

method of informing
which has been
being married, is

WALTER DYER.

October 3, 1785.
become securities for
the State of Maryland,
land in Culverton ma-

Boroughs having ab-
sufficient to discharge
hereby given, that we
general assembly, for
of the State by the

ES CHAPPELEAR,
MAS LOCK.

by Joshua Young, on
LDING, about four-
the near buttock C,
before, is a natural
a switch tail, and is car-
him again on proving

plantation of Edmund
undel county, two day
pped, and a hole in the
young calf; the other a
and it fit; also a cow
black and white deer.
ay have them again on
charges

September 23, 1785.
C SALE, on the 23^d
of November next,
containing 374 acres,
or Braffier's Precoun-
county, within 5 miles of
George town; the land
good for wheat, corn,
a dwelling house 32 feet
mies, a kitchen 16 feet
milk house, a valuable
quarter with a shed and
12, two bearing or-
good repair, 45 by 30.
e on the land, and an-
all expence; the whole is
urchase money to be paid
ill be given for the other
urity, by

JOHN TURNER.

us of purchasing at pri-
the day of public sale

lots for Sale.

September 3, 1785.
heft bidder, on Tuesday
t, if fair, if not the next

lots in Pig-point, in
y, on Patuxent river,
s, and perhaps superior
as they are new and in
small dwelling house,
ocollers, it will be needless
that place, as it is so ge-
of the first inspections for
will be sold together or
the purchasers. A very
given, on giving bond
curity.

A M. WALKER.

LIC VENDUE, on
ary next at the planta-
Thomas, near Annapo-

ces, consisting of men-
s, among which are va-
ervanis, also the stock
p, and hogs, with plan-

posed to sale, two thirds
s, lying on the Mouth of
rom Annapolis, of about
early half cleared, and of
ring fine tobacco, corn,
some meadow in timothy,
t a small expence. Six
n to the purchasers of the
ng bond with approved

MARY THOMAS.

county, July 25, 1785.
that there will be a peti-
next general assembly of
riddle-way, stopped up by

August 20, 1785.
ined in the common gaol
debt, intends to petition
ir first fitting for his libe-
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PATRICK RHEA.

s to prefer a petition on
both Wilson, to the next
stitution of her property.
WARD FENWICK.

September 20, 1785.
NOTICE is hereby given, that we intend pre-
tending a petition to the next general assembly
of this state, to empower us to make sale of certain lands
being in the counties of Washington, Frederick, Prince-
George's, and Charles, the property of the heirs of Dr.
Adam Thompson, deceased.

JOHN HAWKINS,
LILBURN WILLIAMS.

JUST IMPORTED,
In the Essex and SAMUEL, captain JAMES MITCHELL,
from London, and will be sold by the subscriber, at
his store near the Dock, on the lowest terms, for cash
or good bills of exchange on London,

A LARGE assortment of GOODS suitable to the
season, amongst which are a great choice of the
following articles, viz.

Superfine and fine broad-clothes, forest ditto, cassi-
mets, milled and double milled drabs, 6, 7 and 8 quar-
ters coatings, drab kersey, Devonshire ditto, German
forges, duffels, fearnoughts, Welch plains, knapped
linter, mixed trizes, 8, 9 and 10 quarters blankets,
match coat ditto, 7 and 8 quarters coverlets, 8, 9 and
10 quarters rugs, 7 8ths and yard wide Irish linens,
Irish and Ruffia sheetings, 3, 4 and 5 quarters checks,
table clothes, chintzes, cambricks, stamp'd cottons, cordu-
roys, lawn betters, velvets, hair flings, silk and
worsted hose, tammies, durants, camlets, blue and
finest cardinals, seams and teal twine, with a number
of other goods not enumerated.

He likewise keeps all kinds of wet goods, which he
sells wholesale and retail, on the lowest terms, for cash.
JAMES MACKUBIN.

