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III. The work to be put to press as soon as three thousand copies shall be subscribed for, and to be finished without delay.

The Editor has been encouraged, by a number of respectable characters, to offer the above proposals to the public, under a conviction that a handsome American edition of the Bible, in Quarto, will, at this time, be both seasonable and acceptable, as no part of the money will go out of the country.

This consideration, it is hoped, will be an inducement to subscribe, and of course promote the more frequent reading of this most invaluable book in private families. He therefore wishes to attract the attention, and obtain the countenance of people of all denominations; not doubting but that, in the execution of the work, he will be able to give ample satisfaction, both as to its accuracy and neatness.

Subscriptions will be received by Hugh Gaine and Edmund Prior, New-York; by Joseph Crukshank and William Young, Philadelphia; by Townsend and Patton, Baltimore; and by the editor in Trenton.

It is requested, that the leading characters of all the different denominations of Christians in the United States, who may feel disposed to promote this undertaking, will, as early as may be, grant their assistance in procuring subscriptions--and that the several printers of news-papers in the union will be pleased to insert the above proposals in their papers.

To all whom it may concern.

☞ Mr. Isaac Collins has, for many years last past, been, and still is, printer to the state of New-Jersey: Having by this means had the more frequent opportunities to see his work, I have had abundant proof of the accuracy and correctness of his publications, as well as of his remarkable attention to business.

WIL. LIVINGSTON.

Trenton, 11th September, 1788. 1

Seven Mountains, Anne-Arundel county, October 9, 1788.

TAKEN up by the subscriber, about two miles above the mouth of Magothy river, on the bay, a SCHOONER, supposed to be about three or four years old, about thirty feet keel, depth of hold and breadth of beam in proportion, her mainsail and jib almost new, her foresail much used; a compass, two old blankets, an iron bolt and some old rope, was all that was found in her. From the dangerous situation that the above schooner was found in, it is supposed that she was taken in a clandestine manner from the owner; she is in the possession of William Worthington. The owner may have her again upon proving property and paying charges, by applying to 1

Wm Worthington JOHN NORRIS.

ON Friday the 31st of October, 1788, will be run for over the course near Annapolis, a SUBSCRIPTION PURSE of FIFTY POUNDS, free for any horse, mare, or gelding, except the horse winning the Jockey Club purse; heats four miles each; four years old to carry seven stone, five years old to carry seven stone ten pounds, six years old to carry eight stone seven pounds, aged nine stone.

On Saturday the 1st of November, a PURSE of THIRTY POUNDS, free for any horse, mare, or gelding, of three and four years old; four years old to carry seven stone, three years old a feather; heats two miles each.

Any horse winning two clear heats to be entitled to the purse; three horses to start each day or no race; the winning horse the first day excluded the second day.

Entrance the first day eight dollars, and for the second four dollars; the horses to be entered with Mr. George Mann the day preceding the race, or pay double entrance at the post, and to start each day at 11 o'clock. Proper judges will be appointed for the race. 1

September 9, 1788.

THE subscriber intends to petition the next general assembly after this notice has been published eight weeks, to pass a law in order to remedy a defect in a deed of conveyance from Elizabeth Nally to Barton Brawner, Henry Brawner and William Brawner.

6 JOHN CORNISH BRAWNER,
son and heir at law to Henry Brawner.

October 4, 1788.

THE MEMBERS of the SOCIETY of the CINCINNATI, in the State of Maryland, are hereby informed, that the 17th Instant is appointed for a Meeting of the said Society, at Annapolis; on which Day I have it in Charge, earnestly to request their punctual Attendance.

2X JOHN KILTY, Secretary.

Calvert county, September 5, 1788.

THE vestry and parishioners of All Saints parish, intend to petition the general assembly, at their next session, for an act to assess the pews of the church for the maintenance of a minister. 8 w

Signed, per order,

2 SAMUEL MEAD, Register.

September 25, 1788.

