

January 24, 1786.
THE plantation which I advertised during the fall for sale the 16th instant, not being sold, will now be rented for the present year, consisting of about 800 acres, lying on the mouth of South river, three to four miles from Annapolis. For terms apply to
MARY THOMAS.

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. GOLDR, clk.**

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
GEORGE MANN.

AGREABLY to a resolve of the general assembly, Messieurs Richard Tilghman, Richard Tilghman, of Richard, William Hopper, and Charles Price, intend to petition the next general assembly in behalf of themselves, and the heirs and assigns of Mr. Thomas Wright and Mr. Jacob Seth, deceased, who were formerly vestymen in the parish of St. Paul's, lying partly in Queen Anne's, and partly in Talbot county, for redress, they having made themselves accountable for monies which they borrowed to cover in and secure the walls of a new church, which was directed to be built in said parish, where old Chester church formerly stood, and to carry on the said building, the sums levied for that purpose being insufficient, wherby they are likely to be great sufferers, of which all persons concerned are desired to take notice.

By the COMMITTEE of GRIEVANCES and COURTS of JUSTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the committee of grievances and courts of justice will sit every day during the present session, from 9 o'clock in the morning until 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

By order, **W. PINKNEY, clk.**

COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, a negro, who stands committed by the name of **GEORGE GREEN**, but since says that his name is **HARRY**, and that he belongs to one widow Tibbs, of the State of Virginia; he is a likely young fellow, about twenty-one or two years of age, of a light complexion. The owner thereof is desired to take him away and pay charges.
SAMUEL ABELL, late sheriff of St. Mary's county.

To be SOLD at the Printing-Office,

JOURNAL OF A CONVENTION OF THE Protestant Episcopal Church

In the states of NEW-YORK, NEW-JERSEY, PENNSYLVANIA, DELAWARE, MARYLAND, VIRGINIA, and SOUTH CAROLINA; held in Christ Church, in the city of Philadelphia.

To be RENTED,

Or SOLD for cash, or on an extensive credit, and possession given in a few weeks,

THE house wherein the subscriber now lives, with or without three acre lots adjoining, to which a good title will be made.
FREDERICK GREEN.

Annapolis, February 7, 1786.

THE subscriber having an assignment of the debts due to Mr. Thomas Rutland, of the city of Annapolis, for dealings at his several stores in Virginia and Maryland, hereby earnestly requests all persons indebted to Mr. Rutland as aforesaid to make immediate payment to the subscriber, to whom; and to whom only, the debts are payable. He will be compelled, though reluctantly, to take legal steps for the recovery of those debts from all persons without distinction, who do not, without delay, comply with this request.
JOHN PETTY.

January 26, 1786.

AN house-keeper, for a genteel family in the city of Annapolis, may be informed of a good place by applying to the printers of this paper.
ANNAPOLIS:

Printed by F. and S. GREEN, at the POST-OFFICE, Francis-Street.

To be SOLD by the subscribers, at PRIVATE SALE,

A VALUABLE tract of land, situate on Elk-Ridge, formerly the residence of Nicholas Greenbury Rigely, deceased, about thirty miles from Baltimore town, and thirty five from Annapolis, containing six hundred and twenty acres; this tract of land is very fertile, and well calculated for farming or planting, having a large quantity of meadow ground interspersed with a number of streams of excellent water; it is a very healthy situation, and in good order for immediate cultivation; there are on the premises a good dwelling house with three rooms on a floor, kitchen and negro quarters, two tobacco houses and a barn, and all other out-houses, necessary for the convenience of residing comfortably in the country, erected thereon.

It sold, the purchaser may have on easy terms the crop in the ground, and that already made, consisting of a large quantity of small grain, &c. also a variety of stock, consisting of horses, cattle, sheep, and plantation utensils of every kind. Possession will be delivered at any time.

The period of payment will be from one to seven years, on interest, as may best suit the purchaser. The terms may be known, by application to the subscribers, in Baltimore-town.
R. RIDGELY, H. RIDGELY.

Charles county, February 8, 1786.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of the late Dr. Walter Hanlon Jenifer, are requested to bring them in properly authenticated that they may be paid, and it is expected that those indebted to the said estate will pay without delay or further notice, that the executors may be enabled to pay off the debts and legacies of the deceased.
DANIEL JENIFER, DANIEL JENIFER, jun. } executors.

EIGHT DOLLARS REWARD.

February 7, 1786.



