

old man has lived to see seven sovereigns wield the British sceptre; and in the evening of life has the happiness to see liberty dawning in the west, under the auspices of a new and rising empire established in those wilds, and on those shores, of which but a short time since the eastern world was possessed of a knowledge.

CHARLESTON, (S. C.) March 12.

In consequence of the Spaniards taking possession of the Musquito Shore, many of the inhabitants of that place are obliged speedily to remove their property, many under a particular predicament, cannot return to their native shore; others more happy, are determined to retire to Carolina or Georgia. A gentleman from thence arrived here last week with his whole property to settle in this state. Many families intend to follow him shortly. We are happy to find our legislature disposed to encourage an emigration which must prove so beneficial to the community. There are about twenty families and five hundred negroes.

ANNAPOLIS, April 12.
On Saturday last arrived here the ship Nantes, captain Skinner, from London, who on the 8th of March, spoke the ship Biddey, Richard Tolbert, master, from Virginia, for London, all well; and on the 17th spoke the brig Bertsey, William Jones, from Baltimore, for Fayal, out five days, and in the longitude of 65, 30, all well.

ARTICLES will be inserted in our next.
MODESTUS, RUSTICUS, and AN ADDRESS to the honourable the Speaker of the House of Delegates, signed A CONSTITUENT, will be inserted as early as possible.

By the PRESIDENT and DIRECTORS of the PATOW-MACK COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the power and authority vested in them by the act for opening and extending the navigation of Patowmack river, forty-six shares in the said company will be sold at auction, at the court-house in Alexandria, in the state of Virginia, on Monday the fourth of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon; and nine shares in the said company will be sold, at Shuter's tavern, in George town, on Monday the twenty-first day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, they being the shares of such of the proprietors as are delinquents in making the first and second payments on their respective shares which have been heretofore called for by the board.
By order of the board,
JOHN POTTS, jun. sec.

April 3, 1787. **1**
March 1, 1787.

ROEBUCK.

THE beautiful thorough bred horse ROEBUCK, nine years old next spring, the property of the subscriber, will cover the ensuing season at Port-Tobacco, in Charles county, at five pounds current money a mare, but if paid by the first day of August six, three pounds, and a dollar to the groom, will be received in lieu of five pounds. It is useless to insert his pedigree, as it is so well known, but it may be seen at his stable. Good pasturage is provided for mares that come a distance, at half a dollar per week, and great care will be taken of them, but will not be answerable for accidents or escapes.
WILLIAM M. WILKINSON.

Bennett's-point, Wye, April 4, 1787.
FOR SALE,
By the subscriber,

TRACT of land called the Revival, containing one thousand acres or thereabouts, lying and being in Caroline county, this land is well adapted to the growth of Indian corn, wheat and tobacco, advantageously situated on the waters of Choptank river; there is on the land a full proportion of wood and timber; it will be laid off in lots or sold altogether, as most convenient to the purchasers. Also to be sold, a tract of land called Chestnut Neck Corrected, lying in Queen-Anne's county, containing three hundred and fifty acres, or thereabouts, pleasantly situated on Chester river; a large proportion of this tract is in wood and timber, which from its contiguity to Chester town adds greatly to its value. The terms of sale are for cash or good London bills of exchange, to be paid upon executing the deeds. For further particulars inquire of
2 RICHARD BENNETT LLOYD.

Annapolis, April 3, 1787.
To be sold, at public sale, on Tuesday the 17th inst. at the store late occupied by Joseph Eastman, deceased.

SUNDRY merchandise, about two hundred pounds of bedding, some household furniture, one young negro woman and boy, and a new house, on Green Street.
2X JAMES WILLIAMS, administrator.

Annapolis, April 4, 1787.
SAL T.

For SALE, by the Subscribers,

A **CARGO** of fine Anguilla **SALT.** Also a number of **SBINS,** from 40 to 50 fathoms long, with sundry dry goods, which they will dispose of, on the most reasonable terms, for cash or country produce.
2 JOHN PETTY, and Co.

Treasury of the United States.

