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

*Containing the freshest Advices, Foreign and Domestic.*

WEDNESDAY, November 6, 1751.

P A R I S. July 16.

Report is just spread, that one of our India Company's Ships is arrived at Port L'Orient, and has brought Advice, that the Indians on the Coast of Coromandel having rejected the Terms of Peace that had been offered them, the French at Pondicherry had renewed Hostilities against them, and defeated them in divers Rencontres, &c. a Confirmation of which is daily expected.

*Lagbarn, July 8.* The Corsican Malecontents, perceiving that the French Troops were making Preparations to quit their Island, have had several private Conferences, in which they framed a pathetic Manifesto, setting forth the Motives of their Conduct, and that they are determined to establish a free Government, consisting of a Senate and two Consuls, who are also to act as Generals of their Forces; these are Signior Cafforio, and Signior Ornano; which looks as if the Troubles in that Island would not be very quickly over.

*Paris, July 17.* M. Guymont, who was some Time Minister Plenipotentiary at Genoa, is set out for divers Courts of Germany, in order to execute private Commissions from his Most Christian Majesty, relative to the Election of a King of the Romans, which they expect will ere long be taken in Hand seriously. A great Council has been lately held at Compiègne, on Matters of great Importance, at which the Dauphin was present, since which the Inspectors of the Army have received Orders to make Draughts from the Militia, to complete the Regiments of Infantry.

*Madrid, July 6.* They write from Cadiz, that three English Ships have been hired there, by Order of the Court, to transport Troops and Ammunition to America. The last Letters from Peru advise, that their Tranquility is not only perfectly restored, but that the late Conspiracy has been in some Measure of Service, the Court having been by that Means enabled to break certain destructive Schemes, which were about to be put in Execution. Engineers will soon be sent to repair the fortified Places upon the Sea Coasts of that Kingdom; and there is a Talk of building at the same Time a Fortress in the Island of Juan Fernandez.

*Petersburg, July 9.* The Empress has sent fresh Orders to her new Minister at the Ottoman Porte, to make Complaint to the Grand Vizir of the Irruptions lately made by the Crime Tartars on the Frontiers of the Ukraine.

*Venice, July 17.* The last Letters from Constantinople mention a bloody Battle said to have happen'd in the Neighbourhood of Isaphan, between two of the principal Competitors for the Throne of Persia, and in which above 30000 Men were kill'd upon the Spot: We don't yet know the exact Particulars of this Affair; these Letters only advise, that it is the Schach which most of the Persians had acknowledged as Sophi, who gain'd the Victory. It is looked upon as a complete one, and the other Schach was wounded in the Engagement, tho' he had the good Fortune to escape with the small Remains of his Army.

*Amsterdam, July 30.* The last Ships arrived from the East-Indies, bring very remarkable News concerning the Situation of Affairs between the French and Indians: Among other Things, we hear, that on the 3d of January last, the French had concluded a Peace with the Nation distinguish'd by the Name of Marattes: That the Nabob, with whom they were at War, had been killed by one of his Nephews, who was afterwards proclaimed in his Stead: That the latter, to denote his Gratitude to the French from whom he had received many Services, had brought over to their Interest the Nations border-

ing on Pondicherry, and the Coast of Coromandel, amounting together to upwards of thirty thousand Men! That the new Nabob had declared Mr. Dupleix, who commands at Pondicherry, Generalissimo in those Quarters, and got him acknowledged in that Quality by the Indian Nations: That the other Nabobs by whom they are commanded, and of whom the abovementioned is the Chief, had taken the Oaths to Mr. Dupleix: And that the principal Nabob had not confined his Acknowledgements to the Favours already related, but had conferred on Mr. Dupleix the Government of two Places, where the French privately enjoy the Privilege and Advantage of loading and unloading their Merchandize, &c.

*Madrid, August 3.* We learn from Cadiz, that four Ships, freighted by the Court, and on board of which some Troops were embark'd, were sail'd from that Port for America, under Convoy of two Men of War.

*Bastia, August 3.* The Deputies of the several Communities of this Island having assembled themselves at San Fiorenzo, pursuant to Letters of Convocation sent them for that Purpose, the Chevalier de Chauvelin, and the Marquis de Carzay, communicated to them a new Regulation for establishing the Tranquility of this Kingdom. The Deputies represented, that some of the Articles would be liable to Objections, but at the same Time engaged to acquaint their Communities with the Regulation, and to do all that lay in their Power to support it.

*Petersburg, August 1.* It appears by the last Account of the Russian Troops sent to Court, that there are actually 200,000 effective Men ready to take the Field, whenever there shall be Occasion for them; of which Troops there are 160,000 Foot, and the rest Horse, exclusive of Calmucks, Cossacks, and Militia.

*Copenhagen, August 14.* The Dey of Algiers has wrote a Letter to the King, wherein he gives his Majesty the strongest Assurances of his Disposition to continue in Peace with the Kingdom of Denmark, adding, that all the Reports to the contrary can only be propagated by ill disposed Persons.

*From the Gentleman's Magazine, for June 1751.*

MR. URBAN,

THAT remarkable Instance of Divine Vengeance mentioned in your Magazine for April, and Mr. Gifford's Letter in your last, have induced me to send you an Account of the Death of a prophane, common Swearer; which, it is hoped, will deter others from that foolish and detestable Vice. The Truth of what I am going to relate, is very well attested; but as mentioning the Person's Name will not answer any good Purpose, I shall for other Reasons conceal it.

Monday, May 13, 1751, a young Man about five Miles from hence, having poured out some new coined Oaths, and terrible Imprecations upon another Occasion, said, *he would be d--n'd, if he did not cut the first Cabbage in C—* (the Parish where he lived) for which he was reproved by a Person that stood by, who told him, *that it might please God that he might die before it was fit to cut*; to whom he replied, *for all G— or the D—, I'll be d--n'd, if I don't cut and eat the first Cabbage in C—*; but the Day after he was taken sick, and died the Sunday following.

What amazing Agonies must such a poor Creature undergo, at the Prospect of approaching Death, which opened his Eyes and compelled him to have recourse to Prayer; to implore that Being, whom he had before defied, and to desire the Assistance of others to intercede for Mercy, where he had often called for Vengeance.

For such Trifles as the abovementioned, and upon such contingent Events, every common Swearer is too apt to pawn his Soul,



Soul, and to imprecate that Damnation upon himself, which lingereth not. For tho' there may be wise and good Reasons, why God should defer the Punishment due to Sin, yet it is agreeable both to infinite Wisdom and Goodness, for the Vindication of Providence, and the Honour of his Name, to make Examples of some Sinners here, that others may be admonished; lest Men should begin to think that there is no God, or no God that regards what is done upon Earth.

But setting aside the Implety of common Swearing, the Folly of it, one would think, should be sufficient to prevent a Practice to which there appears to be no Inducement.

*Rockester, June 7, 1751.*

*Yours, &c.*

T. H.

St. JOHN'S in ANTIGUA, September 13.

On Sunday the 8th Instant, we had the most violent Hurricane that has been known here, in the Memory of the oldest Man living, which began at N. W. between 6 and 7 a Clock in the Evening, and continued to blow, (shifting gradually a Point or two to the Southward of East) with the most shocking Impetuosity, till four a Clock in the Morning. The Damage sustained in Town is very great, but trifling, compared to the Losses they have received in all Parts of the Country.

The Sloop Hannah, Samuel Noldred, Master, belonging to Piscataqua, and bound to this Island, founder'd on Sunday Morning last, 60 Leagues to Windward of the Island, having two of his Men washed over board. He and his People were taken up next Day, by Capt. Ellwell, in the Schooner Phillis, from Cape Anne, who arrived here Yesterday. It is remarkable, that Capt. Noldred had the Storm near 24 Hours sooner than us, for the Height of the Gale, he says, was between 12 a Clock on Saturday Night and two in the Morning.

A List of Vessels put ashore, &c. in the Harbour of St. JOHN'S, the 8th of September, 1751. viz.

Ship Albert, Capt. Everard, of London, got off; Ship John and William, Capt. Chambers, of London, got off; Snow Kingston, Capt. Hubbard, of Maryland, will be got off; Snow ——— Capt. Hyder, of New-York, lost; Brig Friendship, Capt. Barret, of London, got off; Brig Knowles, Capt. Place, of Antigua, lost; Brig Neptune, Capt. German, of Antigua, founder'd; Brig Greyhound, Capt. Houston, of Boston, will get off; Schooner Polly, Capt. M'Alister, of New-York, got off; Schooner Catharine, Capt. Lindsay, of Antigua, lost; Schooner Turner, Capt. Cookson, of Antigua, got off; Sloop Hope, Capt. Lee, of Wilmington, got off; Sloop Charming Molly, Capt. Donovan, of Tortola, will get off; Sloop Speedwell, Capt. Dedman, of Salem, will get off; Sloop Rachel, Capt. Douglas, of Antigua, will get off; Sloop Barbuda Packet, Capt. Harry, of Barbuda, got off; Sloop Prudent Mary, Capt. Hudson, of Antigua, lost; Sloop ——— Capt. Bamister, of Antigua, got off; Sloop Parcel, Capt. Brookes, of Antigua, will get off; Sloop Anne, Capt. Green, of Antigua, will get off; Sloop Elizabeth, Capt. Chapman, of Montserrat, got off; Sloop Elizabeth, Capt. Richardson, of Bermuda, will get off; two Shallops, of Montserrat, will get off.

As also Twenty-two Shallops, and two Mast Boats put ashore, and three Hulks, most of which will be got off.

Capt. Lee, in the Triton, to London, ashore at Parham, but will be got off. The Sloop ———, Jackson, and two Sloops belonging to Major Vickery, ashore, and will also be got off.

The Brig William, Capt. Lewis, from New London, at Willoughby Bay, is lost.

A Sloop belonging to St. Eustatia, drove ashore at Green Island, the People supposed to be lost.

A Sloop founder'd off the Old Road, and 7 or 8 dead Bodies drove ashore. A Sloop belonging to Major Hamilton, and a Shallop belonging to Mr. Nanton, lost.

The Glasgow and Shark Men of War, were both ashore at English Harbour, but are got off.

Capt. Bedford, who arrived Yesterday from Barbadoes, informs us, that he had the Gale of Wind off Martinico, but not with so much Severity as to hinder him to carry Sail; and a Vessel arrived from Boston, which was three Degrees to the Northward of this Island when the Storm happened, had it also moderately.

September 20. A Gentleman from St. Kitts, who left that on Monday Afternoon, informs us, that the violent Hurricane, which we had here on the 8th Instant, was likewise felt there with great Severity. The Town of Basseterre, has received but little Damage, the Wind when at the greatest Height,

blowing from the North; but in the Country their Houses Mills and Works, are in general very much damaged, and at several Estates entirely blown down; their Mountain Plantations (which is quite the Reverse of what has happened in this Island) have suffered the least. About 25 Vessels drove out to Sea when the Gale began, and only two of them returned on Monday last. Five Shallops were drove ashore, and beat to Pieces.

At Nevis they have shared much the same Fate with their Neighbours at St. Kitts, in their Mills, Works, Houses, &c. The Vessels that were in the Road, likewise put to Sea.

And by the Accounts from Montserrat, they must have received much more Damage in Proportion to their Works, than any of the Islands in this Government; there being, as it is said, but two Mills that have escaped, the almost general Devastation, in the whole Island. One Vessel had returned on Saturday last, out of five that put to Sea.

## ANNAPOLIS.

On Friday last Thomas Bavin was executed at the Gallows, just without the City Gate, for breaking into the House of Mr. Charles Cole, of this Place, Merchant, on the Night of the 2d of July last, and binding him in his Bed, while his Accomplice waited without to keep watch. He was a likely young Man, who had had a pretty good Education, and was a very ingenious Mechanic, who might have been very useful to himself and the Community, had he but bent his Mind to Honesty; but for some Fault committed in England, he was transported into this Province, where instead of reforming, he committed sundry Crimes, before this last for which he suffer'd. After he was cast for his Life, he applied himself to reading good Books, and was visited in Prison by several Divines to assist him in the work of Preparation. As he rode to the Gallows, he scarce ever once look'd round him, but kept reading all the Way, and when he came there he prayed with seeming Fervour, in Terms well adapted to his Situation, for near half an Hour, when he stood up and spoke to the Spectators, advising them to take Warning by his untimely and shameful End, and to lead quiet and peaceable Lives; and after recommending his Soul to the Divine Mercy, he was turn'd off into that State where we must leave him.

TO BE SOLD at the House of Richard Smith, near Fig-Point, in Anne-Arundel County, on Thursday the 21st of this Instant November,

SOME valuable Negroes, Horses, Cattle, Sheep; good Feather Beds, Variety of Household Furniture, and other Things too tedious to mention, for Money, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco, and Time given for Payment, if desired, on Security.

STEPHEN WEST, junior.

N. B. If Thursday should be a bad Day, the Sale will be on the next fair Day.

## JUST IMPORTED,

And to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store in ANNAPOLIS,

BARBADOES Rum, Muscovado Sugar, Vidonia Wine, Lisbon Lemons, Castile Soap in Boxes, Chocolate, English Soal Leather, Cables and Cordage of all Sizes, Anchors and Ship Chandlery, with Variety of European and India Goods, by Wholesale and Retail, for Money, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco; at the lowest Prices. STEPHEN WEST, junior.

