

**COMMITTED** to my custody, as a runaway, on the 26th of August, a negro man, by the name of **ROBERT LOVELESS**, about 28 or 30 years old, five feet nine inches high, flat nose, middling hollow eyes, a small scar on his right hand, apparently by a burn, another on his left leg, several marks on his back, a remarkable scar on the right side of his upper lip, and a small one on his forehead; his clothing was a blue cloth coat, with a single row of yellow metal buttons, a blue kersey waistcoat, striped cotton trousers, spotted cotton hose, white linen shirt, good coarse shoes, and an old felt hat. When committed he said he was free, and was from Louisa county, Virginia, had a forged pass signed Thomas Crowder, he since says he is lately from the service of certain **PARK STREET**, about seven miles from Hanover Court-house, Virginia, but does not acknowledge himself a slave. His owner (if any) is desired to release him within two months from the above date, or he will be sold agreeable to law for prison fees, &c.

**NOTLEY MADDOX**, Sheriff of Prince George's county.

September 10, 1799.

**COMMITTED** to my custody, the 4th instant, a negro man who calls himself **DICK**, and says he is the property of **GERARD B. CAUSIN**, Esq; he appears to be about 27 years of age, 5 feet high; had on a coarse gray cloth coat, striped cotton waistcoat, coarse ofnabrig shirt, and coarse blue cloth trousers. His owner is desired to pay charges and take him away, or he will be sold as the law directs for his prison fees, &c.

**THOMAS A. DYSON**, Sheriff of Charles county.

September 9, 1799.

By virtue of a decree of the high court of chancery of Maryland, bearing date the fourth day of June, 1799, the subscriber will **SELL**, at **PUBLIC SALE**, at Mr. **WHARFE'S** tavern, in the city of Annapolis, on Thursday the 14th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon,

**THE** real estate of **WILLIAM ADAMS**, late of Somerset county, deceased, lying in the said city of Annapolis, consisting of lots No. 52, 53 and 55, whereon is an elegant brick dwelling house, fronting on Charles-street, with suitable out houses and other valuable improvements; the said property is now in the possession of general Davidson, and may be viewed at any time before the sale on application to the subscriber; it will be sold on a credit of twelve months, the purchaser giving bond, bearing interest from the day of sale.

**ROBERT DENNY**, Trustee.

Annapolis, September 2, 1799.

By virtue of an order from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, will be **SOLD**, at the late dwelling place of **DAVID WHITTLE**, deceased, on Elk-Ridge, on the first day of October next, if fair, or the first fair day,

**SUNDRY** cattle, a horse, and some household furniture. The sale to commence at 12 o'clock in the forenoon. The terms will be made known on the day of sale, by

**ANNE WHITTLE**, Administratrix of **DAVID WHITTLE**.

N. B. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to exhibit the same, legally attested, for payment, and those that are indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, to

**ANNE WHITTLE**, Administratrix.

September 9, 1799.

To be **SOLD**, at **PUBLIC VENDUE**, on Thursday the 10th of October next, if fair, or the first fair day, at the late dwelling house of **JOHN MARRIOTT**, of Anne-Arundel county, deceased,

**TWO** negro men and one negro woman. The sale to begin between the hours of ten and twelve o'clock, in the forenoon. The terms of sale for **CASH**.

All persons having claims against said estate are desired to exhibit them, legally attested, as the subscriber is desirous of settling up said estate, and those indebted to make immediate payment, to

**RICHARD MARRIOTT**, Executor.

Head of Severn, September 11, 1799.

**To Cider-Makers.**

**PREVIOUS** to the season for making whiskey I propose to distill cider, at the distillery, South river, where I shall be furnished with a quantity of empty casks for the accommodation of those who will lend cider.

Having spent a considerable length of time to acquire a knowledge of the distilling business, the utmost yield from cider may be expected, and no pillage or waste need be apprehended, as I shall be constantly at the spot myself.

**ARGHBALD ALEXANDER**.

P. S. The highest price will be given for good clean rye.

September 11, 1799.

