

MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JULY 6, 1769.

From the POLITICAL REGISTER, for April, 1769.

Account of the Proceedings at the King's-Arms Tavern in Cornhill, pursuant to an Advertisement inviting the Merchants, Traders, and principal Inhabitants of the City of London, to meet there on Wednesday the First of March, to consider of an Address to be presented to his Majesty.

WEDNESDAY, March 1.

A Meeting intended for the Gentlemen, Merchants, and Traders of the City of London, held at the King's-Arms in Cornhill, and convened not only by Letter particularly addressed to some chosen Persons, but by public Advertisement; about Thirty Gentlemen met, when Edmund Boehm, Esq; took the Chair. A Variety of Opinions were started. Much Confusion prevailed among the Gentlemen. Nothing was concluded but to adjourn that Meeting 'til next Wednesday, and then to consider if any Thing, and what should be done.

On this Occasion the following Speech it is said was addressed to the Chairman, by a Gentleman unknown, who retired as soon as he had concluded it.

S I R,

FROM the Pains which some Gentlemen have taken, and from the declared Purpose of the Invitation we have received, I expected to have found a much more numerous Assembly in this Place. The Appearance of a large Number of Gentlemen, let the Occasion be what it may, carries with it an Air of Importance, and though it is not sufficient to make their Proceedings either wise or respectable, it gives them the Sanction of Authority. I fear it will be found, upon Examination, that the Reasons of calling us together have been as little considered, as the Means of doing it with Credit and Success. It is so hasty and ill-concerted a Measure, that I am convinced it must be Ministerial; and that instead of answering its pretended Purpose of a Demonstration of Respect and Attachment to the Throne, it will furnish a most humiliating Proof, how little that declared Intention is regarded by the Public. But since we are assembled, it seems very proper for us to consider the Grounds and Pretences of this extraordinary Summons, that if they shall appear unjustifiable, or absurd, we may at least avoid being made a Second Time ridiculous in the Eyes of our Fellow Citizens.

If I am not mistaken then, it is meant, in the First Place, to present an Address to our most gracious Sovereign, full of general Assurances of Duty and Affection to his sacred Person and Family. We are then to express our Abhorrence of certain factious Proceedings, and the Authors of them, by which his Government has for a considerable Time past been disturbed; and particularly to declare our Disapprobation of certain Meetings and public Associations, by which we apprehend, the above Proceedings are supported. Now, Sir, if our Address were to be confined to a few unmeaning Compliments to the Throne, no Objection could possibly be raised against it: The present Occasion is as proper as any other; and if this were all, we might find the Business ready done to our Hands, in any one of the loyal Addresses which have been presented to his Majesty's royal Predecessors, from James the Second to the Commencement of the present most auspicious Reign. No Man feels greater Pleasure than I do, in being able to separate the personal Character of the best of Princes from the Administration of his Government; and, indeed, to what a desperate Condition would this Country be reduced, if those Objects were so united, that a loyal and affectionate People could not distinguish between them. In this View, then, our Address would be perfectly unexceptionable. It would be harmless, because it would be insignificant. But if, as we have too much Reason to suspect, it be meant to pay a Compliment to the present Ministry, we should previously enquire what Part of their Conduct deserves it. If that Enquiry should not turn out to their Advantage; to what End should we take upon us to contradict the general Voice and Sense of the Nation, but to make ourselves the Objects of universal Contempt?

Is there a Man among us so corrupted, or so shameless, as to affirm that there is either Ability or Integrity in the present Administration? If there be, let him stand forth; let us know him; let the Public know him—let him be marked out for the perpetual Scorn and Derision of his Country.

As to these Foreign Gentlemen, who appear so zealous for the Laws and Constitution of Great-Britain, I hope and believe they have a proper Sense of the Benefits they enjoy under both; but I think it would be more modest in them to leave the Care of these Matters to the Natives of the Country. We may at least be presumed to understand our own Affairs best, nor is it very decent for Strangers to offer us their Advice, or Assistance, before they are called upon. As to their laying them at the Feet of the Ministry, provided they do it in their own Language—If they would do Justice to their Delicacy on this touching Occasion, they must unite the melting Softness of low Dutch with the natural unaffected Sublimity of high German.

If, in the Second Part of our Address, we mean no more than a general Declaration of our Abhorrence of Faction, I shall only say, that the Design, though innocent enough, is too trifling and impertinent to justify this extraordinary Measure. But if we propose to give the Name of Faction to the present universal and well founded Discontent, let us consider a little, what Right we have, and how far it will be prudent in us, to set the Opinions of a few very inconsiderable Individuals, in Opposition to the united Voice of the whole People. If this be a Faction, I hope it will be found too strong for either Court or Ministry to resist. We shall be laughed at by the Public, and even the Ministry, who now set us on, will disown us.

But it seems there is a certain factious Meeting at the London-Tavern, which it becomes us to oppose, by a Counter-Meeting at the King's-Arms. Admitting the Necessity of this judicious Measure, let us, at least, endeavour to carry it through with Consistence; and, if we truly mean to oppose their Proceedings, let us begin with declaring our Abhorrence of their Principles. They profess that their Design is to support the Bill of Rights;—let us declare, that our Wishes and Designs are of a very different Nature. Their Declaration that they are independent of all Party, will naturally lead us to confess, that most of us are the Tools of the Ministry; and, as to what they say of the Liberty of the Subject, it will be hard if we cannot answer it with the Prerogative of the Crown.

There is one Article, in which, I believe, the Ministry would be glad to see us follow the Example of the other Assembly;—A Contribution ever so small, would be a seasonable Relief to them.—Whatever Use they may put our Address to, we may be very sure they will receive our Money with Respect. This will be at once the most acceptable Proof of our Loyalty, and an unquestionable Pledge of our Sincerity. Without some such collateral Evidence, I greatly fear that we shall neither be thanked for our Address, nor will any sober Man believe, that the Authors of this insignificant, and this absurd, and impertinent Project, could possibly be in earnest.

L O N D O N, April 16.

WE are informed, that during the Altercation among the Ladies at Bath, some Secrets were discovered by the contending Parties, that are likely to be attended with disagreeable Consequences, especially in Respect to one Lady who was positively charged with a faux pas previous to her Marriage, which the Husband thinks of so seriously, that if the Matter is not soon declared to his Satisfaction, a Separation is resolved on. It is added, that some of the Ladies lost their Temper so greatly, as to descend to mere Billinggate Language, such as to call their Antagonists B—s and W—s.

A Gentleman from Bath confirms the News of the Riot among the Belles and Beaux; and gives us the following farther Particulars: It began first upon Mr. Plomer's ordering a Bench to be set for some Ladies who came in late, before another that was full. The Hon. Mrs. O. a warm Friend of Major Brereton, insisted, if it was put before her, she should sit upon it; upon which one of the Ladies, for whom it was brought pushed her off, and this insult was returned by Mrs. O. with a back-handed Blow on the Head, that brought her Antagonist to the Floor; and then began the dreadful Conflict: The Gentlemen (who wear no Swords at Bath) fell to fifty Cuffs, the Ladies to pulling one another's Caps, so that the Floor was presently covered with Bags and Solitaires, laced Ruffles, Ladies Caps, Toupees, &c. Many Ladies fainted away, some turned sick and puked upon their Neighbours; in short, such a Scene of Confusion is never remembered to have been exhibited by so genteel a Company before. The Magistrates were engaged at the Town-Hall for some Hours afterwards, in taking Informations of Assault and Battery.

A Correspondent informs us, that the Disputes at Bath, concerning the Succession to the Office of Master of the Ceremonies, are at length happily concluded. Captain Wade is unanimously elected. Five Hundred Pounds of the Surplus of the Ball Subscription for the present Season is allowed to Major Brereton; and Mrs. Brereton is appointed a Benefit-Ball every Season, which Captain Wade obliges himself to make equal to 200l. per Annum, if the Receipts of the Night should fall short of that Sum. The Ball Subscription is settled for the future at Three-Guineas, instead of Two: The Guinea extraordinary, to be applied to the Use of the Master of the Ceremonies.

April 17. A certain patriotic Gentleman, possessed of 18,000 per Annum in Wales, who was confined to his Bed by the Gout, ordered himself to be dressed, was put into his Carriage, and polled at Brentford for Mr. Wilkes.

April 19. A Wag informs us, the present Ministers are in a deep Consumption, and that they are given over by their Physicians.

April 24. The Office of Ordinance have received Orders to get ready 10,000 Sets of new Arms with all Expenditure. As there are always Arms in the Tower for 60,000 Men at a Minute's Warning, and all the Arms of the reduced and disbanded Regiments at the End of

the last War are still at Hand, this Order occasions much Speculation.

If the Want of Spirit should permit the French to possess themselves of Corfica, our Mediterranean Trade will be ruined; and as our American Trade is more than half lost already, it seems probable that this unhappy Kingdom may be reduced to the Situation it was a Thousand Years ago, when it had no Trade by Sea, other than what was carried on in small coasting Vessels.

May 4. A Letter from Constantinople says, "Advice being received that a neighbouring Power to Poland had assembled an Army of 40,000 Men upon the Frontiers, the Porto demanded of the Minister from that Crown, with what View his Court has posted that Army; and as he has not given Satisfaction on the Subject, it is signified to him that he must give a positive Answer, since it greatly behoves the Grand Signior to know what to do in that Respect."

The Privy Council, which was to have been held on Friday, at St. James's, was postponed 'til this Day, which causes various Speculations.

We hear that Orders are given to all the principal Officers of each Department of S—e, not to be absent from Town this Week, on any Account whatsoever.

The following is a most circumstantial Account of the Proceedings at the Half-Moon Tavern, Yesterday, mentioned in our last. Edward Bond, Esq; was chosen Chairman. A Request for a Common Hall was agreed to, and immediately signed. About 12 o'Clock, the Chairman, attended by the whole Meeting, waited on the Lord Mayor, at the Mansion-House, to request his Lordship to call, as soon as possible, a Common Hall, in order to take the Sense of the Livery of London, on the Measures proper to be pursued by them under the present most alarming Situation of Affairs.—His Lordship received them with great Politeness; observed that the Request of so respectable a Part of the Livery of London demanded his most serious Attention; and that though there might be no President to justify him in complying with this Request of the Livery; yet, as it was a Matter of some Doubt, whether the Peculiarity of our present Circumstances would not justify the Peculiarity of the Measure, his Lordship resolved to take the Opinion of the Common Council on this important Point; and declared, that their Determination would be of great Weight with him; and it is said that a Common Council will be summoned for Friday next.

Upon calling up the Names on Monday Night, at the Ship Tavern, at Ratcliffe Cross, it appeared that 1424 Freeholders had then signed the Petition.

A counter Petition is preparing by the M—y, as a Kind of Remonstrance against the Mile-End Proceedings, and which is to be hawked round the Country to be signed. Many Bets are depending, and some very Considerable ones, that Twenty Names are not subscribed to it.

Mr. Serjeant Glynn has declared his Approbation of every Measure taken by the Freeholders of the County of Middlesex in the depending Petition, and fully approves of every Sentence of it, and will present it, so that all Reports to the contrary are false.

To the Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Middlesex.

GENTLEMEN, THE manly Perseverance, with the calm, but undaunted Spirit of your Conduct, this Day, in Support of the Freedom of Election, has crowned the just Expectations of the Public, and will for ever endear you to your Countrymen. The Honour I receive in being the Fourth Time elected your Representative to the great Council of the Nation, affects me in the most sensible Manner. My Gratitude shall appear in a Way worthy of such Constituents, worthy of such a Cause. Animated by your Example, and warmed, like you, with the holy Flames of Freedom, I shall, on every great Occasion, devote myself to the Good of the People, and Preservation of public Liberty. In this Cause I will act under your Auspices to the last Moment of my Life, fearless of the inestimable Value of the fundamental Rights and Liberties of the Body of this People, and has frequently cemented them with the Blood of her heroic Sons, of her truest Patriots.

If any further Violence should frustrate the Effects of this Day's Proceedings, your Steadiness, Gentlemen, in Support of a Free Election, must, at last succeed. The Kingdom is too jealous of its noble Privileges, and is inspired with too active Courage, to surrender the Right to the present, or any future Administration, or meanly acquiesce in being deprived of it. When the British Constitution preserves its ancient Form or Spirit, you will have always in the House of Commons a Representative of your own voluntary Choice. You have withstood the various Attacks of a dangerous Ministry, and your vigorous Defence of your just Claims has rendered all their Attempts fruitless. Every Act of Power and Artifice of Corruption have hitherto failed against your steady Virtue. The same Conduct regularly pursued, must, in the End, ensure you Success. The Privilege of this free Nation will be restored and confirmed. You will be revered as the Patrons of our Rights, and every future Age will pay to you the grateful Tribute, that the Liberty of England, in a most essential Point, was secured against the repeated Attacks of ministerial

Alexandria, April 25, 1769.

ISAAC PIERCE, Junior, BLOCK and PUMPMAKER from BOSTON, has lately settled in Alexandria, and proposes carrying on his Trade—Any Gentleman that will favour him with their Custom, may depend on being supplied with Punctuality, and on the most reasonable Terms. He has a good Assortment of Blocks now on Hand.

JUST IMPORTED, And to be sold, at my Store, in Baltimore-Town, Wholesale, on the very lowest Terms, for Cash or Country Produce.

A GREAT Variety of Irish Linens, Manchester Checks, Irish Poplins, Ginghams, Camblets, and other Goods. JOHN STEVENSON.

And to be sold at the same Store, A WELL assorted Cargo of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, Wholesale and Retail, imported in the Dolly and Betty, Capt. Matthew Craymer, from London. WILLIAM HAMMOND, & Co.

Just LAUNCHED, and to be SOLD, THE Hull of a Vessel, Fifty Feet Keel, Twenty-one Feet Beam, Nine Feet Hold, and Three Feet Eight Inches 'twixt Decks, with Masts, Yards, &c. for a Brigantine. Any Person inclinable to purchase, may view the same and know the Terms, by applying to the Subscribers, or either of them in Baltimore-Town, Maryland. (4w) THO. & NICH. JONES.

JUST IMPORTED, From London and Glasgow, and to be sold, by the Subscriber, at his Store, in Annapolis,

SUPERFINE Clothes, Six Quarter ditto, with Trimmings, German Serges, Wilson Cloth, Druggets, scarlet, blue and gray Bath Coatings, Kerseys, Frizes, Fearnoughts, Halfstiches, Flannels, Ofnabrigs, Brown Rolls, Dowlas, brown and white Russia Drabbs and Sheeting, Irish Linen and Sheeting, Brown Holland and Silefias, Mens and Boys Castor and Felt Hats, Writing Paper and Blank Books, with other Stationary, Turlington's Balsam, Stoughton's Bitters, Jesuits Bark, Weston's Snuff, Anchovies, Capers and Olives, plain and strip'd Camblets, Calimancoes, black Russel, Tammies, Durants, Florets and Shalloons, black and strip'd Lutefrings, Tanettes, Alamode, white Sarcenet, Mens and Womens Gloves, Silk Handkerchiefs, black Silk Mitts, black and white Blond Lace, Cap Wire, Gown Trimmings, Necklaces, Scots Silk and Thread, plain, spotted, sprigg'd and flower'd Lawns and Gauzes, Loom and Needle-Work Lawn Aprons, Lawn Handkerchiefs, Threads, Stays, green and yellow Canvass, Silk and Cloth Cardinals, Womens and Girls Hats and Bonnets, Bed Bunts and Ticken, Checks, Stamped Hollands, Table-Clothes and Napkining, Hand Umbrellas, Nails, Hoes, Sickles, Iron Tea-Kettles, Fryingspans, Spades, Scythes, and a Variety of other Ironmongery, Flaxseed Oil, ground and dry White-Lead, yellow Oker, Verdigrise, Vermillion, red-Lead, Prussian Blue, Fig Blue, Lampblack, Copperas, Saltpetre, Rofin, Alum, Poland Starch, Salad-Oil, Mustard, Corks, Cottonwick, Twines, Nutmegs, Cinnamon, Cloves, Pepper, Allspice, Böhena, Congo, Green and Hyfon Tea, Calicoes, Chintzes, Romal and Linen Handkerchiefs, Sail Duck, Scots Floor and Bed-side Carpets, Wool and Cotton Cards, Womens Stuff Shoes, Mens, Womens, Boys and Girls Leather Shoes and Pumps, Saddlery, Tin, Brass and Pewter Ware, Sheepskin Breeches, Worsted and Thread Breeches Patterns, Scots Plaid and Plaiding, Powder and Shot, Pipes, Role and Matchcoat Blankets, Rugs, Welsh Cotton, Barley, Cutlary, Hosiery, China, Glass, Stone and Earthen Ware, also barrell'd Pork, and a great many other Articles too tedious to mention. ROBERT COUDEN.

To be sold, on Tuesday the 1st Day of August next, on the Premises,

A TRACT of LAND, call'd, FOXE'S RACE, lying in Charles County, and situate on the Main Road leading to the Cool Springs, about Two Miles distant therefrom, on which is a good Dwelling-House, with other convenient Out-Houses, now in the Occupation of James Anderson. For Title and Terms of Sale, apply to the Subscriber living near Benedict. (4w) CHARLES SOMER SMITH.

George-Town, Patowmack, May 25, 1769.

LITTLE Regard being paid to our late Advertisement, we (once more) take this Method to advise our Friends and Customers, of our Intention to quit Store-keeping at this Place, and that we will consequently be under a Necessity of shortly settling our Accounts, and calling in our Debts. It is therefore requested that all Persons indebted to us, will speedily discharge the same; and that all such as cannot immediately Pay, may call and settle their Accounts. Such as neglect complying, may depend on having their Accounts speedily put into the Hands of a Lawyer.

We have yet on Hand, a small (tho' well assorted) Parcel of dry Goods, which will be sold at first Cost for ready Money, Wheat or Hemp. We also continue to sell the best Continent Rum, by Wholesale and Retail. (2m) JAMES HARRIS, and Co.

I AM retiring a few Miles out of Annapolis into the Country, for the Summer Season, shall be in Town frequently at my Office, and particularly on Fridays, to see that Business in the Law Way is dispatched, and Letters by the Post, or otherwise, answered.—Whatever I do undertake, my Clients may depend shall be faithfully conducted. J. HALL.

JUST IMPORTED.

In the Betty, Capt. James Hanrick, from London, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at his Store, near the Market-House, in Annapolis, very cheap, for Sterling Cash, or Current Money.

A N Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable to Summer and Winter Seasons. Also may be had as usual, Rum, Wine, Molasses, Coffee, Chocolate, Loaf and Brown Sugars, &c. PHILIP HAMMOND.

RAN away from the Elk-Ridge Furnace, a Convict Servant Man, named THOMAS JAMES, about 35 Years of Age, near 5 Feet 8 Inches high, has yellow Hair, light coloured Eyebrows, and shows much of the White of his Eyes; he has a down Look, but is pert and hafty in his Address: Had on, when he went away, a new Felt Hat, a blue Broad Cloth Jacket lined with white Flannel, a fine Linen Shirt, a striped Silk Handkerchief, Ofnabrig Trowsers, and a Pair of Dog-skin Pumps, with plain Copper Buckles.—Whoever apprehends the said Runaway, and brings him home, shall have, if taken Ten Miles from said Furnace, Thirty Shillings; if Twenty Miles, Forty Shillings; if Thirty Miles, Three Pounds; and, if out of the Province, Five Pounds Reward (including what the Law allows) and reasonable Charges, paid by CALEB DORSEY.

JAMES DICK & STEWART, Have just imported, in the Betty, Capt. Hanrick, from London, and the Patuxent, Capt. Lusk, from Glasgow, and have for Sale at their Stores, in Annapolis, and London-Town,

A GENERAL Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS.

Likewise, Spermaceti Candles, Mould and Dipr Tallow ditto, by the Box; Castile and Hard Soap, by the Box; Lintseed Oil, by the Barrel; Window Glass, 12 by 20, 12 by 30, and 10 by 8, by the Half Box; Madeira Wine, by the Pipe, Hoghead, or Quarter Cask; West-India Rum, by the Hoghead; single and double refined Sugar; coarse Salt; Pork, and Beef, by the Barrel.

Also, Sail-Duck; Anchors; Oakum; all Sorts of Ship Chandlery; and all Sizes of Cordage, made at Newington Rope-Walk, where Orders are complied with in the most speedy Manner. (5w)

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Thomas Turner, late of Anne-Arundel County, Brickmaker, are desired to make speedy Payment to the Subscribers; and those who have any Demands against said Estate, will please to make them known, that they may be paid off, by ANN TURNER, Administratrix, (5s) RICHARD ELLSON, Administrator.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Monday the Seventeenth Day of July next, on the Premises,

TWENTY-FOUR Acres, Part of a Tract of Land, situated on the North Branch of South-River, in Anne-Arundel County, Maryland; called Long-Venture, Twelve Acres whereof is well cleared mowable Meadow, producing upwards of Forty Thousand Weight of Hay per Year, which sells readily at Forty Shillings a Thousand at Annapolis, which is less than Eight Miles Distant: There is also on the said Land, a good Merchant-Mill, the Mill-House Thirty Feet by Twenty-Four, Two Story high, the Mill double Geer'd, and calculated for Two Pair of Stones, with Boulding-Chest, Bolting-Geers, and Hoisting-Jack, all in good Repair, and on an excellent Stream: There is also a good Frame Dwelling-House, Twenty-Four Feet by Sixteen, on the same Land.—Likewise on the same Day will be sold, in the same Manner, Sixty Acres, Part of a Tract of Land, situated on the South Branch of South-River, in the County and Province aforesaid, called Snowden's Reputation Supported, whereon is a remarkable good Single Geer'd Grift-Mill, and an excellent Fulling-Mill, well known by the Name of the Good-Intent, also a good Dwelling-House, and other convenient Houses thereunto belonging; these Mills are situated on a never failing Stream, and the Tide comes to the Mill Tale, the Profits of these Two Mills hath been upwards of Eighty Pounds a Year, clear of all Charges for several Years past, and the above Merchant-Mill the same, and may be made much better, and more beneficial; the Purchaser may have the Tools belonging to the Fulling-Mill if he chuses to Purchase. Sterling Cash, good Exchange Bills of Exchange, with a good Indorser (if required) will be taken, and that only, for Payment. The Purchaser may have Time for Part of the Purchase Money, on giving Bond on Interest with approved Security. The Sale to begin at One o'Clock. Any Person inclinable to purchase all or either of the said Mills, Lands, &c. may view the same, and know the Title, by applying to the Subscriber.

As the Subscriber hath many outstanding Debts, which hath been long due, he hopes those indebted will not delay Payment longer than the Saturday before the Sale above mentioned, as no longer Indulgence will be given, and he takes this Opportunity to thank his kind and indulgent Creditors, desiring at the same Time, that they will please to let him know their several Claims against him, at or before the Day of Sale above mentioned, that they may be settled and adjusted. (2s) JOHN DUCKER.

N. B. I still carry on the Fulling Business, and in case I sell my Mills, shall reserve Time to finish all the Work that comes in before the Day of Sale.

WILLIAM SLICER, CABINET and CHAIR-MAKER, at Mr. JAMES CASNAN'S, a little below the Market-House, in Annapolis.

TAKES this Method to inform the Public, that he makes and sells the following Articles, all constructed in the most neat and fashionable Manner, viz. Desks, Book-Cases, Escritoirs, Bureau, Card, Chamber, Parlour and Tea-Tables; Easy-Arm, Parlour, Chamber, and Corner Chairs; Settees, Clock-Cases, Couches, Dumb-Waiters, Tea Boards, Bottle-Boards and Bedsteads, &c. &c. &c.

Those Ladies and Gentlemen, and others, who please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Work done with Care and Expedition.

By Virtue of a Commission to us directed, from the High Court of Chancery, will be exposed to Public SALE, on Monday the 7th Day of August next, on the Premises,

A TRACT of LAND, called THE REGULATION, containing, by Patent, Five Hundred and Five Acres, (One Hundred whereof, are deemed foot of a Tract of Land, called SELDEN) in Baltimore County, about Eleven or Twelve Miles from Baltimore-Town, and on the Road from thence over Goose-Creek Falls, to York-Town. The Soil is exceeding good, and fit for Farming, and Plenty of Meadow may be made thereon. Any Person inclinable to view, may be shown the Premises, on applying to Mr. Edward Cockey, Mr. John Wilmet, or Mr. Benjamin Brown. The Title, and Conditions of Sale, will be made known on the Day of Sale. by DANIEL CHAMBER, SAMUEL YOUNG, JONATHAN FLOWMAN, JAMES GITTINGS.

To be SOLD, by the SUBSCRIBER, at Port-Tobacco, to the highest Bidder, on Wednesday the 9th of August next,

THREE improved Lots in the said Town, which were heretofore advertised in this Paper; also a Tract of Land containing 446 Acres, within a Mile and an Half of the said Place, called Hallow-venture Enlarged. As the Land and Lots, with Improvements, are well known, its needless to describe them here. Should any Person incline to purchase any of the Lots or Land, before the Day mentioned for Sale, they may know the Terms by applying to DANIEL JENIFER.

JUST OPENED, And to be sold by the Subscriber, lying in Church-Street, Annapolis, for ready Money, or short Credit.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable to the different SEASONS. THOMAS HYDE.

Baltimore-Town, May 13, 1769.

THE Subscriber having full Power to settle Accounts with all such Persons as are indebted to John Stewart, and John Stewart and Campbell, of London, Merchants, for Balances due on Accounts Current, for Dealings with Capt. Alexander Stewart, and Stewart and Lys, for Servants, and with Mr. William Lux, for Goods sold at Elk-Ridge Landing, gives this public Notice, once for all, that Suits will be commenced on all Accounts that remain open at the End of Six Weeks, from the Date hereof.—I, or Mr. Walter Dent, for me, will give constant Attendance at Elk-Ridge Landing, for the Purpose of settling the Accounts. WILLIAM RUSSELL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscriber has now a very good BLACKSMITH, well acquainted with making Ploughs, Axes, &c. He is also well acquainted with the Farriers Business, as he has been much employed in that Branch at home. I have also Two very good WHEELWRIGHTS, one of them is well acquainted with making all Kind of Carriage-Wheels, and the other has been chiefly used to make all Kind of Cart-Wheels, Drays, &c. Those Gentlemen, that will be pleased to favour me with their Commands, either in the Smith, or Wheelwrights Business, may depend on having their Work faithfully and well executed, and on the most reasonable Terms, by (2s) NATHANIEL ADAMS.

Any Gentleman that will favour me with their Horses, may have them shod at 3s. 9d. a Set.

Frederick County, April 4, 1769, THE Vestry of All-Saints Parish, having Authority to agree with Curates, to officiate in Three different Districts in the said Parish, (one of which is at present supplied) hereby give Notice, That any Clergyman of the Church of England, that can come well recommended, upon Application, shall be entitled to a Salary of One Hundred and Fifty Pounds Common Money, exclusive of Perquisites.—To prevent Disappointments, those who apply, are desired to correspond by Letter, to either Mr. Thomas Rowles, or George Mardock, in Frederick-Town, who are to notify the Receipt thereof to the Vestry. (2s) JOSEPH WOOD, Register.

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Account of the Proceedings at the King's-Arms Tavern in Cornhill, pursuant to an Advertisement inviting the Merchants, Traders, and principal Inhabitants of the City of London, to meet there on Wednesday the First of March, to consider of an Address to be presented to his Majesty.

WEDNESDAY, March 1.

A Meeting intended for the Gentlemen, Merchants, and Traders of the City of London, held at the King's-Arms in Cornhill, and convened not only by Letter particularly addressed to some chosen Persons, but by public Advertisement; about Thirty Gentlemen met, when Edmund Boehm, Esq; took the Chair. A Variety of Opinions were started. Much Confusion prevailed among the Gentlemen. Nothing was concluded but to adjourn that Meeting 'til next Wednesday, and then to consider if any Thing, and what should be done.

On this Occasion the following Speech it is said was addressed to the Chairman, by a Gentleman unknown, who retired as soon as he had concluded it.

S I R,

FROM the Pains which some Gentlemen have taken, and from the declared Purpose of the Invitation we have received, I expected to have found a much more numerous Assembly in this Place. The Appearance of a large Number of Gentlemen, let the Occasion be what it may, carries with it an Air of Importance, and though it is not sufficient to make their Proceedings either wise or respectable, it gives them the Sanction of Authority. I fear it will be found, upon Examination, that the Reasons of calling us together have been as little considered, as the Means of doing it with Credit and Success. It is so hasty and ill-concerted a Measure, that I am convinced it must be Ministerial; and that instead of answering its pretended Purpose of a Demonstration of Respect and Attachment to the Throne, it will furnish a most humiliating Proof, how little that declared Intention is regarded by the Public. But since we are assembled, it seems very proper for us to consider the Grounds and Pretences of this extraordinary Summons, that if they shall appear unjustifiable, or absurd, we may at least avoid being made a Second Time ridiculous in the Eyes of our Fellow Citizens.

If I am not mistaken then, it is meant, in the First Place, to present an Address to our most gracious Sovereign, full of general Assurances of Duty and Affection to his sacred Person and Family. We are then to express our Abhorrence of certain factious Proceedings, and the Authors of them, by which his Government has for a considerable Time past been disturbed; and particularly to declare our Disapprobation of certain Meetings and public Associations, by which, we apprehend, the above Proceedings are supported. Now, Sir, if our Address were to be confined to a few unmeaning Compliments to the Throne, no Objection could possibly be raised against it: The present Occasion is as proper as any other; and if this were all, we might find the Business ready done to our Hands, in any one of the loyal Addresses which have been presented to his Majesty's royal Predecessors, from James the Second to the Commencement of the present most auspicious Reign. No Man feels greater Pleasure than I do, in being able to separate the personal Character of the best of Princes from the Administration of his Government; and, indeed, to what a desperate Condition would this Country be reduced, if those Objects were so united, that a loyal and affectionate People could not distinguish between them. In this View, then, our Address would be perfectly unexceptionable. It would be harmless, because it would be insignificant. But if, as we have too much Reason to suspect, it be meant to pay a Compliment to the present Ministry, we should previously enquire what Part of their Conduct deserves it. If that Enquiry should not turn out to their Advantage, to what End should we take upon us to contradict the general Voice and Sense of the Nation, but to make ourselves the Objects of universal Contempt?

Is there a Man among us so corrupted, or so shameless, as to affirm that there is either Ability or Integrity in the present Administration? If there be, let him stand forth; let us know him; let the Public know him—let him be marked out for the perpetual Scorn and Derision of his Country.

As to these Foreign Gentlemen, who appear so zealous for the Laws and Constitution of Great-Britain, I hope and believe they have a proper Sense of the Benefits they enjoy under both; but I think it would be more modest in them to leave the Care of these Matters to the Natives of the Country. We may at least be presumed to understand our own Affairs best, nor is it very decent for Strangers to offer us their Advice, or Assistance, before they are called upon. As to their own particular Sentiments, I have no Objection to their laying them at the Feet of the Ministry, provided they do it in their own Language.—If they would do Justice to their Delicacy on this touching Occasion, they must unite the melting Softness of low Dutch with the natural unaffected Sublimity of high German.

