

Annapolis, August 2, 1769.

THERE are in the Subscriber's Warehouse, a Trunk, Box, and a Bundle of Bed-Cloaths, which are directed for Mr. John Lowrie, to the Care of Mr. Dalton, Belhaven. They came from England, in Captain William Hambleton's Ship, in 1767. The Owner may have them, on paying Charges, by applying to

SAMUEL MIDDLETON.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near Hobbs-Hole in Virginia, a Mulatto Man, named JOE, he is of a middle Size, and a genteel active Fellow, has been always kept as a Gentleman's waiting Man, his Hair combed very nicely, can write a tolerable good Hand, and as he was seen coming through Maryland to Annapolis, showed a Pass, which I suppose he wrote himself: He stole and rode away, a brown blooded Mare, branded RWC in a Piece, has a large Bundle of Cloaths and other Things with him; he told several Persons on the Road, that he belonged to Colonel Byrd, and was going to Philadelphia on Business, he passed the Ferry at South-River, on Thursday the Tenth of August, in his Way to Annapolis: Had on, a Suit of light Cloaths, trimmed with Livery Lace, his Hat had a Silver Button and Loop to it, and I think a Silver Band, but probably he will change his Dress at Times, as he had many other Cloaths with him: Particularly, a blue over Coat, brown Fustian Coat and Breeches, Leather Breeches, a Lead colour'd Cloth Coat and Vest, with Metal Buttons, Silver lac'd Hat, several Summer Vests, white Shirts and Stockings, of which some are Silk. The Mare he rode, trots very light, about Eight Years old, Thirteen Hands and an Half high. — It's very probable he will endeavour to get on board some Vessel, to make his escape to Britain, as he has declared at some Places on the Road, he was a Freeman and intended for London, therefore all Masters of Vessels are desired to take Notice of this Advertisement, and have the said Runaway secured. I will pay Five Pounds Reward, for taking up, and securing the Slave and Mare, upon having Notice thereof by the Post; or if any Person will bring them to me, he shall be paid the Reward, with reasonable Satisfaction for their Trouble and Expenses, paid by (tf) WILLIAM ROANE.

Kent County, August 6, 1769.

THE Subscriber hereby informs the Public, that he is now in complete Order for keeping Ferry, from Rock-Hall-Whitehouse to Annapolis, Baltimore-Town, or elsewhere: He has Two of the completest large new deck'd Boats belonging to the Bay for that Business, with good able experienced Hands; and, as he keeps clean Beds, with the best Entertainment, and carries Passengers at cheaper Rates than any other in that Business, he hopes Gentlemen Passengers will be inclined to favour him with their Custom. — Mondays and Tuesdays are his Packet Days from Rock-Hall to Annapolis, and back to Rock-Hall. Subscriptions are taken at the cheapest Rates. Quick Dispatch and civil Usage will be given to all, by

Their humble Servant,

JAMES HODGES.

To be sold, at PUBLIC SALE, at the House of Joseph Belt, at George-Town, on Wednesday the 20th Day of September next,

FOUR Hundred Acres, Part of a Tract of Land, called The Addition to Piler's Delight, lying near Little Monocacy, in Frederick County, about 30 Miles from George-Town, and about 15 Miles from Frederick-Town. The Soil is good for Tobacco, Indian Corn, and Wheat: It is well timbered and watered. The Title is indisputable. Any Person inclinable to view the Land, may apply to Mr. Leonard Weyman, living near the Premises. Time will be given for the Whole, or any Part of the Purchase-Money, on giving Bond, with Security, if required, and paying Interest. It will be sold altogether, or in Lots, to suit the Purchasers.

JACOB SPRIGG.

July 24, 1769.

To be sold by the Subscriber, at PUBLIC SALE, to the highest Bidder, on the 11th Day of November next, ABOUT 800 Acres of valuable Land lying in Frederick County, being Part of a Tract of Land, call'd The Addition to Piler's Delight, adjoining to Mr. Joseph Chapline's Plantation, and willed by Col. Edward Sprigg, deceased, to be sold by his Executrix, before a certain Day mentioned in the said Will, wherein since she failed; and, as that Authority was personal to the Executrix, not delegatory, or transmutable to any other Person, the Lands descended to the Heir at Law of the Testator, in whom rests the legal Title, and all other Sales, or Deeds, for the same, than made by him, are invalid, and of none Effect in Law, of which the Public are hereby warned, to prevent Frauds, Trespasses, &c.

