

MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, April 3, 1760.

LONDON, January 5.

NOTWITHSTANDING all the Reports of a Peace, say they at Paris, we are very far from having any real Appearances of it. By the Magazines that are forming, and other Steps taking, it appears that the French are determined not to move before Prince Ferdinand.

The Chefaria, from a Place 20 Leagues above Quebec, of near 500 Tons, mounting 18 Six-pounders, and has 6 more in her Hold, with 100 Men, and 6 English Prisoners, is sent into Bristol, by the Rippon Man of War, who took her the 20th, 70 Leagues from the Lizard. She sailed from Quebec, with 4 or 5 others, one a Brig, run ashore, coming down the River. The Forts fired as they passed by the Town, but did them little or no Damage. On Saturday 30 Sail of Merchant Ships arrived in the River, 19 of them from Quebec.

A very powerful Squadron is now getting ready against the Spring, of which, it is said, two great Men are to have the Command; and that several Regiments of Foot are to be employed, in order to strike a thorough Blow.—It is strongly reported, that several Regiments will be employed in the Spring in Favour of a certain great Monarch.—It is said that Admiral Boscawen will have the Command of a Fleet in the Baltic, and likewise be invested with a public Character, in order to carry on a Negotiation with the Northern Powers.

Naudou Dutiel, the late French Governor of Guadaloupe, was brought to Brest by M. Bompas, in Chains, in order to take his Trial for giving up that Island.

It is said that Admiral Saunders will relieve Admiral Pocock in the Command of his Majesty's Squadron in the East-Indies; and we hear that 2000 Land Forces will be sent out with him. Orders have been issued for completing (to the full Complement) the several Troops under Orders for Embarkation from other Regiments.

We hear that a great Number of Transports will soon be taken into the Government's Service, to carry Troops to Germany, and Provisions, &c. to the new Conquests in America.

Some Transports are preparing to receive Troops on board for North-America.

Decem. 25. The Diamond, Steek, from London, is arrived at Leghorn, and has taken and carried with her a French Ship, laden with Sugar and Coffee, worth 30,000 Dollars.

Extract of a Letter from Paris.

"The new Comptroller of the Finances having, on the Part of the King, exposed to the Farmers-General the pressing Want of the State, that opulent and generous Company have engaged to furnish a considerable Sum, for which his Majesty Promises to pay them Interest. But as all these Gentlemen are not equally rich, they will be divided into three Classes, proportioned to their Abilities. Those of the first Class, will give 100,000 Florins each, those of the second 50,000, and those of the third 30,000. Perhaps this may successively invite other Companies to contribute according to their Power."

On the 15th Instant arrived at Tinnmouth, a Ship from Newfoundland, with 700 Quintals of Fish; on the 13th she was met with and taken by a French Ship, who, with five others, had found Means to escape from the River St. Lawrence, since the Surrender of Quebec, all very richly laden.

They write from Edinburgh, that on the 1st ult. an Express arrived from London, with Orders for Commodore Boys, then lying in Leith Road, to sail directly for the Coast of Norway, in order, if possible, to clear the Seas of some of the Ships of Thwart's Squadron, who were cruising there under English Colours, and picking up a great many of our Merchantmen. The Commodore immediately gave Orders to make every Thing ready for sailing, and it was expected he would put to Sea the first fair Wind.

Extract of a Letter from Paris, dated Dec. 26.

"Notwithstanding the Severity of the Season, the Time for the Armies in Germany to rest themselves is not yet come. The King of Prussia still keeping his Troops encamped, obliges Marshal Daun to make his Men under the same Hardship. Such violent Flames, as those of the present War, must find the Cause of their Extinction in themselves. Accordingly, general Debility calls aloud for Peace; and the only Point is to settle Articles that shall insure its Duration. There is a Rumour of the Arrival of two Noblemen here to facilitate the Negotiation. The Apprehension, left the King of Spain should at last determine to take Part in the War, is a new Motive for Peace, especially to those Nations who feel the Influence of Depopulation on Commerce, and know the Difficulty of re-establishing lost Manufactures, the Want of which is also followed by Disorder and Barbarism."

"The Court is in great Affliction for the Death of the Dutchess of Parma. The Infant Don Philip, her Husband, being informed of her dangerous Condition, had set out to come to see her; but we suppose that he returned back when he met the Courier who carried the News of her Death. The King and the Royal Family, that they might avoid seeing her last Struggles retired to Marsi, and the Queen to Triana. Her Corpse was deposited on the 8th in the Tomb of the Bourbon Family, in the Church of the Abby of St. Dennis."

It is certain that a young Gentleman from North-Britain, whose Name is Lyle, has found out and made some Instruments, which, as they depend upon an essential Property of Matter, will point out the Course of a Ship at Sea in every Sort of Weather, and in all Climates, as exactly as can be wished for; or it will discover a Property in certain Minerals, which will be going to make an Experiment with one of them at Sea, and if it

answers the first End, it will be a very great Discovery. This has been long wished and laboured for in vain, and would perfect the Art of Navigation, which is of so much Consequence to Great-Britain.

CHARLES-TOWN (in South-Carolina) February 23.

The whole Province is now in Arms, or arming, to repress the Invasion of the perfidious Cherokees. In those Parts where the Militia can be most useful, strong Parties alternately range the Woods. The Governor has ordered Sub-sistence to be provided for such Persons as are collected together in any Forts or other Places of Refuge; and sent very large Quantities of Ammunition to Orangeburgh, the Congarees, Pine-Tree Store, &c. and caused to be notified to the several Indian Nations in Alliance with us, the Reward of Twenty-five Pounds which will be given by this Government for every Cherokee Scalp. And, we hear, that Mr. Atkin has sent Talks, not only to the Creeks and Chickesaws, but also to the Chactaws.

We have no late Advices from Fort Prince-George, or any of Consequence from Places in that Rout.

But from Fort Moore we learn, that a Gang of about 18 Cherokees, divided into 3 or 4 Parties, on the 15th Instant, way-laid, killed and scalped Uncle Tobler, Esq; a Captain of Militia in those Parts, as he was riding from his Father's to that Fort; and shot Mr. William Calhoun, who was with him, in the Hand; three other Persons who were in Company, escaped unhurt; the Indian who killed Capt. Tobler, left a Hatchet sticking in his Neck, on which were 3 old Notches, and 3 newly cut. Some Negroes belonging to Lachlan M'Gillivray, Esq; employed on this Side Savannah River, were likewise beset by the Indians, but being timely succoured, beat off the Enemy. About the same time, two Men were killed and scalped near Mr. James Germany's Fort, where most of the Broad-River People are.

As General Stanwix, in Consequence of the Advices sent him by our Governor, detached the Virginia Regiment, commanded by Col. Byrd (200 Men excepted) from Pitts-burgh, the Beginning of December last, which was expected to reach Winchester the 15th of that Month, and was put under the Direction of Lieutenant Governor Fauquier, to act against the Cherokees as Occasion might require; so we may flatter ourselves, that Fort-London will receive Succours from thence: The Distance from Winchester to Augusta Court-House, is 100 Miles, to Calhoun's on Reed-Creek 160, to Stalnecker's on Holston's River 40, to Fort-London 160; in all 460 Miles, the shortest Road. The Virginia Goods designed for the Cherokees, brought by Richard Smith as far as Salisbury, in North-Carolina, and there stopped, are still at that Place, and properly secured.

Our last Letters from Georgia advise, that their General Assembly had resolved to fortify that Province against the Attempts of Indians, according to their Governor's Plan; and to provide for 200 of the Militia, already in actual Service, to be on constant Duty until Succours may arrive from the Northward: That the Creeks who were lately at Savannah, were put into a good Humour, that they promised, as soon as they had placed the Women and Children then with them in Safety, they would go to War against the Cherokees; one of them said, he had scalped nine of them formerly; and he would not die before he had scalped as many more: That Captain Allick, Speaker of the Lower-Creeks, and a staunch and powerful Friend to the English, by the Invitation of Governor Ellis, came to Savannah the 15th Instant, with some Creek-Indians of Consequence; and 'twas hoped he would carry Talks to the Nation that might have the good Effect to induce and engage the Creeks in repelling the Cherokees, if they were not absolutely fixed in their Resolutions not to interfere between us and those People: That only five or six People have yet been killed by the Cherokees on the Georgia Side of Savannah River: And that all possible Precautions are taking to prevent the Small-Pox being brought into that Province from hence, to which End the Scout-Boat is properly stationed down the River; and no Vessel from this Port is to be permitted to come near the Town of Savannah until she has performed ten Days Quarantine at an Island some Miles below it; nor from any other Parts of this Province, without Bills of Health from the Magistrates at the Places from whence they come.

Mr. Patrick Calhoun, one of the unfortunate Settlers at Long Canes, who were attacked by the Cherokees on the first Instant, as they were removing their Wives, Children and best Effects to Augusta, in Georgia, for Safety, is just come to Town, and informs us, that the Whole of those Settlers might be about 250 Souls, 55 or 60 of them fighting Men; that their Loss in that Affair amounted to about 50 Persons, chiefly Women and Children, with 13 loaded Wag-gons and Carts; that he had since been at the Place where the Action happened, in order to bury the Dead, and found only twenty of their Bodies, most inhumanly butchered; that the Indians had burnt the Woods all round, but had left the Waggon and Carts there empty and unhurt; and that he believes all the fighting Men would return to and fortify the Long-Cane Settlement, were Part of the Rangers so stationed as to give them some Assistance and Protection.

B O S T O N, March 3.

Extract of a Letter from Fort Cumberland, Dec. 17.

"We have now in this Fort upwards of One Hundred French Men, Women and Children."

By Captain Allen. From London, Dec. last from Falmouth, which he left about the 9th of January, we are informed,

that soon after he came out he saw a large Prize Ship standing for Plymouth, but could not get high enough to learn who she was; she appeared like a French 74 Gun Ship, very light, having no Guns as he could discern; and supposes her to be another of the Enemy's Men of War, taken and sent in by some of Admiral Hawke's Squadron.

N E W - H A V E N, February 23.

Extract of a Letter from Simsbury, Feb. 15, 1760.

"In the Town of Soufield there is an aged Woman (near 88); about six Months ago she had a hard Knob, which began to rise gradually on her Forehead, and has been growing higher and higher ever since; it is now got to be near three Inches in Length; 'tis about Midway of her Forehead, between her Eyes, rather more to the Left, than the Right; I lately saw it, and felt of it, it appeared like a perfect Horn of a blackish Colour, and as hard as a Sheep's Horn, and the Top of it turns downward. The Report of this has drawn many Spectators, who can attest the Truth of this Narration; so that you may depend on it as a Matter of Fact, and no Fiction. 'Tis supposed, that it proceeds from a cancery Humour, tho' it operates in an uncommon Way and Manner."

N E W - Y O R K, March 10.

On Thursday, the 21st of last Month, Mr. Montresor, second Engineer at Quebec, and Lieutenant in the 25th Regiment, escorted by Lieutenant Butler, and a Party of Rangers, arrived at Brunswick, in New-Hampshire Government, across the Land, in 26 Days; and on Monday a Troop of Mr. Montresor came to this Town by the Way of Boston, with Dispatches for General AMHERST.—We hear that the Troops at Quebec are healthy and in good Order: That all Lower Canada, to the Number of 6000 fighting Men, have delivered up their Arms, and taken the Oath of Fidelity; and that the Militia in said Parts hold their Commissions from under General Murray: That the People of the Country supply the Garrison with Provisions, as far as the distressed State of their Settlements will admit: That the Labourers and Artificers work at the usual Price for the Garrison; and that the People seem to be very well contented under a British Government: That the Troops having no Spirituous Liquors, except a Gill of Brandy when they work, and drinking only Spruce-Beer, are free from the Scourge: That Gen. Murray has given, out of the French Stores taken there, to every Man, Sticks, Mockifons, Leggings, a Shirt, a Flannel Jacket, a Coat, and a Cap lined with Fur; which is the Dress of the Soldier, from the General to the private Man; that as to the Enemy about the Town, so far from any Hopes of making any Impression on our Posts, they would think themselves happy, could they be next Spring in any Posture of Defence to oppose us: That the General has turned all the Jesuits out of the Town, and has made a Store of their College: And that of 11 Merchant Vessels that attempted to pass the Town in November last, in a dark Night, five of them were cast away.—We hear that one of the said Vessels blew up, soon after a Lieutenant of the Troop, and a Number of Seamen, said to be 48, had got on board to take Possession of her.—We also hear, that one of the Escort, named Richard Child, was so much benumbed, and his Feet and Legs frozen, that he died a few Days after they came away.

Lieutenant Butler, who escorted Lieutenant Montresor, set out from Quebec for this Place, in December last, but was obliged to return, after being 21 Days in the Woods, being pursued by a Party of Indians, from whom they were secured by the French Inhabitants, in their Return, and were extremely well used by them.

We hear further, that our People have two advanced Posts, one at St. Foy, and the other at Lorette, 7 Miles from Quebec, where they remained in the greatest Security, not one Person being killed there since the Surrender of the Place; that a Drum-major, in the Colony Troops of Canada, who had Permission to supply the Garrison with Greens, &c. was found out in endeavouring to enlist some of our Soldiers in the French King's Service, and persuading others to desert, being tried by a Court Martial, and found guilty of Treason, was immediately hanged up; that the River of St. Lawrence was not froze up at Quebec the 26th of January; that of the Ships that were above the Town, seven got clear, and four could not get down; and that the following Articles would fetch a great Price to those that arrived there first in the Spring, viz. Candles, Salt, Tea, Cheesecloth, Coffee, and Sugar.

By Captain Hall, who arrived at Boston last Sunday Week, in 25 Days from St. Kitts, we have the following List of Prizes taken and carried into Martinico, between the 4th and 30th of January last, viz. Ship Charming Sally, Eyre, from the Coast of Africa, for Antigua; Sloop Charming Molly, Goodwin, from New-London, for Guadaloupe; a Sloop Privateer; a Sloop, from Baffette, in Guadaloupe, for Grandterre; a Sloop, from Guadaloupe, for Barbados; Brig Sally, Bently, from Liverpool for Guadaloupe; a Sloop, Lewis, from Sorridam for New-England; Snow Dorothy, Haig, from South-Carolina for Guadaloupe; Brig Calverly, Hughes, from Africa for Montserrat; a Sloop, Clarke, from New-London for Barbados; a Schooner, from Guadaloupe for Point-Petre; a Snow, White, from Glasgow, for St. Kitts; a Brig, from Philadelphia for Guadaloupe, chased into Dominico; a Ship, from Carolina for Bristol, with Naval Stores; Ship Quebec, from Salem for St. Kitts; a Sloop, from New-London for Barbados; and a Snow, from Cape Fear for Ditto, re-taken.

By PERMISSION of his EXCELLENCY,
At the THEATRE, in this City, on Monday next,
being the 7th Instant, will be presented, a TRA-
GEDY (written by SHAKESPEARE) call'd,

OTHELLO,

MOOR of VENICE.

Duke, Mr. MURRAY: Brabantio, Mr. SCOTT:
Othello, Mr. DOUGLASS: Cassio, Mr. HAL-
LAM: Jago, Mr. PALMER: Rodorigo, Mr. A.
HALLAM: Montano, Mr. MORRIS.
Desdemona, Mrs. DOUGLASS: Emilia, Miss
CRANE.

To which will be added, a FARCE, call'd,
A W O N D E R!

An

Honest YORKSHIREMAN!

No Money will be received at the Door on any
Account; nor any Persons admitted without
TICKETS, which may be had at the PRINTING-
OFFICE, and at the Bar of Mr. Middleton's Tavern.

BOXES 10s. PIT 7s. GALLERY 5s.

No Person to be admitted behind the Scenes.

To begin exactly at VI o'Clock.

A SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

FOR Raising the Sum of Two Hundred and
Fifty Pounds for Enlarging and Repairing
the PUBLIC WHARF, and Erecting a
GRAMMAR SCHOOL, in Alexandria, viz.

3 Tickets at £. 50	£. 150
3 Ditto at 25	75
10 Ditto at 10	100
20 Ditto at 5	100
40 Ditto at 2	80
745 Ditto at 1	745

821 Prizes. Sum raised 250
2179 Blanks.

3000 Tickets at 10s £. 1500

THE above is not three Blanks to a Prize,
without any Deduction.

The Drawing to begin the first Day of September
next.

The Prizes to be published in the *Virginia* and
Maryland Gazettes, and the Money to be paid as
soon as the Drawing is finished.

All Prizes not demanded in six Months after
Publication, will be deem'd as generously given
to the Uses aforesaid.

The following Gentlemen are appointed Ma-
nagers, *George William Fairfax, William Ramsey,*
John Carlyle, Gerard Alexander, John Dalton,
George Johnston, George Mason, John Hunter, Robert
Adam, and John Muir, Trustees of the said Town,
who are to give Bond, and be on Oath that they
faithfully discharge the Trust reposed in them.

Tickets may be had from the aforesaid Mana-
gers, or from *Col. John Champe, or Allan Macrae,*
Merchant, at *Dumfries; Hector Ross and Benjamin*
Greyson, Merchants, at *Colechester; Philip Richard*
Fendall, of *Charles County; Messrs. Symmers and*
John Weldon, Merchants, at *Upper-Marlborough;*
and at the Printing-Office in *Annapolis.*

TO BE SOLD,

A NEAT CHAIR, handfomely painted, and
well finished.

Also a compleat GELDING, fit for the Saddle,
and will draw well in a Chaise.

WANTED,

A Person that understands Clerk's Business, and
can write a good Record Hand. Such a Clerk
will meet with Encouragement. Enquire of the
Printers hereof.

To be SOLD very reasonably, by the Subscriber
in Annapolis,

A NEAT London made BILLIARD-TABLE,
about 5 Years old, with Tacks and Balls.
Any Person inclinable to purchase, may have Cre-
dit, on giving Security, and paying Interest.
CORNELIUS GARRETSON.

THERE is at the Plantation of Capt. Thomas
Greenfield, near *Benedict,* taken up as a Stray,
a Bay Horse, about 14 Hands high, and 7 Years
old, paces slow, and is a neat Galloper, shoe be-
fore, has a few grey Hairs in his Forehead,
branded on the near Buttock with three Dots in a
Triangle.

The Owner may have him again, on proving
his Property, and paying Charges.

Virginia, March 20, 1760.

WHEREAS I have built a compleat Forge
with three Fires in it, with all Convenien-
cies in and about the same, on a good Stream,
which it is thought will supply the Works con-
stantly, so that I am now only in want of proper
Officers to carry on the same, having both Wood-
cutters and Colliers (Slaves) sufficient to carry on
the Works constantly, and a Furnace about eight
Miles distant; and whereas the Success of such
Undertakings depends on the good Management
of the Works, and good Workmen; this is there-
fore to inform those whom it may concern, that a
Clerk is wanted for the Forge, who is not only
well acquainted with keeping Accounts, but ca-
pable of taking Charge of the same, to whom
good Encouragement will be given, and a Prospect
of advancing. A Hammerman is wanted at 25 s.
Pennsylvania Money per Ton, and two strong young
Fellows found to work with him; and two Finery
Men at 30 s. per Ton, and two strong young Fel-
lows to work with each of them. If either the
Hammerman, or Finery Men, choose to find their
own Hands, then I purpose to allow 35 s. per
Ton for drawing, and 45 s. for making, to be
paid in Specie half yearly, or quarterly, in Paper,
and Goods, &c. furnished very cheap. A good
Dwelling-House, Garden, and Fire Wood, will
be found. I will contract for three, five, or seven
Years, on the above Terms. As the Post will now
come down once a Fortnight, an Answer to any
Letter will be returned by the same Post.

BENJAMIN GRYMES.

P.S. I have Sloops that bring Ore from *Moale's*
Point near *Baltimore-Town,* so that a Passage may
be had from thence for any Household Goods.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on Thursday
the 18th of *October* last, Two New Negroes;
the one a Man, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, sup-
posed to be about 25 Years of Age. Had on
when he went away, a Crocus Shirt and Trowsers,
and a new white Plaiding Jacket. He will answer
to the Name of *Isaac.* The other a Woman, is
very small, talks in her own Language very fast,
and appears to be older than the Man. Had on
when she went away, a Crocus Shift, and a white
Plaiding Petticoat; she also carried with her a Piece
of greenish colour'd Cloth, which I suppose may
supply the want of a Jacket. She will answer to
the Name of *Sarah.*

Whoever takes up the said Negroes, and brings
them to me at *George-Town* on *Patowmack* River,
or secures them so that I can have them again,
shall have a Reward of Twenty-five Shillings for
each, besides reasonable Charges paid, if taken up
20 Miles from home, and delivered to me.

ROBERT PETER.

Since first publishing the above Advertisement,
some Circumstances have been discovered, by which
it is conjectured the above Slaves were stolen.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Henry Brad-*
ford, in *Charles County,* taken up as a Stray,
a Sorrel Horse about 14 Hands high, has had his
Tail lately bob'd, a Blaze Face, his Brand un-
known.

The Owner may have him again, on proving
his Property, and paying Charges. 175/12.

THERE is in the Possession of *Hezekiah Ma-*
gruder, at *Mill-Town,* taken up as a Stray,
a small Bay Horse about 12 Hands high, he has a
small Star in his Forehead, a long Mane, and is
dock'd; but has not any perceivable Brand.

The Owner may have him again, on proving
his Property, and paying Charges. 175/12.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Edward Evans,*
on *Linganore,* near *Mr. Joseph Hood's,* in
Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a small
Light Grey Gelding, branded on the off Buttock
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The Owner may have him again, on proving
his Property, and paying Charges. 175/12.