If, in the Second Part of our Address, we mean no more than a general Declaration of our Abhorrence of Faction, I shall only say, that the Design, though innocent enough, is too trifling and impertinent to justify this extraordinary Measure. But if we propose to give the Name of Faction to the present universal and well founded Discontent, let us consider a little, what Right we have, and how far it will be prudent in us, to set the Opinions of a few very inconsiderable Individuals, in Opposition to the united Voice of the whole People. If this be a Faction, I hope it will be found too strong for either Court or Ministry to resist. We shall be laughed at by the Public, and even the Ministry, who now set us on, will disown us.

But it seems there is a certain factious Meeting at the London-Tavern, which it becomes us to oppose, by a Counter-Meeting at the King's-Arms. Admitting the Necessity of this judicious Measure, let us, at least, endeavour to carry it through with Confidence; and, if we truly mean to oppose their Proceedings, let us begin with declaring our Abhorrence of their Principles. They profess that their Design is to support the Bill of Rights;—let us declare, that our Wishes and Designs are of a very different Nature. Their Declaration that they are independent of all Party, will naturally lead us to confess, that most of us are the Tools of the Ministry; and, as to what they say of the Liberty of the Subject, it will be hard if we cannot answer it with the Prerogative of the Crown.

There is one Article, in which, I believe, the Ministry would be glad to see us follow the Example of the other Assembly;—A Contribution ever so small, would be a seasonable Relief to them.—Whatever Use they may put our Address to, we may be very sure they will receive our Money with Respect. This will be at once the most acceptable Proof of our Loyalty, and an unquestionable Pledge of our Sincerity. Without some such collateral Evidence, I greatly fear that we shall neither be thanked for our Address, nor will any sober Man believe, that the Authors of this insignificant, of this absurd, and impertinent Project, could possibly be in earnest.

L O N D O N, April 16.

WE are informed, that during the Altercation among the Ladies at Bath, some Secrets were discovered by the contending Parties, that are likely to be attended with disagreeable Consequences, especially in Respect to one Lady who was positively charged with a *faux pas* previous to her Marriage, which the Husband thinks of so seriously, that if the Matter is not soon declared to his Satisfaction, a Separation is resolved on. It is added, that some of the Ladies lost their Temper so greatly, as to descend to mere Billinggate Language, such as to call their Antagonists B—s and W—s.

A Gentleman from Bath confirms the News of the Riot among the Belles and Beaux; and gives us the following farther Particulars: It began first upon Mr. Plomer's ordering a Bench to be set for some Ladies who came in late, before another that was full. The Hon. Mrs. O. a warm Friend of Major Brereton, insisted, if it was put before her, she should sit upon it; upon which one of the Ladies, for whom it was brought pushed her off, and this insult was returned by Mrs. O. with a back-handed Blow on the Head, that brought her Antagonist to the Floor; and then began the dreadful Conflict: The Gentlemen (who wear no Swords at Bath) fell to fifty Cuffs, the Ladies to pulling one another's Caps, so that the Floor was presently covered with Bags and Solitaires, laced Ruffles, Ladies Caps, Toupees, &c. Many Ladies fainted away, some turned sick and puked upon their Neighbours; in short, such a Scene of Confusion is never remembered to have been exhibited by so genteel a Company before. The Magistrates were engaged at the Town-Hall for some Hours afterwards, in taking Informations of Assault and Battery.

A Correspondent informs us, that the Disputes at Bath, concerning the Succession to the Office of Master of the Ceremonies, are at length happily concluded. Captain Wade is unanimously elected. Five Hundred Pounds of the Surplus of the Ball Subscription for the present Season is allowed to Major Brereton; and Mrs. Brereton is appointed a Benefit-Ball every Season, which Captain Wade obliges himself to make equal to 200l. per Annum, if the Receipts of the Night should fall short of that Sum. The Ball Subscription is settled for the future at Three-Guineas, instead of Two: The Guinea extraordinary, to be applied to the Use of the Master of the Ceremonies.

April 17. A certain patriotic Gentleman, possessed of 25,000 per Annum in Wales, who was confined to his Bed by the Gout, ordered himself to be dressed, was put into his Carriage, and polled at Brentford for Mr. Wilkes.

April 19. A Wag informs us, the present Ministers are in a deep Consumption, and that they are given over by their Physicians.

April 24. The Office of Ordinance have received Orders to get ready 20,000 Sets of new Arms with all Expedition. As there are always Arms in the Tower for 60,000 Men at a Minute's Warning, and all the Arms of the reduced and disbanded Regiments at the End of

the last War are still at Hand, this Order occasions much Speculation.

If the Want of Spirit should permit the French to possess themselves of Corsica, our Mediterranean Trade will be ruined; and as our American Trade is more than half lost already, it seems probable that this unhappy Kingdom may be reduced to the Situation it was a Thousand Years ago, when it had no Trade by Sea, other than what was carried on in small coasting Vessels.

May 4. A Letter from Constantinople says, "Advice being received that a neighbouring Power to Poland had assembled an Army of 40,000 Men upon the Frontiers; the Porto demanded of the Minister from that Crown, with what View his Court has posted that Army; and as he has not given Satisfaction on the Subject, it is signified to him that he must give a positive Answer, since it greatly behoves the Grand Signior to know what to do in that Respect."

The Privy Council, which was to have been held on Friday, at St. James's, was postponed 'til this Day, which causes various Speculations.

We hear that Orders are given to all the principal Officers of each Department of S—e, not to be absent from Town this Week, on any Account whatsoever.

The following is a most circumstantial Account of the Proceedings at the Half-Moon Tavern, Yesterday, mentioned in our last. Edward Bond, Esq; was chosen Chairman. A Request for a Common Hall was agreed to, and immediately signed. About 12 o'Clock, the Chairman, attended by the whole Meeting, waited on the Lord Mayor, at the Mansion-House, to request his Lordship to call, as soon as possible, a Common Hall, in order to take the Sense of the Livery of London, on the Measures proper to be pursued by them under the present most alarming Situation of Affairs.—His Lordship received them with great Politeness; observed that the Request of so respectable a Part of the Livery of London demanded his most serious Attention; and that though there might be no President to justify him in complying with this Request of the Livery; yet, as it was a Matter of some Doubt, whether the Peculiarity of our present Circumstances would not justify the Peculiarity of the Measure, his Lordship resolved to take the Opinion of the Common Council on this important Point; and declared, that their Determination would be of great Weight with him; and it is said that a Common Council will be summoned for Friday next.

Upon calling up the Names on Monday Night, at the Ship Tavern, at Ratcliffe Cross, it appeared that 1224 Freeholders had then signed the Petition.

A counter Petition is preparing by the M—y, as a Kind of Remonstrance against the Mile-End Proceedings, and which is to be hawked round the Country to be signed. Many Bets are depending, and some very Considerable ones, that Twenty Names are not subscribed to it.

Mr. Serjeant Glynn has declared his Approbation of every Measure taken by the Freeholders of the County of Middlesex in the depending Petition, and fully approves of every Sentence of it, and will present it, so that all Reports to the contrary are false.

To the Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Middlesex.

GENTLEMEN,
THE manly Perseverance, with the calm, but undaunted Spirit of your Conduct, this Day, in Support of the Freedom of Election, has crowned the just Expectations of the Public, and will for ever endear you to your Countrymen. The Honour I receive in being the Fourth Time elected your Representative to the great Council of the Nation, affects me in the most sensible Manner. My Gratitude shall appear in a way worthy of such Constituents, worthy of such a Cause. Animated by your Example, and warmed, like you, with the holy Flames of Freedom, I shall, on every great Occasion, devote myself to the Good of the People, and Preservation of public Liberty. In this Cause I will act under your Auspices to the last Moment of my Life, fearless of Danger in Behalf of a Nation, which knows the inestimable Value of the fundamental Rights and Liberties of the Body of this People, and has frequently cemented them with the Blood of her heroic Sons, of her truest Patriots.

If any further Violence should frustrate the Effects of this Day's Proceedings, your Steadiness, Gentlemen, in Support of a Free Election, must, at last succeed. The Kingdom is too jealous of its noble Privileges, and is inspired with too active Courage, to surrender the Right to the present, or any future Administration, or meanly acquiesce in being deprived of it. When the British Constitution preserves its ancient Form or Spirit, you will have always in the House of Commons a Representative of your own voluntary Choice. You have withstood the various Attacks of a dangerous Ministry, and your vigorous Defence of your just Claims has rendered all their Attempts fruitless. Every Act of Power and Artifice of Corruption have hitherto failed against your steady Virtue. The same Conduct regularly pursued, must, in the End, ensure you Success. The Privilege of this free Nation will be restored and confirmed. You will be revered as the Patrons of our Rights, and every future Age will pay to you the grateful Tribute, that the Liberty of England, in a most essential Point, was secured against the repeated Attacks of ministerial

Despotism, by the Perseverance, Firmness, and Fortitude of the Freeholders of Middlesex.

I shall always remain, GENTLEMEN, Your grateful and obedient humble Servant, JOHN WILKES.

To the Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Middlesex.

GENTLEMEN, WARMLY impress with the Goodness of my Friends, I mean to return Thanks, in Person, to those who honoured me with their Support and Appearance at Brentford the Day of Election; but I cannot deter this public and sincere Acknowledgement of so singular a Favour.

My grateful Thanks are likewise due to such Freeholders of Middlesex as were prevented by an Impression of repeated Outrage, from carrying their good Intentions towards me into Execution, and I must lament with them, that Eleven Hundred Forty three Votes, out of above Four Thousand, should arrogate a Right of pronouncing the comprehensive Sense of the County of Middlesex.

You have many of you, Gentlemen, endeavoured to rescue your Country from Distraction and Disorder, it shall be my unalterable Study to promote its Peace, Honour, and Prosperity.

I am, with the utmost Respect, Your much obliged and faithful humble Servant, HENRY LAWES LUTTRELL.

TO THE PRINTER.

COLONEL LUTTRELL, in his Address to the Freeholders of Middlesex, laments that the 1143 Freeholders, who voted for Mr. Wilkes, should be considered as the Sense of the County: But have not the Freeholders greater Reason to lament, that 296 of his Votes should be considered as the Sense of the County?

BOSTON, June 19.

Saturday last ended the Trial of the Persons charged with the Murder of Lieut. Panton, when a Decree was given in, Justifiable Homicide, and the Prisoners set at Liberty.

The same Day the Sheriff of the County went on board his Majesty's Ship Rose, and arrested Mr. Peacock, a Midshipman on board said Ship, in an Action of Damages, for firing upon, and wounding in the Arm, one of the Accessaries charged with the Murder of Lieut. Panton, to which Mr. Peacock gave Bail in the Sum of 300l. Lawful Money.

By Captain Wylie from Hispaniola, we hear, that the Disturbances at that Island have entirely subsided.

We hear that Mr. Otis has lately received a very polite Letter from the celebrated Mrs. Macaulay, with a Copy of her History elegantly bound: This Lady is Sister to John Sawbridge, Esq; Member for Hythe in Kent, and Chairman of the Supporters of the Bill of Rights.

We hear from Providence, that on the 18th of May last, in the Evening, a great Number of People riotously assembled in that Town; and violently seized Jesse Saville, a Tidesman belonging to the Custom-House of the said Port, who was then attending his Duty there, and having gagged and put him in a Wheelbarrow, almost strangled, they carried him to a Wharf, where they threatened to drown him if he made the least Noise; tied a Handkerchief round his Face, cut his Cloaths to Pieces, stripped him naked, covered him from Head to Foot with Turpentine and Feathers, bound him Hands and Feet, threw Dirt in his Face, and repeatedly beat him with their Fists and Sticks, then threw him down on the Pavements, cut his Face, and bruised his Body in a most barbarous Manner; during which inhuman Treatment, which lasted an Hour and an Half, he was near expiring, and now lies dangerously ill. The Commissioners of his Majesty's Customs, have promised a Reward of 50l. Sterling, to be paid upon the Conviction of any of them.

NEW-YORK, June 26.

Capt. Henderson from Baltimore, in Maryland, arrived at Cadiz the 25th of April; and Capt. Auld from Philadelphia, was bound from Cadiz for Genoa.

Tuesday last for London, the Ship Dutchess of Gordon, Capt. Winn, in whom went Passengers, her Grace the Dutchess of Gordon, the Lady of his Excellency Sir Henry Moore, Col. Staats Morris, Master William Gage, Son of his Excellency the General, Miss Ritchie Franks, Miss Burges, Miss Conor, Capt. Davis, of the Royal Artillery, Capt. Stanton, and about Twenty other Passengers.

Yesterday Major Rogers arrived here from Montreal.

Extrañ from General Orders, New-York, May 8, 1769.

The Court is of Opinion, That Major Robert Rogers is not guilty of any one of the Articles laid to his Charge; and therefore doth acquit him of the same.

His Majesty is pleased to approve the Opinion of the Court, in acquitting the said Major Robert Rogers of each of the said Articles of Charge, and to order that he be released from his Confinement.

At the same Time it appears to his Majesty, that there was great Reason to suspect the said Major Robert Rogers entertaining an improper and dangerous Correspondence; which Suspicion, the Account afterwards given of his meditating an Escape, tended to confirm.

RICHARD MAITLAND, D. A. G.

ANNAPOLIS, July 6.

By particular Desire, we insert the following, from a late New-York Paper.

AS the Measures entered into by the Merchants of Boston, and this City, (and lately adopted by the Gentlemen of Philadelphia,) to restrict the Importation of Goods from Great-Britain, until the Act imposing Duties on Paper, Glass, &c. shall be repealed; appear of all legal Means the best calculated to effect this salutary Purpose: It must afford the highest Satisfaction to every Friend to Freedom, and our excellent Constitution, to hear that they are closely and generally adher'd to; as the very Existence of American Li-

erty depends on the steady Prosecution of these Measures, it is of the last Importance to secure them from a Failure. Each Individual may render his Country a Service in this Respect, by endeavouring to discountenance, or prevent, all private Infractions of the Agreement: These are what we have to guard against with the utmost Vigilance, for few Men (however base and fordid some are) would be hardy enough to stand forth to public View, and openly expose themselves to the Contempt and Abhorrence of their Fellow Citizens, when Numbers might be tempted to raise their Fortune on the Ruins of their Country, provided there was a Probability of attaining this End without injuring their Characters.

In Justice to the Public, we conceive we cannot discharge the Trust reposed in us as a Committee to inspect and inquire into the Importation of Goods, without informing them that Alexander Robertson, has, contrary to the Spirit of said Agreement, order'd sundry Goods from Philadelphia, and has attempted to introduce them into this City, but was prevented by the Patriotic Conduct of a Gentleman in the Jerseys, who on examining the Packages, and finding they contained Goods prohibited by the Agreement, gave Intelligence accordingly: These Circumstances without a Comment, are submitted to the Consideration of the Public. The Reason Mr. Robertson alleges in Vindication of this imprudent Step is; that, "as the Philadelphia had acceded to the Agreement, he thought himself at Liberty to purchase Goods from them;" but finding the Public displeas'd with his Conduct, he immediately gave an Order for sending the Goods back again to Philadelphia.

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Of great Importance to the Public.

THE specious Reason assigned by Alexander Robertson, in Mr. Gaine's last Paper, relative to his attempting to introduce into this City, certain Goods therein mentioned, contrary to the Agreement subscribed by the Merchants, Traders and Mechanics of this City, "That as the Philadelphians had acceded to the said Agreement, he thought himself at Liberty to purchase Goods from them; but finding the Public displeas'd with his Conduct, he immediately gave an Order for sending them back again to Philadelphia;" proves to have been calculated only to amuse, the better to carry his dark Designs into Execution.—As it appears clearly, that notwithstanding his pretended inoffensive Intentions and seeming great Penitence and Contrition, for (as he would have had it believed) his inadvertent Transgression; he the said Alexander Robertson, not having the Love of his Country at Heart, but being instigated by the sordid Views of a little paltry Gain, hath most notoriously and wilfully committed a high Crime and Misdemeanor against the Liberties of the People of this City in particular, and of the American Colonies in general.—For instead of sending the Goods back again to Philadelphia, it was discovered, and afterwards confirmed by his own Confession, that an arrant Piece of Fraud had been by him premeditated to have been imposed on the respectable Public.—As the Driver of the Stage Waggon, one Skilman, by the Connivance and Approbation of him the said Alexander Robertson, had emptied the Casks, and carried them back to Philadelphia without the Goods, which were put into Bags and left in the Cellar at the Ferry House, in order afterwards to be privately and clandestinely introduced into this City.—And so strenuously did he, the said Robertson deny, when first taxed with his being privy to so dirty a Trick, that he offered to purge himself by Oath; but Circumstances appearing so very strong against him, and his Fears beginning to be alarmed for the Consequences which might ensue; he was prevailed upon by a Gentleman to confess the Truth, as the best Apology he could make for an Offence of so high and daring a Nature; and although he is too contemptible to be the Object of that heavy Repentment, to which one in a higher Sphere of Life would probably and deservedly have been subjected; yet he ought not to escape quite unnoticed—and it is not doubted but that all Ranks and Degrees amongst us, both of Men and Women, will unite in all legal Means to shew their just Abhorrence and Detestation of such scandalous Practices, that they will avoid any Connections and all Intercourse with him, treat him on all Occasions with the Contempt he deserves, regard him in the odious Light of an Enemy to his Country, and by every other justifiable Means in their Power, deter others from following his infamous Example.

To be sold at Public Vendue, by the Subscribers, at the Coffee-House, in Annapolis, on Wednesday the Ninth Day of August next, the following Land and Negroes, conveyed to them in Trust, by Mr. John Wilmot, viz.

A TRACT call'd DINAH'S FANCY, granted to John Wilmot, for 215 Acres, lying on a Draft of Pipe-Creek, call'd Silver-Run, in Frederick County, and near John Logsdall's, who will show the Land.

A TRACT call'd DINAH'S GOODWILL, granted to said John Wilmot, for 314 Acres, lying likewise in Frederick County, near Simon Miller and Andrew Young, either of which Persons will show the Land.

A Tract lying on the Head of South-River, in Anne-Arundel County, call'd SNOWDEN'S REPUTATION SUPPORTED, containing 1304 Acres. On this Plantation there is a Dwelling-House, Kitchen and Corn-House, an Orchard fenced in, containing 230 Apple-Trees, and the Plantation in every other respect in good Repair. There is likewise on said Plantation, a new Stone Dwelling-House, 34 Feet long and 20 Feet wide, with a Cellar, the whole Length and Breadth of the House, a new Kitchen, Oven, and a Garden 100 Feet Square, new paved in. The last mentioned House was intended for a Tavern, and is conveniently situated for that Purpose; it is not quite finished, but there is every Material on the Spot, ready for completing it, the Doors and Window Sashes being already made. Also Six likely NEGROES, consisting of Men, Women and Children.—The Title and Terms of Sale may be known by applying to

NICHOLAS MACCUBBIN, JAMES DICK.

Baltimore-Town, June 25, 1769. Imported, by HUDSON and THOMPSON, in the Ship NEAT and large Assortment of European and East-India GOODS, suitable for the Wholesale or Retail, on low Terms, viz. No. 1, to 14, Warrington Sail Cloth, low priced Middling and Superfine Broad Cloths, ditto Forrest Plains, German Serges, Tammies, Durants, Duroys, Sagathies, Calimancoes, Shalloons, blue and white Delph Bowls, in Mogheads, sorted Sizes, brown, white, mottled, clouded, and coloured Thread Stockings, a large and general Assortment of Saddle Trimmings, from the Tree to the smallest Article, used in that Branch, 3 d. 4 d. 6 d. 8 d. 10 d. 12 d. 20 d. and 30 d. Nails, Scupper Nails, Sprigs, Tacks, Sheet Lead, Deep Sea-Lines and Leads, Spun-Yarn, Houlline, Marline, Compasies, Hour, half Hour, Minute, and half Minute Glasses, Iron Pots, Irish Linens, Sheetings, brown and white Dowlas, Galix, Pomerania Linens, German and English Osnabrigs, brown Rolls, Cotton and Thread Laces, Gartrings, Nonfopretties, Bindings, Fillettings, Incles, Tapes, Bobin, Shirt Buttons, 3-4, 7-8, yard wide, yard 1-8 and 6-4 Cotton and Linen Checks, stamped and checked Linen Handkerchiefs, Cotton Gown Patterns, Cotton Hollands, striped Cotton, Nankens, dyed and white Pillow Fustians, Jeans, Jeanet, Everlastings, Thicksets, Bed Bunts, Tickings, Silk Mozeens, Silk Tobines, Damascufes, Larettes, Gingham, sorted Crates of Stone-Ware enambed and white, Crates of Tea-Cups and Saucers, ditto of Tea-Pots, ditto of Plates and Dishes, sorted Boxes of Glass-Ware, Window Glass, Pewter Dishes, Plates, Basons, Tin-Pans, Table, Tea, and Soup Spoons, large and small Copper Tea-Kettles, Quart Tankards, Tea-Canisters, a large and general Assortment of Cutlery and Hardware, too tedious to mention, blistered and square Steel, Cabinetmakers and Joiners Tools, Castor and Felt Hats, Shammy Skins, fine grained Sheepskins, Sheepskin-Breeches, Threads of all Sorts, home-made Cotton Checks, Womens coloured and white Lamb and Kid Gloves and Mitts, Mens and Boys coloured and white Leather Gloves, Hair Sifters, Wheat Riddles, Wire Sieves, Furniture for all Sorts of Cabinetmakers Work, single refined Loaf Sugar by the Hoghead, Saffron cut Tobacco, Snuff, Durham Mustard, sorted Boxes of Hard-Ware, Grindstones, Womens Calimanco and Everlasting Shoes and Pumps, Mens Leather Shoes and Boots, Writing Paper, Blank Books, Dutch Quills, Ink-Powder, Waters, red and black Sealing-Wax, Pocket Books, Bibles, Testaments and Books for Children, bottled Beer, Corks, stain'd Chairs, Basket and Death-head Buttons, Silk and Hair T'wist, sorted Boxes of fresh Linens, Silk Knee Garters, Laces and Purfes, Ferrets, figurd and plain Ribands, double and single Sattin ditto, Saracenet and Love ditto, Stock Tape, Culge Handkerchiefs, black Cravats, Barcelona ditto, Italian Crapes, figurd and plain Sattins, figurd and plain Hoods, Sattin Peeling, Alamode, figurd and plain Saracnets, Lutefrings, Mulline, Cotton, and undreit figurd and striped Gauzes, plain Cyprus Gauzes, plain and figurd Lawns, of all Sorts, Lawn Handkerchiefs, Whitechople Needles, Silver and Gold Twist Buttons, Leghorn Hats, Belladine Silk, broad and narrow black Lace, Blond and Thread ditto, Chip Hats, Silk and Sattin Ladies Dress Hats and Bonnets, Ladies Dress Caps, Skelton Wire, Snail and Garland Trimmings, Tinsel and Flower Egrets, French Flowers, Long Lawns, Kenting Handkerchiefs, stamped Linens, Calicoes, stamped Cottons, Indian Chints, Huccaback Diaper, Clouting ditto, Diaper and Damask Table-Clothes, Hummums, Cotton and Silk Romals, Bandannos, Lungees, China Tassies, different coloured Perfians, striped and plain Sattins, Mantuas, Ducapes, wrought Thread-Sattins, Mahogany and Paper framed Looking-Glasses, Womens Cotton, Silk, and Thread Mitts, Worsted Hose and Breeches Patterns, Hogarth's Prints, painted on Glass, the 12 Months on Glass, Horse Hair Furniture, Buckrama, glaz'd Linens, Russia Drabs, Pasteboards, Ounces and Paper Pins, all Sorts of Brushes and Hair Brooms, Liverpool fine Bag Salt, and a Parcel of Coals, &c. &c.

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To be CHARTERED.

THE Ship GALE, burthen 280 Tons; will take a Freight to any Part of Europe. For Particulars, apply to Hudson and Thompson, Baltimore-Town.

All Persons indebted to the Estate of Francis Waring, deceased, are desired to make immediate Payment, and all those who have any Demand against said Estate, are desired to bring them in, that they may be settled, by LEONARD WARING, Acting Executor.

JOHN HART LOVE, Late from Mr. WILLIAM SIMPSON, Barber and Peruke-Maker.

HAS now opened a Shop, at the House of Mr. Nathaniel Adams, opposite Mr. Nathan Hammond's Store, near the Dock in Annapolis, where he intends to carry on the said Business as usual. He makes all Sorts of Ladies Curls, Rolls, and Gentlemens Perukes in the neatest and newest Fashion. Those Ladies and Gentlemen that please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on being faithfully served with the utmost Dispatch.

N. B. He likewise takes this Opportunity to return his unfeigned Thanks, to those Gentlemen from whom he has received particular Marks of Favour.

To be sold by the Subscriber, M'Bryde, in Charles Co. of August next, at 2 o'Clock of London Bills of Exchange.

PLEASANT, healthfull, and pleasant, lying within a short Distance of the City, called HADLOW, adjoining, called HITCH, SERVE, PARR, and WAC, containing about 550 Acres for either Tobacco, Corn, or a good Meadow of natural Acres of low Ground with Seed, by the Fall.—The turgage.—The Lands are very good Fences, on which valuable Improvements, Feet by 18, filled in with Rooms below, with Three Two Shed Rooms and a not finished.—A Kitchen the Floor laid with Plain Brick Chimney.—A Cellar with Tile, under pine plaitered.—A Cella Brick, 10 Feet Square, a Smoke-House 16 Feet boarded.—A Quarter Brick Chimney.—A Store in with Brick, the Store Foot Shed the Length of underneath 16 Feet Square.—A Barn 40 Feet by 16.—A Threshing Floor 12 Inch Oak Plank.—A Lath Barn and Corn-House, 80 Feet Square, House 40 Feet by 20, House 100 Feet long.—and many other Houses Two Tenants. Also 160.—A good Apple Orchard of Land call'd SYMP, West Side of Piles's, good rich Soil, and well timbered, and produce small Grain as any Land Tobacco-House, Cow an excellent Stream Mill.—Another laid out for 100 Acres Miles from Bryan-Town, the Soil good, Corn, and small Grains good.—Any Person applying to David O. The Premises may be any Time before the

THE FULLING-River, is now ready for Work; it will all Sorts of Clothes blue excepted, unless As the insupportable section of a Number of Parts of the Cloth, and as this is profecuted, the manufacture of Woollen the oppressive Men by the Mother-Country, necessary for our own al thod'd manufacture. It is hoped that proprietors desire the by the Person who solutely necessary to who will favour me having it finished as possible Dispatch; of every Piece of Cloth Letters of his or hers

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PROPOSALS FOR CONTINUING AND IMPROVING THE PENNSYLVANIA CHRONICLE, AND UNIVERSAL ADVERTISER. (At the moderate Price of Ten Shillings per Annum) BY WILLIAM GODDARD.

(To be embellished with Copper Plates, which, if sold separate, could not be afforded for the Price of a Year's CHRONICLE.)

THE Printer of the PENNSYLVANIA CHRONICLE, &c. having instituted his Paper with a View of serving the Public, (as well as to obtain for himself such moderate Subsistence as one of his Profession as a Right to expect) is very desirous to extend its Utility...

The extraordinary Expenses that the Printer must necessarily incur, by providing these Improvements, will require further Encouragement, and induce him, whilst he is returning Thanks to his present generous Subscribers, to solicit the Favour of others...

The constant Attention the Printer has always shewn to gratify the Public, the open and impartial Manner in which he has managed his Press, unbiassed by Party, the free Access every Man has to it in private Disputes, without Prejudice or Affection to either Side...

N. B. The greatest Attention will be paid to the regular Dispatch and Delivery of the Papers in Town and Country.

RAN away, on the 31st of May, from the Subscriber's Plantation, in Synapuxon Neck, in Worcester County, a Servant Man named CON ROURKE; born in the West of Ireland, he is a thick well set Fellow, about 5 Feet 8 or 10 Inches high...

The above Con Rourke has since changed his Name to James Campbell.

JUST IMPORTED, In Capt. Craymer, from London, and to be sold, by William Lux & Bowly, at their Store, in Baltimore-Town.

A LARGE Quantity of Sail-Cloth from No. 1 to 8, Anchors and Ship Chauldery of all Sorts, Osnabrig, Checks, Irish Linens, Nails, Rugs and Blankets, &c. Also Cordage of all Sizes, made at Chalf-worth Rope-Walk.

STRAYD or stolen from the Subscriber, on Tuesday the 26th of June last, Two likely Chair-Horses, the one a middle and the other a bright bay; the middle bay is near Fourteen Hands and an Half high...

JUST IMPORTED, In the Isabella, Capt. Spencer, from Bristol, and to be SOLD, by Wholesale,

A PARCEL of well assorted GOODS, about £. 1500 Sterling prime Cost. For Terms apply to Mr. John Brice, Annapolis, Messrs. Smyth and Sudler, Chester-Town, or JAMES CHESTON.

ALL those who have any Claims against the Estate of Captain Alexander Stewart, late of Baltimore-Town, deceased, are desired to inform in their respective Accounts duly proved, that they may be paid; and all such as are indebted to the said Estate, are requested to settle speedily with SARAH STEWART, Administratrix.

June 27, 1769.

To be SOLD, by the SUBSCRIBER, A VALUABLE Tract of LAND, in St. Mary's County, about One Mile from Leonard-Town, on Wednesday the 2d of August next, at the House of Timothy Bowes. The Plantation contains between Four and Five Hundred Acres of Land, good for either Corn or Tobacco...

N. B. There is a great Quantity of very fine Marsh Ground on the said Tract of Land.

June 22, 1769.

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away last Monday Night, from the Subscriber, living in Kent County, Maryland, Two Convict Servant Men, viz. MICHAEL HEWNE, or KEIRN, born in Germany, and is by Trade a Tailor; he is slim made, has a thin Visage, dark Complexion, black Hair, and an old Sore on his Head...

NATHANIEL POWELL, about 30 Years of Age, a slim made Fellow, thin Visaged, dark Complexion, thick black curled Hair, which grows very low down his Back, is an Englishman born, talks much in the West Country Dialect, and has a very down Look; he undertakes Plowing, Reaping, and Mowing...

Whoever takes up said Servants, and brings them home, if taken out of the Province, shall have a Reward of Ten Dollars; if in the Province, Six Dollars, for either, and for both, the above Reward, paid by R. ORESHAM.

It is supposed they went off in a Canoe, and made down the Bay, from Chester River.

STOLEN, or STRAYED, from the Subscriber's Plantation, in last Whitsunday Week, a gray MARE, and a Year old foal roan Mare COLT. The Gray Mare is about Nine Years old, 13 Hands and an Half high, has a large Scar upon the right Side of her Weathers, and the Brand, if any, is forgot. She trots and gallops, and is used to the Draft. Whoever delivers them, or secures them, so that he may get them again, may receive a Reward of Fifteen Shillings, from THOMAS HALL.

JUST IMPORTED, In the Betsey, Capt. Hanrick, from London; and to be Sold by John Moale, at his Store, near the public Wharf, Baltimore-Town.

A COMPLEAT and large ASSORTMENT of Spring and Summer GOODS.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Joseph Chapline, late of Frederick County, deceased, are requested to make immediate Payment; and all those who have any Claims against said Estate, are desired to bring them in, that they may be adjusted. WILLIAM CHAPLINE, JOSEPH CHAPLINE, JAMES CHAPLINE, Executors.

