and is full likely, he may change his name again. The clothing he had on then was a white waistcoat and breeches, and old blue coat; he has over his left eye a small mark, he is also very fond of gaming, and very artful in all his proceedings. Whoever secures the said negro so that I may get him again, shall receive a reward of twenty dollars, and if brought home reasonable charges paid, by CLEMENS GARDNER.

To be sold at public vendue, on the 15th day of May next, on the premises.

A TRACT of land situated in Frederick county, on the head of Seneca, containing 512 acres, whereon is a plantation of about 50 acres, on which is several valuable improvements, and in very good repair, with a good deal of land that may be made into meadow, is an extraordinary range for stock of every kind, and commands an excellent stand for a view on the main road from Annapolis, and Elk Ridge to Frederick town, the title indisputable, and may be enjoyed on the 1st of December next. Time will be given for part of the purchase money, paying interest. Further terms will be made known on the day of sale, by THOMAS MILES ROBERTS.

N. B. There is a fine young apple orchard on the premises.

Wicomico creek, Somerset county, April 11, 1775. BROKE jail in the night of Tuesday, or early on Wednesday morning the 13th instant, the three following men, committed for debt, viz. Isaac O'Leary, about 5 feet 7 of 8 inches high, of a fair complexion, short dark curled hair, and aged 27 years, has had a sore on his left leg lately cured, the marks of which are evident to be seen, and has now a sore mouth, two of his fore teeth are very much decayed, is slim built, and stoops when he walks; pretenses to several branches of business, such as the creaking, carpenter's work, tending of law mules, as also the farmer's business. As he is tolerable ingenious, and what he craves, it is very probable he may have forged passes for himself and companions, and changed their names, as he writes a tolerable hand, lived about 18 months ago in Kent county, on Delaware, to which place it is probable he may be again gone, had on and carried with him, a pale blue mixed German serge coat, cut in the fashion, black velvet jacket with black glass buttons, white Russia drill breeches, grey country made worked stockings, one pair of shoes just soled with large plated buckles, a calico hat hair wore, as also two check and one white linnen shirts, one pair of brown thread stockings, two pair of flabrig trousers, a light coloured Wilton jacket that has been turned, and a pair of old green linnen breeches, patched in several places.

Levin Taylor, by trade a tailor, about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, of a pale complexion, short dark curled hair, and aged about 29 years, has had both his legs sore lately, stoops a little as he walks, (but not so much as Green) is fond of liquor and taking snuff, and apt to get drunk when in his power; is a tolerable good workman at his business though but slow, and served his time at Cambridge, in Dorchester county, to one Ready, had on and carried away with him, a coarse light blue broad cloth coat, patched on the sleeve, with pieces of a higher colour, a black and red spotted swankin double breasted jacket with white metal buttons, brown German serge breeches, grey worked stockings, and iron dunnings prettily much worn, with old patche k buckles, a tan hat bound calico hat, one white linnen shirt, a pair of old Russia drill breeches, a pair of German serge breeches of a light colour, and a new flabrig coat blue colour.

Levi Harrison, by trade a shoemaker, about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, well set, of a fresh complexion, fair hair tied behind, is clothed with fine eye, and aged about 23 or 24 years; he formerly lived at Salisbury, on Wicomico river, served his time at or near Snow-hill, where his tea is mostly live, and is a remarkable good workman; had on and carried with him, a coarse brown broad cloth coat, jacket of a light colour, blue cloth breeches, worked stockings, a pair of shoes pretty much worn, pinchock buckles, and a Philadelphia made calico hat, and pretty much worn; as also sundry more cloaths, and whether he carries his tools with him I know not, but is probable he will. Whoever secures the said runaway, or either of them in any of the Majesty's jails, and contrives notice to the subscriber, shall receive three pounds if taken in the province, and if out of the province, and a reasonable charge allowed if brought home, paid by J. DAHLGREN, Sheriff.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in Anne Arundel county, near King's point, negro Jen, about 25 years of age, a yellow fellow, how legged, had on when he went away, a brown duggert waistcoat, blue cloth breeches, and yarn stockings; he carried sundry other cloaths with him, and may change his apparel. Whoever will secure the said negro in any jail, shall receive a reward of thirty shillings, and reasonable charges if brought home, paid by MARY DRURY.

Just imported from Barbados, in the schooner Hannah, Capt. Russell.

A FEW small casks of the very best old cane spirit, which are to be sold at my store, on reasonable terms, for ready money. THO. BROOKE HODGKIN.

Annapolis, April 15, 1775. Just imported from Bristol, in the ship Olive Branch, Capt. Paine in.

A PARCEL of indentured servants, amongst whom are several tradesmen, whose indentures are to be disposed of, by THO. BROOKE HODGKIN.

B. D. G. R.

WILL cover this season, at Mr. Anthony Stewart's plantation, at the Ripe-walk, near Annapolis, at five pound currency each mare, and a dollar to the groom. Badger is a fine dapple gray, 13 hands one inch high, very boney and handsome, imported in 1773, bred by Mr. Wildman, and got by Lord C. Byrd's, Bathurst's, and was on the king's plates, his dam by O'Connell, commonly called Black and all Black, which beat Lord March's Bajazet over Kildare, course in Ireland; his grand dam by the Duke of Devonshire's Flying Childers. Badger was fifty pounds at Childers, and got lam'd at Exptom; all the times he has served. The money for each mare to be paid at the time of covering, by JOHN CRAGG.

