

possibly be moved. After being about ten minutes calm, the hurricane burst forth with enraged fury from the N. W. Our situation now became truly deplorable, without boats, with but half our hands, wrecked of all our masts, deprived of our compasses, the ship labouring, and often overwhelmed with the most tremendous seas, and expecting every instant to be dashed on the shoals of Hatteras. Language wants expression to paint the horrors of the distressed crew and passengers. After every effort to right the ship, we resigned her to the sea, to the mercy of the wind and weather, having lost all our masts and most of our sails. The next day's sun, raised our drooping spirits to make some feeble effort towards righting ship and making a jury mast, still drifting ungovernably as the elements would have us. The morning of the third day, we discovered a vessel bearing N. by W. about ten miles distant, which perceiving our distress bore down and spoke us, hauled out her boat and gave us relief. She proved to be the Crown, captain Henry Fox, from Norfolk to Falmouth. Too much can be said of this good man's humanity, who without exaction, relieved our distresses, in administering comfort to the exhausted spirits of the passengers, and giving relief to the wounds and bruises of the worthy seamen.

The above, I hope, will strike the attention of my countrymen, towards erecting a light-house at Cape Henry as well to preserve the lives and property of thousands as to give encouragement to foreigners.

A LIST of LETTERS remaining in the Post Office, Annapolis, which, if not taken up before the fifth day of January next, will be sent to the General Post-Office as dead letters.

**HENRY ARMSTRONG**, Salisbury town-ship; Mr. A. M. Mrs. Annis, Mr. Athmead, Pezigne Aique, Annapolis.

Thomas Bouke, Cambridge; James Berry, Choptank; Bashi Brown, Queen's-town; Alexander Bell, Lower Marlborough; Samuel Baldwin, Talbot; Monsieur le capitain Bayent, Jesse Bowlin, Stephen Bullock, Annapolis.

Rev. Mr. Cutting, Snow-hill; John Cowman, South river; Joseph Cowman, West river; Thomas Cracker, Port-Tobacco; Richard Bennet Carmichael, Wye-river; Samuel Chew, Herring-bay; Joshua Clarke, near Queen-Anne; Nicholas Crosby (-), Henry Carberry, St. Mary's county; John Callahan, Jeremiah T. Chais (-), Annapolis.

John Davidson, Anne Dowds, Lewis Derow, Annapolis.

James Elsey, jun. Somerset county; John Eversfield, near Nottingham.

Captain James Fenwick, St. Mary's county.

John George, ten Kent county.

Robert Harrison, Cambridge; David Hart, Kent county; Thomas Hicks, Dorchester county; Hugh Hopkins, Talbot county; William Hamilton, Charles county; Philip Hall, John Hall, near Annapolis; James Harper, John Henry, Monsieur John Hall, non. R. H. Harrison, Annapolis.

The Justices of St. Mary's county; Thomas Jordan, Talbot county; Edward Jones, Port-Tobacco; Thomas Johnston, Calvert county; John Johnston, Thomas Jennings, Mr. Ireland, Denton Jacques, Annapolis.

William Kirkpatrick, Charles county; Joan Kilty, John Kirkham, Annapolis.

J. Linley, Snow-hill; Robert Lamar, Queen Anne; Robert Lihburn, St. Mary's county; William Leigh, near Port-Tobacco; George Lewis, Annapolis.

John Booker Meeke, Charles county; Dr. Charles Mayer, Queen-Anne's county; Austin Milburn, James Martin, St. Mary's county; Mrs. Manson, Elizabeth Montague, Beulah Maybury, Annapolis.

Alexander Ogg, Calvert county.

Messieurs N. and V. Peers (-), Port-Tobacco; James Priestley, Calvert county; Charles Philiphill, Calvert y. William Ross, Vienna; Littleton Robins, John Furnell Robins, Sunepuxent; Aaron Rencher, Charles county; Mary Rose, Annapolis.

Henry Sumner, Queen's-town.

Alexander Trueman, Annapolis.

John Voss, Caroline county.

William Wakely Benefit; Levin Walls, Patuxent; Arnold Wilkerson, St. Mary's county; Mrs. Wilson (-), Joseph Wilkerson, Calvert county.

Parker Young, Calvert county.

F. GREEN, D. P. M.

Office for confiscated estate, Annapolis, October 21, 1785.