To be sold by the Subscriber, at the House of Mr. Hugh M'Bryde, in Charles County, on Monday the 21st Day of August next, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Cash, or London Bills of Exchange at 30 Days Sight,

A PLEASANT, healthy, and well-water'd PLANTATION, lying within Two Miles of Piles's Warehouse, called HADLOW, and other Tracts of Land adjoining, called HITCHEN, CROPPER's RE-SERVE, PARR, and WOOD's LOW GROUNDS, containing about 550 Acres; the Soil is very good, fit for either Tobacco, Corn, or Small Grain...

June 25, 1769.

THE FULLING-MILL at the Mouth of Patuxent River, is now provided with a good Fuller, and ready for Work; such as fulling, dying and pressing all Sorts of Clothes and Worsted Stuffs, scarlet and blue excepted, unless dyed before sent to the Mill. As the insupportable Inconvenience attending the Collection of a Number of small Debts, from various distant Parts of the County, must be obvious to every one; and as this expensive Undertaking was begun and prosecuted, principally to encourage the Manufacture of Woollen Country-Cloth, at a Time when the oppressive Measures, lately adopted and pursued by the Mother-Country, render it indispensably necessary, for our own Well-being, that every Individual should manufacture as much as in his Power lies...

WILLIAM SCOTT.

THE Subscribers being confined in Prince-George's County Jail, for Debt, give Notice to their Creditors, that they intend to apply to the next General Assembly of this Province, for their Relief and Enlargement. EDWARD GILPIN, ALFORD BURCH, JAMES CRAFT, CLEMENT HILL.

COMMITTED to St. Mary's County Jail, as Run-aways, the Two following Servants, viz. DANIEL MURPHEY, an Irish Lad about 17 or 18 Years of Age, and says he belongs to Mr. Benjamin Allein of Anne-Arsundel County.

TIMOTHY M'CARTY, an Irishman, about 25 Years of Age, and says he belongs to Mr. Henry Jones, of said County. Their Masters are desired to take them away and pay Charges, to ROBERT WATTS, Sheriff.

June 28, 1769.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscribers living near Pig-Point, on Sunday the 18th Instant, Two Indentured Irish Servants, viz. DANIEL MURPHY, aged about 17 or 18 Years, about 5 Feet high, a thick well set Fellow; Had on, and took with him, when he went away, Two Osnabrig Shirts allittle worn, a Pair of Crocus Trousers and an old Felt Hat; he hath a remarkable large Scar on one of his Legs, and as soon as spoke to will put his Hand to his Head. TIMOTHY CARTHAY, by Trade a Weaver, is about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, is full faced, has black Hair and Eyes, and a Kind of a Hollow on his right Cheek. His Apparel is unknown. Whoever will secure them in any Jail, so that their Masters may get them again, shall be entitled to the above Reward, or Thirty Shillings for either of them, paid by BENJAMIN ALLEIN, HENRY JONES.

And to be sold, at my Store, in Baltimore-Town, Wholesale, on the very lowest Terms, for Cash or Country Produce,

A GREAT Variety of Irish Linens, Manchester Checks, Irish Poplins, Gingham, Camblets, and other Goods. JOHN STEVENSON.

And to be sold at the same Store, A WELL assorted Cargo of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, Wholesale and Retail, imported in the Dolly and Betsey, Capt. Matthew Craymer, from London. WILLIAM HAMMOND, & Co.

George-Town, Patowmack, May 25, 1769.

LITTLE Regard being paid to our late Advertisement, we (once more) take this Method to advise our Friends and Customers, of our Intention to quit Store-keeping at this Place, and that we will consequently be under a Necessity of shortly settling our Accounts, and calling in our Debts. It is therefore requested that all Persons indebted to us, will speedily discharge the same; and that all such as cannot immediately Pay, may call and settle their Accounts. Such as neglect complying, may depend on having their Accounts speedily put into the Hands of a Lawyer.

We have yet on Hand, a small (tho' well assorted) Parcel of dry Goods, which will be sold at first Cost for ready Money, Wheat or Hemp. We also continue to sell the best Continent Rum, by Wholesale and Retail (2m) JAMES HARRIS, and Co.

JAMES DICK & STEWART,

Have just imported, in the Betsey, Capt. Hanrick, from London, and the Patuxent, Capt. Lusk, from Glasgow, and have for Sale at their Stores, in Annapolis, and London-Town,

A GENERAL Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS.

Likewise, Spermaceti Candles, Mould and Dipt Tallow ditto, by the Box; Castile and Hard Soap, by the Box; Lintseed Oil, by the Barrel; Window Glass, 12 by 10, 11 by 10, and 10 by 8, by the Half Box; Madeira Wine, by the Pipe, Hoghead, or Quarter Cask; West-India Rum, by the Hoghead; single and double refined Sugar; coarse Salt; Pork, and Beef, by the Barrel.

Also, Sail-Duck; Anchors; Oakum; all Sorts of Ship Chandlery; and all Sizes of Gordage, made at Newington Rope-Walk, where Orders are complied with in the most speedy Manner. (5w)

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Monday the Seventeenth Day of July next, on the Premises,

TWENTY-FOUR Acres, Part of a Tract of Land, situated on the North Branch of South-River, in Anne-Arundel County, Maryland; called Long-Venture, Twelve Acres whereof is well cleared mowable Meadow, producing upwards of Forty Thousand Weight of Hay per Year, which sells readily at Forty Shillings a Thousand at Annapolis, which is less than Eight Miles Distant: There is also on the said Land, a good Merchant-Mill, the Mill-House Thirty Feet by Twenty-Four, Two Story high, the Mill double Geer'd, and calculated for Two Pair of Stones, with Boulting-Chest, Bolting-Geers, and Hoisting-Jack, all in good Repair, and on an excellent Stream: There is also a good Frame Dwelling-House, Twenty-Four Feet by Sixteen, on the same Land.—Likewise on the same Day will be sold, in the same Manner, Sixty Acres, Part of a Tract of Land, situated on the South Branch of South-River, in the County and Province aforesaid, called Snowden's Reputation Supported, whereon is a remarkable good Single Geer'd Grist-Mill, and an excellent Fulling-Mill, well known by the Name of the Good-Intent, also a good Dwelling-House, and other convenient Houses thereunto belonging; these Mills are situated on a never failing Stream, and the Tide comes to the Mill Tale, the Profits of these Two Mills hath been upwards of Eighty Pounds a Year, clear of all Charges for several Years past, and the above Merchant-Mill the same, and may be made much better, and more beneficial; the Purchaser may have the Tools belonging to the Fulling-Mill if he chuses to purchase. Sterling Cash, good London Bills of Exchange, with a good Indorser (if required) will be taken, and that only, for Payment. The Purchaser may have Time for Part of the Purchase Money, on giving Bond on Interest with approved Security. The Sale to begin at One o'Clock. Any Person inclining to purchase all or either of the said Mills, Lands, &c. may view the same, and know the Title, by applying to the Subscriber.

As the Subscriber hath many outstanding Debts, which hath been long due, he hopes those indebted will not delay Payment longer than the Saturday before the Sale above mentioned, as no longer Indulgence will be given, and he takes this Opportunity to thank his kind and indulgent Creditors, desiring at the same Time, that they will please to let him know their several Claims against him, at or before the Day of Sale above mentioned, that they may be settled and adjusted, (ts) JOHN DUCKER.

N. B. I still carry on the Fulling Business, and in case I sell my Mills, shall reserve Time to finish all the Work that comes in before the Day of Sale.

The above Sale is put off 'til Tuesday the First Day of August next, if fair; if not, the next fair Day shall be the Day of Sale, and no Excuse to be made.

In the Betsey, Capt. James Hanrick, from London, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at his Store, near the Market-House, in Annapolis, very cheap, for Sterling Cash, or Current Money,

A N Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable to Summer and Winter Seasons. Also may be had as usual, Rum, Wine, Molasses, Coffee, Chocolate, Loaf and Brown Sugars, &c. PHILIP HAMMOND. (w4)

By Virtue of a Commission to us directed, from the High Court of Chancery, will be exposed to Public SALE, on Monday the 7th Day of August next, on the Premises,

A TRACT of LAND, called THE REGULATION, containing, by Patent, Five Hundred and Five Acres, (One Hundred whereof, are deemed soul of a Tract of Land, called SELSED) in Baltimore County, about Eleven or Twelve Miles from Baltimore-Town, and on the Road from thence over Gunpowder Falls, to York-Town. The Soil is exceeding good, and fit for Farming, and Plenty of Meadow may be made thereon. Any Person inclining to view, may be shewn the Premises, on applying to Mr. Edward Cockey, Mr. John Wilmot, or Mr. Benjamin Bowen. The Title, and Conditions of Sale, will be made known on the Day of Sale. by DANIEL CHAMIER, SAMUEL YOUNG, JONATHAN PLOWMAN, JAMES GITTINGS. (ts)

To be SOLD, by the SUBSCRIBER, at Port-Tobacco, to the highest Bidder, on Wednesday the 9th of August next,

THREE improved Lots in the said Town, which were heretofore advertised in this Paper; also a Tract of Land containing 446 Acres, within a Mile and an Half of the said Place, called Haber-venture Enlarged. As the Land and Lots, with Improvements, are well known, its needless to describe them here. Should any Person incline to purchase any of the Lots or Land, before the Day mentioned for Sale, they may know the Terms by applying to DANIEL JENIFER. (ts)

Virginia, April 18, 1769.

T O B E S O L D,

A VALUABLE Tract of Land, in Loudoun County, about Five Miles from Leesburg, on the main Road that leads from Pennsylvania to Carolina, containing 429 Acres, well watered and timbered, whereon is a good Dwelling-House, with Two Rooms on a Floor, and a Stone Chimney, with a Fire-Place in each Room; a Cellar, the same Bigness of the House, walled with Stone; a good Kitchen, with a Stone Chimney; Meat-House; Dairy; Cern-House; Negro-Quarter; and an extraordinary good Barn, 54 by 24 Feet, with a Threshing Floor, 24 Feet Square. There is upwards of 100 Acres of Land clear'd, all fresh and good; Eight Acres of Meadow made, all under a good new Fence, and much more Land very suitable for making good Meadow.—Also a Lot in Leesburg, with a Brick-House, Two Story high, and all Conveniences for keeping a Tavern, or Store, in the most public Part of the said Town; and about Eight Acres of good Meadow adjoining the said Town; all which can be overflowed with a good Stream running through it, already ditched, and under a good Fence. The Terms of Sale may be known, by applying to the Subscriber, living on the said Lot, in the Town of Leesburg. Time will be given for Payment. CRAVIN PEYTON.

May 26, 1769.

THE Subscribers are appointed a Committee of Frederick County Court, to inspect the Public Records of the said County, and Papers in the Clerk's Office, and agreeable to Instructions, we do give this Public Notice, that we intend to meet at the Clerk's Office in Frederick-Town for this Purpose, on Monday the Fourth Day of September next, when all Persons who apply, may have their Deeds and other Writings compared with the Records. ANDREW HEUGH, THOMAS PRICE, JEN. CAMPBELL, THO. SPRIGG WOOTTON.

Baltimore-Town, May 13, 1769.

THE Subscriber having full Power to settle Accounts with all such Persons as are indebted to John Stewart, and John Stewart and Campbell, of London, Merchants, for Balances due on Accounts Current, for Dealings with Capt. Alexander Stewart, and Stewart and Lux, for Servants, and with Mr. William Lux, for Goods sold at Elk-Ridge Landing, gives this public Notice, once for all, that Suits will be commenced on all Accounts that remain open at the End of Six Weeks, from the Date hereof.—I, or Mr. Walter Dent, for me, will give constant Attendance at Elk-Ridge Landing, for the Purpose of settling the Accounts. WILLIAM RUSSELL.

And to be Sold by the Subscriber, living in Church-Street, Annapolis, for ready Money, or short Credit.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable to the different SEASONS. THOMAS HYDE.

WILLIAM SLICER, CABINET and CHAIR-MAKER, at Mr. JAMES CANNAN'S, a little below the Market-House, in Annapolis,

TAKES this Method to inform the Public, that he makes and sells the following Articles, all constructed in the most neat and fashionable Manner, viz. Desks, Book-Cases, Escritoirs, Bureaus, Card, Chamber, Parlour and Tea-Tables; Easy-Arm, Parlour, Chamber, and Corner Chairs; Settees, Clock-Cases, Couches, Dumb-Waiters, Tea Boards, Bottle-Boards and Bedsteads, &c. &c. &c.

Those Ladies and Gentlemen, and others, who please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Work done with Care and Expedition.

Frederick County, April 4, 1769.

THE Vestry of All-Saints Parish, having Authority to agree with Curates, to officiate in Three different Districts in the said Parish, (one of which is at present supplied) hereby give Notice, That any Clergyman of the Church of England, that can come well recommended, upon Application, shall be entitled to a Salary of One Hundred and Fifty Pounds Common Money, exclusive of Perquisites.—To prevent Disappointments, those who apply, are desired to correspond by Letter, to either Mr. Thomas Bowles, or George Murdock, in Frederick-Town, who are to notify the Receipt thereof to the Vestry. (tf) JOSEPH WOOD, Registrar.

Piscataway, April 15, 1769.

To be SOLD, in large, or small Quantities, as may best suit the Purchasers,

A TRACT of LAND, lying in Frederick County, containing about 3500 Acres, called CALDONIA. Likewise one other Tract, adjoining, called HAWKINS'S RICH LAND, containing about 450 Acres. The Soil is rich, and the Land as level as common, in that Part of the Country, is well watered, and has several small Plantations on it.—The Purchaser or Purchasers, may have 3 or 4 Years Credit, on paying One Third of the Purchase-Money down, and giving Bond with Security, for the Remainder. For further Particulars apply to Mr. Charles Beatty, in Frederick-Town, or (tf) GEO. FRAS. HAWKINS.

ALL Persons indebted to James Buchanan, junior, Merchant in Glasgow, or to James and Robert Buchanan, Merchants there, for Dealings with Philip Briccoe, at Chaptico, are requested to come and make immediate Payment to Robert Buchanan, who will attend at John Briccoe's Store, there, for receiving the same, on Thursday the 1st of June next, and on every Thursday following, while he stays in the Country, which he proposes shall be but a few Months.

In the last Vessels, for Philip & John Briccoes Stores, at Newport, and Chaptico,

A NEAT ASSORTMENT of EAST-INDIA and EUROPEAN GOODS, and will be sold very Cheap, for ready Cash, or Tobacco.—Likewise to be sold, by the above Robert Buchanan, very low, and delivered at Lewellin's Warehouse, on Wicomico, a Parcel of large CHAMBER-COAL. (6w)

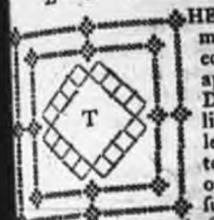
I HEREBY acquaint the Public, that I have at great Expence, furnish'd myself with good Boats, Hands, and other Necessaries, for keeping a Ferry from White-Rock-Hall, to Annapolis, Baltimore-Town, and elsewhere, and do propose keeping one well fix'd Boat, as a Packet to Annapolis, taking Subscriptions on the same Terms as others, to set Sail every Monday, at Nine o'Clock, and the next Day back to Rock-Hall. I have also another Boat, to go to Baltimore-Town, every Wednesday.—I likewise keep a House suitably furnish'd, for the Entertainment of Gentlemen and Ladies, with very good Pasturage and Stabling for Horses.—I doubt not, but upon Trial, the Swiftness, and good Accommodations of my Boats, the Skill and Diligence of my Hands on the Water, the civil Usage and good Entertainment of my House, will engage me the Custom, and good Report of Travellers. (6w) JAMES HODGES.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, or Mr. ANTHONY STEWART, in ANNAPOLIS,

A TRACT of LAND, lying in Dorchester County, called BROWN'S FOLLY, containing 930 1/2 Acres. It lies on the main Road that leads to the Bridge of Black-Water, adjoining to a Tract of Land belonging to Capt. William Buyes, and about 7 or 8 Miles from Cambridge. The Land is level, and exceedingly well timbered, with white and red Oak. The Title is indisputable. (tf) WILLIAM BROWN.

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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JULY 13, 1769.

L O N D O N, April 15.



HEY write from Lisbon, that his most faithful Majesty has founded a royal Printing-House, and appointed the Sieur Pagliarini, Director-General of it. Pagliarini was formerly a Bookseller at Rome, but was obliged to fly his Country, on Account of some Prosecutions which he suffered for printing an Answer of the Portuguese Ambassador, at Rome to some Letters that were published against his Court: The King of Portugal invited him into his Dominions, declared him a Portuguese Nobleman, with the Title of his Secretary of Legation, and gave him a Pension of 200 Crowns, and has now placed him at the Head of this new Printing-House, with very considerable Appointments.

Of all the Taxes ever proposed for the public Benefit, perhaps a high Duty on *keps Mistrasses* would be the most reasonable, and it would produce (if we judge from their Numbers) more Money than any Tax whatsoever.

A Match is talked of between a Noble Duke and the Daughter of the late Sir Samuel Fludyer, with a Fortune of 200,000l.

It is said his Grace the Duke of Grafton is in a Treaty of Marriage with a Lady of very great Fortune.

These are strange Times, for Matters of the utmost Moment remain in the greatest Uncertainty. Is John Wilkes, Esq; a Member for Middlesex, or not a Member? Is Col. Luttrell legally in Parliament, or not? If the Col. be legally in Parliament, who chose him? Certainly he must represent those who chose him. Did the County chuse him? Yes, if 290 odd are more than 1140 odd; but if he be not chosen by the County, but by the House, may he not be said to be the greatest Representative in Great-Britain? For does he not then represent all the rest of the Representatives?

May 4 A Lady of some Eminence at Bath, seeming delicious for some Days, the Faculty were consulted, and by the Experiment usual in that Disorder, shaving the Head, she came at once to her Senses. On examining her Hair, Four Pounds of Pomatum, One do. of Wool, and another of black Pins, were found mixed in it, which it is imagined had occasioned her Illness.

B O S T O N, June 15.

On Tuesday last a Committee of the Honourable House of Representatives waited on his Excellency the Governor with the following Message, viz.

May it please your Excellency,

THE House of Representatives have duly considered your Message of the 31st of May, and are sorry to find your Excellency declaring, that you "have no Authority over His Majesty's Ships in this Port, or his Troops within this Town; and that you can give no Orders for the Removal of the same."

We clearly hold, that the King's most excellent Majesty, to whom we have, and ever shall bear, and since the convening of this present Assembly we have sworn, true and faithful Allegiance, is the supreme executive Power through all the Parts of the British Empire; And we are humbly of Opinion, that within the Limits of this Colony and Jurisdiction, your Excellency is the King's Lieutenant, Captain-General and Commander in Chief, in as full and ample a Manner, as is the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, or any other his Majesty's Lieutenants in the Dominions to the Realm of Great-Britain appertaining.

From hence we think it indubitably follows, that all Officers, Civil and Military, within this Colony, are subject to the Order, Direction and Controul of your Excellency, so far at least as is necessary for the Safety of the People, and the Security of the Privilege of this House, as they are to the King's Majesty within the Realm. And tho' we admit, that Peace and War are in the King's Hand, and that it is an indisputable Part of the Royal Prerogative, necessary for the Preservation of the Common-Wealth, as all other well-grounded Prerogative Powers are, that to destine the Fleets, and march the Armies of the State to any Part of the World, where they may be necessary for the Defence and Preservation of the Society, belongs to the Crown; yet it is impossible to believe, that a Military Power or a Standing Army, procured and stationed here in Consequence of Misrepresentations of the Duty and Loyalty of his Majesty's Subjects of the Province, and suddenly quartered not only contrary to Act of Parliament, and to every Principle of Reason, Justice and Equity, but accompanied with every Mark of Contempt, Reproach and Insult, to as brave and loyal a People as ever served a Prince, can be uncontrollable by the supreme Executive of the Province; which, within the Limits of the same, is the just and full Representative of the supreme Executive of the whole Empire.

It is well known, that it is no uncommon Thing for Disturbances to happen in populous Cities; and such as have unfortunately taken Place in this Province, have been greatly misrepresented. We have not only been told of, but all Parts of the Empire have been alarmed with, Apprehensions of Danger to his Majesty's Government in North-America in general, and in this Province in particular, by Reason of the most ex-

aggerated Accounts of certain Disturbances, which however, have in every Instance been far, very far from being carried to that atrocious and alarming Length to which many have been in Britain, at the very Gates of the Palace and even in the Royal Presence.

It is most certain, that every Subject has a Right, to have the Rules of his Duty, Obedience and Allegiance clearly defined and determined; Hence it may be inferred, that very miserable is the Servitude of those, who know not, whether they are subject to an absolute Power, Civil or Military; or both, as may most effectually prosper the Machinations and fulfil the Purposes of Despotism.

It must be obvious to all Jurists, and to every Man endued with an ordinary Understanding, that the Doctrine your Excellency has been pleased to advance, in your Answer to the Message of the House, involves us in that State which is called by the Learned, *Imperium in Imperio*; or at least establishes a Military Power here, uncontrollable by any Civil Authority in the Province.

It has been publicly said, that the Military Power is become necessary in this Colony, to aid and support Civil Government; for which we have no less Authority than the Resolutions of the Two Houses of Parliament, and the Declaration of one of his Majesty's principal Secretaries of State: The Use of the Military Power to enforce the Execution of the Laws, is in the Opinion of this House inconsistent with the Spirit of a free Constitution, and the very Nature of Government. Nor can there be any Necessity for it; for the Body of the People, the *Posses Comitatus* will always aid the Magistrate in the Execution of such Laws as ought to be executed. The very Supposition of an Unwillingness in the People in general, that a Law should be executed, carries with it the strongest Presumption that it is an unjust Law; at least that it is unsalutary.—It cannot be their Law; for by the Nature of a free Constitution, the People must consent to Laws, before they can be obliged in Conscience to obey them.—In Truth, no Law however grievous, has been opposed in the Execution of it in this Province; and yet a Military Power is sent here purposely to aid in the Execution of the Laws: And what adds to the Injustice of those who procured this Armament is, that it was procured at the very Time when the People were dutifully supplicating the Throne for the Redress of Grievances, occasioned by Acts of Parliament for the Purpose of raising a Revenue in America.—We think we can infer from your Excellency's Declaration, that this Military Force is uncontrollable by any Authority in the Province: It is then a Power without any Check here, and therefore it is so far absolute.—An absolute Power which has the Sword constantly in its Hand, may exercise a rigorous Severity whenever it pleases—what Privilege, what Security is then left to this House, whose very Existence to any Purpose depends upon its Privilege and Security?—Nothing remains in such a State, if no Redress can be had from the King's Lieutenant in the Province, but that the oppressed People unite in laying their fervent and humble Petition before their Gracious Sovereign.

On Wednesday Morning his Excellency the Governor sent the following Message to the House by the Secretary; but the House having adjourned to this Morning, the Secretary then delivered the same, viz.

Gentlemen of the House of Representatives,

NOTWITHSTANDING the Doubts and Difficulties which you have expressed to me in your Message of this Day: It is certain that I have no Authority to give Orders for the Removal of the King's Ships out of the Harbour, or his Troops out of the Town: Whoever is acquainted with the Arrangement of the Commands in America, which are all derived from the same King, knows that it is so.

I am sorry that this Question should cause the Non-Activity of the Assembly for an entire Fortnight; the Expence of which has already cost the Province upwards of Five Hundred Pounds lawful; and is, for what I can see, still increasing; besides the Inconvenience accruing to Persons attending the General Court for Business, which falls harder upon them as Individuals, than Expences generally dispersed among the People.

I cannot sit still and see such a Waste of Time and Treasure to no Purpose. If therefore you still continue of the Opinion, "that the keeping an armed Force in this Town, and within its Harbour is a Breach of Privilege, and inconsistent with that Freedom with which you have a Right to deliberate, consult and determine," I must apply such Remedy as is in my Power to remove this Difficulty; and the only Means I have are to move the General Court to a Place where it cannot operate.

It is an indifferent Thing to me where the General Court is held: I know not that it is necessarily confined to any Town; that Town seems to be the most proper for it, where the Business can be most conveniently, for it, and readily done: And as it is apparent from your own Resolutions, and a Fortnight's Experience, that you do not think that this is, at this Time, a proper Town for the General Court to sit in; I shall remove it to Cambridge, against which Place no Objection, that I know of, can be formed.

PROVINCE-HOUSE, FRA. BERNARD.

June 14, 1769, The Secretary then, by Order of the Governor, adjourned the Court to Harvard-College in Cambridge, to Friday the 16th Inst. at Ten o'Clock Beforenoon.

June 19. On Friday Morning last, the Cannon at the Mainguard of the King's Troops, opposite the Court-House, were removed, and shipped on board one of the Cutters, as were also the other Stores belonging to the Detachment of the Royal Train of Artillery; the Company have since embarked, and all sailed for Halifax.

Yesterday the 65th Regiment began to embark from Castle-Island, on board several of his Majesty's Vessels, and are to sail this Week for Halifax; the Rippon Man of War will sail the same Time. The 64th Regiment is soon to embark for the same Place. The 29th Regiment is to go from Town, to the Barracks at Castle-Island. The 14th Regiment remains here.

June 22. Tuesday last a Committee of the Honourable House of Representatives, in General Court assembled at Cambridge, there waited on his Excellency the Governor with the following Message; being a Reply to his Excellency's Answer to their Message of the 13th Instant, viz.

May it please your Excellency,

AS you have not thought proper in your Reply to the Message of this House, of the 13th Instant, to throw any Light on the Subject, or invalidate the Principles we therein advanced, your Excellency will allow us to conclude, that those Principles were well grounded, and that there is no Reason for us to alter our Sentiments on this interesting Point.

You are pleased to intimate that much Time and Treasure has been spent in determining a merely speculative Question: The House regard a Standing Army posted within the Province in a Time of the most profound Peace, and uncontrollable by any Authority in it, as a dangerous Innovation; and a Guard of Soldiers with Cannon planted at the Doors of the State-House, while the General Assembly was there held, as the most pointed Insult ever offered to a free People, and its whole Legislative. This, Sir, and not the Question of your Excellency's Authority to remove his Majesty's Ships out of the Harbour, or his Troops out of the Town of Boston, was the principal Cause of the "Non-activity of the Assembly." Had your Excellency felt for the Assembly and the People over whom you preside, even though you had supposed yourself not properly authorised, you would have employed your Influence, at least, for the Removal of this Grievance; especially as his Majesty's Council, as well as this House, had before expressed to your Excellency their just Indignation at so unprecedented an Assent. But instead of the least Abatement of this Military Parade, the General Assembly has been made to give Way to an armed Force: As the only Means in your Power to remove the Difficulty we justly complained of, your Excellency has ordered a Removal of the General Assembly itself, from its ancient Seat and Place, where the Public Business has generally been done with the greatest Convenience, Ease, and Dispatch.—It is with Pain that we are obliged here to observe, that the very Night after this Adjournment was made, the Cannon were removed from the Court-House, as though it had been designed, that so small a Circumstance of Regard should not be paid to the Assembly, when convened by the Royal Authority, and for his Majesty's Service in the Colony.

You are pleased to pass a Censure upon this House, in saying that, "you cannot sit still and see such a Waste of Time and Treasure to no Purpose."—Those alone are answerable for any Expence of Time and Treasure on this Occasion, who have brought us into such a Situation, as has hitherto rendered our proceeding to Business incompatible with the Dignity, as well as the Freedom of this House.—No Time can better be employed than in the Preservation of the Rights derived from the British Constitution, and insinuating upon Points which, though your Excellency may consider as non-essential, we esteem its best Bulwarks.—No Treasure can be better expended than in securing that true old English Liberty, which gives a Relish to every other Enjoyment. These we have the Satisfaction to believe, are the Sentiments of our Constituents, to whom alone we are accountable how we apply their Treasure: And we are fully persuaded, from what we have already heard, that, notwithstanding the apparent Design of your Message to prejudice their Minds against us, what your Excellency is pleased to call our "Non-activity," will receive their Approbation, rather than their Censure; for an entire Fortnight spent in Silence, or a much longer Time, cannot be displeasing to them, when Business could not be even entered upon, but at the Expence of their Rights and Liberties, and the Privilege of this House.

June 26. Thursday last Capt. Stevens arrived here in 30 Days from Jamaica: On the 29th of May he saw a large Ship full of Soldiers, which shou'd Spanish Colours; and the Day following, off Cape Corrientes, he fell in with 4 more large Ships full of Soldiers, under Convoy of a Ship of the Line, and passed them within Pistol Shot, hail'd them Three Times, but could get no Answer; these latter were standing thro' the Gulf of Mexico, and supposed to be bound to the Mississippi.

Last Friday Morning Brigadier General Pomeroy set out for New-York, in order to embark in the Packet for England. This Gentleman has commanded the King's Troops here thro' the Winter, in such a Manner as to engage the Respect of the whole People; for altho' it is considered by the Province in general, as the greatest Injustice and Insult that this brave and loyal People ever experienced, the having Troops

quartered upon them for the Purpose of quelling a Rebellion that never had Existence, and for keeping good Order in a Town that is Second to none for due Obedience to all constitutional Laws; and however irreconcilable they ever will be to a Standing Army, or a Military Government, yet, they publicly declare, that this worthy good Officer, General Pomeroy's Conduct, has in every Respect done Honour to the Army, and as a Gentleman, his Departure is greatly regretted.

The Report of a French Fleet of Ten Sail of the Line being seen off Louisburg, and sundry other extraordinary Reports, relating to them, and Halifax, we can find no Foundation for.

His Majesty, by Writ of Privy Seal, has been pleased to issue his Royal Commission, bearing Date at Westminster the Seventh Day of October, in the Seventh Year of his Reign, authorizing and appointing John Temple, Esq; Lieutenant Governor of New-Hampshire, William Allen, Esq; Chief Justice of Pennsylvania, Peyton Randolph, Esq; Attorney-General and one of the Council for Virginia, Benjamin Franklin, Esq; Postmaster-General of North-America, Andrew Elliot, Esq; Receiver General of Quit-Rents, Samuel Holland and William Debraham, Esqs. Surveyors General of Lands in the Northern and Southern Districts of America, Charles Morris, Esq; one of the Council of New-Scotland, Andrew Oliver, Esq; Secretary of the Province of Massachusetts-Bay, Charles Sturges, Esq; of Quebec, and Jarad Ingersoll, Esq; of Connecticut, or any Five of them, to ascertain, settle, and determine the Boundary Line between the Two Provinces of New-York and New-Jersey, in such a Manner as from sufficient Evidence produced to them, shall appear just and equitable. And we hear the 18th of next Month is the Day appointed for said Commissioners to meet at the City of New-York, to proceed on the Business of their Commission.

NEW-YORK, June 29.

Extract of a Letter from Philadelphia, June 27.

"A Ship from Bristol, is arrived in Maryland, by which we have the following Letter from a Gentleman to a Merchant in this City, dated Bristol, April 17.

"I find some People here are evading the Resolution of your Merchants. Large Quantities of Goods now are shipping for Maryland, which are intended for your Place and New-York."

Extract of a Letter from Boston, dated June 19.

"We have a strong Report, that a French Fleet has been seen on the Coast. Perhaps either Quebec or Halifax may be their Destination. The 65th Regiment embarks To-morrow for the last Place, and the 64th is soon to follow. Our Assembly have now been sitting near Three Weeks, and have yet done nothing. They are now adjourned to Cambridge, where besides that they are not insulted by the Appearance of a Military Force, they manifest their Adherence to their constitutional Rights, and do not even in Appearance acquiesce under the degrading Encroachments that have been made upon them."

