

By virtue of a decree of the court of Chancery the subscriber will SELL, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Tuesday the 30th day of January, 1798, at 10 o'clock, A. M. on the premises, a TRACT of LAND, called CHELSEA, lying in Prince George's county, the property of Mr. Humphrey Belt, this tract containing by estimation eight hundred acres, but will probably on a survey be found to contain more. A plot of the land will be prepared, and it will, if necessary, be divided into two or more tracts. This land is situated in the south of Prince George's county, near the Brick Church; it is distant about seven miles from Queen Anne, five from Upper Marlborough, and eleven from the city of Washington; it lies nearly in a square, is extremely level, and the soil is of the first quality, well adapted for the cultivation of tobacco, Indian corn, and small grain; there is a considerable quantity of meadow ground, and a sufficiency of timber; the improvements are valuable, consisting of a comfortable dwelling-house, with out-houses, and several tobacco-houses, and other buildings, suitable for a plantation, and there are on one extremity of the land a smaller dwelling, with out-houses. A more particular description is not deemed necessary, as those who are inclined to purchase this valuable estate, or any part of it, will have an opportunity of viewing it before the sale. The terms of sale are as follow: The purchaser or purchasers of the whole or any part of the land shall pay down the purchase money at the time of the sale, or immediately after the ratification thereof by the chancellor; and on the ratification of the sale by the chancellor, and on the payment of the purchase money, the right, title, interest and estate of the said Humphrey Belt, and of the mortgagees, will be conveyed as directed by the decree.

WILLIAM KILTY, Trustee.

December 9, 1797.

**St. John's College,**

December 11, 1797.

WHEREAS it appears to the trustees of the said college that there are considerable arrearages on the books of the college, great part of which hath been long due from students who have quitted the same, this is therefore to inform the parent or guardian of such student from whom any arrears is due, that they are earnestly requested to make payment of their tuition accounts without delay, and unless the said request is complied with before the 10th day of February, the board will consider themselves under the disagreeable necessity of enforcing such payment.

By order of the board,  
RICHARD OWEN, Collector.

A LIST of LETTERS remaining in the Post-Office, Piscataway.

MRS. ADDISON, care of Mr. Judson Clagett, Mrs. Walter Addison, care of J. M. Clagett, Mr. John Boyd, care of Thos. Clagett, Mr. Thomas Brown Kinty, Piscataway; Mrs. Martha Dent, Charles county; Mr. Edward Edeles, Mount Air, Piscataway; Dennis M'Gruder, Esq; Prince George's county; John Hefelius, Esq; Oxen Hill, 2 letters; Mrs. Hefelius, care of J. M. Clagett, Mrs. Mary Hefelius, at the reverend W. Addison's, Mr. Samuel Hamilton, near Piscataway; Mr. Richard Lankam, Piscataway, 2 letters; Noddy Maddox, Esq; P. G. county; Mr. Ignatius Manning, near Piscataway; Mrs. Chloe Richards, near Piscataway; Mr. Philip Stewart, Piscataway; Mr. John Spalding, near Piscataway; Mr. John Allen Taylor, to the care of John M'Clanor, Piscataway; Col. Joseph Wilkerson, Hunting-town; Mr. Elias Wheatly, near Benedict.

ISIDORE HARDEY, P. M.  
October 4, 1797.

By virtue of an order from the orphans court of Anne Arundel county, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on Monday the 8th day of January next, if fair, if not the first day, at the subscriber's, about thirteen miles from Annapolis, and two from Rawlings, a certain

**NEGROES,**

CONSISTING of men, women and children; among the men there is a good rough carpenter, who is an excellent cooper, also a remarkable good cartman, and others who understand plantation business. They are sober, good negroes and are sold for no other reason than the want of money, and having none of them than are profitable. The terms will be CASH only. At the same time and place will be sold some stock all kinds.

JOHANNA PLUMMER,  
Anne Arundel county, November 13, 1797.

COMMITTED to my custody, as a runaway, on November 17th last, a girl, who says her name is MARY POWERS, she is of short stature, and shabby built, of a light complexion, and has bushy hair, but commonly wears a braided hair, and a striped comb gown, and purple petticoat, cotton stockings, and stuff shoes, with gold ear-bobs, gold ring, and fancy things of this kind as she says she came into Baltimore in the brig Polly captain Deane, and was sold to Mr. Reister, a bookseller of Middleburg, in the city of Pennsylvania, who sold her to Mr. Alder Smith. Her master is desired to come and take her away in two months from the above date, or she will be sold for her prison fees and other charges, according to law.

