

Anne Arundel County, February 28, 1749/50.

WHEREAS it is inconvenient for many of the Inhabitants of this County to come to my Office, to pay their County Dues, &c. and as I am willing to ease the people as much as lies in my Power, in that and every other Respect; I therefore give this public Notice, that I will attend (unless some unforeseen Accident should prevent me) at the House of Capt. John Hammond, on Elk-Ridge, on the 21st and 22d Days of this Instant March; at the House of Mr. John Gomer, on the 23d and 24th Days following; and at the House of Mrs. Sarah Rowles, on the 4th and 5th Days of April next; in order to receive such Money as shall be then offered me. And as many of the Inhabitants of this County may not be apprized of the Time for paying off the Clergy's Allowance, and several Officers Fees; I therefore let them know, that the Time for discharging such Demands is by the 10th Day of June; at which Time, if any one neglects to pay, such Person will then be liable to be executed: For the Time given last Year was only for that Year. And I desire, if any Persons have any Objections to their Accounts under my Hand, that they will let me know it; and if it appears that any Mistakes have been committed by me, no one shall be more ready to rectify them, than
Their very humble Servant,

JOHN GASSAWAY, Sheriff.

N. B. Constant Attendance will be given every Wednesday and Thursday at my Office.

February 28, 1750.

STRAYED or Stolen from the Subscriber in Annapolis, sometime in November last, a Bright Bay Horse, with black Mane and Tail, branded on the near Buttock O; he had no Shoes on, has one of his fore Hoofs split, and several Saddle-spots on both sides his Back. Whoever will bring said Horse to the Subscriber, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward.

GEORGE DOWNEY.

The said Downey intending to depart this Province, sometime in April next, hereby desires all Persons, who have any Demands on him, to bring in their Accounts, in order to be adjusted: And those who are indebted to him are desired to pay, or expect Trouble, from
George Downey.

N. B. He has a Parcel of very good Soap to dispose of, at a reasonable Price.

LOST in Annapolis, just before the falling of the last great Snow, between Mrs. M'Leod's and the Head of the Dock, a large old Silver Watch, pretty much out of Repair. Whoever finds it, and will bring it to the Printer, shall be well rewarded.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDOR,

On Wednesday the 28th Day of March, by the Subscriber,

Two Lots of Ground, lying in Upper Marlborough, in Prince George's County, which lately belonged to Col. Thomas Lee. One of them is the Lot where the said Lee's Dwelling House stands; the other is that whereon the Intending House stands. Also some Negroes, and sundry Household Goods.
EDWARD SPRIGG.

February 12, 1750.

RAN away from the subscriber, living near Baltimore-Town, a West-Country Servant Man, named William Burman, about 5 Feet and a half high, has one of his Thumbs smaller than the other, and his Mouth, when he talks, stands awry: He had on, and with him, when he went away, a Cotton Jacket with Metal Buttons, a double breasted blue Cloth Jacket with Metal Buttons, two Osbadrigs Shirts, Yara Stockings, a Fullian Frock; an old Bearskin Coat with Metal Buttons, Country-made Shoes, and a new Felt Hat: He has a large Stock of Impudence, and pretends to be a Butcher and Farmer, tho' he knows little of either. He took with him a small Black Horse, having a sore Back, and but one Eye; a Huzing Saddle, with light colour'd Cloth Housing, and brass Stirrups, nailed with small Nails on the Pummel. It is supposed he may have a forged Pass. Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures him in any Goal in this Province, or brings him to the Subscriber, shall have Three Pounds, besides what the Law allows; or if taken out of the Province, Four Pounds, of the Currency where taken, besides the Allowance by Law.
LYDS GOODWIN.

N. B. The above Servant can neither write nor read.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of William Mandell, late of Prince George's County, Gentleman, Deceased, are desired forthwith to pay their respective Debts to the Subscriber: And all those who have any Demands on Mr. Mandell's Estate, are desired to bring them in, that they may be discharged by
MERCY MAUDUIT, Administratrix.

WHEREAS, the Subscriber, who served his Time in London, and since with William Canning, Esq; of Annapolis, now lives near the House of John Brink, in the said City, and carries on the Trade of a Shoemaker; where all Gentlemen, Ladies, and others, may be supplied with all Manner of the best Mens and Womens Shoes and Turn'd Pumps; as also Womens Silk, Calimanco, and Stuff Damask Shoes, &c. likewise Mens Dutch Channel'd Pumps, Boots, &c. in the best and completest Manner, at reasonable Rates, for ready Money only.
JOSEPH SIMONS.

N. B. The said Simons makes and mends all manner of Harness for Coaches, Chariots, or Chaises, in the best and completest Manner, at reasonable Rates; and also covers Coaches, Chariots, and Chaises.

MATTHEW JOHNSON, SHOEMAKER.

NOW lives over against the Italian King, in Annapolis, where he makes and sells all sorts of Boots, Double and Single Channel'd and Turn'd Pumps, Shoes, Clogs, &c. after the best and newest Fashion, and at the cheapest Rates.
MATTHEW JOHNSON.

To be SOLD

THE Time of a Servant Man, who has about six Years to serve, understands Arithmetick, writes a good Hand, and would do well for a Teacher of Children in the Country. Enquire of the Printer hereof.

WHEREAS, there is an old black Book of Records, belonging to the City of Annapolis, supposed to have been lent. Whoever has the said Book, is desired to return the same to Thomas Harwood, Clerk of the said City.

To be SOLD,

By the Subscriber in Annapolis, for Corn, Wheat, or Pork, good West-India Rum, Molasses, Loaf Sugar, Chocolate, with several sorts of European and India Goods.
PATRICK CREAUGH.

For LONDON.

The Ship SPEEDWELL, JAMES CREAUGH Master,

WILL sail by the last of April, if possible, having good Part of her Leasing engaged, takes in Tobacco, with Liberty, at Seven Pounds sterling per Ton. For Freight or Passage apply to said Master, on board the said Ship lying at Annapolis: Or, on Notice given, will wait on any Gentlemen that desire it.
JAMES CREAUGH.

To be SOLD or LET, by the Subscriber,

A House and Lot at Bladenburg, with several Conveniences; viz. four Rooms on a Floor, with upper Rooms, a large Kitchen adjoining, and a good Cellar with a fine Well in it. Any Person who inclines to purchase or lease the above Premises, may apply to Mr. George Scott, Dr. David Reist, or Mr. Thomas Chittam, at Bladenburg, or to the Subscriber at Port-Tobacco.
GEORGE COOK.

Annapolis, January 31, 1749/50.

WHEREAS, on the 4th Day of October, 1748, the Subscriber became Security to William Thornton, Esq; for Payment of the Sum of 12 l. 16 s. 2 d. Currency, then due to the said William Thornton, Esq; from Randolph Johnson, of Anne Arundel County, Bricklayer; in Consideration whereof, he the said Johnson, by Articles duly executed, obliged himself to work with the Subscriber, at the Bricklayers Trade, for certain Wages in the said Articles mentioned, until the above Sum should thereby be paid. Now the said Johnson having, on his Part, neglected to comply with the said Articles, and designedly absconded himself from the Service of the Subscriber; whoever will secure him so as he may be had again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows: And whoever entertains or employs the said Randolph Johnson, shall be prosecuted as the Law directs.
THOMAS HOLMES.