

# MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices, Foreign and Domestic.

WEDNESDAY, September 5, 1750.

L I S B O N, April 11. O. S.

UR treaty with Spain is not yet made public, but enough hath transpired to alarm the nation. All the hopes we had conceiv'd of obtaining permission to send an annual ship to Buenos Ayres, as an equivalent for the loss of the town of *Sacramento*, are vanished; for we are now certainly informed, that of the thirty six articles, which compos'd the treaty, there is not a single one to the advantage of Portugal. The indemnification which Spain gives us, is confined to strong protestations of friendship, and that is all; for the large tract of desert land, which that court cedes to us on the banks of the Amazon river, as far as the river *Madeira*, will not stop up the way, which is now open to the Spaniards to possess themselves of our gold mines, whenever they would make war on us. We are told, indeed, that it contains mines of gold richer and more abundant, than any we have yet wrought; but we believe nothing of it. Our trade trembles at the thought of the bankruptcies which the cession of the town of *Sacramento* will occasion in the king's dominions in America; and the farmers of the customs wait only till the treaty be published, to demand permission of his majesty to resign. A few copies of it have been printed, to send to the governors in that country, that they may get every thing ready against the time appointed for putting it in execution.

Venice, May 20. According to our advices from Constantinople, the grand Signior, notwithstanding the solicitations of the ministers of certain courts, seems determined to have no concern in the affairs of the North, especially as the porte is not yet quite secure on the side of Persia, whose ambassador has lately talked in a very high strain, and started fresh difficulties about the renewal of the treaty of alliance and friendship which he came to negotiate between the two empires.

An extract of a letter from the Hague, May 22.

According to all our advices, the affairs of Europe seem to be in general very much embarrassed. We have it from good hands, that the king of Spain, in consideration of the marriage of his sister with the duke of Savoy, has resigned his pretensions to the Milanese to the king of Sardinia. The ministers of the court of Turin, at that of Vienna, have declared, that neither this marriage nor the surrender shall make any alteration in the friendship of the two courts, nor in any wise prejudice the treaties which have long subsisted between them; but, notwithstanding that, the court of Vienna cannot help shewing some disgust at it. The affair of Corsica, very much engages the attention of our politicians, which they seem to think could not be so long accommodating, if the reconciling the inhabitants of that kingdom to the government of the republic of Genoa were the only points aimed at, and pretend to assign a very different reason. In short, they do not scruple to say, that the house of Bourbon is endeavouring to get that Island into its own power, whether don Philip has it or not. Time only can discover the truth of this important affair, as well as of several others relating to Italy.

From the Paris A la Main, June 15.

We hear that when the king's commissaries went a few days ago to the general assembly of the clergy, warm debates arose about the twentieth penny, which the court intends to levy out of all church livings.

Dantzick, June 10. The price of corn, which was greatly arisen on account of vast quantities being bought up by the Russian and Swedish commissaries, begins now to fall, on the present appearance of a plentiful harvest.

Lisbon, June 3. An English ship, called the *Jupiter*, is arrived here, and the master of her reports, that he fell in

with a Barbary corsair off Messina, who obliged him to part with all the ammunition and provisions he had on board; so that he was forced to make the best of his way to this port, in order to re-victual, and buy powder and ball.

Hague, June 21. A courier has passed through this place, going to Hanover with dispatches from the lords regents of Great Britain. Those dispatches are relative to the advices lately receiv'd from Nova-Scotia; but tho' the English news papers are very circumstantial on this head, it appears that the regents wait for more certain and positive intelligence of the fact and its true circumstances.

Dublin, June 3. Several tradesmen, of different occupations went from hence with the transports last week to Nova-Scotia; which transports have the best and largest accommodations on board for all the passengers that hath been known; each man, woman and child, being allowed two pounds of flesh meat a day, two pounds and a half of bread, two quarts of table beer, half a pint of rum, and other necessaries.

L O N D O N.

Copy of a letter from the Dey of Algiers to the honourable, Capt. Augustus Keppel, commander in chief of his majesty's ships in the Mediterranean, in answer to one written by the said commander to his highness, dated the 22d of January last at Gibraltar.

HAVING received your letter by the xebecque, I have to let you know in answer, That one of the frigates being on a cruise met with five English vessels, whose passes the captain was dubious were not good; he put three or four Moors on board each ship, in order to bring them to Algiers to be examined; and had taken a like number of Englishmen out of the said ships; that, on his arrival here, I immediately found the Captain in a very great fault, which tended to embroil me with my chiefest and best friends, wherefore I immediately sent the people to the consul, and seized the Captain, and would have strangled him, but for the intercessions of the Musti, and principal people of my court; but he never more shall serve me by sea or land, nor never more set his foot at the Marine; wherefore as we are the best and oldest friends, I hope the king your master will look upon this accident as the action of a fool or a madman; and I shall take care nothing of that nature shall happen again, and that we may be better friends then ever.

May 17. We learn from Paris, that the Brest Squadron will be ready to put to sea by the beginning of July. It is whisper'd, that the last dispatches from Prussia and the North are of very high importance; and that upon the answer given, the whole turn of affairs in those parts will depend.

May 12. They write from Constantinople, that the present grand vizir resembles few or none of his predecessors, and acts upon maxims hitherto unknown to the Turkish empire. He is reported to have gained the Seraglio intirely, and is labouring to fill all the great governments with his creatures. In his discourse he magnifies upon all occasions his affection for peace, and his resolution to maintain it; but, at the same time, he causes a strict inquiry to be made into military and naval affairs, and applies himself with great diligence to correct several abuses that have crept into them. There is one point, however, in which he is particularly open; which is, in representing to the foreign ministers the resolution of his sublime highness to execute all his treaties punctually, and to have a constant attention to the application of his allies; which occasions many speculations.

May 15. On Sunday, about half an hour after twelve o'clock, her royal highness the princess of Wales was safely delivered of a prince at Leicester-house.



It is still talk'd that his majesty and the king of Prussia will have an interview this summer.

We hear from Newcastle, that a great number of keelmen have returned to their work; and that the inhabitants of the said place expected the whole affair would soon be amicably determined.

Letters from all parts of this kingdom and Ireland, confirm the great increase of our sheep. The seasons have been extremely favourable, we shall have a greater crop of wool this year than has ever been known, consequently that rich commodity will come cheaper than for some years past, to the manufacturer, which, it is to be hoped, will enable our merchants to undersell our envious competitors the French at foreign markets.

*Query.* As wool will certainly be in more plenty in Ireland as well as England this year, whether a more than ordinary watch will not be necessary to prevent its being sent raw to France, particularly from the south-west of Ireland, where they not only now send it raw, but quantities spun into yarn, for want of free trade, or proper encouragement to bring it to England.

Yesterday the merchant ship Bethel, Capt. Alexander Ross, master, fell down the river from the lower water gate, Deptford, having on board 1970 quarters of wheat, bound for Cadiz in Spain.

Sir D'Anvers Osborn embarks in a few days for Nova-Scotia, in order to pay the forces and settlers there.

May 26. Our correspondent at Paris acquaints us, that by the arrival of a ship from Cayenne, they have advice of a formidable insurrection of the Negroes in a neighbouring colony, and of a great spirit of tumult and sedition in several parts of South-America, the particulars of which are not divulged. It is reported, that the design of sending a squadron either to the Baltic or the Mediterranean, is laid aside; that the intrigues, for bringing about a change in the present system, are in a great measure defeated, and that the marquis de Puyfieux is in higher credit than ever, so that, notwithstanding his indisposition, there is now not so much as a whisper of his resigning.

Yesterday was launched a buss designed for the white-herring fishery. There are two busses belonging to the society, that will proceed to Schetland from the river this year. The gentlemen have with great difficulty (notwithstanding all the measures taken to prevent them) procured a buss from Holland upon the model of which, these two are built; also 32 persons bred in the Dutch service, who are thoroughly expert in all parts of the white herring fishery, as well in the taking as curing the same. The nets were made at Poplar upon the Dutch pattern: They are very curious, each sett (which is called a flee) being near a mile in length and 48 feet in depth: There have been above 2000 hands employed in making nets for these two busses. There are eighteen Foreigners, expert in the fishery, sent down to Southampton, to go on board two busses that are there fitting out for the society, under the care of Richard Taunton Esq: These busses are to go to the rendezvous in September, at Campbell Town, to fish on the North-West side of Britain. We do not hear that any private adventurers will fit out this year, most waiting to see the event of the experiment made by the society's four busses.

We are assured, that the Dutch herring fishery is so considerable, that there are at least 30,000 persons employed in it.

May 31. They write from Marseilles, that the workmen are obliged to double duty in the king's docks, in order to fit out those men of war which are upon the stocks. They also write, that the credit of the bank of St. George has made a great noise, and that it was apprehended there will be an insurrection at Genoa upon that account.

NEW YORK, August 6.

Last Tuesday arrived here the ship Hawk, Capt. Waynman, in 11 weeks from the coast of Africa; in whom came two men, late belonging to the snow Anne, Benjamin Clarke master, of Liverpool; which vessel having arrived on that coast the beginning of November last, with 12 men, continued trading to the 14th of April; when they having 60 Negroes on board, and the most of their white men sick, the Negroes secretly got to the powder and arms, and about 3 o'clock in the morning rose upon the whites; and after wounding all of them very much, except two who hid themselves, they run the vessel ashore a little to the Southward of Cape Lopez, and made their escape. The vessel soon beat to pieces, and in attempting to

get their boat out, one of the well men was drown'd; so that 'twas with much difficulty they got ashore: The captain soon after landing expired of his wounds, and next day, six of them set out to travel for Magumba, to meet with some English vessel, leaving five sick of their wounds on the shore unable to go: — After six days travelling, another of them fainting with his wounds, gave out, and they were obliged to leave him also; the remaining five got alive to Magumba, the 3d of May; where three of them got on board the Rider-Galley, Capt. Bush, of Liverpool, bound for Amsterdam, tho' one of them was so bad that he was given over by the surgeon; and the other two got on board Capt. Waynman, as above; which last vessel has also lost six of her men by sickness in the voyage. This should be a caution of great care and vigilance to be used in that trade.

Saturday last arrived here Capt. Hill from Coracao, by whom we have the following extract of a letter, dated July 25.

"We have for these three weeks past had nothing done in our island but racking and executing a parcel of new Negroes, who had plotted to destroy all the Whites, and Creole Negroes in the island; which they began on a plantation belonging to the West India company, where they cut off the head of one white man and several Negroes, and were marching to town armed; but, thank God, they were soon repulsed, taken, destroyed and scatter'd by a party of soldiers, and a company of free Negroes, immediately sent out against them. It is pretty well over at present."

PHILADELPHIA.

The following is an extract of a letter from Capt Richard Lyon, (the person mentioned in this paper No 276) to a gentleman in this city, dated at Lewis-Town, July 12.

SIR,

"I shall now lay before you my unhappy case exactly as it was, without adding or diminishing one tittle, for I am very positive, things of this nature are always told to the greatest disadvantage, and often very far from truth. I sail'd from Carolina the 14th ult. bound to Providence, and after being out about a fortnight I had got but a very little to the Southward, so I took up the fatal resolution to bear away for Virginia; but meeting with a calm in the Gulf Stream, it carried me so far to the Northward, that I fetch'd but in with your Capes, where I met the wind at W. S. W. and ordered the vessel about to go to the Southward for Virginia; but the men swore bloodily they would not go to Virginia, but would go to Philadelphia, upon which I step upon the poop, took hold of the main sheet, and endeavoured to put the helm to lee, but was prevented by one of the men who seiz'd me, and swore a bloody Oath that one of us should go overboard, at the same time endeavoured to put his threats in execution, I then thought my life in danger, and disengaged myself from him, and there being a hand spike upon the poop, I snatch'd it up and told him to keep off and be quiet, but regardless of that, he flew furiously at me and as he was coming, I push'd at him with the hand-spike, which made him stagger backwards, the vessel at the same time giving a roll, he tumbled overboard when immediately I threw the bite of the main sheet after him, but was prevented doing any more, being seiz'd by the other man who had well nigh pitch'd me over board, but recovering myself, I grappled with him and endeavoured to throw him upon the main deck, but his furious obstinacy put it out of my power to save him. A boy about 17 in the scuffle was I believe knock'd overboard; all this happened about 12 o'clock at night, about two leagues from the land, and all I believe in a minute. When resistance took place, my senses were unfram'd, and anarchy and madness succeeded, I threw overboard my goods, stove two pipes of wine, destroy'd my papers, and quitted the vessel twice in one day, and attempted to lay violent hands on myself, but it pleased God to prevent me. Excuse this long incoherent letter, and pray represent my case as it is inserted."

ANNAPOLIS.

The North-East Storm which we had here on the 19th of August past, has done considerable Damage near the Capes.

By a Gentleman from Virginia, we are informed, that the Ship Goodwin, Gouart Lockerman Master, of Liverpool, from the Isle of May, was drove ashore on Corratuck, and lost, but the people saved.

That a Schooner belonging to Capt. Lowes of Somerset, from the West Indies, is ashore, and the Vessel lost; but part of the Cargo sav'd.

Two



Two other Vessels, said to be Sloops, but as yet we know not who, are lost, but the Crews saved.