**Boarding House.**

At the sign of the Scales, Church-street.

**WHERE** gentlemen can be elegantly accommodated, &c. by the day, week, month, or year; and I have a good supply of every thing in that way, and hope to merit the favour of the public.

**WILLIAM CATON**.

The subscriber has horses, servants, and chairs, to hire by the day, for the accommodation of gentlemen travellers, at the following prices: horse 1/3, chair, and boy, 3/5, per day.

**NOTICE** is hereby given to the creditors of the estate of **JOHN STEUART**, late of the city of Annapolis, deceased, that on Tuesday the first of October next, the subscriber will make a dividend of the balance of assets in the hands of the executors, those who have not exhibited their claims are requested to produce them, legally authenticated, before that day.

**ROBERT DENNY**, Executor.

Annapolis, September 10, 1799.

**THE** creditors of **JOHN H. MACCUBBIN**, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, are desired to produce their respective claims, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, and such as may be indebted are desired to make immediate payment, otherwise suits will be instituted without respect to persons.

**N. BRICE**, Administrator de bonis donis of **JOHN H. MACCUBBIN**.

Baltimore, September 4, 1799.

**AGREEABLY** to the constitution and form of government an election will be held, at the city of Annapolis, on the first Monday in October next, to elect four members to represent Anne-Arundel county in the ensuing general assembly.

**JOHN WELCH**, Sheriff.

September 10, 1799.

**THE** subscriber being legally authorized to finally settle the estate of **WILLIAM CHAPMAN**, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, requests all those having any claim against said estate to bring them in, legally authenticated, and all those indebted to make immediate payment, otherwise suits will be instituted against all delinquents without respect to persons.

**LEONARD SELLMAN**.

September 9, 1799.

**THE** subscriber gives notice, that he will petition the general assembly of this state, at their next session, to confirm his right and title to certain personal property acquired by virtue of his intermarriage with Elizabeth, relict of Lloyd Dulany, and which was heretofore laid by for her use at November session, 1782.

**WALTER DULANY**.

September 8, 1799.

**NOTICE.**

**THE** subscriber intends to apply to the general assembly of Maryland, at their next session, for an act to relieve him from debts which he is unable to pay.

**JOHN BEARD**.

September 11, 1799.

**THIS** is to give notice that I intend petitioning the next general assembly for the benefit of an act of insolvency.

**JOHN R. BRYCE**.

Annapolis, September 11, 1799.

**LOST,**

**OUT** of the subscriber's kitchen, between the 12th of April and 16th of August last, a bell-metal **SKILLET**, which holds between four and five quarts. Whoever finds the same, and will bring it home, shall be handsomely rewarded, by

**ELEANOR DAVIDSON**.

Annapolis, September 3, 1799.

**NOTICE.**

**THE** subscriber intends to apply to the general assembly of Maryland, at their next session, for an act of insolvency.

**JAMES BROWN**.

September 3, 1799.

**NOTICE.**

**WHEREAS** my wife **VIRLINDA SMALLWOOD** has, for some cause unknown, absconded from my bed and board, on the 8th of April last, these are therefore to forewarn all persons from crediting her on my account, or entertaining her in any manner whatever, as I am determined to pay no debts of her contracting, and am determined to bring suits against any person who may harbour or entertain her. At the time of her going away she took sundry negroes with her, which I forewarn all persons from harbouring or employing at their peril.

**HENRY SMALLWOOD**.

Charles county, Maryland, July 15, 1799.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that application will be made to the next session of the general assembly, for a law to levy on the assessable property of Anne-Arundel county, a sum of money sufficient to repair and tender passable the high way leading by Mrs. Urquhart's tavern from Baltimore to the city of Annapolis;

Head of Severn, August 23, 1799.

**NOTICE.**

**ALL** persons having claims against the estate of **ANN HOWARD**, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, are requested to exhibit them, legally authenticated, for payment, and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, to

**ANN HOWARD**, Administratrix.

**For SALE,**

**An old COACH.**

Inquire of the Printer.