Captain Hamilton, in 7 Weeks from Cadiz, informs us, that a few Days before he failed from thence, Advice was received there, that the French had actually taken Two English Vessels, bound from London for Corfica, with Necessaries for the brave PAOLI, and sent them as Prizes into some French Port in the Straits.

PHILADELPHIA.

A Letter from London says, "It is reported that the Earls Chatham and Temple have been offered the Management of Affairs, but refused it, until such Time as the present Ministry had settled some Matters they did not chuse to have any Hand in."

Since our last several People have died suddenly, in, and near this City, occasioned by their drinking too freely of cold Water.

By Captain Adams, in 10 Weeks from Barcelona, we learn, that the Emperor of Morocco has agreed to furnish the Garrison of Gibraltar with live Stock, &c. and trade with the English, on the same Terms as formerly; which Trade, for some Time past, had been stop'd, on Account of his demanding double Duties.

Extract of a Letter from Lisbon, dated April 21.

"Indian Corn is now in the greatest Scarcity, and a Famine is apprehended in the Neighbourhood of Vienna, and particularly in the Province of Galicia; and as an additional Misfortune, we had lately such Storms of Hail and Rain, the like was not seen by the oldest Inhabitants; which caused Inundations in several Places, and swept away several Villages, Granaries, Cattle, and People, whose Bodies lay floating in this River, which came down so rapid, and brought with it such a surprizing Quantity of Reptiles, that both Shores are filled with them, and many are employed to this Hour killing Snakes, Vipers, and Toads, which seems to be one of the Curses of Egypt which has reached this unhappy Place, and even this does not awaken our Governors."

To be sold, at the House of Richard Earle, in Alexandria, on Patowmack River, on Monday the 21st Day of August next,

THE valuable Tract of Land known by the Name of BRENTON, lying in Prince-William County, Virginia, containing about 7500 Acres. The Quality and Situation of this Land, and its being free of QUIT-RENTS, are strong Recommendations to those willing to purchase. The Land will be sold in Parcels, as will best suit the Purchasers at the Day of Sale, and Credit given for the greatest Part of the Money, on Security, (if required) and Interest.—We think it proper to assure the Public, (as there has been some Disappointments in the Sale of this Land) that it will certainly be disposed of at the Time now mentioned, it being made over to the Subscribers for certain Sums of Money they stand engaged for. The Sale will begin at 12 o'Clock.

WILLIAM BRENT, DANIEL CARROLL, HENRY ROZER.

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A PERSON of Character, properly qualified as a Schoolmaster, for teaching Reading, Writing, and Arithmetic, will meet with good Encouragement, by applying to the Printers. (w6)

To be SOLD, by the SUBSCRIBERS,



THE SLOOP POLLY, Burthen about 60 Tuns, now lying at their Wharf. She is a very good Vessel, Sheathed, sails well, is well fitted and found, and now ready to take in a Cargo.

(3w) THO. RINGGOLD, & Co.

The Subscriber has the following Parcels of Land, lying in Prince-George's County, for SALE, viz.

PART of BATTERZEE, 100 Acres, pleasantly situated on Broad-Creek, on which are several Buildings. The Land is very good, and convenient to the River for Fishing and Fowling, with many other Advantages, easy to be discovered from the Situation.—About Half a Mile from which, on the great Road leading to Piscataway, are about 44 Acres of fine Wood-Land, intended for the better Support of the 100 Acres at Broad-Creek, on which some good Meadow might easily be made, and nigh to the 44 Acres, there are about 200 Acres, divided into Two Plantations, with Houses, and other Improvements, suitable for Tobacco or small Grain. These Lands will be sold together, or separate, as may best suit the Purchaser.

About Four Miles from Piscataway, and on the great Road to Lower-Marlborough, and Nottingham, are about 300 Acres, commodiously joining, and pretty well improved, on which are several Buildings and Orchards, with Plenty of Wood and good Water; adjoining to which is one other Plantation of 100 Acres, with Buildings and other Improvements suitable for a small Family; contiguous to which is a small Tract of 32 Acres, on a Branch, very well wooded, on which Five or Six Acres of Meadow might easily be made.

He has also for SALE, the Two following Pieces of Land, in Charles County, viz.

PART of HULL, about 112 Acres, on Mattawoman Swamp, on which are good Improvements, such as a Dwelling-House, Kitchen, and Garden, with a very fine Orchard of Apple and Peach Trees, in good Repair.—About one Mile and an Half from thence is another Tract, called AMENDMENT, containing 250 Acres, not improved. This Land is level, and well stocked with Wood.—Those who chuse to purchase, may apply to me, at Piscataway, and know the Terms. I will give Time for Payment, on giving Bond, and Security, if required.

(3w) JAMES MARSHALL.

July 5, 1769.

ANY Gentleman inclining to purchase the SALT-PETRE Mine, lying on the South Branch of Patowmack, may know the Terms, by applying to the Subscriber, who is now at William Handefer's, in Baltimore County, in the Fork of Gunpowder, and will continue there 'til the First of August next, from which he will remove to Bedford County, Virginia.—As it is a Place of great Value, if once improved, and would answer very well for making of Powder, which has been experienced, besides other Materials, that has been tried by competent Judges.

N. B. The Land, which contains 271 Acres, was formerly sold conditionally to John Reiff, of Philadelphia.—A good Title will be made to the Purchasers, by JAMES HANDEFER.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Nicholas Norman, late of Anne-Arundel County, deceased, either by Bill, Bond, Mortgage, or otherwise, are desired to make immediate Payment; and those having any Claims against the said Estate, are desired to bring them in, that they may be adjusted and paid by NICHOLAS NORMAN, JOHN NORMAN, Executors.

N. B. Those who it may not suit to discharge their open Accounts, are desired to come and settle, by giving Bond, with Security, if required.

July 8, 1769.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living on Sandy Point, Anne-Arundel County, on the 6th Instant, the Three following Convict Servant Men, viz. JOHN HUMPHRIES, about 20 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, brown Hair, red Beard, and is lame in his left Arm: Had on, when he went away, an Osnabrig Shirt, and brown Roll Trousers.

JOHN BROWNSNOW, 20 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, brown Hair, much curled, and is a very fly Fellow.

JAMES STEEL, a Lad about 18 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, light coloured Hair, and speaks in a whining Manner.—They went off in a small Boat, and is supposed to have gone down the Bay.

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The Report of a French Fleet of Ten Sail of the Line being seen off Louisbourg, and sundry other extraordinary Reports, relating to them, and Halifax, we can find no Foundation for.

His Majesty, by Writ of Privy Seal, has been pleased to issue his Royal Commission, bearing Date at Westminster the Seventh Day of October, in the Seventh Year of his Reign, authorizing and appointing John Temple, Esq; Lieutenant Governor of New-Hampshire, William Allen, Esq; Chief Justice of Pennsylvania, Peyton Randolph, Esq; Attorney-General and one of the Council for Virginia, Benjamin Franklin, Esq; Postmaster-General of North-America, Andrew Elliot, Esq; Receiver General of Quit-Rents, Samuel Holland and William Debraham, Esqrs. Surveyors-General of Lands in the Northern and Southern Districts of America, Charles Morris, Esq; one of the Council of Nova-Scotia, Andrew Oliver, Esq; Secretary of the Province of Massachusetts-Bay, Charles Stuart, Esq; of Quebec, and Jarad Ingersoll, Esq; of Connecticut, or any Five of them, to ascertain, settle, and determine the Boundary Line between the Two Provinces of New-York and New-Jersey, in such a Manner as from sufficient Evidence produced to them, shall appear just and equitable.—And we hear the 18th of next Month is the Day appointed for said Commissioners to meet at the City of New-York, to proceed on the Business of their Commission.

NEW-YORK, June 29.

Extract of a Letter from Philadelphia, June 27.

"A Ship from Bristol, is arrived in Maryland, by which we have the following Letter from a Gentleman to a Merchant in this City, dated Bristol, April 17.

"I find some People here are evading the Resolution of your Merchants. Large Quantities of Goods now are shipping for Maryland, which are intended for your Place and New-York."

Extract of a Letter from Boston, dated June 19.

"We have a strong Report, that a French Fleet has been seen on the Coast. Perhaps either Quebec or Halifax may be their Destination. The 65th Regiment embarks To-morrow for the last Place, and the 64th is soon to follow. Our Assembly have now been sitting near Three Weeks, and have yet done nothing. They are now adjourned to Cambridge, where besides that they are not insulted by the Appearance of a Military Force, they manifest their Adherence to their constitutional Rights, and do not even in Appearance acquiesce under the degrading Encroachments that have been made upon them."

Captain Hamilton, in 7 Weeks from Cadiz, informs us, that a few Days before he sailed from thence, Advice was received there, that the French had actually taken Two English Vessels, bound from London for Corfica, with Necessaries for the brave PAOLI, and sent them as Prizes into some French Port in the Straits.

PHILADELPHIA.

A Letter from London says, "It is reported that the Earls Chatham and Temple have been offered the Management of Affairs, but refused it, until such Time as the present Ministry had settled some Matters they did not chuse to have any Hand in."

Since our last several People have died suddenly, in and near this City, occasioned by their drinking too freely of cold Water.

By Captain Adams, in 10 Weeks from Barcelona, we learn, that the Emperor of Morocco has agreed to furnish the Garrison of Gibraltar with live Stock, &c. and trade with the English, on the same Terms as formerly; which Trade, for some Time past, had been stop, on Account of his demanding double Duties.

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To be sold, at the House of Richard Earle, in Alexandria, on Patowmack River, on Monday the 21st Day of August next,

THE valuable Tract of Land known by the Name of BRENTON, lying in Prince-William County, Virginia, containing about 7500 Acres. The Quality and Situation of this Land, and its being free of QUIT-RENTS, are strong Recommendations to those willing to purchase. The Land will be sold in Parcels, as will best suit the Purchasers at the Day of Sale, and Credit given for the greatest Part of the Money, on Security, (if required) and Interest.—We think it proper to assure the Public, (as there has been some Disappointments in the Sale of this Land) that it will certainly be disposed of at the Time now mentioned, it being made over to the Subscribers for certain Sums of Money they stand engaged for. The Sale will begin at 12 o'Clock.

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THO. RINGGOLD, & Co.

The Subscriber has the following Parcels of Land, lying in Prince-George's County, for SALE, viz.

PART of BATTEREE, 100 Acres, pleasantly situated on Broad-Creek, on which are several Buildings. The Land is very good, and convenient to the River for Fishing and Fowling, with many other Advantages, easy to be discovered from the Situation.—About Half a Mile from which, on the great Road leading to Piscataway, are about 44 Acres of fine Wood-Land, intended for the better Support of the 100 Acres at Broad-Creek, on which some good Meadow might easily be made, and nigh to the 44 Acres, there are about 200 Acres, divided into Two Plantations, with Houses, and other Improvements, suitable for Tobacco or small Grain. These Lands will be sold together, or separate, as may best suit the Purchaser.

About Four Miles from Piscataway, and on the great Road to Lower-Marlborough, and Nottingham, are about 300 Acres, commodiously joining, and pretty well improved, on which are several Buildings and Orchards, with Plenty of Wood and good Water; adjoining to which is one other Plantation of 100 Acres, with Buildings and other Improvements suitable for a small Family; contiguous to which is a small Tract of 32 Acres, on a Branch, very well wooded, on which Five or Six Acres of Meadow might easily be made.

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JAMES MARSHALL.

July 5, 1769.

ANY Gentleman inclining to purchase the SALT-PETRE Mine, lying on the South Branch of Patowmack, may know the Terms, by applying to the Subscriber, who is now at William Handefer's, in Baltimore County, in the Fork of Gunpowder, and will continue there 'til the First of August next, from which he will remove to Bedford County, Virginia.—As it is a Place of great Value, if once improved, and would answer very well for making of Powder, which has been experienced, besides other Materials, that has been tried by competent Judges.

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NICHOLAS NORMAN, } Executors.
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N. B. He likewise takes this Opportunity to return his unfeigned Thanks, to those Gentlemen from whom he has received particular Marks of Favour.

To be sold by the Subscriber, at the House of Mr. Hugh M'Byrde, in Charles County, on Monday the 21st Day of August next, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Cash, or London Bills of Exchange at 30 Days Sight,

A PLEASANT, healthy, and well-water'd PLANTATION, lying within Two Miles of Piles's Warehouse, called **HADLOW**, and other Tracts of Land adjoining, called **HITCHEN**, **CROPPER'S RE-SERVE**, **PARR**, and **WOOD'S LOW GROUNDS**, containing about 550 Acres; the Soil is very good, fit for either Tobacco, Corn, or Small Grain—There is a good Meadow of natural Grass, and about Ten Acres of low Ground will be ready for sowing with Seed, by the Fall—There is great Plenty of fine Pasture—The Lands are well timbered, and under very good Fences, on which there are the following valuable Improvements, viz. A Dwelling-House 44 Feet by 18, filled with Brick, and plastered, Three Rooms below, with Three Fire Places, a small Passage, Two Shed Rooms and a Closet. The Upper Rooms not finished.—A Kitchen 20 Feet by 16, one Half the Floor laid with Plank, Two Shed Rooms and a Brick Chimney.—A Dairy 12 Feet Square, floored with Tile, under pinned, filled with Brick, and plastered.—A Cellar 14 Feet deep, built up with Brick, 10 Feet Square, and good Upper Room.—A Smoke-House 16 Feet by 12, double covered and boarded.—A Quarter 32 Feet by 16, with a double Brick Chimney.—A Store-House 32 Feet by 18, filled in with Brick, the Store-Room plastered, has an 8 Feet Shed the Length of the House, and a Cellar underneath 16 Feet Square.—A Brick Office 18 Feet by 16.—A Barn 40 Feet by 20, with Sheds on each Side, and a Threshing Floor 20 Feet by 18, laid with Two Inch Oak Plank.—A Log Corn-House 16 Feet by 12; the Barn and Corn-House enclosed with Posts and Rails, 80 Feet Square, for Farm Yard.—A Tobacco-House 40 Feet by 20, with 10 Feet Sheds.—A Cow-House 100 Feet long.—A Smith's Shop 16 Feet Square, and many other Houses of different Kinds, suitable for Two Tenants. Also a Garden paved in, 240 Feet by 160.—A good Apple and Peach Orchard, of different Kinds of Fruit, under good Fence.—Another Tract of Land call'd **SYMPSON'S CHANCE**, lying on the West Side of **Piles's-Fresh**, containing 186 Acres of good rich Soil, and very level; it is well watered and timbered, and produces as good Tobacco, Corn and small Grain as any Land. The Buildings on it are, a Tobacco-House, Cow-House, Quarters, and Stables. An excellent Stream of Water runs past it, fit for a Mill.—Another Tract call'd **KEETH'S-REST**, laid out for 100 Acres, lying in the Forest, about 4 Miles from **Bryan-Town**: The Land is level, well timbered, the Soil good, and produces good Tobacco, Corn, and small Grain. The Buildings on it are pretty good.—Any Person will be shown the Land on applying to **David Osburn**, who lives on the same.—The Premises may be seen, and the Terms known, any Time before the Day of Sale, by applying to

ROBERT HORNER.
(4w)

June 25, 1769.

THE FULLING-MILL at the Mouth of **Patuxent** River, is now provided with a good Fuller, and ready for Work; such as fulling, dyeing and pressing all sorts of Clothes and Worsted Stuffs, scarlet and blue excepted, unless dyed before sent to the Mill.—As the insupportable Inconvenience attending the Collection of a Number of small Debts, from various distant Parts of the County, must be obvious to every one; and as this expensive Undertaking was begun and prosecuted, principally to encourage the Manufacture of Woollen Country-Cloth, at a Time when the oppressive Measures, lately adopted and pursued by the Mother-Country, render it indispensably necessary, for our own Well-being, that every Individual should manufacture as much as in his Power lies.—It is hoped that no Offence will be given if the Proprietors desire the Money for fulling, &c. to be sent by the Person who is to receive the Cloth, as it is absolutely necessary to support the Work.—All Persons who will favour me with their Cloth, may depend on having it finished off in the best Manner, and with all possible Dispatch; and to prevent Mistakes the Owner of every Piece of Cloth, is requested to put the initial Letters of his or her Name in the Web.

(H) **WILLIAM SCOTT.**

STRAY'D or stolen from the Subscriber, on Tuesday the 16th of June last, Two likely Chair-Horses, the one a middle and the other a bright bay; the middle bay is near Fourteen Hands and an Inch high, the bright bay about Fourteen Hands and an Inch. One of them is branded on the near Buttock, but the Mark not remembered; they have ridge Manes and bob Tails, and were lately the Property of Mr. **Jesse Ball**, of **Lancaster**, and I imagine may be gone that Way, if not stole.—Whoever will bring said Horses to me, at **Falmouth**, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, or Twenty Shillings to inform me where they are, so that I may get them again; and as I am apprehensive they are stole, I will give Ten Pounds Reward to any Person who will secure and convict the Thief.

(w3) **GAVIN LAWSON.**

JUST IMPORTED,
In the **Isabella**, Capt. **Spencer**, from **Britol**, and to be SOLD, by Wholesale,

A PARCEL of well assorted GOODS, about £. 1500 Sterling prime Cost. For Terms apply to Mr. **John Brice**, **Annapolis**, Messrs. **Smyth and Sudler**, **Chester-Town**, or

(H) **JAMES CHESTON.**

June 27, 1769.

To be SOLD, by the SUBSCRIBER,

A VALUABLE Tract of LAND, in **St. Mary's** County, about One Mile from **Leonard-Town**, on Wednesday the 2d of August next, at the House of **Timothy Bowes**. The Plantation contains between Four and Five Hundred Acres of Land, good for either Corn or Tobacco, is well timbered; and has about Thirty Acres cleared, of good Meadow Ground, and a considerable Quantity of Ground uncleared, adjoining thereto, very proper for Meadow; its Situation is high, and extremely pleasant, commanding a Prospect of **Britain's Bay**, to which the Land adjoins. There is likewise to be sold with the Plantation, a very valuable **GRIST-MILL**, convenient to the Bay, which has for a long Time had considerable Custom, and might, from its Situation, be rendered much more valuable than at present: The Improvements are in very good Repair, as is the Plantation. The Title indisputable. The whole may be entered upon at Christmas next. Any Person inclinable to purchase before the Time fix'd, may, by applying to the Subscriber, be inform'd of the Terms, and take a View of the Premises.

N. B. There is a great Quantity of very fine Marsh Ground on the said Tract of Land. (w3)

June 22, 1769.

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away last Monday Night, from the Subscriber, living in **Kent County, Maryland**, Two Convict Servant Men, viz. **MICHAEL HEWNE**, or **KEIRN**, born in **Germany**, and is by Trade a Tailor; he is slim made, has a thin Visage, dark Complexion, black Hair, and an old Sore on his Head, a little above his Temple: He so much represents a **French Neutral**, that he may very well pass for one: Had on, and took with him, when he went away, a blue Cloth Surtout Coat, with Mohair Buttons, a striped red and white lappelled Jacket, of single Groggram, a Pair of ribbed Worsted Stockings, a black Silk Handkerchief, a new Castor Hat, with Silk Loopings, and a good Pair of Shoes, with the Grain out.

NATHANIEL POWELL, about 30 Years of Age, a slim made Fellow, thin Visaged, dark Complexion, thick black curled Hair, which grows very low down his Back, is an **Englishman** born, talks much in the West Country Dialect, and has a very down Look; he understands Plowing, Reaping, and Mowing, and is a nimble brisk Fellow: Had on, and took with him, when he went away, a blue Broad Cloth Coat, with a small Cape, and Mohair Buttons, a Pair of Snuff coloured fine Cloth Breeches, half worn. As they have other Clothes, they may perhaps change their Dress. They have Money with them, and it is probable, they will change their Names; and forge Passes.

Whoever takes up said Servants, and brings them home, if taken out of the Province, shall have a Reward of Ten Dollars; if in the Province, Six Dollars, for either, and for both, the above Reward, paid by **R. GRESHAM**.

It is supposed they went off in a Canoe, and made down the Bay, from **Chester River**.

JUST IMPORTED,
In the **Betsy**, Capt. **Hanrick**, from **London**; and to be Sold by **John Moale**, at his Store, near the public Wharf, **Baltimore-Town**.

A COMPLETE and large ASSORTMENT of Spring and Summer GOODS.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of **Joseph Chapline**, late of **Frederick County**, deceased, are requested to make immediate Payment; and all those who have any Claims against said Estate, are desired to bring them in, that they may be adjusted.

(w4) **WILLIAM CHAPLINE,**
JOSEPH CHAPLINE,
JAMES CHAPLINE, Executors.

RAN away, on the 31st of May, from the Subscriber's Plantation, in **Synapuxon Neck**, in **Worcester County**, a Servant Man named **CON ROURKE**, born in the West of **Ireland**, he is a thick well set Fellow, about 5 Feet 8 or 10 Inches high, pitted with the Small-Pox, wears his own short thin straight sandy coloured Hair, about 30 Years of Age and has very little of the Brogue: Had on, and took with him, when he went away, an old coarse blue fly Coat, and Jacket, the back Parts of the Jacket are of a different Colour, a Pair of half worn Leather Breeches, Two coarse Country-made Shirts, One of which is striped, the other Check, One Pair of ditto Trousers, a brown Cut Wig, which he sometimes wore over his Hair, and a new Felt Hat; he also took with him a large Shovel and Spade in a Wallet, and probably may pass for a Banker and Ditcher. As he has often talked about **St. Mary's County**, perhaps he may have gone that Way.

Whoever secures the said Servant, so that he may have him again, shall receive Fifty Shillings; and, if brought home, reasonable Charges, paid by **JAMES ROWND**.

(w4) The above **Con'Rourke** has since changed his Name to **James Campbell**.

FRANCIS HEPBURN,

CABINET and CHAIR-MAKER, from LONDON,
now in Church-Street, opposite Mr. Robert Couden's, in **ANNAPOLIS**,

MAKES and SELLS in the most fashionable Mode, on reasonable Terms, all Kinds of Cabinet and Chair Work, viz. Dining, Card, Breakfast, Pembroke, Toilet, Ladies and Gentlemen's, Secretaries, and Dressing Tables; Commodes, Desks, Book Cases, Libraries for Gentlemen's Studies, Side-Boards, Sophies, Couches, Settees and Bamboe Chairs.

LADIES and GENTLEMEN that please to honour him with their Orders, may depend on Punctuality.
* * He also makes Venetian Window Blinds, the same as the Governor's.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscriber has now a very good **BLACKSMITH**, well acquainted with making Ploughs, Axes, &c. He is also well acquainted with the Farriers Business, as he has been much employed in that Branch at home. I have also Two very good **WHEELWRIGHTS**, one of them is well acquainted with making all Kind of Carriage-Wheels, and the other has been chiefly used to make all Kind of Cart-Wheels, Drays, &c. Those Gentlemen, that will be pleased to favour me with their Commands, either in the Smith, or Wheelwrights Business, may depend on having their Work faithfully and well executed, and on the most reasonable Terms, by (H) **NATHANIEL ADAMS**.

* * Any Gentleman that will favour me with their Horses, may have them shod at 3s. 9d. a Set.

Piscataway, April 15, 1769.

To be SOLD, in large, or small Quantities, as may best suit the Purchasers,

A TRACT of LAND, lying in **Frederick County**, between the Small and Large **Tonoloway** Creeks, containing about 3500 Acres, called **CALEDONIA**. Likewise one other Tract, adjoining, called **HAWKINS'S RICH LAND**, containing about 450 Acres. The Soil is rich, and the Land as level as common, in that Part of the Country, is well watered, and has several small Plantations on it.—The Purchaser or Purchasers, may have 3 or 4 Years Credit, on paying One Third of the Purchase-Money down, and giving Bond with Security, for the Remainder. For further Particulars apply to Mr. **Charles Beatty**, in **Frederick-Town**, or (H) **GEO. FRA. HAWKINS**.

George-Town, Patowmack, May 25, 1769.

LITTLE Regard being paid to our late Advertisement, we (once more) take this Method to advise our Friends and Customers, of our Intention to quit Store-keeping at this Place, and that we will consequently be under a Necessity of shortly settling our Accounts, and calling in our Debts. It is therefore requested that all Persons indebted to us, will speedily discharge the same; and that all such as cannot immediately pay, may call and settle their Accounts. Such as neglect complying, may depend on having their Accounts speedily put into the Hands of a Lawyer.

We have yet on Hand, a small (tho' well assorted) Parcel of dry Goods, which will be sold at first Cost for ready Money, Wheat or Hemp: We also continue to sell the best Continent Rum, by Wholesale and Retail (2m) **JAMES HARRIS, and Co.**

JUST IMPORTED,
And to be sold, at my Store, in **Baltimore-Town**, Wholesale, on the very lowest Terms, for Cash or Country Produce,

A GREAT Variety of **Irish Linens**, **Manchester Checks**, **Irish Poplins**, **Ginghams**, **Camblets**, and other Goods.

And to be sold at the same Store,

A WELL assorted Cargo of **EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS**, Wholesale and Retail, imported in the **Dolly and Betsy**, Capt. **Matthew Craymer**, (from **LONDON**.) **WILLIAM HAMMOND, & Co.**

To be SOLD, by the SUBSCRIBER, at **Port-Tobacco**, to the highest Bidder, on Wednesday the 9th of August next,

THREE improved Lots in the said Town, which were heretofore advertised in this Paper; also a Tract of Land containing 446 Acres, within a Mile and an Half of the said Place, called **Haber-deventure Enlarged**. As the Land and Lots, with Improvements, are well known, its needless to describe them here. Should any Person incline to purchase any of the Lots or Land, before the Day mentioned for Sale, they may know the Terms by applying to (H) **DANIEL JENIFER**.

THE NOTED HORSE
RAN G E R,

Who is now perfectly sound, fresh, and healthy,

WILL cover MARES this Season, at **London-Town**, on **South-River**, at **TWO GUINEAS** the MARE, or **TWENTY SHILLINGS** the single Leap.

His **PEDIGREE** is as follows:
He was got by **Regulus**; his Dam by **Merry-Andrew**; Grand-Dam, by **Steady**; Great-Grand-Dam was the Dam of **Wildair**. **Regulus** was got by the **Godolphin Arabian**; Dam, by the **Bald Galloway**. **Merry-Andrew** was got by **Old Fox**; Dam, by **Hautboy**. **Steady** was got by **Flying Childers**, and his Dam, by **Grantam**.

N. B. Good Pasturage for the MARES, at a moderate Rate.—For further Particulars, apply to **WILLIAM NIVEN**, who will attend.
* * The Money must be paid before the Mares are taken away.

JUST IMPORTED,
In Capt. **Craymer**, from **London**, and to be sold, by **William Lux & Bowly**, at their Store, in **Baltimore-Town**,

A LARGE Quantity of Sail-Cloth from No. 1 to 8, Anchors and Ship Chandlery of all Sorts, **Onabrigs**, **Checks**, **Irish Linens**, **Nails**, **Rugs** and **Blankets**, &c. Also Cordage of all Sizes, made at **Chatworth Rope-Walk**.—All Persons indebted to them are requested to pay speedily.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Francis Waring, deceased, are desired to make immediate Payment, and all those who have any Demands against said Estate, are desired to bring them in, that they may be settled, by LEONARD WARING, Acting Executor.

To be sold at Public Vendue, by the Subscribers, at the Coffee-House, in Annapolis, on Wednesday the Ninth Day of August next, the following Land and Negroes, conveyed to them in Trust, by Mr. John Wilmot, viz.

A TRACT call'd DINAH'S FANCY, granted to John Wilmot, for 215 Acres, lying on a Draft of Pipe-Creek, call'd Silver Run, in Frederick County, and near John Logsdall's, who will show the Land.

A Tract call'd DINAH'S GOODWILL, granted to said John Wilmot, for 314 Acres, lying likewise in Frederick County, near Simon Miller and Andrew Young, either of which Persons will show the Land.

A Tract lying on the Head of South-River, in Anne-Arundel County, call'd SNOWDEN'S REPUTATION SUPPORTED, containing 130 Acres. On this Plantation there is a Dwelling-House, Kitchen and Corn-House, an Orchard fenced in, containing 130 Apple-Trees, and the Plantation in every other respect in good Repair. There is likewise on said Plantation, a new Stone Dwelling-House, 34 Feet long and 20 Feet wide, with a Cellar, the whole Length and Breadth of the House, a new Kitchen, Oven, and a Garden 100 Feet Square, new paved in. The last mentioned House was intended for a Tavern, and is conveniently situated for that Purpose; it is not quite finished, but there is every Material on the Spot, ready for completing it, the Doors and Window Sashes being already made. Also Six likely NEGROES, consisting of Men, Women and Children. The Title and Terms of Sale may be known by applying to NICHOLAS MACCUBBIN, JAMES DICK.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Monday the Seventeenth Day of July next, on the Premises,

TWENTY-FOUR Acres, Part of a Tract of Land, situated on the North Branch of South-River, in Anne-Arundel County, Maryland; called Long-Venture, Twelve Acres whereof is well cleared mowable Meadow, producing upwards of Forty Thousand Weight of Hay per Year, which sells readily at Forty Shillings a Thousand at Annapolis, which is less than Eight Miles Distant: There is also on the said Land, a good Merchant-Mill, the Mill-House Thirty Feet by Twenty-Four, Two Story high, the Mill double Gear'd, and calculated for Two Pair of Stones, with Boulting-Chest, Bolting-Geers, and Hoisting-Jack, all in good Repair, and on an excellent Stream: There is also a good Frame Dwelling-House, Twenty-Four Feet by Sixteen, on the same Land. Likewise on the same Day will be Sold, in the same Manner, Sixty Acres, Part of a Tract of Land, situated on the South Branch of South-River, in the County and Province aforesaid, called Snowden's Reputation Supported, whereon is a remarkable good Single Gear'd Grift-Mill, and an excellent Fulling-Mill, well known by the Name of the Good-Intent, also a good Dwelling-House, and other convenient Houses thereunto belonging; these Mills are situated on a never failing Stream, and the Tide comes to the Mill Tale, the Profits of these Two Mills hath been upwards of Eighty Pounds a Year, clear of all Charges for several Years past, and the above Merchant-Mill the same, and may be made much better, and more beneficial; the Purchaser may have the Tools belonging to the Fulling-Mill if he chuses to Purchase. Sterling Cash, good London Bills of Exchange, with a good Indorser (if required) will be taken, and that only, for Payment. The Purchaser may have Time for Part of the Purchase Money, on giving Bond on Interest with approved Security. The Sale to begin at One o'Clock. Any Person inclining to purchase all or either of the said Mills, Lands, &c. may view the same, and know the Title, by applying to the Subscriber.

As the Subscriber hath many outstanding Debts, which hath been long due, he hopes those indebted will not delay Payment longer than the Saturday before the Sale above mentioned, as no longer Indulgence will be given, and he takes this Opportunity to thank his kind and indulgent Creditors, desiring at the same Time, that they will please to let him know their several Claims against him, at or before the Day of Sale above mentioned, that they may be settled and adjusted, JOHN DUCKER.

N. B. I still carry on the Fulling Business, and in case I sell my Mills, shall reserve Time to finish all the Work that comes in before the Day of Sale. The above Sale is put off 'til Tuesday the First Day of August next, if fair; if not, the next fair Day shall be the Day of Sale, and no Excuse to be made.

