

# The MARYLAND GAZETTE.

[XXII<sup>d</sup> Year.]

THURSDAY, February 5, 1767.

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From the LONDON GAZETTE EXTRAORDINARY.

At the Court at St. James's, the 12th Day of Nov. 1766.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in COUNCIL.

**W**HEREAS the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled, have this Day presented an humble Address to his Majesty, that he would be graciously pleased to order, the Time of the Embargo, laid upon all Ships, laden or to be laden with Wheat and Wheat-flour, to be extended; and that his Majesty would be graciously pleased to order an additional Embargo to be forthwith laid upon all Ships laden or to be laden with Barley or Malt to be exported to foreign Parts. And whereas the House of Commons have likewise this Day presented an humble Address to his Majesty for the like Purposes.—His Majesty in Council, taking both the said Addresses into Consideration, is thereupon pleased to order, That the Embargo, laid by Order in Council of the 26th of September last, upon all Ships and Vessels laden or to be laden in the Ports of Great-Britain with Wheat or Wheat-Flour, to be exported to foreign Parts, be continued from the Expiration of the Time limited by the said Order. And his Majesty is hereby further pleased to order, that an additional Embargo be forthwith laid upon all Ships and Vessels laden or to be laden in the Ports of Great-Britain with Barley or Malt to be exported to foreign Parts. And the Right Hon. the Lords Commissioners of his Majesty's Treasury, the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, and his Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary Directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

W. SHARPE.

*Constantinople, Sept. 1.* Advices received from the Canal, confirm the Accounts that have been already published of the Damage done there by the Earthquake on the 5th of August. The Town of Daidanelles in Asia was considerably damaged. Most of the Manufactories of Earthen-Ware, of which there are great Numbers, were destroyed, besides a considerable Number of Houses, and 22 Mills out of 23, which were on the Top of the Mountain; in short, hardly any of the Buildings escaped without some Damage. Gallipoli suffered still more, above Half of that Town being reduced to a Heap of Ruins. At Cora, a large Town at the Entrance of the Propontis, upon the North Shore, which consisted of above 800 Houses, very few were left standing, and most of the Inhabitants were buried in the Ruins. The Island of Tenedos, and the City of Enos likewise, were much injured, and the Agitation of the Earth was sensibly felt at Smyrna and Salonica, though happily no Damage was done there. As no shocks have been perceived, for this Week past, we are in Hopes that we have nothing further to apprehend.

*Stockholm, Oct. 10.* It is assured that the extraordinary Tribunal established to enquire into Matters relating to the late Revolt of the Peasants, had condemned the Rebel Hoffman to have his right Hand cut off, and to be beheaded; but many People are of Opinion, that on Account of the Marriage of the Prince Royal, the King will save his Life, and condemn him to perpetual imprisonment.

*Stockholm, Oct. 21.* Hoffman has been executed here this Morning, in pursuance of the Sentence passed upon him by the Commission.

*Copenhagen, Oct. 14.* Though it has been customary for the King's Subjects to make a free Gift upon the Marriage of a Princess of the Royal Family, his Majesty hath been graciously pleased to excuse them on the Marriage of his Sister. This Indulgence is not only granted to the Inhabitants of Denmark and Norway, but likewise extends to those of his Majesty's Dominions in Germany and Holstein.

*Hamburg, Oct. 21.* On Saturday, the 18th Instant, the Queen of Denmark landed at Altena; and it is impossible to describe the Crowds of Peo-

