

with privateers in the road: the admiral is very strict with them. He has seized a Dutch vessel that had been condemned and sold in one of the neighbouring islands for trading with the French."

In CONGRESS, Oct. 14, 1780.

RESOLVED, That a monument be erected to the memory of the late major general the baron de Kalb, in the city of Annapolis in the state of Maryland, with the following inscription:

Sacred to the memory of THE BARON DE KALB, Knight of the royal order of military merit, Brigadier of the armies of France, And

Major-general in the service of the United States of America.

Having served with honour and reputation for three years,

He gave a last and glorious proof of his attachment to the liberties of mankind and the cause of America,

In the action near Camden, in the state of South Carolina,

On the 16th of August, 1780; Where, leading on the troops of the Maryland and Delaware lines against superior numbers, And animating them by his example to deeds of valour,

He was pierced with many wounds, and On the 19th following expired, in the 48th year of his age.

The CONGRESS of the United States of America, In gratitude to his zeal, services, and merit, Have erected this monument.

Extra from the minutes,

CHARLES THOMSON, Sec.

ANNAPOLIS, Nov. 17.

On Monday last, being the day appointed by the constitution and form of government for the election of a governor of this state for the year ensuing, his excellency THOMAS SIM LEE, Esq; was unanimously re-elected. And the next day the honourable Daniel Carroll, James Brice, John H. Stone, Jeremiah T. Chase, and Samuel T. Wright, Esquires, were chosen members of the honourable council.

Some of the enemy's small armed vessels have lately visited several places on the eastern shore and the mouth of Patuxent, where they have committed the greatest outrages. Not content with plundering the inhabitants of their negroes, cattle, and other property, they have savagely laid many of their habitations in ashes. Koutby-hall, the elegant seat of colonel William Fitzhugh, and a handsome dwelling house, the property of John Parran, Esq; both situated near the mouth of Patuxent, are entirely consumed by means of these incendiaries.

By His EXCELLENCY THOMAS SIM LEE, Esquire, GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND, A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS full power and authority is given to me, by and with the advice of the council, to continue the act, entitled, An act to prohibit for a limited time the exportation of wheat, flour, rye, Indian corn, rice, bread, beef, pork, bacon, live stock, peas, beans, oats, and other victuals, and for other purposes, from and after the tenth day of this instant, until the end of the next session of the general assembly, and to issue my proclamation accordingly, provided the embargo be continued in the states of Pennsylvania and Delaware, so that the trade of Delaware may be not open for the emolument of the people residing on the waters, or in the vicinity thereof. And it appearing, that the embargo hath been continued in the state of Pennsylvania until the thirtieth day of this month, and in the state of Delaware until the twentieth day of October next. And, Whereas by my proclamation issued on the ninth instant, by and with the advice of the council, the said act was continued until this day, and having good grounds to believe that the embargo in the state of Pennsylvania hath been continued in force. I do therefore, by and with the advice of the council, hereby continue the said act until the end of the next session of the general assembly.

GIVEN at Annapolis, this thirtieth day of September, in the year of our Lord, seventeen hundred and eighty.

THO. SIM LEE, By his EXCELLENCY's command, T. JOHNSON, junior, Sec. GOD SAVE THE STATE.

November 23, 1780. NOTICE is hereby given, that the vestry-men, churchwardens, and other inhabitants of St. Paul's parish, in Prince-George's county, intended in due time to prefer a petition to the legislature, for the support of the christian religion in that parish, for repairing the church, and other parochial charges.

THERE is at the plantation of David Scott, in Anne-Arundel county, a small dark brown horse, about 12 hands and a half high, has a small white spot on his forehead, and a little white on his near hind foot, paces and-trots, and about four years old next spring, is neither branded or ear-marked. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges. 100 Dollars

TAKEN up by William Hocker, at the sugar land hundred, in Montgomery county; a small bay or chestnut sorrel horse, about 12 or 13 hands high, appears to be old, has a star in his forehead, and branded on the off side of his jaw with a twivel stirrup. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges. 2 Dollars

500 CONTINENTAL DOLLARS REWARD. Greenvoie's point, Oct. 2, 1780.

RAN away from the subscriber, the 2d of July last, a negro woman named SUI; she is about forty years of age, very black, and has a wen on her brow by the border of her hair (or wool) the only certain mark to describe her by; as she has a variety of cloaths, among which there is a tartan gown, a white linen ditto, a calico ditto, a striped silk jacket, a new country made linsley woolsey jacket and petticoat, with others of country cloth, &c. When she went away, her intention was to go to Holland with a free mulatto named Mark Stubbs; a most notorious villain, who intended to pass her as his wife and free; he went from Baltimore in a ship called the Enterprise, and she was disappointed in her scheme by the ship not stopping at Annapolis; she has since, as I am informed, been seen and harboured in Annapolis by Mr. Dulany's negroes, and in Baltimore county, between the town and Elk-ridge landing, by some free negroes and negroes of Mrs. Owings, who are her brother and daughters; she has been frequently in Baltimore town on Sundays, and at nights at a mulatto woman's house named Sal Needam, who lives among the French houses; she is sister to Stubbs and harbours her. Any person who will secure her in any gaol in this or any other state shall receive the above reward, and if brought home reasonable charges, paid by DAVID KERR.