BROKE loose from a Schooner at the Mouth of South River, A Boat about 10 Feet Keel, very narrow, deep, and strong built: She drove ashore about 2 Miles above the lower End of Kent-Island. Whoever brings the said Boat to Annapolis, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward.

NEXT Wednesday, the 13th Instant, at XII o'Clock at Noon, will be Sold to the highest Bidders, at the House of Mr. Soumain in Annapolis, Two likely Slaves, both Country born, one of them is a likely young Fellow, strong and healthy, about 21 Years of Age, used to Plantation Business. The other just turn'd of 30, strong and healthy, can plow, sow, and mow, and do Carpenter's Work when laid out: For Bills of Exchange, or Paper Currency.



WHEREAS the Subscriber has disposed of all his Estate, both real and personal, to pay his just Debts, and several are still unpaid, for which he has been this eight Months in the Custody of the Sheriff of Frederick County; and altho' he has often applied to his Creditors for his Enlargement, they will not release him: This is to give Notice, that he intends to Petition the next Assembly for Relief.

NATHANIEL BEALL, senior.

#### JUST PUBLISHED,

(Containing 24 Pages in Folio, very necessary to be known by all Dealers in Tobacco)

THE Act of Parliament, passed the last Session at Westminster, Entitled, *An Act for the more effectual securing the Duties upon Tobacco.* To be Sold by the Printer hereof, Price 2/6d.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in Annapolis, on the 10th October, a Mulatto Man, named *Jamies Anderson*, a tall lusty Fellow, talks good English, and is a Carpenter and Sawyer by Trade. He had on when he went away, a blue Pea Jacket, Cotton Waistcoat and Breeches, good Shoes and Stockings, and his Hair when on, pretty grey. Whoever takes up the said Mulatto, and brings him to his Master, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

WILLIAM ROBERTS.

N. B. I should be very much obliged to any Person, who would be so kind as to inform me, by Letter or otherwise, which Way the said Mulatto is gone.

TO BE SOLD, at Public Vendue, to the highest Bidder,

A LOT containing one Acre, lying in Fairfax County, Virginia, upon Great Hunting Creek, at a Place commonly known by the Name of *Cameron*, within two Miles of Potomack River, convenient to two Landings upon the said Creek, in the Center of four very public Roads, leading up and down the Country, and exceeding well situated for Trade, upon which is a Dwelling-House 26 Feet square, commodious, and neatly finish'd off, with a Cellar, the same Dimensions of a Brick Wall, 7 Feet deep, a Kitchen 24 Feet long and 18 wide, a Store House 24 Feet square, in which is a Counting Room 12 Feet by 16, with a Division in the back Part, 24 Feet by 8, Brick Chimneys to the Whole, and Weather boarded with Plank, a Garden 144 Feet square, with all convenient Out-houses, and the Whole paved in after the best Manner. The Purchaser to pay one Third of the Value in six Months, and the remaining two Thirds, at two annual Payments, after first giving Bond and good Security.

To be Sold likewise, Three Tracts of Land, one containing 575 Acres, lying within half a Mile of the said Buildings, very well timber'd, and good Ground sufficient to work several Hands.

One containing 256 Acres, lying within two Miles and a Half of the said Buildings, upon which is a Plantation, with a good Dwelling House, Tobacco House, and other Out-houses, paying yearly Rent, 630 Pounds of Tobacco, and no Lease granted.

The other containing 275 Acres, well timber'd, and lying within five Miles of the said Buildings.

To be Sold also, A Lot in *Belhaven*, very convenient to a Landing, upon which is a Warehouse, 36 Feet long and 24 wide, 4 Divisions below, 2 Grainaries above, and a Cellar the Dimensions of the House, of a Stone Wall, 7 Feet deep, a Room join'd to the Warehouse 12 Feet square, lath'd and plaster'd, with a Brick Chimney.

Twelve Months Credit will be given the Purchaser of the four last, on giving Bond and good Security; and the Sale of the Whole, to be on Tuesday the 10th of December next, at the Subscriber's Dwelling House in *Cameron*.

JOHN PAGAN.

#### TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC VENDUE,

At the House of the Subscriber, living near Herring-Bay, on Saturday the 16th of November,

A SLOOP completely rigg'd, which will carry twenty Hogheads of Tobacco, and is a very good Sailor.

GEORGE CHOCKE.

ON the 20th of July last, was committed into the Custody of the Subscriber as a Runaway, a tall thin Negro Man, who speaks very little English; but as far as I can understand him, his Name is *Glasgow*, and belongs to one *James Brown*, a Merchant. Whoever owns the said Negro, on making his Property appear, paying the Charge of this Advertisement, and the Fees by Law established, may have him by applying to

JOHN HANCOCK, Sheriff of Charles County.

ON Tuesday the 12th Day of November next, will be exposed to public Sale, at the late Dwelling Plantation of *Jerom Plummer*, deceased, the Lease of 65 Acres of Land, Part of his Lordship's Manor, on which stands a very good Water Mill, in good Repair, well supplied with Water at all Seasons of the Year, and in a good Neighbourhood for Employment.

Also, The Lease of 114 Acres of Land, Part of his Lordship's Manor, well improved and very good Land, a considerable Part of which is Wood Land.

Likewise, A choice Parcel of Negroes, Men, Women, and Children; Stock, Household Furniture, and sundry other Things, by

MARY PLUMMER,  
SAMUEL GALLOWAY.

#### TO BE SOLD,

PART of a Tract of Land called *Clagget's Forest*, and other Lands adjoining thereto, lying near the Head of Bush River in Baltimore County, containing about Thirteen Hundred Acres.

Also, A Tract of Land lying in the said County, near the Branches of Deer Creek, called *Bond's Gratiuity*, containing Four Hundred Acres.

Any Person inclinable to purchase may know the Terms, by applying to

PHILIP THOMAS.

TO BE SOLD by Public Vendue, at November Court in Frederick County, the three following Tracts of Land, which belonged to Meredith Davis, late of Prince George's County, deceased; viz.

ONE Tract called *Meredith Hunting Quarter*, containing 498 Acres, situate at the Mouth of *Monocacy* convenient to the Ferry, whereon is a good Dwelling House, 24 Feet square, and other convenient Houses.

One other Tract, called *The Meredith*, containing 200 and odd Acres, lying on *Seneca*, whereon is a Dwelling House, a new 48 Feet Tobacco House, and other convenient Houses.

Also, A Tract, called *The Welsh Tract*, lying on the North Side of *Monocacy*, containing 100 Acres.

MEREDITH DAVIS.

October 30, 1751.

STOPPED, supposed to be stolen, A large Silver Spur. The Owner describing the same, and paying the Charge of this Advertisement, may have it again, by applying to the Printer hereof.

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Mr. *Joseph Ward*, in Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray, a small Sorrel Mare, having no discernable Brand, a Blaze in her Face, a hanging Mane, one of her hind Feet white, and is not dockt.

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

#### JUST IMPORTED,

In the *NANCY*, Capt. HENDERSON, from LONDON, And to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store opposite 18 Church, in ANNAPOIS.

GREAT Variety of European and East-India GOODS, proper for the Winter Season, by Wholesale or Retail, at the lowest Prices, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit.

DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME.

LIKEWISE,

West-India Rum, Arrack, London Porter, White Wine V. negar, Claret Water, Castile Soap, Muscovado Sugar, &c.



IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Thomas Fowler* Son of *Daniel*, at the Head of *South River*, taken up as a Stray, a light Bay Horse, about 14 Hands high, branded blindly on the off Buttock RB, and has a large white Spot on each Side of his Neck.

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

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Mr. James Isham*, near *Joppa*, in *Baltimore County*, taken up as a Stray, a Dark Bay Horse, which paces and trots, and is branded on the near Buttock with a Mark much like this  $\oplus$  the stroke going a little above the circular Line.

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

AS there may be some Books now in the Library of the late Rev. Mr. HENDERSON, which have been borrowed from his Friends, it is desired they will give Notice to the Subscribers what Books they are, that they may be reserv'd for them.

And all Persons who have any Books belonging to the said Mr. HENDERSON, it is hoped will send them as soon as possible to the Printer of this Paper, or to the Subscribers.

MARY HENDERSON, } Executors.  
ROBERT TYLER, junior. }

RAN away from the Subscriber, living at *Elk-Ridge*, on the 12th of this Instant *October*, the three following Negroes; viz. A Man, named *Cuffee*; a Woman, named *Rachel*; and a Girl, named *Sue*: They have Variety of wearing Apparel; and are supposed to be gone towards *West-River*.

Whoever takes up the said Negroes, and delivers them to the Subscriber, shall have Four Pounds Reward, paid by

ADAM SHIPLEY.

JAMES STEVENS, Taylor, (Son of JOHN STEVENS, Chandler and Grocer) lately come to *Maryland*, has an Uncle in this Country, one Mr. William Gray, who came from *Fotheringhay* in *England* some Years ago: Now this is to request the said Gray, if living, to let his said Nephew know in what Part of *Maryland* he lives, by a Line directed to the Printer of this Paper, for he has something of Consequence to communicate to him.

IF DAVID CUNINGHAME second Son to Sir JOHN CUNINGHAME of *Robertland* in *Scotland*, who came from thence to *Virginia* or *Maryland* about 22 Years ago, is alive, he may be informed of something to his Advantage, by applying to Mr. Robert Peter, Merchant in *Bladenburg*, or to Mr. William Cuninghame, Merchant, at the Falls of *Rappahannock River*, in *Virginia*.

#### TO BE SOLD,

By the Subscriber, at his Store in *ANNAPOLIS*, by Wholesale or Retail,

SUNDRY Sorts of European Goods, *Barbadoes* and *Antigua* Rum, *Muscavado* Sugar, *Linseed Oil*, *London* and *Bristol* Crown Glass, 12 by 10, 11 by 9, 10 by 8, and 6 by 4 Inches square; also Diamond Glass; for Cash or Bills of Exchange, Tobacco, Corn, Wheat, Oats, Beans, Barley, Pork, Beef, Bees Wax, good Pine or Oak Plank, or Cypress Shingles.

PATRICK CEEACH.

#### TO BE SOLD,

By the Subscriber in *ANNAPOLIS*,

BARBADOES Rum by the Hoghead, and *Muscavado* Sugar by the Barrel, or smaller Quantity; also fresh Lemons and Limes, by the Barrel or Hundred.

WILLIAM REYNOLDS.

N. B. The said *Reynolds* has two Eight Day Clocks in good Repair, which he would dispose of reasonably.

*Bladenburg, October 6, 1751.*

THE Subscriber intending for *England*, in the Spring requests all Persons indebted to *Andrew Reid*, Esq; of *London*, Merchant; to Messieurs *Reid* and *Stewart*; or to Messieurs *Stewart* and *Armour*, Merchants in *London*; or to himself; to come and discharge their Debts, else they must not take it amiss, if Suits are brought for the same, without further Notice.

DAVID ROSS.

STOLEN or Strayed from *Baltimore-Town*, about four Months ago, a Dark Bay Horse, about 14 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock ED, on an old Brand supposed to be II; he trots fast. Whoever brings the said Horse to the Subscriber at *Annapolis*, shall have a Pistole Reward. He was bred at *Connococheague*, the Back of *Monacoffy*.

EDWARD DORSEY.

CAPTAIN JOHN RENDELL, of *Baltimore Town*, designing to leave the Province this Fall, hereby gives Notice thereof, that if any Persons have any Claim or Demands on him, they may bring them in and they shall be Paid: And those who are indebted to him are desired to make speedy Payment, to prevent Trouble.

*October 3, 1751.*

THIS Day was committed to my Custody a young Man, who says his Name is *John Anderson*, and passe for Sailor: He had a large Pair of Pot Hooks about his Neck, is about 18 Years of Age, and says he sailed with Capt. *Johnson*, who has a Vessel now lying at *Hampton* in *Virginia*. Whoever will prove his Property to the said Fellow, and pay the Charges, may have him again from

BARTHOLOMEW ENNALLS,  
Sheriff of *Dorchester County*.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Justices of *Prince George's County*, will meet at *Upper-Marlborough Town*, at the Court-House, in the County aforesaid, on Friday the 29th Day of *November* next, to treat with such Persons, who shall then offer to undertake Building a Public Prison for the said County, agreeable to the Act of Assembly, in that Case, late made and provided.

Signed per Order,  
JOSEPH SIM, Clerk of the  
said County Court.

ALL Persons indebted to the Printer hereof, for more than one Year's Gazette (and more especially those who owe for four or five Years) and those otherways indebted to him, are desired to comply with the Apostle *Paul's* Injunction in his Epistle to the *Romans*, Chap. xiii, V. 7. *Render—* in all their Dues,—which will greatly oblige him [their humble Servant] and enable him to comply with the same great Apostle's Injunction in the next Verse, *Owe no Man any Thing, but to love one another.*

THE Subscriber intending for *London* early next Shipping, all Persons indebted to him are desired speedily to make Payment or settle their Accounts. Attendance will be given every Day at Mr. *Wiss's* Store in *Annapolis*.