By the same Gentleman, we are informed, that a Fleet of Spanish Ships, consisting of three Men of War, one of 20, one of 60, and one of 80 Guns, six Merchantmen, two Register Ships, a Brigantine and Sloop, bound from the Havannah for Old Spain, were dispers'd at Sea by hard Gales of Wind, and the Brigantine, having on board a good many Chests of Money, was drove on Machapungo Shoals, and lost, but the Crew and part of the Money saved; the two Register Ships, having the Governor of the Havannah, and his Family, on board, and Twelve Million Pieces of Eight, lost their Masts, but fortunately got into Norfolk in Virginia, where they are now refitting. They know not what is become of the Men of War, the Merchantmen and the Sloop.

The Ship *Neptune*, Capt. Malachy Trewhella, is arrived in Patuxent from Cadiz. He informs us that Capt. Lane, from London, for Virginia, is lost near the Capes, but the Crew all sav'd, except one Boy.

On Wednesday Evening last, arrived here from London, the Ship *Davenport*, Capt. Charles Alden, after a tedious Passage of almost Twelve Weeks; with whom came Passengers, Capt. John Jordan, Capt. John Dagworthy, and others. Capt. Alden has brought in with him, Fifteen double fortified Four Pound Cannon, for our Fortification; and Goods to the Value of 30,000 £ Sterling.

On Friday last Negro *Cuffie* was Executed here pursuant to his Sentence.

Yesterday Evening, Dr. DAVID ROSS, of Bladenburg, was Married to Miss ARIANA BRICE, Eldest Daughter of JOHN BRICE, Esq: of this Place, a young Gentlewoman endow'd with every Qualification to render a Man happy in the Conjugal State.

Custom-House, ANNAPOLIS, Entered,

Ship *Davenport*, Charles Alden, from London.

Cleared for Departure,

Snow *Hereford*, John Fowler, for Bristol;

Sloop *Rose*, John Thomas, for Virginia;

Schooner *Charming Polly*, William Smith, for Virginia.

#### ADVERTISEMENT.

**P**ROPOSALS for Printing by Subscription, a compleat Body of the Laws of Virginia; with the Titles of all such Laws as have been from Time to Time Repealed. And, with useful Marginal Notes and References. To which will be added, An Exact Table to the whole.

#### CONDITIONS.

1. That it is supposed the Work will contain about 160 Sheets in Folio.
2. That the Book will be Printed on a beautiful Letter and Paper, of the same size as the last Edition.
3. That it will be neatly bound and lettered.
4. That the Subscribers Names will be prefixed to the Book.
5. That there will be no more Copies Printed, than are for the Use of the Public, and the Subscribers.
6. That the Price to Subscribers will be One Guinea, to be paid on Delivery of the said Book, so Printed and Bound.

The Work will be committed to the Press, as soon as the Subscriptions are collected, and Printed by WILLIAM HUNTER at Williamsburg. Subscriptions in this Province, are taken in by JONAS GREEN, at Annapolis, by whom they will be delivered, when finished, to the Subscribers here. Those Gentlemen who incline to Subscribe with him will have an Opportunity no longer than the last of October, at which Time he will return his List of Subscribers to Mr. HUNTER.

WILLIAM RANDALL, SADDLER,

**W**ITHIN the Town Gate of Annapolis, next to the Widow M'Leod's, makes and mends all Sorts of Men and Womens Saddles, Saddle Bags and Portmanteaus; he likewise makes Harnesses for Chaises, or any Wheeling Carriage. Horse Collars, Mill Pads, &c. &c.

The said William Randall, having a good able Horse, will undertake Journeys, to any Part of the Province, with the utmost Expedition and Fidelity, to the full Satisfaction, of any Gentlemen, who are pleased to employ him.

#### JUST IMPORTED,

In the *DAVENPORT*, Capt. ALDEN, from London,

And to be SOLD

By the Subscriber, at his Store in Annapolis,

**A** SORTABLE Parcel of European and East India Goods, very Cheap, for Sterling, Current Money, or Tobacco.

LANCELOT JACQUES.

#### TO BE SOLD,

**A** SLOOP of about 35 Tons Burthen, Deck'd, and well fitted with Rigging and Sails, Two good Anchors and Cables, and is a prime Sailer, and very fit for the Bay. Any Person wanting such a Vessel, may apply to

ROBERT SWAN.

Philadelphia, September 1, 1750.

**M**ADE his Escape from the Goal of this City, on the 30th of last Month, one *Jesse Conway*, about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, very slim, long Visage, with black curl'd Hair: Had on when he went away, a Scarlet Ratteen Great Coat, with a grey Duroy Coat, trimmed with black, a green Ratteen Jacket, with white Metal Buttons, black Stockings, and Steel Buckles, old Cloth-colour'd Breeches, with yellow Buttons.

Whoever secures him, so as he may be had again, shall receive TEN POUNDS Reward, paid by

DOUGHTY JONES Goal-keeper.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid not to take him off, at their Peril.

#### TO BE SOLD,

**A** TRACT of Land, Containing 216 Acre, lying in Frederick County, and adjoining to Mr. Samuel Thomas's, called *Beali's Manor*, for Bills of Exchange, Sterling Cash, Paper Currency, or Tobacco. Any Person inclinable to purchase may treat with Mr. Rignall Odell, in Prince George's County, who will make the Purchaser an indisputable Title.

September 4, 1750.

**W**HEREAS Elizabeth Sellman, the Wife of the subscriber, living at Elk Ridge in Anne Arundel County, hath Elop'd from her said Husband, and gone away with William Freeman; this is therefore to forewarn all Persons from Trusting her on my Account; for I will Pay no Debts of her contracting after this Date.

CHARLES SELLMAN.

N. B. She has taken away with her a great many of her Husband's Cloaths, and other Things, and a Scarlet Cloak which cost 2 Guineas.

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is in Baltimore County, at the Plantation of John Lynch, near the great Falls of Gunpowder, taken up as a Stray, a Sorrel Mare, Branded on the near Shoulder P T, join'd together at Top, and on the near Buttock thus M; has a large Blaze in her Face, her near fore Foot white.

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

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is in this County, at the Plantation of Mr. Peter Porter, near the Head of *Sawyer*, and has been or about two Years past, taken up as a Stray, a chestnut Bay Gelding about 14 or 15 Hands high, Branded on the near Shoulder P T, but not very plain; he Paces middling well, has a Star in his Forehead, his two hind Feet white, is Cross-fallen, and is supposed to be 12 or 13 Years Old.

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

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is in this County, at the Plantation of Joseph Hall on Elk Ridge, taken up as a Stray, a black Horse, has a large Star in his Forehead, a Snip on his Nose, his off hind Foot white, a Saddle Spot on his near Side, Branded on the near Shoulder JSr.

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

JUST



JUST IMPORTED from LONDON,  
And to be SOLD by THOMAS MEIGHAN, at London-Town,  
in the House where William Peale, deceased, lately liv'd,

GREAT Variety of European and India Goods, at the  
cheapest Rates, either for Current Money, Bills of Ex-  
change, or Tobacco.

ALL Persons who have any Demands on the Estate of  
George Downey, late of Annapolis, deceased, are desired  
to bring in their Accounts: And those who are any ways in-  
debted, are desired to make speedy Payment to Messieurs John  
Campbell and John Inch, who are impowered to pay and re-  
ceive, and give Receipts. MARY DOWNEY, Executrix.

August 28, 1750.

RAN away from the Baltimore Iron-Works yesterday,  
bring the 27th Instant, a servant Man belonging to Da-  
niel Dulaney, Esq; and Company, named Henry Stocks, a lusty  
tall fellow, has a bld rough Look, of a sandy Complexion,  
seems spotted in the Face like Freckles, has a large Scar over  
one of his Eyes, was born in the W<sup>est</sup> of England, and talks  
much in that Dialect. He had on a dirty Cotton Jacket, Of-  
nabrigs Shirt and Trowsers, Felt Hat, and new Shoes; but  
may have got other Coats, and stolen a Horse to ride. He  
ran away about this Time last Year, with others, and was taken  
down the Bay, at the Tangier Islands.

Whoever secures the said Runaway, and brings him to the  
Subscriber at the said Works, shall have Forty Shillings if taken  
Twenty Miles from home, and if taken at a greater Dis-  
tance Four Pounds, paid by R. CROXALL.

Annapolis, August 15, 1750.

TAKEN up as a Runaway, and committed to my  
Custody, a Negro Man who says his Name is Dick,  
and that he belongs to Wm Ham Hoare in Virginia.

His Master may have him, on paying Fees, from  
JOHN GASSAWAY, High Sheriff.

TO BE SOLD by Mr. FRANCIS CHLW, of Calvert  
County;

FOUR Tracts of good Arable Land, lying in the Coun-  
ty aforesaid, near the head of Hall's Creek, convenient  
both to Patuxent River, and the Bay, adjoining to each other,  
Containing 615 Acres, whereon are two good Tobacco Houses  
and a Dwelling-House; upwards of Three Hundred Acres of  
it Wood Land, and well Timber'd.

Any Person inclinable to Purchase, may be inform'd of the  
Title, and Terms of Sale, by applying to the said Chw.

TO BE SOLD, as Cheap as any where in Maryland, by  
WILLIAM SALISBURY, on the North Side of Severn,

TWO large Sconces, with Walnut Frames, edged with  
Gold; a Parcel of Hammers, Hatchets, Saws, Files;  
Rasps; Birch Plies; Chisels; and all sorts of Tools used by  
Carpenters; Nails of all sorts; Locks with King Keys; Pad-  
locks; Locks; Hinges; Thumb Latches with Brass knobs;  
plain Thumb Latches, &c. &c. And a great many other  
Things too tedious to mention, which may suit the Ladies.

TO BE SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,

Pursuant to the Will of Littleton Watters late of Calvert Coun-  
ty, Shipwright, deceased, for ready Current Money, in good  
Bills of Exchange, at his late Dwelling-House in Lower-  
Marlborough, on Friday the 14th Day of September next,  
at 10 o'Clock in the Afternoon.

A SLOOP now on the Stocks, and will be finished by  
that Time, together with an Anchor, Cable and other  
Cordage. The Sloop is thirty five Feet Keel, Fifteen and  
a half Beam, seven and a half Depth of Hold, is built to carry  
Burthen and draw little Water; her Timbers chiefly Malberry,  
and Treenails Locust, and as she was intended for a private  
Life is built very strong.

SARAH WATTERS, Executrix.

TO ANNAPOLIS: Printed by JONAS GREEN, Post-Master, at his PRINTING-OFFICE in  
Charles-Street; where Advertisements are taken in, and all Persons may be supplied with this Paper,

ONE Samuel Bennett, an Englishman, who once taught  
School in some Part of this Province, but in what Coun-  
ty is not known, is enquired for; if he be living he may hear  
of something to his Advantage by applying to the Printer here-  
of; and if he be dead, an Account of the Time and Place of  
his Death will be thankfully receiv'd.

P. S. Since the above Advertisement was first Printed, we  
have heard that Mr. Bennett lived for some Time in Calvert  
County, and taught School there, and that he removed from  
thence into St. Mary's County or else into Virginia.

CHARLES BRYAN, SHOEMAKER, from London,  
At the House of Mr. John Anderson, Cabinet-Maker, in South-  
East Street, in Annapolis,

MAKES all Sorts of Boots, and Men and Womens Shoes  
and Slippers, in the best and neatest Manner, and at  
the cheapest Rates.

CHARLES WALLACE, STAYMAKER,  
HAVING lately Imported from London, a choice Par-  
cel of the very best Whalebone, and every other Arti-  
cle for his Business, hereby gives Notice, That he can furnish  
Ladies or Others, with Stays as good as can be made in Lon-  
don, and at reasonable Rates, either for Paper Money, Gold,  
Sterling, or B<sup>ills</sup>: And having a Number of skilful Hands,  
those who want Stays, may be ready furnish'd by

Their humble Servant

CHARLES WALLACE.

JUST IMPORTED from LONDON,

And to be SOLD,

By DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME, at his Store over against the  
Church in Annapolis,

GREAT Variety of European and India Goods, at the  
lowest Prices, by Wholesale or Retail, either for Sterling,  
Gold, Paper Currency, or Tobacco.

RAN away from the Subscriber in Annapolis, on the 23d  
of July last, an indentured Servant Man, named John  
Gutten, by Trade a Carpenter and Joiner, about 20 Years of  
Age, of a middle Stature, pretty slow of Speech; and has  
several red Spots on the Backs of his Hands, supposed to be  
occasioned by Poison. He had on a blue Duroy Jacket with  
Metal Buttons, and without Sleeves, a grey Frock with Blue  
Metal Buttons, a pair of Half thick blue Breeches, with Blue  
Pewter Buttons, Onabrigs Trowsers, a pair of Check Dime,  
Thread Stockings, new Shoes, and wears a dark-brown Wig.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to his  
Master, if taken in Maryland, shall have Three Pounds Re-  
ward; and if taken in any other Province, Five Pounds of the  
Currency where taken. GAMALIEL BUTLER.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the Subscriber intends  
to leave this Province in a short Time; and desires all  
Persons who have any Claims or Demands on him, to bring in  
their Accounts that they may be paid: And all those who are  
any ways Indebted to him, are desired to make Speedy Pay-  
ment; Or else JOHN FEARON.