March 19, 1760.

ESCAPED from the Subscriber, at a Smith's
Shop belonging to *Col. Samuel Beall,* in *Fra-*
derick County, a likely Country-born Negro Man
named *Thomas,* about 40 Years of Age, lately
brought from the *Jerseys,* about 5 Feet 6 Inches
high. Had on a Kersey close bodied Coat and
Waistcoat, Buckskin Breeches, grey Stockings, an
old Felt Hat, and Worsted Cap. Whoever takes
up the said Negro, and delivers him to *Mr. Joseph*
Beall, at *Upper-Marlborough,* or to the Subscriber
near *Fredericks-Town,* shall have Twenty Shillings
Reward, paid by

PETER BAINDRIDGE.

Mr. J. B. Ball, June.

PROPOSALS for Printing by SUBSCRIPTION,
The FARMER'S COMPANION.

CONTAINING,

I. DIRECTIONS how to set off any one, or
every one, of the Points of the Compass;
or any one of the Degrees, even in a strange Place,
without any Instrument of any Kind, so easily ap-
prehended, that a Man of the least Ingenuity,
with a small Share of Learning, may be directed
in a few Minutes how to set off one or two Courses,
so true as to correct the Compass.

II. How to tell the true Distance to, or from,
any one, or several, Object or Objects; and the
true Distance they are from one another, without
any Instrument.

III. How to make a Circle or Circumference
divide itself into Points or Degrees.

IV. How, with the Dividers only, to prick off
6 or 8, or more, Courses, before one Line be
drawn.

V. How to make a Square to run Land without
any Compass.

VI. How with Pen, Ink and Paper only, to lay
out every Point on the Compass true.

VII. A sure and certain Method for setting
Clocks and Watches, without any Regard to the
Time of the Year, or Latitude of the Place.

With several other useful Problems, too tedious
to be inserted in these Proposals.

By ABRAHAM MILTON, Inspector, at
Chester-Town.

Also will be added, A sure Method for any one
to tell for himself where the Sign is. And I in-
tend to send the Draught of a Scale that will shew
(when 2, or 3, or more Lines of any Courses and
Distances are run) the true Course and Distance
from thence to the Beginning, without plating it
down, that is, to send with the Books, one to
every ten, it being so easily apprehended that most
Men may draw one for himself, after he hath had
a Sight.

CONDITIONS.

THAT at subscribing each Person pay Ten
Shillings, and Ten more at the Delivery:
That as soon as 400 at least are subscribed for, the
Cuts will be got ready, and be printed on good
Paper and Letter, and be delivered by the several
Gentlemen that take in the Subscriptions, with all
possible Dispatch. But if the Number of Subscri-
bers doth not amount to a sufficient Sum, then
every Man is to have his Money returned by the
Gentlemen with whom he subscribed, and in whose
Hands the Money is to lie till the Time affixed is
out. But if the Number amounts to 500, then it
will be but Seven Shillings and Six-pence at Deli-
very; if 600, but Five Shillings; if 700, but
Two Shillings and Six-pence; and if 800, then
there will be none but the first Ten Shillings.

The Persons nominated to take in Subscriptions,
are mentioned in this Gazette of *September 27* and
October 25; and in the *Pennsylvania* Gazette of
November 8 and *December 6;* as also the Certificates
at large in the same Papers. Those Gentlemen,
and any others, that should be kind enough to take
in Subscriptions for me, are desired to send in an
Account of the Number they have each got to the
Printing Office at *Annapolis,* by the first Week of
the Provincial Court in this present Month.

The Whole is so easily apprehended, that it
can't be opened till the Subscriptions are full; and
if when it is, any one confutes it, the Money shall
be returned, by

ABRAHAM MILTON.

JUST IMPORTED in the PHENIX,
Captain Mc GACHIN, from LONDON,
and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Store at
George-Town, at *Rock-Creek,* the Head of *Pa-*
towmack.

TWO Hundred Pieces of English Sail Cloth
sorted, Numb. 1. to Numb. 8; Grapnels
and Anchors from Half a Hundred to 500 Wt.
sorted; Brads and Wood Compasses; Bunting;
Log Lines; Sand Glasses; hand Pumps; Scupper,
and Pump Nails; hand Leads and Lines; Trum-
pets; Oakum; Pump Leather; Sail, and Bolt Rope,
Twine; Houseline and Marline; *Hambro's,* and
deep Sea Lines; some Cordage; sheathing Paper;
Flock Beds; Sailor's ready made Cloaths; and
other Ship-Chandlery.

LIKEWISE, Variety of European and India
Goods, Rum, Sugar, &c. very Cheap, for Ready
Money, or short Credit, Bills, Tobacco, Wheat,
Corn, &c.

STEPHEN WEST.

N. B. *George-Town* is very conveniently situa-
ted for either *Virginia* or *Maryland;* a good Landing
Navigable for Vessels of any Burthen. I expect eve-
ry Day a large parcel of Rum, Sugar, Molasses, Co-
ffee, Cotton, Chocolate, Wine, &c. and shall be con-
stantly supplied with those Commodities.

March 26, 1760.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away last Night from the Baltimore Iron-Works, on Patuxent in Maryland, two Convict Servant Men, viz.

Thomas Woodcock, a thin faced Englishman, about 30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high; dark Complexion, short brown Hair, floops in his Walk, and stumbles in his Speech. Had on when he went away, a Cotton Jacket and Breeches, Oz-nabrig Shirt, Country Shoes nailed round the Sole, Yarn Stockings, a knit Yarn Cap, and old Hat.

Lawrence Parrole, an Irishman, a lusty, well-set Fellow, about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 Inches high, black Hair, has a long sharp Nose, and lubberly Walk. Had on when he went away, a Cotton Jacket and Breeches, Oz-nabrig Shirt, speckled Yarn Stockings, Country Shoes, and Felt Hat.

Whoever secures the said Servants, so that they may be had again, shall have, if taken in Baltimore County, Forty Shillings for each; if in any other County of the Province, Fifty Shillings; and if out of the Province, Five Pounds Reward for each or either of them; and reasonable Charges if brought home.

R. B. They may steal other Cloaths, and change their Names.

THERE is at the Plantation of Charles Cheney, at Antietam, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Chestnut Sorrel Mare, branded with 'TH' (join'd in one) on the near Thigh, a small Star in her Forehead, a Saddle Spot on her Back; and has a last Spring's Sorrel Colt with her.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Thomas Clark, on Captain-John's Run, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a black Mare with a Star in her Forehead, about 13 Hands high, has 3 white Spots over her near Eye, and is branded with S D on the near Buttock.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Upper-Marlborough, March 18, 1760.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Subscribers, in Account of above one Year's standing, are desired to make immediate Payment, or they may expect to be sued without further Notice.

ALEXANDER and ANDREW SYMMER.

March 20, 1760.

ANY Person qualified to take the Command of a small Sea Sloop, bound for New-York, and can come well recommended, may meet with Employment, by applying to the Subscriber now at Annapolis.

JOHN HANSON, junior.

To be RENTED, in ALEXANDRIA,

THE GEORGE TAVERN. There are three Fire Places below Stairs, a very good Bar, and six Rooms above; a Kitchen adjoining, with two good Rooms below and above, a Dining Room 24 Feet by 18, a Room of the same Dimensions above it, in which is a very good London BILLIARD TABLE. There are also, a Garden, Stable, Smoke-house, &c.

Any Person inclining to Rent the same for a Term of Years, may know the Terms and Time, by applying to the Subscriber, (or in his Absence to Mrs. Ramsay) and enter on the Premises in good Order.

WILLIAM RAMSAY.

Alexandria, Jan. 30. 1760.

Alexandria, Virginia, Feb. 19, 1760.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Mr. David Craig, late Merchant of Alexandria in Virginia, deceased, are desired to come and settle their Accounts; and those who have any Demands against the said Estate, to bring in their Accounts, that they may be paid.

As my Intention is, in a short Time, to leave this Colony, and have a speedy Settlement of the Affair, those who will not come and give Bond by the last of March next, may expect their Accounts will be put into the Hands of an Attorney, to be prosecuted according to Law, and those which will bear General Court Suits, may expect them.

JOHN CRAIG, Administrator.

STRAY'D or Stolen from the Dwelling Plantation of Mrs. Christian Smith, near Mr. Joseph Sim's, in Prince-George's County, the first Week in November last, a middle sized Chestnut Sorrel Mare about 13 or 13½ Hands high, with a large Star in her Forehead, her hind Feet, and half Way up her Legs are white, has large Hoofs, a short Neck, some Saddle Spots on her Back, and grey Hairs on her Buttocks, hanging Mane and Tail, and branded on the near Shoulder with 'IP' (join'd together) and on the Buttock something like this A, the paces, trots and gallops. Whoever brings the said Mare to the Subscriber in Calvert County, shall receive Thirty Shillings Reward for their Trouble, from

JOHN SKINNER.

STRAY'D from the Plantation of Mr. George Maxwell, on Patuxent, a Black Horse about 14 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock RB. Whoever brings the said Horse to the Subscriber, Bricklayer, near Allen's-Fresh in Charles County, shall be paid Twenty Shillings Reward.

GEORGE LYNN.

TO BE RUN FOR, 5

At the usual Race Ground, near ALEXANDRIA, on Thursday the 29th Day of May next,

A PURSE of THIRTY POUNDS, the best in three Heats, (three Times round the Ground, which is about two Miles and a Half each Heat), by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, 14 Hands to carry ten Stone, or below that Measure, Weight for Inches.

And on Friday the 30th will be run for, a Purse of Fifteen Pounds, by any Horse, &c. 14 Hands carrying nine Stone, or below that Measure, Weight for Inches.

The Horses to be entered on the Monday before at the Court-House, with Messrs. Carlyle, Adams, and Hunter, between the Hours of Two and Six o'Clock in the Afternoon. The Entrance Money to be paid for the first Race, Thirty Shillings for each Horse, &c. And for the second, Fifteen Shillings each.

Proper Judges will be appointed to determine any Disputes which may arise.

Three Horses to Enter and Start or no Race.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

THE Plantation, in Cecil County, whereon Mr. JAMES PAUL HEATH, deceased, and the Subscriber, lately lived, to which belong about 1500 Acres of excellent Land. There is also on the Plantation, a very handsome well built Brick Dwelling-House, two Story high, with four good Rooms on a Floor, together with handsome and convenient Offices of Brick. The house is very pleasantly situated on Sassafras-River, and commands a beautiful and extensive Prospect. There are also other Commodious Buildings, such as Barns, Tobacco Houses, Granaries, Stables, Houses for Quarters or Tenants. It is about three or four Miles from Frederick and George Towns. There is some good Meadow, and a great deal more may be made.

For Title and Terms Enquire of WALTER DULANY, Esq; in Annapolis, or the Subscriber at his Plantation in Baltimore County near Bush-Town.

N. B. If a Number of Purchasers should offer, the Land may be laid out in Lots.

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JAMES HEATH.

Prince George's County, February 26, 1760.

THE several Gentlemen in this Province, that have any Demands against Mr. Peter Fearon, of London, Merchant, and Capt. John Fearon, late of this Province, deceased, Partner in Trade with the aforesaid Peter Fearon, or against the Subscriber during the Time he was Factor for the said Company, are requested to send a Copy of their Claims to the Subscriber, by the Tenth Day of April next; as his Friends in London have promised him to get Justice done to the Creditors, who have hitherto suffered, as well as himself, for the large Sums of Money due from the said Company; which Accounts, as well as his own, he intends to send home early in the Spring.

All Letters and Accounts directed for me at Upper-Marlborough shall be taken due Care of.

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GEORGE CLARKE.

ANY industrious, sober TRADESMEN, willing to settle in Upper-Marlborough, will meet with Encouragement by applying to the Subscriber, who will either Sell Land, or Build for a reasonable Rent.

A good TAYLOR, SHOEMAKER, BUTCHER, TANNER, CABINET-MAKER, STAY-MAKER, and JOINER, are much wanted.

DANIEL CARROLL.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDOR,

At GEORGE-TOWN in Frederick County, on Saturday the 5th Day of April,

THE following Tracts of LAND, viz.

Philip and Jacob, containing 400 Acres.

Part of Whitehaven, containing 409 Acres.

Part of Friendship, containing 1200 Acres.

These are all adjoining, and make a Body of well Timber'd Land; on which are Two Plantations, with good Orchards, Four Tobacco Houses framed, and all other necessary Houses, and are very convenient for Trade or Cropping, lying on Patowmack River, about three Miles above George-Town in Frederick County.

Part of Addison's Choice, containing 800 Acres.

This Tract lies on Manockasy, within two Miles of Frederick-Town in Frederick County.

JOHN ADDISON,

WILLIAM MURDOCK.

Frederick-Town, February 26, 1760.

A SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

FOR raising Five Hundred Dollars, for purchasing a FIRE ENGINE for the Use of Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, to consist of 1750 Tickets at Two Dollars each, 532 of which to be Fortunate, without any Deduction, viz.

1 of 200 DOLLARS,	is	200
2 of 80	are	160
3 of 40	are	120
4 of 20	are	80
20 of 10	are	200
50 of 8	are	400
450 of 4	are	1800
1 First drawn Blank,		20
1 Last drawn Blank,		20

532 Prizes.

Sum raised 500

1218 Blanks.

1750 Tickets at 2 Dollars each, is 3500

THE Overplus of the Profits after purchasing the FIRE ENGINE and its Appurtenances (if any) to be applied towards erecting of a MARKET-HOUSE in the said Town.

By the above Scheme there are little more than Two Blanks and a Quarter to a Prize, and the Profits retained are not quite Fifteen per Cent upon the Whole.

When the Tickets are disposed of, the Drawing is to begin (on 14 Days previous Notice, at least, to be given in this Gazette) in the Court-House of the said County, in the Presence of Five of the Managers at least, and as many of the Adventurers as shall think proper to attend.

The Drawing, it is supposed, will be in Two Months at farthest, as a great Number of the Tickets are already engaged.

The Managers are, Messrs. Thomas Seely, James Dickson, Conrad Groff, Arthur Charlton, Christopher Edlin, Michael Ramar, Caspar Schaaf, Thomas Price, Levi Cohen, John Cary, and George Murdock, who are to give Bond, and take an Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust.

A List of the Prizes to be published in this Gazette, as soon as the Drawing is finished; and the Prizes to be paid off without any Deduction.

Prizes not demanded within Six Months from the Publication aforesaid, to be deem'd as a generous Present for the Use intended, and applied accordingly.

N. B. The Value of Seven Shillings and Six Pence in Maryland or Pennsylvania Currency, will be received in Lieu of each Dollar in the Sale of Tickets, and the same Currency to be accepted in Payment of the Prizes by the fortunate Adventurers.

TICKETS to be had of any of the Managers, and at the Printing-Office in Annapolis.

ANNAPOLIS: Printed by JONAS GREEN, and WILLIAM RIND, at the PRINTING-OFFICE, the Sign of the BIBLE, in Charles-street; where all Persons may be supplied with this GAZETTE, at 12 s. 6 d. per Year. ADVERTISEMENTS of a moderate Length are taken in and inserted for Five Shillings the first Week, and One Shilling each Week after, and in Proportion for long Ones.

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MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, April 10, 1760.

B O S T O N, March 24.

ON Monday last, between XI and XII o'Clock at Noon, a Fire broke out at the West Part of this Town, whereby a Joiner's Shop was consumed, and Part of a large Dwelling-House adjoining thereto, with many Things therein also burnt: The Wind blowing very high at N. E. it was a considerable Time before it was extinguish'd: The Roof of the West Meeting-House caught on Fire in several Places, and the Houses in the Neighbourhood were much damaged, but by the Dexterity of the People, and a constant Supply of Water, a Stop was put to the Progress of it.

The Day following, between X and XI o'Clock in the Forenoon, a Store at the upper End of Mr. Griffin's Wharf, the Chamber of which was improved as a Laboratory by the Detachment of his Majesty's Train of royal Artillery now here, by some Accident catch'd on Fire, which communicated itself to some Powder which was therein, whereby the Building blew up, and some of the Implements, Small-Arms, and Stores, were destroyed; tho' the Damage to the Train is not so great as has been reported, or as it was at first imagined to be; four or five Men, who were at work at the Time of the Explosion, were wounded, and two of them much burnt: In the under Part of the Store, a Variety of Merchandize, Provisions, &c. belonging to Mr. Griffin, were consumed or damaged: A Carpenter's Shop was burnt, and a Blacksmith's much damaged; this last was between the Place where the Fire began, and the Warehouses on the lower End of the Wharf, wherein was deposited the chief of the Artillery Stores, but the Wind being moderate, and near the Time of High-water, a Communication of the Flames with those Stores, was, by the Vigilance of the People, seasonably prevented; one or two Granaado Shells, and a few Small-Arms, went off during the Fire; but, thro' the Divine Favour, no Lives were lost. The Explosion was so great at first, that a considerable Shock was felt, even to the extreme Parts of the Town, and the Noise so loud, that it was heard at many Miles Distance.

But the 20th of this Instant March will be a Day memorable for the most terrible Fire that has happened in this Town, or perhaps in any other Part of North-America, far exceeding that of October 2, 1711: till now termed the Great Fire. It began about Two o'Clock in the Morning, in the Dwelling-House of Mrs. Mary Jackson and Son, at the Brazen Head in Cornhill, but the Accident which occasioned it is yet uncertain. The Flames caught the Houses adjoining in the Front of the Street, and burnt four large Buildings before a Stop could be put to it there; but the Fire raged most violently towards the East, the Wind blowing strong at N. W. and carried all before it, from the back Sides of those Houses. All the Stores and Dwelling-Houses in Pudding-Lane, excepting those which front the South Side of King-street, and a Store of Mr. Spooner's, on Water-street, to Quaker-Lane, and from thence only leaving a large old Wooden House, and a House belonging to the late Cornelius Waldo, Esq; it burnt every House, Shop, Store, Out-houses, &c. to Oliver's Dock; and an Eddy of Wind carrying the Fire contrary to it's Course, it took the Buildings fronting the lower Part of King-street, and destroyed the Houses from the Corner opposite the Bunch of Grapes Tavern, to the Warehouse of Messieurs Box and Austin, leaving only the Warehouse of the Hon. John Erving, Esq; and the Dwelling-House of Mr. Hastings, standing; the other Brick Warehouses towards the Long Wharf, were considerably damaged.

On the South East Part, the Fire extended from Mr. Torrey's, the Baker, in Water-street, proceeding to Mr. Hall's working House, and from thence

to Milk-street, and consumed every House from Mr. Calef's Dwelling-House to the Bottom of the Street, and the opposite Way, from Mr. Dowse's included, carrying before it every House to Fort-hill, excepting the House of the Honourable Secretary Oliver, and two or three Tenements opposite; as also every House, Warehouse, Shop, and Store, from Oliver's Dock along Mr. Hallowell's Ship Yard, Mr. Hallowell's Dwelling-House, the Sconce of the South Battery, all the Buildings, Shops and Stores, on Colonel Wendell's Wharf, to the House of Mr. Hunt, Ship Builder. So that from Pudding-Lane, to the Water's Edge, there is not a Building to be seen, excepting those on the Side of King-street, and those mentioned above, all being laid in Ashes.—Besides which, a large Ship, Capt. Eddy, late Master, lying at Colonel Wendell's Wharf, and two or three Sloops and a Schooner, were also burnt, one laden with Wood, and another with Stores of a considerable Value.

—We have thus marked the Course of those Flames which in their Progress consumed near 400 Dwelling-Houses, Stores, Shops, Shipping, &c. together with Goods and Merchandize of almost every Kind, to an incredible Value;—but it is not easy to describe the Terrors of that fatal Morning, in which the Imaginations of the most Calm and Steady, received Impressions that will not easily be effaced: At the first Appearance of the Fire, there was little Wind, but this Calm was soon followed by a smart Gale from the N. W. then was beheld a perfect Torrent of Fire, bearing down all before it—in a seeming Instant all was Flame; and in that Part of the Town where was a Magazine of Powder—the Alarm was great, and an Explosion soon followed, which was heard and felt to a very great Distance; the Effects might have been terrible, had not the chief Part been removed by some hardy Adventurers, just before the Explosion; at the same Time Cinders, and Flakes of Fire, were seen flying over that Quarter where was deposited the Remainder of the Artillery Stores and Combustibles, which were happily preserved from taking Fire.

The People of this and the neighbouring Towns exerted themselves to an uncommon Degree, and were encouraged by the Presence and Example of the greatest Personages among us, but the haughty Flames triumphed over our Engines, our Art, and our Numbers. The distressed Inhabitants of those Buildings wrapped in Fire, scarce knew where to take Refuge from the rapid Flames: Numbers who were confined to Beds of Sickness and Pain, as well as the Aged and Infant, demanded a compassionate Attention,—they were removed from House to House, and even the Dying were obliged to take one more Remove before their final one. The Loss of Interest cannot as yet be ascertained, or who have sustained the greatest; it is said that the Damage which only one Gentleman has received, cannot be made good with Five Thousand Pounds Sterling. It is in general too great to be made up by the other Inhabitants, exhausted as we have been by the great Proportion this Town has borne of the extraordinary Expences of the War, and by the Demand upon our Charity to retrieve a Number of Sufferers by a Fire not many Months past; a partial Relief can now only be afforded to the miserable Sufferers, and without the compassionate Assistance of our Christian Friends abroad, Distress and Ruin may quite overwhelm the greatest Part of them, and this once flourishing Metropolis must long remain under its present Desolation.