JAMES DICE

#### TO BE SOLD by the Subscriber,

THE following Tracts of Land, lying in *Frederick County*, viz:

One Tract, called *Friendship*, containing 400 Acres.  
One Tract, called *Gordon's Purchase*, containing 150 Acres.  
One Tract, called *Exchange*, containing 700 Acres.

Also a Lease for three Lives of a Tract of Land, called *Fountain Rock Marsh*, containing 500 Acres, being Part of his Lordship's Manor, lying in the said County, paying a yearly Quit-Rent of Fifty Shillings Sterling.

Any Person or Persons inclining to Purchase, may be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale, by applying to the Subscriber.

JAMES DICE.



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# MARYLAND GAZETTE,

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WEDNESDAY, November 13, 1751.

## HAMBURG, August 3.

✱✱✱✱ We learn, by the last Letters from Petersburg, that, in Conformity to the Orders of the Empress, an Ordinance has been published there, renewing that of the 11th of May, 1744, which forbids, under very severe Penalties, the carrying of any Gold or Silver, or any Species of Russian Money, out of any Part belonging to that Empire.

Frankfort, August 5. The Prussian Officers continue to raise a great Number of Recruits in the Neighbourhood of this City; and they are often sending them away for their respective Regiments.

Madrid, July 10. The Report of Mr. Keene's leaving this Court, is entirely without so much as any seeming Foundation: His personal Qualities, have long since gained him the Esteem and Countenance of their Majesties, and the great Officers; and his ministerial Abilities, cannot but secure him in an Employment, which he has executed with such Fidelity and Success. Possibly he is the only Man, by his long Experience in our Affairs, who could bring the Negotiation now depending to an Issue, which may prove of equal Satisfaction to the commercial Class of both Nations.

Warsaw, July 20. We have the Pleasure to hear from the Frontiers, that the Activity of the Detachments from the Crown Army, against the Heydamacks, many of whom they put to the Sword, have in a great Measure suppressed the Incursions of those Ravagers.

Madrid, July 27. One of the Points actually discussing between Mr. Keene and our Ministry, is the Right or Privilege claimed by the English, to cut Logwood in the Bay of Campeachy. The British Ambassador seems to expect that this Article will be allowed in the new Treaty; but our Court is rather inclined to look upon it as an Abuse, and that it is unreasonable to plead Prescription for it. However, it is still hoped, that some Temperament will be found to adjust this Point, especially as there are other Articles of greater Importance, which must be previously settled.

*Extract of a Letter from Paris, dated August 2.*

"The Affair concerning the Persecution of the Protestants in Languedoc, Dauphny, and some other Provinces, begins to be looked upon very seriously, especially as it forces so great a Number of People to go out of the Kingdom, and settle in foreign Countries, which must necessarily cause a great Prejudice to the Provinces, where this Persecution prevails, which will soon, in a great Measure, be deprived of Inhabitants. The Court takes this Affair the more to Heart, as there are a great Number of Manufacturers in these Provinces, who cannot go on with their Business for want of Workmen; the Court has therefore sent Orders to treat the reform'd Inhabitants of those Provinces, with less Rigour. It is the Marquis de Puyfieux, who has been so bold as to inform the King, of the Violences that have been made use of towards his Protestant Subjects, in divers Places of the Kingdom, and of the fatal Consequences of such Violences, which was no less than the forcing of many Families, to retire into the Territories of the King of Prussia, and other Protestant Princes of Germany, where they were received with open Arms. The King with his usual Goodness, answer'd, *But I never order'd that. My Desire is, That these People shall not be ill treated; so long as they continue faithful to me, do their Duty, and content themselves with worshipping God their own Way, in their own Families, without acting against Ordinances.* It is the Archbishop of Paris, and the old Bishop of Mucpoix, who have, for some Months past, renewed these Persecutions, and against which several Intendants have wrote

to Court, in order to shew the Injury that the Kingdom at present receives, and will in future receive, from them, especially in respect to Commerce. This Transaction of M. de Puyfieux, has done him a great deal of Honour. — *This seems to be a manifest Contradiction to the King's late Ordinances, which did forbid both private and public Exercise of the Protestant Religion; for if worshipping God in their own Way, in their own Families, be not private Worship, it is hard to say what falls under this Denomination; since there are no public Houses, or Places of Worship, allowed them in France.*"

## L O N D O N.

July 31. On the 19th ult. about Noon, a Fire broke out at Stockholm, in the Church of St. Clare in the Norder Malm, and consumed that fine Building and several Houses; about an Hour after, another Fire happened in the Suder Malm, which did much Damage; and at Nine in the Evening a Brewer's House took Fire and was consumed with several adjacent Houses. On the 21st another Fire broke out in the Market in the Suburb of Ladugariland, and next Day another in the same District near the Packers Market: by these Fires 1000 Houses have been reduced to Ashes. The Populace have since been very insolent and affronting to Foreigners whom they suspected, and particularly to the Russian Minister, which obliged the King to give an Order for restraining such Outrages, under Pain of Death; several suspected Incendiaries have been seized, but their Process is not yet published.

The Charter of the Prussian East India Company, lately established at Embden has just appear'd, whereby his Majesty grants the Company, 1. An Exemption from all Duties for 20 Years. 2. The Liberty of employing in their Service as many Ships as they please. 3. Of renewing their Charter at the Expiration thereof, preferable to any other trading Body whatever. 4. Assures them of his powerful Protection at all Events. 5. Gives them an absolute independent Authority in the Government of their own Affairs both by Sea and Land. 6. Authorizes them to punish their Officers and Servants capitally without Appeal. 7. Permits them to raise Soldiers and Sailors in East Friseland and the Dutchy of Cleves, to defend their Settlements, and man their Ships, without Limitation. 8. Empowers them to claim and demand Deserters or Delinquents from the civil Magistrates, who are obliged to deliver them up, in whatever Part of the Prussian Dominions, without Expence. 9. 10. Protects all the Goods, Ships, Persons, Magazines, &c. belonging to the Company from any Violation from the King's Officers, and all others, in Case of War. 11. Allows them a great and little Seal for their Dispatches. 12. Assures them of being included in all Treaties made by his Majesty with high Powers. 13. Permits them to make Treaties in his Majesty's Name, with Indian Princes, for the Extension of their Trade. 14. Exempts from Duty all Materials imported for fitting out their Ships. 15. Forbids all Officers and Magistrates, throughout Prussia, from stopping Goods belonging to the Company. 16. Permits them to lay up whatever warlike Stores they think proper, and to import and export Gold and Silver coin'd or uncoin'd without Limitation or Duty. 17. Assigns them a complete East-India House, without Charge. 18. Allows them to employ Artizans of all Kinds in their Service at Embden tho' not Freeman of that City. 19. Permits the Nobility to engage in this Company without Impeachment of Honour. 20. Ensures in the strongest Manner the Capital and Dividends of Foreigners, notwithstanding any War with their respective Sovereigns. 21. Regulates the Qualifications of Directors, &c. who must be all able, experienced, and reputable Merchants. 22. Appoints the Directors, &c. for the present Year. 23. Permits



Permits the Company to apply personally to his Majesty, when they have any Matter to propose for their Security, Improvement, or Profit.——This Company, encouraged by these important and unprecedented Privileges, have already raised Subscriptions sufficient for equipping and loading two Ships, which are this Season to sail from Embden for the Port of Canton in China.

*August 17.* By a Letter from Donaghadee, in the North of Ireland, we have the following melancholy Account, viz. that on the first of this Month, at 10 o'Clock in the Morning, about a League to the Southward of the Copeland Isles, a large Ship, called the Duke of Cumberland, of Whitehaven, Joseph Bowman Master, bound for Virginia, with Bale Goods, took Fire, and about 12 o'Clock blew up; twenty-one Sailors and Passengers, took to the Yawl, in the utmost Distress, with only one Oar, and the Sea running very high, they must inevitably have perished, if they had not been seen by the King's Barge, who gave them Assistance, and brought them all safe into Donaghadee, together with some of the Bale Goods which they took up floating, and lodged in his Majesty's Stores. The Ship sunk immediately after the Gun-Powder took Fire.

HALIFAX, in NOVA-SCOTIA, *Sept. 28.*

A few Days ago arrived here the Torrington Man of War of 40 Guns, Capt. Hutchinson, and a Snow and large Ship with Palatines from Rotterdam, which two last make up four Vessels with Settlers this Year. Also Capt. Craigie with Recruits and Stores for the Garrison. We have now five Men of War here, viz. The Gosport, Commodore Pye, and Torrington, of 40 Guns each, the Centaur of 20 Guns (which is soon to sail for her Station at New-York) and the Albany and Trial Sloops, of 14 Guns each.

NEW-YORK, *October 21.*

Capt. Duncan, who arrived here last Week from Ireland, but last from Newcastle on Delaware, on the 16th of September last, in Lat. 38, 29, Long. 69, took up the Crew of the Brigantine Endeavour, Capt. William Vass, of London, bound from Massa in Italy, for Winyaw in South-Carolina; which Vessel was overfet on the 8th of September, in a very violent Gale of Wind, and no Probability of her ever righting; the Captain and Crew next Day took to their Boat, being eight in Number, in which they continued eight Days, when they were happily met with by Capt. Duncan, as above, and carried into Newcastle.

*October 28.* On Thursday last our Supreme Court ended here, at which a Negro Man lately belonging to Mr. Charles Beckman, was tried, and convicted, for two Burglaries; one for breaking open the House of John Peterson, the other, the House of Isaac Deits, and taking from thence sundry Goods: He received Sentence of Death to be executed on Friday next.

The same Day arrived here his Majesty's Ship Centaur, Capt. Cosby, Commander, from Halifax, in Nova-Scotia; now our Station Ship, who is since gone up to Turtle Bay for the Winter.

ANNAPOLIS.

On Friday last came on the Election for Representatives in Baltimore County, at Joppa, when the following Gentlemen were chosen by a considerable Majority, viz. Mr. William Gowans, Capt. Thomas Franklin, Mr. Lloyd Buchanan, and Major Charles Ridgely.

On Monday last at the Election in and for this City, Robert Gordon, Esq; and Mr. Walter Dulany, were unanimously elected.

The same Day at Upper-Marlborough, in Prince George's County, Col. Edward Sprigg, Mr. Turner Wootton, Capt. John Addison, and Mr. William Murdock, were elected to represent that County.

Custom-House, ANNAPOLIS, *Entered since September 25.*

Sloop William, John Ingham, from Virginia;  
Brigantine Endeavour, John Jones, from Barbadoes;  
Schooner Speedwell, Joseph Larey, from Boston;  
Schooner Polly, John Dial, from Virginia;  
Schooner Wilcox, Joseph Berry, from Virginia;  
Brigantine Abington, James Mudie, from Virginia;  
Sloop Nancy, Francis Malbon, from Virginia;  
Sloop Industry, John Strup, from Virginia.

*Cleared for Departure.*

Schooner Charming Polly, William Smith, for Madeira;  
Sloop Hopewell, Sweetman Burn, for Antigua;

Ship Peggy and Nancy, Isaac Johns, for London;  
Sloop Bohemia, Jonathan Hodgson, for Antigua;  
Ship Happy Jennett, Joseph Richardson, for London;  
Ship Thistle, Hugh Coulter, for Glasgow;  
Brigantine Sophia, William Kenay, for Biddeford;  
Sloop William, John Ingham, for Virginia;  
Ship Biddeford, Richard Williams, for Bristol;  
Sloop Endeavour, Levi Willard, for Boston;  
Sloop Martha, Elijah Stoddard, for Boston;  
Schooner Polly, John Dial, for Virginia;  
Ship Triton, Thomas Askew, for London;  
Ship Neptune, Oliver Noyes, for London;  
Ship Molly, Nicholas Coxen, for London;  
Sloop Nancy, Thomas Price, for Virginia.

To the FREEMEN of the Province of Maryland.

Oh LIBERTY! Oh SLAVERY!  
How Lovely the one, how Despicable the other!

LIBERTY, is the undeniable Birthright of every Free-born Subject of the British Dominions; yet such is the depraved Condition of Mankind in this our degenerate Age, that the Sound of Liberty, is made use of by artful and designing Men, to amuse and abuse that part of Mankind, who from their private Stations in Life, are little conversant with public Affairs, and are therefore subject to be led away by their clamorous insinuations. As the great Bulwark of British Liberty consists in the free Choice of proper Persons to act in a Legislative Capacity, whose peculiar Business it is to make good and wholesome Laws, for the general Welfare of those they Represent, the Importance of choosing such Men who are most likely to discharge so great a Trust, must be apparent to every one who will give themselves Time to reflect thereon. And as there is now an approaching Election of Representatives, on which the Welfare and Prosperity of Maryland much depends, the Writer of this Paper, being a Well-wisher to his Country, takes this Method to caution the Electors against making a Choice that may prove prejudicial to them. Men whose Merits are magnified by their own Mouths only; who make a daily Practice of Ridiculing all others, that will not in Opposition to their own Reason, fall into their Measures; who have little or no regard to the Rules of Honour and Honesty in a private Station; who give themselves a License of Saying any Thing, true or false, so it will but serve to establish their own Interest, and render Men, well worthy of Trust, odious in the Eyes of the People; who set themselves up for Absolute Dictators, by Saying, such a Man shall not be elected, and such a one shall; surely such Men can never be proper Persons to Represent a Free People, but are much more fit to carry on the Tyrannical Schemes of some Absolute Monarch. On the contrary, Men of well known Honour and Reputation, who by a regular, just, lenient, and industrious Course of Life, have acquired and improved their Fortunes, and therefore have an Interest to promote in common with their Electors; who by their kind and benevolent Dispositions to Mankind in general, have deservedly obtained the Characters, not only of honest Men, but true Friends to Society; such as these are the most likely to have the Welfare and Prosperity of their Country at Heart, and consequently will, I hope, have the Voice of every reasonable unprejudiced Freeman in their Favour at the ensuing Election. Which is the sincere Wish of one, who dares to act, as he subscribes himself,

A FREEMAN.