To be Sold by Public Vendue on Thursday the 13th Day of Sep-  
tember (being the first Thursday in the Provincial Court) at  
3 o'Clock in the Afternoon.

ONE Messuage and Two Acres of Land, more or less,  
being and lying in Annapolis, now in the Occupation of  
Mr. George Atkinson.

The Sale to be on the Premises.

GEORGE and ARAMINTA CATTO.

ANY Person, who wants Public Tobacco, in any of the  
Counties, except Prince-George's and Frederick, may  
be supplied, by applying to the Subscriber; who sells the To-  
bacco, belonging to the Honourable Benjamin Young, Esq;  
CHARLES CARROLL.



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WEDNESDAY, September 12, 1750.

P A R M A, April 30.

AST week an accident happened here, which threw the inhabitants of this city, and places adjacent, into the greatest consternation and confusion imaginable: A sudden and dreadful noise, which shook all the houses, and damaged many, made the people think that an earthquake had happened, and that the noise proceeded from the buildings tumbling down; but it was only the powder-mill that blew up, the stones and beams of which being violently scattered by the explosion, damaged many adjacent houses. The inhabitants, in their fright, posted away in crowds to the gates of the city, trampling and stifling one another for haste to get out into the fields; but being soon made sensible of the real cause of this dreadful explosion, they returned quietly to their habitations. Upon enquiry into the cause of this accident, it appears that it was owing to the carelessness of the men employed in the powder-mill, who, in leaving off work, forgot to put out some fire in the laboratory. We hear of no more than one person killed on this occasion, by a wall tumbling down upon him.

An extract of a letter from Amsterdam, May 12.

The following remarks have been made by some very sensible persons, upon the four treaties of peace concluded since the death of the emperor Charles the VIth, at Breslau, Dresden, Fueslen, and this of Aix-la Chapelle. The first, they say, was concluded because the conqueror was fearful of a reverse of fortune; and if, indeed, after the battle of Czaflow, he should have happened to have lost one, there would have been an end of his conquests, he could not have been relieved; he therefore thought it better to make a bridge of gold for his enemy to go over, and content himself with a part of Silesia. The second came about in the following manner: After the victory near Dresden, the conqueror had it in his power to lay all Saxony, Thuringia, and Misnia, under contribution, and subject those countries to be plundered; but then he apprehended that the whole empire would have joined in opposing the ruin of so powerful an elector, who would probably too have been assisted by Poland and Russia; he therefore prudently restored his conquests, contenting himself with having spread the terror of his name. The defeat of Pfaffenhoven was the occasion of the third, and came apropos to justify the treaty which the elector of Bavaria had been negotiating some weeks with the ministers of the court of Vienna, being obliged, by the French leaving him, to abandon them, in his turn, to prevent his undergoing the fate of his grand father after the battle of Hochstet. The last and most recent, it is now well known, was concluded, because the finances of France were exhausted, that kingdom threatened with famine, its marine and commerce ruined, and the arrival of the Russians threatening to determine a great part of Germany to declare in favour of the allies; which the court of Berlin would have liked no better than that of Versailles. These circumstances put his most Christian majesty under a necessity of concluding a peace, contenting himself solely with the reputation he had assumed of having given peace to his enemies; which nobody thought fit to contradict.

Dublin, June 9. Orders are given by the parishes to take away all children of beggars, and to put them into the Protestant charter school; which will be of the utmost advantage to this kingdom, as it will create industry, prevent idleness, beggary, thieving, robbery and murder; and hinder these strolling wretches from being a burthen to the public. We hear also, that the bill to prevent the clandestine marriages of infants, or persons under the age of twenty-one, will be a-

mended, by making all marriages null and void, of persons of property in Ireland, who shall be married out of the kingdom, without the consent of parents or guardians.

Florence, April 18. All our mountains are covered with snow, and the uncommon cold felt at this season, fills us with fears, for the harvest. The hospital of S. Maria Nova is so crowded with poor and sick, that they talk of removing a part of them to some convents. Our distress increases more and more; and the cries of the poor for work and bread fill our ears night and day. The courts of Spain and France seem to think seriously of getting a king of Lombardy crown'd, and will leave nothing unattempted to effect it this summer.

From the London Daily Gazetteer, May 7.

THE bright side of human nature never appears more distinguish'd than when acting for the common good, unbounded by partiality or self interested views, and calculated to circulate universal happiness: One of the principal happinesses of life, is a fair and ample subsistence, acquir'd by industry and improv'd by frugality: This, with contentment, or not too great an anxiety for wealth, brings us on the way to the summit of earthly bliss: Virtue is included in it; and every moral sentiment contributes to this great end, to make us pleas'd with ourselves, and easy and agreeable to others. But when we look further into the nature of human affairs, and make the doing good to others, a virtue superior to that of self happiness, simply considered, we become oftentimes capable of conferring more benefits on our fellow-creatures, than at our first setting out, we apprehended we had abilities suited to.

This is the case of all such schemes, inventions, or projects, which are calculated for the public good, and succeed happily; the result of them are too complex or many, for even the schemist's own comprehensions; the multiplying benefits are involv'd in the womb of futurity, from whence, gradually springing, they appear, at last, in their full force and splendour.

Some years since, an ingenious clergyman was presented to the living of Bantry in Ireland, which, like some of our poor livings in England, was but ill consider'd for the maintenance of the incumbent: He was not only poor himself, but had the chance likewise to be surrounded with poor neighbours, whom he considered in their miserable state, with infinitely more concern than his own; tho' perhaps, at the same time, apprehensive enough, that could he improve their condition, his own would be mended of course. I need not inform my reader, that Bantry is a village seated on the margin of a fine bay, where fish, before this clergyman's arrival, wanton'd in great plenty and profusion; but either through want of skill, proper materials, or indolence, there was no kind of benefit made of the great store, providence seem'd to have gather'd together there, for the emolument of the inhabitants. The clergyman was long revolving in his mind, how to vring about a design he had been concerting, to turn this great storehouse of food to some real use: That is to say, to procure a proper vessel and fitting tackle, to make his poor neighbours active and industrious, and to find a proper market that would encourage the labourers. Totally a stranger to all these things, otherwise than being bless'd with a good understanding, and a happy conception of the use of such rude materials as casually presented to his view, he resolv'd at last to attempt something. Chance threw a little boat ashore; and being just rich enough to purchase a few fishing tackle and a small net, he after much persuasion, engaged some of the poor people to adventure out with him; and having all the success he could wish, in a few hours



hours they return'd home with light hearts and a loaded boat. This enabled him to add salt to his store, and by degrees, such a number of boats and necessary materials, as rais'd him from the degree of a poor parson, to that of an eminent merchant. Gain produced an emulation among the people, who should be most industrious. The clergyman divided the profits fairly, and settled a correspondence with the merchants at Cork, who took off all the fish as fast as they could cure and barrel them. By this means, the poor village of Bantry grew gradually into a handsome town, filled with artificers and tradesmen. When the clergyman had brought his designs to this happy period, he left the future conduct to his son, and betook himself to the more peculiar care of his flock; and at length having succeeded far beyond his hopes, banish'd ignorance, indolence and poverty, and constituted in their stead, religion, industry and wealth, he left this world for a better; and his son one of the most eminent merchants in Ireland.-----I have only to add, that this story gave the first hint of that glorious project now on foot, for establishing the WHITE HERRING FISHERY.

NEW-YORK, August 13.

Extra of a Letter from Halifax, dated July 22, 1750.

"Your favour of the 7th of May, found me at Minas, which is about one hundred miles up in the country, where I have been since the 6th of April, and am return'd but yesterday: We went from hence with about 400 men, in order to take possession of the Isthmus, which is between the Bay Verte, and Bay Rundy; but when we came there, behold we found all the Indians of the river St. John's, all the Mickmack tribes of Indians, in number about 700, with the same number of disaffected French inhabitants, and about 200 regular troops, ready to receive us, making in all about 1600 fighting men, and their situation so good, that if we had had an equal number to theirs, we should have found it a difficult matter to have dislodged them; therefore we thought it most prudent to defer the attempt of taking possession, until a more favourable opportunity, (which I hope will not be long e'er it happens.) If we get possession of this neck of land, with a good fort on it, it will be out of the power of all the Indians in America to disturb us; tho' we do not get it this summer, yet we shall the next.

About 15 days ago I had a hard brush with a body of the rebel French, and about 50 Indians, on the Cobiquid side of the bay of Miras: I endeavour'd to surprize them in the night, but the black-asses kept too good a guard, and I was disappointed in this attempt; however I attacked them about half an hour after day break, with one hundred men with me; and tho' they were very well posted in a thick wood, yet after our second fire they quitted it, and fled to the village de Bourke which was just near them, thinking to keep possession of it; but we rushed on them and beat them from thence, setting up the Indian howl after them all the time we chased; a great many of them may thank their heels for their lives; we killed three of them, and I believe wounded many; and we had but one man killed, and none wounded.-----We have built a very fine fort in the heart of the country, (tho' we were threatened to be devour'd before we could get it half finish'd) which commands the river St. Croix and Diziquid, and overlooks seven villages: The land about the fort, and where the villages are, is extremely rich; all the inhabited lands in the back parts of this country is extremely fertile, and situated near five navigable rivers, in which rivers the tide rises at full Moon about fifty or sixty foot.

PHILADELPHIA, August 9.

By late advices from England, we are assured, that on the 15th of May last, after a hearing of six days, in the cause depending in the high court of chancery, between the honourable the proprietaries of the province of Pennsylvania complainants, and the right honourable the lord Baltimore, proprietor of the province of Maryland, defendant; wherein the complainants demanded the specific performance of an agreement executed in the year 1732, for running two lines as boundaries of Pennsylvania and the three lower counties; the lord chancellor, after declaring that he had not taken time to consider the matter from any doubt on which side the equity of the cause lay, but as it was an affair of great extent and consequence, to view it in all its parts, decreed, That the agreement subsisted, and was obligatory on the parties; That they should within three months sign commissions to seven persons, who, or any three of them, should have authority to run the lines according to the agreement; and particularly directed in the decree, That effectually to enforce the execution of the decree, and avoid unfair proceedings, the cause should be left open, for

the more easy application of either party, as in the cause, for redress; and that the defendant should pay the plaintiff's charges, occasioned by the defendant's commissioners endeavouring to violate the agreement, the expences of executing the commission to examine witnesses in America, and all other costs in the suit.

## ANNAPOLIS.

Since our last, we have collected some further Account of the Spanish Fleet, which met with bad Weather at Sea, and were, some of them, forced into Norfolk. We are assured that the whole Fleet, which left the Havanna, consisted of three Galleons, four Register Ships, one Brigantine, and one Sloop, under Convoy of one Spanish Man of War of 50 Guns: They were parted at Sea by bad Weather. One of the Galleons, a Register Ship, and the Sloop, are at Norfolk, and have brought in a vast Sum of Money; the Galleon had 350 Chests of Dollars on board, and a great Quantity of Cochineal, Sugar, Indigo, Cocoa, and Dying-Wood: One Passenger on board her had 200,000 Dollars, and a great Quantity of Diamonds. They lost all their Masts, and hung over all their Guns, which were 40, at Sea; and when she came into Norfolk, had fourteen Feet Water in her Hold. The other Ship belongs to the Portuguese, her Cargo consisting of Cocoa, Cochineal and Money; having 600,000 Dollars register'd, and a great Quantity besides. The Brigantine, as we mentioned before, was lost; but all, or the greatest Part of her Money saved. The Man of War, called (in English) the Greyhound, commanded by Capt. Onnes, an Irish Gentleman, after losing all her Masts, Rudder, and Guns, at Sea, drove ashore on Montserrat Shoals, off Worcester County, in this Province, with 7 Feet Water in her Hold; where she now lies a Wreck. After she struck, the People hoisted out her Boats, but they stove a long side, being about a quarter of a Mile from the Shore; after which they made a Raft, on which they brought a good deal of Money ashore; but two Men, and two Chests of Money, were wash'd off and lost; and two other Men, attempting to swim ashore, had tied so much Money round their Waists, that they sunk with it, and were drowned. The Captain hired two Sloops to carry his Men, and what Money they could save, round to Elizabeth in Virginia. She had on board, besides Money, Spanish Snuff, Spanish Tobacco; and a great Quantity of Mohogany, the best which could be got, for the King of Spain's new Palace at Madrid. The People at and about Worcester County, are every Day, in good Weather, fishing what they can out of her, and have found a considerable Booty.

By the Man of War's being lost, about 20 Englishmen, who had been made Prisoners by the Spaniards, and were on board her, have got their Liberty. One of the Men belonged to Capt. Walter Wrench, in a fine Ship from Virginia; who, we hear, was seized at the Havanna, where Capt. Wrench now remains a Prisoner.

What is become of the rest of the Spanish Fleet, we have not as yet heard.

Custom-House, ANNAPOLIS, Entered, NONE.

Cleared for Departure,

Sloop Bohemia, John Robinson, for Antigua.