September 20, 1785.
JUST IMPORTED,
In the ship Essex and SAMUEL, from London, and to
be sold on the most reasonable terms by Ridgely and
Evans, at their store near the head of the Dock, for
cash, or good bills of exchange on London,

A LARGE assortment of GOODS suitable to the season,
amongst which are

Superfine, second, and coarse broad clothes, double
milled drab, Devonshire kerseys, Bath coatings, bear-
skin, hunters pants, German forges, green and blue
trizes, cambricks, penknives, fearnought, ne-
gro cottons, fannets, mites, green baize, ready made
great coats and pea jackets, green, blue and mottled
rugs, rose and striped blankets, durants, tammies, si-
gned fluff, shalloons, camlets and camlettes, silk and
stuffed petticoats, cotton corduroys, velvets and
thieves, womens and girls finest cardinals and cloaks,
mens, boys, and womens thread, cotton, and worsted
hose, milled yarn ditto and gloves, sailors caps,
7-8ths and yard wide Irish linens, brown and white
Irish and Ruffia sheetings, brown holland, houswife
linens, 3 quarters and 7 8ths Irish and loomed downlafs,
ornaments, table clothes, diapers, 4 quarters and 7-8ths
striped bedtickings, bed bunts, striped linens and cot-
ton checks, womens, maids, and girls stays, mens and
boys shoes, womens, maids, and girls stuff, Morocco,
and black leather shoes and pumps, mens, youths, and
boys fashion-bie hats, itationary, white and coloured
threads, calicoes and chintzes, cambricks and lawns,
black and white lace, rich black satin, fashionable plain
lutestrings, modes, farcenets, perlines, rimbands, gauzes,
sprig lawn, gauze and muslin aprons, gauze handker-
chiefs, muslin, gloves and mits, powder and shot, mus-
tard, pewter, seams, teal and sail twine, 2 inch white
rope, bed cords and leading lines, single refined loaf
sugar, hyon tea, Anderson's pills, Stoughton's bitters,
elegant brass pillar fire dogs, shovels and tongs, copper
and newmake iron tea kettles, bell metal mortars and
pelles, brass candlesticks, an assortment of cutlery,
with various other articles not enumerated.

Commissioner's office of army accounts, Annapolis,
September 17, 1785.

HAVING long since taken every measure in my
power to inform the officers and soldiers of the
Maryland line, who have not received their arrears
from the United States, that I should close the office for
adjusting their claims in this state the first day of Octo-
ber, I find many have neglected to apply. Attention
to their interest alone induces me to prolong the period
until the tenth day of next November, after which no
consideration whatever will render it possible to take
notice of their demands, as the papers will then be sent
to the commissioner for settling with the army, near
Congress, and should this intimation be neglected, the
subscriber will hold himself fully justified from any diffi-
culty or expence that may be the consequence.

JOHN WHITE, commissioner.

Annapolis, September 17, 1785.
THE subscriber intends to petition the next gen-
eral assembly to confirm and make valid a certain
instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will
and testament of his late father.

BEALE HAMMOND.

August 19, 1785.
THE subscriber, named in the common gaol
of Cecil county for debt, intends to petition
the general assembly at their first sitting for his libe-
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THOMAS MANUEL.

August 30, 1785.
THIS is to give notice, that I intend to apply
to the next general assembly for such restitu-
tion of, or compensation for, my property, which
has been sold as confiscated, as they in justice shall
think reasonable.

JONATHAN HAGAR.

Charles county, September 16, 1785.
NOTICE is hereby given, that a person will be
preferred to the general assembly at their next
meeting, praying them to pass an act to alter the main
road leading from Piles's warehouse to Allen's field,
the road as now laid out being impassable for carriages
of any kind.

THO. & BENJ. HARWOOD.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to make
application to the next session of the general as-
sembly, for a law to remedy the defect in a lease from
Josias Shaw, of Prince-George's county, to me, for
the plantation called the said Shaw did live, the said
lease not having been acknowledged and recorded in
due time.

JAMES WILSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscribers
intend to petition the next general assembly
to pass a law to give a title to a tract of land lying
in Dorchester county, called Galloway's Fancy, unto
James Poole.

JAMES POOLE,
SARAH FERGUSON.

August 23, 1785.
NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition will
be presented to the next general assembly for
an act to enable the subscriber to reconvey, in the
name of Lucretia Edmondson, part of a tract of
land in Caroline county, called Smith's Discovery,
to Michael Smith, of the same county.

DAVID KERR.

Annapolis, September 20, 1785.
THE subscriber takes this method to inform all
those that are indebted to him on open account
to the end of the year 1784 or by note, to come and
settle them.