The commissioners of the board of treasury hereby give notice,

THAT proposals will be received at their office till the 30th day of May next inclusive, for the supply of all rations which may be required for the troops on the present establishment, from the 1st day of July 1787, to the 1st day of July 1788, (both dates inclusive) at the places, and within the districts, herein after mentioned, viz.

At any place or places betwixt York-town in the state of Pennsylvania, and Fort Pitt; and at Fort Pitt.
At any place or places betwixt Fort Pitt and Fort M'Intosh, on the river Ohio; and at Fort M'Intosh.
At any place or places betwixt Fort M'Intosh, and the mouth of the river Muskingum; and at the mouth of the said river Muskingum.
At any place or places betwixt the mouth of the said river Muskingum, and the mouth of Scioto river; and at the mouth of the said river Scioto.
At any place or places betwixt the mouth of the Scioto river, and the mouth of the Great Miami; at the mouth of the Great Miami. And from thence to the Rapids on the falls of the Ohio; and at the said Rapids.

At any place or places from the Mouth of the Miami river to the Miami village; and at the Miami village.
From the Miami village to Sandusky, and at Sandusky; from Sandusky to the mouth of the Cayoga river.

At any place or places betwixt Fort-Pitt and Venango; and at Venango.
At any place or places betwixt Venango and Le Beau, at Le Beau; betwixt Le Beau, and Presq' Isle, at Presq' Isle; and betwixt Presq' Isle and the mouth of Cayoga river.
At the mouth of Cayoga river, and at any place or places on the route from Fort Pitt to the mouth of Cayoga river.

should any rations be required at any places or within other districts, and not specified in these proposals, the price of the same to be hereafter agreed on betwixt the board of treasury and the contractor.
The rations to be supplied, is to consist of the following articles, viz.

- One pound of bread or flour.
 - One pound of beef, or 1/2 lb of pork.
 - One gill of common rum.
 - One quart of salt,
 - Two quarts of vinegar,
 - Two pounds of soap,
 - One pound of candles,
- per 100 rations.

The proposals must ascertain the prices of the component parts of the rations, and specify the longest credit, and the terms of payment, which the persons who offer are willing to engage on.
By order,
WILLIAM DUER, Sec'y.

March 18, 1787. **2**
Anne Arundel county.

I HEREBY forewarn all person or persons whatsoever from taking a transfer of, or an assignment on, any lease or obligation for a lease (dated the 8th of August, 1785,) from Mr. John Creigh Mackubin to Dr. John Shuttleworth, for a piece of land on north side of South river, as said land is my property; and no transfer or assignment of the same, will be considered valid, and only involve the purchaser in law-suits, as will appear by the following certificate.
THOMAS RUTLAND.

Annapolis, March 31, 1787.
I hereby certify, that all the land Dr. John Shuttleworth now holds, on the north side of South river, (through a pretended lease, or obligation for one, from me), is the property of Mr. Thomas Rutland, of Edmund, of Anne-Arundel county; and no transfer, or sale of any obligation, from said Shuttleworth, touching or concerning the premises, shall be binding.
JOHN C. MACKUBIN.

Testis. ROBERT MOORE. **2**
Annapolis, April 3, 1787.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the late Joseph Eastman, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment, and those that have claims against said estate, are desired to bring them in legally proved, to
2 JAMES WILLIAMS, administrator.

George-town, Montgomery county, March 26, 1787.
TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.
RAN away, the first of November last, a negro lad named CHARLES, about 18 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 10 inches high, slim made, small legs, and large feet, his knees bending inwards, and has eyes inclining to red; he was seen, sometime after his elopement, driving a cart in Annapolis, and perhaps on that account may have crossed the bay. Whoever takes up said slave, and gives information of his being committed to gaol, shall be entitled to ten dollars, or the above reward if brought home.
2 JOHN PETER.

Annapolis, March 23, 1787.
THE subscriber begs leave to inform the public in general, and his friends in particular, that he still continues to carry on the turning business in all its various parts, such as turning of bed-heads, &c. making of spinning-wheels; and, in a word, carries on all the different parts, which are too tedious to mention, at his house and shop, backside of the Stadt-house. Those who please to employ him, may depend upon having their work well executed, on the most reasonable terms. He acknowledges, with gratitude, the favours he has formerly received from his friends, and hopes for their future countenance.—And is their very humble servant,
3X JAMES ROYSTON.