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

GEORGE WATSON.

ABOVE thirty years ago, a weaver-to-trade, son of George Watson, blacksmith in Town-head of Bervie, in the shire of Kintardine, North-Britain. Was about 25 years of age, when he left home and went to Maryland. His friends by different informations understood he carried on a manufactory at Annapolis in the weaving branch.

If said George Watson is yet alive, and meets or hears of this advertisement, he will be obliged to do nothing greatly to his advantage, by applying to Robert Baices in Norfolk, or to the publishers hereof.

Annapolis, April 20, 1775. THE subscriber has upon hand about seven hundred pounds worth of goods, which he will dispose of upon exceeding low terms. ROBERT BUCHANAN.

FOUND between Keit point and Poplar Island in office, an anchor about 400 weight. The owner may have it, proving property, paying charges and salvage, by applying to Mr. Patrick Graham, in Port-Tobacco, Charles county. EX WS

WAS taken up by Richard Bennett Lloyd's negroes, at Woten point, some time this winter, a small bay, 17 feet black, freight rabbit, white bottom, the first break keel, the upper break red; 4 row locks; 2 oars, a sprit sail, and has an iron chain to her. EX WS

ON the 26th of last month, parted an anchor near Kent point, in three or four fathom water, an anchor about four cwt. the stock bound with four rings, supposed to be left with about fourteen fathoms of cable; the buoy made of cedar, painted red, and flung, and about eight fathom of a 1/2 inch buoy rope. It is strongly presumed that a boat belonging to St. Mary's, on Patowmack, has taken up this anchor. Whoever has it, are requested either to advertise, or carry it to C. L. Edward Lloyd, on Wye river, or to the subscriber in Annapolis, who will pay a reasonable charge for his or their trouble. EX WS A. BRYAN.

TO be sold by the subscriber, one lot of ground in George town, where in a several good buildings. Any person inclinable to purchase, may know the terms, by applying to Mr. William Deakins, Jun. in George town, or the subscriber on Captain Jann, Frederick county. EX WS ALEXANDER OFFUTT.

TO be sold by the subscribers, two ready moneys, at Upper Marlborough, on Monday the fifteen day of May next, if fair, if not, on the next fair day. ABOUT twenty country-born negroes, amongst which are several young meriting women, boys and girls, from eight to fifteen years of age. The sale to begin at 12 o'clock. EX WS PHILIP CLARKE, GEO. M'CLARKE, ROGER CLARKE.

N. B. London bills will be taken at the current exchange.

To be sold at public sale, to the highest bidder on the premises, the sixth day of June next.

TWO hundred and fifty acres of land in Frederick county, Maryland, lying about five miles from George-town, where there is a good plantation well improved, with necessary buildings for a house or farm, an exceeding good apple orchard, and good marsh for meadows, the land is well timbered and rich, suitable for planting or farming; the purchaser will have liberty to sow a crop of fall grain soon as he may choose; possession will be given the first day of December next. Six months credit will be given for one half the purchase money, and twelve months for the other half, on giving bond with good security. EX WS P. DANIEL SLICER.

FORTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away from the subscriber, on Tuesday night last, two servant men, viz. Thomas Shear, a junior, born in Barbados, about 20 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, slender make, and a reddish face; he has short sandy coloured hair, light eyes, or rather blue eyes, a little pink marked, and freckled; he took with him a coat, waistcoat, and breeches, of light coloured stuff, with black horn buttons; another light coloured cloth waistcoat, (I believe a little tarred) old leather breeches, black and offshooting shoes, a pair of new made yarn hose, a pair of old ribbed shoes, a new pair of offshooting shoes, and a felt hat but little worn.

William Webster, born in Scotland, and talks broad, about 5 feet 6 inches high, 30 years of age, well made, with high brown hair, (short) and a round face; he took with him an olive coloured coat, pretty much worn, with black horn buttons; a duffel with black breeches (from the same cloth of 6 shillings) new flabrig trousers, check and offshooting shoes. Whoever apprehends the said servants, and delivers them at my dwelling-house in Fairfax county, shall receive the above reward, of twenty dollars for each, from W. S. WASHINGTON.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in Calvert county, at Lower Marlborough, a black negro girl, named Mary, about sixteen or seventeen years of age, had on when she went away, a black quilted petticoat lined with green, a blue waistcoat with green sleeves; also took with her, a Spanish cotton petticoat and a calico waistcoat, both of a dark brown complexion, very neat in conversation; it is supposed that she is gone to the Eastern shore, with her mother, who had with her a young child, and is a free woman; she above mentioned, Mary is also free at the expiration of the age of thirty one. Whoever takes up the said Mary, or secures her so that the subscriber may get her again, shall be entitled to a reward of three pounds if taken on the Western shore, if on the Eastern shore the above reward, and reasonable charges paid by ANN YOUNG.