## ADVERTISEMENTS.

### TO BE SOLD,

By the Subscriber, at his Store in Annapolis,

CHOICE old West-India Rum, at 2 s. 4 d. Sterling, or 4 s. 1 d. Current, per Gallon, Ready Pay: Also Best New-England Rum, at the cheapest Rates.

WILLIAM STEUART.

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of John Carmack, in Frederick County, the Two following Strays; viz.:

A large Bay Mare, a natural Pacer, with one white Foot, several Saddle Spots on her Back, and branded on the near Shoulder C R, and on the near Buttock S, both brands not very plain to be seen.

A Grey Mare full of black Spots, and has been Burnt for the Fistula, branded on the near Shoulder and Cuffion W A, and with a Blotch on both Buttocks.

The Owner or Owners, may have them again, on proving their Property, and paying Charges.



September 12, 1750.

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, that there are in Baltimore County, at the Plantation of Thomas Norris, the Five following Strays; viz.

A small Black Mare, with a bald Face, branded on the near Buttock, S;

A small Dark Bay Horse, branded thus  $\circ\circ$  on the near Buttock;

An old Black Mare, branded on the near Shoulder T B joined in one, and on the near Buttock I M;

A Dun Mare, branded on the off Buttock S H;

A Grey Mare, branded on the off Buttock, O, with two Dashes across the O; and has a small Colt with her.

The Owners of the above Strays may have them again, by proving their Property, and paying Charges.

September 5, 1750.

### TO BE SOLD.

**A** TRACT of Land, called Griffith's Park, lying in Frederick County, between the Upper and Lower Falls of Potomack River, near the Mouth of Capt. John's Creek; containing, by Patent, 500 Acres. It is a Body of choice Land, and very conveniently situated. For Title and Terms of Sale, apply to

JAMES THOMPSON, Executrix of John Thompson, late of Cecil County, deceased.

### LATELY IMPORTED.

In the DAVENPORT, Capt. CHARLES ALDEN from LONDON, And to be SOLD

By the Subscriber, very Cheap, at his Store House in ANNAPOLIS.

**A** GREAT Variety of European and India Goods, by Wholesale or Retail, either for Current Money, Sterling or Tobacco.

September 12, 1750.

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, that there is at the Plantation of Charles Yates in Charles County, taken up as a Stray; a small Roan Gelding, with a small Blaze in his Face, a hanging Mane and Switch Tail, branded on the near Buttock with a Staple or Hook, and appears to be middle aged.

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

September 4, 1750.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber at Bladensburg, a Convict Servant Man, named Thomas Butler, born in Ireland, he has been in the Country about three Years, and lately employed as a Carter, tho' he may pretend to be a Bricklayer or Plaisterer; he was in Rappahannock some Years ago as a Sailor; he is middle sized, dark Complexion, and his Face very much pitted with the Small Pox; he had on when he went away, a Linnen Coat or Frock, Plaid Waistcoat, a Cotton Jacket dyed, brown Linnen Shirts, Linnen Breeches, dark Worsted Stockings, Country-made Shoes, Felt Hat, and a Wig; he is very much given to Swearing and Drinking, his Legs are sore or very lately cured, but are red on his Shin Bones.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to his Master, in Prince George's County in Maryland, shall have one Pistole Reward, if taken out of the Province, besides what the Law allows, and if taken at a greater Distance than Fifty Miles Two Pistoles, and Twenty Shillings Currency if taken in Maryland, besides what the Law allows, paid by

CHRISTOPHER LOWMYER.

N. B. He has a Cutlass with him, and it is supposed he will endeavour to get on board some Man of War.

### TO BE SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,

On Wednesday the 19th of this Instant September, at IV of the Clock in the Afternoon precisely, at the House of the Subscriber in Annapolis,

**T**HE Household Furniture, of James Barrance, late of this City, deceased, consisting of Beds and Bedding, Tables, Chairs, Looking Glasses, Pewter, Bras, Iron Ware, and a Negro Man, &c.

ELIZABETH BARRANCE.

**P**ROPOSALS for Printing by Subscription, a compleat Body of the Laws of Virginia; with the Titles of all such Laws as have been from Time to Time Repealed. And, with useful Marginal Notes and References. To which will be added, An Exact Table to the whole.

### CONDITIONS.

1. That it is supposed the Work will contain about 160 Sheets in Folio.
2. That the Book will be Printed on a beautiful Letter and Paper, of the same size as the last Edition.
3. That it will be neatly bound and lettered.
4. That the Subscribers Names will be prefixed to the Book.
5. That there will be no more Copies Printed, than are for the Use of the Public, and the Subscribers.
6. That the Price to Subscribers will be One Guinea, to be paid on Delivery of the said Book, so Printed and Bound.

The Work will be committed to the Press, as soon as the Subscriptions are collected, and Printed by WILLIAM HUNTER at Williamsburg. Subscriptions in this Province, are taken in by JONAS GREEN, at Annapolis, by whom they will be delivered, when finished, to the Subscribers here. These Gentlemen who incline to Subscribe with him will have an Opportunity no longer than the 1st of October, at which Time he will return his List of Subscribers to Mr. HUNTER.

### WILLIAM RANDALL, SADDLER,

**W**ITHIN the Town Gate of Annapolis, next to the Widow M'Leod's, makes and mends all Sorts of Men and Womens Saddles, Saddle Bags and Portmanteaus; he likewise makes Harnesses for Chaises, or any Wheeling Carriage, Horse Collars, Mill Pads, &c. &c.

The said William Randall, having a good able Horse, will undertake Journeys, to any Part of the Province, with the utmost Expedition and Fidelity, to the full Satisfaction, of any Gentlemen, who are pleased to employ him.

### JUST IMPORTED.

In the DAVENPORT, Capt. ALDEN, from LONDON, And to be SOLD

By the Subscriber, at his Store in Annapolis,

**A** SORTABLE Parcel of European and East India Goods; very Cheap, for Sterling, Current Money, or Tobacco.

LAMÉLOT JACQUES.

### TO BE SOLD,

**A** SLOOP of about 35 Tons Burthen, Deck'd, and well fitted with Rigging and Sails, Two good Anchors and Cables, and is a prime Sailer, and very fit for the Bay. Any Person wanting such a Vessel, may apply to

ROBERT SWAN.

Philadelphia, September 1, 1750.

**M**ADE his Escape from the Goal of this City, on the 30th of last Month, one Jesse Conners, about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, very slim, long Vif ge, with black curl'd Hair: Had on when he went away, a Scarlet Ratteen Great Coat, with a grey Duroy Coat, trimmed with black, a green Ratteen Jacket, with white Metal Buttons, black Stockings, and Steel Buckles, old Cloth-colour'd Breeches, with yellow Buttons.

Whoever secures him, so as he may be had again, shall receive TEN POUNDS Reward, paid by

DOUGHTY JONES, Goal-keeper.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid not to take him off, at their Peril.

September 4, 1750.

**W**HEREAS Elizabeth Sellman, the Wife of the Subscriber, living at Elk Ridge in Anne Arundel County, hath Eloped from her said Husband, and gone away with William Freeman; this is therefore to forewarn all Persons from Trusting her on my Account; for I will Pay no Debts of her contracting after this Date.

CHARLES SELLMAN.

N. B. She has taken away with her a great many of her Husband's Cloaths, and other Things, and a Scarlet Cloak which cost 2 Guineas.



TO BE SOLD,

**A**TRACT of Land, Containing 216 Acres, lying in Frederick County, and adjoining to Mr. Samuel Thomas's, called *Beall's Manor*, for Bills of Exchange, Sterling Cash, Paper Currency, or Tobacco. Any Person inclinable to purchase may treat with Mr. Rignall Odell, in Prince George's County, who will make the Purchaser an indisputable Title.

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is in Baltimore County, at the Plantation of John Lynch, near the great Falls of Gunpowder, taken up as a Stray, a Sorrel Mare, Branded on the near Shoulder 1 P join'd together at Top, and on the near Buttock thus M: has a large Blaze in her Face, her near fore Foot white.

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

JUST IMPORTED from LONDON,

And to be SOLD by THOMAS MEIGHAN, at London Town, in the House where William Peele, deceased, lately liv'd,

**G**REAT Variety of European and India Goods, at the cheapest Rates, either for Current Money, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco.

**A**LL Persons who have any Demands on the Estate of George Downey, late of Annapolis, deceased, are desired to bring in their Accounts: And those who are any ways indebted, are desired to make speedy Payment to Messieurs John Campbell and John Inch, who are impowered to pay and receive, and give Receipts. MARY DOWNEY, Executrix.

Annapolis, August 15, 1750.

**T**AKEN up as a Runaway, and committed to my Custody, a Negro Man who says his Name is Dick, and that he belongs to William Hoare in Virginia.

His Master may have him, on paying Fees, from JOHN GASSAWAY, High Sheriff.

TO BE SOLD by Mr. FRANCIS CHEW, of Calvert County,

**F**OUR Tracts of good Arable Land, lying in the County aforesaid, near the head of Hall's Creek, convenient both to Patuxent River, and the Bay, adjoining to each other, Containing 615 Acres, whereon are two good Tobacco Houses and a Dwelling House; upwards of Three Hundred Acres of it Wood Land, and well Timber'd.

Any Person inclinable to Purchase, may be inform'd of the Title, and Terms of Sale, by applying to the said Chew.

TO BE SOLD, as Cheap as any where in Maryland, by WILLIAM SALISBURY, on the North Side of Severn,

**T**WO large Sconces, with Walnut Frames, edg'd with Gold; a Parcel of Hammers; Hatchets; Saws; Files; Raps; Binch Plains; Chissels; and all sorts of Tools used by Carpenters; Nails of all sorts; Locks with King Keys; Padlocks; Locks; Hinges; Thumb Latches with Brass knobs; plain Thumb Latches, &c. &c. And a great many other Things too tedious to mention, which may suit the Ladies.

TO BE SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,

Pursuant to the Will of Littleton Watters late of Calvert County, Shipwright, deceased, for ready Current Money or good Bills of Exchange, at his late Dwelling House in Lower Marlborough, on Friday the 14th Day of September next, at three o'Clock in the Afternoon.

**A**SLOOP now on the Stocks, and will be finished by that Time, together with an Anchor, Cable and other Cordage. The Sloop is thirty five Feet Keel, Fifteen and a half Beam, Seven and a half Depth of Hold, is built to carry Burthen and draw little Water; her Timbers chiefly Mulberry, and Treenails Locust, and as she was intended for a private Use is built very strong.

SARAH WATTERS, Executrix.

**O**NE Samuel Bennett, an Englishman, who once taught School in some Part of this Province, but in what County is not known, is enquired for; if he be living he may hear of something to his Advantage by applying to the Printer here of; and if he be dead, an Account of the Time and Place of his Death will be thankfully receiv'd.

P. S. Since the above Advertisement was first Printed, we have heard that Mr. Bennett lived for some Time in Calvert County, and taught School there, and that he removed from thence into St. Mary's County, or else into Virginia.

CHARLES BRYAN, SHOEMAKER, from London, At the House of Mr. John Anderson, Cabinet-Maker, in South-East Street, in Annapolis,

**M**AKES all Sorts of Boots, and Men and Women's Shoes and Slippers, in the best and neatest Manner, and at the cheapest Rates.

CHARLES WALLACE, STAYMAKER, HAVING lately Imported from London, a choice Parcel of the very best Whalebone, and every other Article for his Business, hereby gives Notice, That he can furnish Ladies or Others, with Stays as good as can be made in London, and at reasonable Rates, either for Paper Money, Gold, Sterling, or Bills: And having a Number of skilful Hands, those who want Stays, may be ready furnish'd by

Their humble Servant

CHARLES WALLACE.

JUST IMPORTED from LONDON,

And to be SOLD,

By DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME, at his Store over against the Church in Annapolis,

**G**REAT Variety of European and India Goods, at the lowest Prices, by Wholesale or Retail, either for Sterling, Gold, Paper Currency, or Tobacco.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber in Annapolis, on the 23d of July last, an indentured Servant Man, named John Guinn, by Trade a Carpenter and Joyner, about 20 Years of Age, of a middle Stature, pretty flow of Speech; and has several red Spots on the Backs of his Hands, supposed to be occasioned by Poison. He had on a blue Duroy Jacket with Metal Buttons, and without Sleeves, a grey Frock with flat Metal Buttons, a pair of Half thick blue Breeches, with flat Pewter Buttons, Olmabrigs Trowfers, a pair of Check Dittos, Thread Stockings, new shoes, and wears a dark-brown Wig.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to his Master, if taken in Maryland, shall have Three Pounds Reward; and if taken in any other Province, Five Pounds of the Currency where taken.

GAMALIEL BUTLER.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, That the Subscriber intends to leave this Province in a short Time; and desires all Persons who have any Claims or Demands on him, to bring in their Accounts that they may be paid: And all those who are any Ways Indebted to him, are desired to make Speedy Payment; Or else

JOHN FEARON.

To be Sold by Public Vendue on Thursday the 13th Day of September (being the first Thursday in the Provincial Court) at 3 of the Clock in the Afternoon.

**O**NE Messuage and Two Acres of Land, more or less, being and lying in Annapolis, now in the Occupation of Mr. George Atkinson.