By virtue of two writs of *habeas corpus*, to me directed from the general court, will be offered for **SALE**, on the premises, on the 26th instant, for **READY MONEY**.

**THE** life estate of **MATTHEW BEARD** in a tract of parcel of land, known by the name of **BEARD'S HABITATION**, containing four or five hundred acres; the land is good, and has some good buildings, on the above property is taken as the property of Matthew Beard, and sold to satisfy debt due David Williamson from Matthew and John Beard.

**JOHN WELCH**, Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

September 4, 1799.

**THE** subscribers hereby caution the public against purchasing a tract of land, known by the name of **BEARD'S POINT**, advertised by the Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county, as the property of John Beard; whereas the title of said land is in the heirs of Richard Beard, deceased.

**MARY BEARD,**  
**MATTHEW BEARD,**  
**JOHN BEARD,** } Administrators of Richard Beard.

September 11, 1799.

By virtue of an order from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county will be **SOLD**, at the late dwelling place of **ISAAC PARKER**, in South River Neck, on the 26th instant,

**ALL** the stock, consisting of horses and cattle, besides a variety of household furniture. The sale to commence at 11 o'clock, and for ready **CASH**.

**PRISCILLA PARKER**, Administratrix.

September 4, 1799.

**For Rent or Sale.**

**THE** subscriber would rent or sell either 700 or 1200 acres of land, part of Marlborough Neck, on Patowmack river, and in the state of Virginia, comprising either one or two plantations or farms:—These lands lie extending about one mile and an half on the river Patowmack, and about one mile from the mouth of Acquia Creek, on the southern side; at that part of the Northern Neck where the Rappahannock and Patowmack approach, within nine miles, and they are not more than that distance from the Rappahannock markets of Fredericksburg and Falmouth; but their situation is rendered more peculiarly valuable by their convenience to the Patowmack markets of Alexandria, and the Federal city. The improvements consist of overseer's houses, negro quarters and crop-houses. The lands are well enclosed, and in excellent order for cropping. The fertility of the soil is equal to any in the United States, besides which the fields all lay convenient to banks (apparently inexhaustible); of the richest shell-marle, which by repeated experiments already made there, is found to be superior to any other manure whatever. These plantations besides furnishing grass in abundance for large flocks, would now yield annually for sale, on a moderate computation, 500 tons of exceedingly good natural grass hay, with no other trouble than cutting and curing. The grass lands naturally divide with each plantation, and each is furnished with good fishing shores, and high, dry, healthy situations for residence.

If rented to responsible persons (and no other need apply) who will cultivate under certain conditions of manuring, cross cropping, and improving, leases will be given. If sold the purchasers may be accommodated with about 30 or 40 Virginia born slaves, in families, who are resident on the land, where they have been mostly raised, and to which they are attached—The whole estate is held under indisputable title, derived from the original patentee.

**JOHN FRANCIS MERCER**.

West-river, near Annapolis, August 5, 1799.

**ALL** persons having claims against the estate of **JOSHUA HARRIS**, late of the city of Annapolis, deceased, are requested to exhibit the same, legally attested, for payment, and all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment, to

**LUCY HARRIS**, Administratrix.

Annapolis, September 2, 1799.

**COMMITTED** to my custody as runaways, two negro men, one by the name of **STEPHEN JOHNSON**, committed on the 17th of August, who says that he is free born, he is about 19 or 20 years of age, about 5 feet 4 inches high; and chunky built, has a scar on his upper lip and a great many scars on his back, occasioned by the whip; his clothing is an ofnabrig shirt and trousers, and an old woollen cap. The other committed on the 26th of August, by the name of **WILL NORRIS**, who says that he was set free by William Darnall, of St. Mary's county, he is about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, and stout made, has a scar on his right hand; his clothing is a new wool hat, striped swandown jacket, ofnabrig shirt and trousers, old shoes, with nails in the soles. 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 expenses, according to law.

**JOHN WELCH**, Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

September 2, 1799.

**BACON'S LAWS**

**For SALE.**

**A FEW** copies of Bacon's Abridgement of the laws of Maryland may be had at this office.