ple, as well upon the Elbe as on the Shore, and in every Street through which her Majesty was to pass, waiting to see their Queen. The River was covered with Boats ornamented with Danish and British Colours, as were all the Ships with their respective ones, both at Altena and Hamburg. On account of the Tide her Majesty did not get into her Barge at Harbour till past three o'Clock: It was a New one, finely ornamented, and built by the City of Hamburg on Purpose for this Solemnity. Her Majesty's Approach to Altena was announced by the frequent Discharges of Cannon from the Ships in the River; and as soon as she came in Sight of Hamburg, that City saluted the Queen with thirty Guns. A Quarter of an Hour before the Landing, his Excellency the Baron de Debn, Stadtholder of the Duchies of Sleswick and Holstein, handed the Grande Maitresse, Madam de Pleffe, followed by the Maids of Honour, and the rest of her Majesty's Household, down to the Bridge prepared for the royal Reception, which was covered with Scarlet Cloth, on one Side whereof were ranged the Ladies, and on the other the Men, and at the End were two Rows of young Maidens dressed in white, who strewed Flowers before her Majesty as she advanced. It was past 6 o'Clock when the Queen landed. The Streets were lined with the Burghers under Arms, and escorted by the Danish Cuirassiers. Her Majesty passed under a triumphal Arch, finely illuminated: Another of the same Kind was erected opposite to the Queen's House, where her Majesty being arrived, the Ladies were immediately presented to her; after which her Majesty supped in Public. On Sunday Morning the Queen went to Church: At her return there was a Circle, when all the foreign Ministers here were introduced to her Majesty, as were all the Deputies from the City of Hamburg. After dining in Public, about 4 o'Clock her Majesty, attended by all the Court, and by the English and Hanoverian Suite, passed through the principal Streets of Hamburg, preceded by a large Detachment of Hamburg Dragoons, as well as by the Danish Troops: Her Majesty was saluted, both at her Entry and Departure, by a grand Discharge of the Cannon upon the Ramparts. At her Majesty's Return to Altena, she found the City finely illuminated. Yesterday, being Monday, her Majesty had a full Court, and was graciously pleased to receive a Deputation of four Members of the Factory, to compliment her on her Arrival; and about 10 o'Clock the next Morning her Majesty set out to proceed on her Journey to Copenhagen.

*Copenhagen, Nov. 4.* An Express having arrived at Court the Day before Yesterday, about nine in the Evening, with Advice that our new Queen was at Rotschild, the King, Prince Frederick, and the Prince of Hesse-Cassel, set out about Seven Yesterday Morning to receive her. Their Majesties left Rotschild about one in the Afternoon, and at four arrived in the same Coach, at the Castle of Fredericksbourg, where the two Queen Dowagers, Princess Louisa, and a great Number of the Nobility of each Sex, were assembled. The Queen was received with the greatest Marks of Tenderness, Attention, and Respect; and soon after sat down to Table. After Supper, the King, the two Dowager Queens, and the rest of the Royal Family, returned hither; but the Queen Consort will continue at Fredericksbourg till the Wedding. All the Persons of her Majesty's Retinue speak highly of her Affability, and other amiable Qualities; and the King expresses his Satisfaction in the most visible manner. The Entertainments on the Occasion will begin on the 10th.

## L O N D O N.

*Oct. 18.* From Copenhagen is received the following Account of the Princess Royal's Wedding. The Procession was from the Royal Apartments through the Great Gallery to the Church of the Castle, and was opened by the Swedish Ambassador and his Retinue, who were followed by, 1. Two Attendants of the Chambers. 2. Two of the King's Pages. 3. The Gentlemen of the Court. 4. The Gentlemen of the Chamber. 5. The Colonels and Commanders of Orders. 6. The Counsellors of Conference, Majors General and Chamberlains. 7. The Knights of the Order of Dannebrog. 8. The Privy Counsellors. 9. The Privy

Counsellors of the Conference. 10. The Knights of the Order of the Elephant. 11. The Higher Privy Council. 12. The Chamberlains in Waiting. 13. The Marshal of the Court, with his Staff of Office in his Hand. 14. The Princess, having a Crown on her Head set with Brilliants, and her Robe trimmed with Silver; her Train borne by the Baronesses de Trolle and de Rabe. 15. The Queen Dowager Sophia Magdalena, led by Prince Frederick, and supported by Madame Carlowitz, one of the Ladies of Honour. 16. The Princesses Louisa and Charlotte, their Train borne by the Baronesses d'Osten. 17. The Ladies, &c. of the Court. The Bridal Princess was led to the Entrance of the Church by the King of Denmark, her Brother, and was received with Military Honours from a Detachment of Horse Guards. His Majesty then conducted his Royal Sister to the Altar, who took her Seat under a Canopy of Crimson Velvet, fringed with Gold. An Anthem was sung, accompanied by the Court Music, and the Ceremony was performed by the Bishop Harboe. There were afterwards a Grand Entertainment and a Concert.

*Nov. 8.* They write from Paris, that Paoli has made a Demand of Five Hundred Thousand Livres for a Damage done in the Forests of Corfica by the French Troops, in cutting down Ship Timber, exported to Toulon.