November 4, 1751.

WHEREAS James Cook, Gardener, has lately indebted himself to me the Subscriber: This is therefore to forewarn all Persons from trusting the said Cook, for I will pay no Debts of his contracting, from the Date hereof.

CATHARINE JENINGS.

RAN away from the Subscriber, the 9th of this Instant November, a Convict Servant Woman, named Hannah Boyer, of a middling Stature, a little Pock-fretten, and fresh coloured. She had on when she went away, a Petticoat and Jacket of a Drab colour, and a Purple and white Cotton Gown, very old. Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings her to the Subscriber, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows, paid by

CATHARINE JENINGS.



IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Phrayl Pain, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Bright Bay Mare, branded on the near Shoulder I C, about 13 Hands high, and a small Star in her Forehead.  
The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

STRAYS: There is at the Plantation of Capt. Richard Harwood, in Prince George's County, near Mr. Snowden's Works, one black and white Steer, about 5 Years old, mark'd with two Crops, and a Slit in the left Ear. One ditto, red and white, about 4 Years old, with the same Marks. And one Black Heifer, about 4 Years old, with the same Marks. They have been at the above Plantation for near two Years, and have been already advertised in Writing. The Owner may have them on proving his Property and paying Charges.

TO BE SOLD at the House of Richard Smith, near Pig-Point, in Anne-Arundel County, on Thursday the 23<sup>rd</sup> of this Instant November,

SOME valuable Negroes, Horses, Cattle, Sheep; good Feather Beds, Variety of Household Furniture, and other Things too tedious to mention, for Money, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco, and Time given for Payment, if desired, on Security.  
N. B. If Thursday should be a bad Day, the Sale will be on the next fair Day.

JUST IMPORTED,  
And to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store  
in ANNAPOLIS,

BARBADOES Rum, Mustovado Sugar, Vidonia Wine, Lisbon Lemons, Castile Soap in Boxes, Chocolate, English Seal Leather, Cables and Cordage of all Sizes, Anchors and Ship Chandlery, with Variety of European and India Goods, by Wholesale and Retail, for Money, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco, at the lowest Prices. STEPHEN WEST, junior.

BROKE loose from a Schooner at the Mouth of South River, A Boat about 10 Feet Keel, very narrow, deep, and strong built: She drove ashore about 2 Miles above the lower End of Kent-Island. Whoever brings the said Boat to Annapolis, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward.

WHEREAS the Subscriber has disposed of all his Estate, both real and personal, to pay his just Debts, and several are still unpaid, for which he has been this eight Months in the Custody of the Sheriff of Frederick County; and altho' he has often applied to his Creditors for his Enlargement, they will not release him: This is to give Notice, that he intends to Petition the next Assembly for Relief.

NATHANIEL BEALL, senior.

JUST PUBLISHED,  
(Containing 24 Pages in Folio, very necessary to be known by all Dealers in TOBACCO)

THE Act of Parliament, passed the last Session at Westminster, Entituled, An Act for the more effectual securing the Duties upon TOBACCO. To be Sold by the Printer hereof, Price 2/6d.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in Annapolis, on the 10th October, a Mulatto Man, named James Anderson, a tall lusty Fellow, talks good English, and is a Carpenter and Sawyer by Trade. He had on when he went away, a blue Pea Jacket, Cotton Waistcoat and Breeches, good Shoes and Stockings, and his Hair when on, pretty grey. Whoever takes up the said Mulatto, and brings him to his Master, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

WILLIAM ROBERTS.

N. B. I should be very much obliged to any Person, who would be so kind as to inform me, by Letter or otherwise, which Way the said Mulatto is gone.

TO BE SOLD, at Public Vendue, to the highest Bidder,

A LOT containing one Acre, lying in Fairfax County, Virginia, upon Great Hunting Creek, at a Place commonly known by the Name of Cameron, within two Miles of Potomack River, convenient to two Landings upon the said Creek, in the Center of four very public Roads, leading up and down the Country, and exceeding well situated for Trade, upon which is a Dwelling-House 26 Feet square, commodious, and neatly finish'd off, with a Cellar, the same Dimensions of a Brick Wall, 7 Feet deep, a Kitchen 24 Feet long and 18 wide, a Store House 24 Feet square, in which is a Counting Room 12 Feet by 16, with a Division in the back Part, 24 Feet by 8. Brick Chimneys to the Whole, and Weather boarded with Plank, a Garden 144 Feet square, with all convenient Out-houses, and the Whole paved in after the best Manner. The Purchaser to pay one Third of the Value in six Months, and the remaining two Thirds, at two annual Payments, after first giving Bond and good Security.

To be Sold likewise, Three Tracts of Land, one containing 575 Acres, lying within half a Mile of the said Buildings, very well timber'd, and good Ground sufficient to work several Hands.

One containing 236 Acres, lying within two Miles and a Half of the said Buildings, upon which is a Plantation, with a good Dwelling House, Tobacco House, and other Out-houses, paying yearly Rent, 630 Pounds of Tobacco, and no Lease granted.

The other containing 275 Acres, well timber'd, and lying within five Miles of the said Buildings.

To be Sold also, A Lot in Belhaven, very convenient to a Landing, upon which is a Warehouse, 36 Feet long and 24 wide, 4 Divisions below, 2 Grainaries above, and a Cellar the Dimensions of the House, of a Stone Wall, 7 Feet deep, a Room join'd to the Warehouse 12 Feet square, lath'd and plaster'd, with a Brick Chimney.

Twelve Months Credit will be given the Purchaser of the four last, on giving Bond and good Security; and the Sale of the Whole, to be on Tuesday the 10th of December next, at the Subscriber's Dwelling House in Cameron.

JOHN PAGAN.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC VENDUE,  
At the House of the Subscriber, living near Herring-Bay, on Saturday the 16th of November,

A SLOOP completely rigg'd, which will carry twenty Hogheads of Tobacco, and is a very good Sailor.

GEORGE CHOCKE.

ON the 29th of July last, was committed into the Custody of the Subscriber as a Runaway, a tall slim Negro Man, who speaks very little English; but as far as I can understand him, his Name is Glasgow, and belongs to one James Brown, a Merchant. Whoever owns the said Negro, on making his Property appear, paying the Charge of this Advertisement, and the Fees by Law established, may have him by applying to

JOHN HANSON, Sheriff of Charles County.

TO BE SOLD,

PART of a Tract of Land called Clagget's Forest, and other Lands adjoining thereto, lying near the Head of Bush River in Baltimore County, containing about Thirteen Hundred Acres.

Also, A Tract of Land lying in the said County, near the Branches of Deer Creek, called Bond's Gratuity, containing Four Hundred Acres.

Any Person inclinable to purchase may know the Terms, by applying to

PHILIP THOMAS.

October 30, 1751.

STOPPED, supposed to be stolen, A large Silver Spur. The Owner describing the same, and paying the Charge of this Advertisement, may have it again, by applying to the Printer hereof.



TO BE SOLD by Public Vendue, at November Court in Frederick County, the three following Tracts of Land, which belonged to Meredith Davis, late of Prince George's County, deceased; viz.

ONE Tract called *Meredith Hunting Quarter*, containing 498 Acres, situate at the Mouth of *Monococky* convenient to the Ferry, whereon is a good Dwelling House, 24 Feet square, and other convenient Houses.

One other Tract, called *The Meredith*, containing 200 and odd Acres, lying on *Seneca*, whereon is a Dwelling House, a new 48 Feet Tobacco House, and other convenient Houses.

Also, A Tract, called *The Welsh Tract*, lying on the North Side of *Monococky*, containing 100 Acres.

MEREDITH DAVIS.

#### JUST IMPORTED.

In the *NANCY*, Capt. HENDERSON, from LONDON, And to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store opposite the Church, in ANNAPOLIS.

GREAT Variety of European and East-India GOODS, proper for the Winter Season, by Wholesale or Retail, at the lowest Prices, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit.

DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME.

#### LIKEWISE,

West-India Rum, Arrack, London Porter, White Wine Vinegar, Citron Water, Castile Soap, Muscovado Sugar, &c.

AS there may be some Books now in the Library of the late Rev. Mr. HENDERSON, which have been borrowed from his Friends, it is desired they will give Notice to the Subscribers what Books they are, that they may be reserv'd for them.

And all Persons who have any Books belonging to the said Mr. HENDERSON, it is hoped will send them as soon as possible to the Printer of this Paper, or to the Subscribers.

MARY HENDERSON,

ROBERT TYLER, junior.

Executors.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living at *Elk Ridge*, on the 12th of this Instant *October*, the three following Negroes; viz. A Man, named *Cuffee*; a Woman, named *Rachel*; and a Girl, named *Sue*: They have Variety of wearing Apparel; and are supposed to be gone towards *West River*.

Whoever takes up the said Negroes, and delivers them to the Subscriber, shall have Four Pounds Reward, paid by

ADAM SHIPLEY.

JAMES STEVENS, Tayler, (Son of JOHN STEVENS, Chandler and Grocer) lately come to Maryland, has an Uncle in this Country, one Mr. William Gray, who came from *Fotheringhay* in England some Years ago: Now this is to request the said Gray, if living, to let his said Nephew know in what Part of Maryland he lives, by a Line directed to the Printer of this Paper, for he has something of Consequence to communicate to him.

#### TO BE SOLD,

By the Subscriber, at his Store in ANNAPOLIS, by Wholesale or Retail.

SUNDRY Sorts of European Goods, Barbadoes and Antigua Rum, Muscovado Sugar, Linseed Oil, London and Bristol Crown Glass, 12 by 10, 11 by 9, 10 by 8, and 6 by 4 Inches square; also Diamond Glass; for Cash or Bills of Exchange, Tobacco, Corn, Wheat, Oats, Beans, Barley, Pork, Beef, Bees Wax, good Pine or Oak Plank, or Cypress Shingles.

PATRICK CREACH.

#### TO BE SOLD,

By the Subscriber in ANNAPOLIS,

BARBADOES Rum by the Hogshead, and Muscovado Sugar by the Barrel, or smaller Quantity; also fresh Lemons and Limes, by the Barrel or Hundred.

WILLIAM REYNOLDS.

N. B. The said Reynolds has two Eight Day Clocks in good Repair; which he would dispose of reasonably.

CAPTAIN JOHN RENDELL, of Baltimore Town designing to leave the Province this Fall, hereby gives Notice thereof, that if any Persons have any Claim or Demand on him they may bring them in and they shall be Paid: And those who are indebted to him are desired to make speedy Payment, to prevent Trouble.

IF DAVID CUNINGHAME second Son to Sir JOHN CUNINGHAME of Robertland in Scotland, who came from thence to Virginia or Maryland about 22 Years ago, is alive, he may be informed of something to his Advantage, by applying to Mr. Robert Peter, Merchant in Bladensburg, or to Mr. William Cuninghame, Merchant, at the Falls of Rappahannock River, in Virginia.

Bladensburg, October 6, 1751.

THE Subscriber intending for England, in the Spring requests all Persons indebted to Andrew Reid, Esq; of London, Merchant; to Messieurs Reid and Stewart; or to Messieurs Stewart and Armour, Merchants in London; or to himself; to come and discharge their Debts, else they must take it amiss, if Suits are brought for the same, without further Notice.

DAVID ROSS.

October 3, 1751.

THIS Day was committed to my Custody a young Man, who says his Name is John Anderson, and passes for Sailor: He had a large Pair of Pot Hooks about his Neck, is about 18 Years of Age, and says he sailed with Capt. Johnson, who has a Vessel now lying at Hampton in Virginia. Whoever will prove his Property to the said Fellow, and pay the Charges, may have him again from

BARTHOLOMEW ENNALLS,

Sheriff of Dorchester County.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Justices of Prince George's County, will meet at Upper Marlborough Town, at the Court-House, in the County aforesaid, on Friday the 20th Day of November next, to treat with such Persons, who shall then offer to undertake Building a Public Prison for the said County, agreeable to the Act of Assembly, in that Case late made and provided.

Signed per Order,

JOSEPH SIM, Clerk of the said County Court.