In the Midst of our present Distress, we have great Cause of Thankfulness, that, notwithstanding the Falling of the Walls and Chimneys, divine Providence has so mercifully ordered it, that not one Life was lost, and only a few wounded.

The Report that the late Fire which broke out at the House of Mrs. Mary Jackson and Son, and Mrs. M'Neal, was owing to the Carelessness of the Maid Servant of said Jackson's, by putting hot

Ashes in a Hoghead, is said to be false, as a Number of Persons were in the Cellar at the Time the House was on Fire, and saw the Hoghead entirely sound, and not the least Fire near it, but by what Accident the Fire happened is uncertain, but thought by the Sufferers an Accident not owing to any one's Neglect.

The following is a Copy of a Vote passed the Great and General Court, on the 22d Instant.

Attest. A. OLIVER, Secretary.

THE House taking into Consideration that Part of his Excellency's Speech respecting the Calamity brought on the Town of Boston in the late Fire, and it appearing, on the best Information that could in so short a Time be obtained, that there were consumed 174 Dwelling-houses and Tenements, and 175 Warehouses, Shops and other Buildings, with a great Part of the Furniture, besides large Quantities of Merchandize, and the Stock and Tools of many Tradesmen; that the Loss, upon a moderate Computation, cannot be less than 100,000l. Sterling: And it further appearing that the Number of Families inhabiting the aforementioned Houses were at least 220—three Quarters of whom are by this Misfortune rendered incapable of subsisting themselves, and a great Number of them are reduced to extremum Poverty, and require immediate Relief:

VOTED, That his Excellency the Governor be desired to send Briefs throughout the Province, strongly recommending the unhappy Case of the Sufferers to the Inhabitants, and calling upon them for a general Contribution, to be paid into the Hands of the Select men and Overseers of the Poor of the Town of Boston, to be by them distributed as they in their Discretion shall judge proper.

And inasmuch as the Necessity of many demands a more speedy Succour, it is further voted, That there be advanced and paid out of the public Treasury, into the Hands of the Select men and Overseers aforesaid, the Sum of Three Thousand Pounds out of the Money raised by Excise the Year past.—The said Select men and Overseers to lay an Account of the Money raised by the public Contribution before this Court, and of their Distribution thereof, and of the Sum received out of the public Treasury.

The Light of the Fire was seen at Portsmouth, which is (Sixty-five Miles) the farthest Place we have as yet heard from; and the Explosion occasioned by the Gunpowder at the South Battery was heard at Hampton, and many other Places, and was thought by many to be an Earthquake.

A Gentleman from Nantasket informs us, that last Thursday Morning, several Shingles, Letters, and other Papers, partly burnt, were found upon the Hills there, which were blown thither by the Violence of the Wind at the Time of the Fire we had here that Morning: The Distance to Nantasket is about 8 or 9 Miles.

And from Hampstead, we learn, That the House of Mr. Sawyer of that Place, was consumed by Fire the 7th Instant.

We hear that the Woman who was overtaken in Travail, and delivered in the open Air on Fort Hill, in the Time of the late dreadful Fire, is likely to do well.

Several Gentlemen who made Calculations of the Loss sustained by the late Fire, suppose that it cannot be less than 300,000 Pounds Sterling.

We hear his Excellency the Governor has wrote Letters to the several Governments on the Continent, setting forth the distressed Condition of the Inhabitants by the late terrible Fire, and desiring their Assistance for the Relief of the unhappy Sufferers.

The General Assembly of the Colony of Connecticut, have ordered Five Thousand Men to be raised for the Service of the ensuing Campaign.

CHARLES

CHARLES TOWN, *the South-Carolina*, February 27th, 1780.
Extracts of Letters from Augusta.

MONDAY last, 25th Instant, we had a Letter from John Vann, who lived lately at Broad River, about 20 Miles from this Place, acquainting us that he was, 2d Instant, attacked by a Party of Cherokees at his own House, whom he (having six or eight Men with him, and his House strong) beat off, without any Damage on either Side; but, as he apprehended it dangerous either to continue there, or retreat without Assistance, he craved some from this Place, when several Gentlemen of the Troop, and of the Fort Milledge, voluntarily offered their Service to cover his Retreat hither; they were joined by a Detachment of ten of Lieutenant Barnard's Rangers, in all about 40 Men, and set off the next Morning, about Ten o'Clock, lay that Night at one Mr. Davis's, about 15 Miles off, and proceeded the next Morning, when they were joined by the aforesaid Mr. Vann, and 12 others, who had safely retreated as far as Mr. Germany's. — Mr. Vann's Retreat so far being safe, they came to a Resolution of putting in Execution what they had before designed, viz. that of going to Mr. Samuel Chew's, at Little River, about 30 Miles up the Country, where was the young Lieutenant of the Covekaws, with a Party of Creeks, in order to find their Dispositions, and make what Discoveries they could about the Cherokees. — In their March there they had several Informations, from both white People and Indians, that a large Party of Cherokees had two Days before taken Possession of Mr. Vann's House, and were on their March to Mr. Chew's, at Little River, where they were certainly to be that Day. — This Information did not in the least intimidate or deter them from putting their Resolution in Practice, but rather spurred them on. — On their Arrival at Mr. Chew's, about Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, they found an old Creek Fellow, called Old Ned, some young Fellows and Women (the young Lieutenant and a Dozen more being out a hunting, or rather plundering the deserted Houses, and were not to return till Night, which obliged them to camp at Mr. Chew's, and wait the Lieutenant's Return.) Their former Informations of the Cherokees being to be at Chew's that Day, were now fully confirmed by those Creeks found there, as well as by the young Lieutenant when he came in, which obliged them to be all Night on their Guard, expecting every Moment when they should come to Action; but the rising of the River and Creeks, from the Abundance of Rain which fell that and the Day before, was supposed to be the only Thing that prevented their coming according to Expectation; and on Thursday Morning, 7th Inst. our Party set off for Augusta, where they arrived that Evening, their Scarcity both of Provisions and Ammunition making it absolutely necessary for them to do so, especially as they had completed the Business they went about.

The most material Discoveries made from these Creeks are as follow: Two large Parties of Cherokees are out, one on each Side of Savannah River; they design to scour the River on both Sides a good Way down, and to join below; upon which this Query was made, Whether their joining below was not to attack Augusta? To which they the Creeks replied, They could not say whether that was their Design or not: — That after they had done all the Mischief they could this Way, they were to return home to assist at the Siege of Forts Prince George and Loudoun: That a Party was gone out to Saluda, and a very large Body to the Northward: — That they had strongly solicited the Creeks not to join the white People: — That their making the late Peace was only to amuse, that they might get Ammunition and Goods, and be able more effectually to strike the Blow: That the Creek Nation in general would prefer a Neutrality. These, as well as I recollect, were the most material Discoveries made; there might have been some other, immaterial ones, which I don't remember.

If my Capacity would permit me to do it, it would be too shocking to paint the melancholy Scenes that were presented to us in our little March. — Poor Families in Doves removing, not knowing where to go; several of them wounded and scalped, who were left by the Savages for dead, even little Infants two or three Years old; strong new made Houses, and well cultivated Plantations, the Effects of much Labour and Industry, deserted, with Plenty of Provisions exposed to the Fury and Flame of those Barbarians. — Surely we should be roused by the great Call of Nature to take ample Vengeance on those Destroyers of our Fellow Creatures; there is not a House or Plantation above Mr. Germany's, 15 Miles off, but what is desert.

Mr. M'Gillivray's Conduct in our March deserves Applause, as he not only marched his little Troop with as much Regularity and Judgment as an Officer better versed in Military Matters could have done, but he also took the utmost Pains to quiet the Minds of the poor People, under their wretched Circumstances. — Mr. Germany's House being very convenient to make a Stand at, we have given Encouragement to the People there to make a strong Puncheon Fort round it, which they have just finished, and have upwards of 50 Gunmen, besides 12 of Mr. Barnard's Rangers; they are supplied with Arms, Ammunition, &c. from the Gentlemen of this Place, who are now collecting the Provisions round about, and I hope will be able as well as willing to prevent the Enemy from spreading their Desolation lower down. — Advices just received from Savannah say, that Capt. Milledge, and Lieutenant Bailly, with 60 Rangers, are on their March hither; they are to act in Conjunction with the Rangers already here, and the Militia of this Place. — Doves of People from the other Side continually pass through Augusta for Fort Moore, and many from this Side for Augusta. — Mr. Outerbridge's humane Behaviour to them, especially the Wounded, is really amiable, as is his Conduct in Garrison as a vigilant and careful Officer. — I wish my next may be a more pleasing Letter than this.

March 1. Letters from Ninety-Six, dated the 22d of February, advise, that two Thirds of the Garrison there are down in the Small-Pox: That the Negro Man, belonging to Doctor John Murray, who was taken by the Indians when they attacked that Fort, had made his Escape, and returned thither: And that no Indians had been seen in that Neighbourhood since that Attack. — From Augusta and Fort Moore we learn, that Lieutenant Shaw and Ensign M'Intosh were arrived at those Forts with the Reinforcements sent thither. — And that the Chickesaws had declared they would live and die by us, upon receiving a Talk delivered by Mr. M'Gillivray, and had even joined some of the Georgia scouting Parties.

Letters are just received from Fort Prince George, which are dated the 24th inst, and contain the following Advices, viz. That on the 16th, two Indian Wenches appearing on the River's Side at Keowee, Mr. Dougharty went out of the Fort to ask them what News: That presently after the Great Warrior of Chote (Occunnastota) appeared, and desired that he would call the Commanding Officer of the Fort, and tell him he wanted to talk with him: That Dougharty accordingly did so; and Lieutenant Coytmore went to the Bank of the River, accompanied by Ensign Bell, said Dougharty, and Foster the Interpreter: That the Great Warrior told Mr. Coytmore he intended to come down to the Governor, and would be glad to have a white Man to accompany him as a safe guard, having something of Confidence to impart: That Mr. Coytmore readily answered he should have one; whereupon the Great Warrior said he would go and catch a Horse for him; Mr. Coytmore told him he need not give himself that Trouble, but the Warrior said he would, and while he was speaking, carelessly swung a Bridle (which he had as carelessly held in his Hand) thrice over his Head, upon which 25 or 30 Guns were immediately discharged at Mr. Coytmore and his Company, from different Ambuscades, where the Cherokees must have been placed before Day, and to whom the Shaking of the Bridle was a Signal; when Mr. Coytmore was shot thro' the left Breast, Mr. Bell in the Calf of his Leg, and Foster in the Buttock; Mr. Coytmore's Wound 'twas feared would prove mortal, but he was still alive when these Letters were dated: That Ensign Mills, who was left in the Fort, upon such a Piece of Treachery, judging it improper and unsafe for the Garrison, that the Hostages should continue any longer only confined to a Room, ordered the Soldiers to bind and put them in Irons: That the Soldiers accordingly set about executing these Orders, when the first who attempted to take Hold of an Indian was killed on the Spot, being struck with a Tomahawk on the Head, stabbed in the Belly with a Knife, and having his Jaw broke; and another was wounded in the Forehead also with a Tomahawk. This Outrage being committed directly after that upon Mr. Coytmore, so alarmed and highly incensed the Garrison, that it was thought expedient to put all the Hostages to Death immediately, which was done accordingly: That in the Evening some Indians came near the Fort, fired two Signal Guns, and several Times cried out in the Cherokee Language (not knowing what had happened) "Fight strong, and you shall be assisted;" soon

after which the Indians began and continued most Part of the Night firing on all Sides upon the Fort, but did no Damage: That hence 'twas suspected, that it had been concerted between the Hostages within, and their Friends without, to attack and massacre the Garrison that Night, which Suspicion was confirmed the next Day; for, upon searching the Apartment in which the Hostages lay, there were found, besides a Bottle of Poison (doubtless designed to have been emptied into the Well) several Tomahawks buried in the Earth, which their Friends who were suffered to visit them must have privately conveyed thither; so in all Probability the putting the Hostages to Death has proved a very critical Event, while the Garrison are freed of future Apprehensions from within. Our further Advices are, that tho' the Garrison had been very sickly, and lost 15 Men, yet the rest were then in a good Way, and had Plenty of every Thing but Fire-wood: That Oatmeal (the Round-O) was dead of the Small-Pox: And that all was well at Fort Loudoun the 8th of February.

March 5. On Sunday the 2d Instant, we were favoured with the following Advices from the Cherokees, viz.

Fort-Loudoun, Feb. 8. "We can make a Shift for four Months, in which Time we hope for Relief. We hope the Provinces will exert their Force to secure themselves, and relieve us; it would be hard to be abandoned to the merciless Savages. These Upper Towns are kept peaceable by the Little Carpenter, that is, so far as regards this Fort, and the Pack-horsemen living in their Towns. The Indians resort to the Fort as usual, and barter Fowls, Corn, Potatoes, &c. for such Trifles as they can pick up among the Soldiers; yet the Carpenter's Authority and Affluity was not able to restrain the Settled People from going out in two Parties against the Settlements of Virginia, and will doubtless do much Mischief. We have no Intelligence here but from the Indians, for since the Governor left Keowee we have had no Communication with any Part of the King's Dominions. This Day Occunnastota (the Great Warrior) sets out for Keowee, to demand three Fellows belonging to the Overhill Towns, detained there as Hostages; this comes by a white Man who accompanies him. We are providing here for the worst, and have prevailed upon two Men to set off to Virginia through the Woods, who are to spread the Alarm."

His Excellency Governor Lyttelton, we hear, will sail for Great-Britain about the 20th Instant, in his Majesty's Ship Trent, commanded by John Lindsey, Esq;

We hear from the Fort at Ninety-six, that the two Indian Prisoners formerly mentioned, endeavoured to make their Escape on the Night of the 22d ult. which one of them accomplished, and got clear off; but the other was shot and scalped; a Messenger was dispatched immediately to Congaree, and we hear Captain Grennen with 36 Rangers was to be at Ninety-six on Sunday last; the People there have now got a Well of excellent Water within the Fort.

Pine-tree-hill, Watercees, Feb. 22. "Colonel Richardson is now here, making a Draught of three or four Companies to relieve the People pent up in Forts on Broad-river. We are now capable of making a good Defence. No Mischief has yet been done near us. Last Saturday two Men were killed high up on this River. Some of the Inhabitants on Rocky-river have had a Skirmish, in which they were victorious, and brought off 2 Indian Scalps."

We hear Colonel Richardson was to march into the Cherokee Nation with a Body of 500 Men at least, mostly Volunteers, while the Rangers are to protect the Settlements against scalping Parties of the Indians.

PERTH-AMBOY, March 25. This Day his Excellency the Governor was pleased to give his Assent to the following Act, in the Presence of the Council and General Assembly, viz.

An Act for raising One Thousand effective Volunteers (Officers included) for his Majesty's Service in the ensuing Campaign, and making Provision for the same; and for other Purposes therein mentioned.

ANNA POLIS, April 10.

We hear that the Brigantine Pitt, Capt. Curle, belonging to this Place, and bound from hence to North-Carolina, with a Cargo of Madeira Wines, Bread, Flour, &c. was cast away and lost on the Coast of Carolina, in the remarkable Snow Storm we had here on the 9th and 10th of March past.

No Lives lost, but the People almost perished. Tuesday last the Provincial Court met: We hear that the Grand Jury have found a Bill against

a Man from Dorchester for committing a he overtook in the and barbarous a mention.

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a Man from Dorchester County, now in Goal here, for committing a Rape on a young Girl, whom he overtook in the Woods, and used in so horrid and barbarous a Manner, that Decency forbids to mention.

We cannot learn that any one Person has now the SMALL-POX in or near the Town.

By PERMISSION of his EXCELLENCY,
This present Evening,

At the THEATRE, in this City, will be presented,
a COMEDY, call'd,

The CONSTANT COUPLE,
Or,

A TRIP to the JUBILEE.

Sir Harry Wildair, Mr. HALLAM: Col. Standard,
Mr. DOUGLASS: Alderman Smuggler, Mr.
MORRIS: Beau Clincher, Mr. PALMER: Clin-
cher, junior, Mr. MURRAY: Vizard, Mr.
SCOTT: Dickey, Mr. A. HALLAM.

Lady Lurewell, Mrs. DOUGLASS: Angelica, Mrs.
MORRIS: Lady Darling, Miss CRANE: Parley,
Miss DOWTHAITE.

To which will be added, a FARCE, call'd,
The KING and the MILLER.

No Money will be received at the Door on any
Account; nor any Persons admitted without
TICKETS, which may be had at the PRINTING-
OFFICE, and at the Bar of Mr. Middleton's Tavern.

BOXES 10s. PIT 7s. GALLERY 5s.

No Person to be admitted behind the Scenes.

To begin exactly at VI o'Clock.



THE PHOENIX (a very
fine Ship for Force and
Heels, and carries about 600
Hogheads) now lying in PA-
TOWMACK River, Takes in
TOBACCO for LONDON,
configned to Mr. JOHN
STEWART and Company,
at Twelve Pounds Sterling per Ton. She will sail
about the first of June, but her Stay is limited, so
that she cannot exceed the 10th of that Month.
And the Insurance of the Tobacco is made in such
a Manner in London, that the Shippers may have
what they put on board insured so as to recover,
in Case of Loss, from Five Shillings per Hoghead
to Fifty Pounds per Hoghead, or they may choose
whether they will accept of any Insurance or not;
provided Notice of their Intention is given to Cap-
tain William McGachin, or to the Subscriber, be-
fore the Bills of Lading are signed.

DAVID ROSS.

To be FREIGHTED or CHARTERED,



THE Snow Nancy and
Molly, a prime Sailer
and new Vessel, which will
carry about 300 Hogheads,
and will be ready to take in
Tobacco about the middle of
May. And,

To be FREIGHTED or CHARTERED,
for any Part of the WEST-INDIES,



THE Schooner LITTLE
JOHN: she will carry
about 1500 Bushels of Grain,
and is completely fitted.
Whoever is inclinable to
Freight or Charter either of
the above Vessels, are desired
to apply to Henry Ward, at
Vienna on Nanticoke River.

To be Exposed to SALE, on Wednesday the 18th
Day of JUNE, at the House of Mr. Arthur
Charlton, in Frederick-Town, for Bills of Ex-
change, Sterling Cash, or Maryland Currency.

A CHOICE Parcel of LAND lying in Fre-
derick County, on Patowmack, containing
500 Acres, well Timber'd and Water'd, and some
Meadow Ground may be easily made.
For Terms, apply (any Time before the Day
of Sale) to
NINIAN EDMONSTON.

THERE is at the Plantation of James Allen,
at Soughanna Ferry, taken up as a Stray,
a Dark Bay Mare about 13 Hands high, she has a
black Mane and Tail, and appears to be about 6
Years old; but has not any perceivable Brand.
The Owner may have her again, on proving
his Property, and paying Charges.

April 10, 1765.

RAN away last Night, a Convict Servant Man,
named Joseph Monkland, by Trade a Miller;
he is full 6 Feet high, smooth faced, has black
Hair, and a pleasant Countenance. Had on and
with him when he went away, a Suit of white
Kersey, white Yarn Stockings, English plain Shoes,
some White and some Check Shirts. Perhaps he
may have cut off his Hair, and have other Cloaths
besides those above mentioned. He went from
London-Town in Company with a Convict Servant
Man belonging to Mr. Ferguson.

Whoever delivers the said Servant, Monkland,
to me at Annapolis, shall have a Reward of FOUR
PISTOLES, and reasonable Charges.

WALTER DULANY.

RAN away on the 2d of this Instant, from the
Subscriber near Baltimore-Town, an English
Convict Servant Man named Samuel Cost, of a
middle Stature, brown Complexion, and middling
long brown Hair. His Apparel when he went
away, was a Fearnought Great Coat of a light
brown Colour, a light brown coarse Kersey Waist-
coat, without Sleeves, a narrow brimm'd old Felt
Hat, edged round with Worsted Binding, his
Breeches of a light Colour, and patched, 2 Coun-
try Linen Shirts pretty fine, an Osnabrigs Ditto,
and a Tow Ditto, 2 Pair of coarse white Yarn
Stockings, and a Pair of Country made Shoes,
nail'd round with Hob Nails. Whoever takes up
the said Servant, and brings him to the Subscriber,
shall have, if taken in this County, Twenty Shil-
lings; and if out of it, Forty Shillings, beside
what the Law allows, paid by

DAVID GORSUCH.

THERE is at the Plantation of William
Higdon, senior, in Charles County, taken
up as a Stray, a light colour'd Grey Mare, with
some dark Spots about her, and is supposed to be
about 9 Years old; but is neither dock'd nor
branded.

The Owner may have her again, on proving
his Property, and paying Charges.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE,

On Wednesday the 16th of this Instant April, at
Mr. James Dick's Store in Annapolis, X2

SUNDRY GOODS a little damaged, con-
sisting of Cambricks, Lawns, Irish Linens,
Stockings, Gloves, some Woollens, &c. also a
Four Wheel'd Chaise. The Whole will be put up
very low, and sold to the Highest Bidder for Ready
Money only.

JONAS GREEN.

The Goods may be seen at any Time of the
Day before the Sale.

A SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

FOR Raising the Sum of Two Hundred and
Fifty Pounds for Enlarging and Repairing the
PUBLIC WHARF, and Erecting a
GRAMMAR SCHOOL, in Alexandria, viz.

3 Tickets at £. 50	£. 150
3 Ditto at 25	75
10 Ditto at 10	100
20 Ditto at 5	100
40 Ditto at 2	80
745 Ditto at 1	745

821 Prizes. Sum raised 250

2179 Blanks.

3000 Tickets at 10s. £. 1500

THE above is not three Blanks to a Prize,
without any Deduction.