A Letter dated at Fogo, in Newfoundland, the 23d of September last, says, "We have had several Gales of Wind this Year, by which many have suffered considerably in Ships, Boats, and Men, particularly in the Night of the 26th of August, there were Seven large Ships, Sixty Bateaux, and 60 Mest entirely lost; some with the whole Cargoes on board, and two or three Vessels belonging to Poole and the West."

*Oct. 30.* They write from Stockholm, that the States had appointed a Nobleman to go to Helfingborg, to compliment, on their Part, the Consort of the Prince Royal, and to offer her in their Name the Domain of the Crown, named Stromholm, to serve as a Retreat, in case she should survive the Prince.

*Nov. 6.* A Plan is intended to be offered to Parliament the ensuing Sessions, for a Harbour to the Southward of Deal, being by Nature half made, and wanting chiefly Poor People's Labour. It is approved of by all the best Judges in the Nation, may be done in a small Time, and reckoned to be of more Value than all the Harbours round the Kingdom.

*Nov. 10.* According to private Letters from Hamburg, Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick is soon to re-enter into the Prussian Service.

*Nov. 11.* We are informed, that a Scheme is in Agitation, for altering the Mode of, at least Five Millions of the National Debt; by which Means a considerable Saving will be made for the Sinking Fund.

*Nov. 13.* Some Letters from Genoa import that a Tartan of the Republic, laden with Stores from St. Bonifacio, had been taken by one of Paoli's Cruizers off Cape Corfe, which the French General had demanded; but the Malecontents refused to deliver up.

*Whitehall, Nov. 18.* The King has been pleased to grant unto Maurice Morgan, Esq; the Office of Secretary of the Colony of Nova-Cearea, or New-Jersey, in America.

The King has been pleased to grant unto George Browne, Esq; the Offices of Secretary and Provost Marshal General of the Islands of Bermuda, or Summer Islands, in America.

The King has been pleased to grant unto Thomas Cumming, Esq; the Office of Vendue Master in the Province of New-York, in America.

The King has been pleased to grant unto John Stuart, Esq; the Office of Vendue Master in the Islands of Nevis, St. Christophers, Montserrat Antigua, and other the Leeward Caribbee Islands, in America.

We hear that last Night Expresses were dispatched to all the Ports of the Kingdom, to stop the Exportation of Wheat, Flour, Barley, and Malt.

*Nov. 14.* We hear many Petitions are intended to be presented to a great Assembly, desiring an immediate Stop to be put to the making of Starch from Wheat. It is said one Starch-maker only near Ldn.

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don, uses 400 Quarters of Wheat weekly; and more Wheat (which is in general all of the better Sort) is used in making Starch, than has been used for several Years past in the Corn-Distillery.

On Saturday next the Subscribers to the £. 900,000 to be raised by Three per Cent. Annuities, for the Service of the present Year, are to make good the last Payment of Twenty per Cent. on the said Capital at the Bank.

Nov. 15. Christopher Roberts, Esq; is appointed Secretary and Register at West-Florida.

Andrew Symmer, Esq; is appointed his Majesty's Agent at Turk's Island.

'Tis confidently said, that the Earl of Chatham will be advanced to either the Dukedom of Kent, or Greenwich.

Nov. 18. The Marquis of Kildare, now created Duke of Leinster, is the only Duke of the Kingdom of Ireland, that has been since the late Duke of Ormond's Time.

Some Advices from Leghorn mention, that the Republic of Genoa had offered to treat with the Court of Turin, for the entire Cession of their Right in the Island of Corsica, to his Sardinian Majesty.

It is thought a Stop will soon be put to the Exportation of Provisions from Ireland, to the French and Spanish Settlements in America.

The following is his Majesty's Answer to the Address of the Hon. House of Commons, presented to him on Thursday last, for his most Gracious Speech from the Throne.

Gentlemen,

"I return you my most hearty Thanks for your loyal and affectionate Address. The Part you take in the late happy Events in my Family, completes the Satisfaction I receive from them. I see with Pleasure the Continuance of that Zeal and true Public Spirit which I have always experienced in my faithful Commons, by your early Attention to the several great Objects recommended to your Consideration, and particularly to the Means of providing against the Evils attending a Scarcity of Corn, and for securing the Tranquility of the Country. You may depend on my invariable Attention to the Happiness and Prosperity of my Kingdoms."