ALL Persons indebted to the Printer hereof, for more than one Year's Gazette (and more especially those who owe for four or five Years) and those otherwise indebted to him, are desired to comply with the Apostle PAUL's Injunction in his Epistle to the Romans, Chap. xiii. V. 7. *Render all their Dues*,—which will greatly oblige him [their humble Servant] and enable him to comply with the same great Apostle's Injunction in the next Verse, *Owe no Man any Thing, but to love one another*.

THE Subscriber intending for London early next Shipping, all Persons indebted to him are desired speedily to make Payment or settle their Accounts. Attendance will be given every Day at Mr. West's Store in Annapolis.

JAMES DICK.

#### TO BE SOLD by the Subscriber,

THE following Tracts of Land, lying in Frederick County, viz.

One Tract, called *Friendship*, containing 400 Acres.

One Tract, called *Gordon's Purchase*, containing 150 Acres.

One Tract, called *Exchange*, containing 700 Acres.

Also a Lease for three Lives of a Tract of Land, called *Fountain Rock Marsh*, containing 500 Acres, being Part of his Lordship's Manor, lying in the said County, paying a yearly Rent of Fifty Shillings Sterling.

Any Person or Persons inclining to Purchase, may be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale, by applying to the Subscriber.

JAMES DICK.



## MARYLAND GAZETTE.

*Containing the freshest Advices, Foreign and Domestic.*

WEDNESDAY, November 20, 1751.

From a late Public Print.

*An EPISTLE from a Society of Young LADIES.*

**G**ENTLEMEN, what Charms has the dull, stupid, sauntering Life of a Batchelor above that of a married Man? What are his Advantages? Where is the Joy of living on the Earth without having any one Place in it that he can call his Home? What Pleasure is there in a selfish Unconcern for all the World? What Comfort in having none concern'd or interested for you?

The dry, dull, drowsy Batchelor surveys,  
Alternate, joyless Nights and lonesome Days;  
No tender Transports wake his fullen Breast;  
No soft Endearments lull his Cares to rest;  
Stupidly free from Nature's tend'rest Ties,  
Lost in his own sad Self he lives and dies.

Not so the Man, to whom indulgent Heaven  
That tender Bosom-Friend a Wife has given.  
Him, blest in her kind Arms, no Fears dismay,  
No secret Checks of Guilt his Joys allay;  
No Husband wrong'd, no Virgin's Honour spoil'd,  
No tender Parent weeps his ruin'd Child;  
No fell Disease, no false Embrace is here,  
The Joys are safe, the Raptures are sincere.  
Does Fortune smile? How grateful must it prove,  
To tread Life's pleasing Round with one you love!  
Or does she frown? With one whose soft'ning Art  
Will soothe your Woes, or bear a willing Part.

Forgive us Gentlemen, this Start of Poetry; the Warmth of our Hearts occasion'd the Elevation of our Style: But if we have said nothing but what is true, nothing but what is just and reasonable, we hope the Strikingsness of the Contrast, and the Strength of the Sentiments will co-operate together to make you ashamed of yourselves; and as the First Fruits of your Repentance, throw yourselves at our Feet, and with humble and contrite Hearts confess your past Follies, and joyfully embrace the Forgiveness, which our tender Bosoms will undoubtedly be dispos'd to favour you with.

But come, we have hitherto carry'd it against you with a higher Hand than we at first intended. We will now endeavour, if we can, in some measure to apologize for you. Ah Gentlemen! Gentlemen! we are very much afraid your Ideas of the Sex are taken from the bad Part of them, which you are so much inclin'd to keep Company with; and because you have been surfeited with stinking Fish, you imagine all Fish tainted! Because you have unluckily had the keeping of a Magpye, you think every Bird must chatter, and wag its Tail. — Indeed, indeed, Gentlemen, this is doing us great Injustice. But we will not dwell on so ticklish a Point.

Another Reason which may perhaps deter you from Matrimony is the Expence of it. This Point hath been argued with great Accuracy, and much hath been said on both Sides. But after all, set the Extravagance of Tavern Bills, against the additional Expence of a Table; the lavish Presents to an insatiate Mistress, against the moderate Expence of a modest Wife; the Surgeon's Bill against the Nurse and the Midwife's; oppose all these fairly to each other, and the Balance of Expence will undoubtedly fall on the Batchelor's Side. Add to all this, who would not rather be the Father of Children, than the Beggetter of a vagrant Race? To whom (if impudent Custom did not harden you till past a Sense of Shame) you durst not give the

sweet Appellations of Sons and Daughters.

Another Hindrance to your engaging in the Marriage State, may be the unhappy Examples which may here and there present themselves to your Observation. I will not indeed assert that all Women are Angels; tho' a great Man hath said, that some Women are better Things: But I will maintain, in spite of any ill natured Fellow, whose Imperiousness is generally the Cause of such Examples, that Matrimony is the only Heaven on Earth; and your entering into that State, is literally entering in at the strait Gate that leadeth to Life; and that pursuing the loose and idle Course you at present do delight in, is following the broad and beaten Way that leadeth to Destruction.

LONDON, August 5.

**O**N Thursday, the 25th ult. died, aged about Ninety, Mr. Thomas Bird, of the Parish of Claines, near the City of Worcester, who was formerly a Rope Maker, but having acquired a handsome Fortune, left off Business, and lived very reclusive: It is remarkable that he died in the same Room where he was born, and never lay out of it but two Nights in his whole Life, neither had he been known to be at any Place of Worship for these forty Years past, except at such Time as the Bells wanted new roping. About two Months before his Death, he made his Will, and left his whole Substance to his Housekeeper (who had lived with him several Years) except a Barrel of Ale, which he ordered should be drank out at his Funeral; but one Day having a Mind to take the Ale, to judge whether it was likely to be fit for that Purpose, he had such an Effect upon him, that he grew better, and lived to see it quite out; yet, still being persuaded he should not live long, he had another Barrel of Ale brewed, which was tapped, and drank out by the Persons who attended his Funeral, on Saturday the 27th in the Evening. Soon after he was taken ill, he expressed great Uneasiness on Account of a Sum of Money he had out at Use, declaring he could not die satisfied till it was called in, which being done, he once more had an Opportunity of counting over his Treasure, he afterwards seemed indifferent whether he died or lived; and about two Hours before his Death, bespoke his Coffin, ordering it to be done as speedily as possible; but before it was quite finished, his Corpse was ready for it.

August 15. All our Accounts from Paris are full of the Difference that subsists at present between the Court and Parliament, on the Affair of the Management of the Hospitals, which is pushed to Extremity. Most People seem astonished at the Firmness of that wise Body, and the Thinness of the Minority (consisting only of two) while the Politicians are no less amazed, that the Ministry not yet reconciled to the Clergy, should embarrass themselves also with this respectable Assembly, purely to demonstrate the Extent of the Royal Prerogative, of which no Body in France makes any Doubt.

There has been a Rumour about Town within these few Days, of War with a certain neighbouring Power, but how it took Rise we cannot ascertain; however, we are assured, that some Ships of very extraordinary Dimensions are building, in Case there should be any Occasion.

From Cadix we have Advice, that four Ships sailed from thence for America, about three Weeks ago, with Land Forces on board, under Convey of two Men of War.

August 20. The Honourable Commodore Keppel has sent, as a Present, from Algiers, two fine Ostriches, and a Goshawk, to his Majesty; four Ostriches to his Royal Highness the Duke; and two Ostriches to the Right Honourable the Earl of Sandwich.



# B O S T O N .

*Extract from the Votes of the House of Representatives.*  
 Martis 8 Die Octobris, A. D. 1751.

**JAMES MINOT**, Esq; brought down the Report of the Committee of both Houses appointed the 3d Instant, relating to the Western Tribes of Indians, &c. in the Words following, *viz.*

The Committee appointed to take under Consideration that Paragraph of his Honour's Speech respecting the Western Tribes of Indians &c. together with the Report of the Committee respecting that Affair, report as their Opinion;

That a Committee be appointed to contract for a Quantity of Lands of the Contents of about three Miles Square, including the *Hop Lands*, lying within the Township of *Sheffield*, and agree for an Equivalent in Province Lands, or otherways as they shall think best.

That there be two School-Houses built at the Charge of the Government, wherein the Indian Children may be instructed, one for Boys and another for Girls; that the House built for the Boarding School be finished; in which the Master of the Boys School may live together with the Boys under his Care; it being expected that the Girls will be boarded at Mrs. *Sergeant's*, in Case she undertakes to keep the School.

That the Maintenance of the Indian Children in said School both as to Cloathing and Dieting, be at the Expence of the Government, except so far as is provided for by Mr. *Hollis*, or by the Corporation for propagating the Gospel.

That there be two English Youths put into the Boys School in order to learn the Indian Tongue, that so they may be qualified for future Service to the Government among the Indians, to be boarded at the Expence of the Government.

That Mrs. *Abley* be retained as an Interpreter, who together with her Husband, may also be employed in the necessary Services of the Family.

And that there be likewise an expert and industrious Man procured to manage the Husbandry on the School Lands, and instruct the Youths therein, and that proper Utensils therefor be provided.

That Provision be made for the Subsistence of the *Mohawk* Families, together with what they may be able to supply themselves with by Hunting; until they shall be able to raise something upon the Lands to subsist themselves.

That a Letter be wrote to the Governor of *Connecticut*, informing them of the Measures taken by this Government, for securing the six Nations to the British Interest, as well as for their Instruction, and that we hope and expect they will join in them, and contribute towards the Expence.

That this Court do agree to the Proposal of Sir *Peter Warren*, of appropriating the Sum of Seven Hundred Pounds Sterling in his Hands for the Support and Education of the *Mohawk* Children, and that he be immediately advised thereof, and desired to transmit the same; and that it may be let out on Interest, and the Interest be applied to the Purposes aforesaid.

That a Letter be wrote to Mr. *Hollis* in *London* (who has employed Capt. *Kellogg* to support and educate a Number of Indian Children at his Expence) that he be informed of the Measures taken by this Government for the like Purposes, and desired to appoint one or more Trustees for the Management of his Charity, to act in concert with such Persons as may be appointed by this Government for carrying on said Design.

And, That a Committee be accordingly appointed by this Court to carry into Execution the foregoing Design; that they be empowered to receive such Donations from Time to Time as may and shall be offered for the Encouragement and Support of said Schools: That they have the Inspection and Regulation of the same, and the Management of all the Prudentials thereof, subject to such Directions and Instructions as they shall receive from this Court from Time to Time; said Committee to be accountable, and to be rewarded for their Services.

Sent down for Concurrence. Read and concurred.

Which Resolve passed the whole Court.

And on Thursday last, the following Gentlemen were chosen a Committee for the Purposes aforesaid, *viz.* *Joseph Pyncheon* and *Joseph Dwight*, Esqrs; and Capt. *John Abley*.

October 14. A Master of a Vessel who came Passenger from *Eustatia* to *Salem*, informs, that on his Passage to the West-Indies, he took up the Company of a Sloop belonging to *Piscataqua*, which was overfet in the Hurricane, but being loaded with Lumber, she did not sink, and the Men getting

upon her Bottom, continued there till taken off by the said Master, who carried them to *Eustatia*.

Saturday last Capt. *Ring*, in a Ship from *Jamaica*, bound to *London*, put into *Cape Anne* to Water. She came out in Company with a large Ship and *Snow*, both bound to *London*, but meeting with bad Weather in the Windward Passage, the Ship was cast away and lost, but the Men saved, who were divided between Capt. *Ring* and the *Snow*, which last proceeded on her Voyage directly for *London*.

At the Court of *Alize*, &c. held at *Salem* last Week, one *Ezekiel Eldred*, was indicted for the Crime of Polygamy, of which he pleaded guilty; but when he was afterwards set to the Bar to receive Sentence, he pray'd for the Benefit of the Clergy, which was granted him, and he was burnt in the Hand, in the Face of the Court, and discharged, paying Costs. Polygamy is having more Wives than one.

October 21. Yesterday arrived here Capt. *Rambell* from *Jamaica*, who on the 14th of September last, met his Majesty's Ship *Prince Henry*, bound to that Island, having the Day before met with a terrible Gale of Wind, which carried away all her Masts, her Anchors from her Bow, and several of her Guns.

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

Since our last the following Gentlemen have been chosen, to represent their several Counties, *viz.*

*Kent County*, Capt. *Alexander Williamson*, Mr. *John Grayham*, Mr. *Abraham Faleoner*, and Mr. *William Rexin*.

*Queen Anne's County*, Capt. *William Hopper*, Mr. *Thomas Wilkinson*, Mr. *John Tillotson*, and Mr. *James Hollyday*.

*Cecil County*, Mr. *Nicholas Hyland*, Mr. *Benjamin Pearce*, Mr. *Michael Earl*, and Mr. *Sidney George*.

*Charles County*, Capt. *Arthur Lee*, Capt. *John Stadder*, Mr. *Bayne Smallwood*, and Col. *Richard Harrison*.

*Talbot County*, Mr. *John Geldsborough*, Mr. *Edward Oldham*, Mr. *Matthew Tilghman*, and Mr. *Pollard Edmonson*.

The Election will be in *Calvert* and *Frederick* Counties on Monday next; and on Wednesday will come on the Election in this County.

We are informed that there is a Letter in Town which gives an Account of the safe Arrival in *London*, of the Captain's *Judd*, *Spencer*, and *Alden*, from this Province.