He likewise would wish to inform his customers that
he has at his store by wholesale, good Jamaica spirit,
West-India and New-England rum, and the following
articles by retail, Lisbon and Tarriffe wine, loaf and
brown muscovado sugars, molasses, coffee, chocolate,
bohea tea, candies, soap, Liverpool and Lisbon salt, an
assortment of earthen ware, and many other articles too
tedious to mention.

ABESALOM RIDGELY.

To be rented, or leased for three years,
A VALUABLE FARM, on the north side of Se-
vern river, with a genteel house thereon, and all
convenient out houses, &c. Possession will be given
between this and Christmas. Application to be made
to Richard Kurland in Baltimore, or William Gold-
smith in Annapolis.

By the UNITED STATES IN CONGRESS
assembled, February 23, 1785.

RESOLVED, That the quartermaster-general,
commissary of purchases, commissary of issues, commis-
sary of forage, and all the late heads of departments, or
their successors or agents, be required without delay, to
forward to the board of treasury or to the comptroller,
a list of their respective deputies who have been duly
authorized to issue certificates. That the heads of de-
partments aforesaid, and each of their deputies who
have not settled their accounts, and all other persons
who have issued certificates of debts due by the United
States, loan-office certificates, and certificates of final
settlement excepted, be required forthwith to deliver to
the board of treasury, or to some commissioner of ac-
counts in the state where such persons reside, a fair ab-
stract of all the certificates which they have issued, and
they shall specify those certificates for which they have
taken receipts as for cash paid, and a copy of those ab-
stracts shall be transmitted by the board of treasury to
the several commissioners of accounts, to whom they may
be of use in detecting frauds.

That a copy of these resolutions be published in the
gazettes or public news papers of the several states, and
that if any person or persons so required as aforesaid,
shall refuse or neglect for the space of two months from
such publication, to deliver a full and just account of the
certificates, he or they have issued, the board of treas-
ury, or in case it is not at the time organized, the com-
ptroller, shall take proper steps for causing him or them
to be prosecuted according to law.

RESOLVED, That the commissioner of accounts be
instructed, to be careful how they admit charges against
the United States, on certificates which are not duly
supported by the authority of congress, and the accounts
of the officers who have issued them.

CHARLES THOMSON, secretary.

Charles county, Pocomoke, Aug. 27, 1785.
TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the subscriber, the 23^d of May
1784, a small black negro man, about 49 years
old, named TOM, but most generally called and
known by the name of TOBY; he has a good set of
teeth, remarkable active, fond of waiting in public or
private houses, a good groom, and a very handy fellow
by water; he is supposed to be in the employ of some
craft in Chesapeake bay, as a gentleman saw him in
Annapolis about the month of June last, who knew the
fellow, and asked some of the household of Mr. Med-
dleton what employ that fellow (pointing as he passed
by the door) followed, who answered, by water, and
that he carried himself 10m. It is to be hoped, that
whoever employs the fellow will, upon this publication,
secure him with as small expence as possible, and im-
mediately advertise in the Annapolis papers. If any
one is inclinable to purchase, the fellow for sale.

JOSEPH SHAW.

THE subscribers have imported, in the Essex and
Samuel, captain JAMES MITCHELL, from London,
a large assortment of GOODS suitable to the season,
amongst which are a very great choice of MANCHESTRY
and some FASHIONABLE SILKS.

They will dispose of the goods they have on hand,
with those now imported, at wholesale, much to the
advantage of the purchaser, as a considerable part may
be had on a credit of two or three years, upon having
the payment secured, and so far as is necessary punc-
tually complied with as will enable them to comply with
the payments to their correspondents in London. The
goods are all fresh and good in quality. Should the
purchaser be desirous of carrying on business in Anna-
polis, the store now kept by them on the Dock may be
had with the goods.

THO. & BENJ. HARWOOD.

July 5, 1785.
RAN away, this morning, from the subscriber,
living in Anne-Arundel county, near Queen-
Anne, a negro man named POMPEY, about five
feet eight inches high, twenty five years of
age, very black and smooth faced, stammers in his
speech, and when he went away, a white shirt
and a pair of new striped holland trousers; it is prob-
ably he may change his name and dress, as he took
with him other cloaths, and pass for a free man; it
will either make for Annapolis or Balti-
town, and endeavour to get on board some
ship, as he has formerly been used to this bay.
Whoever takes up said negro, and secures him in
gaol so that I may get him again, shall receive
reward of five pounds, paid by

ROBERT SANDERS.

