

June 8, 1773.
small term of years, and entered
the 1st day of November.
and fifty acres of land,
more county, and within a few
town. The soil is good and the
land is fit for farming, having every
thing for that trade. There may be
a grain in the ground this fall,
by bullies. For further particu-
lar, the subscriber, who has also a very
second floor to let, suitable for a

WILLIAM JACOB

June 5, 1773.
Friendship, Capt. John Eden, in
mack, from London.
of goods for the stores at
Bladenburg, and George-town.
loads with tobacco consigned to
and will be presently dispatched,
nearly ready. I shall order in-
further have another ship, in Patow-
The Sibella, Smith, for Patow-
goods when the Friendship left
be hourly expected.

STEPHEN WEST

Upper-Marlborough, June 4, 1773.
I take this method to acquaint
myself and friends in general, that
I am London, a neat assortment of
buckrams, braidings, silks, and
carrying on the stay-makers business.
and ladies that please to favour
them, may be assured on their hav-
ing one in the neatest manner, by

JOHN CONNER

B E S O L D,
man fit for plantation work, for
short credit. Enquire of the prin-
t

June 5, 1773.
Every creditor and creditors of Col-
Baxter, or William Baxter, Esq; late
deceased, are requested to inform
me either of them, of the nature and
of their several claims, that the same may
be paid, so far as the said estates shall
order as the law directs. The debtors
of the said estates, are also desired to be as ex-
peditious in the discharge of their several
debts, as they can be, under the
penalty of law, and to give notice,
from

JOSEPH BAXTER,
THOMAS JONES,
BARUCK WILLIAMS.

Personal estate of Capt. Robert. Etherington
insufficient for the discharge of a
debt against him, by Isaac Levy; and
a minor, not residing in this pro-
vince, under the necessity of applying to
a court of law for an act to subject the real
estate of the said Robert, to the payment
of which all persons concerned
take notice.

J. BARNES, Administrator.

June 7, 1773.
AS James Norman, of Anne-Arundel
county, planter, made and affixed his bond,
of April last unto William Hance,
county, planter, and being apprehensive
that he might not make a good title to the land con-
veyed over by the said bond, he
warns all persons from taking an assign-
ment of the same.

JAMES NORMAN.

June 9, 1773.
The subscriber, having provided himself with
a boat and a pair of hands, in order to
set out from Cambridge every other
nine o'clock for Annapolis; from thence
to Annapolis, where he waits 48 hours, and
then to Cambridge, stays there one day, and
then to Cambridge.

RICHARD BRIAN.

June 13, 1773.
I have a negro man, named Frank, about
the age of the common five, has many
on his head; had on, an osnabrig shirt,
trousers, and Welch cotton waistcoat,
groes generally have, and carried with
him other articles of apparel, that I cannot
re here; he is an artful fellow, has been
in the country, but speaks English very in-
telligibly, and has lately taken upon himself
the physick, in which employment he has a
content been countenanced by a few peo-
ple. An encouragement has been the means of
his going. I will give 30 shillings for appre-
hending and bringing the said negro to me, provid-
ed taken within 20 miles of Piscataway; and
if a distance above 20 miles, and within 30,
I will give 40 shillings; and if above 30 miles,
I will give 50 shillings, for delivering him
to me, in Prince-George's county, to
me, by THOMAS CHAGETT.

WE do hereby certify, that a certain negro
man named BOB, formerly the property of
Mackinena Porter, of the county of Sorghet and
province of Maryland, but now the property of Mil-
ler and Heslop, of the county of Spotsylvania and
colony of Virginia, merchants, is a slave, that he
was born such, that his mother, and all her children
are such, and that any thing to the contrary of their
being any thing else than actual slaves during their
natural lives they know not. Given under our
hands this 14th day of October, 1772.
William Venables, Caleb Balding, Will. Eggs,
William Horley, Zach. Maddan, J. Hamilton,
John Mitchell, Peter Cullaway, W. Vaughan,
Virginia, May 25, 1773.

Ran away early last December from Mount Plea-
sant, in Spotsylvania county, Virginia, the above-
mentioned negro. I will give ten pounds Virginia
currency reward to have him secured in any jail on
this continent, on notice given in this Gazette, and
twenty pounds reward if brought to Frederickburg.