The Sale will be made on the Premises when the Opinion of the ablest Lawyers on the Continent, relative to the Right of Title, will be shewn to any Person inclined to bid for the same.

RICHARD SPRIGG, Heir at Law.

COLONEL EDWARD SPRIGG, deceased, by his Will in Writing, duly proved, devised, amongst other Things, Part of a Tract of Land, called, Addition to Piler's Delight, to be sold for the Payment of Debts, and the Advancement of his Wife and younger Children. — The Sale not having been made according to the Time therein limited, Richard Sprigg, the Heir at Law, claims the said Land, and hath published the Sale thereof, on the 11th Day of November, next. — I hereby caution all Persons that may incline to purchase, against buying of said Richard Sprigg, as I am well satisfied there will be an Application to the Chancery-Court, or Assembly, to remedy said Defect, and give the Executrix, with whom I have since intermarried, and myself further Time to sell.

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THOMAS PINDELL.

August 11, 1769.

To be SOLD, by the Subscriber, on the Sixteenth Day of October next,

THE noted Onion's Iron-Works, pleasantly situated on the Little Falls of Gunpowder River, in Baltimore County, and the Province of Maryland, viz. Two large Forges, with Four Fires and Two Hammers; a Furnace in good Repair, with an excellent Pair of Wooden Bellows, new Water Wheel, and a good Stack; a Grift-Mill newly repaired, with new Wheels and running Gears; a Saw-Mill in good Repair, Seven Dwelling-Houses, with Smiths and Carpenters Shops, Stables, Coal Houses, and many other Houses, such as, Meat, Smoke, and Chair Houses: All the above in Circumference of Five Hundred Yards, the Stream is good and lasting, with good Dams and well gravelled, an excellent Fall and Head Water to the Wheels. The above is healthy and pleasantly situated, at the Head of a navigable Water, where the Tide Ebbs and Flows Three or Four Feet, within a few Perches of the Furnace Door, which is very commodious, on Account that they may load Boats and Scows at the Work's Doors, and have no Land Carriage. Teppa is but One Mile from the said Works, where large Craft receives any Kind of Freight, to any Port at a very reasonable Rate. There is a beautiful Prospect from the Works of Teppa, and nothing can pass the River but it may be perceived; adjoining to the said Works are Nine Thousand Acres of Land, well watered and excellent Timber thereon: The Land is level and free from Stones, which makes it more agreeable to Coal, and hauling when coaled. There are on the said Land many dwelling, and Ore in great Plenty, several Banks are now open, and many more to open, all of which are not above One Mile from the Works, and good Roads to haul it when rais'd, a good Orchard, and about Three Hundred Acres of clear Land, most of which with a little Expence will make good Meadow, and is all under good Fence. The Country round the Premises is, rich and fertile, and plenty of Produce may be had at reasonable Rates, with many other Accommodations too tedious to mention, which make it the most valuable Works on the Continent. Any Gentleman inclining to purchase before the Day of Sale, may take a View of the said Works. Credit will be given, for Part of the Purchase Money, on giving Security if required, and paying Interest.

N. B. If the said Works should not be Sold, at or before the Day of Sale, they will be rented for a Term of Years, by

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ZACHEUS ONION.

Virginia, August 15, 1769.

WHEREAS I have discovered by Accident, that Col. William Champe has used me very ill, by an Advertisement in the Maryland Paper, charging me with conniving at Two Slaves, mortgaged to his Father, being given up to satisfy a Debt, in Part, to Messrs. Conyngham and Nesbit, Merchants in Philadelphia; in order to clear myself of so unjust and ungenerous an Aspersions, I am to inform the Public, that I gave Col. Champe due Notice of the Attachment, and also of the Condemnation, and have his Answer, that he had trusted to Mr. Joseph Watkins, the Estate's Agent, who he found had deceived him: I beg Leave to refer those, who may want to know more of this Affair, to Dr. John Stevens, for my Conduct on this Occasion. — I hope Time, and that shortly, will convince the Gentlemen in Maryland, that I do not deserve the Censure I have lately met with in that Province. — Had the aforesaid Joseph Watkins done his Duty, my Debts might have been all paid ere this, and my Estate saved from being broke up in the Manner it has, for it is to be proved at the Mine-Bank on Elk-Ridge, that the Agent last Year raised more Ore than Mr. Watkins did in Two Years, and the present Agent has raised as much as the last did, and only Half the Season gone yet. — The Coaling Business will be about double in one Year's Work.

