

Forty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, some time in September last; a dark mulatto man named SAUL or SOLOMON BOOTH, about 23 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, straight made, and talks very smoothly. Whoever takes up the said fellow, and brings him to the subscriber, shall have the above reward, if taken in the state of Maryland, if out of the state the above reward and reasonable charges paid by the subscriber, living about six miles from Hagar's town, on Antietam creek, Washington county.

JOSEPH CHENEY.

January 17, 1798.

A LIST of LETTERS remaining in the Post-Office Annapolis, which will be sent to the General Post-Office as dead letters, if not taken up before the first day of April next.

MR. ALLEN, on board the Ranger, Annapolis. Nicholas Brice (2), Aza Beall, Thomas Barber, Annapolis; Richard Booth, West river.

Right rev. Thos. J. Claggett, D. D. care of William Cooke, John Callahan, William Coe, Annapolis. John Davidson, Joshua Dorsey (2), Benjamin Doctor, Benjamin Dulany (2), Annapolis.

John Gwinn (2), Mr. Guerin (2), William Gilmour, Annapolis; John Galloway Son, West river.

William Hammond, Samuel Harvey Howard, Zeb. Hollingworth (3), Annapolis; William Harwood, Richard Harrison, Anne-Arundel county.

Henry Johnston, Annapolis. Providence Lane, care of John Brice, Mr. Langlois, Thomas Lisbey (3), Annapolis.

Robert Milligan, John M'Iver, Richard Mackubin (2), Gilbert Murdoch, Annapolis; Joseph Maccubbin, Anne-Arundel county.

Edward Nicholls, Annapolis. Martin O'Duhigg, Annapolis.

Postmaster, Thomas Pyper, Smith Price, Annapolis. Henry Ridgely, Benjamin Ringgold, care of John Galloway, John Ridgely, John Rue, care of William Logan, Annapolis.

Sheriff elect of Anne-Arundel county, James Steele, Annapolis.

Colonel Tootle, J. A. Tarafcon, John Tayloe, Annapolis.

Levin Winder, Eliz. Whitewood, capt. H. Wilson, on board the schooner Felicity (2), Annapolis; John Weems, jun. Herring creek.

John Young, Annapolis.

S. GREEN, D. P. M.

None of the above letter will be delivered without the money.

January 1, 1798.

On Monday the 5th day of February next, if fair, if not the first day, at 11 o'clock, will be EXPOSED to PUBLIC SALE,

A PART of the personal property of the late ISAAC MAYO, deceased, for the purpose of settling the estate. Terms of sale to be made known on that day, by

SARAH ANNE MAYO, Executrix.

ALL persons having claims against said estate are once more requested to exhibit them, on or before the day of sale, legally authenticated.

S. A. M.

STOLEN from the subscriber, living about two miles from Mount Pleasant ferry, and the same distance from Mrs. Rawlings's tavern, on the 26th of December, 1797, an iron gray HORSE, about fourteen hands and an half high, he is shod all fours, has a split in one of his houghs, and a remarkable short head, his brand is unknown, he is a strong well made horse, blows very much when he gallops; by what information I have I am apt to believe he is about Patapco ferry, or in that neighbourhood, or Elk-Ridge Landing. Any person that takes up the said horse, and brings him to me, shall receive SIX DOLLARS, paid by

THOMAS LANE, Mount Airy.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of BENJAMIN CARR, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, to bring in their accounts, legally attested, likewise all those indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, as farther indulgence cannot be given.

BENJAMIN CARR, }
ROBERT CARR, } Executors.
ROBERT WELCH, }

January 12, 1798.

SETH SWEETSER,

RETURNS his thanks to his customers and the public in general for past favours in the line of his business, and informs them that he still carries on the Boot and Shoe-making Business in all its branches, in the best manner. He has just received a large quantity of the best Boston bend seal-leather, which he will sell on reasonable terms, for cast, or green hides; he has also for sale, hide leather and calf skins, and all kinds of Shoe-maker's tools, shoe thread, resin, linseed, whale and tanner's oil, and sundry other articles too tedious too mention.

