July 29, 1776.

THIS is to give notice, that on the 12th day of August next, I shall expose to public sale the personal estate of Mr. James Maccubbin, at his late dwelling plantation, for ready money; consisting of negroes, cattle, hogs, horses, houshold furniture and plantation utensils, and whatever remains in my hands at that time, for I am determined not to run the risk of the said estate any longer. Should the 12th of August prove rainy, the sale will be put off to the next fair day, and continued from day to day till all is sold.

WILLIAM WOODWARD, admr.

Annapolis, July 23, 1776.

RAN away from the subscriber, a servant man named JOHN JAMES, born in Wales, by trade a tailor, about five feet six inches high; had on a light coloured Witton coat without lining, a blue cloth waistcoat, Russia drab breeches, good shoes and stockings, good hat, and country linen shirt. Whoever takes up the said servant so that his master may get him again shall receive ten shillings reward, paid by

JOHN CAMPBELL.

THIRTY SHILLINGS REWARD.

Bladensburg, July 25, 1776.

RAN away from the subscriber, on Sunday evening the 21st of July, an indented servant man, named BARNABAS BRIAN, a stout well made fellow, about 26 years old, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, fair complexion, and lightish coloured hair: had on when he went away, a lightish blue coat, a jacket of two different colours, old buckskin breeches, country linen shirt, white yarn stockings, new shoes, small hat bound with a riband, and is by trade a shoemaker. 'Tis likely he will forge a pass, as he has done before, being capable of doing it himself, and endeavour to get to Dunmore, as he said a few days before he went away he would go to him. Whoever secures said servant so as his master may get him again, shall be entitled to the above reward, and reasonable charges if brought home, by

JOHN FRANCIS.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in the city of Annapolis, on the 24th of this instant July, an indented servant man named GEORGE BRANAGAN, a carpenter by trade, born in Ireland, a slim man about five feet seven inches high, very much pitted with the small pox: had on when he went away, a country linen shirt and trousers, an old felt hat and a pair of country made shoes much worn: Whoever apprehends the said servant so that he may be had again, shall receive twenty shillings reward besides what the law allows, and reasonable charges paid, if brought home, by

tf ROBERT KEY.

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PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

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OF THE

PROVINCE of MARYLAND,

Held at the city of Annapolis, on Friday the 21st of June, 1776.

July 17, 1776.

FOR SALE.

THE schooner JOHN, lately from sea, and commanded by Francis Speake, lying now in Chingateague inlet, in Accomack county, Virginia, She is near 4000 bushels burthen, seven years old on the 22d of next month, found with sails, rigging, anchors, and cables, and may be readily sent to sea from the place she lies at. Any person inclinable to purchase her may know the terms, by applying to R. Hooe on the spot, or to capt. James Martin of Snow-Hill, who will be authorized to sell her for

2w JENIFER & HOOE.

July 23, 1776.

TO be sold, at Shaw and Chisholm's, in Church-street, near the Dock, Annapolis, a quantity of fine Jamaica brown sugar; likewise loaf sugar by the loaf.

Annapolis, July 22, 1776.

BROKE JAIL last night, the two following persons, both committed on suspicion of felony, viz. Negro JACK, the property of Miss Elizabeth Bordley, a tall slim young fellow, about eighteen or nineteen years of age: had on when he made his escape, a green half thick jacket without sleeves, osnabrig shirt and leather breeches; has remarkable long fingers and thick lips. JOHN CHAFING, an Englishman, about five feet six inches high, well set, black hair: had on when he made his escape, a pretty good white cloth coat, jacket and breeches, white shirt; he either served his time with, or is a servant to, Mr. Philip Thomas at West-River, and was committed on suspicion of having stolen some linen belonging to Mr. Samuel Galloway or Mr. Lancelot Jacques. Whoever takes up and secures both or either of the said felons, so that they may be had again, shall receive thirty shillings reward for each of them.

THOMAS DEALE,
sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

WANTED immediately, for the public's use at Annapolis, several good WHEELWRIGHTS. Such will meet with good encouragement, by applying to the Council of Safety of Maryland.

Lower district of Frederick county, Maryland, July 22, 1776.