The Sale to be on the Premises.

GEORGE and ARAMINTA CATTO.

**A**NY Person, who wants Public Tobacco, in any of the Counties, except Prince-George's and Frederick, may be supplied, by applying to the Subscriber, who sells the Tobacco, belonging to the Honourable Benjamin Young, Esq;

CHARLES CARROLL.




## M A R Y L A N D G A Z E T T E,

Containing the freshest Advices, Foreign and Domestic.

WEDNESDAY, September 19, 1750.

AS my Regard for the Public cannot be doubted by my constant Readers, for whose Use and Entertainment I have for so many Years ranfack'd my own and my Authors Brains, together with Writings both Ancient and Modern, Prints and Manuscripts; so it may easily be supposed, a Copy of the following charitable Proposal was received and is now Published by me with uncommon Satisfaction; as in my own Opinion, (which is always humbly submitted to that of the Public) it is a very good One, and deserves both Encouragement and Imitation.

A General PLAN or SCHEME, for Setting up and Supporting a CHARITY SCHOOL in the Parish of ST. PETER'S in Talbot County, for the Maintenance and Education of ORPHANS and other poor CHILDREN.

I.  H A T a Master, duly qualified, shall be procured from England, to be recommended and approved of by one of the religious SOCIETIES, who shall be obliged to teach so many poor Children as shall be determined by the TRUSTEES; and shall also instruct a certain Number of Negro Children, if thereunto required by the Trustees.

II. That besides the annual Subscriptions and casual Benefactions; Application be made to the Vestry, to appropriate the Money collected at the Offertory on Sacrament-Sundays to the Use of the said SCHOOL: And also that one or more Charity SERMONS be Preached every Year, and Collections made thereat, for the better Support of the said SCHOOL.

III. That the Number of poor Children, whether Boys or Girls, shall be determined by the Trustees, according to the Produce of the Benefactions: A smaller Number at first, which may be increased as it shall please God to increase the Abilities or Fund of the Trustees.

IV. That the POOR CHILDREN shall be taught to read, write, and account, and be instructed in the Knowledge and Practice of the Christian Religion, as professed and taught in the Church of ENGLAND; together with such other Things as are suitable to their Condition and Capacity: And be supplied, during their Continuance in the SCHOOL, with all Necessaries of Life proper to their State.

V. That to their Learning shall be added such Labour as they are capable of, that they may be inured to Industry, as well as trained up in the Principles of Piety and Virtue, at a Time when their tender Mind may be supposed the most susceptible of good Impressions, and least tinctured with the prevailing Indolence and Vices of the Country.

VI. That after such a Course of Exercise and Instruction as may be necessary, they shall be put out to Services or Apprenticeships, as may seem best to the Trustees, for the Credit of the Establishment, and the Good of the CHILDREN, as well as that of the Country in general.

VII. That if it shall please God so to bless the Endeavours of the Trustees as to enable them to set up some useful MANUFACTURE, they shall lay themselves out in that Way, and strive to make the Produce of the CHILDREN'S Labour contribute towards their Support or better Encouragement, as Circumstances may require.

VIII. That such Negro Children as shall be sent by Order of the Trustees to the said SCHOOL, shall be taught to read and write, and instructed in the Knowledge and Fear of the LORD gratis; but maintained at the Expence of their respective Owners.

RULES refer'd to in the following Subscription ROLL, relating to the Subscribers, Trustees, &c. for the Government and Support of the said SCHOOL; and for regulating other Matters concerning the Care and Management thereof.

I. That the present annual SUBSCRIPTION shall be deemed to commence from the Day of the Date of the Subscription-Roll, and the Payments to be made accordingly.

II. That at the End of each Year, any Subscriber may withdraw his or her Subscription for the Time to come, by signifying the same in Writing, under his or her Hand, to the Trustees and Treasurer for the Time being, three Months before the Expiration of the Year. — Where no such Notice is given, such Persons to be deemed Subscribers at the same Rate or Value for the following Year: And Payment to be made accordingly.

III. That there shall be a general MEETING of the Subscribers, on Saturday the 29th September, 1750, at the Parish Church of St. Peter's in Talbot County, at the Hour of XII: When Six Trustees and a Treasurer shall be chosen by the Majority of Subscribers then present, who with the Rest of the said Parish for the Time being, shall have the immediate Care and Government of the said SCHOOL, and shall report the State and Condition of the same at the Quarterly or other general Meetings of the said Subscribers.

IV. That no Person shall be qualified to be chosen a Trustee or Treasurer for the said Charity-SCHOOL, who does not at least subscribe Five Pounds Current Money of this Province per Annum, towards the Support of the said SCHOOL.

V. That at the first general Meeting of the Subscribers, on the 29th September, 1750, shall be settled the Times and Manner of the future general Meetings, and such other Regulations agreed upon, as shall be deemed the Standing RULES and ORDERS, for the Government and Management of the said Charity SCHOOL.

VI. That if there shou'd happen to be any Money in Stock, at the Entrance of the Treasurer upon his Office; or that there be a considerable Subscription to be received; the Treasurer shall give his Bond to Four or more of the Subscribers, to lay out the same as the Trustees shall Order. But more especially, that in Case of his Death, the Money so received and not expended, may be answered to the SCHOOL.

VII. That the Treasurer shall keep a fair Account of all Receipts and Disbursements, for the view of the Subscribers and others, who may desire to know how the Money is disposed of.

VIII. That the Treasurer shall bring in his Accounts once or oftner in a Year, if required, to be examined and audited by the Trustees, or Persons appointed for that Purpose.

IX. That on Easter Monday in each Year, there shall be chosen a Treasurer and Six Trustees, by the Majority of the Subscribers then present; nor shall any Treasurer or Trustee continue in his Office above one Year, unless re-elected by the Majority aforesaid.

X. That every Person subscribing Five Pounds Currency per Annum or upwards, shall have a Right to Name a CHILD to enjoy the Benefit of the SCHOOL, such CHILD appearing to the Trustees to be a fit Object for it. The largest Subscriber to have the first Nomination, and the rest in Order, according to the Value of their annual Subscriptions. Those of equal Value to cast Lots for their Choice or Nomination, and afterwards Children to be presented by them in their turns, as settled by the said Lot.

The Subscription-Roll.

Maryland, 14th July, 1750.

WHEREAS Prophaneness and Debauchery, Idleness and Immorality, are greatly owing to a gross Ignorance of the CHRISTIAN Religion;



Religion, especially among the poorer sort in this Province: And WHEREAS nothing is more likely to promote the Practice of Christianity and Virtue, than an early and pious Education of Youth:—And WHEREAS many Poor People are very desirous of having their Children taught, but are not able to afford them a Christian and useful Education:—We whose Names are underwritten, do hereby Promise and Agree, to pay yearly (during Pleasure) the several Sums of Money or Tobacco, over against our Names respectively Subscribed, for the setting up a Charity SCHOOL in the Parish of St. Peter's in Talbot County, for Maintaining and Teaching Poor Children to read, write, and account, and Instructing them in the Knowledge and Practice of the Christian Religion, as professed and taught in the Church of ENGLAND, and such other Things as are suitable to their Condition and Capacity, according to the General Plan and Rules hereto annexed.

DECREE in CHANCERY, relating to the Boundaries of PENNSYLVANIA and MARYLAND.

LORD CHANCELLOR.

Tuesday, May 15, 1750.

*Penn.* } *Car.* **D**ECLARE, That the Articles of Agreement of the 10th of May, 1732, are valid and obligatory upon the several Parties who executed the same, or the Indorments thereupon, and their Heirs and Assigns; and that the said Articles ought to be specifically executed and performed, by and between the said Parties respectively, notwithstanding that the several Periods of Time thereby limited, for doing and performing divers Matters and Things therein mentioned and agreed upon, are elapsed: But that the said Articles do not bind or prejudice any Prerogative, Property, Title or Interest of the Crown, in or to the Territories, Districts or Tracts of Land, comprised in the said Articles, or any Part thereof; nor any Estate, Right, Interest or Possession of any of the Planters, Proprietors, Tenants or Occupiers of any Lands or Tenements, within the said Territories, Districts or Tracts, of, in or to any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, lying within the same, which the Parties aforesaid had not a Right, or Power, by Virtue of the respective Charters or Grants under which they claim, to bind or conclude. Therefore Decree, That the said Articles of the 10th of May, 1732, and the several Matters and Things therein contained, be performed and carried into Execution, by and between the said Parties, and every of them; and to that End, let the Plaintiffs, *Thomas Penn*, and *Richard Penn*, the Father, in their own Right, and as standing in the Place of *John Penn*, deceased, and the Defendant, the Lord *Baltimore*, respectively, before the End of three Calendar Months from this Day, execute under their Hands and Seals, two several proper Instruments, appointing and authorizing proper Persons, not more than seven on each Side, with full Powers to the said seven Persons respectively, or any three or more of them, for the actual running, marking and laying out the Part of a Circle, and the several Lines in the said Articles mentioned: And such Commissioners are to give due Notice to each other, and to fix and agree upon a Time or Times, to begin and proceed in the running, marking and laying out the same: And let the same be begun, at the furthest, sometime in the Month of November next, and be proceeded in according to the said Articles: And let the said Lines be marked out by visible Stones, Posts, Trees, Pillars, Buildings, Land-marks, or other certain Boundaries, which may remain and continue: And let such Boundaries be marked on one Side with the Arms of the said Defendant, the Lord *Baltimore*, and on the other Side with the Arms of the Plaintiffs: And let such Lines be completely so run, marked and laid out, ~~on or before the last Day of April, 1752.~~ And when so done, let a true and exact Plan and Survey thereof, with the best, and most exact and certain Descriptions that can be given of the same, be made up, signed and sealed by the said Commissioners on both Sides, and by their Principals, and be entered in all the public Offices in the Provinces of Maryland and Pennsylvania, and the three Lower Counties of Newcastle, Kent, and Sussex: And let a true Copy of such respective Instruments, for appointing Commissioners, when prepared, be delivered by the Solicitor of the one Party, to the Solicitor of the other Party; and in case the Parties shall differ about such Instruments, or either of them, let the Master settle the same. And two Questions in particular, having been raised in America, by the Commissioners formerly appointed by the Defendant, the Lord *Baltimore*, and being now made in this Cause; viz. Where the Center of the Circle agreed by the

said Articles to be drawn about the Town of *Newcastle*, therein mentioned, ought to be fixed; and whether the said Circle ought to be of a Radius, or Semidiameter, of twelve Miles, or only of a Periphery of twelve Miles: And a third Question being also made in this Cause, viz. At what Place the Cape, called in the said Articles *Cape Henlopen*, is situated; Declare, That I am of Opinion, that, according to the true Intent and Construction of the said Articles, the Center of the said Circle ought to be fixed in the Middle of the Town of *Newcastle*, as near as the same can be computed; and that the said Circle ought to be of a Radius, or Semidiameter of twelve Miles; and that *Cape Henlopen* ought to be deemed and taken, to be situated at the Place where the same is laid down and described, in the Map or Plan annexed to the said Articles, to be situated: And therefore Decree, That the said Articles be carried into Execution accordingly. And after the said Limits and Boundaries shall be so set out and ascertained by the said Commissioners, let the Plaintiffs, *Thomas Penn*, and *Richard Penn*, the Father, in their own Right, and as standing in the Place of the said *John Penn*, deceased, and the Defendant, the Lord *Baltimore*, respectively, release and convey to each other, and their Heirs, their respective Rights, Titles, Interests, Power, Prerogatives, Claims, Demands and Pretensions, in or to the respective Territories, Districts and Lands, severally allotted to them, according to the tenth Article contained in the said Articles of Agreement, at the Costs and Charges of the Person or Persons, to whom such Release and Conveyance shall be made: And let the Master settle such Releases and Conveyances, if the Parties differ about the same; and let all proper Parties join in such Releases and Conveyances, as the Master shall direct. But this Decree is to be without Prejudice to any Prerogative, Power, Property, Title or Interest, of his Majesty, his Heirs and Successors, in or to the said Territories, Districts or Tracts of Land, or any Part thereof, and also to any Estate, Right, Interest or Possession, of any of the said Planters, Proprietors, Tenants or Occupiers of, in, or to, any Lands, Tenements or Hereditaments, lying within the same, which the Parties to the said Articles had not a Right or Power, by Virtue of the respective Charters or Grants, under which they claim to bind or conclude. And in case his Majesty, his Heirs or Successors, shall insist upon any Power, Title or Right whatsoever, either on Behalf of his Majesty, his Heirs or Successors, or of any of his or their Subjects residing in, or being possessed of, or interested in any Lands, Tenements or Hereditaments, lying within any of the said Territories, Districts or Tracts of Land, so as to hinder, obstruct or interrupt the effectual Execution or Performance of the said Articles, or any Part thereof, then, and in every such Case, let any of the Parties be at Liberty to apply to this Court from Time to Time, as they shall be advised; and reserve the Consideration of any further, or other Directions, to be given, as between the Plaintiffs and the Defendant, the Lord *Baltimore*, and the Defendants claiming under *William Penn*, Esq; deceased, upon any such Application. And let the Plaintiffs pay unto the Defendant, the Earl *Pealer*, his Costs of this Suit, to be taxed by the Master: And let the Defendant, the Lord *Baltimore*, pay unto the Plaintiffs their Costs of this Suit to this Time, to be taxed by the Master; and reserve the Consideration of the subsequent Costs, and of all further Directions, until the Time herein before limited for Performance of the said Articles shall be expired. And any of the Parties are to be at Liberty to resort to the Court, as they shall be Occasion.

