

Christ (v). In a word, you believe many articles as essential to salvation, of which no mention is made in the bible; whereas I am convinced, that whoever believes and practises what he discovers there, will comply with every moral, and religious obligation, and rise to as high an excellency of character, as the exertions of our imperfect nature can reach. Such is the religion, which after a long, and, as I trust, sincere deliberation, I have ultimately chosen. Every day convinces me, that I have chosen wisely. It is the religion of an Usher, a Wilton, an Hoady, and a Newton, and of innumerable other worthies, whose admirable writings, and christian lives, have been unanswerable apologies for the principles they professed. This I will ever profess; according to this, through God's grace, will I endeavour to regulate the tenor of my conduct. Upon this will I stake my happiness for eternity. This will I inculcate into those, whom providence may at any time place under my direction; and for this, if circumstances should require it, I hope I should be willing to lay down my life.

And now, my fellow-christians, I must take my leave of you. Some of you perhaps, will believe me, when I assure them that I do it with very painful regret. The many civilities, which I experienced during my residence among you have made a strong and lasting impression on my mind. I trust no alteration in my religious opinions will be ever able to efface it. Convinced by reason, and taught by revelation, that true and genuine religion consists more in perfect union of heart, than entire conformity of opinion, I shall still deem it my duty to cherish the sentiments of gratitude, esteem and charity, which the worth and behaviour of several characters among you first excited in my breast. To the last of these moreover you are entitled as fellow-men and fellow christians. Sentiments like these coming from a supposed enemy, and an obscure individual, will probably be considered by many with contempt or indifference. They who cannot discriminate between the personal merit, and the speculative opinions of men, will certainly rate them very low. But to persons truly candid and sincere themselves, such affections can never appear less acceptable for being cherished by a man, who, without any prospect of enolument, or promise of attention from the communion he embraces, has sacrificed a certain and comfortable subsistence, and hazarded a tolerable character among his nearest connections, rather than incur the reproaches of his own mind, or the guilt of hypocrisy. Be this, however, as it may, it must ever prove a point of great importance to myself, not to lose sight of a commandment, which by special preference our common Redeemer calls his own; and which as you know is nothing more than mutual forbearance, benevolence and love. If with these dispositions I may be allowed to do, I subscribe myself with heart and hand,

Your much obliged and affectionate humble servant,  
CHARLES HENRY WHARTON.

(v) S. Aug. univ. eccl. cap. 8. Chrys. in Matth. cap. 24. tom. 49.

#### BOSTON, September 30.

In the ship Gloucester Packet, captain John Callahan, which arrived here last Friday from Falmouth, came passengers, William Cabot, Esq; Mr. Elijah Dix, Mr. Farnum, Mr. John Clopoat, Mr. Dunkelly and lady, Mr. Johnson, Mr. John Stewart and Mr. Mackay.

Last Saturday arrived the ship Union, captain Ingersoll, from London. The hon. Nathaniel Gorham, Esq; of Charleston, Mr. William Smith, Mr. Lewis Deblois and Mr. Francis Deblois, of this town, and Mr. Curwin, of Salem, came passengers.

#### NEW-YORK, October 7.

On the 25th ult. the honourable Oliver Wolcott, Arthur Lee and Richard Butler, Esquires, commissioners appointed by congress, for concluding a treaty between the United States and the six nations and other Indians, set out from the city of Albany for Fort Schuyler.—The goods, &c. intended for the Indian treaty left that place on the Tuesday following.

#### PHILADELPHIA, October 9.

Yesterday arrived here the ships Delaware, captain Smith, from London, and Grange, captain Roberts, from Liverpool. By these vessels we have the following very important intelligence:

#### Extract of a letter from Paris, August 3.

"A Spanish courier arrived yesterday evening, at the hotel of the ambassador of that nation, in seven days from Madrid, where the important intelligence had arrived of the complete destruction of the city of Algiers, which was set on fire in 6 or 7 different places, on the 16th of last month, and all the public buildings burnt to the ground.

"The commander of the Maltese squadron has gained great honour by this action as he had the sole disposal of the bomb and gun-boats, whose incessant discharge of artillery put the Moors in such a panic, that the majority deserted the town as soon as the flames broke out.

"A prodigious number of people are slain; among the above are said to be the rechal, or prime minister of the dey, the pacha of the fleet, and several other officers. The Jews all went into the back country with their treasures, before the Spanish fleet arrived, expecting what the fate of the place would be against a large force, where they remain in huts.

"Don Barcello, the commander of the Spanish squadron, remained still before the town in the bay, to complete the total destruction of the city; that if possible, no vestige might remain to cause any trouble in future to any of the European powers."

On the 21st of August, a large brig from Baltimore for Amsterdams, with 350 hogheads of tobacco, ran ashore on the Goodwin Sands, but would probably be got off if the weather should continue moderate.