The Ship *Phila*, Capt. *Hinton* is arrived in *Philadelphia*. She left the *Dowms* the 15th of September, in Company with 50 odd Sail of Ships bound to the Westward, on board of one of which, was the Honourable *Robert Dunwiddie*, Esq; Governor of *Virginia*. One of the Ships was for this Province from Mr. *Stewart*.

ON Friday the 29th Instant, will be Sold at Public Vendue, at the House of *Jonas Green*, A sortable Parcel of European GOODS, for Ready Money only. The Sale to begin precisely at III of the Clock in the Afternoon.

THE Subscriber having lately received Directions from Mrs. *Mary Moore* of *Madeira*, to make Sale of a Parcel of likely young Negro Men, Women, and Children. These are therefore to give Notice, that on Saturday the 14th of December next, the said Negroes will be exposed to Sale to the highest Bidder, at Mrs. *Rachel Moore's* Plantation, on his Lordship's Manor, near *Pig Point*, for Bills of Exchange, Sterling, or Currency, and Time given for Payment, upon Security, if required.

RICHARD MOORE.

TO BE SOLD by the Subscriber at his Store in *London-Town*.

VARIETY of European and India GOODS, proper for the Winter Season, at the lowest Prices, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit.

THOMAS MEIGHAN.

N. B. The said *Thomas Meighan* intending to leave this Province next Spring; all Persons indebted to him, are desired speedily to make Payment: And those who have any Demands, shall be paid on bringing in their Accounts.

THE Subscriber, some Time in *June* last, lent the Eleventh Volume of *SWIFT's* Works, which the Borrower has not been so kind as to return: Whoever has the said Volume, is desired (either to borrow all the rest, or) to leave it with the Printer hereof.

W. WARR.



**R**AN away on Monday the 11th of this Instant November, from the Subscriber, living in Prince George's County, a Servant Man, named *Ralph Sberlock*, about 6 Feet high, aged 22 Years, he is somewhat pitted with the Small Pox, and is fresh coloured. Had on when he went away, a new Felt Hat, a Worsted Cap, a dyed Cotton Waistcoat of a brownish Colour, an Osnabrigs Shirt, a Pair of old Cloth Breeches, a Pair of whitish coloured Leggings, and new Shoes.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and so secures him, that he may be had again, shall have a Pistole Reward, besides what the Law allows, paid by

BENJAMIN DUVALL, the Third.

**S**TOLEN about a Month ago, by two Sailors, out of the North West Branch of Patapsco River, a Flat that will carry about 3 Hogheads of Tobacco, mark'd in the Stern with a Pair of Marking Irons, B P 1750 (the B P in a Diamond). Whoever takes up the said Flat, and gives Notice to the Printer hereof, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward; and if brought to the Subscriber in the North West Branch of Patapsco River, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, paid by

BRIAN PHILPOT, junior.

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Charles Ridgely*, near the Head of South River, taken up as a Stray, a Black Horse, has a Star in his Forehead, a Snip on his Nose, about 12 Hands high, between 6 and 7 Years old, has no discernable Brand and is a Ridgling.

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 at the Plantation of *Mr. Robert Teves*, in the Fork of Patapsco Falls, in Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray, a small Grey Mare, branded on the off Shoulder with B, she paces middling well when she goes fast, but poorly when she goes slow.

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 at the Plantation of *Benjamin Wells*, in Prince George's County, taken up as a Stray, a small Grey Gelding, branded on the near Shoulder with C or G.

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 at the Plantation of *Thomas Fowler*, Son of *Daniel*, at the Head of South River, taken up as a Stray, a Black Colt, undocked and unbranded, and has a Star in his Forehead.

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 at the Plantation of *Joshua Jones*, at *Elk Ridge*, taken up as a Stray, a Black Horse, about thirteen Hands high, branded C C on the near Buttock.

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 at the Plantation of *Samuel Wright*, living in Talbot County, on the Head of Wye River, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Horse, branded on the near Side T H, was shod before, and paces a good travel.

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 at the Plantation of *Phrayl Pain*, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Bright Bay Mare, branded on the near Shoulder I C, about 13 Hands high, and a small Star in her Forehead.

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

November 4, 1751.

**W**HEREAS *James Cook*, Gardener, has lately indentured himself to me the Subscriber: This is therefore to forewarn all Persons from trusting the said *Cook*, for I will pay no Debts of his contracting, from the Date hereof.

CATHARINE JENINGS.

**S**TRAYS: There is at the Plantation of *Capt. Richard Harwood*, in Prince George's County, near *Mr. Snowden's* Works, one black and white Steer, about 5 Years old, mark'd with two Crops, and a Slit in the left Ear. One ditto, red and white, about 4 Years old, with the same Marks. And one Black Heifer, about 4 Years old, with the same Marks. They have been at the above Plantation for near two Years and have been already advertised in Writing. The Owner may have them on proving his Property and paying Charges.

**TO BE SOLD** at the House of *Richard Smith*, near Pig-Point, in Anne-Arundel County, on Thursday the 21st of this Instant November.

**S**OME valuable Negroes, Horses, Cattle, Sheep, good Feather Beds, Variety of Household Furniture, and other Things too tedious to mention, for Money, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco, and Time given for Payment, if desired, on Security.

*STEPHEN WEST, junior.*  
N. B. If Thursday should be a bad Day, the Sale will be on the next fair Day.

#### JUST IMPORTED,

And to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store in ANNAPOLIS,

**B**ARBADOES Rum, Muscovado Sugar, Vidania Wine, Lisbon Lemons, Castile Soap in Boxes, Chocolate, English Seal Leather, Cables and Cordage of all Sizes, Anchors and Ship Chandlery, with Variety of European and India Goods, by Wholesale and Retail, for Money, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco, at the lowest Prices. *STEPHEN WEST, junior.*

**B**ROKE loose from a Schooner at the Mouth of South River, A Boat about 10 Feet Keel, very narrow, deep, and strong built: She drove ashore about 2 Miles above the lower End of Kent Island. Whoever brings the said Boat to Annapolis, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward.

#### JUST PUBLISHED,

(Containing 24 Pages in Folio, very necessary to be known by all Dealers in TOBACCO)

**T**HE Act of Parliament, passed the last Session at Westminster, Entituled, *An Act for the more effectual securing the Duties upon TOBACCO.* To be Sold by the Printer hereof, Price 2/6d.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, living in Annapolis, on the 10th October, a Mulatto Man, named *James Anderson*, a tall lusty Fellow, talks good English, and is a Carpenter and Sawyer by Trade. He had on when he went away, a blue Pea Jacket, Cotton Waistcoat and Breeches, good Shoes and Stockings, and his Hair when on, pretty grey. Whoever takes up the said Mulatto, and brings him to his Master, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

WILLIAM ROBERTS.

N. B. I should be very much obliged to any Person, who would be so kind as to inform me, by Letter or otherwise, which Way the said Mulatto is gone.

**T**HE Subscriber intending for London early next Shipping, all Persons indebted to him are desired speedily to make Payment or settle their Accounts. Attendance will be given every Day at *Mr. West's* Store in Annapolis.

JAMES DICK



**TO BE SOLD, at Public Vendue, to the highest Bidder,**

**A** LOT containing one Acre, lying in Fairfax County, Virginia, upon Great Hunting Creek, at a Place commonly known by the Name of Cameron, within two Miles of Potomack River, convenient to two Landings upon the said Creek, in the Center of four very public Roads, leading up and down the Country, and exceeding well situated for Trade, upon which is a Dwelling-House 26 Feet square, commodious, and neatly finish'd off, with a Cellar, the same Dimensions of a Brick Wall, 7 Feet deep, a Kitchen 24 Feet long and 18 wide, a Store House 24 Feet square, in which is a Counting Room 12 Feet by 16, with a Division in the back Part, 24 Feet by 8, Brick Chimneys to the Whole, and Weather boarded with Plank, a Garden 144 Feet square, with all convenient Out-houses, and the Whole paved in after the best Manner. The Purchaser to pay one Third of the Value in six Months, and the remaining two Thirds, at two annual Payments, after first giving Bond and good Security.

To be Sold likewise, Three Tracts of Land, one containing 575 Acres, lying within half a Mile of the said Buildings, very well timber'd, and good Ground sufficient to work several Hands.

One containing 236 Acres, lying within two Miles and a Half of the said Buildings, upon which is a Plantation, with a good Dwelling House, Tobacco House, and other Out-houses, paying yearly Rent, 630 Pounds of Tobacco, and no Lease granted.

The other containing 275 Acres, well timber'd, and lying within five Miles of the said Buildings.

To be Sold also, A Lot in Belhaven, very convenient to a Landing, upon which is a Warehouse, 36 Feet long and 24 wide, 4 Divisions below, 2 Grainaries above, and a Cellar the Dimensions of the House, of a Stone Wall, 7 Feet deep, a Room join'd to the Warehouse 12 Feet square, lath'd and plaister'd, with a Brick Chimney.

Twelve Months Credit will be given the Purchaser of the four last, on giving Bond and good Security; and the Sale of the Whole, to be on Tuesday the 10th of December next, at the Subscriber's Dwelling House in Cameron.

JOHN PAGAN.

**O**N the 29th of July last, was committed into the Custody of the Subscriber as a Runaway, a tall slim Negro Man, who speaks very little English; but as far as I can understand him, his Name is Glasgow, and belongs to one James Brown, a Merchant. Whoever owns the said Negro, on making his Property appear, paying the Charge of this Advertisement, and the Fees by Law established, may have him by applying to

JOHN HANSON, Sheriff of Charles County.

**TO BE SOLD,**

**P**ART of a Tract of Land called Clagget's Forest, and other Lands adjoining thereto, lying near the Head of Bush River in Baltimore County, containing about Thirteen Hundred Acres.

Also, A Tract of Land lying in the said County, near the Branches of Deer Creek, called Bond's Gratiuity, containing Four Hundred Acres.

Any Person inclinable to purchase may know the Terms, by applying to

PHILIP THOMAS.

**A**S there may be some Books now in the Library of the late Rev. Mr. HENDERSON, which have been borrowed from his Friends, it is desired they will give Notice to the Subscribers what Books they are, that they may be refer'd for them.

And all Persons who have any Books belonging to the said Mr. HENDERSON, it is hoped will send them as soon as possible to the Printer of this Paper, or to the Subscribers.

MARY HENDERSON,  
ROBERT TYLER, junior, } Executors.

**JUST IMPORTED,**

In the NANCY, Capt. HENDERSON, from LONDON, And to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store opposite the Church, in ANNAPOLIS.

**G**REAT Variety of European and East-India GOODS, proper for the Winter Season, by Wholesale or Retail, at the lowest Prices, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit.

DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME.

**LIKEWISE,**

West-India Rum, Arrack, London Porter, White Wine Vinegar, Citron Water, Castile Soap, Muscovado Sugar, &c.

**JAMES STEVENS**, Taylor, (Son of JOHN STEVENS, Chandler and Grocer) lately come to Maryland, has an Uncle in this Country, one Mr. William Gray, who came from Fotheringhay in England some Years ago: Now this is to request the said Gray, if living, to let his said Nephew know in what Part of Maryland he lives, by a Line directed to the Printer of this Paper, for he has something of Consequence to communicate to him.

**TO BE SOLD,**

By the Subscriber, at his Store in ANNAPOLIS, by Wholesale or Retail.

**S**UNDRY Sorts of European Goods, Barbadoes and Antigua Rum, Muscovado Sugar, Linseed Oil, London and Bristol Crown Glass, 12 by 10, 11 by 9, 10 by 8, and 6 by 4 Inches square; also Diamond Glass; for Cash or Bills of Exchange, Tobacco, Corn, Wheat, Oats, Beans, Barley, Pork, Beef, Bees Wax, good Pine or Oak Plank, or Cypress Shingles.

PATRICK CKEAGH.

**I**F DAVID CUNINGHAME second Son to Sir JOHN CUNINGHAME of Robertland in Scotland, who came from thence to Virginia or Maryland about 22 Years ago, is alive, he may be informed of something to his Advantage, by applying to Mr. Robert Peter, Merchant in Bladenburg, or to Mr. William Cuninghame, Merchant, at the Falls of Rappahannock River, in Virginia.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Justices of Prince George's County, will meet at Upper Marlborough Town, at the Court-House, in the County aforesaid, on Friday the 29th Day of November, to treat with such Persons, who shall then offer to undertake Building a Public Prison for the said County, agreeable to the Act of Assembly, in that Case late made and provided.

Signed per Order,

JOSEPH SIM, Clerk of the said County Court.

**A**LL Persons indebted to the Printer hereof, for more than one Year's Gazette (and more especially those who owe for four or five Years) and those otherwise indebted to him, are desired to comply with the Apostle PAUL's Injunction in his Epistle to the Romans, Chap. xiii. V. 7. *Render unto all their Dues*,—which will greatly oblige him [their humble Servant] and enable him to comply with the same great Apostle's Injunction in the next Verse, *Owe no Man any Thing, but to love one another*.

**TO BE SOLD by the Subscriber,**

**T**HE following Tracts of Land, lying in Frederick County, viz.

One Tract, called Friendship, containing 400 Acres.