To be sold, on Tuesday the 1st Day of August next, on the Premises,

A TRACT of LAND, call'd, FOXE'S RACE, lying in Charles County, and situate on the main Road leading to the Cool Springs, about Two Miles distant therefrom, on which is a good Dwelling-House, with other convenient Out-Houses, now in the Occupation of James Anderson. For Title and Terms of Sale, apply to the Subscriber living near Benedict. CHARLES SOMER SMITH.

By Virtue of a Commission to us directed, from the High Court of Chancery, will be exposed to Public SALE, on Monday the 7th Day of August next, on the Premises,

A TRACT of LAND, called THE REGULATION, containing, by Patent, Five Hundred and Five Acres, (One Hundred whereof, are deemed foul of a Tract of Land, called SELSED) in Baltimore County, about Eleven or Twelve Miles from Baltimore-Town, and on the Road from thence over Gunpowder Falls, to York-Town. The Soil is exceeding good, and fit for Farming, and Plenty of Meadow may be made thereon. Any Person inclining to view, may be shown the Premises, on applying to Mr. Edward Cockey, Mr. John Wilmot, or Mr. Benjamin Bowen. The Title, and Conditions of Sale, will be made known on the Day of Sale. by DANIEL CHAMIER, SAMUEL YOUNG, JONATHAN PLOWMAN, JAMES GITTINGS.

THE Subscribers are appointed a Committee of Frederick County Court, to inspect the Public Records of the said County, and Papers in the Clerk's Office, and, agreeable to Instructions, we do give this Public Notice, that we intend to meet at the Clerk's Office in Frederick-Town for this Purpose, on Monday the Fourth Day of September next, when all Persons who apply, may have their Deeds and other Writings compared with the Records. ANDREW HEUGH, THOMAS PRICE, JEN. CAMPBELL, THO. SPRIGG WOOTTON.

RAN away from on board the Patuxent, Captain David Lewis, lying at Selby's Landing in Patuxent River, on the Night between the 15th and 16th Instant, Two Indented Servant Men, viz. JAMES CHILD, about 5 Feet 3 Inches high, dark Complexion, short brown Hair, about 26 Years of Age, and is by Trade, a Carpenter and Joiner. HENRY THOMPSON, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, short black Hair, dark Complexion, about 25 Years of Age, and is a Painter and Glazier by Trade: Had on, when they went away, Check Shirts, strip'd Flannel Jackets, and blue Pea Jackets over them. It is probable they will change their Dress, and pass for Sailors. Whoever takes up said Men, and will bring them on board the Patuxent, or to Frank Leake, in Upper-Marlborough, shall receive Twenty Shillings Reward for each, paid by DAVID LEWIS.

SCHEM E OF A LOTTERY For raising SIX HUNDRED DOLLARS, for completing and finishing the REFORM'D CALVINIST CHURCH, and building a SCHOOL-HOUSE, in Sharpsburg, in Frederick County, Maryland. To consist of Two Thousand Tickets, at Two Dollars each: Five Hundred and Fifty-seven of which will be fortunate, without any Deduction, viz.

Table with 2 columns: Prize amount and number of tickets. Includes prizes of 200, 100, 50, 25, 15, 10, 4 dollars and 2000 tickets at 2 dollars each.

By the above Scheme, there are little more than Two Blanks and an Half to a Prize, and the Profits retained, are Fifteen per Cent. on the whole. The Drawing will begin at Sharpsburg, as soon as the Tickets are disposed of, (on Fourteen Days previous Notice, at least, to be given in the Maryland Gazette) in Presence of Five of the Managers at least, and as many of the Adventurers as shall think proper to attend. The Drawing, it is hoped, will be in Six Months, at farthest, as a great Number of the Tickets are already engaged.

The Managers are, Messieurs George Stricker, Christian Orndorff, Joseph Smith, William Good, Abraham Lingenfelder, John Stall, Michael Focklar, George Dagon, and Benjamin Spyer, who are to give Bond, and be on Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust. A List of the Prizes to be published in the Maryland Gazette, as soon as the Drawing is finished, and the Prizes to be paid off, without any Deduction. Prizes not demanded within Six Months from the Publication aforesaid, to be deemed as generously given for the Use intended, and applied accordingly. The Value of Seven Shillings and Sixpence, in Pennsylvania Currency, will be received in lieu of each Dollar, in the Sale of Tickets, and the said Currency to be accepted in Payment of the Prizes drawn by the fortunate Adventurers. TICKETS to be had of any of the Managers, and at the Printing-Office, in Annapolis.

JUST OPENED, And to be Sold by the Subscriber, living in Church-Street, Annapolis, for ready Money, or short Credit.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable to the different SEASONS. THOMAS HYDE

WILLIAM SLICER, CABINET and CHAIR-MAKER, at Mr. JAMES CANNAN'S, a little below the Market-House, in Annapolis.

TAKES this Method to inform the Public, that he makes and sells the following Articles, all constructed in the most neat and fashionable Manner, viz. Desks, Book-Cases, Escritoirs, Bureaus, Card, Chamber, Parlour and Tea-Tables; Easy-Arm, Parlour, Chamber, and Corner Chairs; Settees, Clock-Cases, Couches, Dumb-Waiters, Tea-Boards, Bottle-Boards and Bedsteads, &c. &c. &c.

Those Ladies and Gentlemen, and others, who please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Work done with Care and Expedition.

WHEREAS I find, by Experience, that I can neither by Law, or Equity, recover the many Debts due me, in order to discharge my just Debts; and as several of my Creditors are very impatient, and others of them commencing Suits at Law against me, which involves me in much Trouble and Expence, I do hereby give this public Notice to all my Creditors, that I shall Petition to the next General Assembly of this Province, to pass an Act to release me from the Sheriff of Baltimore County, whose Custody I am now in. HENRY GASSAWAY.

THE Hull of a Vessel, Fifty Feet Keel, Twenty one Feet Beam, Nine Feet Hold, and Three Feet Eight Inches 'twixt Decks, with Masts, Yards, &c. for a Brigantine. Any Person inclinable to purchase, may view the same and know the Terms, by applying to the Subscribers, or either of them in Baltimore-Town, Maryland. THO. & NICH. JONES.

RAN away last Night from the Subscriber, living on Mattawoman Creek, Charles County, a Convict Servant Man, named GEORGE GAULL, born in Scotland, but speaks plain, is about 35 Years of Age, has a ruddy full Face, black Beard, full Eyebrows, dark Eyes, and a Scar over one of them, is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, pretty well Limb'd and Body'd: Had on, when he went away, a Broad Cloth Coat, of a Snuff Colour, lined with red, and a light coloured Cloth Jacket, a Pair of Velvet Breeches, a Pair of brown Thread Hose, a Pair of English made Shoes, a Pair of yellow Metal Buckles, with narrow Rims, a Check'd Shirt, a red Silk spotted Handkerchief, a small Felt Hat, bound with black Worsted Ferris, he has several Pair of different coloured Stockings, which he took with him. He served in the Capacity of a School-master, and perhaps may forge a Pass. He has a Discharge from the Service of a Man of War, which may serve for a Pass. Whoever takes up, and delivers the said Runaway to us, shall have Three Pounds Currency, if taken in the County; if taken out of the County, Four Pounds; and, if out of the Province, Five Pounds, and reasonable Charges, if brought home, paid by JOHN M'ATEE, HENRY M'PHERSON.

RAN away from the Subscriber, the Two following Negroes, viz. TOM, a square well-set Fellow, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, and about 40 Years of Age: Had on, when he went away, an Osnabrig Shirt, a Cotton Jacket, with a Hole burnt in the left Arm, and a Pair of Cotton Breeches; he is a pert impudent Fellow, lately the Property of Mr. Charles Brooks, deceased.

BOB, a strong Bon'd Fellow, 5 Feet 9 Inches high, about 23 Years of Age: Had on, when he went away, an old Osnabrig Shirt, an old blue Jump, and an old Pair of Trowsers; the first Joints of his fore and middle Fingers on the left Hand are cut off. Whoever takes up said Slaves, and secures them, so that their Master may have them again, shall receive Six Dollars Reward for each. BENJAMIN HARWOOD.

ALL Persons indebted to James Buchanan, junior, Merchant in Glasgow, or to James and Robert Buchanan, Merchants there, for Dealings with Philip Briscoe, at Choptico, are requested to come and make immediate Payment to Robert Buchanan, who will attend at John Briscoe's Store, there, for receiving the same, on Thursday the 1st of June next, and on every Thursday following, while he stays in the Country, which he proposes shall be but a few Months.

JUST IMPORTED, In the last Vessels, for Philip & John Briscoe's Store, at Newport, and Choptico.

A NEAT ASSORTMENT of EAST-INDIA and EUROPEAN GOODS, and will be sold very Cheap, for ready Cash, or Tobacco. Likewise to be sold, by the above Robert Buchanan, very low, and delivered at Lewellin's Warehouse, on Wicomico, a Parcel of large CHAMBER-COAL.

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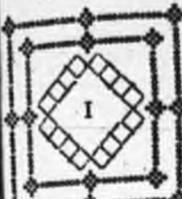
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T H U R S D A Y, J U L Y 20, 1769.

L O N D O N, April 28.



In order to reduce the exorbitant Price of Leather, we are informed, that the free Importation of raw Hides and Skins, both from Ireland and the British Plantations in America, will be allowed for a limited Time, under certain Regulations and Restrictions.

A Gentleman observes, that a late Event in Poland shews how little an Army is to be depended on, when party Disputes occasion intestine Broils, namely, that the Confederates, after taking the Town of Petarkan on the 7th Instant, met, in their March to Radom, with Two Regiments of Dragoons in the Service of the King of Poland, who surrendered themselves Prisoners of War, rather than fight against the Confederates, their Countrymen, and pretended Patriots.

It is said that an extraordinary Demand on this Kingdom by a Foreign Power will not be complied with. A Correspondent, who declares himself a Lover of Peace, says, "If the Petition of the Freeholders of Middlesex should be drawn up (as has been reported) expressive of Duty and Affection to a great Personage perhaps he may incline to Mercy, in compliance, with their dutiful Request, and to appease the Minds of the People. This would probably restore Peace to the Nation, as the Cause of the present Clamour would then be removed."

SAVANNAH, (in Georgia) May 31.

Our last Advices from the Creek Nation, are, that they are in high Spirits from their repeated Success amongst the Choctaws: That about 1400 of them were out in different Parties, and no less than 200 in one Party: That they never go out without killing some of the Choctaws, and with very little or no Loss to themselves, the Loss of the Choctaws since the Beginning of the War being computed at 150 Men, and that of the Creeks not above one Third of that Number, which makes them very insolent, and much heartier in the War than they have been yet: That there are not 50 of the Creeks, but have been out since the War began, and they expect to put an End to it by next Spring. However it is thought that in the Summer, when the Rivers are low, the Choctaws will be more on an Equality with the Creeks, for as there are very few Rivers in the Choctaw Nation, the Inhabitants are but little acquainted with Swimming, which prevents them from venturing far to War 'til the Rivers are low, and gives the Creeks a great Advantage over them. A Party of the Creeks are gone to Auguline to take Satisfaction for one of their People that was killed there, notwithstanding the Men that killed him were hanged for it, which satisfied the Father of the Indian that was killed; others of them think there can be no Satisfaction for any Thing of that Kind but what they take themselves. Some Time ago the Choctaws sent a Challenge to the whole Creek Nation to meet them, and fight them openly, but this the Creeks laughed at, and remarked, that they would be very imprudent to run any such Risk, when they could kill the Choctaws without any Loss to themselves.

A Gentleman that arrived on Monday Evening from Augusta, has favoured us with the following Intelligence:—Abraham Norman, in 13 Days from the Upper Creek Nation, says, that a Day or Two before he came away, Three Indians came in, and informed, that a Party of Choctaws, about 170 in Number, came up with about 70 Creeks just behind the Town of Mobile, where they were preparing to go to War against the former, and having hemmed them in, it is thought they either killed or made Prisoners all the Creeks except the Three above-mentioned, who escaped by swimming the Bay: And that a white Man was come from Mobile, who confirmed what the Indians said, and added, that the Engagement lasted from about Five o'Clock in the Evening 'til after dark, during which Time there was constant firing. The Choctaws were commanded by Coofahomaw.

CHARLESTOWN, (South-Carolina,) May 22.

By Advices from Havana, dated about Five Weeks ago, we learn, that the Spaniards continue putting that Place in the best State of Defence against all Attacks whether by Sea or Land. The new Fortification, which commands the Moro, is much its superior, both in Strength and Extent. The Number of Houses destroyed by the Hurricane in October, amounted to about 400, but every Steeple, and several of the Churches, were thrown down. All the Merchant Ships of War were destroyed, except Two Frigates, which had every Thing carried away by the Decks: Some of the Merchant Ships were driven a considerable Way up into the Country.

B O S T O N, June 26.

His Majesty's Council, having, at the Request of the House of Representatives, in the present Session, laid before them Copies of divers Letters received from London, very interesting to this Colony, together with the Proceedings of the late and present Council thereon, the House, on Thursday last, passed the following Resolution, and appointed a Committee to carry the same to the Honourable Board.

THE House having taken into Consideration certain Copies of Letters, written by Governor Bernard to the Right Honourable the Earl of Hillsborough, one

of his Majesty's principal Secretaries of State, dated November 1, 5, 11, 14, 30, and Decemher 5, 1768.

And also a Copy of one Letter, written by his Excellency General Gage, to his Lordship, dated October 31, 1768.

All which are attested by the Clerk of the Papers of the House of Commons; and were transmitted to his Majesty's Council of this Province, by William Bolland, Esq; and, at the Desire of the House, have been communicated by the present Council.

In which Letters his Majesty's loyal Subjects of this Colony in general, as well as his Majesty's Council, are traduced, and represented in a most odious and unjust Light to his Majesty's Ministers.

The House having carefully read, and considered the Remarks which the late, as well as the present Council, have made thereon, in their several Letters to his Lordship, Copies of which have also been communicated at the Desire of this House:

Resolved, That the House do highly approve of, and have an entire Satisfaction in the Zeal and Attention of the late Council to the public Interest, not only in thus vindicating their own Character, but guarding their Country from meditated Ruin, by truly stating Facts, and justly representing the Duty and Loyalty of this People at so critical a Time, when the Governor of the Province had wantonly dissolved the General Assembly, and arbitrarily refused to call another upon the repeated dutiful Petitions of the People.

June 29. On Wednesday the 21st Instant his Excellency the Governor was pleased to send the following Message to the House of Representatives, viz.

Gentlemen of the House of Representatives,

WHEN at the Opening of the Session, I recommended to you to give your earliest Attention to the Business of the Province, I did not think that there was any Occasion to specify the Particulars of such Business, as they must occur to you as readily as to me.

However lest this Omission should be made use of as an Excuse for your Inactivity, and as you have now entered into your Fourth Week, without having done any Thing at all, I shall now recapitulate the principal Articles of the public Business, which have hitherto waited for your Notice.

They are, 1st, The Support of the Government; 2^d, The Supply of the Treasury; 3^d, The providing for the Payment of the Provincial Debt, which now amounts to One Hundred and Five Thousand Pounds; 4th, The Tax Bill; 5th, The Impost Bill; 6th, The Excise Bill, if thought proper; 7th, The Establishments for Forts and Garrisons; 8th, The Continuation of the Truck Trade; 9th, The Continuation, or Revival, of expiring or expired Laws, &c.

All these several Matters, and such others of the ordinary Business as I may have omitted, I now recommend to your immediate Consideration. Such Assistance as I can give you, especially in removing Doubts or Difficulties which may attend any of the said Businesses, I shall be ready to afford you, so far as is consistent with my Duty.

June 21, 1769.

FRA. BERNARD.

Yesterday his Excellency the Governor was pleased to send the following Message to the House, viz.

Gentlemen of the House of Representatives,

I THINK it proper to inform you that his Majesty has been pleased, by his Sign-Manual, to signify to me his Will and Pleasure, that I repair to Great-Britain, to lay before him the State of this Province; and has also, by his Secretary of State, given Directions for the Administration of this Government during my Absence.

Upon this Occasion I think it necessary to communicate to you the 53^d of his Majesty's Instructions, whereby he orders, that when the Governor shall be absent from the Province, one Moiety of the Salary, and the Perquisites, and Emoluments, which would otherwise be due to the Governor, shall, during his Absence, be paid to the Lieutenant-Governor, for his Maintenance, and for the Support of the Dignity of the Government.

I have always considered the Grant of the Salary appointed to me, to be subject to this Instruction, altho' it was not so express in the Act: And I have no Objection at the present Time, when the Absence of the Governor is foreseen, that the Grant of the Salary shall be express to be subject to this Instruction.

And I must at the same Time observe to you, that as I am ordered to attend his Majesty, as Governor of this Province, and am made to understand, that I am to be continued in that Office, and am instructed for the Approbation of the Salary, whilst I am absent from the Province; there is the same Reason for the Grant of the Salary now, as their has been at any other Time. I must therefore desire, that according to his Majesty's 49th Instruction, such Grant may be made to precede the other Business of the Session.

June 28, 1769.

FRA. BERNARD.

July 3. Private Letters from London by the last Vessel's mention, that Mr. Pownel made a Motion in the House of Commons for the Repeal of the American Revenue-Act, which was strenuously seconded by George Grenville, who was supported by Alderman George Beckford, and Mr. Trecothick, both of them Members for the City of London.—The Ministry was silent, and it appeared evident to every Person present, that

the Acts would have been repealed, had the Motion not been as warmly opposed by the Rockingham Party, as it was contended for by Mr. Grenville and his Friends. From the Silence of the Ministry, it is not doubted but they wished the Acts repealed, tho' they were afraid to take the Lead, having already repeatedly subjected themselves to the Charge of Inconsistency; they were certainly in great Perplexity, and the Kingdom in the greatest Disorder.—The House will soon rise, and the Reason is said to be, that the Middlesex Freeholders, led on by the Supporters of the Bill of Rights, are determined to petition both Houses of Parliament, and even the King himself, in Behalf of Mr. Wilkes;—all the London Mob are to march in the Procession to the Number of some Hundred Thousands.—If the Petitions are rejected, or received and not favourably answered, after going through this regular Process, the Mob, our present State Doctors, are to be let loose to enforce Conviction.

Ad—n, however, having Information of this Plan, are taking the proper Measures to render it abortive, and the House will be prorogued.—Licentiousness reigns without Controul; and the sober Part of the Community are looking forward with Fear and Trembling, to the Arrival of that Moment, which they hourly dread, when our Liberties will be totally annihilated by a popular Commotion; or will again take firmer Root from a complete Suppression of Mobbing, and by impressing upon the lower Rank, a proper Respect for the Laws of their Country.

It is certain, that many Gentlemen of great Interest, and good Principles, have been induced to join the Populace Party, being alarmed at the Behaviour of Ad—n, respecting Colonel Luttrell's Election in Preference to Mr. Wilkes, for the County of Middlesex.

A Letter from Halifax mentions, that the Island of St. John's is made a separate Government, and that Lieutenant Governor Franklin, of Nova-Scotia, is appointed Governor.

Friday last arrived his Majesty's Ship Romney, and on Saturday the Senegal, both from Halifax.—We hear the 64th Regiment is to embark next Wednesday on board these Ships for Halifax.

The following is said to be the Substance of RESOLVES unanimously passed by the Honourable House of Representatives of Massachusetts-Bay, on the First Day of July Instant.

THE General Assembly of this his Majesty's Colony of Massachusetts-Bay, convened by his Majesty's Authority, by Virtue of his Writ issued by his Excellency the Governor, under the Great Seal of the Province, and this House, thinking it their Duty at all Times to testify their Loyalty to his Majesty, as well as their Regard to the Rights, Liberties and Privileges of themselves and their Constituents, do pass the following Resolutions to be entered on the Records of the House.

Resolved, That this House do, and ever will bear the firmest Allegiance to our Rightful Sovereign King GEORGE the Third, and are ever ready with their Lives and Fortunes to defend his Majesty's Person, Family, Crown and Dignity.

Resolved, That this House do concur in, and adhere to, the Resolutions of the House of Representatives in the Year One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-Five, and particularly in that essential Principle, that no Man can be taxed or bound in Conscience to obey any Law to which he has not given his consent in Person, or by his Representative.

Resolved, As the Opinion of this House, that it is the indubitable Right of the Subject in general, and consequently of the Colonies jointly or severally, to petition the King for Redress of Grievances, and that it is lawful, whenever they think it expedient, to confer with each other, in order to procure a joint Concurrence, in dutiful Addresses for Relief from their Common Burthens.

Resolved, That Governor Bernard, in wantonly dissolving the last Year's Assembly, and in refusing to call another, tho' repeatedly requested by the People, acted against the Spirit of a free Constitution; and if such Procedure be lawful, it may be in his Power whenever he pleases to render himself absolute.

Resolved, That at a Time when there was a general Discontent, on account of the Revenue-Acts, an Expectation of the sudden Arrival of a Military Power to enforce the Execution of those Acts, a dread of the Troops being quartered upon the Inhabitants, when our Petitions were not permitted to reach the Royal Ear, the General Court at such a Juncture dissolved, and the Governor's refusing to call a new one, and the People thereby reduced to almost a State of Despair, at such a Time it was innocent, if not highly expedient and necessary, for the People, to convene by their Committees in order to associate, consult and advise the best Means to promote Peace and Order, and by all lawful Ways to endeavour to have their united Complaints laid before the Throne, and jointly to pray for the royal Interposition in favour of our violated Rights, nor can this Procedure possibly be conceived to be illegal, as they expressly disclaimed all Governmental Acts.

Resolved, As the Opinion of this House, That Governor Bernard in his Letters to Lord Hillsborough, his Majesty's Secretary of State, has given a false and highly injurious Representation of the Conduct of his Majesty's truly loyal and faithful Council of this Co-

lony, and of the Magistrates, Overseers of the Poor, and Inhabitants of the Town of Bolton, tending to bring on these respectable Bodies, and especially of some Individuals, the unmerited displeasure of our gracious Sovereign, to introduce a Military Government into the Province, and to mislead both Houses of Parliament into such severe Resolutions, as a true, just and candid State of Facts must have prevented.

Resolved, That Governor Bernard in the Letters before mentioned, by falsely representing that it was become "necessary the King should have the Council-Chamber in his own Hands, and should be enabled by Parliament, to supercede, by Order in his Privy-Council, Commissions granted in his Name and under his Seal throughout the Colonies," has discovered his Enmity to the true Spirit of the British Constitution, and to the Liberties of the Colonies; and particularly has meditated a Blow at the Root of some of the most invaluable Constitutional and Charter Rights of this Province; the Perfidy of which, at the very Time he was professing himself a warm Friend to the Charter, is altogether unparalleled by any Person in his Station, and ought never to be forgotten.

Resolved, That the establishing a Standing Army in this Colony, in a Time of Peace, without the Consent of the General Assembly of the same, is an Invasion of the natural Rights of the People, as well as those which they claim as freeborn Englishmen, and which are confirmed by Magna Charta, and the Bill of Rights, as settled at the Revolution, and by the Charter of this Province.

Resolved, That a Standing Army is not known as a Part of the British Constitution, in any of the King's Dominions; and every Attempt to establish it as such has ever been esteemed a dangerous Innovation, and manifestly tending to enslave the People.

Resolved, That the sending an armed Force into this Colony, under a Pretence of aiding and assisting the Civil Authority, is an Endeavour to establish a Standing Army here without our Consent, and highly dangerous to this People; is unprecedented and unconstitutional.

His Excellency General Gage, in his Letter to Lord Hillsborough, October the Thirty-first, having among other execrable Things expressed himself in the following Words: "From what has been said, your Lordship will conclude, that there is no Government in Bolton; in Truth there is very little at present, and the Constitution of this Province, leans so much to the Side of Democracy, that the Governor has not the Power to remedy the Disorders that happen in it."

Resolved, As the Opinion of this House, That his Excellency General Gage, in this and other Assertions, has rashly and impudently intermeddled in the Civil Affairs of this Province, which are altogether out of his Department; and in the internal Police of which, by his Letter, if not altogether his own, he has yet betrayed a Degree of Ignorance equal to the Malice of the Author.

With Respect to the Nature of our Government, this House is of Opinion, that the Wisdom of that great Prince, WILLIAM the Third, who gave the Charter; aided by an able Ministry, and Men thoroughly versed in the English Constitution and Law, together with the happy Effects that have been derived from it to the Nation, as well as this Colony, did place it above the Reprehension of the General, and should have led him to enquire whether the Disorders complained of have not arisen from an arbitrary Disposition in the Governor, rather than from too great a Spirit of Democracy in the People.

And this House cannot but express their deep Concern, that too many in Power at home and abroad, so clearly avow not only in private Conversation, but in their public Conduct, the rancorous Enmity against the free Part of the British Constitution, and are indefatigable in their Endeavours to render the Monarchy absolute and the Administration arbitrary, in every Part of the British Empire.

Resolved, That this House after the most careful Enquiry, have not found any Instance of the Course of Justice being interrupted by Violence, even before a single Magistrate, nor of any Magistrate's refusing to enquire into, or redress any Complaint properly laid before him; while it is notorious to all the World, that even such Acts of Parliament as have been deemed by the whole Continent highly oppressive, have been so far from being opposed with Violence, that the Duties imposed and rigorously exacted, have been punctually paid.

Resolved, That the fining in the small Sum of Ten Pounds only, an high handed Offender, viz. one Fellows, in the County of Essex, who by Force and with Fire Arms, loaded with Ball and Swan-Shot, rescued a Prisoner lawfully taken by the Sheriff of said County, is a Grievance, and tends to the Encouragement of such Crimes for the future.

Resolved, That the frequently entering Nolle Prosequi by the Attorney and Advocate-General, in Cases favourable to the Liberty of the Subject, and rigorous Prosecutions by Information and otherwise in those in Favour of Power, is a daring Breach of Trust, and an insupportable Grievance on the People.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion of this House, that all Trials for Treasons, Misprison of Treason, or for any Felony or Crime whatsoever, committed or done in this his Majesty's said Colony, by any Person or Persons residing therein, ought of Right to be had and conducted in, and before his Majesty's Courts, held within the said Colony, according to the fixed and known Course of Proceeding; and that the seizing any Person or Persons residing in this Colony, suspected of any Crime whatsoever, committed therein, and sending such Person or Persons to Places beyond the Sea, to be tried, is highly derogatory of the Rights of British Subjects; as thereby the inestimable Privilege of being tried by a Jury from the Vicinage, as well as the Liberty of summoning and producing Witnesses on such Trial, will be taken away from the Party accused.

The Freeholders and other Inhabitants of this Town, have been warned by Order of the Select-Men to assemble at Faneuil-Hall To-morrow Afternoon; "Then and there to consider of the Petition

of a great Number of respectable Inhabitants, setting forth, that some Persons have, as they are informed from good Authority, petitioned or requested of his Excellency Sir FRANCIS BERNARD, Baronet, Commander in Chief of this Province, that the 14th of some other Regiment may be detained in this Town, in order to protect their Lives and Properties, notwithstanding the Laws of the Land make ample Provision for the Security of all his Majesty's Subjects without the Aid of any Military Force whatever; and fearing such Request may be presented to Administration as the Sense of the Inhabitants, they pray that such Steps may be taken, as the Town shall think proper, to prevent the ill Effects of such Representations, and to convince the World that the Residence of a Military Power in the Body of this Metropolis, is, upon various Considerations, quite disagreeable to the Inhabitants."

NEW-YORK, July 10. Saturday Capt. Rogers arrived here from Penacola in 20 Days: By him we have Advice, that Governor Elliot of that Place, died suddenly there, about a Month after his Arrival.

The Brig Mansfield, Capt. Heaburn, is arrived at New-London from London, and has brought Letters from that Place as late as the 13th of May, but we cannot learn by them that the Parliament had done any Thing in American Affairs since our last Advices from thence, nor that there has been any Change in the Ministry.

WILLIAMSBURG, July 6.

Extract of a Letter from London, dated April 24. "I have sent you some more News-Papers, by which you may guess how much Confusion this City is in. The Papers do not, or indeed dare not, express what is done and said here; in short, People in general speak with such Freedom in all Companies, as not to scruple mentioning particular Names, no Ranks escaping the Censure and Virulence of their Invectives; the Disturbances proceed from Two Causes: One from the Expulsion of Mr. Wilkes, said to be done by Means of ministerial Influence, which has also interfered in the last Election, by setting up a Candidate, and giving him the Seat contrary to the Sense of the County of Middlesex. It is affirmed that the great and just Lord Chancellor being of Opinion this last Proceeding of the House was unconstitutional, refused to register Col. Luttrell as the proper Member; but not trusting entirely on his own Opinion, had a Meeting of all the Judges to consider of this important Point, they are unanimous, it is said, in the same Way of thinking: The other Cause is, the present unhappy Difference with America, by which the Trade greatly suffers; the Merchants and Manufacturers being daily more and more sensible of it, this alone, and this only (I mean the Decline of Trade) will open the Eyes of some, and move the Tongues of others, to espouse the poor once despised Americans, whose Cause gains Ground daily; as the first Projectors begin to think they were wrong in advising the Acts from whence the Disturbances flow. If I was to advise America, from what I have been able to discover, it would be for the Colonies to be firm and steady, exciting each other to Oeconomy and Industry, to give a large Dose of Opium to Luxury, not to be virulent in Abuse, but mix a proper Proportion of Moderation in all their Compositions, wait patiently for the Event of this Regimen, and doubt not but in a short Time America will be seen to raise her drooping Head with such a Smile on her Countenance, as will create Envy in the Breasts of her Enemies.

"I saw on the Thirteenth (the noted Middlesex Election Day, in the Afternoon, as the grand Procession of Freeholders returned through the City) the greatest Concourse of People that ever were known; I walked from Whitechapel to Charing-Cross, a Distance of about Three Miles, and verily believe there was at least 50,000 People in the Streets to see the Procession pass; I was stunned with the loud Huzzaing and Acclamations on the Event of the Day, the Procession stopped at the Palace, while the Music played, God save the King, the same was done at the Mansion-House, at Night the principal Streets in the City were illuminated, and the whole ended without the least Mischief. It is apprehended the chief of the Middlesex Freeholders will, in a few Days, appear with a Petition: It is also apprehended the Weavers of Spitalfields will assemble before a great House with a Representation of the Decline of Trade, by which they are in great Danger of starving. The Military are kept constantly in Readiness at an Hour's Notice, in Case (as supposed) any Disturbances should happen; in short, all England seems convulsed, the Ladies at Bath are turned Boxers. I shall conclude at present with one Remark, that England and America are at present in so great a Ferment, that the grand Crisis seems not far off, when all Disputes must be settled for a general Good."

Yesterday Morning the following melancholy Accident happened near York. One Mr. Thompson having been early out about his Plantation Affairs, came home when it grew hot, and laid down upon a Bed, and fell asleep, when his Wife (who has been long disordered in her Senses, and has been several Times confined) got an Axe, with which she struck him on the Head, and killed him as he lay.

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A PERSON who understands the Business of a COACHMAKER: As also a Person capable of carrying on the Blacksmiths Business. Any Person (not having a Family) that understands either of the above Branches, may meet with good Encouragement, by applying to the Subscriber. And, as he has several outstanding Accounts due him for Dealings in the above Branches of Business, takes this Method of informing his good Customers, that he should be obliged to them for their respective Balances, that he may be enabled to carry on the above Business with Vigour and Dispatch.

