

Prince-George's county, October 1, 1786.  
**T O B E R E N T E D,**  
 For one or more years,  
 THE plantation whereon I now dwell. Any person inclinable to rent it, may know the terms by applying to Mr. Benjamin Hall. Also nearness to here.  
 MARGARET MUNDOCK.

October 3, 1786.  
**N O T I C E** is hereby given, that a petition will be presented to the general assembly, at their next session, praying that an act may pass, explanatory of that part of the charter of the city of Annapolis which relates to the residence of the electors or free voters thereof. 8 w 2

**N O T I C E** is hereby given, that we intend to take the depositions of witnesses to establish the will of Notley Maddock, late of Charles county, deceased, and to establish our right to lands devised from him, on Monday the twenty-seventh day of November next, at the house of Robert D. Semmes, in Port-Tobacco-town, of which all persons concerned are desired to take notice.

HENRY MADDOCKE,  
 NOTLEY MADDOCKE.

MRS. SMITH has opened a boarding school for young ladies in Annapolis; she teaches drawing, shell work, tambour, open work, embroidery, crowning, shading, netting, and a variety of fine works; likewise plain work, marking and reading. Mrs. Smith will teach her boarders writing and reading French, and she will pay the greatest attention to the health and improvement of the young ladies boarded with her.

September, 1786.  
**T H E** subscriber, not only long ago obtained a deed, which is not yet recorded, from Edmond Bladen, then of Queen Anne's county, for fifty acres of land, out of a tract called Long Range, formerly in D. Chester, and now in Caroline county, but also had a tract of land surveyed by the name of Casson's Meadows and Vacancy which he has got no patent for, through neglect his recollection occasioned, he therefore intends to apply to the Chancellor of this State, pursuant to the direction of a late act of our general assembly, in order to get his moral right to both the said parcels of land legally confirmed; neither is more than three miles from Choptank-bridge, and surrounding neighbours know what is now said about them.

**T A K E N** up as a stray, by Burford Cotte, in Charles county, a small dark bay MARE, about thirteen hands high, neither docked nor braned, appears to have been but little accustomed to riding, eight or nine years old, trots and gallops, has a long hanging mane and switch tail, both of which, as well as her legs, are black: she appears to be with foal. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges.



**T E N P O U N D S R E W A R D.**

September 30, 1786.  
**R A N** away, a few days ago, from the subscribers, living in Fairfax county, Virginia, two slaves, viz. DICK, a very ugly well made mulatto fellow, about 25 years of age, has bushy hair or wool, which he generally combs back, large features and eyes, a grum down look when spoken to, is a suttie artful fellow, well acquainted both in Virginia and Maryland, beats a drum pretty well, and has been formerly a waiting man; he took with him a light lead coloured country cloth coat with white metal buttons, a shirt green ditto, a white cloth waistcoat, a red ditto faced with black velvet, a round hat half worn, and common shoes and stockings; he ran away some time ago, when he worked on board a bay craft, by the name of Thomas Webster.

WATTS, a stout negro fellow, remarkably black, about thirty five years of age, has lost some of his teeth before, which in some measure affects his voice, has had cross paths lately shaved on his head, to conceal which it is probable, he will shave or cut close the rest of his head, he is an artful fellow, has a down look, and seems confused when examined; he took with him a brown cloth coat, a pair of black breeches, and a variety of cloths not known. They will perhaps change their names and pass for free men, and it is probable they may have a forged pass. They will probably make for the eastern shore, or for the state of Delaware or Pennsylvania. The above reward, or five pounds for either of them, will be paid for delivering them to the subscribers, or for securing them in any goal, and giving us notice, so that we get them again, and, if brought home, all reasonable charges paid. All captains or skippers of vessels, and others, are hereby warned, at their peril, from taking them on board or employing them.

GEORGE MASON,  
 GEORGE MASON, jun.

George-town, August 29, 1786.  
**T H E** inhabitants of Montgomery county intend to present a petition to the next general assembly, for two inspections of tobacco, at George-town, in the said county.