RICHARD HARWOOD, Sheriff  
of Anne Arundel county.  
November 15, 1797.

**For SALE,**

A FEW families of NEGROES, consisting of two women and four children, all boys, two fit for service, one ditto, four ditto, one girl, three boys, two fit for service, one ditto, two ditto, both boys; one man, his wife and child, as likely negroes as any in America, they have all had the small-pox except a few small ones.

GEORGE SMITH,  
Calvert county, Lyon's creek, Dec. 2, 1797.

THE subscriber hereby forewarns all persons from hunting with either dog or gun on his land, lying in Anne Arundel county, on Deep Creek, formerly the property of Stephen Steward, deceased.

JOHN GWINN,  
Annapolis, October 24, 1797.

TAKEN up as strays by WILLIAM BRIAN, living on the Head of South river, near Jacob Waters's mill, a pied COW, with a crop and under bit in each ear, and a slit in the right ear, her left horn hangs over her eye, and a black bull YEARLING, without mark. The owner or owners may have them again by proving property, paying charges, and applying at RICHARD RAWLINGS'S.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of JOHN ALLEN THOMAS, late of St. Mary's county, deceased, are desired to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate are requested to bring them in, legally authenticated, to Mr. JOHN WELSH, at Leonard-town, or to the subscriber, at Annapolis.

JAMES THOMAS, Executor.  
April 6, 1797.

**Fifty Dollars Reward,**

TO any person apprehending and delivering at this place negro ISAAC, who left here yesterday morning, and is endeavouring to cross the Bay, his rout will be to the Delaware state, or Philadelphia; though a very timid fellow it will be difficult to apprehend him, as he runs remarkably fast; he is very black, and stoops a little, brisk and active, rather spare, but well proportioned, uncommonly slim betwixt his knee and calf of the leg, and a small space betwixt his two upper fore teeth, easily discovered when he laughs; generally wrinkles his forehead and manifests confusion when charged with any kind of offence; he formerly belonged to a widow VICKERS, of Tuckshoe hundred, in Talbot county, where it is probable he will make some stay, as his relations are there, and in that neighbourhood; he is a noted rogue, runaway, and horse rider; I have had him about three years, and he has not been corrected for his misconduct since he belonged to me; having always been spared by his fair promises and amendment for some time after; but lately he has been much in the habit of stealing from his fellow servants, and twice in a short time has he broke my store-room, and apprehending that he could be spared no longer, has made his escape. The above reward, and a dollar per mile for all above fifty that he shall be taken from this place, will be paid by me, at Magothy, in Anne Arundel county, near Annapolis.

JOHN GIBSON,  
July 26, 1797.

COMMITTED to my custody, as runaways, two lads, one committed on the 21st of September, by the name of STEPHEN REDDIN, who says he was born free, and in Worcester county, he is about 20 years of age, about 5 feet 6 inches high, and of a light yellow colour; his clothing is a blue cloth short upper jacket, under jacket and trousers of the same, and has other cloathing with him, and has a scar on his knee, occasioned by a burn. The other by the name of BEN, committed on the 2d of October, a negro lad about 18 or 19 years of age, did formerly belong to parson MOSCROE, over South river, but says he was sold to a Mr. JOHN MARTIN, tailor, in Baltimore-town, he is about 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high; his clothing is a napkeen coat, unbrag shirt and trousers. Their masters are desired to take them away in two months from their several dates, or they will be sold for their prison fees and other expences, agreeably to law.

RICHARD HARWOOD, Sheriff  
of Anne Arundel county.  
October 2, 1797.

**RAN AWAY,**

Two young Negro Men,

ONE named SCOGIN, aged 20 or 22 years, about 5 feet 7 inches in height, rather fleshy, his complexion very black, his face full and round, his eyes very large; he is apt to laugh when spoken to, and shows large teeth, generally uses his left hand, and wears a full suit of smart black cloaths, the coat long and full; he went away the 2d day of September last.