(w3) JOHN KINGSBURY.

To be sold to the highest Bidder, at the Town of Dumfries, in Virginia, on Monday the 4th of September next.

FOUR Hundred and Seventy Acres of Land, lately the Property of Colonel Henry Peyton, on which is a valuable GRIST-MILL. Short Credit will be given, the Purchaser entering into Bond with Security, payable to

(w4) CUTHBERT BULLITT.

T O B E S O L D, A SERVANT Man, who has about Six Years and a Half to serve, he is a Blacksmith by Trade, a good Farrier, and an excellent Workman, well qualified either for Town or Country Business, and is a well made hearty Fellow. For Terms, and the Reason of his being sold, enquire of the Printers.

THIS is to inform the Public, that the Subscriber proposes to carry on the Saimmakers Business in all its Branches, at the Warehouse on Mr. Middleton's Wharf, where Gentlemen, and others, who are pleased to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Work done in the most complete Manner, by

WILLIAM JOHNSON, N. B. He likewise makes Cots, Hammocks, and Sacking Bottoms for Bedsteads.

West-River, July 15, 1769. WHEREAS Elizabeth, the Wife of me the Subscriber, hath, without any just Cause, absented herself from me, I hereby forewarn all Persons from trusting her upon my Account, as I will pay no Debts of her contracting, from the Date hereof. JOHN OLDNEY.

RAN away from the Subscribers, living in Baltimore-Town, on the 9th Instant, an English Servant-Lad, named CHARLES ALAN, by Trade a Biscuit-Maker, 17 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 3 or 4 Inches high, slender made, of a middling fair Complexion, his Knees inclines in, is lame in both his Feet, by a Swelling on his Toes, and has a sore Place on one of his Ancles, light brown Hair, which he may have cut off, his Eyes are weak, and appears to be sore, has a sharp Visage, talks much, and pretty loud: Took with him, when he went away, a light coloured Broad Cloth Coat, and Breeches, with white gilt Buttons, a fine double breasted red knapt duffel Jacket, with a Coat Button at the Top, and another at the Bottom, a Pair of redish coloured mottled Stockings, Shoes, and large Block-Tin Buckles, with Brass Tongs and Anchors, a blue Fearnought Sailers Jacket, too large for him, a Castor Hat, trimmed round the Brim, a yellow striped Cotton double breasted Jacket, Silver Knee Buckles, and sundry other Cloaths.

JOSEPH ALAN, a Blacksmith by Trade, Nineteen Years of Age, about Five Feet Six Inches high, has short straight black Hair: Had on, and took with him, a brown Cloth Coat and Jacket, with Mohair Buttons, a Pair of Leather, and a Pair of Hair Shag Breeches, a Check Shirt, an Osnabrig ditto and Trowsers, old Hat, and good strong Shoes, with Brass Buckles. They are Brothers, and, as they can both write, it is probable they may forge Passes.

Whoever apprehends said Servants, and secures them, so that their Masters may have them again, shall have Two Pistoles for each, if taken in the Province; and, if out of the Province, Four Pistoles Reward, (including what the Law allows) and reasonable Charges, if brought home, paid by

RICHARD MOALE, CHARLES RIDGELY, Junior.

RAN away last Night from the Subscriber, living near George-Town, Frederick County, Two Convict Servant Men, viz. JAMES BAILEY, a Blacksmith by Trade, about Twenty-One Years of Age, Five Feet Five or Six Inches high, well set, of a swarthy Complexion, has a down Look, wears his own short black Hair: Had on, and took with him, One Check Shirt, One Osnabrig ditto, Two Pair of Osnabrig Trowsers, One Pair of Shoes, One spotted Swanskin Waistcoat, One old black Cloth Coat and Breeches, and One Felt Hat.

JOHN ROBERTS, an Englishman, about Twenty-one Years of Age, Five Feet Six Inches high, thin Visage, pale Complexion: Had on, and took with him, a white Linen Shirt, a Pair of new Check Trowsers, a Pair of old Pumps, with Two odd Buckles, a new Felt Hat, and a white Flannel Waistcoat. Whoever takes up said Fellows, and brings them home, shall receive Five Pounds for each, paid by SAMUEL WADE MAGRUDER, BENEDICT CRAIGER.

STRAYED, or STOLEN, from the Subscriber, on the 10th of May, 1768, living in Frederick County, on Rock-Creek, a black MARE Four or Five Years Old, near Fourteen Hands and an Half high, has a small Star in her Forehead, hanging Mane, switch Tail, branded on the near Buttock, S, and has a remarkable white Spot on the top of her Weathers, with many long white Hairs on it. She was bred on the other Side of Kiscocton Mountain, near Archibald Edmondson's, she Paces and Gallops. Whoever brings her to the Subscriber, shall have Forty Shillings Reward.

(w4) JAMES HIGGINS.

A PERSON of Character, properly qualified as a Schoolmaster, for teaching Reading, Writing, and Arithmetic, will meet with good Encouragement, by applying to the Printers. (w6)

RAN away from on the 6th Instant, a Convict ALPH GAMBALL, about Eight Inches high, freckled Small-Pox, and has lost when he went away, a dark Jacket, Yarn Stockings, and Hair.

Also ran away, on the 29th of August next, SOLOMON LEGG, a young Man of dark Complexion: Had on a Wig, and a Flap'd Hat. ROBERT HUNT, about Five Feet Five Inches high, has a Sore on each of his Cheeks. WILLIAM TURNER, about Six Feet high: Had on when he went away, a Coat, and wears his own Stockings. The said Convicts, if they can be secured, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges if brought home. (w4)

To be sold, at the House of Mr. Patowmack, on the 1st of August next, THE valuable Tract of LAND of BRENTON, lying in the County of Prince-George, containing about 100 Acres, and Situation of this Tract, are from time to time willing to purchase. The Tract will best suit the Purpose of a Farm, and Credit given for the Purchase, on Security, (if required) proper to assure the Purchaser, and the certain disposal of the Tract, being made over to the Purchaser, at 12 o'Clock. (15)

To be SOLD, by T. at the good is ready to take in a C. (3w)

The Subscriber has the Pleasure to inform the Prince-George PART of BATTLE, situated on Broad-Creek, The Land is well adapted for Fishing and other advantages, and is about Half a Mile leading to Piscataway Wood-Land, intended for 100 Acres at Broad-Creek, might easily be made into about 200 Acres with Houses, and Tobacco or small Cattle together, or separate. About Four Miles great Road to Lower about 300 Acres, well improved, on Orchards, with Pleasure, adjoining to which Acres, with Building for a small Family Tract of 32 Acres on which Five or six be made. He has also for SALE in the PART of HULL, a Swamp, on which as a Dwelling-House very fine Orchard Repair. About 150 Acres, not in well stocked with chafe, may apply Terms. I will Bond, and Secure (3w)

J U S T I S the Isabella, S. PARCELS, £. 1500 S. to Mr. John Brice, Chester-Town, o

STRAY'D on the 16th of the one a middle bay is near bright bay about of them is bred Mark not resemble bob Tails, and Bob, of Lancaster Way, if not fit to me, at Falmouth or Twenty Shillings that I may get they are stole, Person who will (w3)

Chester-Town, July 17, 1769.

RAN away from on board the Snow Isabella, the 6th Infant, a Convict Servant Man, named RALPH GAMBALL, about 40 Years of Age, Five Feet Eight Inches high, fresh coloured, and pitted with the Small-Pox, and has lost all his Teeth: Had on, when he went away, a dark coloured Cloth Coat and Jacket, Yarn Stockings, old Shoes, and wears his own Hair.

Also ran away, on the 8th Instant, from the said Snow, Three other Convict Men, viz. SOLOMON LEGG, about 45 Years of Age, and of dark Complexion: Had on a blue Cloth Coat, wears a Wig, and a Flap'd Hat.

ROBERT HUNT, about 40 Years of Age, Five Feet Five Inches high, pitted with the Small-Pox, has a Sore on each of his Ancles, and wears a Wig.

WILLIAM TURNER, about Five Feet Six Inches high: Had on when he went away, a blue Cloth Coat, and wears his own short Hair.—Whoever secures the said Convicts, or either of them, in any Manner, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward for each, and reasonable Charges if brought to Chester-Town, paid by

SMYTH & SUDLER. (4w)

To be sold, at the House of Richard Earle, in Alexandria, on Patowmack River, on Monday the 21st Day of August next,

THE valuable Tract of Land known by the Name of BRENTON, lying in Prince-William County, Virginia, containing about 7500 Acres. The Quality and Situation of this Land, and its being free of RENT, are strong Recommendations to those who will purchase. The Land will be sold in Parcels, and will best suit the Purchasers at the Day of Sale, and Credit given for the greatest Part of the Money, on Security, (if required) and Interest.—We think it proper to assure the Public, (as there has been some Disappointments in the Sale of this Land) that it will certainly be disposed of at the Time now mentioned, it being made over to the Subscribers for certain Sums of Money they stand engaged for. The Sale will begin at 12 o'Clock.

WILLIAM BRENT, DANIEL CARROLL, HENRY ROZER.

To be SOLD, by the SUBSCRIBERS,



THE SLOOP POLLY, Burthen about 60 Tuns, now lying at their Wharf. She is a very good Vessel, Sheathed, sails well, is well fitted and found, and now ready to take in a Cargo.

THO. RINGGOLD, & Co.

The Subscriber has the following Parcels of Land, lying in Prince-Georges County, for SALE, viz.

PART of BATTERZEE, 100 Acres, pleasantly situated on Broad-Creek, on which are several Buildings. The Land is very good, and convenient to the River for Fishing and Fowling, with many other Advantages, easy to be discovered from the Situation.—About Half a Mile from which, on the great Road leading to Piscataway, are about 44 Acres of fine Wood-Land, intended for the better Support of the 100 Acres at Broad-Creek, on which some good Meadow might easily be made, and nigh to the 44 Acres, there are about 200 Acres, divided into Two Plantations, with Houses, and other Improvements, suitable for Tobacco or small Grain. These Lands will be sold together, or separate, as may best suit the Purchaser.

About Four Miles from Piscataway, and on the great Road to Lower-Marlborough, and Nottingham, are about 300 Acres, commodiously joining, and pretty well improved, on which are several Buildings and Orchards, with Plenty of Wood and good Water; adjoining to which is one other Plantation of 100 Acres, with Buildings and other Improvements suitable for a small Family; contiguous to which is a small Tract of 32 Acres, on a Branch, very well wooded, on which Five or Six Acres of Meadow might easily be made.

He has also for SALE, the Two following Pieces of Land, in Charles County, viz.

PART of HULL, about 113 Acres, on Mattawoman Swamp, on which are good Improvements, such as a Dwelling-House, Kitchen, and Garden, with a very fine Orchard of Apple and Peach Trees, in good Repair.—About one Mile and an Half from thence is another Tract, called AMENDMENT, containing 250 Acres, not improved. This Land is level, and well stocked with Wood.—Those who chuse to purchase, may apply to me, at Piscataway, and know the Terms. I will give Time for Payment, on giving Bond, and Security, if required.

JAMES MARSHALL.

JUST IMPORTED, In the Isabella, Capt. Spencer, from Bristol, and to be SOLD, by Wholesale,

A PARCEL of well assorted GOODS, about £.1500 Sterling prime Cost. For Terms apply to Mr. John Bries, Annapolis, Messrs. Smyth and Sudler, Chester-Town, or

JAMES CHESTON. (1f)

STRAY'D or stolen from the Subscriber, on Tuesday the 16th of June last, Two likely Chair-Horses, the one a middle and the other a bright bay; the middle bay is near Fourteen Hands and an Half high, the bright bay about Fourteen Hands and an Inch. One of them is branded on the near Buttock, but the Mark not remembered; they have ridge Manes and bob Tails, and were lately the Property of Mr. Jesse Bell, of Lancaster, and I imagine may be gone that Way, if not stole.—Whoever will bring said Horses to me, at Falmouth, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, or Twenty Shillings to inform me where they are, so that I may get them again; and as I am apprehensive they are stole, I will give Ten Pounds Reward to any Person who will secure and convict the Thief.

GAVIN LAWSON. (w3)

Baltimore-Town, June 25, 1769.

Imported, by HUDSON and THOMPSON, in the last Ships from London and Liverpool,

A NEAT and large Assortment of European and East-India GOODS, suitable for the Season, which will be sold by the Importers, Wholesale, or Retail, on low Terms, viz. No. 1, to No. 8, Warrington Sail Cloth, low priced Middling and Superfine Broad Clothes, ditto Forrest Plains, German Serges, Tammies, Durants, Duroys, Sagathies, Calimancoes, Shalloons, blue and white Delph Bowls, in Hogheads, sorted Sizes, brown, white, mottled, clouded, and coloured Thread Stockings, a large and general Assortment of Saddle Trimmings, from the Tree to the smallest Article used in that Branch, 3d. 4d. 6d. 8d. 10d. 12d. 20d. and 30d. Nails, Scupper Nails, Sprigs, Tacks, Sheet Lead, Deep Sea-Lines and Leads, Spun-Yarn, Housline, Marline, Compasses, Hour, half Hour, Minute, and half Minute Glasses, Iron Pots, Irish Linens, Sheetings, brown and white Dowlas, Garlix, Pomerania Linens, German and English Ofnabrigs, brown Rolls, Cotton and Thread Laces, Garterings, Nonfopretties, Bindings, Filletings, Incles, Tapes, Bobin, Shirt Buttons, 3-4, 7-8, yard wide, yard 1-8 and 6-4 Cotton and Linen Checks, stamped and checked Linen Handkerchiefs, Cotton Gown Patterns, Cotton Hollands, striped Cotton, Nankeens, dyed and white Pillow Futians, Jeans, Jeanet, Everlastings, Thickest, Bed Bunts, Tickings, Silk Mozeens, Silk Tobines, Damascuses, Laretas, Gingham, sorted Crates of Stone-Ware enamelled and white, Crates of Tea-Cups and Saucers, ditto of Tea-Pots, ditto of Plates and Dishes, sorted Boxes of Glass-Ware, Window Glass, Pewter Dishes, Plates, Basons, Tin-Pans, Table, Tea, and Sloop Spoons, large and small Copper Tea-Kettles, Quart Tankards, Tea-Canisters, a large and general Assortment of Cutlery and Hardware, too tedious to mention, blistered and square Steel, Cabinetmakers and Joiners Tools, Calor and Felt Hats, Shammy Skins, fine grained Sheepskins, Sheepskin Breeches, Threads of all Sorts, home-made Cotton Checks, Womens coloured and white Lamb and Kid Gloves and Mitts, Mens and Boys coloured and wash Leather Gloves, Hair Sifters, Wheat Riddles, Wire Sieves, Furniture for all Sorts of Cabinetmakers Work, single refined Loaf Sugar by the Hoghead, Saffron cut Tobacco, Snuff, Durham Mustard, sorted Boxes of Hard-Ware, Grindstones, Womens Calimanco and Everlasting Shoes and Pumps, Mens Leather Shoes and Boots, Writing Paper, Blank Books, Dutch Quills, Ink-Powder, Wafers, red and black Sealing-Wax, Pocket Books, Bibles, Testaments and Books for Children, bottled Beer, Corks, stain'd Chairs, Basket and Death-head Buttons, Silk and Hair Twist, sorted Boxes of fresh Linens, Silk Knee Garters, Laces and Purfes, Ferrets, figur'd and plain Ribands, double and single Sattin ditto, Sarcelnet and Love ditto, Stock Tape, Culge Handkerchiefs, black Cravats, Barcelona ditto, Italian Crapes, figur'd and plain Sattins, figur'd and plain Hoods, Sattin Peeling, Alamode, figur'd and plain Sarcelnets, Lutestrings, Musline, Cotton, and undrest figur'd and striped Gauzes, plain Cyprus Gauzes, plain and figur'd Lawns, of all Sorts, Lawn Handkerchiefs, Whitechapel Needles, Silver and Gold Twist Buttons, Leghorn Hats, Belladine Silk, broad and narrow black Lace, Blond and Thread ditto, Chip Hats, Silk and Sattin Ladies Drest Hats and Bonnets, Ladies Drest Caps, Skeliton Wire, Snail and Garland Trimmings, Tinsel and Flower Egrets, French Flowers, Long Lawns, Kenting Handkerchiefs, stamped Linens, Calicoes, stamped Cottons, Indian Chints, Huccaback Diaper, Clouting ditto, Diaper and Damask Table-Clothes, Hummums, Cotton and Silk Romals, Bandannos, Lunges, China Taffaties, different coloured Perfians, striped and plain Sattins, Mantuas, Ducapes, wrought Thread Sattins, Mahogany and Paper framed Looking-Glasses, Womens Cotton, Silk, and Thread Mitts, Worsted Hose and Breeches Patterns, Hogarth's Prints, painted on Glass, the 12 Months on Glass, Horse Hair Furniture, Buckrams, glaz'd Linens, Russia Drabs, Paiteboards, Ounce and Paper Pins, all Sorts of Brushes and Hair Brooms, Liverpool fine Bag Salt, and a Parcel of Coals, &c. &c.

To be CHARTERED,

THE Ship GALE, burthen 280 Tons; will take a Freight to any Part of Europe.—For Particulars, apply to Hudson and Thompson, Baltimore-Town.

COMMITTED to St. Mary's County Jail, as a Runaway, Negro JACK, (who formerly belonged to Mr. Henry Greenfield Sotheron, of said County) who says he belongs to Mr. Zachariah Offutt, of Frederick County: Has on, an old Ofnabrig Shirt, Cotton Jacket, Linen Breeches, Shoes and Stockings, and a new Felt Hat. His Master is desired to take him away, and pay Charges.

ROBERT WATTS.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Nicholas Norman, late of Anne-Arundel County, deceased, either by Bill, Bond, Mortgage, or otherwise, are desired to make immediate Payment; and those having any Claims against the said Estate, are desired to bring them in, that they may be adjusted and paid by

NICHOLAS NORMAN, JOHN NORMAN, Executors.

N. B. Those who it may not suit to discharge their open Accounts, are desired to come and settle, by giving Bond, with Security, if required.

JOHN HARTLOVE,

Late from Mr. WILLIAM SIMPSON, Barber and Peruke-Maker,

HAS now opened a Shop, at the House of Mr. Nathaniel Adams, opposite Mr. Natban Hammond's Store, near the Dock in Annapolis, where he intends to carry on the said Business as usual. He makes all Sorts of Ladies Curls, Rolls, and Gentlemens Perukes in the neatest and newest Fashion. Those Ladies and Gentlemen that please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on being faithfully served with the utmost Dispatch.

N. B. He likewise takes this Opportunity to return his unfeigned Thanks, to those Gentlemen from whom he has received particular Marks of Favour.

To be sold by the Subscriber, at the House of Mr. Hugh M'Bryde, in Charles County, on Monday the 21st Day of August next, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Cash, or London Bills of Exchange at 30 Days Sight,

A PLEASANT, healthy, and well-water'd PLANTATION, lying within Two Miles of Piles's Warehouse, called HADLOW, and other Tracts of Land adjoining, called HITCHEN, CROPPER'S RESERVE, PARR, and WOOD'S LOW GROUNDS, containing about 550 Acres; the Soil is very good, fit for either Tobacco, Corn, or Small Grain.—There is a good Meadow of natural Grass, and about Ten Acres of low Ground will be ready for sowing with Seed, by the Fall.—There is great Plenty of fine Pasturage.—The Lands are well timbered, and under very good Fences, on which there are the following valuable Improvements, viz. A Dwelling-House 44 Feet by 18, filled in with Brick, and plastered, Three Rooms below, with Three Fire Places, a small Passage, Two Shed Rooms and a Closet. The Upper Rooms not finished.—A Kitchen 20 Feet by 16, one Half the Floor laid with Plank, Two Shed Rooms and a Brick Chimney.—A Dairy 12 Feet Square, boarded with Tile, under pinned, filled in with Brick, and plastered.—A Cellar 14 Feet deep, built up with Brick, 10 Feet Square, and good Upper Room.—A Smoke-House 16 Feet by 12, double covered and boarded.—A Quarter 32 Feet by 16, with a double Brick Chimney.—A Store-House 32 Feet by 18, filled in with Brick, the Store-Room plastered, has an 8 Feet Shed the Length of the House, and a Cellar underneath 16 Feet Square.—A Brick Office 18 Feet by 16.—A Barn 40 Feet by 20, with Sheds on each Side, and a Threshing Floor 20 Feet by 18, laid with Two Inch Oak Plank.—A Log Corn-House 16 Feet by 12; the Barn and Corn-House enclosed with Posts and Rails, 80 Feet Square, for Farm Yard.—A Tobacco-House 40 Feet by 20, with 10 Feet Sheds.—A Cow-House 100 Feet long.—A Smith's Shop 16 Feet Square, and many other Houses of different Kinds, suitable for Two Tenants. Also a Garden paved in, 240 Feet by 160.—A good Apple and Peach Orchard, of different Kinds of Fruit, under good Fence.—Another Tract of Land call'd SYMPSON'S CHANCE, lying on the West Side of Piles's Fresh, containing 186 Acres of good rich Soil, and very level; it is well watered and timbered, and produces as good Tobacco, Corn and small Grain as any Land: The Buildings on it are, a Tobacco-House, Cow-House, Quarters, and Stables. An excellent Stream of Water runs past it, fit for a Mill.—Another Tract call'd KEETH'S-REST, laid out for 100 Acres, lying in the Forest, about 4 Miles from Bryan-Town: The Land is level, well timbered, the Soil good, and produces good Tobacco, Corn, and small Grain. The Buildings on it are pretty good.—Any Person will be shown the Land on applying to David Osburn, who lives on the same.—The Premises may be seen, and the Terms known, any Time before the Day of Sale, by applying to

ROBERT HORNER.

ALL those who have any Claims against the Estate of Captain Alexander Stewart, late of Baltimore-Town, deceased, are desired to bring in their respective Accounts duly proved, that they may be paid; and all such as are indebted to the said Estate, are requested to settle speedily with

SARAH STEWART, Administratrix.

June 22, 1769.

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away last Monday Night, from the Subscriber, living in Kent County, Maryland, Two Convict Servant Men, viz. MICHAEL HEWNE, or KEEN, born in Germany, and is by Trade a Tailor; he is slim made, has a thin Visage, dark Complexion, black Hair, and an old Sore on his Head, a little above his Temple: He so much represents a French Neutral, that he may very well pass for one: Had on, and took with him, when he went away, a blue Broad Cloth Coat, with Mohair Buttons, a striped red and white lappelled Jacket, of single Grogram, a Pair of ribbed Worsted Stockings, a black Silk Handkerchief, a new Castor Hat, with Silk Loopings, and a good Pair of Shoes, with the Grain out.

NATHANIEL POWELL, about 30 Years of Age, a slim made Fellow, thin Visaged, dark Complexion, thick black curled Hair, which grows very low down his Back, is an Englishman born, talks much in the West Country Dialect, and has a very down Look; he understands Plowing, Reaping, and Mowing, and is a nimble brisk Fellow: Had on, and took with him, when he went away, a blue Broad Cloth Coat, with a small Cape, and Mohair Buttons, a Pair of Snuff coloured fine Cloth Breeches, half worn. As they have other Clothes, they may perhaps change their Dress. They have Money with them, and it is probable, they will change their Names, and forge Passes.

Whoever takes up said Servants, and brings them home, if taken out of the Province, shall have a Reward of Ten Dollars; if in the Province, Six Dollars, for either, and for both, the above Reward, paid by

R. GRESHAM.

It is supposed they went off in a Canoe, and made down the Bay, from Chester River.

JUST IMPORTED, In the Betsey, Capt. Hanrick, from London; and to be sold by John Moale, at his Store, near the public Wharf, Baltimore-Town.

A COMPLAT and large ASSORTMENT of Spring and Summer GOODS.

AN away, on the 31st of May, from the Subscriber's Plantation, in Synapuxon Neck, in Worcester County, a Servant Man named CON ROURKE, born in the West of Ireland, he is a thick well set Fellow, about 5 Feet 8 or 10 Inches high, pitted with the Small-Pox, wears his own short thin straight fandy coloured Hair, about 30 Years of Age and has very little of the Brogue: Had on, and took with him, when he went away, an old coarse blue fly Coat, and Jacket, the back Parts of the Jacket are of a different Colour, a Pair of half worn Leather Breeches, Two coarse Country-made Shirts, One of which is striped, the other Check, One Pair of ditto Troufers, a brown Cut Wig, which he sometimes wore over his Hair, and a new Felt Hat; he also took with him a large Shovel and Spade in a Wallet, and probably may pass for a Banker and Ditcher. As he has often talked about St. Mary's County, perhaps he may have gone that Way.

Whoever secures the said Servant, so that he may have him again, shall receive Fifty Shillings; and, if brought home, reasonable Charges, paid by (w4) JAMES ROWND.

* * * The above Con Rourke has since changed his Name to James Campbell.

Piscataway, April 15, 1769.

To be SOLD, in large, or small Quantities, as may best suit the Purchasers,

TRACT of LAND, lying in Frederick County, between the Small and Large Tondoway Creeks, containing about 3500 Acres, called CALEDONIA. Likewise one other Tract, adjoining, called HAWKINS'S RICH LAND, containing about 450 Acres. The Soil is rich, and the Land as level as common, in that Part of the Country, is well watered, and has several small Plantations on it. The Purchaser or Purchasers, may have 3 or 4 Years Credit, on paying One Third of the Purchase-Money down, and giving Bond with Security, for the Remainder. For further Particulars apply to Mr. Charles Beatty, in Frederick-Town, or (1f) GEO. FRAT. HAWKINS.

George-Town, Patowmack, May 25, 1769.

LITTLE Regard being paid to our late Advertisement, we (once more) take this Method to advise our Friends and Customers, of our Intention to quit Store-keeping at this Place, and that we will consequently be under a Necessity of shortly settling our Accounts, and calling in our Debts. It is therefore requested that all Persons indebted to us, will speedily discharge the same; and that all such as cannot immediately pay, may call and settle their Accounts. Such as neglect complying, may depend on having their Accounts speedily put into the Hands of a Lawyer.

We have yet on Hand, a small (tho' well assorted) Parcel of dry Goods, which will be Sold at first Cost for ready Money, Wheat or Hemp: We also continue to sell the best Continent Rum, by Wholesale and Retail (am) JAMES HARRIS, and Co.

JUST IMPORTED,

And to be sold, at my Store, in Baltimore-Town, Wholesale, on the very lowest Terms, for Cash or Country Produce,

A GREAT Variety of Irish Linens, Manchester Checks, Irish Poplins, Gingham, Camblets, and other Goods. JOHN STEVENSON.

And to be sold at the same Store,

A WELL assorted Cargo of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, Wholesale and Retail, imported in the Dolly and Betsey, Capt. Matthew Craymer, from London. WILLIAM HAMMOND, & Co.

To be SOLD, by the SUBSCRIBER, at Port-Tobacco, to the highest Bidder, on Wednesday the 9th of August next,

THREE improved Lots in the said Town, which were heretofore advertised in this Paper; also a Tract of Land containing 446 Acres, within a Mile and an Half of the said Place, called Haber-venture Enlarged. As the Land and Lots, with Improvements, are well known, its needless to describe them here. Should any Person incline to purchase any of the Lots or Land, before the Day mentioned for Sale, they may know the Terms by applying to (1s) DANIEL JENIFER.

WILLIAM SLICER,

CABINET and CHAIR-MAKER, at Mr. JAMES CANNAN'S, a little below the Market-House, in Annapolis,

TAKES this Method to inform the Public, that he makes and sells the following Articles, all constructed in the most neat and fashionable Manner, viz. Desks, Book-Cases, Escritoirs, Bureaus, Card, Chamber, Parlour and Tea-Tables; Easy-Arm, Parlour, Chamber, and Corner Chairs; Settees, Clock-Cases, Couches, Dumb-Waiters, Tea Boards, Bottle-Boards and Bedsteads, &c. &c. &c.

Those Ladies and Gentlemen, and others, who please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Work done with Care and Expedition.

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JUST OPENED,

And to be Sold by the Subscriber, living in Church-Street, Annapolis, for ready Money, or short Credit.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable to the different SEASONS. THOMAS HYDE.

Just LAUNCHED, and to be SOLD,

THE Hull of a Vessel, Fifty Feet Keel, Twenty one Feet Beam, Nine Feet Hold, and Three Feet Eight Inches 'twixt Decks, with Masts, Yards, &c. for a Brigantine. Any Person inclinable to purchase, may view the same and know the Terms, by applying to the Subscribers, or either of them in Baltimore-Town, Maryland. (4w) THO. & NICH. JONES.

By Virtue of a Commission to us directed, from the High Court of Chancery, will be exposed to Public SALE, on Monday the 7th Day of August next, on the Premises,

TRACT of LAND, called THE REGULATION, containing, by Patent, Five Hundred and Five Acres, (One Hundred whereof, are deemed foul of a Tract of Land, called SELSED) in Baltimore County, about Eleven or Twelve Miles from Baltimore-Town, and on the Road from thence over Gunpowder Falls, to York-Town. The Soil is exceeding good, and fit for Farming, and Plenty of Meadow may be made thereon. Any Person inclining to view, may be shewn the Premises, on applying to Mr. Edward Cockey, Mr. John Wilnot, or Mr. Benjamin Bowen. The Title, and Conditions of Sale, will be made known on the Day of Sale. by DANIEL CHAMIER, SAMUEL YOUNG, JONATHAN FLOWMAN, JAMES GITTINGS.

May 26, 1769.

THE Subscribers are appointed a Committee of Frederick County Court, to inspect the Public Records of the said County, and Papers in the Clerk's Office, and, agreeable to Instructions, we do give this Public Notice, that we intend to meet at the Clerk's Office in Frederick-Town for this Purpose, on Monday the Fourth Day of September next, when all Persons who apply, may have their Deeds and other Writings compared with the Records.

ANDREW HEUGH, THOMAS PRICE, JEN. CAMPBELL, THO. SPRIGG WOOTTON.

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L O T T E R Y

For raising SIX HUNDRED DOLLARS, for completing and finishing the REFORM'D CALVINIST CHURCH, and building a SCHOOL-HOUSE, in Sharpburg, in Frederick County, Maryland. To consist of Two Thousand Tickets, at Two Dollars each: Five Hundred and Fifty-seven of which will be fortunate, without any Deduction, viz.

Table with 3 columns: Prize amount, Number of tickets, Total value. Includes 1 Prize of 200 Dollars, 200 tickets; 2 Prizes of 100 Dollars, 200 tickets; 3 Prizes of 50 Dollars, 150 tickets; 4 Prizes of 25 Dollars, 100 tickets; 20 Prizes of 15 Dollars, 300 tickets; 50 Prizes of 10 Dollars, 500 tickets; 475 Prizes of 4 Dollars, 1900 tickets.

Prizes, 557 First drawn Blank, - 25 Blanks, 1443 Last drawn Blank, - 25 600\$ rais'd.