#### A N N A P O L I S.

On Thursday last the Lady of his Excellency our Governor, was happily Deliver'd of a Daughter.

The same Day his Excellency in Council, was pleased to issue his Proclamation, proroguing the General Assembly of this Province (which stood prorogued to the 9th of October next) until Tuesday the 14th of May next.

We have certain Information, that on the 31st of last Month a Hoghead of Tobacco was brought to one of the Inspection Houses in *Queen Anne's* County, which weighed 1724 Pounds Neat, the Hoghead somewhat under the Gauge, and the Tobacco in good Order.

Monday last arrived here from *Biddford*, the Ship *Catbarint*, Capt *Marshall*, with 60 Convicts.

Capt. *Walter Smith*, in the *Newall*, is arrived in *Patuxent* from *Glasgow*, but last from *Hamburg*.

We had a vast deal of Rain on Sunday Night and Monday last, which we hear has done considerable Damage in many Parts of the Country, by overflowing Mill Dams, and carrying away Bridges, &c.



TO BE SOLD at the Subscriber's House in ANNAPOLIS,  
**G**OOD genuine Barbadoes Rum and Sugar, by the Hog-  
 shead, or in a smaller quantity; coarse and fine Salt,  
 Florence Oyl, and Sundry dry Goods.

WILLIAM ROBERTS.

N. B. The said Roberts has several Smiths, who do all  
 Sorts of Smith's Work, in the neatest Manner.

#### TO BE SOLD,

**T**HE Plantation, Negroes, and Stock of all Kinds, belong-  
 ing to William Hunt, Esq; Merchant in London. The  
 Land lies in Anne Arundel County between South River and  
 Kikenny Warehouses, about Four Miles Distance from each,  
 is commonly called and known by the Name of Rawlings's  
 Plantation, is a remarkable Soil for Producing fine Tobacco,  
 and contains near 1200 Acres, with an extraordinary good  
 Orchard, Twelve Tobacco Houses at least, a Dwelling-House  
 and other necessary Out Houses; there are Thirty Negroes,  
 young and old, with sundry Stock and Plantation Utensils  
 thereon.

Any Person or Persons inclinable to Purchase the whole,  
 may be shewn the Title by, or treat with, the Subscriber, as to  
 Price or Terms of Payment, at his House on the North Side  
 of Severn, or at Annapolis on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

VACHEL DENTON.

**S**TRAYED away from the Plantation of the Subscriber  
 near Upper Marlborough the beginning of April last, a  
 young Iron Grey Gelding, branded on one Buttock 33,  
 (join'd together, as the Subscriber thinks; but is uncertain)  
 and on the other Buttock with the Swivel of a Woman's Stir-  
 rup, and is supposed to be gone back near Ketawkin Creek in  
 Frederick County where he was bred.

Whoever takes him up and returns him to the Subscriber,  
 shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, paid by

SAMUEL MACRUDER.

#### FOUND, in the STREET,

**O**N Saturday last, a Cambrick Stock with a Silver Clasp;  
 which the Owner may have of the Printer hereof, paying  
 the Charge of this Advertisement.

Found likewise a Parcel of small Keys, tied together with  
 a blue String, which the Owner may have for calling for at  
 the Post Office.

#### TO BE SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,

On Saturday the 29th Day of this Instant September, at the  
 House of William Rogers, in Baltimore-Town.

**S**UNDRY Tracts of Land lying in Baltimore County,  
 Six, Seven, and Eight Miles from Baltimore Town, and  
 also a Parcel of Negroes.

HENRY MORGAN.

**R**AN away on the 10th of this Instant September, from the  
 Subscriber living at Patuxent Ferry, Maryland, the Two  
 following Irish Convict Servant Men; viz.

Lawrence McCarty, a middle siz'd Fellow, looks very thin  
 and pale, having lately had the Fever and Ague, and his Eyes  
 are somewhat sore; he had on when he went away two red  
 Jackets, blue Breeches (which he may probably wear under a  
 Pair of short Trowsers), blue Stockings, and old shoes; he  
 has short Hair, and generally wears a red mill'd Cap; his  
 Hat is bound round with Linnen: He is a palavering Fellow,  
 and has not much of the Irish Brogue.

Martin Lacy, a short well set Fellow full faced, much pit-  
 ted with the Small-Pox, is of a sandy Complexion, and very  
 talkative; he had on a red Jacket, a blue ditto without Sleeves,  
 short Sailors Trowsers, two Off-Brigs Shirts, one Holland  
 ditto much worn at the Wristsbands, an old Felt Hat done over  
 with Pitch, and old Shoes. They came in with Capt. Dobbins,  
 and have rowed in the Ferry Boats near 9 Months. 'Tis sup-  
 posed there are more in company; and that they went down  
 the River in a Canoe, which they stole from Vincent Dorsey,  
 in order to go on board some Ship, as they are both Seamen.

Whoever secures the said Servants so as their Master may  
 have them again, shall have Five Pounds Reward, including  
 what the Law allows, if taken on the Western Shore of Mary-  
 land; and if taken on the Eastern Shore, or in Virginia or  
 Pennsylvania, Ten Pounds, including as above; paid by

JOSHUA DORSEY.

TO BE SOLD, for good Bills of Exchange, or Paper  
 Currency,

**A**TRACT of Land, lying in Kent County, about a  
 Mile and a half from George-Town, called, *The first  
 Part of Free Gift*, containing 2000 Acres, well Timber'd,  
 and very good, conveniently situated for Trade or Public Bu-  
 siness.

Any Person inclinable to Purchase, may treat with Mr.  
 Benjamin Mackall, junior, who will attend at George Town,  
 on Tuesday the 23d Day of October next for that purpose.

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby  
 given, That there is at the Plantation of Robert Neeldball  
 in Anne Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, an old Grey  
 Horse, branded on the near Shoulder thus  $\cap$  he Faces flow  
 and breaks into a short Gallop.

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

#### TO BE SOLD,

By the Subscriber, at his Store in Annapolis,

**C**HOICE old West India Rum, at 2 s. 4 d. Sterling, or  
 4 s. Currenty, per Gallon, Ready Pay: Also Best New-  
 England Rum, at the cheapest Rates.

WILLIAM STEUART.

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby  
 given, That there is at the Plantation of John Carmack, in  
 Frederick County, the Two following Strays; viz.

A large Bay Mare, a natural Pacer, with one white Foot,  
 several Saddle Spots on her Back, and branded on the near  
 Shoulder C R, and on the near Buttock S, both brands not  
 very plain to be seen.

A Grey Mare full of black Spots, and has been Burnt for  
 the Fittula, branded on the near Shoulder and Cuff on W A,  
 and with a Blotch on both Buttock.

The Owner or Owners, may have them again, on proving  
 their Property, and paying Charges.

September 12, 1750.

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby  
 given, that there are in Baltimore County, at the Plantation  
 of Thomas Norris, the Five following Strays; viz.

A small Black Mare, with a bald Face, branded on the near  
 Buttock, S;

A small Dark Bay Horse, branded thus  $\circ\circ$  on the near  
 Buttock;

An old Black Mare, branded on the near Shoulder T B joi-  
 ned in one, and on the near Buttock I M;

A Dun Mare, branded on the off Buttock S H;

A Grey Mare, branded on the off Buttock, O, with two  
 Dashes across the O; and has a small Colt with her.

The Owners of the above Strays may have them again, by  
 proving their Property, and paying Charges.

September 4, 1750.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber at Bladensburg, a Con-  
 vict Servant Man, named Thomas Butler, born in Ireland,  
 he has been in the Country about three Years, and lately em-  
 ploy'd as a Carter, tho' he may pretend to be a Bricklayer  
 or Plasterer; he was in Rappahannock some Years ago as a  
 Sailor; he is middle siz'd, dark Complexion, and his Face  
 very much pitted with the Small Pox; he had on when he  
 went away, a Linnen Coat or Frock, Plaid Waistcoat, a Cot-  
 ton Jacket dyed, brown Linnen Shirts, Linnen Breeches, dark  
 Worsted Stockings, Country-made Shoes, Felt Hat, and a  
 Wig; he is very much given to Swearing and Drinking, his  
 Legs are sore or very lately cured, but are red on his Shin  
 Bones.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to his  
 Master, in Prince George's County in Maryland, shall have one  
 Pistole Reward, if taken out of the Province, besides what the  
 Law allows, and if taken at a greater Distance than Fifty  
 Miles Two Pistoles, and Twenty Shillings Currency if taken  
 in Maryland, besides what the Law allows, paid by

CHRISTOPHER LOWMEYER.

N. B. He has a Cutlafs with him, and it is supposed he  
 will endeavour to get on board some Man of War.



TO BE SOLD,

**A** TRACT of Land, called *Griffith's Park*, lying in Frederick County, between the Upper and Lower Falls of *Potomack River*, near the Mouth of *Capt. Johns's Creek*; containing, by Patent, 500 Acres. It is a Body of choice Land, and very conveniently situated. For Title and Terms of Sale, apply to

JANE THOMPSON, Executrix of  
*John Thompson*, late of Cecil County, deceased.

LATELY IMPORTED,

In the *DAVENPORT*, *Capt. CHARLES ALDEN* from LONDON,  
And to be SOLD

By the Subscriber, very Cheap, at his Store House in ANNAPOLIS,

**A** GREAT Variety of European and India Goods, by Wholesale or Retail, either for Current Money, Sterling or Tobacco.

JOHN BRICE.  
September 12, 1750.

**P**ROPOSALS for Printing by Subscription, a complete Body of the Laws of *Virginia*; with the Titles of all such Laws as have been from Time to Time Repealed. And, with useful Marginal Notes and References. To which will be added, An Exact Table to the whole.

CONDITIONS.

1. That it is supposed the Work will contain about 160 Sheets in Folio.
2. That the Book will be Printed on a beautiful Letter and Paper, of the same size as the last Edition.
3. That it will be neatly bound and lettered.
4. That the Subscribers Names will be prefixed to the Book.
5. That there will be no more Copies Printed, than are for the Use of the Public, and the Subscribers.
6. That the Price to Subscribers will be One Guinea, to be paid on Delivery of the said Book, so Printed and Bound.

The Work will be committed to the Press, as soon as the Subscriptions are collected, and Printed by WILLIAM HUNTER at Williamsburg. Subscriptions in this Province, are taken in by JONAS GREEN, at Annapolis, by whom they will be delivered, when finished, to the Subscribers here. Those Gentlemen who incline to Subscribe with him will have an Opportunity, no longer than the last of October, at which Time he will return his List of Subscribers to Mr. HUNTER.

WILLIAM RANDALL, SADDLER,

**W**ITHIN the Town Gate of *Annapolis*, next to the Widow *M'Leod's*, makes and mends all Sorts of Men and Womens Saddles, Saddle Bags and Portmanteaus; he likewise makes Harnesses for Chaises, or any Wheeling Carriage, Horse Collars, Mill Pads, &c. &c.

The said *William Randall*, having a good able Horse, will undertake Journeys, to any Part of the Province, with the utmost Expedition and Fidelity, to the full Satisfaction, of any Gentlemen, who are pleased to employ him.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the *DAVENPORT*, *Capt. ALDEN*, from London,  
And to be SOLD

By the Subscriber, at his Store in Annapolis,

**A** SORTABLE Parcel of European and East-India Goods, very Cheap, for Sterling, Current Money, or Tobacco.

September 4, 1750.

**W**HEREAS *Elizabeth Sellman*, the Wife of the Subscriber, living at *Elk Ridge* in *Anne Arundel County*, hath Eloped from her said Husband, and gone away with *William Freeman*; this is therefore to forewarn all Persons from Trusting her on my Account; for I will Pay no Debts of her contracting after this Date.

CHARLES SELLMAN.

N. B. She has taken away with her a great many of her Husband's Cloaths, and other Things, and a Scarlet Cloak which cost 2 Guineas.

TO BE SOLD,

**A** SLOOP of about 35 Tons Burthen, Deck'd, and well fitted with Rigging and Sails, Two good Anchors and Cables, and is a prime Sailer, and very fit for the Bay. Any Person wanting such a Vessel, may apply to

ROBERT SWAN.

TO BE SOLD,

**A** TRACT of Land, Containing 216 Acres, lying in Frederick County, and adjoining to Mr. *Samuel Thomas's*, called *Beall's Manor*, for Bills of Exchange, Sterling Cash, Paper Currency, or Tobacco. Any Person inclinable to purchase may treat with Mr. *Rignall Odell*, in *Prince George's County*, who will make the Purchaser an indisputable Title.

**O**NE *Samuel Bennett*, an Englishman, who once taught School in some Part of this Province, but in what County is not known, is enquired for; if he be living he may hear of something to his Advantage by applying to the Printer hereof; and if he be dead, an Account of the Time and Place of his Death will be thankfully receiv'd.