Virginia, February 20, 1787.

FOR SALE.

THE tract of land whereon I live, containing 492 acres, lying in King George county, near the Head of Machodock Creek, convenient to churches, warehouses, court-house, and several valuable mills; about one half of it is cleared and under good fencing, the other half extremely rich, and abounding in timber of different kinds, with a dwelling house thereon, 46 by 30 feet; 4 rooms on the lower floor with fire places in them, two closets and a passage 12 feet wide, two rooms above, two closets, and a passage, to which is added a portico 46 by 12 feet, with a lodging room at each end, a kitchen, laundry, stable 78 by 12, barns, and all other necessary out houses, and the whole well calculated for cropping; there are on the premises large apple and peach orchards, and a variety of the best chosen pears, cherries, plumbs, apricots, &c. Any person inclining to purchase, may view the land, and know the terms, by applying to
2 JOHN ASHTON, ferm.

South river, April 4, 1787.
THE subscriber would take a young gentleman, about fifteen or sixteen years of age, as an apprentice to the study of physic.
2 T. N. SCKETT.

Charles county, March 10, 1787.
WHEREAS a certain JESSE BURCH SMALLWOOD was bound to me until he should arrive to the age of twenty-one years, which time will not expire till March 1788; and whereas he, on the 28th day of February last, eloped from my service, without any cause, on my part; these are, therefore, to forewarn all persons from harbouring or entertaining the said Jesse Burch Smallwood, under the penalty of being dealt with as the law directs.
2 BENJAMIN CAWOOD.

Prince-George's county, March 17, 1787.
The Imported Horse ECLIPSE,

STANDS this season at Collington Meadow, and covers at four guineas a mare, and seven shillings and six-pence to the groom. Those gentlemen, who favoured me with their mares heretofore, shall have them, or the same number, covered on their own account, at three guineas a mare. **ECLIPSE** is in high health and order, and his pedigree is equal to any horse in America.

UNION,
STANDS at the same place, and will cover at two guineas a mare, and five shillings to the groom. **UNION** is now in high health and order. Either of those horses are for sale. I have also several high bred colts and fillies for sale.
RICHARD BENNETT HALL.

Pasturage for mares at two shillings and six-pence per week, but will not be answerable for accidents or escapes.
2 R. B. H.

CARELESS,

WILL cover this season at Strawberry-hill, near Annapolis, at six dollars the mare, and one dollar to the groom.
Excellent pasturage (under a good fence) for mares at three shillings and nine-pence per week, great care will be taken of them, but not answerable for escapes or other accidents.
Careless was got by colonel Baylor's Fearnought, his dam by Dove, his grand-dam by Othello, his great-grand dam by Old Spark, his great-great-grand dam was the high bred imported mare Queen Mao, that was the dam of colonel Hopper's Pacolet. **2** 5w

Prince-George's county, March 10, 1787.
SLIPPERY JACK,

THE property of the subscriber, will cover mares this season at three pounds each, at the subscriber's, about seven miles from Bladensburg, and nearly the same distance from Snowden's iron-works; he is a fine black, full fifteen hands high, is well formed, and has a sufficient share of strength and bone; he was got by Mr. Sprigg's Careless, whose pedigree is well known, his dam by Dr. Hamilton's imported Figure, his grand-dam by Arie; and his great-great-grand dam by Spark; out of a full bred mare; he is in high condition, and his blood is good.
CHARLES DUVAL.

N. B. The subscriber trains horses for the turf with care and attention on reasonable terms. **4** C. D.

January 29, 1787.
APETITION will be preferred by sundry inhabitants of Charles and Prince-George's counties to the next general assembly, praying that the road (now a private one) leading from Samuel Hanlon, Esquire's, in Charles county, to Speake's ferry, Potomack inspection house, and a number of the best capital fisheries on Patowmack river, may be created into a public one. **4**

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