The Drawing to begin the first Day of September
next.

The Prizes to be published in the Virginia and
Maryland Gazettes, and the Money to be paid as
soon as the Drawing is finished.

All Prizes not demanded in six Months after
Publication, will be deem'd as generously given
to the Uses aforesaid.

The following Gentlemen are appointed Ma-
nagers, George William Fairfax, William Ramsay,
John Carlyle, Gerard Alexander, John Dalton,
George Johnston, George Mason, John Hunter, Robert
Adam, and John Muir, Trustees of the said Town,
who are to give Bond, and be on Oath that they
faithfully discharge the Trust reposed in them.

Tickets may be had from the aforesaid Mana-
gers, or from Col. John Champe, or Allan Macrae,
Merchant, at Dumfries; Heston Ross and Benjamin
Gresham, Merchants, at Colchester; Philip Richard
Fendall, of Charles County; Messrs. Symmers and
John Weldon, Merchants, at Upper-Marlbrough;
and at the Printing-Office in Annapolis.

TAKEN up by Reubin Perkins, living about
four Miles below the Lower Ferry of Su-
quehanna, a Scow or Flat, about 30 Feet long and
5 Feet wide, and has Scuttles for Oars to row with.
The Owner may have her again, on proving his
Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Jacob Gans,
at Anti-Eatam Hundred in Frederick County,
taken up as a Stray, a Bay Horse about 13 Hands
high, with a Star in his Forehead, about 4 Years
old, branded on the near Shoulder I, and on the
near Buttock T.

The Owner may have him again, on proving
his Property, and paying Charges.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Ship PHOENIX, Captain Mc GACHIN,
from LONDON,

A LARGE Assortment of EUROPEAN
and EAST-INDIA GOODS; to be
Sold at the Subscriber's Store in UPPER-MARL-
BOROUGH, by Wholesale or Retail, for ready Mo-
ney, Bills, or short Credit.

DANIEL CARROLL.

PROPOSALS for Printing by SUBSCRIPTION,
The FARMER'S COMPANION.

CONTAINING,

I. DIRECTIONS how to set off any one, or
every one, of the Points of the Compass,
or any one of the Degrees, even in a strange Place,
without any Instrument of any Kind, so easily ap-
prehended, that a Man of the least Ingenuity,
with a small Share of Learning, may be directed
in a few Minutes how to set off one or two Courses,
so true as to correct the Compass.

II. How to tell the true Distance to, or from,
any one, or several, Object or Objects; and the
true Distance they are from one another, without
any Instrument.

III. How to make a Circle or Circumference
divide itself into Points or Degrees.

IV. How, with the Dividers only, to prick off
6 or 8, or more, Courses, before one Line be
drawn.

V. How to make a Square to run Land without
any Compass.

VI. How with Pen, Ink and Paper only, to lay
out every Point on the Compass true.

VII. A sure and certain Method for setting
Clocks and Watches, without any Regard to the
Time of the Year, or Latitude of the Place.

With several other useful Problems, too tedious
to be inserted in these Proposals.

By ABRAHAM MILTON, Inspector, at
Chester-Town.

Also will be added, A sure Method for any one
to tell for himself where the Sign is. And I in-
tend to send the Draught of a Scale that will shew
(when 2, or 3 or more Lines of any Courses and
Distances are run) the true Course and Distance
from thence to the Beginning, without platting it
down, that is, to send with the Books, one to
every ten, it being so easily apprehended that most
Men may draw one for himself, after he hath had
a Sight.

CONDITIONS.

THAT at subscribing each Person pay Ten
Shillings, and Ten more at the Delivery:
That as soon as 400 at least are subscribed for, the
Cuts will be got ready, and be printed on good
Paper and Letter, and be delivered by the several
Gentlemen that take in the Subscriptions, with all
possible Dispatch. But if the Number of Subscri-
bers doth not amount to a sufficient Sum, then
every Man is to have his Money returned by the
Gentleman with whom he subscribed, and in whose
Hands the Money is to lie till the Time affixed is
out. But if the Number amounts to 500, then it
will be but Seven Shillings and Six-pence at Deli-
very; if 600, but Five Shillings; if 700, but
Two Shillings and Six-pence; and if 800, then
there will be none but the first Ten Shillings.

The Persons nominated to take in Subscriptions,
are mentioned in this Gazette of September 27 and
October 25; and in the Pennsylvania Gazette of
November 8 and December 6; as also the Certificates
at large in the same Papers. Those Gentlemen,
and any others, that should be kind enough to take
in Subscriptions for me, are desired to send in an
Account of the Number they have each got to the
Printing Office at Annapolis, by the first Week of
the Provincial Court in this present Month.

The Whole is so easily apprehended, that it
can't be opened till the Subscriptions are full; and
if when it is, any one confutes it, the Money shall
be returned, by

ABRAHAM MILTON.

WHEREAS I have built a complete Forge with three Fires in it, with all Conveniences in, and about the same, on a good Stream, which it is thought will supply the Works constantly so that I am now only in want of proper Officers to carry on the same, having both Woodcutters and Colliers Slaves sufficient to carry on the Works constantly, and a Furnace about eight Miles distant; and whereas the Success of such Undertakings depends on the good Management of the Works, and good Workmen; this is therefore to inform those whom it may concern, that a Clerk is wanted for the Forge, who is not only well acquainted with keeping Accounts, but capable of taking Charge of the same, to whom good Encouragement will be given, and a Prospect of advancing. A Hammerman is wanted at 25 *per Ton* for drawing, and 45 *per Ton* for making, to be paid in Specie half yearly, or quarterly, in Paper, and Goods, &c. furnished very cheap. A good Dwelling-House, Garden, and Fire Wood, will be found. I will contract for three, five, or seven Years, on the above Terms. As the Post will now come down once a Fortnight, an Answer to any Letter will be returned by the same Post.

BENJAMIN GRIMES.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on Thursday the 18th of October last, Two New Negroes; the one a Man, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, supposed to be about 25 Years of Age. Had on when he went away, a Crocus Shirt and Trowsers, and a new white Plaiding Jacket. He will answer to the Name of Isaac. The other a Woman, is very small, talks in her own Language very fast, and appears to be older than the Man. Had on when she went away, a Crocus Shift, and a white Plaiding Petticoat; she also carried with her a Piece of greenish colour'd Cloth, which I suppose may supply the want of a Jacket. She will answer to the Name of Sarah.

Whoever takes up the said Negroes, and brings them to me at George Town on Patuxent River, or secures them so that I can have them again, shall have a Reward of Twenty-five Shillings for each, besides reasonable Charges paid, if taken up 20 Miles from home, and delivered to me.

ROBERT PETER.

Since first publishing the above Advertisement, some Circumstances have been discovered, by which it is conjectured the above Slaves were stolen.

JUST IMPORTED in the PHOENIX, Captain Mc GACHIN, from LONDON, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at his Store at George-Town, at Rock-Creek, the Head of Patuxent.

TWO Hundred Pieces of English Sail Cloth sorted, Numb. 1. to Numb. 8; Grapnels and Anchors from Half a Hundred to 500 Wt. sorted; Brads and Wood Compasses; Bunting; Log Lines; Sand Glasses; hand Pumps; Scupper; and Pump Nails; hand Leads and Lines; Trumpeets; Oakum; Pump Leather; Sail, and Bolt Rope; Twine; Houseline and Marline; Hambro', and deep Sea Lines; some Cordage; sheathing Paper; Flock Beds; Sailor's ready made Cloaths; and other Ship Chandlery.

LIKEWISE, Variety of European and India Goods, Rum, Sugar, &c. very Cheap, for Ready Money, or short Credit, Bills, Tobacco, Wheat, Corn, &c.

STEPHEN WEST.

N. B. George-Town is very conveniently situated for either Virginia or Maryland; a good Landing Navigable for Vessels of any Burthen. I expect every Day a large parcel of Rum, Sugar, Molasses, Coffee, Cotton, Chocolate, Wine, &c. and shall be constantly supplied with those Commodities.

Upper-Marlborough, March 13, 1760.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Subscribers, in Account of above one Year's standing, are desired to make immediate Payment, or they may expect to be sued without further Notice.

ALEXANDER and ANDREW SYMMER.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.
RAN away last Night from the Baltimore Iron-Works, on Patuxent in Maryland, two Convict Servant Men, viz.

Thomas Wootick, a thin faced Englishman, about 30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, dark Complexion, short brown Hair, floops in his Walk, and stutters in his Speech. Had on when he went away, a Cotton Jacket and Breeches, Oznabrig Shirt, Country Shoes nailed round the Sole, Yarn Stockings, a knit Yarn Cap, and old Hat.

Lawrence Farrole, an Irishman, a lusty, well-set Fellow, about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 Inches high, black Hair, has a long sharp Nose, and lubberly Walk. Had on when he went away, a Cotton Jacket and Breeches, Oznabrig Shirt, speckled Yarn Stockings, Country Shoes, and Felt Hat.

Whoever secures the said Servants, so that they may be had again, shall have, if taken in Baltimore County, Forty Shillings for each; if in any other County of the Province, Fifty Shillings; and if out of the Province, Five Pounds Reward for each or either of them; and reasonable Charges if brought home.

R. CROXALL.

N. B. They may steal other Cloaths, and change their Names.

TO BE RENTED, in ALEXANDRIA, THE GEORGE TAVERN. There are three Fire Places below Stairs, a very good Bar, and six Rooms above; a Kitchen adjoining, with two good Rooms below and above, a Dining Room 24 Feet by 18, a Room of the same Dimensions above it, in which is a very good London BILLIARD TABLE. There are also, a Garden, Stable, Smoke-house, &c.

Any Person inclining to Rent the same for a Term of Years, may know the Terms and Time, by applying to the Subscriber, (or in his Absence to Mrs. Ramsay) and enter on the Premises in good Order.

WILLIAM RAMSAY.

Alexandria, Jan. 30. 1760.

TO BE RUN FOR, At the usual Race Ground, near ALEXANDRIA, on Thursday the 29th Day of May next, A PURSE of THIRTY POUNDS, the best in three Heats, (three Times round the Ground, which is about two Miles and a Half each Heat), by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, 14 Hands to carry ten Stone, or below that Measure, Weight for Inches.

And on Friday the 30th will be run for, a Purse of Fifteen Pounds, by any Horse, &c. 14 Hands carrying nine Stone, or below that Measure, Weight for Inches.

The Horses to be entered on the Monday before at the Court-House, with Messrs. Carlyle, Adams, and Hunter, between the Hours of Two and Six o'Clock in the Afternoon. The Entrance Money to be paid for the first Race, Thirty Shillings for each Horse, &c. And for the second, Fifteen Shillings each.

Proper Judges will be appointed to determine any Disputes which may arise.

Three Horses to Enter and Start or no Race.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

THE Plantation, in Cecil County, whereon Mr. JAMES PAUL HEATH, deceased, and the Subscriber, lately lived, to which belong about 1500 Acres of excellent Land. There is also on the Plantation, a very handsome well built Brick Dwelling House, two Story high, with four good Rooms on a Floor, together with handsome and convenient Offices of Brick. The house is very pleasantly situated on Sassafras River, and commands a beautiful and extensive Prospect. There are also other Commodious Buildings, such as Barns, Tobacco Houses, Granaries, Stables, Houses for Quarters or Tenants. It is about three or four Miles from Frederick and George Towns. There is some good Meadow, and a great deal more may be made.

For Title and Terms Enquire of WALTER DULANY, Esq; in Annapolis, or the Subscriber at his Plantation in Baltimore County near Bush-Town.

N. B. If a Number of Purchasers should offer, the Land may be laid out in Lots.

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JAMES HEATH.

ANY Person qualified to take the Command of a small Sea Sloop, bound for New-York, and can come well recommended, may meet with Employment, by applying to the Subscriber now at Annapolis.

JOHN HANSON, junior.

Alexandria, Virginia, Feb. 19, 1760.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Mr. David Craig, late Merchant of Alexandria in Virginia, deceased, are desired to come and settle their Accounts; and those who have any Demands against the said Estate, to bring in their Accounts, that they may be paid.

As my Intention is, in a short Time, to leave this Colony, and have a speedy Settlement of the Affair, those who will not come and give Bond by the last of March next, may expect their Accounts will be put into the Hands of an Attorney, to be prosecuted according to Law, and those which will bear General Court Suit, may expect them.

JOHN CRAIG, Administrator.

ANY industrious, sober TRADESMEN, willing to settle in Upper-Marlborough, will meet with Encouragement by applying to the Subscriber, who will either Sell Land, or Build for a reasonable Rent.

A good TAYLOR, SHOEMAKER, BUTCHER, TANNER, CABINET-MAKER, STAY-MAKER, and JOINER, are much wanted.

DANIEL CARROLL.

Frederick-Town, February 26, 1760.

A SCHEME of a LOTTERY, FOR raising Five Hundred Dollars, for purchasing a FIRE ENGINE for the Use of Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, to consist of 1750 Tickets at Two Dollars each, 532 of which to be Fortunate, without any Deduction, viz.

1 of 200 DOLLARS,	is	200
2 of 80	are	160
3 of 40	are	120
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50 of 8	are	400
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1 Last drawn Blank,		20

532 Prizes.
1218 Blanks.

Sum raised 500

1750 Tickets at 2 Dollars each, is 3500 THE Overplus of the Profits after purchasing the FIRE ENGINE and its Appurtenances (if any) to be applied towards erecting of a MARKET-HOUSE in the said Town.

By the above Scheme there are little more than Two Blanks and a Quarter to a Prize, and the Profits retained are not quite Fifteen per Cent upon the Whole.

When the Tickets are disposed of, the Drawing is to begin (on 14 Days previous Notice, at least, to be given in this Gazette) in the Court-House of the said County, in the Presence of Five of the Managers at least, and as many of the Adventurers as shall think proper to attend.

The Drawing, it is supposed, will be in Two Months at farthest, as a great Number of the Tickets are already engaged.

The Managers are, Messrs. Thomas Seely, James Dickson, Conrad Groff, Arthur Charlton, Christopher Edlin, Michael Ramar, Caspar Shaaf, Thomas Price, Levi Coban, John Cary, and George Murdock, who are to give Bond, and take an Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust.

A List of the Prizes to be published in this Gazette, as soon as the Drawing is finished; and the Prizes to be paid off without any Deduction.

Prizes not demanded within Six Months from the Publication aforesaid, to be deem'd as a generous Present for the Use intended, and applied accordingly.

N. B. The Value of Seven Shillings and Six Pence in Maryland or Pennsylvania Currency, will be received in Lieu of each Dollar in the Sale of Tickets, and the same Currency to be accepted in Payment of the Prizes by the fortunate Adventurers.

TICKETS to be had of any of the Managers, and at the Printing-Office in Annapolis.

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THE MARYLAND GAZETTE,

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THURSDAY, April 17, 1760.

By Order of the Honourable the Lower House of ASSEMBLY, the following BILL, and MESSAGE, is inserted in this GAZETTE.

An Act to continue the several Taxes and Duties mentioned in the Act for granting a Supply of Forty Thousand Pounds for his Majesty's Service, and the several Acts therein mentioned; and for suspending the Time appointed by the said Act for laying an additional Tax on Lands.

FORASMUCH as it appears to this General Assembly, that the several Taxes and Duties imposed and directed to be levied, collected, and paid in to the Commissioners or Trustees for emitting Bills of Credit, established by Act of Assembly, by the Act entitled, *An Act for granting a Supply of Forty Thousand Pounds for his Majesty's Service, and striking Thirty-four Thousand and Fifteen Pounds Six Shillings thereof in Bills of Credit, and raising a Fund for sinking the same*, will not be sufficient to replace and sink the said Sum of Forty Thousand Pounds in Manner and by the Time in the said Act limited and appointed; but that there will be a great Deficiency, which by the said Act is directed to be taxed and levied on the Lands only within this Province, *whereby a Tax unequal and particularly grievous to the Land-Holders must be imposed: For Remedy whereof,*

Be it Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That the several and respective Clauses mentioned and contained in the said Act, relating to the several Duties, Taxes, Fines, Forfeitures and Penalties, thereby imposed or continued, and the Levying, Collecting, Recovery and Paying in thereof, (except as therein excepted, and except also such Parts thereof, relative thereto, as are hereby repealed) and also the several and respective Clauses in the said Act relating to the replacing and sinking the aforesaid Sum of Forty Thousand Pounds, shall be and are hereby declared to continue and be in full Force for and during the Time hereafter mentioned.

*And be it likewise Enacted, That such Parts of the Act of Assembly entitled, *An Act for issuing and taking out of the Office of the Commissioners or Trustees appointed for emitting Bills of Credit, established by Act of Assembly, the Sum of Four Thousand Five Hundred Pounds Current Money, for Encouragement of such able-bodied Freemen as shall voluntarily enlist themselves in his Majesty's Service for the intended Expedition against Canada, and for maintaining and conveying them to the Place of Rendezvous, as also for replacing of the said Sum, and for the better regulating Ordinaries and Ordinary-Keepers, and for other Purposes therein mentioned, as relate to the regulating of Ordinaries, Ordinary-Keepers, granting Ordinary Licences, and the several Clauses, Matters and Things, therein mentioned, concerning the same, and the several Clauses of the Act for his Majesty's Service, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis on the Seventeenth Day of July, in the Year One Thousand Seven hundred and Fifty-four, any Way relative to the several Duties, Taxes, Licence-Money, Fines and Forfeitures, therein mentioned, except the Duty on Servants imported for the Term of Seven Years and upwards, and the Duty of Two Pence per Gallon on Madeira Wine, shall be, and are hereby continued in full Force, from the Time the Purposes in the said Act shall be fully answered and complied with, until the Purposes of the Act entitled, *An Act for granting a Supply of Forty Thousand Pounds for his Majesty's Service, and striking Thirty-four Thousand and Fifteen Pounds Six Shillings thereof in Bills of Credit, and raising a Fund for sinking the same*, shall be fully answered and complied with, and the Sum of Money thereby granted, shall be repaid and replaced in the Loan Office, and from thence for and during the Continuance of this Act.**

And to prevent any Evils that may arise, should the several Funds by the aforesaid Acts imposed, and by this Act continued, be insufficient to replace and sink the Sum of Forty Thousand Pounds, according to the true Intent and Design of this, and the Act for granting thereof;

Be it Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That the Honourable Samuel Chamberlaine, Philip Thomas, Benjamin Taffer, junior, Richard Lee, Benedict Calvert, and William Goldsborough, Esquires, Philip Hammond, Charles Carroll, John Gassaway, William Murdock, Matthew Tilghman, and Robert Lloyd, Esquires, are appointed by Virtue of this Act, Commissioners for the Purposes herein after mentioned, that is to say, The said Commissioners, or the Majority of them, or of the Survivors of them, shall, on the First Monday of August, which shall be in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-three, repair to the Office of the Commissioners or Trustees for emitting Bills of Credit, established by Act of Assembly, and there examine and inspect into the State of the Funds and Accounts of Money paid into the said Office in Virtue of this Act, and the Parts of the Acts herein mentioned to be continued, and shall make an Estimate of what the several Taxes, Duties, Impositions, Licence-Money, Fines and Forfeitures, therein mentioned and continued, will amount to in Eight Years, allowing the Eighth Year's Collection of the said Taxes, Duties, Impositions, Licence-Money, Fines and Forfeitures, to be equal to the averaged Rate of the two last preceding Years Collection; and if it shall appear to them by such Estimate, that there will be a Deficiency, that is, that the Sum of Five Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-four Pounds and Six Shillings, will not, by the Ways and Means in this Act, and the Parts of the Acts herein mentioned to be continued, be replaced, and the Sum of Thirty-four Thousand and Fifteen Pounds Six Shillings paid in, in order to be sunk and destroyed as aforesaid, by the Expiration of Eight Years, from the Twentieth Day of June, which was in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty-six, then and in such Case, the said Commissioners or the Majority of them, or of the Survivors of them, shall compute and ascertain what Rate, by way of additional Tax on Lands to be imposed in the same Manner with the Land-Tax before imposed, will undoubtedly be sufficient to make good such Deficiency as aforesaid, adding thereto the Sum of Five Hundred Pounds. And the said Commissioners, who shall ascertain the Rate of such additional Land Tax, shall make out Certificates of such Rate under their Hands and Seals to the Collector of the Land Tax of each respective County, and deliver the same by the Twentieth Day of August, Seventeen Hundred and Sixty-three, inclosed and indorced for his Lordship's Service, to the Sheriff of Anne-Arundel County, or his Deputy, under the Penalty of One Hundred Pounds Current Money on each Commissioner who shall ascertain the Rate aforesaid, and whose Hand and Seal shall not be set and affixed to such Certificate; to be recovered by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint, or Information; wherein no Effoin, Protection, or Wager of Law, or more than one Imparance, shall be allowed; one Half thereof to be paid to the Informer, or him or them that shall sue for the same; the other Half thereof to be paid to the Commissioners or Trustees for emitting Bills of Credit aforesaid, to be by them applied to the replacing and sinking the aforesaid Forty Thousand Pounds.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That if the Accounts of the Commissioners or Trustees for emitting Bills of Credit aforesaid, relating to the Monies received on the several Ways and Means in this Act, and the Acts herein mentioned to be continued, shall not, on the aforesaid First Monday of August, be in such order that the State of the Funds to be raised by the Ways and Means aforesaid can be seen, or the Sums of Money received thereon, known on View, then and in such Case each of such Commissioners shall

forfeit and pay the Sum of One Hundred Pounds Current Money; to be recovered by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint, or Information, wherein no Effoin, Protection or Wager of Law, or more than one Imparance shall be allowed; one Half thereof to the Informer, or him, her or them, that shall sue for the same; the other Half to be paid to the Commissioners or Trustees for emitting Bills of Credit aforesaid, to be by them applied to the replacing and sinking the aforesaid Forty Thousand Pounds.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That each of the said Commissioners who shall attend at the Paper-Currency-Office on the Day aforesaid, and set his Hand and Seal to such Certificate as aforesaid, shall be allowed in the Journal of Accounts of this Province, the same Wages respectively as are allowed by Law to Councillors and Delegates serving in General Assembly, besides their itinerant Charges, and no more.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That the said Commissioners for ascertaining the additional Land Tax aforesaid, shall lay before the next General Assembly of this Province, after the said Twentieth Day of August, Seventeen Hundred and Sixty-three, on the third Day after their meeting, a full and fair Account of all their Proceedings relative to the Execution of their Trust aforesaid, for their Approbation.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That the said additional Land Tax shall be collected, levied, accounted for, and paid, in the same Manner, and under the same Penalties, Fines and Forfeitures, to all Intents and Purposes, as the Land Tax in the before recited Act imposed, is to be collected, levied, accounted for and paid; and the Penalties, Fines and Forfeitures, relative thereto, shall be recovered and applied as by the said Act is directed, as to the Penalties, Fines and Forfeitures, relative to the Land Tax aforesaid.