The other named MARSHAM, a carpenter and lawyer, about the same age and height with Scogin, but of a lighter complexion; his clothing is unknown; he went away about the 10th day of last September. Whoever brings the said negroes to the subscriber, at West river, in Anne Arundel county, or lodges them in jail, so that he may get them, shall receive for each, if apprehended within twenty miles TRN DOLLARS, if farther from home TWENTY DOLLARS, and reasonable travelling expences.

RICHARD SPRIGG,  
N. B. If the above negro men return directly of their own accord they shall be forgiven.  
West river, October 3, 1797.

To be SOLD, agreeably to the last will and testament of captain ROBERT SANDERS, late of Anne Arundel county, deceased, on Friday the 22d day of December next, for CASH,

THE late dwelling PLANTATION of the said deceased, containing about two hundred and twenty acres of land. Also will be sold, on the same day, all the personal property of said deceased, consisting of one negro woman and child, household and kitchen furniture, horses, hogs, cattle and sheep, plantation utensils, a quantity of Indian corn, rye, wheat, oats, corn fodder, straw, &c. &c.

DAVID STEUART, Executor.

The sale to commence precisely at 10 o'clock.  
N. B. All persons indebted to the above estate are once more desired to make payment, and those having claims to bring them in.  
November 29, 1797.

**MOSES MACCUBBIN,**

Ladies and Gentlemens Hair-Dresser,  
Church-street, opposite to Mr. Wharfe's Tavern,  
HAS JUST RECEIVED

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT of

The following Articles,

viz.

HAIR-POWDER,

Marshall, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Cominob. POMATUMS, SOFT and HARD.  
Rose, Franchispane, Marshall, Lemon, Bergamot, Lavender, Thyme and Orange.

An infallible pomatum that will nourish the hair, make it grow thick and long, and preserve it to extreme old age.

SOAPS,

Patent Windsor, Violet, Jessamine, chymical, patent cakes, Liquid for shaving, and common.

Royal chymical patent soap, for rendering the arms and hands delicately white and soft, it prevents them from chopping or tanning, is one of the greatest preservers of natural bloom and beauty, and is far superior to any kind of soap now in use.

Wash Balls of the first quality.

ESSENCES,

Sweet-briar, Sanparrille, Tuberoze, Milliflent, Bergamot, Lavender and Lemon.

WATERS,

Double distilled Lavender, Hungary, Sanparrille, and Tuberoze.

FOR THE TEETH,

Tooth-brushes, tooth-powder, tooth-picks, with elegant cases of different kinds.

FOR THE HAIR,

Pinching, craping and curling irons, powder knives, hair scissors, with handsome cases, hair riband, powder bags, swandown, silk and thread puffs, powder-boxes, tortoise-shell, ivory, and horn combs, of all kinds, and a large quantity of the best RUSSIA BEAR'S GREASE, that will thicken the hair, and hasten the growth thereby, nourish it at the roots, and prevent it from turning grey.

Milk of Roses of the best quality.

LIKEWISE,

The first quality razors; elastic and Jesse's stroops, warranted; lip-salve; smelling-bottles, with silver tops, and a variety of other kinds; ivory and common shaving brushes; the genuine court plaster, and a variety of dressing-cases, with utensils complete; red morocco shaving-cases, containing the whole apparatus for shaving or dressing; false-tails and braids; patent shoe blacking; elegant yard measures, with a smelling-bottle at the end of them; a large quantity of small phials, containing different kinds of perfumes; shaving boxes complete; shoe-brings; elastic neck-bolsters; sockets and breast pins of different kinds, and Search of the best quality.

M. MACCUBBIN,

Actuated by a due regard to the sacred principles of gratitude, tenders his most grateful thanks for that liberal patronage which a generous and indulgent public have afforded him, and he flatters himself that while his mind is animated by a lively sense of preceding favours, his future conduct will entitle him to the claim of universal approbation.

WB, the subscriber, having suffered much injury from persons of different classes crossing over our fields on Patapsco with the pretences of hunting, these are therefore to forewarn all persons from hunting within our said enclosures, with either dog or gun; any person or persons hunting therein after this notice shall be dealt with as the law directs in such cases.

R. HAMMOND,  
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HENRY H. DORSKY,  
October 28, 1797.

TAKES notice that, I also forewarn all persons from hunting within my enclosures on the Head of Severn, 1797, will give a reward of one guinea to any person that will inform me, and establish the fact, on any person or persons that may hunt therein without my permission, after the above notice. A. HAMMOND.