RAN away from the subscriber, living near the lower ferry on Susquehanna, on the 25th of January last, a mulatto fellow named **BEN**, about six feet high, well made, and his lately received a wound on one neck, and a considerable cut just above his right temple; had on when he went away a mixed country cloth coat, jacket, and breeches, with coarse stockings and shoes, and a castor hat, but it is probable his dress may be entirely changed, as he had other cloaths with him. I bought him a few years ago of Kinsey Hance, of Calvert county, and I expect he has got back to that neighbourhood. Whoever will deliver him to Stephen Rawlings, at West river, or the subscriber, shall receive the above reward, and all reasonable charges, paid by
P. THOMAS.

SIXTEEN DOLLARS REWARD.

Piscataway, Prince-George's county, February 8, 1786.



WENT away last October, from Mr. Queens, Eastern Branch a yellow negro fellow, of the Butler breed, named **MATHEW**, about nineteen or twenty years of age, five feet 7 or 8 inches high; when examined speaks fast, and has a down look. He formerly belonged to Edward Newport, of Charles county; he was seen at Annapolis about three or four weeks before Christmas, and it is supposed he went from there to Baltimore about that time. His father and mother belong to one Mrs. Bradford, near Badenburg, and he may perhaps be lurking about there. Whoever will secure the said fellow, so that I get him again, shall receive the above reward, and if brought home all reasonable charges, paid by
BASIL EDELEN.

N. B. I do not recollect his apparel; he probably may change his name, and endeavour to pass for a free man.
Sotterly, St. Mary's county, January 28, 1786.



RAN away from the subscriber, a very likely negro man named **TOWERMILL**, about twenty-five years of age, five feet nine or ten inches high, black complexion, well made, and of a soft insinuating manner; had on a cotton waistcoat and breeches, good country made shoes and stockings, but may probably have changed his apparel, as it is supposed he had with him a sailor's jacket. He eloped last fall, and was taken up in Baltimore, and then confined in jail; it is very probable he may attempt to get to Baltimore again. Whoever secures the said fellow, so that his master may get him again, shall receive ten dollars reward.
GEORGE PLATER.



TAKEN up as a stray, by Adam Miller, living in Anne Arundel county, a bay MARE, about five years old, thirteen hands high, has a black mane and tail, and no perceivable brand. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges.
JOHN PETTY.

TAKEN up as a stray, by Ruth Welch, living in Prince George's county, a small red and white STEER, with two spots in the right ear, and one in the left with an under cut. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.
JOHN PETTY.

Annapolis, February 16, 1786.
 Published the last time, for the information of the citizens of Maryland.

In CONGRESS, March 17, 1785.

WHEREAS it must conduce to the preservation of public credit, and the equal distribution of justice, that the amount of the national debt be ascertained with the utmost expedition, and as delay in the settlement of accounts tends to render them obicure; and to encourage frauds by preventing the means of detecting them.

Resolved, That all persons having unliquidated claims against the United States, be, and they are hereby required within twelve months from the date hereof, to deliver a particular abstract of such claims to some commissioner in the state in which they respectively reside, who is authorized to settle accounts against the United States. And any person or persons neglecting to deliver their claims as aforesaid, shall be precluded from any adjustment of the same, except at the board of treasury; provided, that in those states where there is no commissioner of accounts, the citizens of such state or states shall be allowed one year for delivering their claims from the time when a commissioner shall have been appointed and enter on the duties of his office.

That all persons who shall neglect to deliver in a particular abstract of their claims as aforesaid, shall be excluded from the benefit of settlement or allowance.

CHARLES THOMSON, sec.

The office for adjusting lottery prizes, and all unliquidated claims against the United States by individuals, (loan-office certificates excepted) will be kept open in this city until the first day of next June, after which no account can possibly be admitted on any pretence whatsoever.

JOHN WHITE, commissioner of accounts.

February 9, 1786.

THE drawing of LA FAYETTE VILLAGE lottery is deferred until the 10th day of April next, when it will commence at the Cool Springs, under the inspection of the managers. A few tickets remain unsold, which may be had of the managers, or of captain John Halkerton, Upper Marlborough; Mr. William Danford, Bladensburg; Dr. Marshall, Piscataway; Mr. Matthew Blair, Port-Tobacco; captain Thomas Dyson and company's store, Allen's Fresh; Mr. Benjamin Reeder's store, Newport; Messieurs Tubman and Wakeley's store, Benedict; and of Mr. George Leigh, Leonard-town.

THIS is to give notice to all persons who are indebted to the subscriber, by bond, note, or open account, that unless they come immediately and pay off the same, suits will be commenced against them to March term, without respect to persons.
JAMES MACKUBIN.

Annapolis, February 1, 1786.

To be SOLD or HIRED,

THE subscriber's negro man **JACK**, well known in this town. All persons are hereby forbidden to employ the said negro, without permission in writing from me,
MARY DULANY.

To be SOLD,

AN exceeding good FLAT that carries four cords of wood. Apply to **R. WELSH, at Talley's.**

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