And be it further Enacted, That in Case any more Money shall be raised in Virtue of this Act than shall be sufficient to make good the Deficiency herein before mentioned, the same shall be applied towards the Discharge of the Public Expence of this Province, as the General Assembly thereof for the Time being, shall direct and appoint.

And be it further Enacted, That the several Clauses mentioned and contained in the aforesaid Act granting Forty Thousand Pounds for his Majesty's Service, relative to the additional Land Tax therein mentioned, shall be and are hereby repealed.

This Act to continue until the Twentieth Day of June, which shall be in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-four, and to the End of the next Session of Assembly which shall thereafter happen, and no longer; except as to the Recovery of all and every of the Penalties, Fines and Forfeitures, mentioned in this and the aforesaid recited Acts, and except also as to the accounting for, paying in, and recovering of all Sums of Money, by or from the several Collectors and Officers appointed by the said Acts to carry the same into Execution, which they shall or ought to have collected, levied, accounted for, or paid in.

The Indorsements on the foregoing Bill are as follow:

By the Lower House of Assembly, 4th April, 1760.

Read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table. Signed per Order,

M. MACNEMARA, Cl. Lo. Ho.

By the Lower House of Assembly, 4th April, 1760.

Read the second Time by an especial Order, and will Pass. Signed per Order,

M. MACNEMARA, Cl. Lo. Ho.

By the Upper House of Assembly, 5 April, 1760.

Read the first Time, and ordered to lie on the Table. Signed per Order,

J. ROSS, Cl. Up. Ho.

By the Upper House of Assembly, 7 April, 1760.

Read the second Time, and will not Pass. Signed per Order, J. ROSS, Cl. Up. Ho.

By the Upper House of Assembly
GENTLEMEN.

We are equally desirous with yourselves to afford all reasonable Relief to the People of this Province in general, and the Land-Holders in particular, upon whom a very heavy Tax, by the great Deficiency of the Funds for raising the money, must in a short Time be laid, unless by the Bill to be passed this Session, including a large Number of Contributors, that Intemperance can be obviated; but at the same Time that we are strongly inclined to relieve Individuals, we think it incumbent upon us to pay all the Regard to Public Faith, and consequently to Public Credit, which these very important Points deserve, and our present Circumstances will allow.

In these Respects, as well as in some other, the Bill herewith returned with a Negative appears to us to be defective; but we are not without Hope of receiving together upon a Plan more consistent, and less liable to Objections, and have therefore taken the Liberty of recommending to your Consideration a Tax long experienced in this Province, and more equal, and less grievous to the People than a Land-Tax, together with the Appropriation, and Continuance of the Funds, mentioned in the Bill to have answered, or almost answered, the Ends for which they were created. The annual Produce whereof in future may be nearly estimated on a Review of the annual Income they have hitherto produced; and as we are informed that the Deficiency, which by the Law as it now stands, is to be made good by a Land-Tax only, has been calculated at about 25,000*l*. we conceive this Sum may be discharged by these Means in Two Years from this Time, without any considerable Inconvenience, or just Cause of Complaint. The Public Faith and Credit must be preserved at all Events, and should you therefore not be inclined to fall upon some Method, for the Ease of the Landed Interest, less exceptionable than that proposed by the Bill we have rejected, rather than expose these to any Hazard, we shall be obliged to suffer the unequal Burthen on Land, imposed by the original Bill, to take Place.

Signed per Order,

J. Ross, Cl. Up. Ho.

Captain STACEY, arrived at MARBLEHEAD in 39 Days from LISBON, has the following ADVICE, viz.

HA GU E, January 8, 1860.

We have Letters from Munster which import, that Prince Ferdinand has reinforced the Garrison of Munster with 200 Men, and that the French Garrison at Gießen has offered to capitulate. All Accounts from Saxony agree, that a decisive Battle is shortly expected between the Prussian and the Austrian near Dresden.

Prince Ferdinand's Head-Quarters at Marbourg, Jan. 8. Upon Advice being received here, that the Post at Dillenbourg was attacked, and closely pressed by the Enemy, his Serene Highness set out from hence at One o'Clock Yesterday Morning in order to relieve it. And To-day we received Information, that the Relief was most happily effected last Night by M. de Darnall, one of his Serene Highness's Aids de Camp. Seven Hundred of the French were taken on this Occasion, with about 45 Officers, among whom M. Patavinsky, as also seven Pair of Colours, and two Pieces of Cannon.

Vienne, January 10. From M. Daun's Head Quarters in Saxony, we have Advice, that the Prussian Troops were advancing from Wilmshausen in order to approach Dresden; but that the Severity of the Frost had proved very detrimental, not only among the said Troops, but also to the Austrians: In the mean Time both Armies are within a League of each other; so that an Action is freely expected.

Ratisbon, Jan. 8. By the Position of the two Armies in Saxony, we every Instant expect to receive, from those Quarters, News of the last Importance; especially since we know that the Hereditary Prince of Brunswick has joined the Prussian Army with his Corps, and a very considerable Train of heavy Artillery; and that M. Daun, who is extremely embarrassed in receiving Subsistence, would be obliged either to risk a Battle, or resolve to pass, with his whole Army, into Bohemia, and so abandon Dresden, and the whole Electorate of Saxony, to the King of Prussia.

Berlin, Jan. 3. We expect every Instant News of the utmost Importance; for the King, being joined by the Corps under the Hereditary Prince, detached from the Allied Army, was preparing in good Earnest to attack M. Daun, before he can be reinforced by several small Corps, which he had caused to file off towards Bohemia.

Hanover, Jan. 4. According to the last Advice from our Army, they had no Thoughts of entering into Winter Quarters; and Prince Ferdinand, very far from apprehending an Attack from the French, seemed desirous of an Opportunity to engage them. His Serene Highness has again caused a large Corps of Troops to advance towards Gießen, and that Place is so closely blocked up on every Side, that as nothing can go in or out, they did not doubt but that in a few Days it would be obliged to surrender.

L O N D O N, January 8.

Orders are given for getting ready as soon as possible, a sufficient Reinforcement of Troops, Stores and other Necessaries, for the Garrison of Quebec; at which Place several new Forts are to be erected, with strong Batteries of Cannon, &c. and also other Fortifications on the Banks of the River St. Lawrence; in order to frustrate all Designs of the French to recover that Place.

The General Wolfe, Diamond, from London, arrived at Plymouth, on the 1st inst. and is ordered to be ready to sail for the West-Indies.

There are great Preparations making now, in the Establishment of our Fleet, as ever were known in the Memory of Man. It is constantly asserted, that a grand Fleet, of 23 Ships of the Line, and three strong Squadrons, each having with them a proportionable Number of Land Forces, will be ready to sail the latter End of March at farthest.

By private Letters which arrived with Yesterday's Mail, it is positively asserted, that Count Daun had received Orders from his Court, to give Battle to the Prussians the first favourable Opportunity.

For such a Number of Ships are now fitting out, that the Workmen are obliged to work double Times, Sundays not excepted. Several Men of War are soon to sail for the East-Indies. There is a very great Profit for Seamen.

Jan. 12. The Troops which the Hereditary Prince of Brunswick has led into Saxony, have with them a Train of 60 Pieces of Cannon, besides the Artillery belonging to the Regiment.

There is not any Likelihood of a Peace. Great Preparations are making for carrying on the War with Vigour the ensuing Campaign.

The last Letters from Paris say, that they continue to send Plans to the Mint, and they were then coming with the twelfth Million; by which it is thought they will push on the War with the greatest Vigour, as (say they) we can do nothing by Sea.

Jan. 10. Private Letters from France say, that 100,000 Reichsdollars will be necessary to complete the several Regiments; and that 36,000 Militia are to be raised, to fill up the Vacancies in the Regiments occasioned by the Draughts daily made to complete the Regiments.

It is affirmed that the Court has sent Orders for raising 60,000 Militia, and that we shall have two Armies in Germany next Campaign.

By Yesterday's Mail the Court has received Advice, that the Marshal Duke of Bregho, having received Advice, that in the Town of Dillenbourg, and its Castle, there was but a feeble Garrison (about 100 Men, under a Hanoverian Capt.) resolved to take that Place if possible, and for this End, detached a Corps of about 8000 Men, under the Command of the Marquis de Vayer. The Captain being apprized of it, gave Notice to Prince Ferdinand, and desired proper Succours. Mean while the Captain was summoned, and upon declaring his Resolution to defend the Place to the last Drop of Blood, he was attacked very furiously. He made a gallant Defence until the Success came up, and attacked the French in the Rear, who were put to the Rout. On this Occasion, the Enemy's Loss is reckoned at 2500 Men, among which are 200 Prisoners, which the Hanoverians have taken, besides seven Pair of Colours, and two Pieces of Cannon.

Colonel de Luckner was, at the same Time, very successful in another Place, having attacked a large Body of the French, and cut most of them to Pieces. He had sent in 157 Men Prisoners, and 354 Horses, and other valuable Things.

Baron de Scheithner has likewise given the French a great Blow near Wesel, where he attacked a large Body of them, which he defeated, and sent in 279 Prisoners.

The following Declaration of the Emperor of all the Russias, is printed at Hamburg, by Way of Answer to the Proposals made relative to a general Peace, viz.

THAT a Peace seemed yet to be at a great Distance, as there was no other Foundation for it than the pacific Disposition of his Britannic Majesty; that her Imperial Majesty is determined to fulfil her Engagements, and to perform most religiously in the Treaty entered into with her Allies, and to procure, as far as lies in her Power, full Satisfaction for the Unfortunate. But notwithstanding, in order to put a Stop to the Effusion of Christian Blood, if Means could be found to establish an honourable and lasting Peace, with the Consent and Approbation of her Allies, the Empress of Russia would be one of the first to put her Hand to so salutary a Work.

January 22. 'Tis affirmed, that at the French Court remain perceptions in their Negotiations for a general Peace, proper Preparations are making for a powerful Fleet to sail for America, and attempt the Reduction of Martinico; and that a proper Number of Men of War are to remain all the Winter on the French Coast, and to be powerfully reinforced in the Spring with a Body of Land Forces and Marines, to make a powerful Descent on the French Coast.

Two Expeditions are now preparing, in order to set out early in the Spring; the one is said to be against a Settlement of the French in the East-Indies, and the other in the West; in both of which it is hoped we shall succeed, as the Persons who had the Plans were well acquainted with both the Places.

On Sunday Evening Admiral Hawke arrived in Town from Plymouth, and Yesterday waited on his Majesty, and was most graciously received.

It is reported, that 12 Men of War of the Line are to be fitted out by the Month of April, to sail for Martinico, with 6000 Land Forces on board Transports, to make a vigorous Attempt to reduce that Island to the Subjection of Great-Britain.

Jan. 26. Letters from Paris, dated Jan. 8, say, "We are credibly informed that the Court of Madrid has assured our Court, that if the Proposals of Peace made by England, should be unreasonable, his Catholic Majesty would give the King 30,000 Men, and Twenty-four Ships of the Line, which should be entirely at the Disposal of France. This News makes the more agreeable Impression, as we always questioned the Catholic King's Disposition to favour us."

The Halifax Packet Boat is arrived at Falmouth from New-York with the Mail, in 30 Days.

The Prussians have penetrated into Bohemia in several Places; and though there are a great many Troops in that Kingdom, yet as they are most of them raw and undisciplined, and as the Destruction of the Magazines they cover would have the most terrible Consequences, it is generally thought that Count Daun will speedily return into that Kingdom with his Army.

A Letter has been received from on board one of his Majesty's Ships in Quiberon-Bay, dated Dec. 28, which says, "that three of our Frigates have taken the Isle of Dieu, which Town was ransomed for 1000*l*."

The Court of Petersburg has taken great Unhappiness in being informed that the British Court intends to send a strong Fleet to the Baltic in the Spring.

The Hon. House of Commons have voted their Thanks to Sir Edward Hawke, Admiral Saunders, Admiral Halloway, and General Townshend, for their gallant Behaviour on all Occasions.

It is said an Expedition will soon be set on Foot against the French Settlements on the Mississippi. The Emperor of Russia is resolved to fulfil her Engagements with her Allies.

There are now at Quiberon Bay 13 Ships of the Line, and several Frigates. They lie within Sight of more than 100 French Transports, and several Frigates at Morbihan.

St. JOHN'S, in ANTIGUA, February 23.

The *Justice Caesar*, Captain Potts, arrived here the Day before Yesterday, in five Weeks from Plymouth.

A great Number of Ships were sheathing for the East and West-Indies, and it is expected Admiral Holmes and Mr. Keppel will be sent to the West-Indies; and that the West-India Fleet would sail the Beginning of March.

His Majesty's Ship *Narcissa* and *Emerald* have taken four Dutch Vessels, bound from Martinico to St. Eustace, and a French Letter of Marque *Sloop*, of 10 Guns.

March 12. The *Snow Fox*, Junks Drew Master, arrived here last Sunday from Bristol, Waterford, and Malaga, having been taken by the Enemy, and retaken by the *Star* & *Beggar* Privateer, of New-York, Robert Troup Commander. The *Fox* had eight Guns, three Pounders, and 12 Men and Boys, besides two Men and three Women Passengers; when, on the 17th Instant, about 25 Leagues to Windward of Antigua, she was attacked by the *Capitaine*, a French Privateer of 14 Guns, and 104 Men, Anthony Made Commander. The Action began about Half an Hour past Six in the Morning, and continued till Half an Hour after Eight, when the Enemy had received so much Damage, that they were obliged to drop anchor and retreat, which gave Captain Drew an Opportunity of repairing his Rigging in the best Manner his Situation would permit; and at the same Time he cruised all Day, hoping to get clear; but tho' the Enemy at one Time appeared near three Leagues ahead, yet the *Fox*, being a heavy Sailer, was again overtaken about Four in the Afternoon; and a second Engagement ensued, at half Musket Shot Distance, and several Times almost close aboard.

The little *Force* Captain Drew had was employed to the best Advantage, and his great Guns were fired with a much better Direction than those of the Enemy, whose small Arms only did him much Hurt; but this unfortunately produced the Ruin of the former; for by Six o'Clock the Enemy found their Vessel sinking, and Necessity obliged them to board the *Snow* suddenly, and altogether, as the only Means of preserving their own Lives; a Measure which their Comrades had never suggested.

The People belonging to the *Snow* were still ignorant of the Condition the Privateer was in (tho' she went to the Bottom a few Minutes afterwards) and finding all further Resistance in vain, they submitted, and called for Quarter. Amongst Men not totally lost to all Sense of Honour, and the Regard due to Merit, even in an Enemy, the Defence of their People had made would have enticed them to particular Marks of Favour and Distinction; but how opposite to this was the Conduct of the French? Deaf to all Intreaties for Quarter, they tore up the Decks, threw down Combs, and kept firing Balls amongst the People for a considerable Time: At last however, some of the Frenchmen being below, and having promised Quarter to those who had sheltered themselves in the Gun-room, Mr. Bull, late of Waterford, Merchant, ventured to climb up into the Cabin, where he presently received a Blow with a Cutlass, designed at his Skull, but happily the Weapon glanced, and only cut off his left Ear, close to the Head, and occasioned him to fall backwards into the Gun-room again, having also received several other Wounds from different People.

In the mean Time Captain Drew having been seized and stripped of every Thing valuable, a Pistol was presented to his Head, and fired; yet the Ball as it were providentially, missed him. They then began to stab him with Knives, in the most barbarous Manner, aiming chiefly at his Head, and made several Thrusts at him with a Sword, which he avoided, by getting behind the Mast.

The Enemy had now been Masters of the Vessel a considerable Time, and the People in the Gun-room began to hope the Rage of their Cruelty might be subdued. It was therefore resolved, on further Promises of Quarter, to venture up again, and to excite their Compassion, if any Spark remained, the Women went up first, led by Mrs. Bull, expecting her tender Infant, born but 4 Days before, and bathed in the Tears of its Mother; a Scene which might have moved the most obdurate Savage. But no sooner were the Women followed by a hopeful Boy of about 15, Brother-in-Law of Capt. Drew, than he was dragged away, shot, then wounded with Swords, and afterwards thrown overboard whilst yet alive: This was also the Case of Mr. Broughton, a Passenger, who being badly wounded in the Action, was afterwards stabbed by the French, and then thrown overboard, still breathing, and not dead; and this too would certainly have been the Fate of Mr. Bull, had he not thrust himself under a Gun, from whence he could not be easily disengaged; yet whilst in this Situation two Attempts were made to run him through the Body, but on both Occasions he received the Wound in his Thighs, Hands, &c. The Gunner, whilst yet on his Knees, and begging for Mercy, was shot through the Thigh; but this not being mortal, they attempted to split his Skull, whilst he parried the Blow only with his Hands and Arms, and received the Wounds there.

This horrid Massacre was all the while countenanced and encouraged, if not expressly commanded, by the French Captain, Anthony Marie, and by his Officers; and it is hard to say where the Scene would have ended at last, had not a Thrift of Plunder succeeded that of Blood. But Providence never designed such brutal Murderers should go unpunished. Capt. Troup saw the *Snow* early the next Morning, and in less than two Hours had all these shameful Wretches in his Power. They are now in the common Goal of this Island, and, we hear, will be sent to England. Capt. Drew, Mr. Bull, and Gunner, are recovering, and now out of Danger.

To this Account it is with Concern we add, that the *Sturdy Beggar*, in coming down the North Side with the Prize, ran ashore upon the Tail of the Reef; and though she was got off in about 3 Hours, yet she was so much damaged

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B O S T O N , March 31.
Extract of a Letter from Lord Colville, to his Excellency the Governor, dated at Halifax, March 12, 1760.

"The Richmond and Eurus must be employed to protect the Trade from these Colonies to Quebec, by cruising in such Stations as may be most proper for that Purpose, agreeable to such Intelligence as we may get of the Enemy's Privateers."

We hear that his Majesty's Ships which wintered at Halifax, were to sail about the 6th of April.
Capt. Stacey informs, That he lay Wind-bound in the River Tagus three Days before he sailed, the last of which he went up to the City, and was informed that an Account was just then received by Express (which we hope may prove true) that there had been a general Engagement between the King of Prussia and Count Daun; the latter of which was entirely defeated, with the Loss of 25,000 Men killed, wounded, and prisoners, and the Count himself was killed by a Cannon Ball.—The Loss of the Prussians was not known, but thought to be not very considerable.

Capt. Stacey says further, that the Account was generally believed at Lisbon, and told that he might report it for Fact to his Friends here; that it was the Opinion of the People there, that unless the Spaniards immediately declared for France, a Peace must shortly ensue; and that a Schooner was to sail in a few Hours after him for Marblehead, which he imagines must bring some further Account of this most important Affair.

Capt. Russell, in seven Weeks from Cadiz, arrived last Monday, and by the last Advice, Admiral Broderick was ordered home, and the greatest Preparations making in England, as well as in France, for a most vigorous Campaign; and that two English Admirals, with a large Fleet, were bound up the Baltic.

The Master of a Vessel arrived at Salem, the Beginning of last Week, from the West-Indies, informs us, that there were Reports from England, that a Fleet of 20 Sail of Men of War, under Admiral Holmes, and a Number of Transports, were soon to sail for some Part of America: But that this Account did not come there by any Packet, as is reported in Town.

Last Thursday Morning arrived here Captain Dorrington from Halifax, in eight Days. We learn, that a Number of Frenchmen had lately come into Fort Cumberland at Chignecto, and surrendered themselves: They gave an Account, that they belonged to a large French Ship of 20 Guns, bound up the River St. Lawrence; but being caught in the Ice at Gaspee, and frozen up, they left her there, and travelled over Land to Chignecto. We hear that Commodore Lord Colville had ordered two of his Majesty's Frigates to sail immediately to take Possession of her.