It is reported, that the Right Hon. Mr. Secretary Conway will shortly be created an English Peer.

The Hon. Mr. Justice Aston, Mr. Justice Hewitt, Mr. Justice Gould, and Mr. Baron Parrott, are appointed by a Special Commission, to go and try the Rioters now in the different Goals in the Country; for which they will set out soon after the Expiration of the present Term.

'Tis very remarkable that in Queen Elizabeth's Time, the whole Body of the English Nobility, amounted to no more than 45, a Circumstance that must render that celebrated Number still more memorable in this Kingdom.

BRIDGE-TOWN, (Barbados) Dec. 13.

Wednesday arrived here a Whale Sloop, James Fitch, Master, who brought in Captain John Swainstone, and the Crew of the Ship Royal George, from Nanticoke, in Maryland, belonging to, and bound for London. Captain Swainstone in his Passage having met with excessive Gales of Wind, his Ship sprung a Leak, which with other Damages occasioned her to founder the 18th ult. in Lat. 38. Long. 65. She was laden with Iron, Malts, Tobacco, &c. The Crew stove the two Boats belonging to the Ship in Pieces on the Appearance of the Whale-man, who came along-side, and assisted in saving the People, but could not save any of the Cargo.

BOSTON, December 25.

Yesterday Joseph Andrews, committed for the Murder of the Captain of the Sloop Polly, and several others on board, in the West-Indies, attempted to kill himself, by cutting his Throat; but his Knife being very small, he did not fully accomplish his Design; the Wound was dressed, and Care taken to prevent any further Attempt.

January 1. Since our last we have had extreme cold Weather, which still continues.—Our Harbour is now almost if not intirely froze up.—Many Vessels that were loaded, and ready for Sailing, were stoped by the Ice.

On the 27th ult. in the Evening, one Mr. Bird of Dorchester, returning home from this Town, where he had been to purchase several Necessaries for his Family, was froze to Death. His Body was discovered the next Morning within a few Rods of a House, with a Bag on his Shoulder. He has left a Widow and several Children.

The same Evening Mr. John Waite of Chelsea, was froze to Death in returning home from Lynn, where he had been catching Fish.

It is said the cold Weather last Week was severer than has been for above Twenty Years past.

People travelled safely on the Ice from the Town to the Castle and other Islands. Numbers who were necessarily exposed, had some their Hands, others their Bars, Cheeks, Eyes, &c. froze. Several Poor Persons had their Feet froze even while in Bed, being destitute of sufficient Covering.

HARTFORD, January 12.

The Weather which of late has been very cold, changed to warm; and last Monday it began to rain, which continued that Night and next Day (there being a deal of Snow on the Ground) it occasioned a great and sudden Flood, which has done great Damage to the Mills, Dams, Bridges, &c. In this Place, a large Dam is carried away, together with a Saw-mill, and the greatest Part of a Grist-mill, in which was destroyed a considerable Quantity of Grain and Meal; and the Great Bridge, was with the greatest Difficulty preserved. A Warehouse fitted up for, and occupied by a Family at the Ferry, was entirely carried off by the Ice, and the Family very narrowly escaped, especially the Woman, who was confined to her Bed, with a lame Leg.—Happily the Ice stopped before the Flood got to its Height, or 'tis probable, all the Stores and Dwelling Houses at the River Side had been swept away.—All the West-Division Bridges, but one, are carried away and their Mills much damaged.—At Middletown, the Great Bridge lately erected, is carried away, as is also several other Bridges on the same River: In the West Part of that Town, several Bridges, Mills, and Dams are swept away.—Mr. Stephen Blake, of that Place, an Under Sheriff, and his Son about 12 Years old, were both unfortunately drowned in attempting to cross a Bridge, at the South End of the Town; they were both on one Horse. Mr. Blake, sustained a fair Character, and his Death is lamented by his Acquaintance. Their Bodies have been since taken up, and buried in one Grave.—At Farmington, a Fulling Mill, with its Dam has been carried off.—The Bridge at Windsor, which lately cost 200l. in building, is destroyed.—At Wintonbury, a Fulling-Mill and Dam, belonging to Capt. Gillet, was carried away, together with a Quantity of Cloth that was in the Mill.—On the Post Road between this Place and New-York, there is only King'sbridge, and a Bridge at Norwalk, left standing.