P. S. Since the above Advertisement was first Printed, one have heard that Mr. *Bennett* lived for some Time in *Calvert County*, and taught School there, and that he removed from thence into *St. Mary's County*, or else into *Virginia*.

CHARLES BRYAN, SHOEMAKER, from London,  
At the House of Mr. *John Anderson*, Cabinet-Maker, in South-East Street, in Annapolis,

**M**AKES all Sorts of Boots, and Men and Womens Shoes and Slippers, in the best and neatest Manner, and at the cheapest Rates.

CHARLES WALLACE, STAYMAKER,

**H**AVING lately Imported from London, a choice Parcel of the very best Whalebone, and every other Article for his Business, hereby gives Notice, That he can furnish Ladies or Others, with Stays as good as can be made in London, and at reasonable Rates, either for Paper Money, Gold, Sterling, or Bills: And having a Number of skilful Hands, those who want Stays, may be readily furnish'd by

Their humble Servant

CHARLES WALLACE.

JUST IMPORTED from LONDON,

And to be SOLD,

By DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME, at his Store over against the Church in Annapolis,

**G**REAT Variety of European and India Goods, at the lowest Prices, by Wholesale or Retail, either for Sterling, Gold, Paper Currency, or Tobacco.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber in Annapolis, on the 2d of July last, an indentured Servant Man, named *John Guinn*, by Trade a Carpenter and Joyner, about 20 Years of Age, of a middle Stature, pretty slow of Speech; and has several red Spots on the Backs of his Hands, supposed to be occasioned by Poison. He had on a blue Duroy Jacket with Metal Buttons, and without Sleeves, a grey Frock with flat Metal Buttons, a pair of Half thick blue Breeches, with flat Pewter Buttons, Osnabrigs Trowsers, a pair of Check Dime, Thread Stockings, new Shoes, and wears a dark-brown Wig.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to his Master, if taken in Maryland, shall have Three Pounds Reward; and if taken in any other Province, Five Pounds of the Currency where taken.

GAMALIEL BUTLER.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, That the Subscriber intends to leave this Province in a short Time; and desires all Persons who have any Claims or Demands on him, to bring in their Accounts that they may be paid: And all those who are any Ways Indebted to him, are desired to make Speedy Payment; Or else

JOHN FEARON.

ANNAPOLIS: Printed by JONAS GREEN, Post-Master, at his PRINTING-OFFICE in Charles-Street; where Advertisements are taken in, and all Persons may be supplied with this Paper.



# THE MARYLAND GAZETTE

Containing the freshest Advices, Foreign and Domestic.

WEDNESDAY, September 26, 1750.

STOCKHOLM, May 27.

HERE arrived yesterday two extraordinary couriers, one from Versailles, and the other from Berlin, with dispatches of very great importance, as we gather from the holding of a council of state immediately; but nothing transpires of any resolutions taken therein. All we know is, that this morning an express was dispatched to Baron Rosen, who commands in Finland. Affairs continue as they did between us and the court of Petersburg, notwithstanding which, our military and naval preparations go on with the utmost vigour, and two regiments of infantry, and one of horse, have actually received orders to encamp in the neighbourhood of this city.

May 29. Notwithstanding all matters in Finland seem perfectly quiet and easy; yet several engineers and other experienced officers have been sent to the Baron de Rose, governor general of that province, in order to be employed by him in such particular services as he shall judge most proper.

Petersburg, May 19. Letters have been received here from Gilham, a province in Persia, which mention a new revolution in that kingdom; alleging, that Ibrahim Schah having had the misfortune to lose a battle, had fallen into the hands of his enemies, who had caused his eyes to be put out, and had elected a new Schah in his room. These letters add, that the different factions in that empire, which were continually waging war with each other, had almost ruined several of their finest provinces.

Hanover, June 5. A council of state was lately held at Herenhausen, which lasted three hours, and immediately after it was over, couriers were dispatched to several courts. It appears, that the most perfect harmony reigns among the foreign ministers resident here. The marquis de Valori is well received at court, and a general opinion prevails, that all disputes in the North will be amicably compromised.

Hague, June 9. By a ship which arrived last Saturday from Surinam, we are informed, that the insurrection of the Negroes was quite suppressed by a company of burghers, headed by their captain, who, after coming up with the rebels, had killed some, and taken several prisoners, who were carried to Pyramibo, and there executed publicly; the few remaining were so dispersed about the woods, that it was thought they must perish through want. The letters received on this occasion, attribute the revolt to the tyranny of mons. Thomas, the man whose plantation was destroyed, and himself and his family murdered by a Negro slave, whose wife mons. Thomas had taken away, and who, in order to gratify his revenge, engaged all the other slaves, who were discontented with their masters, to join with him in his attempt. Notwithstanding this news, the troops destined for that place are to be shipped off in a few days, and the officers who are to command them, have received orders to repair immediately to Naerden, where they are now assembled.

Naples, May 18. O. S. By a French ship which arrived here, a few days ago from the Levant, we hear that the Bashaw of Rhodes is still kept a close prisoner at Malta, and that it is yet uncertain what will be his fate.

Leghorn, May 21. O. S. We have advice from Algiers, that the affair of the English packet boat the Prince Frederick has been reconsidered, and the ship and effects condemn'd as a lawful prize. An eighth part was adjudged to the Dey.

Leghorn, May 23. O. S. We hear that a corsair has taken several vessels upon the coast of Sardinia, among which was a Genoese ship with a very rich cargo. We also hear that above 600 vessels are employ'd in those seas in fishing for coral, under the protection of some Neapolitan chebecks.

Madrid, May 22. O. S. The court has sent divers orders to Carthagena and other ports, for the frigates and other arm'd vessels to go out, and cruise upon the Barbary coasts, as is supposed. The ships that have sailed from Cadix and Ferrol cruise along the coasts from Galicia to the Straights, in order to secure the Squadron of admiral Spinola (which is expected hence in about a fortnight) from the insults of those pyrates.

Turin, May 22. O. S. Last Thursday the king and the duke of Savoy set out, in order to meet the duchess of Oulx. The duke went from thence to Sezane, upon the summit of Mount Genevre, where he had the first interview with his royal spouse. From thence they came together to Oulx, where the king received them, and cardinal de Lances gave them the nuptial blessing; and tomorrow their royal highnesses will make their public entry into this city. The rejoicings upon this occasion are very great. The ministers from France, Spain, and Naples, have had the character of ambassadors conferred upon them; and 'tis thought the imperial minister will be invested with the same upon account of this marriage.

Warsaw, May 26. O. S. It has been resolved to make the Vistula more navigable; a work which will cost about 11000 ducats, one half of which is already collected.

The 22d inst. a courier was sent to Petersburg with some important dispatches relating to the election of a duke of Courland.

Vienna, May 30. O. S. The affair of the election of the king of the Romans takes a very good turn, as we are assured; most of the electors appearing disposed to give their votes for the arch duke Joseph. The affair of the investitures is also taking a very good turn; for besides the arrival of Baron Meuzing, who is charged to receive the investiture of the dominions of the margrave of Anspach, we are assured that several other princes will speedily follow that example.

A scheme has been presented to the empress for obliging the clergy all over the hereditary countries to pay their quota in the taxes and other public charges. This scheme has been referred to the council, in order to consider of the means to put it in execution.

Frankfurt, May 30. O. S. Tho' the people of Alsace have obtain'd that the imposition of the twentieth penny should be reduced one half in their favour, they express great discontent at being put on the same footing with the other subjects of France in respect to the public burthens, pretending that regard ought to be had to their antient rights and privileges. But what affects them most sensibly is the impost on tobacco, which has occasioned that branch of commerce, which gave bread to some thousands, to be entirely dropt. Letters from Lombardy advise, that public prayers are put up in that country, particularly at Milan, to obtain a cessation of the excessive rains, which threaten the destruction of the fruits of the Earth.

Brussels, June 2. Upon advice of the diligence used in repairing the fortifications of Mons, the French have given orders for repairing and augmenting those of Landreci, Mezeires, and Charleroi. What was said of Tournay being entirely dismantled, is evidently false; it is only ruin'd. The French did not touch the other fortifications, unless it was during the siege.

Ratisbon, June 3. O. S. According to Letters from Munich, the elector of Bavaria, at the repeated instances of his subjects, has issued an edict for abridging all proceedings at law in his dominions.

Aix-la-Chapelle, June 5. O. S. The affairs of the empire which are of themselves sufficiently embroil'd, are likely to be put into more confusion by means of different interests in matters of religion, the discussion of which may perhaps be attended



ed with some bad consequences. The resolution lately taken by the evangelick body in the affair of Hohenloe, makes well disposed people under some concern for the public tranquillity. The point in question does not consist merely of scholastick disputations, proceedings in the aulick council, and representations to the head of the empire, but troops are to be sent, and justice obtain'd by force of arms. The protestant director of the circle of Franconia is order'd to put things in the condition the protestants would wish to have them; and if he cannot accomplish it by gentle methods, he is to have recourse to arms. At the same time the strongest assurances are given him, that if any catholic prince should oppose him in it, all the protestant electors and princes will send a body of troops to support him. We are very impatient to know how the imperial court will look upon this resolution, and whether the measures which the emperor, as head of the empire, will take to prevent the impending storm, will meet with the wish'd for success.

*Paris, June 8. O. S.* Last Saturday the king went a hunting wild boar, and killed one with his own hands of a magnificent size.

It is currently reported, that the clergy will not be made to pay the tweneli penny, in the same manner the rest of the king's subjects do, i. e. by giving an exact account of their revenues, but by way of free gift, which is to be much larger than any made to his majesty at their former meetings.

*Utrecht, June 11. O. S.* By Letters from Paris we hear, that a courier is gone from thence to Stockholm, another to Copenhagen, and a third to Warsaw, with dispatches relating to the affairs of the North. The decision of those affairs now depends on the resolution which the empress of Russia may take, in consequence of the declaration made to her minister at Berlin, which is the same in substance as that which M. de Wahrondorff is to make to the Russian ministry, as soon as he can obtain a public audience. Computing the time in which the above declaration may have reached Petersburg, we reckon to hear in about a fortnight, how it is relished by the Russian court, and whether this season will pass over without war in the North.

Letters from Rochelle and Rochfort inform us, that the villages in the neighbourhood of those two sea ports, are sadly pestered by prodigious numbers of wolves, which co abundance of mischief, notwithstanding all the pains taken by the inhabitants to destroy them.

*Edinburgh, May 29.* His majesty has been pleased to grant to Simon Frazer, Esq; eldest lawful son of the deceased Simon late lord Lovat, a full and free pardon of remission on account of his accession to the late unnatural rebellion.

*Bristol, May 5.* By letters from Tortola, one of the Virgin islands belonging to Great-Britain, there is advice, that on account of the unhealthy Northerly winds that have blown there for a considerable time, a great sickness had seized almost all the islands, and carried off many people; particularly at Tortola all the physicians and surgeons were down with the distemper, being a fever, but not that of the yellow kipd; so that many persons from the several islands were gone to Santa Cruz, a fine island belonging to the king of Denmark, some to escape the disease, and others for recovery. At the same time divers English families from the British settlements in the West Indies were removing to Santa Cruz with their effects having purchased lands for raising sugar, &c. This island (which formerly belong'd to the British crown) being flat, and pretty free from woods, affords a healthy and pleasant situation, and upon this account, as well as for the mild government and goodness of the land, so many English families are already settled there, that 'tis computed they make up two-thirds of the inhabitants.

#### L O N D O N.

*May 23.* William Duncalf, now a prisoner in the New Goal, Southwark, charged with being concerned with James Cooper in the robbery and murder of Robert Saxby, near Croyden in Surrey, having a mortification in one of his feet, it was thought proper, by the advice of several eminent surgeons, in order to preserve him, if possible, for public justice, to cut off his leg a little below the knee, which operation was performed yesterday. A very extraordinary and melancholy discovery has been made by these unhappy wretches of a robbery they committed upon William Jackson of Addington, a farmer, in a lane called Addiscomb lane, near Croydon in Surrey, on Saturday the 12th of February 1749; for which fact John Shelton and Charles Kellett, two farriers, were indicted,

arraigned and tried at the last assizes held at Guilford, for the said county: The prosecutor swearing positively to John Shelton, he received sentence of death, and was executed for the same. They express great remorse on that account, and declare if they had known that the poor innocent man had been under that dilemma, they would have done the utmost in their power to have convinced the prosecutor, that they themselves committed that fact. *Pity it is that mankind were not more cautious in swearing, where life is concerned; for it is a very just maxim, that it is better that ninety nine guilty persons should escape, than that one innocent person should suffer.*

*Extract of a Letter from Stockholm, June 18. N. S.* "This morning an express arrived from Petersburg, upon which an extraordinary council was immediately called, and the king and the prince successor attended at it. A few hours after, a courier was dispatched to Paris, and another to Berlin. We hear, that at the same time orders were sent to admiral Taube, and the other principal sea officers, to suspend provisionally the furlows they had granted to part of the sailors. And as there is certain advice, that the Russian fleet has sailed from Cronstadt, it is very probable that ours, which has been ready for some time past, will not stay much longer in harbour, as it is necessary it should be out to observe the motions of the Russian fleet."