One Tract, called Gordon's Purchase, containing 150 Acres.

One Tract, called Exchange, containing 700 Acres.

Also a Lease for three Lives of a Tract of Land, called Fountain Rock Marsh, containing 500 Acres, being Part of his Lordship's Manor, lying in the said County, paying a yearly Quit-Rent of Fifty Shillings Sterling.

Any Person or Persons inclinable to Purchase, may be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale, by applying to the Subscriber.

JAMES DICK.



T H E  
**MARYLAND GAZETTE,**  
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WEDNESDAY, November 27, 1751.

**CONSTANTINOPLE, July 25.**

WE have a most disagreeable Scene before us this Year, the Plague has so considerably augmented, as to oblige the Inhabitants to be almost continually removing from one Village to another, or rather from one Seat of Infection to the other; for even the remotest Parts, which were always thought to be the most secure, have not been exempt. In the midst of this Calamity, we have had four successive Fires; the first on the ninth Instant, near the Mosque of Sultan Mehomet, which burnt for 21 Hours, with a violent North-East Wind, by which nine Districts of the Town have been consumed, each District containing about 700 Houses, among which were the Quarters of the Janizaries, consisting of 98 Ranges of Chambers, each usually containing from 350 to 400 Men. The Janizaries then present, to the Number of about 20,000, were, in this Extremity, obliged to encamp on the great Place called the Bithmeidan; 200 of them have been since missing, and it is concluded were destroyed in attempting to extinguish the Flames. The other three Fires were less considerable, burning only four or five Hours each; by which, however, many Seraglio's of the great Men of this Government, have been reduced to Ashes.

*Hamburg, August 27.* Letters from Constantinople say, that the Plague rages so violently, as to carry off daily upwards of 1000 Persons in that Capital.

*Aleppo, June 22.* By Letters from Bassors, of the 15th of May, we are informed, that the Dutch Affairs are much perplexed both on that, and the Malabar Coast, and even on Java, through the Wars they are engaged in with the Country People; and the Death of their General, Baron Imhoff, still adds to the Confusion of their Affairs.

*Genoa, August 14.* Two of our Gallies, which lately went in Quest of the Corsairs of Barbary, brought Yesterday into this Port two Merchant Ships bearing the Turkish Flag, bound to the Levant, and laden with divers Kinds of Merchandize.

*Schaffhausen, August 24.* We are assured that the Pope, the Courts of Turin and Naples, the Duke of Modena, the Republics of Venice, Genoa, and Lucca, have unanimously resolved again to make strong Representations to the Emperor, as Grand Duke of Tuscany, to engage his Imperial Majesty not to grant the Barbary Corsairs in future any Retreat in his Ports, because of the inexpressible Damage that has resulted therefrom to the Commerce of the Christian Powers in the Mediterranean.

*Amsterdam, Sept. 3.* We have Advice that the King of Denmark has bought of the Emperor of Morocco, for the Sum of 70,000 Ducats, the Ports of Saffia and St. Croix, on the Coast of Barbary.

*Batavia, August 29.* The Affairs of the Dutch East India Company are declining in a most astonishing Manner, and the more so as Nobody can see any Cause for it. The Ships which last arrived from thence are more numerous and richer than what have come from thence for many Years past, the Merchandize is better chosen, and will sell for one Third more than what used to be brought by the India Ships. In short, the Affairs of the Company are seemingly upon a better Footing than they were before the Death of Baron Imhoff, the late Governor of Batavia, by the Prudence and good Conduct of the new General, who is a very able upright Man. Notwithstanding all this, the Actions are all on a sudden fallen more than 12 per Cent, and the Chief of the Company sell out as fast as they can; but what is still more surprizing is, that it is the Heads of the Party that opposes the present Regency, who

eagerly buy in these Actions, which one would imagine would not only support, but even raise them, and yet the contrary happens.

L O N D O N.

*August 19.* From Bath we have an Account of the following Intrigue: A young Fellow, a Deserter in the Guards, in order to conceal himself, was hired to a Person of Distinction as an Upper House-Maid in the Family; from his Entrance into the House he had a Female Bedfellow, and they, in a short Time, were observed by the rest of the Servants, to have an uncommon Esteem for each other; the Reason was concealed for near eighteen Months, till at last poor Jenny unwillingly betrayed herself by the Roundness of her Hips, which occasioned the rest of the Girls in the Family to consult together, and privately examine the pretended House-Maid, as thus: One Night, in the Absence of the Maid, who was pregnant, and while the other was fast locked in Sleep, they crept unobserved to his Apartment, and were soon convinced, but, upon Mary's (which was the Name he went by) awaking, they shriek'd and ran down Stairs over each other; the Fellow next Morning, bundled up his Petticoats, made an Elopement, and has left poor Jenny to Father the Child. The old Lady, a Woman of 70, who sometimes had a Maid to lie with her, cried out, upon hearing of it, What a Miracle have I escaped! It might as well have happened to me!

Tuesday Morning upwards of 150 Palatines embarked on board the Antelope, Capt. John M'Clellan, lying in the River, bound for Georgia.

From Vienna we have an Account of a dreadful Fire that happened at Samsca, near Presburg, which is Part of the Estate of Count Leopold Palfy, whereby ninety Houses were reduced to Ashes, and some others greatly damaged.

The Merchants of this City have appointed a Meeting Tomorrow, in order to prepare a Petition to Parliament, for providing some effectual Means to prevent the most infamous Depredations on the Property of Merchants suffering by Shipwreck.

The Malteze Gallies are put to Sea on a Cruise against the Barbary Pyrates, who are going to receive a Present of naval Stores from his Danish Majesty, which will only enable them to augment their Depredations.

From the Utrecht Gazette we learn, that the English East-India Company have resolved to contract for four Companies of Switzers, of 150 Men each; they are to rendezvous at a Town upon the Rhine, in order to embark for England, where they are immediately to receive £ 7 each Man, and from thence to serve in the Settlement of that Company.

Last Week a brilliant young Lady of the first Water, intending the Tour of France, and without doubt to appear in full Lustre there, sent a Card to a grave Merchant of this City, to enquire the Character of a Valer, lately discharged the Gentleman's Service, containing the following remarkable but important Questions: Can he flourish a Flambeau well? Can he breed a Riot in a Playhouse? And can he give a genteel Rap at a Door? To this billet the good old Gentleman returning no other Answer than that he was a very honest, sober, and diligent Fellow, the Lady was pleased immediately to dismiss him as unqualified for such an Expedition.

*August 29.* There is said to be a Scheme on Foot for redressing the Grievances complain'd of from sending Felons over into the Plantations, and at the same Time, for rendering them more serviceable to the Community; but in what Manner is not as yet publicly known.

*Aug. 31.* The King of Spain has made it Death for any of his



his Subjects that shall for the future be detected in a contraband Trade with the English, besides Confiscation of their Effects.

A numerous Colony is said to have been lately discovered in Greenland, on the other Side of the Mountains, to the Northward of Davis's Streights. They appear to be Christians, by the frequent Use of the Cross.

It is said there is a Scheme on Foot for making the several Jails in this Metropolis larger, and consequently less unwholesome than they are at present; and for establishing some Kind of Manufacture in each of them, that the Industrious may have an Opportunity of maintaining themselves at least, if not of procuring their Liberty, by their own Labour.

The Whispers of the minor Politicians, in reference to certain Changes, are so irreconcilable and improbable, that wise People conclude them groundless; and that unless Death interferes, there will be no Removes of any Consequence before the next November Meeting.

By the freshest Advices from the East Indies it appears, that the new Nabob set up by M. Dupleix, had begun his March some Time in December or January last, with a powerful Army of Indians, and a good Body of French Troops, towards Golconda, Capital of the Kingdom of the same Name, in order to take Possession of it. These Advices confirm the former Account of the vast Booty made by the French in the Camp of the late Nabob, great Part of which, M. Dupleix has honestly and properly applied towards paying off all the Company's Debts in India.

#### ANNAPOLIS.

On Wednesday Morning last, about two of the Clock, a most horrid and premeditated Murder was committed in Baltimore County, on the Body of *Sarah Clark*, and was attempted likewise on her Husband *John Clark*. By what we can learn, this Affair was contriv'd some Time before by one *John Berry*, Son in Law to *Clark*, who propos'd to make himself Master of *Clark's* Money, and then to marry an Orphan Girl, named *Sarah Catcham*, who had been brought up by *Clark's* first Wife; to set two Servants (a Man and a Woman) free; to give a little Boy (an indentured Servant) a Horse and Saddle, and so to enjoy the Estate: That about a Fortnight before the Perpetration of this horrid Fact, *Berry* took the four last mentioned into the Woods, and having acquainted them with his Intentions, swore them all to Secrecy. The Time appointed for putting their Design in Execution being at hand, when *Clark* and his Wife were fast asleep in Bed, *Martha* with an Axe, and the Servant Woman with a Candle, went into the Room, and *Martha* gave Mrs. *Clark* several Blows on the Head with the Axe, which split her Skull in a terrible Manner, and kill'd her on the Spot; she then struck the Husband several Blows with it, which stunn'd him in such a Manner that they left him for dead; but afterwards perceiving some Life in him, the old Woman Servant told *Pat* to take a Shoemaker's Knife and cut his Throat, and make a Finish of it; she accordingly took the Knife and went towards the Bed; but her Heart failing her, the Knife fell out of her Hand. After this, they all cried out Murder, and a neighbouring Woman coming in, went to the Bed Side in the Dark, and feeling of Mrs. *Clark's* Head, her Fingers went quite into one of the Wounds in her Skull; whereupon she called to the Husband, and with some Difficulty awaked him; who sitting up in the Bed, put his Hand to his Face, which was all over Blood, and the Skin and Flesh hanging down over one of his Cheeks, and cried out, *Lord have Mercy upon me, what is the Matter with me? Why, says the Woman, Your Servants have murder'd your Wife by your Side, and almost murder'd you.* He turned towards his Wife, and finding true what his Neighbour had told him, made great Lamentation. The Woman immediately charged the Servant Woman and *Martha* with the Murder, for *Berry* and the Servant Man were gone out to call for Help, designing to lay the Murder on Persons unknown; and some People then coming in, they seiz'd the old Woman and *Pat*, and bound them, on which *Pat* confessed what she had done. They are both confined in *Joppa Goal*, as are also *Berry* and the other Man, and the Boy, who is about thirteen Years of Age; and it is not to be doubted but they will all receive the Punishment due for so horrid a Crime.

We hear from *Dorchester County*, that *Col. Henry Hooper*, *Mr. Charles Goldsborough*, *Col. Eunnalls Hooper*, and *Mr. Daniel Sullivan*, are chosen to represent that County.

In *St. Mary's County*, *Capt. Zachariah Bond*, *Major Abraham Barnes*, *Mr. James Mills*, and *Philip Key*, Esq; are elected for that County.

In *Caiwert County*, *Mr. James John Mackall*, *Mr. Benjamin Mackall*, junior, *Mr. Thomas Reynolds*, and *Mr. Edward Gant*, are elected for that County.

[The Publication of this Paper being delay'd till this Time, Thursday Evening, Nov. 28.] We can give an Account of the Election of Members for this County. The Poll began Yesterday Noon, and was just now closed, when *Mr. Thomas Worthington*, *Philip Hammond*, Esq; *Dr. Charles Carroll*, and *Major Henry Hall*, were declared duly elected.

The Poll for the several Candidates, on closing the same, stood thus: For *T. W.* 438; *P. H.* 383; *C. C.* 348; *H. H.* 344; *S. B.* 333; *E. D.* 290; *F. D.* 288. The Number of VOTERS was 660.

Mr. GREEN,

*As the Papists have craftily attached to their Interest some Gentlemen, who were Dissenters from the Church of England, under the Notion of their being subject to the Penalties of several Acts of Parliament in Force, within this Province, whereas in Fact, the Suggestion is in itself false, and it may be through Inadvertency or want of Attention, that any of his Majesty's Subjects within this Province dissenting from the Church of England, give Ear or Credit to such Allegations,*

*If you will please to give this Room in your next Gazette, to inform these worthy Subjects, that in the Body of Laws of this Province, (Page 48) they will find an Act, declaring several Acts of Parliament made in the Kingdom of England to be in Force, within this Province; and in which Act they see that the Act commonly called the Toleration Act, made in the first Year of the Reign of King WILLIAM and Queen MARY, entitled, An Act for exempting their Majesties Protestant Subjects, dissenting from the Church of England, from the Penalties of certain Laws, is in full Force within this Province, whereby, and other subsequent Acts of Parliament, they are secured against the Effect of the Penal Statutes, with which their artful Adversaries would endeavour to frighten them.*

I am,  
Yours and their Friend and Well wisher,  
A. B.  
November 22, 1751.

The Sale which was to have been at the House of Jonas Green, on Friday the 29th of this Month, is put off till Saturday the 7th of December next.