NEW-YORK, January 15.

We have Advice from Barbados, via Antigua, that Admiral Pye was at that Island, and had continual Cruizers out from thence to Dominica, being determined to protect the Trade to those Islands, from any Interruptions of the French or Spaniards.

We have terrible Accounts from all Parts, of the Damage done by the Floods and Ice upon the late sudden Thaw: From New Haven, in Connecticut, we hear that all the Bridges in that Neighbourhood, were either carried away, or rendered impassable. That a Brig, Captain Venters, lying there ready to sail for the West Indies, loaded with Live Stock, Cattle, Horses, Grain, Lumber, &c. was by the Ice driven on the Rocks with such Violence, that the Vessel was beat to Pieces, and the whole Cargo entirely lost, but the People saved.

PHILADELPHIA, January 22.

By Letters from London, we learn that a Bill was brought into the house of Commons, which would soon be passed, for Repealing the Clause of an Act, passed the last Session of Parliament, which obliged "all Masters of Vessels, bound to Europe from North-America, to give Bond, that they would not land any non-enumerated Goods at any Port to the Northward of Cape Finesterre, except in Great Britain," whereby Ireland was excluded, and thereby laid under great Difficulties.

By Captain Golley there is Advice of the Death of SPRINGET PENN, Esq; Great Grandson of WILLIAM PENN, the truly honourable and benevolent Founder of this Province; by whose Death we learn the Male Issue of that Branch of the Family is now extinct.

Arrived in London. The Mary, Thompson; and the Prussia Merchant,—from Virginia—Also Capt. Christie, from Maryland.

ANNAPOLIS, February 5.

By Mr. Jones, a Pilot, who is just come to Town from on board Capt. Robert Clarke, from Barbados, now off in the Bay, bound up to Chester, we have an Account (which Capt. Clarke desired him to communicate) of a most dreadful Fire which happened at Bridge-Town two Days before he Sailed, which consumed upwards of One Hundred and Eighty Dwelling-Houses; and it was supposed that the Damage sustained thereby exceeded that which happened by the same destructive Ele-

ment to that unfortunate Town in May last; all the best Houses in the Place being now Destroyed.

The Vessel mentioned in last Week's Gazette, to be ashore at one of our Capes, proves to be a new Ship belonging to Liverpool, Capt. Gough, who struck the Ground in the Night about Five Miles to the Southward of Cape Henry. Next Morning the Captain, Mate, and one of the Sailors attempting to go ashore in the Yawl, she unfortunately overset, and they were all Drowned. The rest of the Crew remained on board the Ship, but it was great matter of Doubt whether she could be got off or not.

The Ship Sally, Buchanan; the Pitt, Richardson; the Essex, Curling; and the Friendship, Frost, from this Province, are all safely arrived in London.

To-morrow Morning will be Published;

ANOTHER Edition of the MARYLAND ALMANACK. Price Eight Coppers Single, or 5 s. a Dozen.

January 29, 1767.

ALL Persons indebted to the Subscriber, late Sheriff of Anne-Arundel County, are desired to make Payment.—Those who do not come and settle their Accounts, either by Note or otherways, will be Sued or Warranted, without Respect to Persons, or further Notice.

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JOSEPH GALLOWAY.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 26th Day of February Instant, for Sterling Cash, Current Money, or good Bills of Exchange, on the Premises,

PART of a Tract of Land, called FRIEND'S CHOICE, containing 200 Acres, lying in Anne-Arundel County, near Queen-Anne, on which is an old Dwelling-house, with two Brick Chimnies, and sundry Out-houses; a good Apple and Peach Orchard, the Soil is very good and well adapted to Farming or Planting Business. For Title apply to William Wootton, the Executor. At the same Time will be Sold, sundry Plantation Utensils; Stock of Horses, Mares and Colts, Cattle, Sheep, and Hogs, Indian Corn, and Tobacco, &c.

SARAH CHAPMAN, Executrix,  
WILLIAM T. WOOTTON, Executor.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Capt. Samuel Chapman, are requested to make immediate Payment, and those who have any Claims against the said Estate are desired to send in the same legally proved, to William T. Wootton, the Executor, who is appointed to settle the same.

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CHOICE old Antigua RUM and SUGAR, to be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, at ANNAPOLIS.