When he went off he procured a forged pass sign-
ed with the name of William Smith, gentleman, one
of his Majesty's justices of the peace for the county
of Spotsylvania, called himself and passed as a free
man, by the name of Robert Alexander, but the
above certificate will shew him to be a slave, as it is
signed by several people who were formerly his
owners. The dress he went off in was a dark
Bath coat, a brown broad-cloth waistcoat, buckskin
breeches, yarn stockings, shoes, and brass buckles;
but as he is a cunning, artful villain, he may have
changed his dress. He stole sundry fine linen shirts,
the property of my partner, Mr. William Heslop,
marked W.H: he is tall, above six feet high, slim
made, a very likely fellow, and is handy about all
sorts of plantation work, is by trade a sawyer, hav-
ing been bred to it from his infancy, and attended
several saw-mills on the Eastern Shore, of which
place he is a native; he likewise understands the
house carpenters business.

I expect he has pushed to the northward; indeed
he was followed as far as Annapolis, from whence I
imagined he crossed the Bay. If taken up in Mary-
land or Pennsylvania, and delivered to Mr. David
Kerr near Annapolis; Mr. James Jaffrey in Balti-
more, or Mr. William Turnbull, merchant, Phila-
delphia, the above reward will be paid. All mas-
ters of vessels are forewarned to carry him off at
their peril.

JOHN MILLER.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.
RAN away on Sunday May 30, from on board
the William and Hopewell, lying in South-
river, two sailors, viz. John Roberfon, an English-
man, about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, wears his
own hair short, and has some connexions at Lower-
Marlborough. Alexander Roberfon, a Scotchman,
about 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, remarkable red hair
and eyebrows, speaks pretty broad, and is much
freckled in the face, and is supposed to have gone
over to Patowmack or Patuxent. Whoever ap-
prehends the said John and Alexander Roberfon,
and secures them in any Jail in the province, shall
receive five pounds reward, or fifty shillings for ei-
ther of them, paid by

IGNATIUS FENWICK.

May 21, 1773.
To be sold to the highest bidder, on the 15th of
June next, on the premises, for sterling money or
bills of exchange, agreeable to the will of the
late John Pye, Esq;

ABOUT 500 acres of fine land, being part of a
tract, called Cornwallis Neck, lying on Mat-
tawoman Branch in Charles county.

HENRIETTA PYE, executrix,
WALTER PYE, executor.

Charles county, May 20, 1773.
To be sold at public vendue, at Port-Tobacco
town, in Charles county, on the 28th of June
next.

THE sloop Ranger, which carries about 3000
bushels, with all her rigging, tackle and fur-
niture. The said sloop is lately trimmed and now
in good repair. She lies off Capt. Laidler's, and
may be viewed at any time before or on the day of
sale. Also to be sold on the same day at the
same place, two flats, the one 25 hds burthen, the
other 15 hds. The 25 hds. flat now lies in Port-
Tobacco creek, the other in Pilas. Also to be
sold, at the same day and place, a negro man, and
a servant man who has three years to serve, both
good sailors and have been used to sail in the sloop
Ranger. Six months credit will be given to the
purchaser, or purchasers, of the above articles, on
giving bond and security, with interest from the date.

ROGERS,

PHILIP R. FENDALL,

JOHN LAIDLER.

The Land office warrants as formerly, and
all persons who have made application for
warrants or any kind of business in that office, are
desired to apply, that they may not lose the bene-
fit of such application.

Signed per order,
WILLIAM STEWARD, CLERK OF

May 14, 1773.
NOTICE is hereby given, that application will
be made to the next General assembly for an
act to confirm the title of the subscribers of, and in-
two tracts of parcels of land, called Spring Garden,
and the chase lying in Soldier's Delight hundred, in
Baltimore county; and also to enable the clerk of
Baltimore county, to record a deed from Thomas
Slight and Vachel Worthington, to Benedict Swoope.

BENEDICT SWOOPÉ,
DANIEL BOWERS,
JACOB MADEIRA,
HARMAN FISHER,
ELIZABETH HOLTZINGER,
MARTIN ESCHELBERGER,
FREDERICK ESCHELBERGER.

Executors and Trustees of Barnes Holtzinger.