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BENJAMIN GRYMES.

JUST IMPORTED, In the Isabella, Capt. Spencer, from Bristol, and to be SOLD, by Wholesale,

A PARCEL of well assorted GOODS, about £. 1500 Sterling prime Cost. For Terms apply to Mr. John Brice, Annapolis, Messrs. Smyth and Sudder, Chester-Town, or (tf) JAMES CHESTON.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on the 23d of July last, living in Queen-Anne's County, the Two following Servant Men, viz. JOHN ADAMS, about 24 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, well set, ruddy Complexion, much pitted with the Small-Pox, has a bold impudent Look, a Blemish in One of his Eyes, short light Hair, and is mark'd on One Arm with the Letters I A, and something else, but can't be certain what: Had on, a half worn Hat, green Broad-Cloth Coat, with Gold Twist or Basket Buttons, striped Linen lappelled Jacket, old Sheep-skin Breeches, white rib'd worsted Stockings, and old Shoes, the Soles and Heels filled with Stub Nails, Steel Buckles, and a white Shirt.

JOSEPH BISHOP, about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, broad Shoulders, and very well set, short black Hair just cut before, black Eyes, swarthy Complexion, and a down Look, several of his Upper Teeth are gone from before, but not all together, One being between each Vacancy: Had on, an old Felt Hat, Osnabrig Shirt and Trousers, a light colour'd Cloth Coat, Linsey Woolsey Jacket, with a Cloth Back, old blew Stockings, old Shoes, the Soles and Heels fill'd with Stub Nails.

Whoever takes up, and secures the said Servants, in any Jail in Maryland, shall have Forty Shillings Reward for each, or if secured in any Jail in any other Province, shall have Three Pounds for each, besides what the Law allows, and reasonable Charges paid if brought home, by

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DAVID LINDSEY,

TURBUTT BETTON.

WILLIAM WHETCROFT, GOLDSMITH and JEWELLER in West-Street, Annapolis.

HAVING purchased the Servants lately belonging to Mr. Knapp with all the Materials for carrying on the Watch and Clock-making Business hereby informs the Public, that he Repairs all sorts of Clocks and Watches, in the best and most approved Manner; and as he has a complete Apparatus for cutting Wheels with more Expedition and Exactness than usual, they may depend on having their Work done in the most careful Manner, and on better Terms than heretofore.

He also carries on the Goldsmiths and Jewellers Businesses in the most extensive Manner, as he has imported a great Variety of Materials, and has extreme good Workmen for the executing the above Branches. Those Ladies and Gentlemen who please to favour him with their Custom, may depend that the utmost Exertion of his Abilities to merit their Esteem, shall be his whole Study and greatest Ambition.

N. B. He has a great Variety of ready made Work by him, which he will Sell at the most reasonable Rates.

•• He gives the best Prices for old Gold, Silver and Silver-Lace. (tf)

June 22, 1769.

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away last Monday Night, from the Subscriber, living in Kent County, Maryland, Two Convict Servant Men, viz. MICHAEL HEWNE, or KEIRN, born in Germany, and is by Trade a Tailor; he is slim made, has a thin Visage, dark Complexion, black Hair, and an old Sore on his Head, a little above his Temple: He so much represents a French Neutral, that he may very well pass for one: Had on, and took with him, when he went away, a blue Cloth Surcoat Coat, with Mohair Buttons, a striped red and white lappelled Jacket, of single Grogam; a Pair of ribbed worsted Stockings, a black Silk Handkerchief, a new Cashmere Hat, with Silk Loopings, and a good Pair of Shoes, with the Grain out.