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WANTED,

A YOUNG MAN, well Qualified for Tending a COFFEE-HOUSE in this City: Such an one will meet with good Encouragement. Enquire of the Printer hereof. *W. C. Howard*

ANNAPOLIS, February 5, 1767.

I Take this Method of returning my most sincere and hearty Thanks, to all my good Customers, both in Town and Country, who have been pleased to favour me with their Children, during my Residence in Annapolis; and hereby inform them, that I shall teach School in Town no longer than Saturday 14th Instant; and I humbly hope, those who now Honour me with their Children, will excuse me for declining my School, because my Interest calls me another Way: And all those who have any Demands against me are desired to send, or bring in their Accounts, that they may be paid; and those who are indebted to me, are desired to make Payment as soon as possible: Their complying with this, will add to the Obligations already conferred on, *Their most obedient,*

*Much obliged,*

*Very humble Servant,*

W. HUTCHINGS.

N. B. I have some very good Books of the Mathematicks, and some Mathematical Instruments, which I will dispose of at reasonable Prices.

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N. B. He has likewise amongst a great Variety of dry Goods, a new Seine, Forty five Fathoms long, and otherwise calculated for the Patuxent Herring Fishery.

to be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, ABOUT Two Hundred and Forty or Fifty Bushels of Wheat, for ready Cash only, and will deliver it either at his Landing, on South River, or Road-River, just as it may suit the Purchaser.  
Nicholas Gassaway.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Subscriber, (now removed from Annapolis to Charles-Town, at the Head of the Bay) are requested to make speedy Payment, or they may expect Trouble.  
William Niven.

January 22, 1767.  
RAN away from the Subscriber, living at Port-Royal, in Virginia, on the 14th Instant, a likely Convict Servant Lad, named John Bevan, and, as he says, a Plasterer by Trade, about 17 Years of Age, of a small slender Make, fair Complexion, has dark Eyes, short black Hair, a delicate smooth Skin, and a very innocent Aspect: Had on and carried with him, an old light coloured Cloth Coat and Waistcoat, a light coloured Welton Cloth Coat, almost new, a Pair of black knit Worsted, and a Pair of dirty Leather Breeches, all rather too large for him; Two fine Shirts, an old Beaver Hat, without Lining, and a Pair of yellow Metal Shoe Buckles. He went off with a Man who confessed he came from North Carolina, about Five Feet and an Half high, has a Down Look, is well set, though round-shoulder'd, of a dark Complexion, has short brown Hair, and was dressed in a Brown or Snuff coloured Coat and Waistcoat, green knit Worsted Breeches, and sometimes a Pair of dirty Leather ones, had a Pair of Half-Boots, and Leather Saddle-Bags, and pretended to be a Watchmaker, travelling Northward, and enquired the Way to Harts Ferry, and Boys's-Hole. He answers, in every Respect, the Description of a Person, advertised in the Virginia Gazette, for Horse-Stealing, by Daniel Earle, for which a Reward of 40s. was offered. They stole, while here, a middle-sized grey Horse, with a Switch Tail, and hanging Mane, and a Cut in one of his Ears, and a Crack down the Middle of each Fore-Hoof, shod only behind, and the Shoe of the Near-Foot is a Plate of Iron, covering most Part of the Sole and Frog.  
Whoever apprehends the said Bevan, so that he may be legally profecuted, or delivered to me, shall receive THREE POUNDS Virginia Currency, and the same Sum for the Horse, if not disabled.  
John Tennent.  
N. B. The above Persons are Englishmen.

THERE is at the Plantation of Michael Tutor, near Capt. Robert Wood's, Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a bay Mare, about 12 Hands and a Half high, about 14 Years old, Branded on the near Shoulder, thus, 1, and the Top of the Buttock, thus, CR, had on a small Bell.  
The Owner may have her again on proving Property, and-Paying Charges.

ANNAPOLIS, January 28, 1767.  
THE COMMISSIONERS appointed by the Act of Assembly, entitled, An Act for the Payment of the Public Claims, for emitting Bills of Credit, and for other Purposes therein mentioned, hereby give Notice to all Persons who may receive Orders, or Assignments, from Others who have Claims against the Public, on the JOURNAL, or LIST OF DEBTS, That such Orders, and Assignments, will not be received by the Commissioners, where the Parties are entire Strangers to them, unless the same are regularly Attested, either by a Magistrate, or some well known Person of Credit.  
And likewise, That Executors and Administrators, who have Sums to receive on Account of deceased Persons (in Case they also are Strangers to the Commissioners) must have the same Certified that they are so, from some Public Office, or by some well known Person of Credit, in the County where they reside.