MR. JOHN EVERSFIELD died in my debt, to the amount of 24,640 ℔ crop tobacco, and due in the year 1782, and, at the sale of his personal estate, May 2, 1786, I bought articles to the amount of thirty-six pounds ten shillings currency, and gave the estate credit for the money, not knowing but captain Fielder Bowie, who acted for the widow, would agree to it. Some time afterwards, captain Fielder Bowie asked me for my bond for the above sum. I agreed to his proposal, and gave him my bond, payable nine months after the above date; which was the time allotted those who had purchased at the sale to make payment. Afterwards we, who are the creditors, and have not got executions against the aforesaid estate, thought it proper to petition the chancellor for a sale of the real estate, as the personal estate was not sufficient for to pay the debt; I likewise mentioned my claim on the back of the petition, making mention of the above sum received of the personal estate, which I gave my bond for. Captain Fielder Bowie told me sometime ago, he would give my bond to some of the creditors who had got executions against the above-mentioned estate. This is therefore to give notice to all persons having claims against the aforesaid estate, not to receive my bond, for I will not pay it. As witness my hand,

2 DANIEL M'CLIESH.

WILL be RUN FOR, on the 22d of October, over a good course near PISCATAWAY, a SUBSCRIPTION PURSE of TWENTY POUNDS, free for any Horse, Mare or Gelding,—Heats Two Miles each—Weight for Age, agreeably to the Rules of the Annapolis Jockey Club.—On the Day following, will be run for, over the same Course, a SUBSCRIPTION PURSE of TEN POUNDS, free as above,—Heats Two Miles each. The Horses to be entered with Colonel Beanes, the Evening preceding the Day of their Running. Subscribers to pay One Shilling in the Pound Entrance, and Non-subscribers double. Judges will be appointed to determine all Disputes. 2X

ANNAPOLIS RACES.

THE JOCKEY CLUB PURSE of SIXTY GUINEAS, will be run for, over the course near Annapolis, on Thursday, the 30th day of October next, agreeable to the rules established by the said club, with this alteration only, that any person, not a member of the club, may start his horse, mare or gelding, for the purse, on paying one shilling in the pound entrance, and be entitled to the purse should his horse win.

Those members of the club, who have not paid up their subscriptions fully, are requested to pay their respective balances to Mr. George Mann, at any time before the race, who is empowered to receive the same.

The members of the club are requested to meet at Mr. George Mann's, at nine o'clock the morning of the race. 8

FOR SALE,

THE following property lying in the city of Annapolis, formerly belonging to JAMES MACCUBBIN, late of PHILADELPHIA, deceased, to wit: one moiety of lot No. 51, lying on South-East-street, on which there is a good brick house, with other valuable and necessary improvements; the lot is agreeably situated, and is in a public and in an healthy part of the town, and of course convenient to the transacting of business in almost any line; and lot No. 72, lying on Church and Francis streets, whereon there are two good brick houses, one of which is calculated for two tenements, and to each of which tenements, as likewise to the other house, there are sundry necessary out improvements, and on which there is also a small framed house; this lot lies in a part of the town much frequented, and is conveniently situated to the carrying on the mercantile business, or any other kind; the whole of this lot will be sold together, or divided, as will best suit the purchasers. For terms apply to the subscriber, living in George-town.

9 JAMES LINGAN.

August 18, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that the subscriber intends to petition the general assembly of Maryland, at their next sitting, to confirm his title to a TRACT of LAND, lying in Worcester county, late in the possession of William Hopewell, deceased.

7 LAMBERT HYLAND.

To be SOLD to the highest bidder, at the plantation of the late ROBERT DAVIDG, on Saturday the 25th of October, if fair, if not the next fair day, Sunday excepted, in order to discharge his just debts,

SEVERAL valuable NEGROES and STOCK, consisting of black cattle, horses, sheep and hogs; also a quantity of Indian corn, rye and wheat. The terms of sale to be made known on the day of sale.