2000 Tickets, 2 Dollars each, 4000 Dollars.

By the above Scheme, there are little more than Two Blanks and an Half to a Prize, and the Profits retained, are Fifteen per Cent. on the whole. The Drawing will begin at Sharpburg, as soon as the Tickets are disposed of, (on Fourteen Days previous Notice, at least, to be given in the Maryland Gazette) in Presence of Five of the Managers at least, and as many of the Adventurers as shall think proper to attend. The Drawing, it is hoped, will be in Six Months, at farthest, as a great Number of the Tickets are already engaged.

The Managers are, Messieurs George Stricker, Christian Orndorff, Joseph Smith, William Good, Abraham Lingensfelder, John Stull, Michael Focklar, George Dagon, and Benjamin Spyer, who are to give Bond, and be on Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust.

A List of the Prizes to be published in the Maryland Gazette, as soon as the Drawing is finished, and the Prizes to be paid off, without any Deduction. Prizes not demanded within Six Months from the Publication aforesaid, to be deemed as generously given for the Use intended, and applied accordingly.

The Value of Seven Shillings and Sixpence, in Pennsylvania Currency, will be received in lieu of each Dollar, in the Sale of Tickets, and the said Currency to be accepted in Payment of the Prizes drawn by the fortunate Adventurers.

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

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Francis Waring, deceased, are desired to make immediate Payment, and all those who have any Demands against said Estate, are desired to bring them in, that they may be settled, by LEONARD WARING, Acting Executor. (3w)

To be sold at Public Vendue, by the Subscribers, at the Coffee-House, in Annapolis, on Wednesday the Ninth Day of August next, the following Land and Negroes, conveyed to them in Trust, by Mr. John Wilnot, viz.

TRACT call'd DINAH'S FANCY, granted to John Wilnot, for 215 Acres, lying on a Draft of Pipe-Creek, call'd Silver-Run, in Frederick County, and near John Logsdall's, who will show the Land.

A Tract call'd DINAH'S GOODWILL, granted to said John Wilnot, for 314 Acres, lying likewise in Frederick County, near Simon Miller and Andrew Young, either of which Persons will show the Land.

A Tract lying on the Head of South-River, in Anne-Arundel County, call'd SNOWDEN'S REPUTATION SUPPORTED, containing 130 1/2 Acres. On this Plantation there is a Dwelling-House, Kitchen and Corn-House, an Orchard fenced in, containing 130 Apple-Trees, and the Plantation in every other respect in good Repair. There is likewise on said Plantation, a new Stone Dwelling-House, 34 Feet long and 20 Feet wide, with a Cellar, the whole Length and Breadth of the House, a new Kitchen, Oven, and a Garden 100 Feet Square, new paved in. The last mentioned House was intended for a Tavern, and is conveniently situated for that Purpose; it is not quite finished, but there is every Material on the Spot, ready for completing it, the Doors and Window Sashes being already made. Also Six likely NEGROES, consisting of Men, Women and Children. The Title and Terms of Sale may be known by applying to NICHOLAS MACCUBBIN, JAMES DICK. (1s)

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Monday the Seventeenth Day of July next, on the Premises,

TWENTY-FOUR Acres, Part of a Tract of Land, situated on the North Branch of South-River, in Anne-Arundel County, Maryland; called Long-Venture, Twelve Acres whereof is well cleared mowable Meadow, producing upwards of Forty Thousand Weight of Hay per Year, which sells readily at Forty Shillings a Thousand at Annapolis, which is less than Eight Miles distant: There is also on the said Land, a good Merchant-Mill, the Mill-House Thirty Feet by Twenty-Four, Two Story high, the Mill double Geer'd, and calculated for Two Pair of Stones, with Bolting-Chest, Bolting-Geers, and Hoisting-Jack, all in good Repair, and on an excellent Stream: There is also a good Frame Dwelling-House, Twenty-Four Feet by Sixteen, on the same Land. Likewise on the same Day will be Sold, in the same Manner, Sixty Acres, Part of a Tract of Land, situated on the South Branch of South-River, in the County and Province aforesaid, called Snowden's Reputation Supported, whereon is a remarkable good Single Geer'd Grift-Mill, and an excellent Fulling-Mill, well known by the Name of the Good-Intent, also a good Dwelling-House, and other convenient Houses thereunto belonging; these Mills are situated on a never failing Stream, and the Tide comes to the Mill Tale, the Profits of these Two Mills hath been upwards of Eighty Pounds a Year, clear of all Charges for several Years past, and the above Merchant-Mill the same, and may be made much better, and more beneficial; the Purchaser may have the Tools belonging to the Fulling-Mill if he chuses to purchase. Sterling Cash, good London Bills of Exchange, with a good Indorser (if required) will be taken, and that only, for Payment. The Purchaser may have Time for Part of the Purchase Money, on giving Bond on Interest with approved Security. The Sale to begin at One o'Clock. Any Person inclining to purchase all or either of the said Mills, Lands, &c. may view the same, and know the Title, by applying to the Subscriber.

As the Subscriber hath many outstanding Debts, which hath been long due, he hopes those indebted will not delay Payment longer than the Saturday before the Sale above mentioned, as no longer Indulgence will be given, and he takes this Opportunity to thank his kind and indulgent Creditors, desiring at the same Time, that they will please to let him know their several Claims against him, at or before the Day of Sale above mentioned, that they may be settled and adjusted. (1s) JOHN DUCKER.

N. B. I still carry on the Fulling Business, and in case I sell my Mills, shall reserve Time to finish all the Work that comes in before the Day of Sale.

* * * The above Sale is put off 'til Tuesday the First Day of August next, if fair; if not, the next fair Day shall be the Day of Sale, and no Excuse to be made.

Baltimore County, June 7, 1769.

WHEREAS I find, by Experience, that I can neither by Law, or Equity, recover the many Debts due me, in order to discharge my just Debts; and as several of my Creditors are very impatient, and others of them commencing Suits at Law against me, which involves me in much Trouble and Expence, I do hereby give this public Notice to all my Creditors, that I shall Petition to the next General Assembly of this Province, to pass an Act to release me from the Sheriff of Baltimore County, whose Custody I am now in. HENRY GASSAWAY.

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GRODNO, March 22. Grand Dutchy of Lithuania, complaining of the Law of Nations by the they are attacked in their Liberty, ruined in their Houses, and in Despair or a glorious Religious and Civil Liberty. PETERSBURGH, April 1. Imperial Majesty's Forces Don and Wolga, and Masters of Alope: It is extremely difficult for Russia by Way of the WARSAW, April 15. General Czartorinski that he had defeated a Second Engagement, Enemy had lost a great LEIGHORN, April 1. standed in Corsica 50,000 Arms, &c. for the able in his Dispositions, and above Arms in the Common

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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JULY 27, 1769.

A L I C A N T. *March 11.*



AST Saturday the St. Vincent Ferrer Man of War of 80 Guns, and the St. Theresa, of 30 Guns, arrived in this Harbour, and landed upwards of 300 Slaves, Men, Women and Children, who were re deemed at Algiers at the King's Expence, and are de signed to form a Settlement in little Island Westward of this Road. These Slaves are the Remainder of several Families who were car red off near 30 Years ago from the Island of Ta rarcia, by the Corsairs of Tunis, when that Place was at besieged by the Algerines. Their Priest, who met with the same Fate as his Parishioners, was immedi ately released upon his Parole, to try if he could raise Contributions for their Redemption, but meeting with little Success, and being determined not to abandon his Flock, he returned back to Slavery, and continued 3 Years since a Partaker of their Sufferings and Misery.

GRADNO, *March 22.* The Nobility, &c. of the Grand Duchy of Lithuania, have lately published a Manifesto, complaining of the Infringement of the Law of Nations by the Russians, and declaring, that as they are attacked in their Honour, abridged of their Liberty, ruined in their Fortunes, and driven from their Houses, and having no other Resource than Despair or a glorious Death, they are determined to spill the last Drop of their Blood, for their Religious and Civil Liberties, and have accordingly formed a Confederacy under Marshal Sickenowicko.

PETERSBURGH, *April 15.* We hear, that her Imperial Majesty's Forces have united between the Rivers Don and Wolga, and that they have made themselves Masters of Alopeh: If this News be true, it will be extremely difficult for the Turks to penetrate into Russia by Way of the Black Sea.

WARSZAW, *April 15.* This Evening an Express from General Czartorinski arrived here, with an Account, that he had defeated a large Body of Confederates, in a Second Engagement, in Great Poland, and that the Enemy had lost a great Number of Men.

LEGHORN, *April 15.* An English Frigate lately landed in Corfica 50,000 Sequins, and a great Quantity of Arms, &c. for the Use of Paoli, who is indefatig able in his Dispositions for fighting it out to the last Ex tremity, and above 4000 Ecclesiasticks have taken Arms in the Common Cause.

WESTMINSTER,

May 9. This Day his Majesty came to the House of Peers, and being in his Royal Robes, seated on the Throne with the usual Solemnity, Mr. Quarre, Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a Message from his Majesty to the House of Commons, com manding their Attendance in the House of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, his Majesty was pleased to give the Royal Assent to Fif teen Acts passed this Session.

After which his Majesty was pleased to make the follow ing most gracious SPEECH:

My Lords, and Gentlemen,
H A V I N G thought it Necessary to give so early a Commencement to the present Session of Par liament, I am glad to find, that by your Zeal and Assiduity in the Dispatch of the Public Business, I am now enabled to relieve you from your Attendance, be fore the Season of the Year is too far advanced.

I cannot put an End to the Session, without expres sing my entire Approbation of your Conduct, and thanking you for that clear Demonstration, which your Proceedings through the whole Course of the Session, have afforded to all the World, of the affec tionate Attachment of my Parliament to my Person and Government, as well as their steady Adherence to the true Interest of their Country.

It was with much Satisfaction that I observed your particular Attention to those great national Objects, which, at the Opening of the Session, I recommended to your more immediate Consideration. The Result of your Deliberations, respecting the late Acquisitions in the East-Indies, has shown, that you were not more attentive to the immediate Benefit arising therefrom in Point of Revenue, than to the securing, at all Events, the permanent commercial Interest of this Country, and guarding against every possible Discou rage ment to our own Manufactures, and to the Industry of my Subjects. What more remains to be done, for securing the Possession of those valuable Acquisitions, you will, I doubt not, proceed to provide for, with all convenient Dispatch, at your next Meeting.

The Measures which I had taken, regarding the late unhappy Disturbances in North-America, have been already laid before you. They have received your Approbation; and you have assured me of your firm Support in the Prosecution of them.—Nothing, in my Opinion, could be more unlikely to enable the well-disposed among my Subjects, in that Part of the World, effectually to discourage and defeat the Designs of the Factions and Seditious, than the hearty Con currence of every Branch of the Legislature in the Re solution of maintaining the Execution of the Laws in every Part of my Dominions. And there is nothing

I more ardently wish for, than to see it produce that good Effect.

With Respect to Foreign Affairs, my own Deter mination, as well as the Assurances given me by other Powers of Europe, continue the same as I communi cated to you at the Beginning of this Session; and, however unsuccessful my Attempts have proved for preventing the unfortunate Rupture which has hap pened between Russia and the Porte, I shall not fail to use my good Offices towards restoring Peace between those Powers; and I trust, that the Calamities of War will not extend to any other Part of Europe.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,
My particular Thanks are due to you, as well for the Supplies which you have granted me for the Ser vices of the current Year, as for the Provision which you have made for enabling me to discharge the Debt incurred upon Account of my Civil Government. Your Readiness in relieving me from the Difficulties in creasing upon me from the Continuance of that Debt, I shall ever consider as an additional Motive for me to endeavour to confine the Expences of my Civil Go vernment within such Bounds as the Honour of my Crown can possibly admit.

My Lords and Gentlemen,
It gives me great Concern, to be obliged to recom mend to you, with more than ordinary Earnestness, that you would all, in your several Counties, exert your utmost Efforts for the Maintenance of Public Peace, and of good Order among my People. You must be sensible, that whatever obstructs, in any De gree, the regular Execution of the Laws, or weakens the Authority of the Magistrate, must lessen the only Security, which my People can have for the undisturb ed Enjoyment of their Rights and Liberties. From your Endeavours in this Common Cause, I promise myself the most salutary Effect: On my Part, no Countenance or Support shall be wanting; for as I have ever made, and ever shall make, our excellent Constitution the Rule of my own Conduct, so shall I always consider it as equally my Duty to exert every Power, with which that Constitution has entrusted me, for preserving it safe from Violation of every Kind; being fully convinced, that in so doing, I shall most effectually provide for the Interest and Happiness of my People.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by his Majesty's Command, said;

My Lords and Gentlemen,
I T is his Majesty's royal Will and Pleasure, that this Parliament be prorogued to Wednesday the 14th of June next, to be then here held; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Wednesday the 14th of June next.

L O N D O N,

May 5. Letters from Hamburg, say, "A Report prevails here, that his Prussian Majesty will not be able much longer to adhere to a Neutrality in the present critical Situation of Affairs, but will join the Em press of Russia against the Turks."

Letters from Venice, mention, that Apprehensions are formed by the Senate, of some Machinations now forming by the Ottoman Porte, against that Republic.

It appears by many Accounts, that the Finances of the French Nation are so low, that if they had the In clination they have not the Means of commencing Hostilities. It is also positively asserted that no less than 100,000 Men have deserted from the French Troops since the Conclusion of the War, 30,000 of whom the King of Prussia has entertained in his Ser vice.

May 8. We are told, that it is still very doubtful, whether a certain Petition will be presented. It is certain that many of the most respectable Freeholders are under great Apprehensions, on Account of having subscribed it; and that it will undergo some Altera tion before Presentation, if it should be presented at all.

The List of Middlesex Freeholders who intend to petition in Favour of Col. Luttrell, is now said to consist of about Three Hundred and Fifty.

Letters from Leghorn, say, that the Court of France has made a Demand of the Genoese of Eight Million of Livres, for some extraordinary Expences incurred by the Affairs of Corfica.

Two Sloops of War, the Diamond and Alarm, are dispatched for the Mediterranean, which causes some Speculation, as they carry the same Orders, lest one should meet with any Accident or Delay.

May 9. It was reported on Saturday Evening, that private Letters from Dantzick brought an Account of the Confederates having made an Attempt upon the City of Warsaw, but that tho' that Metropolis was very unable to make a Defence, they had been re pulled with great Loss, by the Bravery of Prince Rep nin, and some of the Russian Commanders.

Yesterday at Noon, by a moderate Computation, there were upwards of Three Hundred Members, to determine the Result of a grand Debate. Several Peers of the first Rank were present to hear the same, and it is thought would not be over 'til early this Morning.

Yesterday a great Number of Countables attended in Westminster-Hall, to be in Readiness to keep the Peace in Case of any Disturbances. Several of the Middlesex Freeholders attended, but every Thing re mained peaceable and quiet.

Sunday se'nnight, in the Evening, a Fire broke out in the County of Devon, which destroyed upwards of 200 Dwelling-Houses. All the best Part of the Town (generally called West-Town) is reduced to Ashes, from the Top of Bowden-Hill, to the Corn-Market, and all Back-Lane, including Back-Houses as well as those in Front, for about Three Eighthths of a Mile. The Fire began at Putman's Bake-House, and every Thing being very dry, and the Wind high, the Streets were on Fire on both Sides immediately. The Fire continued burning from Sunday Night to Tuesday Morning. Monday Evening a large Body of Soldiers marched from Exeter to assist the unhappy Sufferers.

They had Two Engines which were soon destroyed by the Flames, soon after the Fire was discovered. The greatest Part of the Inhabitants are entirely ruin ed, and have lain in the Fields ever since.

May 10. The House of Commons, which met on Monday, continued sitting 'til Three o'Clock Yester day Morning. It is said there were about 375 Mem bers present.

We hear that Col. Luttrell's Seat, as Knight of the Shire for the County of Middlesex, is confirmed to him; and that the Bets were 221 to 152.

Yesterday the Marquis of Rockingham, Earl Tem ple, Lord Lyttleton, and several other Noblemen, dined at the Thatch'd-House, with the 152 Members of Parliament, who supported their Opinions by their Votes, that Col. Henry Lawes Luttrell was not duly elected Knight of the Shire for Middlesex.

Yesterday a grand Council was held at St. James's, said to be relative to some Dispatches received on Monday from Sir Andrew Mitchell, his Majesty's Ambassador at the Court of Berlin. On their break ing up, a Messenger was sent off with Dispatches for his Prussian Majesty.

It is reported that a Remonstrance of a singular Na ture has been transmitted here, from a great Power, complaining of the Assistance granted by the English, to certain Islanders, by which they are enabled to pro long the War.

They write from Minorca, that Orders had just been received from England, to have all the Garrisons on the Island fully completed, and the Fortifications immediately put in the best State of Defence.

May 11. We are assured, that a certain Colonel who has lately been the Subject of much Conversation, is going, in a few Days, to join his Regiment in Ireland.

May 12. Yesterday Morning his Excellency the Prussian Ambassador, had a long Conference with his Majesty's principal Secretaries of State; after which he forwarded Dispatches to Berlin.

It is said some beneficial Regulations are under Con sideration, and will speedily be introduced in the Royal Navy, calculated to induce Sailors to enter, in Cases of Emergency, without Pressing.

In the Course of the last Sessions 142 Bills received the Royal Assent, amongst which were more Road and Inclosure Bills than ever were known in One Session.

When the last Accounts came from Poland, they had Advice, that the Grand Visier was in march with his Army from Adrianople.

According to Letters from Cracow, the Troubles, which desolate Poland, were beginning to break out in that City, inasmuch that the Russian Garrison be ing too weak to withstand the Attacks that were ap prehended, had received Orders to withdraw into the Castle, for which Purpose they were collecting Provi sions of all Kinds, to hold out a Siege in Case of Need.

By an Enumeration lately made of the Inhabitants of Warsaw, it appears that 2000 Fathers of Families, have quitted their Habitations there, to join the Con federates.

We hear, Orders are issued for all Officers, now in Foreign Service, to join their respective Regiments.

May 13. The Government have granted to the Salt petre-Works in Fulham, the Sum of Two Thousand Pounds, to encourage the carrying on those Works, and for extending the Art of raising Saltpetre in England.

May 19. It is said that Yesterday Morning an Ex press was sent off from the Secretary of State's Office, for his Excellency Sir Andrew Mitchell at Berlin, on Affairs of great Importance.

Some Dissatisfaction having arisen on Account of the Middlesex Petition not being presented, it may not be amiss to observe, that it was judged highly impru dent to present it while the Parliament was sitting, as it would consequently have been referred to them before an Answer could be given. Since which the Delay has been increased by the Royal Family re moving to Richmond.

No Time was fixed for presenting the Petition from Middlesex to his Majesty, at the Meeting on Tuesday last, as was expected.

The Secular Priests of Corfica, who have taken Arms, form a Corps of 500 Men, and the Regulars are charged with the Defence of their Convent.

It is said that Gen. Paoli has lately numbered the Inhabitants of the Island, and that he found 40,000 able to bear Arms, exclusive of those who had enlisted under the French.

May 20. By Letters arrived Yesterday from Poland, we hear that Prince Gallitzin, at the Head of the Russian Army, opened the Trenches before Choczim on the 5th Inst. and that the Turks had retired, after throwing a Body of 10,000 Men into that Fortress.

There is a Report that the Empress of Russia has made very important Overtures to the Grand Master, and the Knights of Malta, to assist her in her present Rupture with the Turks, and that warlike Community have actually her Imperial Majesty's Proposals under serious Consideration.

Considerable Wagers have been laid at the West-End of the Town that (provided the Fortrefs of Azoph, as reported, is taken from the Turks) the Russians will be Masters of Constantinople before this Day Twelve Months: And large odds have been taken, that the Russian Troops will even Garrison that Capital the ensuing Winter.

It is reported that the King of Brack, a powerful Chief on the Gold Coast, has commenced Hostilities against the Dutch, and taken one of their Factories: This Rupture is said to have been occasioned by the black Monarch's having discovered, that the French and Dutch had greatly misrepresented the Proceedings of the English, and made Use of very unwarrantable Means, to involve him in a War with the Subjects of Great-Britain.

A Gentleman, who is lately returned from his Travels in Foreign Parts, reports, that the French Trade and Traffic in divers Parts of Arabia and throughout the Holy Land, is exceedingly increased of late Years, inasmuch that in several Capital Places Subject to the Turk, scarce a Merchant of any other Nation meets with the least Encouragement from the Ottoman-Porte. This partly Accounts for the Influence of French Politics, notoriously verified in a late Affair.

It is greatly apprehended by the new Quadruple Alliance, that the Empress of Russia will be strongly tempted to carry into Execution her late Husband's Plan, which was to drive the Turks entirely out of Europe, and to establish the Seat of the Russian Empire in Constantinople, as Head of the Greek Empire.

CHARLES-TOWN, (South-Carolina,) June 20.

An Act of Parliament is passed, for encouraging the Growth and Culture of raw Silk in America, by which a Bounty is granted upon all raw Silk of the Produce of his Majesty's Plantations in America, imported directly from America, under proper Regulations, into the Port of London, for 21 Years, viz. for the First 7 Years 25 per Cent. for the next 7 Years 20 per Cent. and for the last 7 Years 14 per Cent. on the Value.

By another Act of Parliament, all raw and undressed Hides or Skins, except those of Horses, Mares or Geldings, are allowed to be imported from any of his Majesty's Plantations in America Duty free.

BOSTON, July 6.

Tuesday last the 4th of July, the Committee of both Houses of Assembly, waited upon his Excellency the Governor, at Cambridge, with the following ANSWER to his SPEECH of the 31st of June last, at the Opening of the present Session.

May it please your Excellency,

As your Excellency in your Speech to both Houses, at the Opening of the present Session, has recommended to us "to give our earliest Attention to the Business of the Province," we should have been glad if your Excellency had pointed out what was expected from us.

We agree with you, Sir, "that the Business of the Province is got into such an Arrear, that it will require the utmost Diligence to get it done within the usual Time generally allotted to this Session." Who brought the Province under this Difficulty, your Excellency can be at no loss to determine: Had the Assembly been called in the Fall of the Year past, there would have been no Cause of such Complaint.

Your Excellency has been pleased to tell us "that you shall be ready to concur with us in all Measures proposed for the good of the People that are consistent with the invariable Rule you have laid down, of not departing from the Duty you owe to the King." It is surprising, Sir, that so soon after such a Declaration your Excellency should suspend your Assent to a Resolve for an Establishment for Forts and Garrisons, even for a single Moment, especially as such an Establishment was always a favourite Object with your Excellency—Does the "Duty you owe to the King, or the Regard you have for the Good of the People," forbid your signing it? If so, how could your Excellency recommend this Business to the House in your Message of the Twenty-first Instant, as what was necessary to be immediately done? We are sensible, may it please your Excellency, "that the Service of the Crown and the Interest of the People are Objects very compatible with each other, and that they must be so under a Monarch who makes the general Welfare of all his Subjects the sole End of his Government." This Sentiment is what the Two Houses have adopted, and have always made their Object; and had your Excellency in humble Imitation of your Royal Master during your Administration acted from such noble Principles, many of the Disputes between your Excellency and former Assemblies would have had no Existence.—We shall with all convenient Dispatch finish the Business of the present Session; and we have a just Right to expect that your Excellency will give your Assent to all such Resolves and Acts that may be laid before you as will be for the Interest of the People and the Service of the Crown.

Two of the Vessels that carried to Halifax the Stores, &c. belonging to the Detachment of the Royal Train of Artillery that went from hence, returned the Beginning of last Week. One of them we hear met the Rippon and Rose Men of War, going into Halifax as they came out, having on Board the 65th Regiment from this Place.

Thursday last Major Rogers came to Town from New-York; and set out the same Day for Portsmouth. Early last Saturday Morning 4 Companies of the 64th Regiment embarked on board the Launceston, in order to proceed to Halifax.

NEW-YORK, July 17.

By several private Letters come in Capt. Salmon, from Gentlemen in London, to their Correspondents here, we are assured, there had appeared great Dispositions in the Parliament to repeal the late Revenue-Act,

could they have done it consistent with their own Pretensions; and they further say, that it will be repealed the next Session, on Condition the Americans behave with Submission, and acknowledge their Right of Taxation.—But if those be the Terms, the Struggle will not be soon over; for tho' the Colonies always have been, and are now, all submissive, yet it is hoped they never will yield an unconstitutional Obedience.

—Capt. Davis in the Ship Hope, was to sail in a Day or Two after Capt. Salmon, and we hear he has Twenty Thousand Pounds Sterling in Cash on board, for the Use of the King's Forces in these Parts, an Article wanted more than Goods at this Time. The Captains Richards, Kemble, Tingley and Townsend, all of this Port, were up for their Return, and were expected to sail in a few Weeks.—We are told they will have little else on board but Ballast, the Merchants here being determined strictly to adhere to the Non-Importation of Goods, as the most apparent Means of legally saving their distressed Country; and it is said, the very few Goods that are now come, are either to be sent back or stored. In this Ship are come Passengers, Col. Christie and Major Skene of the Regulars; Daniel Coxe, Esq; of Trenton, and his Mother; and Dr. Rush of Philadelphia, with several others.

PHILADELPHIA, July 20.

On Monday last a Vessel arrived at this Port, from Yarmouth, with a Load of Malt shipped in May last. The Committee of Merchants being informed thereof, immediately convened and sent for Mr. Amos Strettell, to whom they understood, the Cargo was consigned. Mr. Strettell attending, laid before the Committee the Letter he had received, dated the 5th of May, which, he acquainted them, was all he knew of the Matter; that the Shipper was an entire Stranger to him, and that the first News he had of such a Cargo coming, was by the Arrival of the Vessel. In short, from the Letter, it appeared that the Cargo was principally consigned to the Captain who had Orders to value himself on Mr. Strettell.

The Committee taking the Matter into Consideration, thought it expedient and unanimously resolved, as this was the first Attempt to counteract the Agreements entered into by the Merchants and Traders, on the 6th of February and 10th of March last, to call a general Meeting of the Inhabitants the next Day, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, and take their Advice on the present Occasion.

Notice being sent round, the Inhabitants met at the State-House at the Time appointed. The Captain and Mr. Strettell both attending, the Agreements of the Merchants and Traders were first Read, then the Letter to Mr. Strettell, with the Facts as they appeared to the Committee, were laid before the Assembly of the People, who having taken the same into Consideration,

Unanimously Resolved, That the Importation of the Malt shipped the 5th of May by Christopher Eaton of Yarmouth on board the Charming Polly, James Henderson, Master, is contrary to the Spirit of the Agreements entered into by the Merchants and Traders of this City, on the 6th of February and 10th of March last, that it is an Attempt to counteract the same, and ought to be discouraged.

At this Instant the Brewers of the City attended in a Body, with an Agreement which they had drawn up and signed; wherein they engage that as the Load of Malt, just arrived, was shipped contrary to the Agreement of the Merchants and Traders, they will not purchase any Part of it, nor will they brew the same, or any Part thereof, for any Person whatever.

This Agreement being read, was received with universal Applause, after which, Unanimously Resolved, That in order effectually to discourage such Attempts for the Future, no Person ought to purchase any Part of this Cargo.

That every Person who shall purchase this Cargo of Malt, or any Part, or Parcel thereof, or who shall assist in the Sale of it, or be any Ways concerned in unloading, storing or removing it, shall be considered as a Person who has not a just Sense of Liberty, and as an Enemy to his Country.

The above Brig, with her Malt, will certainly sail for Cork in Two or Three Days, a little Repair being necessary for her before she can proceed.

A Letter from London, dated May 13, 1769.

"There was a Message came into the City from the Ministry last Tuesday, that the Merchants might be assured, the Revenue-Acts for America would be repealed at the Opening of the next Session, without further Discussion of the Matter of Right, and that the King had given his Consent thereto: It is from undoubted Authority we are informed, this was a Determination in Council; but as it seems to contradict the King's Speech, we cannot advise you, on the Ministry's giving out such Information, to alter your Resolutions respecting Importations: We wish you may stand your Ground; at the same Time flatter ourselves, the Conduct of our Friends in Pennsylvania will be Pacific, and not to run into any tumultuous Proceedings. If your Merchants would Petition as a mercantile Body, without taking any Notice of the Right, we have Reason to expect you would have immediate Redress."

We hear that the above Declaration of the Ministry is looked on in the City of London, as a Ministerial Blind. It therefore behooves every American to take care how he is taken in.

ANNAPOLIS, July 27.

TO THE PRINTERS.

Prince-George's County, July 24, 1769.

I AM well informed, that Mr. Hephburn has been for some Months past, and is still endeavouring to excuse the Insinuation of the *Casnist*, who appeared in your Papers the 12th of January last, in a Manner every Way injurious to my Character, and more especially amongst those who are not acquainted with some very peculiar Circumstances, by propogating, that that Piece was maliciously and revengely written by me, from the Representation he made to our late Governor, of some idle Expressions that fell from me in a drinking Frolic, four or five Years ago, at *Piscataway*—or rather,

from the Representation he made to the Governor, of my having uttered Blasphemy and Treason, and for that Reason he should treat me with the Contempt I deserve—and as this Subject may hereafter give Rise to Chat and Altercation, which would shock and disappoint my Children, I shall, was it for no other Reason, appeal to the World, whether that Transaction alone, abstracted from any Thing else, does not prove him to be most egregiously vile, and contemptibly mean, when it was notoriously known, that all idle Discourse, at that Time, was entirely owing to a foolish Debauch which happened in the parliamenting Way.—Mr. Hephburn, on that Occasion, swore, (and whose Deposition, he, Hephburn, promised me he would lay before the Governor, but never did) that when such idle Conversation happened, I was distractedly in Liquor, and that I was aggravated to say what I did; and further made Oath, that I had drank more strong Liquor that Morning, than he ever see drank by any one in his Life.—Mr. *Jehias Beall's* Deposition to the same Purpose, he likewise promised to shew the Governor, but never did—therefore the Time, the Occasion, and the Situation I was in, considered, I would ask, who but that sober, honest, upright, impartial, humane, tender-hearted Mr. Hephburn, could have made such an Attack on his Friend's Reputation; as by endeavouring to set up so shocking a Charge against him, as that of Blasphemy and Treason! I say, who but just such a nother depraved cajoling Wretch could have been capable of such mean Baseness, and that too to serve the dirty Purpose of only obliging a very few, by endeavouring to defeat my Election! Indeed had I been a Person whose religious Principles, or whose moral Conduct, had, at any Time in Life, given the least room of Suspicion of Disloyalty, it might in some Measure have alleviated that Conduct; but he well knew, as did all my Acquaintance, that I had ever been an Enemy to every Sort of Jacobitism and Disloyalty, and that I had on every Occasion shewn myself a firm Friend to our present happy Establishment; and, in short, that I had, as a Volunteer, bore Arms in Defence of his Majesty's Crown and Dignity; yet that Person, after having canvassed the whole County, in Search of Evidence, to Support that base dirty Project, was obliged, at last, to have Recourse to a poor good natured blundering Man in an adjacent County, whose well known deprived intellectual Faculties incapacitates him from Rehearing with any Sort of Accuracy.—Our late worthy Governor was kind enough to shew me that Person's Deposition, with a Remark he, himself, had made, "that I was at the Time very much in Liquor," which my very good Friend, with every other mitigating Circumstance, had carefully omitted. What fully convinces me, and, I think, must every one else, that that Scheme was calculated with Design to defeat my Election, or to intimidate me as a Candidate, was his most consummate Impudence in advising me, and that too whilst that vile Matter was still alive, to decline standing, with this most friendly Exhortation, that it would be much better for me, as he was sure in that Case the Matter would drop, or go no further; and, that nothing more would be necessary, than to make some small Apology to the Governor, whom he expected in a few Days at his House, and that I should be very welcome to make Use of that Opportunity. I can't help taking Notice here of another Piece of his vile Deceit; after it became past all Doubt that I should be elected, he took an Opportunity, when it was almost dark, to come up to the Poll, when he could not be easily seen by his Patrons, to shake me with both his Hands, and did it with all the Fervency and seeming Joy of a fall Friend; yet soon after forgot to give me his Vote—I was for some Time at a Loss to know how he became the most fitting for that dirty Business, but was soon informed by himself, that I had once used him very ill; and that he had made a Resolution, from that Time, never to spend an Evening with me again. This unfortunate Affair, and which I thought nothing of, as he always after treated me with the same usual Respect, happened at the breaking up of one of our November Courts, when he had entered as usual, to share the Jollity of the Night; and he having drank much deeper than any one else, and having grown unintelligibly troublesome, in his stammering Way, I jokingly beg'd he would either leave off Stammering, or direct his Discourse to some one else, for that I could not understand any Thing he said; and as that Matter happened to take with the Humour of the Company, he was soon laugh'd out.—We were told the next Morning, it took him but Three Hours to travel from Mr. *Brydger's* home, which is near One Hundred Yards. I have thus given the Circumstances from whence Mr. Hephburn must have concluded I bore any Malice or Enmity towards him; he has his Choice, either to deny or admit them, if any of them are denied, I shall prove them, if they are admitted, they point out a Conclusion, not much to that Gentleman's Advantage, and but little short of what I have suggested.—The *Casnist* was certainly no Friend to Mr. Hephburn, his Friends would not have stirred any Questions in the public Papers about the blooded Lamb, nor is it usual for any guilty Man's Friends to drag him before the Bar of the Public; and if any supposed Malice in me, is a sufficient Excuse for his taking no Notice of the *Casnist's* Insinuation, the same Excuse, may, in all Instances, be urged by the Innocent and the Guilty, differently, and with the like Success. I cannot but presume therefore, that the Gentleman, on a Re-consideration of the Matter, must see the Necessity of o-

* I do declare he always appeared to me to be a firm Friend.