Chesler-town, September 5, 1786.  
**N O T I C E** is hereby given, that the subscribers intend to prefer a petition to the general assembly, at their next sitting, to pass an act to confirm and ratify a verbal contract between Isaac Spencer, lately deceased, and the subscriber Benjamin Roberts, relative to a part of a tract of land in Queen Anne's county, called Crompton, and a mill and mill seat thereon, and also to empower the guardian of Isaac Spencer, son and heir of Isaac Spencer, deceased, to appropriate a part of the profits of his estate to complete the engagements entered into by his aforesaid father.

HANNAH SPENCER,  
 BENJAMIN ROBERTS.

Annapolis, September 13, 1786.  
**A L L** persons indebted to the estate of Colonel James Tootell, deceased, are earnestly requested to make payment by the 20th of October next, those that do not comply with this request will be dealt with, as the law directs, to November court; the demand against said estate require our being thus urgent.

JAMES WILLIAMS, } acting  
 JOSEPH DOWSON, } administrators.  
 Several young likely negro women for sale. For terms apply to

JAMES WILLIAMS.

Annapolis, September 11, 1786.  
**H o u s e B u i l d i n g.**

**W E**, the subscribers, will undertake to erect or repair any building, finding materials and labour, or labour only, as may be most agreeable to those who please to employ us; also to design, estimate, measure and survey any building, and make out bills of standing, &c. &c. in an expeditious and neat manner, and on reasonable terms.

EDWARD VIDLER,  
 ROBERT KEY.

A few Copies of the  
**L A W S**  
 Of the last Session,  
 And  
 The VOTES and PROCEEDINGS  
 Of both Houses,  
 To be sold at the Printing-  
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September 23, 1786.  
**T H I S** is to give notice, that sundry of the inhabitants of Montgomery, Frederick, and Washington counties, intend to present a petition to the next general assembly, for one more inspection for tobacco, at George town, on Patowmack river. 3 8 w

Anne-Arundel county, August 17, 1786.  
**N O T I C E** is hereby given, that the subscriber intends to petition the next general assembly to confirm the devise made to her by the will of her late husband, John Mercer, deceased, to her and her heirs for ever.

SUSANNA MERCER.

Charles county, August 13, 1786.  
**I** HEREBY give notice to all whom it may concern, that I intend to prefer a petition to the next general assembly of the state of Maryland, praying that honorable body to pass an act to correct and alter a particular course of a tract of land, called Crofman's Entrance, lying and being in the county aforesaid, so as to include the land purchased by warrant of reurvey.

JACOB WARE.

State of Maryland, August 12, 1786.  
**N O T I C E** is hereby given, that I intend to petition the next general assembly of Maryland, praying a law may pass, authorising and empowering me to erect and rebuild my water mill, in Calbot county, and state aforesaid.

JOHN HARDCASTLE.

**Negro shoes**  
**F I V E** hundred pairs of the best quality; to be sold, on the lowest terms, by the subscriber, in London-town, who receives hides for tanning as usual.  
 EDWARD EFFION.  
 N. B. They may also be had of Messieurs Abfalem Ridgely, William Wilkins, James West, and John Wiseman, in Annapolis.

Cecil county, July 31, 1786.  
**N O T I C E** is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that I intend to petition the next general assembly of the state of Maryland, for an act of insolvency to discharge my person from imprisonment for debts which I am unable to pay.

WILLIAM BROWN.

Charles county, September 19, 1786.  
**T o b e l e a s e d,** for a term not exceeding three years, and possession given the first day of January next, THE subscriber's store-houses, at the head of Wicomico river, at present occupied by Messieurs Simms and Dyson. For terms apply to Walter Winter, Esq; of Charles county.

JOHN CAMPBELL.

**ANNAPOLIS RACES.**

**T H E** Jockey Club PURSE will be run for over a course near Annapolis, on the second Thursday of November next, weights as usual, any member of the Club may start a horse, mare, or gelding, although not his own property, provided he pays no consideration whatever for the loan thereof, and is solely to receive the benefit of the plate, should he win. The members of the Club are desired to pay in their subscriptions for the present year to Mr. George Mann, on or before the first day of November next, and all those gentlemen who are in arrear are most earnestly requested to pay them up by that time. The members of the Club are requested to meet at Mr. Mann's the day before the race, precisely at twelve o'clock.