*Extract of a Letter from Petersburg, June 27. N. S.* "Within these few days the court has received divers expresses from Vienna, Berlin, and Hanover, and the great chancellor, count Bestucheff, has been in close conference with the British minister on the contents of their dispatches. It begins to appear Sweden and her allies will not easily be brought to our terms; so that if we are forced into a rupture, the best card we can play, is to endeavour to kindle a civil war in that kingdom, under colour of preserving their liberties."

*July 5.* The hon. the East India company have received advice, that the Resolution Grabb, a ship of war in the company's service, that usually conveys the trading ships from one port to another in the Indies, is taken by Angria the pirate, after a smart engagement.

*B O S T O N, August 20.* Wednesday last, about one o'clock in the afternoon, there was a sudden shower of rain, with high wind, thunder and lightning, when the barn of Mr. James Richards of Dedham, of about 43 feet in length, and 30 in breadth, will filled with hay, rye and barley, and a good number of farmers utensils in it, was struck with the lightning, and consumed, with almost every thing in it: The loss to the sufferer is very considerable.

We hear from Halifax, that Capt. Foster was arrived there from England, and has brought with him 150 recruits for governor Cornwallis's regiment.

About a week ago a sloop arrived here from Philadelphia, with about 40 Palatines, who we hear are going to settle in the eastern parts of this province.

And a few days ago Capt. Day arrived here from Ireland. He brought out 186 people, not one of whom died on the passage. He put into Halifax, where he disposed of twenty odd servants, the rest, being passengers, intend to settle in this province, to whom we wish all possible success and encouragement.

*Extract of a Letter from Cadiz, dated July 9.* "We would not advise you, or any of your friends, to have any concern in grain, for there is so great a glut of wheat and barley here now from all parts, your people find great difficulty in disposing of it, and we see no prospect of its being better, as there are vessels coming in daily with fresh supplies; and for want of buyers on board, people are landing their grain in order to be retail'd out of the warehouses for the most it will yield, for the markets up the Streights give no encouragement to make a trial of them."

By a gentleman just come in from Cadiz we are told, that there were 250 vessels with grain in that harbour when he left the place.

*New-London, in Connecticut, August 15, 1750.* Yesterday arrived here from Barbadoes, the sloop Ranger, Nathanael Lewis, master, who hath deposed, That on the 24th of July ult. he went from Barbadoes intending for Turck Island.----That on the 26th he fell in with a ship, which he judg'd to be 250 Tons, clean bottom, well arm'd, and mann'd by appearance with 2 or 300 men, the ship brought Lewis within musquet shot, hail'd him, inquir'd who he was, from whence



whence he came, and where bound; and were answered properly. On which the ship fired a whole volley of small arms into the sloop, kill'd the man at the helm dead on the spot. Lewis finding himself in a bad scrape, and loth to fall into the hands of so piratical a crew, run up his sails, and attempted an escape, soon got the heels of the ship, and received no other damage, though the ship continued the fire till beyond cannon reach.

#### ANNAPOLIS.

Sunday last, the *Thames-Frigate*, Capt. James Dobbins, who loaded in *Patapsco*, sailed from hence for London; with whom went Passengers, Mr. JOHN STEWART, of London; Merchant, Mr. CHARLES HAMMOND, of this Place, Merchant, and Others.

We hear that the Rev. Dr. SPENCER will begin his LECTURES, on Tuesday next at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon.

Custom House, ANNAPOLIS, Entered,  
Snow Catharine, Peter Marshall, from Barnstable.

Cleared for Departure,

Schooner Peggy, William Davis, for Virginia;  
Ship Betsey, James Hall, for London;  
Ship Thames, James Dobbins, for London;  
Ship Peggy and Nancy, Isaac Johns, for London.

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By BEALE BORDLEY, opposite to where Mr. Swan lately kept Store, in ANNAPOLIS.

**A** CHOICE Parcel of Winter Goods, as Broad Cloths in Patterns and Pieces with suitable Trimmings, Kerseys, Hall thicks, Duffells, Fear-nothings, Swanskin, Scarlet Flannel, Embos'd Serge, fine German Serges, Druggets, Welch Cotton, Shalloons, Tammiere, Callamancoes, Damasks, Floretts, Silk and Worsted Camblets, striped Ditto, Womens scarlet and blue short Cloaks, Cumberland Shades; as also fine, coarse and stout Osnabrigs, best brown Rolls, Garlix, Dowlas, Cotton and Linnen Checks, Bag Hollands, brown Hollands, Princes Linnens, Russia Drab, Cotton Hollands, Cotton Gowns, fine white Callico, superfine Seersucker, German Quilten, figured Demity, white Buckram, Topfells, Bed Bunts, Bed Cords, best Temple Spectacles, Gauging Rods, Parchment, and a choice Parcel of fine Scotch Threads; Stationary, Haberdashery, Cutlary, Ridouts, best Men's turn'd Shoes and London Falls sold cheap, Stockings, Gloves, Beaver, Castor and Felt Hats, sets of Shoemaker's Tools, Powder, Shot, Lead, Coffee, best large Hair-Sifters, Punch Ditto, Milk Strainers, large Hair Brooms, and many other Things too tedious to particularize.

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Mr. Stephen Bordley of Kent County, taken up as a Stray; a small dark Bay Gelding, branded on the right Buttock with the Letters TB join'd together.

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

**TO BE SOLD** by the Subscriber's at Baltimore Town, A LARGE Assortment of European and India Goods, by Wholesale, on very reasonable Terms, for either Bills of Exchange, Paper Currency, or Gold.

JOHN and CHRISTOPHER CARNAN.

August 21, 1750.

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Robert Scott, in Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray; a low well-set dark Bay Horse, with a small white spot in his Forehead, three white Feet, his Mane hangs all on the near Side, and branded on the rear Buttock with a Flower de Luce.

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

##### TO BE SOLD,

**T**HE Plantation, Negroes, and Stock of all Kinds, belonging to William Hunt, Esq; Merchant in London. The Land lies in Anne-Arundel County between South River and Kilkenny Warehouses, about Four Miles Distance from each, is commonly called and known by the Name of Rawlings's Plantation, is a remarkable Soil for Producing fine Tobacco, and contains near 1200 Acres, with an extraordinary good Orchard, Twelve Tobacco Houses at least, a Dwelling-House and other necessary Out-Houses; there are Thirty Negroes, young and old, with sundry Stock and Plantation Utensils thereon.

Any Person or Persons inclinable to Purchase the whole, may be shewn the Title by, or treat with, the Subscriber, as to Price or Terms of Payment, at his House on the North Side of Severn, or at Annapolis on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

VACHEL DENTON.

**S**TRAYED away from the Plantation of the Subscriber near Upper-Marlborough the beginning of April last; a young Iron-Grey Gelding, branded on one Buttock TB. (join'd together, as the Subscriber thinks, but is uncertain) and on the other Buttock with the Swivel of a Woman's Stirrup, and is supposed to be gone back near Ketawkin Creek in Frederick County where he was bred.

Whoever takes him up and returns him to the Subscriber, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, paid by

SAMUEL MACRUDER.

##### TO BE SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,

On Saturday the 29th Day of this Instant September, at the House of William Rogers, in Baltimore-Town.

**S**UNDRY Tracts of Land lying in Baltimore County, Six, Seven, and Eight Miles from Baltimore Town, and also a Parcel of Negroes.

HENRY MORGAN.

**R**AN away on the 10th of this Instant September, from the Subscriber living at Patapsco Ferry, Maryland, the Two following Irish Convict Servant Men; viz.

Lawrence McCarty, a middle siz'd Fellow, looks very thin and pale, having lately had the Fever and Ague, and his Eyes are somewhat sore; he had on when he went away two red Jackets, blue Breeches (which he may probably wear under a Pair of short Trowsers), blue Stockings, and old Shoes; he has short Hair, and generally wears a red mill'd Cap; his Hat is bound round with Linnen: He is a palavering Fellow, and has not much of the Irish Brogue.

Martin Lacy, a short well set Fellow full faced, much pitted with the Small-Pox, is of a sandy Complexion, and very talkative; he had on a red Jacket, a blue ditto without Sleeves, short Sailors Trowsers, two Osnabrigs Shirts, one Holland ditto much worn at the Wristsbands, an old Felt Hat done over with Pitch, and old Shoes. They came in with Capt. Dobbins, and have rowed in the Ferry-Boats near 9 Months. 'Tis supposed there are more in company; and that they went down the River in a Canoe, which they stole from Vincent Dorsey, in order to go on board some Ship, as they are both Seamen.

Whoever secures the said Servants so as their Master may have them again, shall have Five Pounds Reward, including what the Law allows, if taken on the Western Shore of Maryland; and if taken on the Eastern Shore, or in Virginia or Pennsylvania, Ten Pounds, including as above; paid by


JOSHUA DORSEY.



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**A** TRACT of Land, lying in Kent County, about a Mile and a half from George-Town, called, *The first Part of Free Gift*, containing 2000 Acres, well Timber'd, and very good, conveniently situated for Trade or Public Business.

Any Person inclinable to Purchase, may treat with Mr. Benjamin Mutchall, junior, who will attend at George-Town, on Tuesday the 23d Day of October next for that purpose.

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Robert Neeldall in Anne-Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, an old Grey Horse, branded on the near Shoulder thus  he Paces slow and breaks into a short Gallop.

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

TO BE SOLD,


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WILLIAM STEUART.

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, that there are in Baltimore-County, at the Plantation of Thomas Norris, the Five following Strays; viz.

A small Black Mare, with a bald Face, branded on the near Buttock, S;

A small Dark Bay Horse, branded thus  on the near Buttock;

An old Black Mare, branded on the near Shoulder T B joined in one, and on the near Buttock I M;

A Dun Mare, branded on the off Buttock S H;

A Grey Mare, branded on the off Buttock, O, with two Dashes across the O; and has a small Colt with her.

The Owners of the above Strays may have them again, by proving their Property, and paying Charges.

September 4, 1750.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber at Bladenburg, a Convict Servant Man, named Thomas Butler, born in Ireland, he has been in the Country about three Years, and lately employ'd as a Carter, tho' he may pretend to be a Bricklayer or Plasterer; he was in Rappahannock some Years ago as a Sailor; he is middle siz'd, dark Complexion, and his Face very much pitted with the Small-Pox; he had on when he went away, a Linnen Coat or Freck, Plaid Waistcoat, a Cotton Jacket dyed, brown Linnen Shirts, Linnen Breeches, dark Worsted Stockings, Country-made Shoes, Felt Hat, and a Wig; he is very much given to Swearing and Drinking, his Legs are sore or very lately cured, but are red on his Shin Bones.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to his Master, in Prince George's County in Maryland, shall have one Pistole Reward, if taken out of the Province, besides what the Law allows, and if taken at a greater Distance than Fifty Miles Two Pistoles, and Twenty Shillings Currency if taken in Maryland, besides what the Law allows, paid by

CHRISTOPHER LOWMEYER.

N. B. He has a Cutlafs with him, and it is supposed he will endeavour to get on board some Man of War.

TO BE SOLD,

**A** TRACT of Land, called Griffith's Park, lying in Frederick County, between the Upper and Lower Falls of Potomack River, near the Mouth of Capt. John's Creek; containing, by Patent, 500 Acres. It is a Body of choice Land, and very conveniently situated. For Title and Terms of Sale, apply to

JANE THOMPSON, Executrix of John Thompson, late of Cecil County, deceased.

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September 12, 1750.

WILLIAM RANDALL, SADDLER,

**W**ITHIN the Town-Gate of Annapolis, next to the Widow M'Leod's, makes and mends all Sorts of Men and Womens Saddles, Saddle Bags and Portmanteaus; he likewise makes Harnesses for-Chaises, or any Wheeling Carriage, Horse Collars, Mill Pads, &c. &c.

The said William Randall, having a good able Horse, will undertake Journeys, to any Part of the Province, with the utmost Expedition and Fidelity, to the full Satisfaction, of any Gentlemen, who are pleased to employ him.

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LANCELOT JACQUES

September 4, 1750.

**W**HEREAS Elizabeth Sellman, the Wife of the Subscriber, living at Elk Ridge in Anne Arundel County, hath Eloped from her said Husband, and gone away with William Freeman; this is therefore to forewarn all Persons from Trusting her on my Account; for I will Pay no Debts of her contracting after this Date.

CHARLES SELLMAN.

N. B. She has taken away with her a great many of her Husband's Cloaths, and other Things, and a Scarlet Cloak which cost 2 Guineas.

TO BE SOLD,

**A** TRACT of Land, Containing 216 Acres, lying in Frederick County; and adjoining to Mr. Samuel Thomas's, called Beall's Manor, for Bills of Exchange, Sterling Cash, Paper Currency, or Tobacco. Any Person inclinable to purchase may treat with Mr. Rignall Odell, in Prince George's County, who will make the Purchaser an indisputable Title.

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Their humble Servant

CHARLES WALLACE.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, That the Subscriber intends to leave this Province in a short Time; and desires all Persons who have any Claims or Demands on him, to bring in their Accounts that they may be paid: And all those who are any Ways Indebted to him, are desired to make Speedy Payment; Or else

JOHN FEARON.