

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 45 years, his lips large and pouting, 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 the Arundel county, where he has commonly gone by the name of Lewin's Cesar; he ran away about 15 months ago, was taken up at Mr. Refin Hammond's quarter on the Head of Severn, where he had been hired a considerable 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 again, shall receive the above reward, and reasonable charges if brought home.

22 J. CRABB.

TO BE SOLD,
ATRACT of land, lying in Tulley's Neck, Queen-Anne's county, containing 1100 acres, divided and rented out at present in three tenements; it will be sold separately, in tenements, or all together; it is good farming land, well wooded and watered, with a fine bottom of a mile and a half extent running through the land, capable of being improved into fine meadow, in a good neighbourhood, convenient to church and mills, and distant from the court-house six, and from Chestertown twelve miles. The whole, or any tenement of the above tract, will be sold for specie, or any specie state certificates taken in payment, upon credit, with bond and good security, until the first day of January 1790. Apply to William Ringgold, of Chelster-town, or the subscriber,

14 JAMES RINGGOLD.

TWELVE DOLLARS REWARD.
 Annapolis, November 8, 1785.
STOLEN out of the house of the subscriber, on Wednesday night the second instant, three **GREAT COATS**, one a superfine blue broad cloth, quite new, with very elegant yellow buttons, the pockets on the out side pretty high under the arms; the other two were drab coloured coats, one had a crimson velvet cape, the buttons were covered with the same as the coat; the other had a cape the same as the coat, with mohair buttons. Four dollars reward will be given for either of the coats; and upon conviction of the thief the above reward, paid by

7 GEORGE GANN.

TAKEN up as a stray, by Thomas Cromwell, near Patapsco ferry, in Anne-Arundel county, a bay **GELDING**, about thirteen hands and a half high, shod all four, paces and canters, about thirteen years old, has a switch tail no perceivable brand, and both hind feet white. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.

STOLEN from a farm belonging to colonel Edward Lloyd, on Wye river, Talbot county, the 30th of November last, a bright bay **MARE**, about thirteen hands high, branded on the near buttock E L, trots and gallops, and very lively, about seven years old. Twenty pounds will be paid on conviction of the thief, and a reward of three pounds will be given for taking up and securing the mare so that the owner may get her again, by

3 RICHARD GRASON.

Worcester county, November 8, 1785.
NOTICE is hereby given to all persons concerned, that a petition will be preferred to the general assembly by the creditors of Jonathan Riggan, of the county aforesaid, deceased, praying an act to pass to make sale of the real estate of the said Jonathan, for the payment of his debts.

THERE is at the plantation of Thomas Crawford, of Prince-George's county, near Bladensburg, taken up as a stray, a small dark bay **GELDING**, about twelve hands high, has a star in the forehead and snip on the nose, 10 or 12 years old, branded on the near side, but with what not visible. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.

December 22, 1785.
THE subscribers to St. John's or the Western Shore College, in the counties following, are hereby notified to meet at the times and places following for the election of visitors and governors of the said college, in proportion to their subscriptions and according to law, viz.

In St. Mary's county, at Leonard-town, on Wednesday the 15th of February next; in Charles county, at Port-Tobacco, on Friday the 17th of February; the remaining or 2d class of subscribers in Prince-George's and Calvert counties, at Upper Marlborough, on Wednesday the 23d of February; the remaining or 3d class of subscribers of Baltimore county and those of Harford county, at Baltimore court-house, on Friday the 24th of February; and the fourth class of Anne-Arundel county, at the Stadt-house in Annapolis, on Tuesday the 28th of February; all which meetings at the respective places to be at 11 o'clock, A. M.

4 WILLIAM SMITH, RICHARD SPRIGG, agents.

Upper Marlborough, December 15, 1785.
 To the INHABITANTS of Prince-George's county.

AS all friendly requests and solicitations heretofore made by the securities of the late Thomas Williams, for payment of arrears of taxes due him, have in a manner been totally disregarded by all ranks of people; and to prevent in future any excuse or plea whatsoever to delay or put off the final settlement and immediate payment of said arrears: **FOR THE LAST TIME, NOTICE** is hereby given, that without respect to persons, or their situation, execution will issue on their property after the first day of January next, if the balances are not instantly paid; on application being made by

3X RINALDO JOHNSON, or WALTER S. CHANDLER, For the securities of THOMAS WILLIAMS.

Prince-George's county, December 26, 1785.
RAN away from the subscriber, the 7th day of November last, a likely well made negro man named **CHARLES**, about twenty years old, five feet eight inches high, his wool on his head remarkably long and combed up before; had on and took with him two brown roll shirts and trousers, an old cotton jacket, and a good felt hat; has large teeth before which stand wide apart. Whoever takes up and secures said negro, so that his master may get him again, shall receive a reward of fifty shillings, and reasonable charges if brought home, paid by

3X ALEXANDER DUVAL.

December 5, 1785.
 To be sold, at the Hommony Pot plantation, in Anne-Arundel county, near Pig-point, at public sale, to the highest bidder, on Tuesday the seventeenth of January next; if fair, if not the next day.