Chelter-Town, May 2, 1773.
LOST from the stern of a small schooner, off
Baren Island, on Wednesday the 19th instant, a
large new pine canoe, thirty feet long, split in
her larboard quarter by laying in the sun, which
split is newly caulked and pay'd with pitch, and
has two iron clamps to keep it together; she had
about two fathom of new rope fastened to her bow,
and two oars and one paddle underneath the thwart.
Whoever takes up said canoe and brings her to the
subscriber, or lodges her with Mr. M'Hard at An-
napolis, shall have a reward of twenty shillings.

WILLIAM GEDDIS.

May 14, 1773.
STRAYED or stolen from the subscriber's planta-
tion, about 3 miles from Port-Tobacco, a bright
bay mare, about fourteen hands high, marked Y
with a stroke across the bottom, the off fore foot
and the two hind feet white, has a snip on her nose,
and a bump on her back, about four years old.

Whoever takes up the said mare, and will deliver
her to me, living near Nottingham, or to my over-
seer at the aforesaid plantation, near Port-Tobacco,
shall receive fifteen shillings reward.

LEONARD BROOK.

Prince-George's county, May 21, 1773.
COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, ne-
gro man, who formerly belonged to Mr.
Richard Queen, on the Eastern branch of Patow-
mack, and who now says he belongs to John Dorley,
son of Elie, on Elk-Ridge. His master is desired to
pay charges and take him from

RALPH FORSTER, sheriff.

May 24, 1773.
RAN away, last night, from the subscriber, liv-
ing in Garrison forest, about 10 miles from
Baltimore, in Maryland, a mulatto slave named
JACK, about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, of a thin
visage and slender make, with his knees bent in one
against the other, commonly called knock-kneed,
and has a scar on his right cheek: had on, and took
with him, when he went away, a white kersey jacket
and breeches, a pair of leather ditto, a blue cloth
coat, a dark brown Devonshire kersey great coat,
three osnabrig shirts, two white holland ditto, one
pair of osnabrig trousers, a pair of dark brown rib'd
silk stockings, brown worsted and negro yarn ditto,
a pair of half worn shoes, another pair nailed in the
soles, and a felt hat; he plays on the violin. Who-
ever takes up the said slave, and secures him, so
that his master may get him again, shall receive, if
in the province three pounds, and if out of the
province ten pounds, and all reasonable charges,
paid by

GEORGE RISTEAU.

N. B. It is supposed the above runaway carried
off with him, from Gardiner's tavern, about eight
miles from Baltimore, a dark bay horse, about 15
hands high, a natural pacer, belonging to Mr. Ed-
ward Stephenson, of Pipe-creek, Frederick county.
All masters of vessels are forewarned from carrying
him off at their peril.

May 20, 1773.
ALL persons indebted to Messrs. Barnes and
Ridgate, for dealings at their several stores,
at Port-Tobacco, Benedict, and Newport, in
Charles county; and George-Town, in Frederick
county, are desired to settle their respective accounts,
with the several factors herein after mentioned, who
are appointed for that purpose, by the subscribers
trustees of the said Barnes and Ridgate. For dealings
at Port-Tobacco, with Zephaniah Turner; at Be-
nedict, with Alexander M'Pherson; at Newport,
with Joseph Gevinn, junr. at George-Town, with
Thomas Johns. Those who refuse, or neglect, to
comply with this request by the first day of July
next, may depend that suits will be commenced
against them without respect of persons. And the
creditors of the said Barnes and Ridgate are desired
to attend at Port-Tobacco on the 28th day of June
next, when a state of their affairs will be laid before
such creditors, by

JOHN ROGERS,

THOMAS STONE,

PHILIP RICHARD FENDALL.

THERE is at the ferry of Thomas Addison, a
dark bay gelding, about 14 hands high,
branded on the near shoulder, YP joined together, a
blaze face, and a saddle spot on his withers, hood
black. The owner may have him again, proving
property and paying charges.