Charles county, September 20, 1786.  
**F O R S A L E,**

**T H E** four following tracts of land, lying in Montgomery county, about twenty-five miles from George-town, and twenty from Frederick-town, viz. Conclusion and Number One, adjoining tracts, containing three hundred and sixty acres, about one hundred and fifty of which are cleared land under good fences; the improvements are, a good dwelling house, kitchen, barn, &c. and about four hundred bearing fruit trees. Part of Conclusion Increased, containing two hundred and twenty nine acres, about eighty of which are cleared land, with a small log dwelling house, &c. and a few fruit trees; and part of Rich Land, containing three hundred and nineteen acres of unimproved land; the soil of the whole of these lands is well adapted for corn, wheat, or tobacco. Cash or tobacco will be taken in payment; one fourth to be paid by the first day of March next; three years credit will be given for the other three fourths, on giving bond on interest with approved security. Any person inclining to purchase may see the land by applying to Mr. Baker Howard, who lives on the last mentioned place.

BENJAMIN REEDER.

Nottingham, Patuxent river, Prince-George's county, September 15, 1786.

**PUBLIC SALE,**

**O F** a very valuable estate, by virtue of a deed of trust from Mr. Walter Brooke Cox and Anne his wife, to Fielder Bowie and Anne Cox, executrix of Thomas Smith Cox, bearing date the 9th of May 1786, which said deed of trust was made by the said Mr. Walter Brooke Cox, in consequence of the said Fielder Bowie and Thomas Smith Cox, deceased, having become surety for the said Mr. Walter Brooke Cox in Samuel Hughes, Esq; and for which said debt judgment hath been obtained, and execution issued against the principal and his securities, for the payment of which, will be exposed to public sale, on Thursday the 15th of December next, if fair, if not the next fair day, on the premises, for ready money, the following tracts or parcels of land; Orchard, containing 190 acres; Quick Sale, 52; part of Twiford, containing 108; Part Littleworth, containing 20 acres; and Good Luck 39 acres; in the whole making 499 acres; all which said lands lieth adjoining to each other, and situate within half a mile of the town of Nottingham, on Patuxent river. This land is very level, and well adapted to corn, wheat, rye, and tobacco, and has the advantage of an extensive range for all kinds of stock, with wood sufficient to support the whole with care. On the premises are, a convenient dwelling house, kitchen, meat house, corn house, three tobacco houses, and two negro quarters, all in but bad repair, two small orchards of excellent fruit; part of this plantation is under good fence. This land will be sold as will best suit, together or separate; the title thereof is indisputable. At the same time and place will be sold, one other tract of land, it is the present residence of Mr. Walter Brooke Cox, containing about 128 acres, on which are, a good and convenient dwelling house, kitchen, quarter, corn house, &c. &c. There is likewise on this tract a great variety of fruits; it is a beautiful situation, and the soil good, and has a never failing spring of good water near the buildings.

And on Monday the 18th of December next, if fair, if not the next fair day, will be sold on the same terms, the following tract of land, in Montgomery county, about 8 miles from Bladensburg, 10 from George-town, and 35 from Baltimore-town, containing 517 acres, on this place is erected a convenient and comfortable dwelling house 38 by 28, with three rooms and a passage below, two rooms above stairs, and brick chimneys, with all necessary outhouses, such as kitchen, negro quarters, outhouses, and tobacco houses; there are also on this land, about half a mile from the former, a good dwelling house with stone chimneys, and all necessary outhouses; there are a great variety of fruit trees of all kinds on both these tenements; the soil is well adapted to the cultivation of corn, wheat, and tobacco, and as it is so conveniently situated to those several capital and improving trading towns, there cannot be a doubt but it will become very valuable in a few years. And also, on Thursday the 14th of December, will be sold to the highest bidder, nineteen valuable country born slaves, consisting of men, women, boys, and girls; also all the horses and cattle, among which are some valuable oxen, and all the plantation utensils. Attendance will be given on the days appointed, by

FIELDER BOWIE,  
 ANNE COX, executrix of  
 Thomas S. Cox.

Caroline county, August 15, 1786.  
**PUBLIC** notice is hereby given, that a petition will be preferred to the next general assembly, praying that an act may pass for the erecting the public buildings of said county at Choptank Bridge.