On Monday the 21st of November next, will be sold, at Mr. McCandless's, in Baltimore-town, the undermentioned confiscated property, which belonged to the Nottingham and Principio companies, to wit:

THAT part of the White Marsh plantation which lies below the road, and was purchased at a former sale by John Hammond Cromwell. Lot No. 79, containing 219 1/2 acres. No. 6, 66 1/2 acres. No. 70, 212 1/2 acres, in the neighbourhood of Baltimore town. Also 7 acres of valuable meadow adjoining Baltimore-town, which belonged to James Christie. And lot No. 76 of My Lady's Manor, containing 114 1/2 acres.

At Frederick-town, on Saturday the 26th of November, will be sold, sundry lots of Monocacy Manor, to wit: Lot No. 29, 138 acres. No. 36, 252 acres. No. 63, 133 acres.

The property will be sold for current money, or any specie state certificates, payable on the first day of January 1790, with interest annually. Bond with approved security to be given on the day of sale.

CLEMENT HOLLYDAY,  
GABRIEL DUVALL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber intends to apply to the next general assembly for restitution of, or compensation for, that part of his confiscated property which remains unsold.

HENRY ADDISON.

October 26, 1785.  
To be SOLD, to the highest bidder, on Friday the 11th of November, if fair, if not the next fair day.

A VALUABLE plantation, lying on the North Run, near the Head of South river, containing two hundred and two acres; the improvements are, a good dwelling house and other out-houses, two good meadows, and a good apple orchard.

ROBERT ELLIOTT.  
N. B. The conditions of the sale to be, one half of the purchase money to be paid down, the other half in two equal payments, one at the end of six months, the other at twelve. Bond with security will be required.

Maryland, October 8, 1785.

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE tract of land, called Resurvey on Locust Thicket; it lies in Montgomery county, and contains one hundred and eighty-eight acres; the soil is well adapted to corn, wheat, or tobacco, and is well watered and timbered; there are about forty acres cleared, and about fifteen acres which may be improved into valuable meadow; it lies within two miles and a half of Montgomery court-house. Any person inclined to purchase may know the terms by applying to James Symphon, living at George town, or to the subscriber, living near Port-Tobacco.

PETER GREEN.

Pursuant to the last will and testament of the late Mr. John Chew, of Anne-Arundel county, will be exposed to public sale, at his late dwelling, on Friday the 4th of November next, if fair, if not the next fair day, for ready money,

PART of a tract of land called Birchhead's Lot, containing forty-nine acres, more or less, adjoining to his late dwelling plantation; also six negroes, consisting of men, women, and children, with the stock of horses, cattle, and plantation utensils, &c.

SAMUEL CHEW, ex-cutor.

To be SOLD, to the highest bidder, at the house of the subscriber, opposite Alexandria, on Monday the 28th of November, if fair, if not the next fair day,

ALL the personal estate of George Frazier Hawkins, Esq; deceased, consisting of negroes of different ages and sexes, cattle, sheep, hogs, and horses, and a variety of household furniture. Six months credit, with bond and good security, will be given for all sums above twenty-five shillings.

All persons who have claims against the estate, are requested to bring them in legally proved, and all those who are indebted to the same, will, by discharging them, much oblige their humble servant,

A. J. HAWKINS, executor.

October 20, 1785.

LOST or stolen from my pocket, in Marlborough, the 5th instant, a red Morocco Pocket Book, containing an agreement between Mr. James Perry and myself for a tract of land, a bond for conveyance of said land, two final settlement certificates, signed by Mr. John Purce, commissioner for settling the accounts of the army, and countersigned John White, D. C. dated the first of February 1785; viz. No. 89 450—157533 Dollars, on interest from the first of January 1783.

No. 89 457—15533 Dollars, on interest from March 1783.

I have taken proper methods to prevent any persons impeding the certificates on the continental treasurer, and the bonds can be of no service; I therefore will take it a particular favour of any person to return said certificates, besides a reward of eight dollars, paid by

SAMUEL B. BEALL.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Edward Boorman, sen. late of Charles county, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment, and those who have claims are desired to bring them in properly attested, that they may be settled, by

JAMES BOARMAN.

TAKEN up as a stray, by William Hays, in Anne-Arundel county, a small black gelding, eight years old, about twelve hands high, has a snip on his nose, his off hind foot white, hanging mane and bob tail, and two wall eyes. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.