RAN away last night from the subscriber, two Irish servant men, viz THOMAS TURNER, by trade a tailor, is a lusty well-set fellow, about 5 feet 8 inches high, black hair, though I expect he has cut it off, as he carried away a pair of scissars: his apparel was, when he went away, an old jacket, old felt hat, old shirts, old shoes nailed at the bottom, new trousers of coarse country linen. HENRY SMITH, by trade a cooper, is a little fellow, with black hair, thin beard, and about 22 years of age, very apt to get drunk: he had on when he went away, an old claret coloured coat with flat buttons, and the coat patched with blue patches, old felt hat, old shirts, old shoes nailed at the bottom, new trousers of coarse country linen; they both are apt to blush when examined. Whoever takes them up ten miles from home shall have forty shillings for each or either, and if out of this province eight pounds for them or in proportion for either, and reasonable travelling charges to be paid, by

w6 HENRY GAITHER.

N. B. I have a good, new fulling mill to rent, or I would hire a fuller if recommended. H. G.

TWELVE DOLLARS REWARD.

July 23, 1776.

RAN away last night from the subscribers, living near the Head of Senica in Frederick county, three convict servants, viz. EDWARD BADHAM, about 17 or 18 years of age, 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, brown strait hair, brown complexion, dark eyes, smooth faced, and says he is country born: had on and took with him, when he went away, one white shirt, one coarse country ditto, a coarse dark coloured hunting shirt, the sleeves worn out at the elbows, a light coloured country spun jacket pretty much worn, wool hat, coarse osnabrig trousers, and old shoes. JOHN PINFIELD, about 17 or 18 years of age, 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, well set, much marked with the small-pox; had on a coarse country shirt and trousers, a pair of old shoes, and a fan-tail hat about half worn. GEORGE MILLETT, about 17 or 18 years of age, 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, smooth faced; had on a small felt hat, coarse country shirt and trousers, a pair of old shoes, and an old cotton jacket. It is supposed they will all change their names. Whoever will secure said servants, so that we get them again, shall receive the above reward, or thirty shillings for either, including what the law allows.

ROBERT OWEN,
EDWARD PENN, son of Benjamin.

Upper Marlborough, July 13, 1776.

COMMITTED to my custody as runaways the following persons, viz. THOMAS BURCH, an Irishman, a stocking weaver by trade, says he belongs to David Gee, near Mr. James Brookes's, about sixteen miles above Bladensburg, in Frederick county, Negro WILL, who says he belongs to Richard Mitchell son of Nottly, near Piscataway. Their masters are desired to pay charges and take them from

2w RALPH FORSTER, sheriff.

Annapolis, July 11, 1776.

LOST in this city, within these three days, either by being dropt in some part of it, or being stolen out of a draw in the house of Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esq; one sheet of the Convention paper currency of the last impression, value £. 19 5 0. Any person having found the said sheet of money, who will bring it to the subscriber, may receive THREE POUNDS reward, or any larger sum that may be deemed adequate to their honesty.

Or supposing the said sheet to be stolen—any person having bills of a large denomination offered to them by negroes or other servants, by which means the theft can be discovered, such person shall receive TEN POUNDS reward on the conviction.

WILLIAM DEARDS.

I INTEND to leave this province the first convenient opportunity.

4w COLIN CAMPBELL.

West-River, July 13, 1776

A QUANTITY of white oak and other timber, either to be sold or worked up on halves, at the subscriber's plantation on West-River in Anne-Arundel county, where a few able negroes are wanted on hire, by the month or year. For further information apply to Philip Thomas, Esq; or

JOSEPH PEMBERTON.

Annapolis, July 9, 1776.

STRAYED from the subscriber on the 24th of June, a dark gray mare, about 7 years old, she is near 14 hands high, has a small switch'd tail with a hanging mane; as she has been accustomed to work in the plough may probably have some marks of the harness. She paces, trots and canters pleasantly, and has a number of dark coloured spots, particularly on her rump and legs. Whoever will bring her home, or give information of her, so that she may be had, shall receive 20 shillings reward.

JAMES MURRAY.