UPWARDS of twenty slaves, consisting of men, women, and children. Three years credit will be given on bond with good security, interest to be paid annually, and on failure of paying the interest three months after it becomes due, if demanded, the bond will be put in suit to recover principal and interest. At the same time will be sold, the stock and working utensils. No bond to be taken for less than twenty pounds, and a reasonable discount will be allowed for ready money.

5X WILLIAM FITZHUGH.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC VENDOR, 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 stock 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 above mentioned 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.

Lands for Private or Public Sale.

WHEREAS, we the subscribers, by authority of the Baltimore company, did, on the first day of July last, advertise for public sale, in the Baltimore and other news papers, several tracts of land, the property of said company, lying very near Baltimore town; and whereas, a considerable number of very valuable lots of different sizes, well wooded, with fine prospects, and others with excellent quarries of stone, being parts of the tracts called Gorfuch, Philipsburgh, Mingo, Royall, and Orange, are still untold; we do therefore now offer them to the public at private sale, on very easy terms, which will be made known and the plats shewn by the subscribers, or either of them. All such parts of the above property as may not be disposed of by private sale before the first Monday in March next, will on that day be offered at public sale, at the auction room in Baltimore-town, by

ABRAHAM VANBIBBER, CLEMENT BROOKE, JOHN MERRYMAN.

October 30, 1785.
THIS is to give notice, that I intend to apply to the general assembly to confirm and make valid the will of colonel Barton Lucas, late of Prince-George's county, deceased.

JOSEPH SPRIGG.

To be rented, or used for three years;
A VALUABLE FARM, on the north side of Severn 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 Burland in Baltimore, or William Goldsmith in Annapolis.

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THERE is at the plantation of Mrs. Ruth Hall, near West river, a fray dark bay **HORSE**, supposed to be about seven years old, thirteen hands high, has a short bob tail, paces, trots, and gallops. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.

WILLIAM URQUHART.

ALL persons having claims against Edward Hall, late of Frederick county, deceased, are requested to bring them in properly proved, and those indebted are desired to make payment to

WILLIAM HALL, MARSH M. DUVAL, } executors.

Bedlam Neck, St. Mary's county, December 2, 1785.
IFOREWARN all persons from hunting within my enclosures with either dog or gun.

JOHN SHANKS.

By the COMMITTEE of CLAIMS, November 14, 1785.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the committee of claims will sit at the assembly room, in the Stadt-house, every day during this session, from the hours of 9 in the morning till 3 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive and allow all just claims that may be exhibited against the public.

By order, A. GOLDER, clk.

November 17, 1785.
NOTICE is hereby given, that the inhabitants of George-town, on Patowmack river, intend to present a petition to the general assembly now sitting, praying for an incorporation of the said town.

October 25, 1785.
NOTICE is hereby given, that the inhabitants of Talbot county intend to petition the next general assembly to appoint commissioners for laying out a town at the court-house in said county.

PRINCE-FREDERICK-TOWN LOTTERY.

FOR disposing of a valuable house and lot, together with a quantity of goods applicable to the season, the property of Mr. Thomas Grahame, as follows, to wit:

Prizes.	Dollars.	Current money.
1	1040	390
1	100	37 10
1	80	30
1	60	22 10
1	50	18 15
1	40	15
2	30	22 10
3	20	22 10
4	16	24
6	12	27
10	10	37 10
20	8	60
30	6	67 10
50	4	75
285	3	320 12 6
416 Prizes, } 624 Blanks, }		£. 1170 7 6
1040		

From the above scheme there are only one and an half blanks to a prize, which must appear flattering to any person inclinable to become an adventurer; the goods will be proportioned in lots to the value of the different prizes, a list of which may be shewn previous to the day of drawing. Captain Freeland, Mr. Gray, Mr. Stone, and captain Williamson, are appointed managers, of whom tickets may be had at three dollars each, and if paid on or before the time of drawing twenty shillings will be received. The drawing to commence as soon as the tickets are disposed of and in the presence of the managers. Tickets may also be had of Mr. Price and Mr. Fairbourne in Annapolis, and at the printing-office.

London-town, May 25, 1785.
RAN away from the subscriber, the 28th of March last, a negro lad named **WILL PRIMUS**, about 20 or 22 years of age, tall and slender, has a long visage, and thick under lip, he is very artful, and a great rogue; he has been seen about the neighbourhood of Annapolis within these three weeks, but it is probable he has by this time gone farther, perhaps to Baltimore, as he has some acquaintances there. Whoever will bring him to me, or secure him so that I get him again, shall receive three pounds, if taken out of this county five pounds.

26 JAMES McCULLOCH.

TAKEN up by Henry Weedon, about the 20th of September 1785, near the lower end of Kent Island, a Moses built **BOAT**, about fourteen feet keel and six and a half feet beam, appears to be an old boat lately repaired, painted yellow. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges.

Annapolis, November 1, 1785.
ALL persons indebted to James Ringgold for dealings in his store are requested to call and settle their accounts, either by payment or bond, by the first day of January next, as the business from that time will be carried on under the firm of James and Peregrine Ringgold; he hopes compliance will be paid to the above request, which will prevent trouble to him and his friends.