N. B. He has a valuable young Wench for sale, that is used to Kitchen work.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of RICHARD HARRISON, late of West river, in Anne-Arundel county, deceased, are desired to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate are requested to bring them in, legally attested, that they be settled.

MARY HARRISON, Administratrix.

January 5, 1798.

Eighty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber's farm, about seven miles from Annapolis, on Wednesday, the 5th instant, two slaves, WILL and TOM; they are brothers. WILL, a straight, tall, well made fellow, upwards of six feet high, he is generally called black, but has rather a yellowish complexion, by trade a carpenter and cooper, and in general capable of the use of tools in almost any work; saws well at the whip saw, about thirty years of age, when he speaks quick he stammers a little in his speech. TOM, a stout well made fellow, a bright mulatto, twenty-four years of age, and about five feet nine or ten inches high; he is a complete hand at plantation work, and can handle tools pretty well. Their dress, at home, upper jackets lined with flannel, and overalls of a drab colour, but they have a variety of other cloathing; and it is supposed they will not appear abroad in what they wear at home. Will writes pretty well, and if he and his brother are not furnished with passes from others, they will not be at a loss for them, but upon proper examination may be discovered to be forged. These people, it is imagined, are gone for Baltimore town, as Tom has a wife living there, with Mr. Thomas Edwards. For taking up and securing the two fellows in the goal of Baltimore town, or any other goal, so that I get them again, a reward of eighty dollars, and for either forty dollars.

THOMAS HARWOOD.

Annapolis, April 10, 1797.

For SALE,

A FEW families of NEGROES, consisting of four families, the first, two women and four children, all boys, two fit for service; the second, one ditto, four ditto, two boys fit for service; the third, one woman and two children, both boys; the fourth, a young man, his wife and child; they have all had the small-pox except a few small ones. They are as likely negroes as any in America. The women that have got husbands may be purchased in the same neighbourhood.

GEORGE SMITH.

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

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, living near Stafford court-house, in the commonwealth of Virginia, about the middle of May last, a negro fellow named JACK, about five feet eight or nine inches high, nineteen years old, thick made and well set, stoops in the shoulders, and his complexion black, has a remarkable scar on the top of one of his feet, but I forget whether right or left; he carried with him the following cloaths, a greenish coloured great coat of elastic cloth, with buff cuffs and cape, a white calmer vest and breeches, a brown cloth vest, and a calico vest, but these he may change for other cloaths; this negro lately belonged to the estate of Mr. THOMAS STONE, in Charles county, Maryland, and may pass himself for one of the Thomas family of negroes belonging to the said estate, who make pretension to their freedom, but the fallacy of the attempt may be easily detected, as he is quite black, whereas the Thomas family are all of the mulatto colour; he can also read a little. I suspect he is lurking about Baltimore or Annapolis; his mother is in the former city, who is also a runaway, and named RACHEL. I will give the above reward of fifty dollars to any person who will deliver him to me at my place of residence, or FORTY DOLLARS for securing him in any goal, so that I get him again.

TRAVERS DANIEL, jun.

Stafford county, Virginia, October 28, 1797.

Sixteen Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in Prince-George's county, two mulatto fellows called CHARLES and PATRICK MAHONEY; they have been away about three weeks; they pretend that they are set free by the verdict of a jury in the last general court, but were ordered by the court to return home till a point of law should be settled relating to their case; this they refuse to do. As they are well known in and about Annapolis and the forest of Prince George's, where I suspect they must be, I do hereby forewarn all persons from harbouring or employing them, and will give any person EIGHT DOLLARS reward for securing either of them in goal.

JOHN ASHTON.

January 8, 1798.

In CHANCERY, December 30, 1797.

ORDERED, That the sale made by WILLIAM POSTON, trustee, on the 19th instant, as stated in his report of the real estate of WILLIAM POSTON, deceased, shall be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shewn on or before the first Tuesday in March next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Maryland Gazette before the end of January next.