Charles-county, William and Mary parish, October 8, 1780.

NOTICE is hereby given, that after due publication of this advertisement, a petition will be preferred to the general assembly of this state, praying that a law may be passed, to tax the parishoners of the parish aforesaid, for the purpose of repairing the glebe housing. Signed by order of the vestry, T. HARRIS, regr.

Westminster church, Sept. 28, 1780.

NOTICE is hereby given, that after due publication of this advertisement, a petition will be preferred to the honourable the general assembly of this state, praying that a law may be passed, to tax the parishoners of the parish of St. Margaret's Westminster, for the purpose of supporting a minister of the gospel, and for defraying other necessary parochial expenses. Signed per order of vestry, SAMUEL JACOBS, register.

TAKEN up by John Parks, living near Tuckahoe-bridge, in Talbot county, a small bay horse, about 13 or 14 years old, docked short, drags his hind feet very much, and has a white star in his forehead; likewise a black mare and colt, the mare is about six years old, docked, has a white star on her forehead, some white saddle spots, the colt is about a year old, neither of them have any visible brand. Their owners may have them on proving property and paying charges. 3 Dollars

TREASURY-OFFICE, Sept. 13, 1780.

NOTICE is hereby given, that bills of credit are now in the office for exchanging the quota of this state of the bills of credit emitted by congress, agreeable to an act of the general assembly.

FOR SALE, A STRONG healthy NEGRO MAN, 23 years of age, has served 12 years in merchant mill and is complete in that business. No other motive than his having attempted to escape to the enemy induces the proprietor to dispose of him. Any person desirous to purchase is requested to apply to colonel William Fitzhugh, Calvert county.

By the COMMITTEE of GRIEVANCES and COURTS OF JUSTICE, Nov. 3, 1780.

NOTICE is hereby given, that this committee will sit at the state-house from 10 o'clock in the afternoon until 5 on each day during the present session of assembly. By order, G. KANEKEN, cl. com.

Charles county, October 18, 1780.

I HAVE in my custody, committed as a runaway, a negro man named HARRY, who says he belongs to Paterson Fletcher, Culpepper county in Virginia; he is a short wet fellow, about twenty-four years of age, speaks good English; had on when brought to gaol, an old white country cloth jacket, and a pair of country linen trousers. His wife is desired to pay charges and take him away. B. CAWOOD, jun. sheriff.

Charles county, August 23, 1780.

BROKE away Monday evening and was taken by two following fellows, with a negro man committed to my custody as a runaway, on the 1st of July last, by the name of GEORGE, the property of John Nelson, (I have seen him) of Frederick county; he is a man, fellow, and appears to be young; he is a Guinean, but speaks to erable good English, and appears to be very artful and cunning; had on and took with him when he made his escape, an old white linen shirt, a country linen ditto, a pair short linen breeches, and a pair of shoes. And a negro man named PEARR, the property of Mrs. Elizabeth Adams, committed to my custody on the 10th inst. for poisoning, is much thicker in years, and talks bad English; had on a country linen shirt, and a pair of country cloth breeches. Whoever apprehends the negroes, and secures them in any gaol, so that I get them again, shall receive a reward of one hundred and fifty continental dollars for each of either of them, and an additional charge paid, and if brought home to me, one dollar every mile above county.

J. CAWOOD, jun. sheriff.

July 11, 1780.

Office for stating and settling the public accounts. THE commissioners find it necessary, for the public service, to give further notice that the honourable assembly, at their March session, 1780, enacted a law, entitled "A supplement to the act for the assessment of property the 17th section whereof is as follows:— And be it enacted. That the several collectors, at the time of settlement of their accounts with the commissioners of the tax for their county, shall account to the said commissioners for the treble tax due by law in their counties respectively, and the said collectors shall pay the treble tax by them collected, or which by law they ought to collect, to the treasurer of his shire, at the time appointed by law for the payment of the public assessment, and in case of default they shall be answerable for and liable to pay an interest of five per cent on the said sums; and every collector who hath collected the treble tax, and every collector who by law ought to have collected the treble tax shall be accountable for the treble tax due by law in his county to the commissioners for stating and settling the public accounts."—And, whereas the duty so joined by law on the collectors hath in many instances been totally neglected, and in others only in part complied with, the several collectors will therefore be pleased to take notice of the necessity there is for making due returns and payments regularly for the future, and that report of the proceedings on this law will be laid before the honourable assembly at their next meeting.

Signed per order T. GASSAWAY, Clk.

TAKEN up at the plantation of Wilton, near Bladenburg, a black horse 14 hands high, paces, has no brand, is about 12 years old. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.