† I think he swore that I said, if I was Supreme Being I would send a good many to Old Nick, or some such Nonsense, and as to the Matter of Treason, it is too foolish to mention, he, or some one swore I cursed Butte.

‡ Mr. Bradley was privy to all this Advice—which happened after he knew the Governor desisted being seen in it—and whilst he was strongly insinuating, that I must give Security to answer, and at the Time I was called on to do it.

§ Mr. Jacobs was Witness to this.

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herwife manifesting his Innocency, and to save him the Trouble of a long, and perhaps disagreeable Deed of the Execution of the Trust, will, for my own part, only request short pointed Answers to these few questions.

21st, Did you Mr. Hepburn send the very Lamb to Mr. Waring, which was sent to your Care by Mr. Mackall? I am told he declared to Mr. Waring and several others, that he never had such a Sheep upon his Plantation.

22d, Had you not a Quarter Blood from Mr. Digges? I am told you had.

23d, Did you send Mr. Waring the Lamb, before you had that of Mr. Digges? I am told you did not.

24th, Have you not a Ram that runs in the same Pasture with the Ram you had of Mr. Mackall, and with the same Ewes? It is said you have, and that they appear exactly in Breed alike.

25th, Why do you keep the Two Rams with the same Ewes, if one is inferior in Breed to the other? Have you not been always vastly peculiar in Regard to your Sheep? I am told you have.

26th, I am informed, that at the Time you was told you was the Person so much talked of, you said, you could not conceive that you was meant by the *Casulist*, if you did not think so, why was you not as anxious to know what was meant by that Paper, as your Neighbours were? I can venture to say, there never was any Matter more talked of, and yet I am told, that you and your Family were never heard to mention it, 'til you was forced, which was near Three Months after the *Casulist* appeared: How happened all this?

If Mr. Hepburn should vouchsafe to answer, I should be glad to know, who were his special Informers in Regard to the above-mentioned Debauch, and shall be glad to inform the Public; who besides himself, from this County, danced Attendance to the Governor on that Occasion, that it may be seen at first View, what Principles they acted on.

I shall only add, that as Mr. Hepburn heretofore made the Attack on me, as I have recited above, without Regard to my Reputation or my Family, and is still endeavouring to injure me, as I have likewise mentioned, I hope I shall stand fully excused, not only for this Vindication of myself, but also for my now becoming thus far a Party in the Affair of Mr. Waring's Lamb.

I am, &c.
ROBERT TYLER.

To be sold, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Thursday the 5th Day of October next, at the House of Mrs. Church, in George-Town, on Sassafras River, between the Hours of 12 and 4 in the Afternoon, and to be entered upon the 1st Day of January next.

A VERY valuable Tract of Land, late the Estate and Dwelling Plantation of Mr. James M'Lauchlan, of Kent County, deceased, call'd MOUNT-AIRY, containing about 450 Acres, pleasantly situated on Sassafras River, and adjoining to George-Town, in Kent County aforesaid; whereon are a good Dwelling-House with a Kitchen adjoining, Smoke-House, Stable, Barns, Well, Yard, and a large sloping Garden, paled in. The Land is well timbered and watered, the Soil excellent, and the Title good. This Place is capable of very great Improvements as a Gentleman's Seat, and is most conveniently situated for the Trade of this River, and the adjacent Country. Credit will be given for one Third of the Purchase-Money, on the Purchaser's giving his Bond on Interest, with good Security for the same.—To be sold at the same Time and Place, for ready Money, several good Lots, lying in George-Town aforesaid, with a large Wharf adjoining to one of them, at the End of which there is 16 or 17 Feet Water. Attendance will be given at the above Time and Place, by Henry M'Lauchlan, Executor, or his Attorney in Fact.

July 24, 1769.

To be sold by the Subscriber, at PUBLIC SALE, to the highest Bidder, on the 11th Day of November next, ABOUT 800 Acres of valuable Land lying in Frederick County, being Part of a Tract of Land, call'd The Addition to Piles's Delight, adjoining to Mr. Joseph Chapline's Plantation, and willed by Col. Edward Sprigg, deceased, to be sold by his Executrix, before a certain Day mentioned in the said Will, wherein since the said Day; and, as that Authority was personal to the Executrix, not delegatory, or transmutable to any other Person, the Lands descended to the Heir at Law of the Testator, in whom rests the legal Title, and all other Sales, or Deeds, for the same, than made by him, are invalid, and of none Effect in Law, of which the Public are hereby warned, to prevent Frauds, Trespasses, &c.

The Sale will be made on the Premises when the Opinion of the ablest Lawyers on the Continent, relative to the Right of Title, will be shewn to any Person inclined to bid for the same.

RICHARD SPRIGG, Heir at Law.

July 22, 1769.

THE Subscriber being appointed by Mrs. Philpot, Executrix of Brian Philpot, deceased, to settle the Accounts and manage the Business of said Deceased's Estate, will attend for that Purpose, at the House of Mr. William Paine, near Mrs. Philpot's, on the Wednesday and Saturday of every Week, 'til the whole is finished. All Persons indebted to said Estate, by Bond, Note, or Book Account, are desired to make speedy Payment, and those that have any Demands, to bring in their Accounts, duly proved, that they may be adjusted. Those Gentlemen who have bought Lots, are in particular requested to call for their Deeds. There are a Number of very valuable Lots still on Hand, that will be put up at Public Sale, on the Wednesday and Thursday of next August Court. Attendance will be given at Jacob Myers's, by

JAMES KELSO.

There will be Three Months Credit given.

ANNAPOLIS, July 24, 1769.

LOST on the 18th Inst. a Gold RING, set with a large Garnet, Eight Square, (Four of which are not equal to the others) with a white Stone on each Side, in Imitation of Diamond Sparks.—Any Person that has found it, and will deliver it to me, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward.—If it is offered for Sale to any Person, they are requested to stop it and give Notice thereof to me, and they shall have the above Reward. (3w) REUBIN MERIWETHER.

To be sold, at PUBLIC SALE, at the House of Joseph Belt, at George-Town, on Wednesday the 20th Day of September next,

FOUR Hundred Acres, Part of a Tract of Land, called The Addition to Piles's Delight, lying near Little Monocofay, in Frederick County, about 50 Miles from George-Town, and about 15 Miles from Frederick-Town. The Soil is good for Tobacco, Indian Corn, and Wheat: It is well timbered and watered. The Title is indisputable. Any Person inclinable to view the Land, may apply to Mr. Leonard Weyman, living near the Premises. Time will be given for the Whole, or any Part of the Purchase-Money, on giving Bond, with Security, if required, and paying Interest. It will be sold altogether, or in Lots, to suit the Purchasers.

JACOB SPRIGG.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in Annapolis, an indentured Servant, named JOHN BURRAGE, by Trade a Clock and Watch-maker, born in the West of England, about Five Feet Eleven Inches high, of a dark Complexion, mark'd much with the Small-Pox, and has short black Hair: Had on, and took with him, a Drab Colour Surtout Coat, cut short, Check Shirt, striped Linen Trowsers, Castor Hat, and Country made Shoes.—Whoever secures the said Servant, and delivers him to the Subscriber, shall have Five Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

FRANCES KNAPP.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on the 21st of June last, a Servant Lad, named SAMUEL KENNING, about 18 or 19 Years of Age, by Trade a Shoemaker, and of a Sandy Complexion: Had on, when he went away, a Pair of Shoes and yellow Buckles, a Pair of Osnabrig Trowsers, a Country Linen Shirt, an old brown Jacket, and a new Felt Hat, Part of the Crown of which was eat by the Rats. Whoever takes up said Servant, and brings him to his Master, living in Queen-Anne's County, or secures him so that he may be had again, shall have Fifty Shillings Reward, paid by

EZEKIEL HUNTER.

July 20, 1769.
RAN away from the Subscriber, living in Kent County, Maryland, a Convict Servant Man, named JOHN TURNER, about Thirty-five Years old, Five Feet Eight or Nine Inches high, very thick made, pale Visage, and dark Hair, has a large Sore on his right Leg, speaks West Country Dialect: Had on, and took with him, Two Osnabrig Shirts, Two Pair of Osnabrig Trowsers, an old spotted Flannel Jacket, good Shoes, and an old Hat, it is possible he may have, or get other Cloaths: He has worked some Time in a Smith's-Shop.

Whoever takes up said Runaway, and secures him in any Jail, so that his Master may have him again, shall receive Fifteen Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows, paid by

JOHN BERRYMAN.

Alexandria, July 22, 1769.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on Sunday last, a Convict Servant Man, named JAMES LOWE, by Trade a Barber, about Twenty-five Years of Age, Five Feet Six Inches high, has been much pitted with the Small-Pox, but now wore pretty smooth, thin Visage, and black Hair: Had on, when he went away, a Wilton mixt Cloth Coat, white Jacket, Nankeen Breeches, and Check long Breeches over them, and a new Castor Hat. He carried also with him, a brown Cloth Coat, a black Cloth ditto, and a green Jacket, so it is supposed he will change his Cloaths; he is a smooth tongu'd Fellow, speaks fast, writes a good Hand, and I suppose will forge a Pass, as he had Liberty to go to Upper-Marlborough, in Maryland, to purchase some Hair: He went in Company with a certain Luke Kenney a Freeman, by Trade a Saddler, they were seen on a bye Road to Annapolis, who hired for him a grey Mare: The said Kenney went to do some Business at Annapolis, in Maryland, and was to have returned with the said Mare in a few Days, but as he has not, they are supposed to have run away together, either to Baltimore or Philadelphia, and I expect Lowe will attempt to get on board some Ship for England.—All Captains are forewarned against taking him out of the Country, and any Person that will take up, and commit the said Lowe to any Jail in Maryland, shall receive Three Pounds Reward, if to any Jail in Pennsylvania, Five Pounds, and if brought home, the said Reward, with all reasonable Charges, paid by

ROBERT ADAM.

COMMITTED to Gaolert County Jail, a few Days ago, a Fellow who calls himself William Cowens, and says he belongs to Mr. George Carter, of Baltimore County. Also a Fellow who calls himself Thomas James, and says he belongs to Mr. Caleb Dorsey, of Elk-Ridge. Their Masters are requested to take them away and pay Charges, to

JOHN WEEMS, jun. Sheriff.

W A N T E D,

At Upper-Marlborough, in Prince-George's County, A PERSON who understands the Business of a COACHMAKER: As also a Person capable of carrying on the Blacksmiths Business. Any Person (not having a Family) that understands either of the above Branches, may meet with good Encouragement, by applying to the Subscriber. And, as he has several outstanding Accounts due him for Dealings in the above Branches of Business, takes this Method of informing his good Customers, that he should be obliged to them for their respective Balances, that he may be enabled to carry on the above Business with Vigour and Dispatch.

JOHN KINGSBURY.

July 5, 1769.

To be sold to the highest Bidder, at the Town of Dumfries, in Virginia, on Monday the 4th of September next,

FOUR Hundred and Seventy Acres of Land, lately the Property of Colonel Henry Peyton, on which is a valuable GRIST-MILL. Short Credit will be given, the Purchaser entering into Bond with Security, payable to

CUTHBERT BULLITT.

T O B E S O L D,

A SERVANT Man, who has about Six Years and a Half to serve, he is a Blackmith by Trade, a good Farrier, and an excellent Workman, well qualified either for Town or Country Business, and is a well made hearty Fellow. For Terms, and the Reason of his being sold, enquire of the Printers.

THIS is to inform the Public, that the Subscriber proposes to carry on the Sailmakers Business in all its Branches, at the Warehouse on Mr. Middleton's Wharf, where Gentlemen, and others, who are pleased to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Work done in the most complete Manner, by

WILLIAM JOHNSON.

N. B. He likewise makes Cots, Hammocks, and Sacking Bottoms for Bedsteads.

J U S T I M P O R T E D, In the Betsey, Capt. Hanrick, from London; and to be Sold by John Moale, at his Store, near the public Wharf, Baltimore-Town,

A COMPLETE and large ASSORTMENT of Spring and Summer GOODS.

THE Manufactory of SNUFF and TOBACCO, at Bladenburgh, being now carried on at a very great Expence, the Owner thereof takes this Method to inform the Public, that he will use his utmost Endeavours to furnish, both in Wholesale and Retail, all his good Customers, at the accustomed Prices, as well as those who may hereafter chuse to become such: He also acknowledges himself much obliged for their former Favours, and hopes he shall always Merit the Continuance of them.

The Public is desired to remember the Disadvantages he has long laboured under, from the Prejudice that People in general have heretofore had, in Favour of all imported Snuff; this, he hopes, is now in some Measure removed, as he has the Satisfaction to assure them, that those who have constantly taken their Snuff from him, since the first Attempt to establish this Manufactory, are, he can truly say, universally pleased.—He is at a Loss to know, whether he has any Occasion to mention the Necessity he will shortly be under, of packing his Snuff in Country made Pots, if he cannot get Bottles, having debarred himself the Importation of Bottles, by Subscribing among the Sons of Liberty, to which Subscription he is determined strictly to adhere, and therefore sincerely wishes for an Acquiescence in this Proposal, being himself most avowedly a Friend to America.

He is convinced, that many Gentlemen, and others, who live remote from this Manufactory, would favour him with their Custom, if the Difficulty of Conveyance was no Hindrance; to remove which, as much as possible, he entertains them to send, or give their Orders to some Merchant in the next adjacent Town, or other convenient Landing, who, he hopes, will be thereby encouraged to become a Wholesale Customer.

The Gentlemen Merchants, who will be so kind as to receive Orders for him, are requested to procure him what empty Snuff Bottles they can, Kippen's Size especially, and to convey them to him as soon as possible. The Price at Bladenburgh is Four Shillings per Dozen.

He has for Sale, Two well improved LOTS in George-Town, now rented for Twenty-five Pounds per Annum, a Tract of Land, about One Mile and an Half from Bladenburgh, called Copenbagen, containing 102 1/2 Acres; about Sixty of which are cleared, and fit for a Farm; The Title indisputable. He has also for Sale, a healthy strong Negro Man.

RICHARD THOMPSON.

Upper-Marlborough, July 25, 1769.

THE Subscriber intends to depart for England, by the first Ship that sails in September next; he therefore prays all Persons who had Dealings with him at the above Place, with Mr. Edward Boteler, at Nottingham, and with Mr. Samuel Hepburn, at Marlborough, on Account of Mr. James Russell, of London, to pay their respective Balances in Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco.—He will allow the Market Price for Tobacco in Discharge of any Debts at each Place; and such Persons as cannot pay by Prince-George's August Court, will, he hopes, settle their Accounts with him, and give their Bonds, or Notes of Hand, in which the Time allowed for Payment shall be as long as can be reasonably expected. He hopes every Person concerned will see the Propriety of settling their Accounts with him, and ascertaining the respective Balances due to his Employer, before he leaves the Country. Those who do not comply with the above Request, he thinks, will have no Reason to be offended, if their Accounts are put into the Hands of a Lawyer. Those who have Claims against the above Concerns, will of Course bring them in.

CHRISTOPHER RICHMOND.

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A PERSON of Character, properly qualified as a Schoolmaster, for teaching Reading, Writing, and Arithmetic, will meet with good Encouragement, by applying to the Printers. (w6)

Baltimore-Town, June 25, 1769.

Imported, by HUDSON and THOMPSON, in the last Ships from London and Liverpool.

A NEAT and large Assortment of European and East-India GOODS, suitable for the Season, which will be sold by the Importers, Wholesale, or Retail, on low Terms, viz. No. 1, to No. 8, Warrington Sail Cloth, low priced Middling and Superfine Broad Cloths, ditto Forrest Plains, German Serges, Tammies, Durants, Duroys, Sagathies, Calimancoes, Shalloons, blue and white Delph Bowls, in Hogheads, sorted Sizes, brown, white, mottled, clouded, and coloured Thread Stockings, a large and general Assortment of Saddle Trimmings, from the Tree to the smallest Article used in that Branch, 3d. 4d. 6d. 8d. 10d. 12d. 20d. and 30d. Nails, Scupper Nails, Sprigs, Tacks, Sheet Lead, Deep Sea-Lines and Leads, Spun-Yarn, Houffine, Marline, Compasses, Hour, half Hour, Minute, and half Minute Glasses, Iron Pots, Irish Linens, Sheetings, brown and white Dowlas, Garlix, Pomerania Linens, German and English Onabrigs, brown Rolls, Cotton and Thread Laces, Garterings, Nonfopretties, Bindings, Fillettings, Incles, Tapes, Bobin, Shirt Buttons, 3-4, 7-8, yard wide, yard 1-8 and 6-4 Cotton and Linen Checks, stamped and checked Linen Handkerchiefs, Cotton Gown Patterns, Cotton Hollands, striped Cotton, Nankeens, dyed and white Pillow Fustians, Jeans, Jeanet, Everlastings, Thicksets, Bed Bunts, Tickings, Silk Mozeens, Silk Tobines, Damascuses, Larettas, Gingham, sorted Crates of Stone-Ware enamelled and white, Crates of Tea-Cups and Saucers, ditto of Tea-Pots, ditto of Plates and Dishes, sorted Boxes of Glass-Ware, Window Glass, Pewter Dishes, Plates, Basons, Tin-Pans, Table, Tea, and Sloop Spoons, large and small Copper Tea-Kettles, Quart Tangkards, Tea-Canisters, a large and general Assortment of Cutlery and Hardware, too tedious to mention, blistered and square Steel, Cabinetmakers and Joiners Tools, Castor and Felt Hats, Shammy Skins, fine grained Sheepskins, Sheepskin Breeches, Threads of all Sorts, home-made Cotton Checks, Womens coloured and white Lamb and Kid Gloves and Mits, Mens and Boys coloured and wash Leather Gloves, Hair Sifters, Wheat Riddles, Wire Sieves, Furniture for all Sorts of Cabinetmakers Work, single refined Loaf Sugar by the Hoghead, Saffron cut Tobacco, Snuff, Durham Mustard, sorted Boxes of Hard-Ware, Grindstones, Womens Calimanco and Everlasting Shoes and Pumps, Mens Leather Shoes and Boots, Writing Paper, Blank Books, Dutch Quills, Ink-Powder, Wafers, red and black Sealing-Wax, Pocket Books, Bibles, Testaments and Books for Children, bottled Beer, Corks, stained Chairs, Basket and Death-head Buttons, Silk and Hair Twist, sorted Boxes of fresh Linens, Silk Knee Garters, Laces and Purfes, Ferrets, figur'd and plain Ribands, double and single Sattin ditto, Sarcenet and Love ditto, Stock Tape, Culge Handkerchiefs, black Cravats, Barcelona ditto, Italian Crapes, figur'd and plain Sattins, figur'd and plain Hoods, Sattin Peeling, Alamode, figur'd and plain Sarcnets, Lutestrings, Musline, Cotton, and undrest figur'd and striped Gauzes, plain Cyprus Gauzes, plain and figur'd Lawns, of all Sorts, Lawn Handkerchiefs, Whitecaple Needles, Silver and Gold Twist Buttons, Leghorn Hats, Belladine Silk, broad and narrow black Lace, Blond and Thread ditto, Chip Hats, Silk and Sattin Ladies Drefs Hats and Bonnets, Ladies Drest Caps, Skelton Wire, Snail and Garland Trimmings, Tinsel and Flower Egrets, French Flowers, Long Lawns, Kenting Handkerchiefs, stamped Linens, Calicoes, stamped Cottons, Indian Chints, Huccaback Diaper, Clouting ditto, Diaper and Damask Table-Clothes, Hummums, Cotton and Silk Romals, Bandannos, Lungees, China Taffaties, different coloured Persians, striped and plain Sattins, Mantuas, Ducapes, wrought Thread Sattins, Mahogany and Paper framed Looking-Glasses, Womens Cotton, Silk, and Thread Mitts, Worked Hofe and Breeches Patterns, Hogarth's Prints, painted on Glass, the 12 Months on Glass, Horse Hair Furniture, Buckrams, glaz'd Linens, Russia Drabs, Pastebords, Ounce and Paper Pins, all Sorts of Brushtes and Hair Brooms, Liverpool fine Bag Salt, and a Parcel of Coals, &c. &c.

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JUST IMPORTED,
In the Isabella, Capt. Spencer, from Bristol, and to be SOLD, by Wholesale,

A PARCEL of well assorted GOODS, about £. 1500 Sterling prime Cost. For Terms apply to Mr. John Brice, Annapolis, Messrs. Smyth and Sudler, Chester-Town, or (t) JAMES CHESTON.

COMMITTED to St. Mary's County Jail, as a Runaway, Negro JACK, (who formerly belonged to Mr. Henry Greenfield Setboron, of said County) who says he belongs to Mr. Zachariah Offutt, of Frederick County: Has on, an old Onabrig Shirt, Cotton Jacket, Linen Breeches, Shoes and Stockings, and a new Felt Hat. His Matter is desired to take him away, and pay Charges.

(3w) ROBERT WATTS.
Chester-Town, July 17, 1769.

RAN away from on board the Snow Isabella, the 6th Infant, a Convict Servant Man, named RALPH GAMBALL, about 40 Years of Age, Five Feet Eight Inches high, fresh coloured, and pitted with the Small-Pox, and has lost all his Teeth: Had on, when he went away, a dark coloured Cloth Coat and Jacket, Yarn Stockings, old Shoes, and wears his own Hair.

Also ran away, on the 8th Instant, from the said Snow, Three other Convict Men, viz.

SOLOMON LEGG, about 45 Years of Age, and of dark Complexion: Had on a blue Cloth Coat, wears a Wig, and a Flap'd Hat.

ROBERT HUNT, about 40 Years of Age, Five Feet Five Inches high, pitted with the Small-Pox; has a Sore on each of his Ancles, and wears a Wig.

WILLIAM TURNER, about Five Feet Six Inches high: Had on when he went away, a blue Cloth Coat, and wears his own short Hair.—Whoever secures the said Convicts, or either of them, in any Jail, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward for each, and reasonable Charges if brought to Chester-Town, paid by (4w) SMYTH & SUDLER.

The Subscriber has the following Parcels of Land, lying in Prince-George's County, for SALE, viz.

PART of BATTERZEE, 100 Acres, pleasantly situated on Broad-Creek, on which are several Buildings. The Land is very good, and convenient to the River for Fishing and Fowling, with many other Advantages, easy to be discovered from the Situation.—About Half a Mile from which, on the great Road leading to Piscataway, are about 44 Acres of fine Wood-Land, intended for the better Support of the 100 Acres at Broad-Creek, on which some good Meadow might easily be made, and nigh to the 44 Acres, there are about 200 Acres, divided into Two Plantations, with Houses, and other Improvements, suitable for Tobacco or small Grain. These Lands will be sold together, or separate, as may best suit the Purchaser.

About Four Miles from Piscataway, and on the great Road to Lower-Marlborough, and Nottingham, are about 300 Acres, commodiously joining, and pretty well improved, on which are several Buildings and Orchards, with Plenty of Wood and good Water; adjoining to which is one other Plantation of 100 Acres, with Buildings and other Improvements suitable for a small Family; contiguous to which is a small Tract of 32 Acres, on a Branch, very well wooded, on which Five or Six Acres of Meadow might easily be made.

He has also for SALE, the Two following Pieces of Land, in Charles County, viz.

PART of HULL, about 113 Acres, on Mattawoman Swamp, on which are good Improvements, such as a Dwelling-House, Kitchen, and Garden, with a very fine Orchard of Apple and Peach Trees, in good Repair.—About one Mile and an Half from thence is another Tract, called AMENDMENT, containing 250 Acres, not improved. This Land is level, and well stocked with Wood.—Those who chuse to purchase, may apply to me, at Piscataway, and know the Terms. I will give Time for Payment, on giving Bond, and Security, if required.

(3w) JAMES MARSHALL.
June 25, 1769.

THE FULLING-MILL at the Mouth of Patuxent River, is now provided with a good Fuller, and ready for Work; such as fulling, dyeing and pressing all Sorts of Cloths and Worked Stuffs, scarlet and blue excepted, unless dyed before sent to the Mill.—As the insupportable Inconvenience attending the Collection of a Number of small Debts, from various distant Parts of the Country, must be obvious to every one; and as this expensive Undertaking was begun and prosecuted, principally to encourage the Manufacture of Woollen Country-Cloth, at a Time when the oppressive Measures, lately adopted and pursued by the Mother-Country, render it indispensably necessary, for our own Well-being, that every Individual should manufacture as much as in his Power lies.—It is hoped that no Offence will be given if the Proprietors desire the Money for fulling, &c. to be sent by the Person who is to receive the Cloth, as it is absolutely necessary to support the Work.—All Persons who will favour me with their Cloth, may depend on having it finished off in the best Manner, and with all possible Dispatch; and to prevent Mistakes the Owner of every Piece of Cloth, is requested to put the initial Letters of his or her Name in the Web.

(t) WILLIAM SCOTT.

TO BE SOLD, at the House of Richard Earle, in Alexandria, on Patowmack River, on Monday the 21st Day of August next,

THE valuable Tract of Land known by the Name of BRENTON, lying in Prince-William County, Virginia, containing about 7500 Acres. The Quality and Situation of this Land, and its being free of QUIT-RENTS, are strong Recommendations to those willing to purchase. The Land will be sold in Parcels, as will best suit the Purchasers at the Day of Sale, and Credit given for the greatest Part of the Money, on Security, (if required) and Interest.—We think it proper to assure the Public, (as there has been some Disappointments in the Sale of this Land) that it will certainly be disposed of at the Time now mentioned, it being made over to the Subscribers for certain Sums of Money they stand engaged for. The Sale will begin at 12 o'Clock.

WILLIAM BRENT, DANIEL CARROLL, HENRY ROZER.

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A TRACT call'd DINAH'S FANCY, granted to John Wilmot, for 215 Acres, lying on a Draft of Pipe-Creek, call'd Silver Run, in Frederick County, and near John Logsdall's, who will show the Land.

A Tract call'd DINAH'S GOODWILL, granted to said John Wilmot, for 314 Acres, lying likewise in Frederick County, near Simon Miller and Andrew Young, either of which Persons will show the Land.

A Tract lying on the Head of South-River, in Anne-Arundel County, call'd SNOWDEN'S REPUTATION SUPPORTED, containing 130½ Acres. On this Plantation there is a Dwelling-House, Kitchen and Corn-House, an Orchard fenced in, containing 130 Apple-Trees, and the Plantation in every other respect in good Repair. There is likewise on said Plantation, a new Stone Dwelling-House, 34 Feet long and 20 Feet wide, with a Cellar, the whole Length and Breadth of the House, a new Kitchen, Oven, and a Garden 100 Feet Square, new paved in. The last mentioned House was intended for a Tavern, and is conveniently situated for that Purpose; it is not quite finished, but there is every Material on the Spot, ready for completing it, the Doors and Window Sashes being already made. Also Six likely NEGROES, consisting of Men, Women and Children.—The Title and Terms of Sale may be known by applying to

(ts) NICHOLAS MACCUEBIN, JAMES DICK.

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As the Subscriber hath many outstanding Debts, which hath been long due, he hopes those indebted will not delay Payment longer than the Saturday before the Sale above mentioned, as no longer Indulgence will be given, and he takes this Opportunity to thank his kind and indulgent Creditors, desiring at the same Time, that they will please to let him know their several Claims against him, at or before the Day of Sale above mentioned, that they may be settled and adjusted,

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War and Bomb-Vessels, of Isola Rossa.

From the Banks of the DAN received Advice from the Ambassadors, upon the Occasion of Mahomet, made a grant of Christians upon this Occasion, the Streets, or at their Daughter of the Ministry of Europe, being excited by a secret Window which was no sooner discovered than they attacked the Ambassadors to make an Entrance, after opposing them, well as, in which no less than the Ambassador's Daughter was wounded. As soon as this Outrage, the Russians were taken into Custody, and sent off to Constantinople, and the Grand Signior should be made his

UTRECHT, April 23. The Turks and Russians, who had justly Termination, are in Europe and Asia, that notwithstanding the success of the Russians have had upon their Success in Persia and undisciplined a reputation into New-Servia, but he easily overbalanced perfect Defeat; the Villagers and Inhabitants of the East, and the Land from Constantinople, the only upon the Eve of Denmark, whose Ministry Court, but that notwithstanding the French and English certain powerful and certain are arrested, and M. Obreskow, at the French Towers. The People apprehensions for their effects have been

PARIS, May 12. It is said 20,000 Men into Month of March.

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May 9. There is just of the illustrious Chief of Auchihoek. Mr. Corica last Summer Mexican Artist, who had and, amidst all the Excellence was pleased Desire of his ever zealous was brought to Leghonal, thought it a strike of Tuscan expressed was sent to Florence, the grand Duke, Du a whole Length as in Feet by 5. The Pa finished the Face in a May 10. The soldiers themselves by their O For the Middlesex well, Barre, Burke, Glynn, L. E. Cavendish Against it.

Norton, Fox, Lord Thurlow, and Jenki May 15. They were had lately made a young other Things to Harvest to hope take Care to provide and Biscuit are allowed from the Assurance neither want Arms, We hear a Conspiracy has lately been discovered, the Commanders were to have been a way to the Troops of

Letters from Florence of a Third Conformation his Choice of Moden Yesterday there was

James's, at v

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