THERE is at the plantation of Jeremiah Moore, near Bladensburg in Prince-George's county, taken up as a stray, a small black mare, about 12 hands high, branded on the near buttock GM, and on the shoulder with something resembling N, two hind feet white, some white spots in her forehead; trots, paces and gallops. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges.

SIX POUNDS REWARD.

Fort Frederick Furnace, July 1, 1776.

RAN away last night, two servant men, viz. STEPHEN RICHARDS, a convict, has been four years in the country, a miner, born in Cornwall, a little fellow not exceeding 5 feet 5 or 7 inches high, hard featured and pitted with the small-pox, is bow legged and wears his hair tied: had on and took with him a country linen shirt and trousers, cotton jacket died brown, a country linsey ditto, country shoes, broad brass buckles, and a good felt hat; he is about 28 years of age.

JOHN JONES, an indented servant, has been in the country about 15 months, born in Wales, about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, has been brought up about iron works and is acquainted with the different branches of the business, dark complexion and pitted with the small-pox, short curled black hair, has a sour look, small eyes, speaks broken English: had on and took with him one osnabrig shirt, blue cotton trousers, blue upper jacket, one under ditto made of Welch cotton with sleeves, an old castor hat, and half worn shoes and buckles.

Whoever takes up said servants and brings them home, or secures them so that the subscriber gets them again, shall receive if 20 miles from home 20 s. if 30 miles 30 s. if 40 miles 40 s. for each, if 60 miles the above reward including what the law allows.

tf DENTON JACQUES.

Annapolis, June 19, 1776.

WANTED TO HIRE IMMEDIATELY,

A SINGLE MAN, who understands waiting at table, and can write a good hand. Such a person, of good character, may hear of a place, where good encouragement will be given, by applying to the printer hereof.

THREE PENCE per pound is given for fine white LINEN RAGS, and one penny per pound for coarse, by the Printer hereof.

Patuxent Iron-Works, February 6, 1776.

BEING desirous of settling the estate of our father, RICHARD SNOWDEN, late of Patuxent Iron-Works, deceased, we request all such as are indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, as no longer indulgence will be given them. Also all persons that are indebted to the Patuxent Iron-Works Company, of more than twelve months standing, are requested to come immediately and make payment; and those who have it not in their power to make immediate payment, it is expected they will come and settle their accounts by note or bond. If the above requests are not complied with, we shall take such methods as will compel a settlement, without respect to persons, although it will be disagreeable to

tf SAMUEL and JOHN SNOWDEN.

THOMAS HARWOOD, jun. treasurer of the Western-shore, will give constant attendance at his office in West-street, Annapolis, to give in exchange bills of credit emitted by the Provincial Convention of Maryland the seventh day of December, 1775, for those emitted by the Convention the twenty-sixth day of July, 1775.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in Calvert county, on Monday the 10th of June, a lusty negro fellow named WILL: had on when he went away, a country cloth jacket, osnabrig shirt and trousers; 'tis probable he may alter his dress. Whoever takes up the said negro, or secures him in any gaol, so as I may get him again, shall be entitled to a reward of twenty shillings, besides what the law allows.

ALEXANDER OGG.

June 26, 1776.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in Prince-George's county, near Mr. Richard Snowden's Iron-works, on Sunday last, a convict servant man named WILLIAM SHEPPARD, by trade a shoemaker, about 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high, has short brown hair, is of a swarthy complexion, and has an ugly down look. He has been hurt in his right leg, which causes him to limp and to walk on the end of his toes on that side, had on and took with him a castor hat almost new, an old claret coloured coat much torn on the shoulders, new green jacket, osnabrig shirt, old leather breeches patched on the knees, white yarn stockings, and an old pair of shoes.

The above servant ran away on the 20th of May last and was taken up and brought home a day or two before he took his last departure. He stole out of my pasture on Sunday last a young black mare, 3 years old, about 13 hands 3 inches high, docked but not branded, her off hind foot white. He also took with him a set of shoemakers tools.

Whoever secures the said servant and mare, so that their master may get them again, shall receive five pounds reward: for the servant alone three pounds, and for the mare forty shillings, and if brought home all reasonable charges, paid by

tf JOSEPH DUVALL.

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