July 20, 1785.
WAS lost or stolen, from out of the subscriber's
house, at Choptank-bridge, Caroline coun-
ty, and State of Maryland, five State of Maryland
certificates, dated September 20, 1784, numbered
5223, 5224, 5225, 5226, for £. 100 specie each,
and 5227, £. 52 5 5 specie, on interest from the
first of August 1780, issued by Christopher Rich-
mond, Esq; auditor-general, to major Archibald
Anderson, late of the State of Maryland, deceased,
and received by the subscriber as attorney for Dr.
William Mollison, of Dover, State of Delaware, ad-
ministrator of the said major Archibald Anderson.
Any person who hath found them, or who hath ob-
tained possession of them, by bringing them to the
subscriber, at Choptank-bridge, or delivering them
to James Brice, Esq; of the city of Annapolis, (if
not stolen) shall have a reward of £. 20. They
can be of no use to any one, as a deposit is lodged
and payment stopped in the proper offices, by the
subscriber,

BENEDICT BRICE.

An ACT for the discovery of confiscated British property.
BE it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,
That the intendants of the revenue be authorized
and required, at any time or times before the first day of Janu-
ary seventeen hundred and eighty-six, to call on all per-
sons having confiscated British property in their possession,
or the title papers thereof, relating thereto, to dis-
cover and make known, and deliver up the same;
and if the said intendants has probable and good ground
to suspect that any person holds the same in trust for
any British subject, or conceals the same, or any deeds,
writings or evidence of the title to such property, he
may and shall direct the attorney-general to file a bill in
the high court of chancery, on behalf of this state, for
the discovery of such trust or concealed property, and
for delivering up such deeds, writings and evidence of
title to the same, and thereupon proceeding, shall be
had, and decree made, according to the rules of the
high court of chancery in such cases.

And be it enacted, That if any person having possession
of any confiscated British property, and not having a
fair claim of title thereto, or having obtained the pos-
session of any property formerly belonging to any British
subject, in virtue of any gift, grant, sale, devise, or con-
veyance, made or executed since the nineteenth of April
seventeen hundred and seventy five, and before the first
of December seventeen hundred and seventy nine, by
any person declared to be a British subject by the act to
seize, confiscate and appropriate, all British property
within this state, with intent and design to cover and
protect such property from confiscation, or by any con-
veyance, gift, grant, sale or devise, made since the first
of December seventeen hundred and seventy nine, by
any person declared a British subject as aforesaid, not
bona fide in pursuance of some contract or agreement
made before that day in writing, or for the just pay-
ment of a debt due before that day by the person
making such grant, conveyance or sale, to the person
receiving the same, and shall not discover the same prop-
erty, and the circumstances under which it came is
held, and deliver up the same and the title papers there-
of to the intendants of the revenue, by the first day of Janu-
ary in the year seventeen hundred and eighty six, such
person shall forfeit one fourth of the value of the prop-
erty; and if any person having possession of any such
property shall voluntarily discover the same, the in-
tendant shall have full power and authority to sell the
same to such person at a reasonable price, secured to be
paid to this state, and after the first day of January sev-
enteen hundred and eighty six, the intendants, on
waiving the penalty, may direct a bill to be filed as a-
foresaid, against any person having possession of such
property.

September 12, 1785.
NOTICE is hereby given to all persons con-
cerned, that the subscriber intends to apply
to the court of chancery, for a commission to take
charge of the person and estate of John Kellam (son
of William Kellam) an idiot.

JOHN KELLAM.

Montgomery county, May 27, 1785.
TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away from the subscriber, on Wednesday the
25th instant, a negro man named CESAR; he
is a stout well made black fellow, aged about 25 years,
his lips large and pointing, talks quick and loud when
out of temper; his apparel chiefly consisted of striped
country cloth when he went away; he was purchased
of Allen Quinn, Esq; has had several masters in Anne-
Arundel county, where he has commonly gone by the
name of Lewin's Cesar; he ran away about 12 months
ago, was taken up at Mr. Rebin Hammonds's quarter
on the Head of Severn, where he had been hired a con-
siderable time as a free man, and was brought home
about 10 days since; he probably will change his name
and pass for a free man again. Whoever apprehends
the said negro, and secures him so that I get him, shall
receive the above reward, and reasonable charge, if
brought home.

J. C. R. A. B. H.