TAKEN up as a stray, by Michael Mackinsey, a bay horse, about six years old, thirteen and a half hands high, trots and snod before, has a star in his forehead, some white on his nose, his fore feet white to his fetlocks, and has no perceivable brand. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.

Montgomery county, August 20, 1785.

THERE is in the rev. Mr. William's enclosure, a stray red steer, with large a star in his forehead, has a swallow fork in the right and an under bit in the left ear. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.

ALEXANDER ALLEN, manager.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Monday the 16th of January next, at the plantation of the late William Thomas, near Annapolis,

ABOUT twenty negroes, consisting of men, women, and children, among which are valuable plantation and house servants, also the flock of horses, black cattle, sheep, and hogs, with plantation utensils.

At same time will be exposed to sale, two thirds of that beautiful plantation, lying on the Mouth of South river, three miles from Annapolis, of about 800 acres in the whole, nearly half cleared, and of very good quality, producing fine tobacco, corn, wheat, rye, and oats, with some meadow in timothy, and more may be made at a small expence. Six months credit will be given to the purchasers of the land and negroes, on giving bond with approved security.

MARY THOMAS.

P. S. The other third of the abovementioned plantation being dower land, will be sold or rented on the day of sale, as may be then agreed on with the purchaser of the two thirds, and should there be no sale, the whole will be rented and possession given immediately.

M. T.

CHESTER-TOWN RACES.

To be run for, on Wednesday the 2d of November next, over a course at Chester-town,

A PURSE of THIRTY GUINEAS, three mile heats, carrying weight agreeable to the rules of the jockey club at Annapolis, and on Thursday following, will be run for, a purse of TWENTY GUINEAS, carrying weight for blood and age as follows, viz. full blood aged hogs to carry nine stone four pounds, to deduct seven pounds for every year under age, and ten pounds for every fourth deficiency in blood, the winning horse the first day excepted. Three reputed running horses to start, or no race. The judges will have ample power (in case of bad weather) to put off the racing to the ensuing fair day.

EDWARD WORRELL.

N. B. The eastern shore jockey club will sit at the same time at Chester-town, when applications for admittance into the same will be properly attended to.

Herring-bay, October 1, 1785.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC SALE on Wednesday the 14th of December next, if fair, if not the next fair day,

THIRTY valuable negroes, such as blacksmiths, carpenters, coopers, caulkers, sawyers, several lads and boys, and a few young women and children; some cattle and horses. The payments as follow, one fourth to be paid on delivery of the property, one fourth in four months, one fourth in eight months, and the other fourth in twelve months. Bonds on interest with approved security to be given before the property is delivered.

DAVID WHEMS.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Tuesday the first of November, if not sold before at private sale,

A NEGRO GIRL, about fourteen years of age. Equise of the printers.

St. Mary's county, October, 1785.

To be SOLD on the premises, to the highest bidder, agreeable to the last will and testament of Hugh Hopewell, deceased, on the 11th Friday in November next, if fair, if not the next fair day,

A VERY valuable tract of land, situated on Patuxent river, in St. Mary's county, containing upwards of 300 acres, four miles from the mouth of Patuxent, and adjoining Town creek; on the land are a large cow house, and several other houses convenient for three families; its prospect and situation for fish and oysters are equal to any on Patuxent river; there are about 200 acres in cultivation, and upwards of 300 well wooded and timbered; there may be erected a very good water mill at a small expence, as there formerly stood a mill, and nothing is now wanting but the house; the plantation is in good repair, and immediate possession will be given. Four or five years credit will be given the purchaser for the greatest part of the purchase money, as may be agreed on the day of sale, on his giving bond with interest and approved security.

All persons having claims against the abovesaid Hugh Hopewell, deceased, are desired to bring them to Charles Chilton, who is authorized to receive any monies due the estate of the said Hugh Hopewell, and give every necessary acquittance or discharge, or to the subscriber, that they may be adjusted and paid, and all those who are any ways indebted to the estate are requested immediately to settle and discharge the same. Those who neglect complying with this notice may depend on being dealt with as the law directs.

HANNAH HOPEWELL, executrix.

August 19, 1785.

THE subscriber, confined in the common goal of Cecil county for debt, intends to petition the general assembly at their first sitting for his liberation.

THOMAS MANUEL.