JOSHUA YATES, Acting Executor of
3 ROBERT DAVIDG.

Charles county, September 9, 1788.

To be SOLD, to the highest bidder, on the premises, on Saturday the 18th day of October next,

A CONVENIENT DWELLING HOUSE, in Piscataway-town, situated on a lot of near two acres, in an advantageous part of the town for any kind of public business; also ten or fifteen unimproved lots, containing one acre each; for the improved lot 3 years, and for those unimproved 2 years, credit will be given. Bond with interest and approved security will be required.

5X B. REEDER.

September 17, 1788.

By order of the general assembly, will be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, for READY MONEY ONLY, on the state-house hill, in Annapolis, on Tuesday the 21st of October next, if fair, if not the next fair day,

A QUANTITY of OLD MILITARY STORES, consisting of Tents, Old Iron, Spike Nails, Crow Bars, Axes, Camp Kettles, 56 ℔ Weights, Old Rigging, some Soldiers Cloathing, a few Sets of Damaged Harness, a Large Ducking Piece, some Salt-Petre, and a few small Gun Flints fit for Fowling Pieces.

5X C. RICHMOND, Aud. Gen.

Alexandria, September 1, 1788.

THE subscribers for shares in the PATOWMACK COMPANY, are called upon to pay into the hands of Mr. WILLIAM HARTSHORNE, treasurer to said company, on or before the 10th day of October next, five pounds *per cent.* on each and every share subscribed by them respectively.

GEORGE WASHINGTON, President.
THOMAS JOHNSON,
THOMAS S. LEE,
GEORGE GILPIN,
JOHN FITZGERALD, } Directors.

N. B. The PRESIDENT and DIRECTORS think necessary to inform the SUBSCRIBERS, that it is with the greatest reluctance they make this additional call, and that nothing but the apprehension of suspending the work at this favourable season could induce them to it. They have reason to flatter themselves that no other demand will be made until all the delinquent subscribers are compelled to comply with those already made, as every necessary step has been taken to this end, agreeably to the laws passed in the states of Virginia and Maryland for that purpose. 3X

Port-Tobacco, September 19, 1788.

RAN away from the subscriber, a Man Slave named GEORGE, a dark mulatto, about six feet high, slender made, with large and long arms, he has lost one of his fore teeth, and has several remarkable scars on his face and neck, occasioned by being severely wounded with a knife by a fellow who attempted to murder him some time ago, one of these scars is below his under lip, another from the upper part of his right cheek across his neck, and two others across the back part of his neck, which have left marks resembling those frequently seen on Africans; he had on and took with him an osnabrig coat and overalls, London brown superfine broad cloth coat, a white linen jacket, two striped jackets, a pair of yellow lasting breeches, white and brown thread stockings, white and brown linen shirts, new shoes and metal buckles. Whoever apprehends and delivers the said slave to me at this place, shall receive TWELVE DOLLARS REWARD, including therein all charges whatever.

4 J. H. STONE.

September 1, 1788.

THE subscribers mean to petition the next general assembly to make good a title to one thousand acres of land, lying in Baltimore county, given by the state of Maryland to their respective wives.

6 THOMAS H. HANSON,
HORATIO BELT.

Sept. 1, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the vestry of Saint Peter's parish in Talbot county, intend to petition the next general assembly for an act to confirm the title of three acres of land, whereon the church stands, to the said vestry and their successors for ever.

6 JOSEPH MARTIN, Register.

September 24, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber intends petitioning the next general assembly of Maryland, for a charter for a fair to be held at Warwick, in Cæcil county.

4 DANIEL CHARLES HEATH.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the justices of Dorchester county intend to prefer a petition to the next general assembly of Maryland, to make the road which leads from Talbot-town to Akers's ferry a public road. 6 Sept. 10, 1788.