The following Information was given to Joseph Frye, Esq; Col. commanding his Britannic Majesty's Garrison of Fort Cumberland, by the Coxswain of the Barge of a French Frigate now at Gaspee, from whence he deserted, viz. That she is a Frigate built Ship, of between 4 and 500 Tons Burthen, formerly English, and called the King George, but now the Two Brothers, commanded by M. Buisce, pierced for 26, but mounts only 22 Nine-pounders, manned (when she sailed from Bourdeaux) with 64 Men, 25 only of whom are French, the rest composed of disaffected Spaniards, Italians, &c. who are ready to revolt upon the first Occasion, by Reason of their ill Treatment from the Captain; that many of her Crew have deserted since her being at Gaspee.—Her Cargo consists of Provisions, Arms, Ammunition, Wine, Brandy, Blankets, &c. and that she is unrigged, and hauled up into a Creek, for the Winter, not knowing (when she sailed from Bourdeaux) of the Surrender of Quebec: That the Captain is in great Expectation of the retaking of the City, in which Case he intends to land his Cargo there according to his first Orders; but if not, he intends to push out as early in the Spring as possible, either for the West-Indies, or Europe.

Last Saturday Night, between the Hours of 12 and 1, this Town was again alarmed with the Cry of Fire, which was at first discovered in the Kitchen Chamber of a Dwelling-house, opposite the Brazen Head, where the late dreadful Fire began; but, by timely Discovery of the same, there was little Damage sustained, except the burning a few English Goods, deposited in the said Chamber.

N E W - Y O R K , April 7.
On Friday last arrived at Sandy-Hook, the Schooner Polly, George Nairn, Master, in few Days from Charles-Town, South-Carolina, bound to Anby, having on board his Excellency THOMAS DOONE, Esq; Captain-General, and Command-in-Chief of the Province of New-Jersey, who quitted the Schooner at the Hook, and came up to this City in one of our Pilot-Boats; and, we hear, designs to set out for his Government in a Day or Two.

In Capt. Nairn came Passengers six Seamen, late belonging to the Ship William and Mary, Capt. William Hyer, of that Port, viz. Daniel McGill, Robert Richardson, Alexander Ritchie, Hugh M'Lean, Stephen Carter, and Archibald Scott; who give us the following Account, viz. That they sailed from Belfast, in Ireland, on or about Christmas last, bound to St. Augustine, and 12 Days after, in a violent Gale at W. N. W. they had their Long-Boat and Taul washed overboard and lost, and their Hatchets flew in, which, with much ado, they soon got fastened, and arrived safe at Augustine, from whence they sailed on the 11th of March last, for this Port: That on the 12th following, they observed the Ship had sprung a Leak, when they made use of all possible Means to free her, but the whole proved in vain, the Breach, occasioned by the starting of a Plank, being too great to be stopped: That about 8 o'Clock in the Morning of the 14th, they happily were in Sight of the Ship Harrietta, John Rainer, Master, from London bound to South-Carolina, who sent out his Boat, and had but just Time to take the Crew, consisting of 23 Souls, on board, the William and Mary sinking within five Minutes after Capt. Hyer left her, and nothing to be seen of her afterwards, but some things were seen.

Just after Capt. Nairn entered the Bay, he spied fourteen Sail of English Ships, and a French Ship, which he took to be the Alliance,

Ship of War, and her Convey of Transports, from New York, for Charles-Town.

PHILADELPHIA, April 10.
In a Letter from South-Carolina, dated the 20th ult. there is the following Paragraph:

"To be presumed that you will naturally expect some News relative to the present Situation of this Colony, which you will, in a few Words, conceive, when I assure you, that no Description can surpass it's Calamity.—What few escape the Indians, no sooner arrive in Town, than they are seized with the Small-Pox, which generally carries them off; and, from the Numbers already dead, you may judge the Fatality of the Disease. Of the white Inhabitants 95; Acadians 115; Negroes 500, were dead two Days ago, by the Sexton's Account. About 1500 white Inhabitants, 1800 Negroes, and 300 Acadians, have had the Distemper, and chiefly by Inoculation."

ANNAPOLIS, April 17.
Friday last his Excellency the Governor, put an End to the Session of Assembly, and prorogued it to the 7th of July next, after passing the following Laws:

1. An Act continuing an Act, entitled, An Act to prevent Persons from secreting Boats, Flats, and other Vessels, drove by Strels of Weather, or otherwise, from Landings, and Moorings.

2. An Act continuing an Act, entitled, An Act to prevent Masters of Ships and Vessels from clandestinely carrying Servants and Slaves, or Persons indebted, out of this Province.

3. An Act continuing an Act, entitled, A Supplementary Act to the Act, entitled, An Act for the Relief of Creditors in England against Bankrupts, who have imported Goods into this Province not accounted for.

4. An Act continuing an Act, entitled, An Act for the Advancement of Justice.

5. An Act continuing an Act, entitled, An Act for preventing Indians, disaffected to the British Interest in America, from coming into this Province as Spies, or on any other evil Design.

6. An Act to aid some Proceedings of the Vestry of Port-Tobacco Parish in Charles County, and to empower the said Parish to elect Vestrymen and Churchwardens.

7. An Act to increase the Salaries of the Inspectors of Snow-Hill Warehouse in Worcester County, and Plymouth Warehouse in Dorchester County.

8. An Act for the speedy and effectual Publication of the Laws of this Province; and for the Encouragement of JONAS GREEN, of the City of Annapolis, Printer.

Last Week a small Vessel, supposed to be a Flat, was seen Bottom upwards, in the Bay, near the Mouth of Choptank.

Monday last came on, before the Honourable the Judges of the Provincial Court, the Trial of James Horsey for a Rape by him committed on Mary Anne Sabell, of Dorchester County, a small Girl under 14 Years of Age. The Proof being very full against him, and attended with horrid Circumstances, the Jury had no Difficulty in finding him Guilty; and Yesterday he received Sentence of Death.

Last Week Died here, of extreme old Age, (a Distemper which few Die of) BRISTOL, a Negro Man, who had lived here an old Man a great many Years: By his own Account he must have lived at least 125 Years: He said he was a MAN-BOY, waiting at Dinner, behind his Master's Chair in Barbados, when they receiv'd the News of King Charles's being Beheaded; for he remember'd it by a particular Circumstance, that on their Hearing the News, they all flung down their Knives and Forks and arose from Table.

The Town still remains clear of the SMALL-POX.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,
On Tuesday the 20th Instant, for good Bills of Exchange, Sterling, or Current Money, at Lower-Marlborough in Calvert County,

A PARCEL of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, being Part of the Estate of Col. John Smith, late of the said County, deceased. The Goods may be viewed at the Store till the Time of Sale.

JOHN HAMILTON, Administrator.
There is a good Two Wheel'd Chaise, and Harness for Two Horses, and some Flats in pretty good Repair, to be Sold at the same Time.

THE Managers for the Gentlemen Members of the MONTHLY ASSEMBLY at Upper-Marlborough, give Notice, That the Half Yearly Meeting of the said Members, which, agreeable to Rule, ought to have been on the first Tuesday of this Instant, is put off to Thursday the 24th, when their Attendance is desired.

To be RENTED or LEASED for a Term of YEARS,

A VALUABLE Tract of LAND, containing 1000 Acres, lying in Frederick County, in Virginia, about 40 Miles above Alexandria, on the main Road leading from thence to Winchester. The said Land will be laid out in Tenements of One or Two Hundred Acres, and has a Quantity of rich Meadow Ground upon it.

For Terms, enquire of the Subscriber, living in Prince-George's County, Maryland.
THOMAS BROOKE, Son of Walter.

LOST by the Subscriber in ALEXANDRIA, the 18th ultimo, Ten FREDERICK-TOWN LOTTERY TICKETS, from No. 1661 to 1670, signed by Mr. George Murdock. Let the Purchasers beware.
JOHN MUIR.

By PERMISSION of his EXCELLENCY.
For the BENEFIT of

Mrs. DOUGLASS.

This present Evening,
At the THEATRE, in this City, will be presented,
a COMEDY, call'd,

The Provok'd Husband,
Or,
A Journey to LONDON.

Lord Townly, Mr. PALMER: Manly, Mr. HAL-
LAM: Sir Francis Wronghead, Mr. SCOTT:
Squire Richard, Mr. A. HALLAM: Count Bas-
fett, Mr. MORRIS: John Moody, Mr. DOU-
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Lady Townly, Mrs. DOUGLASS: Lady Grace,
Miss CRANE: Lady Wronghead, Mrs. MORRIS:
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A Mason's EPILOGUE to be spoken by Mrs.
DOUGLASS.

The Fraternity will do her the Honour to walk in
PROCESSION, and appear at the House in
their proper Cloathing.

To which will be added, a FARCE, call'd,
An Honest YORKSHIREMAN.

TICKETS may be had of Mrs. Douglass, at
the PRINTING-OFFICE, and at the Bar of Mr.
Middleton's Tavern.

Box 101. PIT 7/6.
The Audience may depend on the Play's begin-
ning at Half an Hour after Six o'Clock.

ANY Person of a good Character, that is or
may soon be qualified for a Bar-Keeper,
may, by applying to the Subscriber, meet with
great Encouragement. HENRY GASSAWAY.

WHEREAS Edward Norwood has heretofore
contracted for, and purchased Sundries,
and sold Bar-Iron, for the Subscriber; (which
Contracts, by Virtue of certain Articles of Agree-
ment, he looks upon himself obliged to comply
with): Be it known to the Public, that I will not,
for the future, either abide by, or stand to, any
Contracts he the said Norwood may make, on any
Pretence whatsoever. JOSEPH SMITH.

TAKEN (as supposed by Mistake) from be-
hind the Scenes at the Play-House, on
Tuesday the 8th Instant, a new Devonshire Kersey
Great Coat, with a Velvet Collar, and an old
Coat left in the Place of it.

Whoever took it, is desired to return it to Mr.
Wilkins, where he may have his own.

If the above Coat has been stolen, whoever
will discover the Offender, shall have a Dollar
Reward. WALTER MURRAY.

STOLEN from the Plantation of Philip Thomas,
on his Lordship's Manor of Anne-Arundel,
Two small Plow Horses. The one a Sorrel, with
a blazed Face, four white Feet, a Brand on the
near Buttock resembling a Cross, and about 12
Hands high. The other a Dark Grey, branded
on the near Buttock and Shoulder TP (join'd in
one) not very clear, about the same Size. They
are suspected to be taken by one John Smith, who
came some Time since from the back Parts of
Virginia, and is supposed to be gone there again.
Whoever shall bring the said Horses to the said
Philip Thomas, or shall apprehend the said John
Smith, and bring him before any Magistrate in
Anne-Arundel County, shall receive Forty Shillings
Reward.

STRAYED from the Subscriber, living with
John Ducker, at the Head of South River, a
Black Gelding, about 13 Hands high, he has a
Star in his Forehead, some grey Hairs in his Tail,
branded on the near Shoulder P B, paces slow,
and is shod before.

Whoever takes up the said Gelding, and brings
him to the Subscriber, shall have Fifteen Shillings
Reward, paid by WILLIAM COX.

SEVERAL

SEVERAL Tracts of very valuable LAND lying in Frederick County, to be Sold by the Subscriber, for Sterling, Bills of Exchange, Crop Tobacco, or Current Money.

HENRY WRIGHT CRAB.

THERE is at the Plantation of Samuel Lewis, in Prince-George's County, on the Eastern Branch, near Bladenburg, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Horse about 13 Hands high, branded on the off Buttock A, has a Blaze in his Face, and a Broom Tail.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Francis Harper, on Muddy-Creek in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Mouse-colour'd Bay Horse, branded on the near Buttock H, has some white Hairs in his Forehead, and on his Feet.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of John Allison, senior, living on Rock-Creek, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Mare about 12 Hands high, 6 or 7 Years old, branded on the near Buttock thus X she has a blaze Face, her off fore Foot, and near hind Foot, are white, and trot and gallops.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of William Anderson, living near Mr. Joseph Chapin's, at Little-Eaton in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Dark Brown Mare, with a Star in her Forehead, branded on the near Buttock B, and on the off Buttock WB joined together, she is about 13 Hands high, and had on a little Bell.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Henry Beeding, on the Sugar-Lands in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Mare, she has 3 white Feet, a Star in her Forehead, and a Snip on her Nose, branded on the near Thigh with an I and three Dots.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Francis Williams, near Seneca Bridge in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a small Dark Roan Gelding, branded on the near Buttock D.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Francis Burrill, at Anti-Eaton in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Grey Horse about 13½ Hands high, branded on the near Buttock (as is supposed) D, he has a short Tail, and is blind before.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

TO BE SOLD,

A NEAT CHAIR, handsomely painted, and well finished.
Also a compleat GELDING, fit for the Saddle, and will draw well in a Chaise.

WANTED.

A Person that understands Clerk's Business, and can write a good Record Hand. Such a Clerk will meet with Encouragement. Enquire of the Printers hereof.

April 10, 1760.

RAN away last Night, a Convict Servant Man, named Joseph Monkland, by Trade a Miller; he is full 6 Feet high, smooth faced, has black Hair, and a pleasant Countenance. Had on and with him when he went away, a Suit of white Kersey, white Yarn Stockings, English plain Shoes, some White and some Check Shirts. Perhaps he may have cut off his Hair, and have other Cloaths besides those above mentioned. He went from London-Town in Company with a Convict Servant Man belonging to Mr. Ferguson.

Whoever delivers the said Servant, Monkland, to me at Annapolis, shall have a Reward of FOUR PISTOLES, and reasonable Charges.

WALTER DULANY.



THE PHOENIX (a very fine Ship for Force and Heels, and carries about 600 Hogsheads) now lying in PATOWMACK River, Takes in TOBACCO for LONDON, consigned to Mr. JOHN STEWART and Company, at Twelve Pounds Sterling per Ton. She will sail about the first of June, but her Stay is limited, so that she cannot exceed the 10th of that Month. And the Insurance of the Tobacco is made in such a Manner in London, that the Shippers may have what they put on board insured so as to recover, in Case of Loss, from Five Shillings per Hogshead to Fifty Pounds per Hogshead, or they may choose whether they will accept of any Insurance or not; provided Notice of their Intention is given to Captain William Mc Gachin, or to the Subscriber, before the Bills of Lading are signed.

DAVID ROSS.

A SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

FOR Raising the Sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Pounds for Enlarging and Repairing the PUBLIC WHARF, and Erecting a GRAMMAR SCHOOL, in Alexandria, viz.

2	3	Tickets	at £	50	£	150
	3	Ditto	at	25		75
	10	Ditto	at	10		100
	20	Ditto	at	5		100
	40	Ditto	at	2		80
	745	Ditto	at	1		745
831 Prizes.						Sum raised 250
2179 Blanks.						
3000 Tickets at 10 s.						£. 1500

THE above is not three Blanks to a Prize, without any Deduction.

The Drawing to begin the first Day of September next.

The Prizes to be published in the *Virginia* and *Maryland Gazette*, and the Money to be paid as soon as the Drawing is finished.

All Prizes not demanded in six Months after Publication, will be deem'd as generously given to the Uses aforesaid.

The following Gentlemen are appointed Managers, George William Fairfax, William Ramsay, John Carlyle, Gerard Alexander, John Dalton, George Johnson, George Mason, John Hunter, Robert Adams, and John Blair, Trustees of the said Town, who are to give Bond, and be on Oath that they faithfully discharge the Trust reposed in them.

Tickets may be had from the aforesaid Managers, or from Col. John Champe, or Allan Macrae, Merchant, at Dumfries; Heber Ross and Benjamin Greyson, Merchants, at Colchester; Philip Richard, Fendall, of Charles County; Messrs. Symmers and John Weldon, Merchants, at Upper-Marlborough; and at the Printing-Office in Annapolis.

March 26, 1760.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away last Night from the Baltimore Iron-Works, on Patapsco in Maryland, two Convict Servant Men, viz.

Thomas Woodcock, a thin faced Englishman, about 30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, dark Complexion, short brown Hair, slops in his Walk, and stutters in his Speech. Had on when he went away, a Cotton Jacket and Breeches, Ozabrig Shirt, Country Shoes nailed round the Sole, Yarn Stockings, a knit Yarn Cap, and old Hat.

Lawrence Farwell, an Irishman, a lusty, well-set Fellow, about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 Inches high, black Hair, has a long sharp Nose, and lubberly Walk. Had on when he went away, a Cotton Jacket and Breeches, Ozabrig Shirt, speckled Yarn Stockings, Country Shoes, and Felt Hat.

Whoever secures the said Servants, so that they may be had again, shall have, if taken in Baltimore County, Forty Shillings for each; if in any other County of the Province, Fifty Shillings; and if out of the Province, Five Pounds Reward for each or either of them; and reasonable Charges if brought home.

R. CROXALL.

N. B. They may steal other Cloaths, and change their Names.

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Virginia, March 20, 1760.

WHEREAS I have built a compleat Forge with three Fires in it, with all Conveniences in and about the same, on a good Stream, which it is thought will supply the Works constantly so that I am now only in want of proper Officers to carry on the same, having both Woodcutters and Colliers (Slaves) sufficient to carry on the Works constantly, and a Furnace about eight Miles distant; and whereas the Success of such Undertakings depends on the good Management of the Works, and good Workmen; this is therefore to inform those whom it may concern, that a Clerk is wanted for the Forge, who is not only well acquainted with keeping Accounts, but capable of taking Charge of the same, to whom good Encouragement will be given, and a Prospect of advancing. A Hammerman is wanted at 25 s. Pennsylvania Money per Ton, and two strong young Fellows found to work with him; and two Finery Men at 30 s. per Ton, and two strong young Fellows to work with each of them. If either the Hammerman, or Finery Men, choose to find their own Hands, then I purpose to allow 35 s. per Ton for drawing, and 45 s. for making, to be paid in Specie half yearly, or quarterly, in Paper, and Goods, &c. furnished very cheap. A good Dwelling-House, Garden, and Fire Wood, will be found. I will contract for three, five, or seven Years, on the above Terms. As the Post will now come down once a Fortnight, an Answer to any Letter will be returned by the same Post.

BENJAMIN GRYMES.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on Thursday the 18th of October last, Two New Negroes; the one a Man, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, supposed to be about 25 Years of Age. Had on when he went away, a Crocus Shirt and Trowsers, and a new white Plaiding Jacket. He will answer to the Name of Isaac. The other a Woman, is very small, talks in her own Language very fast, and appears to be older than the Man. Had on when she went away, a Crocus Shift, and a white Plaiding Petticoat; she also carried with her a Piece of greenish colour'd Cloth, which I suppose may supply the want of a Jacket. She will answer to the Name of Sarah.

Whoever takes up the said Negroes, and brings them to me at George-Town on Patowmack River, or secures them so that I can have them again, shall have a Reward of Twenty-five Shillings for each, besides reasonable Charges paid, if taken up 20 Miles from home, and delivered to me.

ROBERT PETER.

Since first publishing the above Advertisement, some Circumstances have been discovered, by which it is conjectured the above Slaves were stolen.

JUST IMPORTED in the PHOENIX, Captain Mc GACHIN, from LONDON, and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Store at George-Town, at Rock-Creek, the Head of Patowmack.

TWO Hundred Pieces of English Sail Cloth sorted, Numb. 1. to Numb. 8; Grapnels and Anchors from Half a Hundred to 500 Wt. sorted; Brads and Wood Compasses; Bunting; Log Lines; Sand Glasses; hand Pumps; Scupper, and Pump Nails; hand Leads and Lines; Trumets; Oakum; Pump Leather; Sail, and Bolt Rope, Twine; Houseline and Marline; Hambro, and deep Sea Lines; some Cordage; sheathing Paper; Flock Beds; Sailor's ready made Cloaths; and other Ship Chandlery.

LIKEWISE, Variety of European and India Goods, Rum, Sugar, &c. very Cheap, for Ready Money, or short Credit, Bills, Tobacco, Wheat, Corn, &c.

STEPHEN WEST.

N. B. George-Town is very conveniently situated for either Virginia or Maryland; a good Landing Navigable for Vessels of any Burthen. I expect every Day a large parcel of Rum, Sugar, Molasses, Coffee, Cotton, Chocolate, Wine, &c. and shall be constantly supplied with those Commodities.

Upper-Marlborough, March 18, 1760.

ALL Persons indebted to the Subscribers, in Account of above one Year's standing, are desired to make immediate Payment, or they may expect to be sued without further Notice.

ALEXANDER and ANDREW SYMMER.

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MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, April 24, 1760.

LONDON, January 9.

ON Friday died at his House on Blackheath, that remarkable and truly unfortunate Gentleman, the Honourable JAMES ANNESLY, Esq; who, after having been deserted by his Parents when a Child, sold for a Slave in America at the Age of Twelve, after passing Thirteen Years there in the most abject Slavery, and suffering uncommon Hardships since his Return, has at last fallen a Sacrifice to a broken Heart.

In the Year 1742 he put in a Claim to the Title and Estate of the Earl of Anglesea, which was followed in the Year 1743 by a Trial and Verdict in his Favour at the Irish Bar; but the Cause being removed into the Courts here, he was Seventeen Years without being able (for want of Money) to renew his Claim, but it has lately been revived, by the Assistance of a large Subscription, and would (if he had lived) very soon have been brought to a Conclusion. He has left a Son and two Daughters, who, it is hoped, will be enabled to support their Father's Claim, and bring to Light the Truth of that mysterious Affair.

Mr. ANNESLY was possessed of good natural Abilities, and many valuable Qualities; his Person was pleasing, and his Carriage and Conversation (notwithstanding his extraordinary Education among Savages and Slaves) polite and agreeable, and his Death much to be regretted by all who had the Pleasure of his Acquaintance.