NATHANIEL POWELL, about 30 Years of Age, a slim made Fellow, thin Visaged, dark Complexion, thick black curled Hair, which grows very low down his Back, is an Englishman born, talks much in the West Country Dialect, and has a very down Look; he understands Plowing, Reaping, and Mowing, and is a nimble brisk Fellow: Had on, and took with him, when he went away, a blue Broad Cloth Coat, with a small Cape, and Mohair Buttons, a Pair of Snuff coloured fine Cloth Breeches, half worn. As they have other Clothes, they may perhaps change their Dress. They have Money with them, and it is probable, they will change their Names, and forge Passes.

Whoever takes up said Servants, and brings them home, if taken out of the Province, shall have a Reward of Ten Dollars; if in the Province, Six Dollars, for either, and for both, the above Reward, paid by

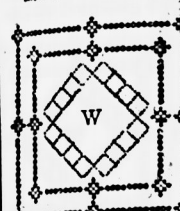
R. GRESHAM.

•• It is supposed they went off in a Canoe, and made down the Bay, from Chester River.

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A LETTER from the Council of MASSACHUSETTS-BAY, in Virginia and the Province, concluded.



WITH Regard to the Addition to ready objects further to have been to the Majesty's Council Service, the done every Power to prevent even execution given them by the Act for punishing desertion. About the Beginning of there arrived a Number of his in the Harbour of Boston, immediately out the least Hestiation, the Barracks (within the Township of Boston) Miles from the Center of the Town Province for the Accommodation of were in the Judgment of Sir Jeff here, the best and most commodious America. These were by the Government provided with Necessaries for those furnished with every Thing that by was required, and even beyond its like Provision has been made diverse Troops have occasionally arrived again, upon the News that his Majesty's Troops hither, the Governor and the Provincial Commissary-General aforesaid should be put into proper reception; and that Barrack Utensils provided with the utmost Expedition, accordingly. These are Facts that no it has been said that the Council selves for the Provision of the Troop it is answered, that if they did ever Act of Parliament last made they might do, surely they did their Duty be blamed; this was the Case, n Thing within their Department. the Act it appears plainly that the Barracks are first to be filled, and Clause, the Constables, Tythingmen, and that Barrack Utensils required to quarter and billet the Soldiers or Default, a Justice of they and no others; Consequently quartered any Soldiers at any or Livery-Stub against the Militia could maintain Trespass, and no and Council could have defeated in Case there should not be sufficient officers and Soldiers, in such Barracks in such, and no other Cafe, and count, it shall and may be law and Council to order Quarters; t ly appears, the Council exceeded favour of his Majesty's Troops wife. — Is it not manifest, my Lord, and Council had no Right to me quartering aforesaid, excepting dence of such Officers and Soldiers might not be room in such Barracks? then, and in that Cafe count, and in no other Cafe, h Council any Right, Power or A s touching the quartering of this never took Place, none were by said Act, favouring those at the William. This is the true Conf Parliament, which is a penal Statute is to be construed in the Intention of the Council to least Measure, or to give in s would render it of no Effect in the finding what the Governor hath getted to the contrary. This t's Troops either when at W upon their March, or both; it that the Parliament of Great made this Act, had in Conte would be a great Number of th to the Plantations to keep th which the Troops have no Au considered as the King's Troops the posse Comitatus under the Dir gillitate: But whether this was ment or not, the King has a r where he in his great Wisdom re the King's Troops in the March, or at Quarters, is Rebel and it would be very unbecom not to give them all that Aff mandated by Law to give them.

The Sentiment of the Council Troops are at Quarters in the t are good Barracks provided, t But the Council never was fo the Act, that when the King's March a Hundred Miles from t vision should be made for the such Cafe, my Lord, the sum and would be made for them been in the Province.

ANNAPOLIS: Printed by ANNE CATHARINE and WILLIAM GREEN, at the PRINTING-OFFICE: Where all Persons may be supplied with this GAZETTE, at 12 s. 6 d. a Year; ADVERTISEMENTS, of a moderate Length, are inserted the First Time, for 5 s. and 1 s. for each Week's Continuance. Long Ones in Proportion to their Number of Lines. — At same Place may be had, ready Printed, most kinds of BLANKS, viz. COMMON and BAIL BONDS; TESTAMENTARY LETTERS of several Sorts, with their proper BONDS annexed; BILLS of EXCHANGE; SHIPPING-BILLS, &c. &c. All Manner of PRINTING-WORK performed in the neatest and most expeditious Manner, on applying as above.