#### JUST PUBLISHED,

And to be Sold by the Printer hereof,

THE MARYLAND ALMANACK for the Year of our LORD 1752, calculated according to the late Act of Parliament for altering the Style, wherein is contained, the Motions of the Sun and Moon; the true Places and Aspects of the Planets; Rising and Setting of the Sun and Moon; Lunations; Conjunctions; Eclipses; Judgment of the Weather; Rising and Setting of the Planets; Rising, Setting and South-ing of the seven Stars; a Table of Interest; a Table of Expenses; Receipts, for curing a Flux, a Burn, a Pleurisy, an Ague, the Cholick, and Rheumatism or Pain in the Bones; a Description of the Roads; Courts in Maryland, Pennsylvania, and Virginia, &c. &c.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living at *Elk Ridge*, a Servant Man, named *Joseph Crawwell*, has a long Visage, and has many Stars on his Cheek Bone. Had on when he went away, a new white Cotton Jacket, a Pair of black Yarn Stockings, and Negro Flats.

Whoever secures the said Servant, and delivers him to the Subscriber, at *Elk Ridge*, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows, paid by

JONATHAN MULLINEUX.

THE Subscriber having lately received Directions from Mrs. *Mary Moore of Madeira*, to make Sale of a Parcel of likely young Negro Men, Women, and Children. There are therefore to give Notice, that on Saturday the 14th of December next, the said Negroes will be exposed to Sale to the highest Bidder, at Mrs. *Rachel Moore's* Plantation, on his Lordship's Manor, near *Pig Point*, for Bills of Exchange, Sterling, or Currency, and Time given for Payment, upon Security, if required.

RICHARD MOORE.



IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Jonathan Mullins at Elk Ridge, taken up as a Stray, a small Sorrel Horse, with a flaxen Mane and Tail, had a Bell on mark'd T C cut in the Bell, has no Gait at all, and has a little white in his Face.

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

TO BE SOLD by the Subscriber at his Store in London-Town,

VARIETY of European and India GOODS, proper for the Winter Season, at the lowest Prices, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit.

THOMAS MEIGHAN.

N. B. The said Thomas Meighan intending to leave this Province next Spring; all Persons indebted to him, are desired speedily to make Payment: And those who have any Demands, shall be paid on bringing in their Accounts.

THE Subscriber, some Time in June last, lent the Eleventh Volume of SWIFT'S Works, which the Borrower has not been so kind as to return: Whoever has the said Volume, is desired (either to borrow all the rest, or) to leave it with the Printer hereof.

W. WEBB

RAN away on Monday the 11th of this Instant November, from the Subscriber, living in Prince George's County, a Servant Man, named Ralph Sherlock, about 6 Feet high, aged 22 Years, he is somewhat pitted with the Small Pox, and is fresh coloured. Had on when he went away, a new Felt Hat, a Worked Cap, a dyed Cotton Waistcoat of a brownish Colour, an Ofsabrigs Shirt, a Pair of old Cloth Breeches, a Pair of whitish coloured Leggings, and new Shoes.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and so secures him, that he may be had again, shall have a Pistole Reward, besides what the Law allows, paid by

BENJAMIN DUNNALL, the Third.

STOLEN about a Month ago, by two Sailors, out of the North West Branch of Patapsco River, a Flat that will carry about 3 Hogheads of Tobacco, mark'd in the Stern with a Pair of Marking Irons, B P 1750 (the B P in a Diamond). Whoever takes up the said Flat, and gives Notice to the Printer hereof, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward; and if brought to the Subscriber in the North West Branch of Patapsco River, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, paid by

BRIAN PHILPOT, junior.

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Charles Ridgely, near the Head of South River, taken up as a Stray, a Black Horse, has a Star in his Forehead, a Snip on his Nose, about 12 Hands high, between 6 and 7 Years old, has no discernable Brand and is a Ridgling.

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

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Mr. Robert Tevis, in the Fork of Patapsco Falls, in Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray, a small Grey Mare, branded on the off Shoulder with B. she paces middling well when she goes fast, but poorly when she goes slow.

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

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Benjamin Wells, in Prince George's County, taken up as a Stray, a small Grey Gelding, branded on the near Shoulder with C or G.

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

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Thomas Eddler, Son of Daniel, at the Head of South River, taken up as a Stray, a Black Colt, undocked and unbranded, and has a Star in his Forehead.

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

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Joshua Jones, at Elk Ridge, taken up as a Stray, a Black Horse, about thirteen Hands high, branded C C on the near Buttock, and a Blaze in his Face.

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

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Samuel Wright, living in Talbot County, on the Head of Wye River, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Horse, branded on the near Side T H, was shod before, and paces a good travel.

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

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Phrayl Pain, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Bright Bay Mare, branded on the near Shoulder I C, about 13 Hands high, and a small Star in her Forehead.

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

STRAYS; There is at the Plantation of Capt. Richard Harwood, in Prince George's County, near Mr. Snowden's Works, one black and white Steer, about 5 Years old, mark'd with two Crops, and a Slit in the left Ear. One ditto, red and white, about 4 Years old, with the same Marks. An one Black Heifer, about 4 Years old, with the same Marks.

They have been at the above Plantation for near two Years and have been already advertised in Writing. The Owner may have them on proving his Property and paying Charges.

#### JUST IMPORTED,

And to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store in ANNAPOLIS,

BARBADOES Rum, Muscovado Sugar, Vidonia Wine, Lisbon Lemons, Castile Soap in Boxes, Chocolate, English Soal Leather, Cables and Cordage of all Sizes, Anchors and Ship Chandlery, with Variety of European and India Goods, by Wholesale and Retail, for Money, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco, at the lowest Prices. STEPHEN WEST, junior.

BROKE loose from a Schooner at the Mouth of South River, A Boat about 10 Feet Keel, very narrow, deep, and strong built: She drove ashore about 2 Miles above the lower End of Kent-Island. Whoever brings the said Boat to Annapolis, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward.

#### JUST PUBLISHED,

(Containing 24 Pages in Folio, very necessary to be known by all Dealers in Tobacco)

THE Act of Parliament, passed the last Session at Westminster, Entitled, An Act for the more effectual securing the Duties upon Tobacco. To be Sold by the Printer hereof, Price 2/6d.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in Annapolis, on the 10th October, a Mulatto Man, named James Anderson, a tall lusty Fellow, talks good English, and is a Carpenter and Sawyer by Trade. He had on when he went away, a blue Pea Jacket, Cotton Waistcoat and Breeches, good Shoes and Stockings, and his Hair when on, pretty grey. Whoever takes up the said Mulatto, and brings him to his Master, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

WILLIAM ROBERTS.

N. B. I should be very much obliged to any Person, who would be so kind as to inform me, by Letter or otherwise, which Way the said Mulatto is gone.

THE Subscriber intending for London early next Shipping, all Persons indebted to him are desired speedily to make Payment or settle their Accounts. Attendance will be given every Day at Mr. Wells's Store in Annapolis.

JAMES DICK



TO BE SOLD, at Public Vendue, to the highest Bidder,

A LOT containing one Acre, lying in Fairfax County, Virginia, upon Great Hunting Creek, at a Place commonly known by the Name of Cameron, within two Miles of Potomack River, convenient to two Landings upon the said Creek, in the Center of four very public Roads, leading up and down the Country, and exceeding well situated for Trade, upon which is a Dwelling House 26 Feet square, commodious, and neatly finish'd off, with a Cellar, the same Dimensions of a Brick Wall, 7 Feet deep, a Kitchen 24 Feet long and 18 wide, a Store House 24 Feet square, in which is a Counting Room 12 Feet by 16, with a Division in the back Part, 24 Feet by 8, Brick Chimneys to the Whole, and Weather boarded with Plank, a Garden 144 Feet square, with all convenient Out-houses, and the Whole paved in after the best Manner. The Purchaser to pay one Third of the Value in six Months, and the remaining two Thirds, at two annual Payments, after first giving Bond and good Security.

To be Sold likewise, Three Tracts of Land, one containing 575 Acres, lying within half a Mile of the said Buildings, very well timber'd, and good Ground sufficient to work several Hands.

One containing 236 Acres, lying within two Miles and a Half of the said Buildings, upon which is a Plantation, with a good Dwelling House, Tobacco House, and other Out-houses, paying yearly Rent, 630 Pounds of Tobacco, and no Lease granted.

The other containing 275 Acres, well timber'd, and lying within five Miles of the said Buildings.

To be Sold also, A Lot in Belhaven, very convenient to a Landing, upon which is a Warehouse, 36 Feet long and 24 wide, 4 Divisions below, 2 Grainaries above, and a Cellar the Dimensions of the House, of a Stone Wall, 7 Feet deep, a Room join'd to the Warehouse 12 Feet square, lath'd and plaster'd, with a Brick Chimney.

Twelve Months Credit will be given the Purchaser of the four last, on giving Bond and good Security; and the Sale of the Whole, to be on Tuesday the 10th of December next, at the Subscriber's Dwelling House in Cameron.

JOHN PAGAN.

ON the 29th of July last, was committed into the Custody of the Subscriber as a Runaway, a tall slim Negro Man, who speaks very little English; but as far as I can understand him, his Name is Glasgow, and belongs to one James Brown, a Merchant. Whoever owns the said Negro, on making his Property appear, paying the Charge of this Advertisement, and the Fees by Law established, may have him by applying to

JOHN HANSON, Sheriff of Charles County.

#### TO BE SOLD,

PART of a Tract of Land called Clagget's Forest, and other Lands adjoining thereto, lying near the Head of Bush River in Baltimore County, containing about Thirteen Hundred Acres.

Also, A Tract of Land lying in the said County, near the Branches of Deer Creek, called Bond's Gratiuity, containing Four Hundred Acres.

Any Person inclinable to purchase may know the Terms, by applying to

PHILIP THOMAS.

AS there may be some Books now in the Library of the late Rev. Mr. HENDERSON, which have been borrowed from his Friends, it is desired they will give Notice to the Subscribers what Books they are, that they may be reserv'd for them.

And all Persons who have any Books belonging to the said Mr. HENDERSON, it is hoped will send them as soon as possible to the Printer of this Paper, or to the Subscribers.

MARY HENDERSON, } Executors.  
ROBERT TYLER, junior. }

#### JUST IMPORTED,

In the NANCY, Capt. HENDERSON, from LONDON, And to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store opposite the Church, in ANNAPOLIS.

GREAT Variety of European and East-India GOODS, proper for the Winter Season, by Wholesale or Retail, at the lowest Prices, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit.

LIKEWISE,

West-India Rum, Arrack, London Porter, White Wine V. negar, Claron Water, Castile Soap, Muscovado Sugar, &c.

JAMES STEVENS, Taylor, (Son of JOHN STEVENS, Chandler and Grocer) lately come to Maryland, has an Uncle in this Country, one Mr. William Gray, who came from Fotheringhay in England some Years ago: Now this is to request the said Gray, if living, to let his said Nephew know in what Part of Maryland he lives, by a Line directed to the Printer of this Paper, for he has something of Consequence to communicate to him.

#### TO BE SOLD,

By the Subscriber, at his Store in ANNAPOLIS, by Wholesale or Retail.

SUNDRY Sorts of European Goods, Barbadoes and Antigua Rum, Muscovado Sugar, Linseed Oil, London and Bristol Crown Glais, 12 by 10, 11 by 9, 10 by 8, and 6 by 4 Inches square; also Diamond Glais; for Cash or Bills of Exchange, Tobacco, Corn, Wheat, Oats, Beans, Barley, Pork, Beef, Bees Wax, good Pine or Oak Plank, or Cypress Shingles.

PATRICK CREACH.

IF DAVID CUNINGHAME second Son to Sir JOHN CUNINGHAME of Robertland in Scotland, who came from thence to Virginia or Maryland about 22 Years ago, is alive, he may be informed of something to his Advantage, by applying to Mr. Robert Peter, Merchant in Bladenburg, or to Mr. William Cuninghame, Merchant, at the Falls of Rappahannock River, in Virginia.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Justices of Prince George's County, will meet at Upper Marlborough Town, at the Court-House, in the County aforesaid, on Friday the 29th Day of November, to treat with such Persons, who shall then offer to undertake Building a Public Prison for the said County, agreeable to the Act of Assembly, in that Case late made and provided.

Signed per Order,

JOSEPH SIM, Clerk of the said County Court.

ALL Persons indebted to the Printer hereof, for more than one Year's Gazette (and more especially those who owe for four or five Years) and those otherways indebted to him, are desired to comply with the Apostle PAUL's Injunction in his Epistle to the Romans, Chap. xiii. V. 7. *Render—te all their Dues,*—which will greatly oblige him [their humble Servant] and enable him to comply with the same great Apostle's Injunction in the next Verse, *Owe no Man any Thing, but to love one another.*

#### TO BE SOLD by the Subscriber,

THE following Tracts of Land, lying in Frederick County, viz.

One Tract, called Friendship, containing 400 Acres.

One Tract, called Gordon's Purchase, containing 150 Acres.

One Tract, called Exchange, containing 700 Acres.

Also a Lease for three Lives of a Tract of Land, called Fountain Rock Marsh, containing 500 Acres, being Part of his Lordship's Manor, lying in the said County, paying a yearly Quit Rent of Fifty Shillings Sterling.

Any Person or Persons inclining to Purchase, may be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale, by applying to the Subscriber.

JAMES DICK.