Last Week the gallant old Highlander, MALCOLM MACPHERSON (who at the Age of 70 went a Volunteer in North-America) received the Sacrament in St. Martin's Church, preparative to his Desire of taking the Oaths of Allegiance to his Majesty. — His intrepid Behaviour at Louisburg in 1758, and at Quebec, &c. last Year, (where one of his Grand Sons was killed fighting by his Side) induced his Friend, the immortal WOLFE, to give him a Commission the very Day before the Action in which that glorious youthful Hero fell; nor was the old Gentleman less respected by the rest of the brave General Officers for his cheerful Spirit and Activity, on every Occasion.

It is said that three Battalions of the Foot Guards will go abroad the Beginning of March; in which will be included most of the Grenadier Guards. The marching Regiments are near full, and several of them expect to embark early in the Spring.

Eleven Regiments of Foot are forthwith to be raised, viz. five in England, three in Scotland, and three in Ireland.

The Number of French Prisoners in this Kingdom are ascertained at 23,745, many of whom, especially within 150 Miles of this Metropolis, have been relieved with Clothing, in this inclement Season.

We hear that Orders are given for victualling and getting ready the Transports which are to carry over the Troops to Germany with all Expedition.

We hear that, besides the Troops which are to be sent over from hence to reinforce Prince Ferdinand's Army, an additional Body of Auxiliaries will be taken into British Pay, to replace the Troops that have been sent to join his Prussian Majesty's Army in Saxony.

The Press for Seamen, both above and below Bridge, continues with great Success, several Tenders having sailed within these few Days full of impressed Men, to be put on board his Majesty's Ships.

January 17. From Vienna we learn, that M. de Choiseul, the French Ambassador, having delivered a Letter from his Master to the Empress Queen, a Council was immediately called; at the Rising of which her Majesty told the Ambassador, that she was infinitely sensible of his most Christian Majesty's Goodness, and was no less disposed than his Majesty to consent to Peace, on reasonable Terms; and would explain her Mind more fully when she received the Answer of the Empress of Russia: That, mean while, she could listen to no Terms unless the King of Prussia would yield up the greatest Part of Silesia, and give ample Indemnification for the Expenses of the War; that she run no Risk by trying the Fortune of another Campaign, as the necessary Dispositions for it were already made; and that Marshal Daun has taken his Measures in such a Manner, that he hoped to be able to preserve Dresden, and deprive the King of Prussia of a great Part of the Resources he expected from Saxony. These Letters add, that even if Daun should be defeated in Battle, and forced to quit Saxony, the Court is determined to force a Passage into that Electorate next Spring. — Such are the Sentiments of the Empress Queen, who exhorts the French King not to be too hasty in an Affair of such Importance.

From Naples they write, that the foreign Ministers are successively presenting their new Credentials to the young King, whose Right to the Crown has been already acknowledged by the British Minister, in the Name of the King his Master. — The People of Naples ascribe the ready Acquiescence of the Powers of Europe in the Settlement made of the Crown of that Kingdom by the Catholic King, to the great and amiable Qualities of this Prince.

His Catholic Majesty made his Entry into Madrid on the 6th, after expressly countermarching the Preparations made for his Reception.

Marshall Mordaunt hath made his Will, and left his whole Fortune, amounting to six or seven Millions of Livres, to

the King, excepting 170,000 Livres, to pay some Legacies, and to discharge his Debts. The Marshal has no Issue.

Extract of a Letter from Paris, January 4.

"Affairs begin to assume a new Face. The Ministry, tired out by their bad Success by Sea, are unanimously agreed on the Measures to be taken for a vigorous Campaign by Land. They talk of sending three Armies to Germany, one under the Duke of Broglie, which is to march into Hesse, and endeavour to penetrate into Hanover on that Side; whilst another Army, setting out from the Lower Rhine, advances to Osnaburg, and there dividing, one Part disperses itself into East-Friesland, and the other marches into Hanover on that Side. The Operations of these two Armies, which will exceed 150,000 Men, are settled in such a Manner, that Success is looked upon as infallible.

"The third Army, which will amount to 40,000 Men, will march towards Saxony, and act in Concert with the Army of the Empire, reinforced with 15,000 Austrians, whilst General Daun watches the Motion of his Prussian Majesty.

"As to our Marine, we don't reckon upon it, because we know that it can do nothing. However, we shall still keep a Fleet ready to put to Sea, with some Land Forces on board, in order to keep the English under an Apprehension of an Invasion."

We hear that the Court of France, in their Proposals for an Accommodation with Great-Britain, have the Assurance to require a Restitution of all Places taken during the War, and only to be obliged to deliver up to us the Island of Minorca.

Upon comparing the Accounts of the Reception of the Proposal, at the several Courts, for holding a Congress, in order to put an End to the War, it should seem there is scarce any Glimmering of Hope of its being brought to any Effect this Year. The Empress Queen says the Measures are already taken for carrying on another Campaign, and the French seem determined to make, in Concert with their Allies, another Push to get Possession of the Electorate of Hanover, and, if possible, to crush the King of Prussia. The Queen of Hungary can draw both Men and Provisions sufficient from her hereditary Dominions; the French can draw them from France, and the Russians theirs from Poland; so that it behoves us to be careful, that those two great Generals, the King of Prussia, and Prince Ferdinand, should not be without Resources of Provisions, &c. from England, more especially as Providence, by a bountiful Harvest the last Year, has put it in our Power to assist them.

There are Letters from Paris which mention, that several Officers, not only of Bompas's Squadron, but those of M. Conflans, having been found guilty of ill Conduct in their respective Commands, and disobeying Orders, have been degraded, and rendered incapable of ever serving on board any of his Majesty's Ships of War.

The Parliament of Paris have sent Orders to the Keeper of the Chatelet, to discharge all Prisoners who were confined there for small Offences. The young Men were compelled into the Service.

Jan. 18. It may be depended upon, that the Hereditary Prince of Brunswick has with him a large Corps of Cavalry, and that the sudden March of the Troops under his Command, by an unexpected Rout, has entirely disconcerted the Plan Marshal Daun had formed, of obliging his Prussian Majesty to decamp, by bringing the Army of the Empire upon his Flank and Rear; so that the next Mail will very probably bring us something decisive with regard to the Campaign in Saxony.

Jan. 22. 'Tis said that all the Ships Companies who were at the taking of Quebec, are to have a Year's Salary given them; and the Land Forces are to have the same in Proportion, for their gallant Behaviour in the Reduction of that strong Place.

By a Letter from the Allied Army we are informed, that his Royal Highness Prince Ferdinand had made Presents to the Officers and private Men for their gallantly defending the Castle of Dillenbourg against the French.

It is said, with great Confidence, that a late Commander in Chief of the English Army in Germany, is to have a candid Trial in regard to his Behaviour on the first of August last; and that proper Briefs are preparing, and Council retained for that Purpose.

We hear that 500,000 l. will be granted forthwith for maintaining the Charge of Forage, Provisions, and Baggage Waggon, for the Use of the British Forces in Germany.

It is said that the three Deck Ships are all arrived. The whole Fleet has been kept at short Allowance for some Time, and almost consumed all their Fire and Candle, occasioned by the contrary Winds, which prevented their Return sooner. If the Wind had not changed, the whole Fleet would have been obliged to put into Ferrol in Spain.

Extract of a Letter from Quiberon Bay.

"The Soleil Royal being burnt within Musketry of the Shore, the French have got all the Brass Guns, belonging to her, landed at Croisic, except two, which we have weighed as Trophies of our Victory.

"The Master of a French Transport from Canada in Ballast, brought in here by the Minerva Frigate, said that his Countrymen had Advices in North-America, that the French were Masters of P. M. and had landed, and were now upon the St. James's, and strongly believed it himself; but when he was informed of this Failure, and that M. de

Contades, De la Clue and Conflans were defeated, he burst into Tears."

The French King is about borrowing eight Millions of the Inhabitants of Maritime Flanders, for which Purpose Subscription Books were opened at Lille on the first Day of the new Year.

It is reported, that since a Resolution has been taken to send a Fleet to the Baltic, to the Assistance of the King of Prussia, the Russian Ambassador has not appeared at Court, and that he expects to be recalled.

The first Division of the Troops destined as a Reinforcement to the Allied Army in Germany, are on their March to New-Castle and Sunderland; to be ready to embark as soon as the Transports are ready.

By a Letter from the Hague we are informed, that the Thoughts of a Congress being held for establishing a general Peace, are at present suspended, and that the Reasons assigned for it are, that the Austrians insist not only on Satisfaction being made to the King of Poland for the Loss he has sustained during the Course of the present War, but also that some Concessions be made to them for their Expenses; besides, the French Court expects that the English should restore all the Conquests they have made, all which they apprehend will not be granted; so that another Campaign, perhaps, must decide the Controversy.

The net Debt of his Majesty's Navy, as it stood on the 30th of September, 1759, amounted to 3,471,722 l. 2 s. 2 d. Half-penny.

The Report of an Officer of Distinction in the Navy being superfluous, is without Foundation.

A Gentleman belonging to one of the Ships arrived at Plymouth from Quiberon Bay, says, that our Men of War lie at Anchor there in great Safety, and the French Boats come frequently from the Shore, and supply them with Necessaries of various Kinds.

Monsieur Beaupreant has published a long Justification of himself, against the Imputations of Marshal Conflans; which in Effect amounts to this; that he obeyed his Commands, and repeated his Signals, as long as he gave any; and that his only Crime is his having saved the Part of the French Fleet he commanded, when the Marshal, in the Opinion of every Seaman, pursued such a Method as must inevitably end in the Destruction of the rest, as it actually did.

His most Christian Majesty has condescended to acquaint the first President, that being convinced by the Remonstrances of his Parliament, the Edicts of the Month of September could not be carried into Execution without oppressing his People, he was determined to suppress them, and to moderate all the rest.

According to some Letters from Paris, dated the 3th Instant, Murders and Robberies are committed there almost every Night, which causes severe Executions; two Inval di were lately broke alive on the Wheel for Murder; and in order to prevent such Disorders, the Lieutenant-General of the Police has ordered the City Watch to be doubled, and all Houses and Shops to be shut every Night at ten o'Clock; after which Time, no Women are to appear in the Street.

Jan. 26. Yesterday Sir Charles Hardy, who arrived on Thursday Evening from Quiberon Bay, waited on his Majesty at St. James's, and was most graciously received.

Some private Letters from Paris import, that the Produce of the Coinage of the Plate last Specie, amounts already to 10,000,000 of Livres, and was like to produce ten Millions more.

NAPLES, December 3.

WAR, which afflicts certain Regions, is only a passing Calamity. The Vesuvius is to this Country a permanent Scourge, which by the Alarms it gives, and still more by the Havock it makes, supplies the Place of those Distresses from which we are exempted. Last Saturday Night, all of a sudden, and without any of the usual preceding Symptoms, happened one of the most violent Eruptions of this Volcano ever known. Beginning at that Time, it has never ceased since to vomit forth, by five different Openings, Vortices of Flames, with Torrents of Lava, which running with Impetuosity towards Nuciatia, threaten that Town, and the whole Neighbourhood, with speedy Devastation. The Inhabitants have already left their Houses, and in the neighbouring Fields, on-bended Knees, offer up fervent Prayers to Heaven, to put a Stop to this Phenomenon, which, if it continues but a little while, must complete their Ruin. [The Lava kept next Day.]

Copenhagen, Dec. 15. The Small-Pox, which has raged here four Months, carries off 100 Persons in a Week.

Copenhagen, Dec. 22. Last Night, between Twelve and One o'Clock, we felt a Shock of an Earthquake, which was soon followed by three more, but not so violent as the first, which lasted about Half a Minute. These several Shocks have indeed occasioned more Fear than Damage; but there is Reason to apprehend they may have been the Consequences of some violent Earthquake in other Parts. The Direction of the Shock here was from North to South, and it was more sensibly felt in the little Island of Amagb, than at any other Place in this Neighbourhood.

Flensburg, Dec. 24. The 22d Instant, between Twelve and One o'Clock in the Morning, a smart Shock of an Earthquake was felt here, which lasted about a Minute, but did not the least Harm. We hear from Schleswick and Ellsinore, that the same Shock has also been felt there, and at the same Hour; and that the latter Place the Sea was agitated, that several Ships broke from their Anchors.

Hamburg, Dec. 28. In the Night between the 21st and

A Shock of an Earthquake was felt here, and in the North Sea, which lasted about a Minute. The same Shock was also felt at Kiel and over 1000 in Holstein, but don't hear of any Damage done by it.

FRANKFURT, Dec. 27. While Peace is talked of at London and the Hague, the military Operations are carried on in Saxony, with an Obstinacy which regards neither the Season nor the Cries of Humanity. The Prussians determined, as they say themselves, to become Masters of Dresden in spite of the Season, are lengthening their Army with all the Troops that they can get from Pomerania, Brandenburg, and Silesia. The better to secure their Success, the Hereditary Prince of Brunswick is marching with a Body of 15,000 Men, and passed near Erfurt the 18th Instant. This sudden Motion must give great Uneasiness to the Austrians, and to the French.

CHARLES-TOWN, March 12. We hear that a famous Dutch English House in Holland has failed for immense Sums, and that a Merchant in London has likewise failed. The humane cannot help feeling the Distress of others; but surely such Men, as, from the Greediness of Gain, have betrayed the Interests of their Country to her inveterate Enemies the French, have small Title to Pity, when such Attachment overwhelms them with Misfortunes.

Capt. Thompson, from Barcelona, informs us, that his Catholic Majesty, Charles III. is augmenting his Forces both by Sea and Land. The Royal Navy of Spain consists of 35 large Line of Battle Ships, besides Frigates; and the Land Forces, it is said, would soon be increased to an Hundred Thousand.

According to our Advices, the whole Cherokee Nation will be in Motion, and most active, from the Beginning of next Month; and it seems to have been many Months ago designed by them to begin Hostilities against us, as soon as the Leaves on the Trees should be an Inch long; so they describe the early Part of the Spring.

Fort Prince-George (Keewee) Feb. 28. "Mr. Coymore died of his Wound 25th Inst. the Day after the last Express set out. The same Day one of the Soldiers was shot in the North-East Angle of the Fort, from the Hills on the other Side of the River: He died of the Wound Yesterday. We have Reason to believe the Indians have a good many rifle-barrel Guns amongst them, as their Bullets seem to come this Way with great Force. There is no Communication at present with Fort Loudon."

Pittsboro, March 17. "Mr. Wyly, and Mr. Kershaw, are set out for the Catawba Nation, with a Talk from Col. Richardson to those People, by his Excellency's Orders."

March 20. "Last Night Mr. Wyly and Mr. Kershaw arrived from the Catawba Nation; they have succeeded in what they chiefly went about, which was to engage those Indians to deliver an Express to the Commanding Officer at Fort Loudon: There are not now above 60 Catawba Warriors, but it is thought they may be depended on."

April 2. Yesterday arrived here his Majesty's Sloop Albany, Capt. Jarvis (who is to sail directly for England) with five Transports, and a Storeship, in 12 Days from New-York;—another Transport arrived To-day; on board of these Vessels are 1200 chosen Troops of the Royal Scots, and the first Battalion of Highlanders, under the Command of Col. Montgomery; the Officers and Men are in Health and Spirits.

BOSTON, April 7. Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman at Lisbon, dated February 12, 1760.

"We have now left our Hopes of an Accommodation this Spring, betwixt the contending Powers, no Measures being at present taken which seem to tend thereto."

"A Packet is arrived with five Mails; by the Advice brought thereby it is plain the French are determined to reinforce their Army all they can, towards making another Push at Hanover the approaching Season. No Doubt we shall use every Effort to counteract them, and hope for the same Success wherewith the Almighty has hitherto blessed our Arms; with great Reason they seem to place no Dependence on their Marine, but resolve to lay up their remaining Ships of War to preserve them; this however will encrease Privateers, which already increase, as the Men which were retained for their Navy will now go into private Service, and I apprehend we shall find Premiums of Insurance to rise again ere long. We are preparing some Naval Expeditions at home, and thought we is designed against Martinico.—The

Port is joined by a Reinforcement from the French Fleet, and as well as the Dutch, continue to keep the Field in this vigorous manner, continuing to remain in Possession of every thing, to which we wish an Action was speedily exchanged."

Thursday last 3 or 4 Transports failed from Newmarket Road for New-York, with Part of the Train of Artillery on board.

His Excellency the Governor hath received from His Excellency Governor Wentworth of New-Hampshire, and from the Hon. Mr. De Lancey, Lieutenant Governor of New-York, Letters acquainting him, that they should use all proper Methods in their respective Governments to obtain Relief for the Sufferers by the late Fire, and remit what might be collected to the Select men and Overseers of the Town of Boston, as his Excellency had desired.

We are assured that Christopher Kilby, Esq; formerly Agent for this Province at Great-Britain, now employed in his Majesty's Service at New-York, upon hearing of the dreadful Calamity which had befallen this Metropolis, generously ordered his Friend to pay Two Hundred Pounds Sterling, for the Relief of the unhappy Sufferers.

On the 21st ult. the Ship Fanny, Captain Brooks, arrived at Pianketank, in Virginia, from Genoa, which Place he left the 5th of February, and brings Advice, which he received from the English Consul there, that the King of Prussia, since the Disaster which befel General Finck, had gained a signal Victory over the Austrians; also, that the English Fleet, under Admiral Broderick, had met with a most violent Storm, in which one Frigate was lost, and were obliged to put into Cadiz, and that the Remains of de la Clue's Squadron took the Opportunity of departing for Toulon.

We hear that the French Snow, on board of which the People were destroyed by some English Prisoners, whom they had cruelly used, and afterwards taken by a Vessel belonging to New-London, and carried in there lately, has been condemned to the Captors.

Last Week a Gentleman at Newport, Rhode-Island, sent Fifty Dollars, for the Relief of the Sufferers in the late terrible Fire in this Town. Another Gentleman of that Place sent three Johannes's, for the same charitable Use; and we hear a Subscription is opened there for the same good Design, in which 'tis said the Gentlemen of that Town have very largely subscribed, and we make no Doubt but their truly charitable Example will be followed by many well disposed Persons in the other Provinces.

We have received an Account of the following Fires which happened last Week, viz. a House and three Barns belonging to Colonel Cummins, at Concord; a House and Barn at Lincoln, belonging to Mr. Wheat, and a House and Barn at Willington, all burnt to the Ground, but by what Accident they were occasioned not known.

NEW-YORK, April 14. The first Instant, the Schooner Francis, which failed from St. Kitts, the 21st of February last, commanded by Captain John Honey, arrived at Rhode-Island: She was forcibly taken from said Captain three Days after she went from St. Kitts, bound for Georgia, by Samuel Parkes, Mate; and Benjamin Hawkins, William Devine, John Carter, and John Gibbs, Sailors: They gave the Captain and one Mr. Goff, with two Men, and three Negroes, the Boat, with Provisions, and set them adrift, and intended to sell the Vessel and Cargo in the first Port they made, and make an equal Dividend of the Proceeds, but they are all now in Rhode-Island Goal, the whole being discovered by an Advertisement in the New-York Papers; the Schooner was loaded with Rum, Indigo, some new Negroes, &c.

Wednesday arrived here three Sloops from Boston, with Captain M'Cloud's Company of the Royal Regiment of Artillery on board; and two or three more with military Stores on board.—Yesterday they left this Place for Albany, there to prepare themselves for the ensuing Campaign.

Extract of a Letter from St. Croix. "We lately had like to have been overturned by a Negro Insurrection; but thro' the Goodness of God, it was discovered. Fifteen Negroes have been executed, and fifteen more have been transported."

PHILADELPHIA, April 17. On Saturday last the General Assembly of this Province adjourned to the Eighth Day of September next.—The following Law passed the last Session, viz.

An Act for granting to his Majesty the Sum of

One Hundred Thousand Pounds, and for settling the same in Bills of Credit, in the Manner herein after directed, and for providing a Fund for sinking the said Bills of Credit, by a Tax on all Estates real and personal, and Taxables, within this Province.

Fort at Pittsburg, March 21, 1760. "This Day Major General STANWIX set out for Philadelphia, escorted by 35 of the Chiefs of the Ohio Indians, and 50 of the Royal Americans. The Presence of the General has been of the utmost Consequence at this Post during the Winter, as well for cultivating the Friendship and Alliance of the Indians, as for continuing the Fortifications, and supplying the Troops here, and on the Communications. The Works are now quite perfected, according to the Plan, from the Ohio to the Monongahela, and eighteen Pieces of Artillery mounted on the Bastions that cover the isthmus; and Casemates, Barracks and Storehouses, are also completed for a Garrison of 1000 Men and Officers; so that it may be now asserted, with very great Truth, that the British Dominion is established on the Ohio. The Indians are carrying on a vast Trade with the Merchants at Pittsburg; and, instead of desolating the Frontiers of these Colonies, are intirely employed in encreasing the Trade and Wealth thereof. The happy Effects of our Military Operations this Way, are also felt by about Four Thousand poor Inhabitants, who are now in quiet Possession of the Lands they were driven from, on the Frontiers of Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia."

From Winchester we are informed, that several Parties of the Cherokees have made Incursions into Augusta County, in Virginia; that a Detachment of the Virginia Regiment, under the Command of Captain Gift, has had several Skirmishes with them, in which he always repulsed the Enemy, and kept the Field, tho' with great Loss of Men; and that in these Skirmishes several of the Cherokees have been killed and scalped.

We learn from Providence, that a Schooner from Boston, on board of which was a Son-in-Law of Governor Shirley's, and his Excellency's Plate, was taken off Bermuda, by a French Letter of Marque, homeward bound, and ransomed for 1000l. Sterling.