May 20, 1773.
In pursuance of a deed executed on the 18th day of
May, 1773, by Messrs. John Barnes and Thomas
How Ridgate, joint partners in trade, to us the
subscribers, in trust for the payment of their
debts in the manner in the said deed expressed,
which deed is recorded among the records of
Charles county,

NOTICE is hereby given to the country cre-
ditors of the said John Barnes and Thomas
How Ridgate, and the holders of bonds and other
specialties, and bills of exchange, actually and bona-
fide executed and drawn, by the said John Barnes
and Thomas How Ridgate, in the province of
Maryland, that we have appointed the twenty first
day of February next, to meet the said creditors in
the town of Port-Tobacco in Charles county, in the
said province of Maryland, for the purpose of re-
ceiving their claims in writing against the said John
Barnes and Thomas How Ridgate, joint partners in
trade as aforesaid, and releases of the persons of the
said John Barnes and Thomas How Ridgate. And
that all those of the said creditors, who shall neglect
or refuse to signify their claims in writing, as aforesaid,
one of us, or who shall neglect or refuse to attend
and acquit the persons of the said John Barnes and
Thomas How Ridgate, in consideration of the bene-
fits and advantages the said creditors are to receive
under the said deed, on or before the said twenty-
first day of February next, will be barred and ex-
cluded from all manner of benefit and advantage
under the said trust deed, and the powers therein
contained, according to the purpose, true intent and
meaning thereof.

JOHN ROGERS,
THOMAS STONE,
PHILIP RICHARD FENDALL.

Prince-George's county, May 21, 1773.
A CONSIDERABLE part of the publick money
for this year being still unpaid, the subscri-
ber gives notice, that he will attend as follows in
order to receive it, when he hopes all persons that
have not paid will come prepared to discharge their
balances.

RALPH FORSTER, Sheriff.
At Nottingham, the 16th and 17th June,
At Piscataway, the 18th and 19th ditto,
At Broad creek, the 21st
At Bladenburg, the 22d and 23d,
At Queen-Anne, the 24th, and at
Upper-Marlborough, the 25th and 26th ditto.

March 2, 1773.
To be sold at publick vendue, on Tuesday the 28th day
of July next, at the late Dwelling-House of Samuel
Wickham, of Frederick County, deceased, with

A TRACT of Land containing Twenty-seven
Acres, another Tract containing One Hun-
dred Acres, adjoining the other, both lying on
Monackey Creek, whereon are Two framed Dwelling-
Houses, about Fifty Acres of cleared Land, and
some in good Timothy Grass; also one other Tract
containing One Hundred Acres, lying on Fishing
Creek, in the County aforesaid, whereon is a good
Dwelling-House, some Out-Houses, about Forty
Acres of cleared Land, and several Acres of Timothy
Grass: There is on the said Land, a convenient
Place for building a Grist-Mill. Also all Persons
indebted to the Estate of the above said Wickham,
are desired to make immediate Payment, and those
who have any just Claims against said Estate, are re-
quested to bring in their Accounts regularly, pro-
viding that they may be adjusted, by

JOSEPH WOOD, junr. Executor.

May 20, 1773.
To be sold at publick vendue on Tuesday the 28th day
second of June next, on the premises, with

A VALUABLE tract of land, called the Two
Brothers, lying in St. Mary's county, within
ten miles of Leonard town; Benedict and Ridgate,
and at the distance of 1/2 mile from the Patowmack river,
it contains two hundred and twenty-five acres, or at
least patented for that quantity, is moderately well
timbered. The soil is light and capable of improve-
ment, the chief of it being level. The dwelling house
is a good dwelling house and kitchen, and a good
tobacco-house. Any one desirous of seeing the land
may do it by applying to Mr. John Lucas at the
Queen-Anne, in the aforesaid county, ready money
will be required for the purchase, or at least the half,
and such direct credit may be given on interest and
good security, by

JOHN LUCAS,
ANNE LUCAS.

Annapolis, May 10, 1773.
To be sold by the subscriber, at publick vendue, on
Monday the 5th day of July next, on the pre-
mises, if fair, if not the next fair day.

ABOUT five hundred acres, part of the late
A valuable tract of land, called Middle Plantation,
lying in Anne-Arundel county, between the head
of South-river and Patuxent; also about forty acres
of choice meadow adjoining the said land. The
land is level, and the soil good, either for planting
or farming; it is pleasantly situated, about two
miles from two merchant mills, and about the same
distance from a navigable water, where ships frequent-
ly load, and a market for all sorts of grain. The
purchaser will be put into possession the 25th Novr
next, and have the liberty to sow grain this sum-
mer.

NICHOLAS MACCUBBIN.