The Mary, Youd, and the Venus, Flynn, from Virginia; and the Franklin, M'Comb, from Philadelphia, are arrived at Liverpool.

The Willing Tom, Stewart, from Maryland, is arrived at Dover; the Henry, Nicolson, and the Neptune, Roche, from Baltimore, are arrived at Corke. Captain Nicolson on the 23d July, spoke the Swift, Swift, from Maryland, for London, 8 days out.

The Active, Powell, from Baltimore, the Offend Welvaren, Zochilix, the Concord, Easton, and the

Porcupine, Lightfoot, from Virginia, are arrived at Liverpool.

His Britannic majesty's packet boat the Duke of Cumberland, captain Christopher Drake, will sail from New-York with the mail for Falmouth, on Wednesday the 3d of November.

#### ANNAPOLIS, October 21.

The following gentlemen are elected delegates, to serve in the ensuing general assembly of this state, viz.

For St. Mary's county; Philip Key, John De Butts, Edmond Plowden, and Athanasius Ford, Esquires.

For Calvert county; John Grabame, Michael Taney, John Weems, jun. and Alexander Frazier, Esquires.

For Charles county; Francis Ware, Josias Hawkins, George Dent, jun. and Samuel Hanlon, jun. Esquires.

For Baltimore county; Thomas C. Deye, Charles Ridgely, of William, captain Charles Ridgely, and John Stevenson, Esquires.

For Prince-George's county; Walter Bowie, George Digges, Rinaldo Johnson, and Horatio E. Ganit, Esquires.

For Dorchester county; James Shaw, Gultavus Scott, James Steele, and Thomas F. Eccleston, Esquires.

For Frederick county; Thomas Beatty, Thomas Gaunt, John D. Cary, and David Shriver, Esquires.

For Baltimore town; John Steret, and David M'Meehan, Esquires.

For Washington county; John Stull, John Cellars, Nicholas Swingle, and Thomas Hart, Esquires.

For Montgomery county; Thomas Cramphill, Lawrence Oneale, Benjamin Edwards, and Thomas Sprigg Wootton, Esquires.

On Thursday last the jockey club purse of one hundred guineas; on Friday a subscription purse of seventy five pounds; and on Saturday a subscription purse of thirty pounds; were run for over the course near this city—the particulars of which are as follow:

#### THURSDAY, October 14.

Mr. Hutchings's gray horse Badger,	1	1
Mr. Bowie's bay horse Little Davy,	5	2
Mr. Sewell's chestnut horse Brilliant,	3	3
Mr. Wales's chestnut horse Cub,	4	dis.
General Cadwalader's bay horse Bajazet,	2	dr.
Mr. Sprigg's black horse African flew the way the first heat.		

#### FRIDAY, October 15.

Dr. Baker's gray horse Romulus,	5	1	1
Mr. Lowndes's bay mare Bet Bouncer,	2	2	2
Mr. W. Bowie's bay horse Little Davy,	4	3	3
Mr. R. Bowie's black horse Sportman,	1	cr.	
General Cadwalader's bay horse Carelets,			dis.

#### SATURDAY, October 16.

General Cadwalader's gray colt Silver tail,	1	1
Mr. Burdley's bay colt clipse,	3	2
Mr. Steuart's bay colt Romulus,	2	dr.

Office for confiscated estates, Annapolis, October 19, 1784.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on the premises, on Wednesday the 17th of November next, two thirds of the estate which belonged to James Chalmers, late of Kent county

THIS estate consists of upwards of 1200 acres of valuable land, situated within three or four miles of Chester town, and will admit of being laid off and sold in several small and convenient farms. The soil of the land in general in that part of Kent county is too well known to require particular recommendation. Also a few slaves and other personal property.

The purchasers must give bond with approved security, to pay the money within twelve months, with interest.

CLEMENT HOLLYDAY,  
GABRIEL DUVALL.

Charles county, October 19, 1784.  
To be SOLD on the premises, to the highest bidder, on the third Friday in November next, if fair, if not the next fair day,

A VERY valuable tract of land, situated on Patuxent river, in Prince George's county, containing 420 acres more or less, six miles above Benedict, and about the same distance from Lower Marlborough. On the land are a large dwelling house with four rooms on a floor, a very good kitchen, meat and corn house, with stables under it, two orchards of excellent fruit, from which may be made upon an average 2500 gallons of cider of the first quality, a variety of the best kind of cherries, peaches, plums, and pears; 20 or 25 acres of very good meadow may be made at a trifling expense; fine fish, oysters, and crabs, are caught in abundance within a quarter of a mile of the door. The plantation is in good repair, and immediate possession will be given. Two or three years credit will be allowed the purchaser as may be agreed upon, for the greatest part of the purchase money, upon his giving bond on interest with approved security. An indisputable title will be given.