We have Advice from Albany, that two Men had made their Escape from Fort De Troit, and got safe to Niagara; who informed, that the French there were in great Want of Provisions, and had sent all their Soldiers, and most of the Inhabitants, to the Mississippi for a Supply.

On Saturday last his Excellency General Stanwix arrived in Town, accompanied by a Number of Gentlemen of the Army.

ANNAPOLIS, April 24. We hear that Mr. William Thomas, of St. Mary's, is Elected a Representative for that County, in the Room of Mr. Edmund Key, gone to England.

Last Week a Death Warrant for the Execution of James Horner (lately condemn'd for a Rape) was sent over to the Sheriff of Dorchester County.

The Beginning of this Month, some People in Kent County, having carelessly made a Fire in a Tobacco House, under some Tobacco which was hanging up on the Joists, and leaving it to go to their Breakfasts, the Tobacco catch'd Fire, and communicated itself to the House: On their return, one Michael Hodgson, got up on the Roof in order to extinguish it, but was so much suffocated with the Smoke, that he fell in and was burnt to Death. About 7000 Weight of Tobacco was destroy'd with the House. Accidents of the burning Tobacco Houses frequently happening in the same Manner, one would think should be a sufficient Caution to Others to avoid that very dangerous, though common Practice.

JUST IMPORTED from LONDON. And to be SOLD by SAMUEL EVANS, Book-Binder, near Mrs. Howard's in Annapolis.

A COLLECTION of BOOKS, consisting of a History, Law, and Physic; together with great Variety of School-Books and Stationary. During his Stay here, which will be about two Months, he will Bind old or new BOOKS in the neatest and most expeditious Manner.

THERE is at the Plantation of John Wells, in Anne-Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a Black Gelding, with a Star in his Fore-head; but has not any perceivable Brand.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

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This present Evening,
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Sir Harry Wildair, Mr. HALLAM: Colonel Stand-
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To which will be added, a FARCE, call'd,
An Honest YORKSHIREMAN.

TICKETS may be had of Mr. Morris, at
the PRINTING-OFFICE, and at the Bar of Mr.
Middleton's Tavern.

BOXES 10s. PIT 7/6.
The Audience may depend on the Play's begin-
ning at Half an Hour after Six o'Clock.

ABRAHAM MILTON, Author, of the
FARMER'S COMPANION, informs the Public,
That altho' the Time appointed for taking in Sub-
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tain what Number is subscribed for, and therefore
refers the same till about the last of June next,
hoping by that Time to have every Thing in Or-
der for the Press.

Lower-Marlbrough, April 14, 1760.

RAN away last Night, a Servant Man named
William Steuphenjon, a Scotchman; he is about
six Feet high, smooth faced, has black Hair, a
pleasant Countenance, and is very talkative. Had
on when he went away, a light colour'd Duffel
Coat, Osnabrigs Shirt, Yarn Stockings, and good
Shoes.

Whoever delivers the said Servant to me, shall
have Two Pistoles Reward, and reasonable Char-
ges, paid by PHILEMON YOUNG.

THERE is at the Plantation of Mr. Nicholas
Maccubbin, on Sassafras River in Kent Coun-
ty, taken up as a Stray, a Chestnut Sorrel Mare,
about 13 or 14 Hands high, she has a Blaze in
her Face, Wall Eyes, white Feet, two white Spots
on each Side of her Back, and a long white Spot
on her near Buttock, and is shod before.

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Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Heathcoat
Pickett, at the Great Falls of Gunpowder,
near Joppa, taken up as a Stray, a middle-siz'd
Bay Mare, branded on the near Shoulder and But-
tock with something like an S, has a small Star
in her Forehead, a standing Mane, she paces and
trots, is about 5 Years old, and shod before; the
Shoes are stamped R on each Corner.

The Owner may have her again, on proving
his Property, and paying Charges.

April 7th, 1760.

LOST by the Subscriber in ALEXANDRIA,
the 18th ultimo, Ten FREDERICK-TOWN
LOTTERY TICKETS, from No. 1661 to
1670, signed by Mr. George Murdock. Let the
Purchasers beware. JOHN MUIR.

To be RENTED or LEASED for a Term of
YEARS,

A VALUABLE Tract of LAND, containing
1000 Acres, lying in Fairfax County, in
Virginia, about 40 Miles above Alexandria, on
the main Road leading from thence to Winchester.
The said Land will be laid out in Tenements of
One or Two Hundred Acres, and has a Quantity
of rich Meadow Ground upon it.

For Terms, enquire of the Subscriber, living
in Prince-George's County, Maryland.

THOMAS BROOKE, Son of Walter.

To be FREIGHTED or CHARTERED,



THE Snow Nancy and
Molly, a prime Sailer
and new Vessel, which will
carry about 300 Hogheads,
and will be ready to take in
Tobacco about the middle of
May. And,

To be FREIGHTED or CHARTERED,
for any Part of the WEST-INDIES,



THE Schooner LITTLE
JOHN; she will carry
about 1500 Bushels of Grain,
and is compleatly fitted.

Whoever is inclinable to
Freight or Charter either of
the above Vessels, are desired
to apply to Henry Ward, at
Vienna on Nanticoke River.

To be Exposed to SALE, on Wednesday the 18th
Day of JUNE, at the House of Mr. Arthur
Charlton, in Frederick-Town, for Bills of Ex-
change, Sterling Cash, or Maryland Currency,

A CHOICE Parcel of LAND lying in Fre-
derick County, on Patowmack, containing
500 Acres, well Timber'd and Water'd, and some
Meadow Ground may be easily made.

For Terms, apply (any Time before the Day
of Sale) to NINIAN EDMONSTON.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,

On Tuesday the 20th Instant, for good Bills of Ex-
change, Sterling, or Current Money, at Lower-
Marlbrough in Calvert County,

A PARCEL of EUROPEAN and EAST-
INDIA GOODS, being Part of the Estate
of Col. John Smith, late of the said County, de-
ceased. The Goods may be viewed at the Store
till the Time of Sale.

* 2 JOHN HAMILTON, Administrator.

There is a good Two Wheel'd Chaise, and
Harness for Two Horses, and some Flats in pretty
good Repair, to be Sold at the same Time.

A NY Person of a good Character, that is or
may soon be qualified for a Bar-Keeper,
may, by applying to the Subscriber, meet with
great Encouragement. HENRY GASSAWAY. 2

Onion's Iron-Works, April 15, 1760.

WHEREAS Edward Norwood has heretofore
contracted for, and purchased Sundries,
and sold Bar-Iron, for the Subscriber; (which
Contracts, by Virtue of certain Articles of Agree-
ment, he looks upon himself obliged to comply
with): Be it known to the Public, that I will not,
for the future, either abide by, or stand to, any
Contracts he the said Norwood may make, on any
Pretence whatsoever. * 2 JOSEPH SMITH.

April 17, 1760.

TAKEN (as supposed by Mistake) from be-
hind the Scenes at the Play-House, on
Tuesday the 8th Instant, a new Devonshire Kersey
Great Coat, with a Velvet Collar, and an old
Coat left in the Place of it.

Whoever took it, is desired to return it to Mr.
Wilkins, where he may have his own.

If the above Coat has been stolen, whoever
will discover the Offender, shall have a Dollar
Reward. 2 WALTER MURRAY.

STRAYED from the Subscriber, living with
John Ducker, at the Head of South River, a
Black Gelding, about 13 Hands high, he has a
Star in his Forehead, some grey Hairs in his Tail,
branded on the near Shoulder P B, paces slow,
and is shod before.

Whoever takes up the said Gelding, and brings
him to the Subscriber, shall have Fifteen Shillings
Reward, paid by 2 WILLIAM COX.

TO BE SOLD,

A NEAT CHAIR, handiely painted, and
well finished.

Also a compleat GELDING, fit for the Saddle,
and will draw well in a Chaise.

WANTED,

A Person that understands Clerk's Business, and
can write a good Record Hand. Such a Clerk
will meet with Encouragement. Enquire of the
Printer hereof. 3

March 17, 1760.

STOLEN from the Plantation of Philip Thomas,
on his Lordship's Manor of Anne-Arundel,
Two small Plow Horses. The one a Sorrel, with
a blazed Face, four white Feet, a Brand on the
near Buttock resembling a Cross, and about 12½
Hands high. The other a Dark Grey, branded
on the near Buttock and Shoulder TP (join'd in
one) not very clear, about the same Size. They
are suspected to be taken by one John Smith, who
came some Time since from the back Parts of
Virginia, and is supposed to be gone there again.

Whoever shall bring the said Horses to the said
Philip Thomas, or shall apprehend the said John
Smith, and bring him before any Magistrate in
Anne-Arundel County, shall receive Forty Shillings
Reward.

A SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

FOR Raising the Sum of Two Hundred and
Fifty Pounds for Enlarging and Repairing
the PUBLIC WHARF, and Erecting a
GRAMMAR SCHOOL, in Alexandria, viz.

3 Tickets	at £. 50	£. 150
3 Ditto	at 25	75
10 Ditto	at 10	100
20 Ditto	at 5	100
40 Ditto	at 2	80
745 Ditto	at 1	745

821 Prizes. Sum raised 250
2179 Blanks.

3000 Tickets at 10s. £. 1500

THE above is not three Blanks to a Prize,
without any Deduction.
The Drawing to begin the first Day of September
next.

The Prizes to be published in the Virginia and
Maryland Gazettes, and the Money to be paid as
soon as the Drawing is finished.

All Prizes not demanded in six Months after
Publication, will be deem'd as generously given to
the Uses aforesaid.

The following Gentlemen are appointed Ma-
nagers, George William Fairfax, William Ramsay,
John Carlyle, Gerard Alexander, John Dalton,
George Johnston, George Mason, John Hunter, Robert
Adam, and John Muir, Trustees of the said Town,
who are to give Bond, and be on Oath that they
faithfully discharge the Trust reposed in them.

Tickets may be had from the aforesaid Mana-
gers, or from Col. John Champe, or Allan Macrae,
Merchant, at Dumfries; Heber Ross and Benjamin
Greyson, Merchants, at Colchester; Philip Richard
Fendall, of Charles County; Messrs. Symmers and
John Weldon, Merchants, at Upper-Marlbrough;
and at the Printing-Office in Annapolis.

March 26, 1760.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away last Night from the Baltimore
Iron-Works, on Patapsco in Maryland, two
Convict Servant Men, viz.

Thomas Woodcock, a thin faced Englishman, about
30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high,
dark Complexion, short brown Hair, stoops in his
Walk, and snuffles in his Speech. Had on when
he went away, a Cotton Jacket and Breeches, Oz-
nabrig Shirt, Country Shoes nailed round the Sole,
Yarn Stockings, a knit Yarn Cap, and old Hat.

Lawrence Farrelle, an Irishman, a lusty, well-set
Fellow, about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 Inches
high, black Hair, has a long sharp Nose, and lub-
berly Walk. Had on when he went away, a Cot-
ton Jacket and Breeches, Oznabrig Shirt, speckled
Yarn Stockings, Country Shoes, and Felt Hat.

Whoever secures the said Servants, so that they
may be had again, shall have, if taken in Baltimore
County, Forty Shillings for each; if in any other
County of the Province, Fifty Shillings; and if
out of the Province, Five Pounds Reward for each
or either of them; and reasonable Charges if
brought home. R. CROXALL.

N. B. They may steal other Cloaths, and
change their Names.

STRAYED from the Plantation of Mr. George
Maxwell on Patuxent, a Black Horse about
14 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock RB.
Whoever brings the said Horse to the Subscriber,
Bricklayer, near Allen's-Fresh in Charles County,
shall be paid Twenty Shillings Reward.

GEORGE LYNN.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber
in Annapolis.

2 A NEAT London made BILLIARD-TABLE, about 5 Years old, with Tacks and Balls. Any Person inclinable to purchase, may have Credit, on giving Security, and paying Interest.
CORNELIUS GARRETSON.



3 THE PHENIX (a very fine Ship for Force and Heels, and carries about 600 Hogheads) now lying in Patowmack River. Takes in TOBACCO for LONDON, consigned to Mr. JOHN STEWART and Company, at Twelve Pounds Sterling per Ton. She will sail on the first of 9, but her Stay is limited, so that the current exceed the 10th of that Month. The Insurance of the Tobacco is made in such manner in London, that the Shippers may have their put on board insured to as to recover, in case of loss, from Five Shillings per Hoghead to 100 Pounds per Hoghead, or they may choose whether they will accept of any Insurance or not; and Notice of their Intention is given to Captain Stewart, or to the Subscriber, before the time of Loading are signed.

DAVID ROSS.

4 RAN away from the Subscriber, on Thursday the 18th of October last, Two New Negroes; one a Man, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, supposed to be about 25 Years of Age. Had on a white Flannel Jacket. He will answer the name of Isaac. The other a Woman, is supposed to be older than the Man. Had on a blue and white striped Petticoat; she also carried with her a Piece of greenish colour'd Cloth, which I suppose may be the waist of a Jacket. She will answer to the name of Sarah.

Whoever takes up the said Negroes, and brings them to me at George-Town on Patowmack River, or brings them so that I can have them again, will have a Reward of Twenty-five Shillings for each, besides reasonable Charges paid, if taken up from home, and delivered to me.

ROBERT PETER.

Whoever publishes the above Advertisement, and afterwards has been discovered, by which he has procured the above Slaves were stolen.

Virginia, March 20, 1760.

4 I HAVE built a complicit Forge with three Fires in it, with all Conveniences, and about the same, on a good Stream, and I thought will supply the Works considerably. I am now only in want of proper fuel to carry on the same, having both Wood and Coals (Slaves) sufficient to carry on the Works constantly, and a Furnace about eight feet high, and whereas the Success of such takings depends on the good Management of the Works, and good Workmen; this is therefore to inform those whom it may concern, that a Clerk is wanted for the Forge, who is not only well acquainted with keeping Accounts, but capable of taking Charge of the same, to whom good Encouragement will be given, and a Prospect of advancing. A Hammerman is wanted at 25 s. per Week Money per Ton, and two strong young Fellows found to work with him; and two Finery Men at 30 s. per Ton, and two strong young Fellows to work with each of them. If either the Hammerman, or Finery Men, choose to find their own Hands, then I purpose to allow 35 s. per Ton for drawing, and 45 s. for making, to be paid in Specie half yearly, or quarterly, in Paper, and Goods, &c. furnished very cheap. A good Dwelling-House, Garden, and Fire Wood, will be found. I will contract for three, five, or seven Years, on the above Terms. As the Post will now come down once a Fortnight, an Answer to any Letter will be returned by the same Post.

BENJAMIN GRYNES.

P. S. I have Sloops that bring Ore from Male's Point near Baltimore-Town, so that a Passage may be had from thence for any Household Goods.

JUST IMPORTED,
In the Ship PHENIX, Captain Mc GACHIN,
from LONDON.

A LARGE Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, to be sold at the Subscriber's Store in UPPER-MARLBOROUGH, by Wholesale or Retail, for ready Money, Bills, or short Credit.

DANIEL CARROLL.

SEVERAL Traicts of very valuable LAND lying in Frederick County, to be sold by the Subscriber, for Sterling, Bills of Exchange, Crop Tobacco, or Current Money.

2 HENRY WRIGHT CRABE.

JUST IMPORTED in the PHENIX, Captain Mc GACHIN, from LONDON, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at his Store at George-Town, at Rock-Creek, the Head of Patowmack.

TWO Hundred Pieces of English Sail Cloth sorted, Numb. 1. to Numb. 8; Grapnels and Anchors from Half a Hundred to 500 Wt. sorted; Brads and Wood Compasses; Bunting; Log Lines; Sand Glasses; hand Pumps; Scupper, and Pump Nails; hand Leads and Lines; Trumets; Oakum; Pump Leather; Sail, and Bolt Rope; Twine; Houseline and Marline; Hambro's, and deep Sea Lines; some Cordage; sheathing Paper; Flock Beds; Sailor's ready made Cloaths; and other Ship Chandlery.

LIKEWISE, Variety of European and India Goods, Rum, Sugar, &c. very Cheap, for Ready Money, or short Credit, Bills, Tobacco, Wheat, Corn, &c.

STEPHEN WEST.

N. B. George-Town is very conveniently situated for either Virginia or Maryland; a good Landing Navigable for Vessels of any Burthen. I expect every Day a large parcel of Rum, Sugar, Mellasses, Coffee, Cotton, Chocolate, Wine, &c. and shall be constantly supplied with those Commodities.

TO BE RUN FOR,

At the usual Race Ground, near ALEXANDRIA, on Thursday the 29th Day of May next,

A PURSE of THIRTY POUNDS, the best in three Heats, (three Times round the Ground, which is about two Miles and a Half each Heat), by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, 14 Hands to carry ten Stone, or below that Measure, Weight for Inches.

And on Friday the 30th will be run for, a Purse of Fifteen Pounds, by any Horse, &c. 14 Hands carrying nine Stone, or below that Measure, Weight for Inches.

The Horses to be entered on the Monday before at the Court-House, with Messrs. Carlyle, Adams, and Hunter, between the Hours of Two and Six o'Clock in the Afternoon. The Entrance Money to be paid for the first Race, Thirty Shillings for each Horse, &c. And for the second, Fifteen Shillings each.

Proper Judges will be appointed to determine any Disputes which may arise.

Three Horses to Enter and Start or no Race.

To be RENTED, in ALEXANDRIA,

THE GEORGE TAVERN. There are three Fire Places below Stairs, a very good Bar, and six Rooms above; a Kitchen adjoining, with two good Rooms below and above, a Dining Room 24 Feet by 18, a Room of the same Dimensions above it, in which is a very good London BILLIARD TABLE. There are also, a Garden, Stable, Smoke-house, &c.

Any Person inclinable to Rent the same for a Term of Years, may know the Terms and Time, by applying to the Subscriber, (or in his Absence to Mrs. Ramsay) and enter on the Premises in good Order.

6 WILLIAM RAMSAY.

Alexandria, Jan. 30. 1760.

ANY industrious, sober TRADESMEN, willing to settle in Upper-Mariborough, will meet with Encouragement by applying to the Subscriber, who will either Sell Land, or Build for a reasonable Rent.

A good TAYLOR, SHOEMAKER, BUTCHER, TANNER, CABINET-MAKER, STAY-MAKER, and JOINER, are much wanted.

DANIEL CARROLL.

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Upper-Mariborough, March 18, 1760.

ALL Persons indebted to the Subscribers, in Account of above one Year's standing, are desired to make immediate Payment; or they may expect to be sued without further Notice.

ALEXANDER and ANDREW SYMMER.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

THE Plantation, in Cecil County, whereon Mr. JAMES PAUL HEATH, deceased, and the Subscriber, lately lived, to which belong about 1500 Acres of excellent Land. There is also on the Plantation, a very handsome well built Brick Dwelling House, two Story high, with four good Rooms on a Floor, together with handsome and convenient Offices of Brick. The house is very pleasantly situated on Sassafras River, and commands a beautiful and extensive Prospect. There are also other Commodious Buildings, such as Barns, Tobacco Houses, Granaries, Stables, Houses for Quarters or Tenants. It is about three or four Miles from Frederick and George Towns. There is some good Meadow, and a great deal more may be made.

For Title and Terms Enquire of WALTER DULANY, Esq; in Annapolis, or the Subscriber at his Plantation in Baltimore County near Bush-Town.

N. B. If a Number of Purchasers should offer, the Land may be laid out in Lots.

JAMES HEATH.

Frederick-Town, February 26, 1760.

A SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

FOR raising Five Hundred Dollars, for purchasing a FIRE ENGINE for the Use of Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, to consist of 1750 Tickets at Two Dollars each, 532 of which to be Fortunate, without any Deduction, viz.

1 of 200 DOLLARS,	is	200
2 of 80	are	160
3 of 40	are	120
4 of 20	are	80
20 of 10	are	200
50 of 8	are	400
450 of 4	are	1800
1 First drawn Blank,		20
1 Last drawn Blank,		20

532 Prizes. Sum raised 500
1218 Blanks.

1750 Tickets at 2 Dollars each, is 3500

THE Overplus of the Profits after purchasing the FIRE ENGINE and its Appurtenances (if any) to be applied towards erecting of a MARKET-HOUSE in the said Town.

By the above Scheme there are little more than Two Blanks and a Quarter to a Prize; and the Profits retained are not quite Fifteen per Cent upon the Whole.

When the Tickets are disposed of, the Drawing is to begin (on 14 Days previous Notice, or least, to be given in this Gazette) in the Court-House of the said County, in the Presence of Five of the Managers at least, and as many of the Adventurers as shall think proper to attend.

The Drawing, it is supposed, will be in Two Months at farthest, as a great Number of the Tickets are already engaged.

The Managers are, Messrs. Thomas Seely, James Dickson, Conrad Groff, Arthur Charlton, Christopher Edlin, Michael Ramar, Caspar Shaeff, Thomas Price, Levi Ceban, John Cary, and George Mardet, who are to give Bond, and take an Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust.

A List of the Prizes to be published in this Gazette, as soon as the Drawing is finished; and the Prizes to be paid off without any Deduction.

Prizes not demanded within Six Months from the Publication aforesaid, to be deem'd as a generous Present for the Use intended, and applied accordingly.

N. B. The Value of Seven Shillings and Six Pence in Maryland or Pennsylvania Currency, will be received in Lieu of each Dollar in the Sale of Tickets, and the same Currency to be accepted in Payment of the Prizes by the fortunate Adventurers.

TICKETS to be had of any of the Managers, and at the Printing-Office in Annapolis.

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