The said report states 293 as. 3 ds. 1 1/2 ps. sold for £. 460; 86 as. 2 ds. 9 ps. sold for £. 525; and 79 as. 2 ds. 2 ps. for £. 126 1/2.

Tell: SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD.

Reg. Cur. Can.

THREE is at the subscriber's plantation, near Annapolis, taken up as a stray, a large red and white COW, marked with a crop and an under cut in the right ear. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges.

December 18, 1797.

MARY WATSON.

By his EXCELLENCY
JOHN HENRY,
GOVERNOR of MARYLAND,
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been represented to me that a barn and stables, the property of Robert Laidler, of Charles county, were, on the night of the first instant, consumed by fire, and that some malicious persons are supposed to have wilfully set fire to the same; and whereas it is of the greatest importance to society that the perpetrator or perpetrators of such a crime should be discovered and brought to justice: I have, therefore, thought proper, by and in pursuance of the powers invested in me, to promise full and free pardon to any person being an accomplice, in the commission of the said crime, who shall discover the perpetrator or perpetrators thereof, so that he, she, or they, or any of them, be convicted thereof.

Given under my hand, and the seal of the State of Maryland, at the city of Annapolis, this thirteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven.

JOHN HENRY.

By the Governor,
NINIAN PINKNEY, Secretary.

Six Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, about five miles above Montgomery county court-house, in the state of Maryland, on the 16th day of December, a negro girl named JENNEY, about 17 or 18 years old, about 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high, of a yellow complexion, with a scar on the back of her neck about an inch long, she combs her hair and ties it in several places on her head, tolerable likely; she had on when she went away, one tow linen shift, one old green petticoat and jacket of kersey, one country tow linen petticoat, one country striped linsley jacket, one pair of coarse white yarn stockings, one of the stockings feet about one half of gray yarn, one felt hat about half worn, and one pair of coarse shoes; no doubt but she will change her name and cloaths, and endeavour to pass as free, as she ran away last June and got into Calvert county, where she formerly lived with Mr. James Stone, of Lower Marlborough. From the best information I can get she went towards Snowden's iron-works. I will give the above reward to any person who will take her up, and secure her in any goal so that I get her again, and reasonable charges if brought home, paid by

JOHN RAWLINGS.

N. B. All masters of vessels and others are forbid carrying off or harbouring said negro at their peril.

December 29, 1797.

J. R.

WENT away on the 9th inst. from the subscriber, living in the city of Annapolis, a negro man named JEM, a lively, brisk, active fellow when he pleases, 28 years of age, about 5 feet 8 inches high, slender made, rather a thin face, has a great hesitation in his speech, and when he laughs shews his gums very much, takes snuff, one of his legs is sore; he is very artful and can turn his hand to any thing; he has been used to waiting, to taking care of horses, and driving a carriage, is something of a gardiner, carpenter and bricklayer; is or pretends to be of the society of Methodists, he constantly attend the meetings, and at times exhorted himself; he took with him a watch of his own, a fine bar, new drab coloured furtout coat, lined about the body with green, light cloth waistcoat, buckskin breeches; a black coat lapped is missing from the house; it is probable he may change his dress; he had some time in the summer from me a pass for a limited time (three or four days) to go to Baltimore, it is not improbable but he may get the date altered and make use of it. Whoever takes him up and delivers him to me, or secures him in any goal so that I get him again, shall receive TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

JAMES BRICE.

December 16, 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.

JAMES MATTISON,

HATTER,

In the house formerly occupied by ROBERT GOURDEN, Esq;

RESPECTFULLY-informs the public in general, and his customers in particular, that he has just received and will be constantly supplied with the best Canada beaver, raccoon and fox; and other materials of the best quality; he will be able to supply those who may honour him with their commands, with hats of a superior quality, on the shortest notice, and most reasonable terms.

An active LAD, about 15 years of age, would be taken as an apprentice.
Annapolis, October 19, 1797.