WALTER HANSON HARRISON.

#### October 18, 1784.

ALL persons, having claims against the estate of Richard Boarman, late of St. Mary's county, deceased, are desired to send them in properly attested, and those indebted are requested to make immediate payment to

ANNE BOARMAN, executrix.

THE subscriber has by him a few suits of cloaths, of exceeding good quality, which were imported for the use of the army, and will sell them extremely cheap, for ready cash, wheat, corn, or oats, at the market price, delivered at Annapolis.

WILLIAM CAMPBELL.

Baltimore, October 12, 1784.

#### FOR SALE,

SIX thousand acres of very valuable lands, lying on the waters of Chillisquaque, in the Fork of Susquehanna, about ten miles from the town of Sabary, which are divided into twenty-one plantations. The situation of these lands is highly advantageous, being in the midst of the Great Valley, between the two branches of the river, with the great road running across them, and only about three to five miles distance from them to either branch: also, a plantation of two hundred and seventy-six acres on Brightfield's-creek, which empties into Juniata, a few miles above the mouth of that river.

The large settlements now forming on the waters of the Susquehanna, will shortly secure those in the Fork from all danger, in case of future wars with the Indians: and the ease with which all kinds of produce may be carried to market, is a consideration of first importance to the farmer. It is well known, that even in the present state of the river, timber and lumber of all kinds may be rafted down to Chesapeake; and the improvements now carrying on, bid fair to open a regular navigation from all parts of the river to the bay, in a short time. A liberal credit will be given for a considerable part of the purchase.

SAMUEL PURVIANCE.

THE subscribers have for sale, thirty-one thousand acres of patented lands, of prime quality, which lie on Hughes creek, a principal branch of the Little-Kanhaway, which empties into that river, about thirty miles from its mouth, and up to which there is very good boatage.—These lands were of the earliest locations in that quarter, and selected by a person interested therein: they are laid out to the greatest advantage, being strung along both sides of the creek for ten or twelve miles, commanding the whole front thereof, and an extensive range behind them on both sides: they consist chiefly of river bottoms, and contain a large proportion of meadow grounds—their situation extending up towards Tiger-Valley, is about the same distance from Baltimore as Fort Pitt, consequently convenient for driving all manner of stock to a capital market, and not farther distant than hemp is frequently brought from the back parts of Virginia.

The absolute certainty of titles, and prime quality of these lands, obviate the two greatest hazards of deception that purchasers generally run, and must considerably enhance their value.

Two other tracts of patented lands, on the waters of Rackoon-creek, Washington county, in Pennsylvania, about eighteen miles from Pittsburg, containing three thousand and one hundred and seventeen acres of the first quality, with several improvements thereon. These two tracts which formerly belonged to Robert and Thomas Rutherford, Esquires, are well known by that description.

Three other tracts, near the Fork of Youghaganis, containing about one thousand two hundred and twenty-eight acres of choice lands, with sundry improvements thereon; one of them known as the former dwelling place of Dorsey Pentecost, Esquire. And sundry other tracts of land near to Fort Pitt.

A liberal credit will be given for a considerable part of the purchase. For terms apply to John Cox, or Robert Lettis Hooper, Esquire; at Trenton; to Michael Hillegar, Esquire, at Philadelphia, or to the proprietors at Baltimore. J. Williams

SAMUEL and ROBERT PURVIANCE.

#### Negroes for sale.

Annapolis, October 15, 1784.

To be sold by the subscriber, at his plantation near this city, on Thursday the 25th of November, if fair, if not the first fair day,

A NUMBER of very valuable negroes, consisting of men, women and children; among whom are, a very excellent blacksmith, a rough carpenter, a very good pilot for this bay, and a very good tailor; several boys and girls fit to wait on table, or take care of children, and some very good spinners; most of the women have been used to house work, and can cook a plain dinner, and wash and iron well. Any kind of liquidated state or officers and soldiers certificates will be taken in payment, by

THOMAS RUTLAND

London-town, October 15, 1784.

THE subscriber being properly prepared for receiving a large quantity of hides and skins to tan and curry, takes this method of informing those who chuse to favour him with their custom, that they may depend on being served with punctuality and care. All hides or skins not taken away within thirteen months after they are delivered, the owners must expect to forfeit one half of the leather for tanning the other.

EDWARD SEFTON.

N. B. I have for sale a large quantity of negro shoes, which may be had on the most reasonable terms; they are likewise sold by Mr. William Wilkins and Mr. Absalom Ridgely, in Annapolis.

To be SOLD, for want of employ,  
A HEALTHY, young, NEGRO weaver, who has been used to household and kitchen work from a child, and has had the small-pox. Enquire of the printers.