Baltimore-Town, January 23, 1767.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.  
RAN away last Night, from the Subscriber, a Convict Servant Man, named William Grabam, alias Scholar, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, a likely, artful young Fellow, has black Hair, commonly curled: Had on a Claret coloured Coat and Jacket, with Metal Buttons, Buckskin Breeches, Boots, and a blue Surtout; carried with him, a likely old Bay Horse, marked WN, joined together, on his near Buttock, and a very good Hogskin Saddle, the Horse is well known on the Road.  
Whoever brings said Fellow, with the Horse and Saddle, to me, in Baltimore-Town, shall have the above Reward; or, for the Horse and Saddle alone, Fifty Shillings.  
(\*) 3 JAMES CHRISTIE, junr

January 23, 1767.  
THREE POUNDS REWARD.  
RAN away last Night, from the Subscriber, a Negro Boy, named Cambridge, a chunky, well-set Fellow, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, pitted with the Small Pox: Had on, a blue Surtout Coat, and some Regimental Cloaths.  
Whoever brings him to me, in Baltimore-Town, shall have the above Reward.  
(\*) 2 ARCHIBALD BUCHANAN.  
N. B. 'Tis probable Mr. CHRISTIE's Servant Man William Grabam, above advertised, has taken him away, as a Waiting-Man.

New-Port, in Charles County, Jan. 9. 1767.  
RAN away from the Subscriber, the 24th Day of December last, a Mulatto Man Slave, called Stephen, by Trade a House Carpenter, he can work pretty well as a Wheel-Wright, Sawyer, or tight Cooper, is about 35 Years of Age, 6 Feet 1 or 2 Inches high, a long Face, thin jaw'd, a small Scar on one of his Cheeks, I believe the Right, and several Scars on his Legs, cut with Edge Tools, he can play on the Fiddle, is a very sensible, cunning Fellow, and if taken will endeavour to make his Escape. Had on when he went away, a light coloured Kersey Jacket, Cotton Breeches, Country made Shoes and Stockings, and an Osnabrigs Shirt. It is imagined he has changed his Cloaths, and got a Pass.  
Whoever takes up the said Slave, and secures him in any Jail, or brings him to his Master, shall have a Reward of Six Dollars, if taken in Charles County; if taken in St Mary's, or Prince-George's, Six Dollars, beside what the Law allows; if in any other County, Twelve Dollars; or, if out of the Province, Twenty Dollars, and reasonable Charges if brought home, paid by  
(8\*) 2 LEONARD BOARMAN

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near Mount-Plantan, in Anne-Arundel County, on the last of July, a Negro Wench, named Nan, about 18 Years of Age, of a brownish Complexion, has a Scar on her Cheek, and another on her Nose, and is a short thick Wench: Had on when she ran away, a white Cotton Petticoat, and an old Irish Linen Shift: She carried away with her, her Child, named Doll, about a Year old, or better. This Wench, with her deceitful Ways, and lying Tongue, passes with some Sort of People, by shewing her Marks, and pretending to be used with a great Deal of Barbarity; she is pretty well marked, which she never got for her good Behaviour.  
Whoever takes up said Wench and Child, and secures them, or brings them to their Master, shall have Forty Shillings Reward for the first Twenty Miles they are brought, and One Shilling per Mile for what they may come farther, to be paid by  
JOSEPH WARD.  
All Persons are forbid to harbour said Negro Wench and Child, as they shall Answer the contrary at their Peril; and any free Person who will give Information of their being harboured, shall be entitled to Three Pounds; if a Slave Thirty Shillings; beside the above Reward, if they take them.  
2 J. W.

JUST IMPORTED in the Leeds, Capt. Anderson, from LONDON, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at the House of Jonathan Pinkney in ANNAPOLIS,  
A NEAT Assortment of superfine CLOTHS, with Trimmings suitable for the same, the best four Thread black Breeches Patterns, Gold and Silver Basket Buttons, and Gold Binding, green and white corded Silk for Waistcoats; likewise, a choice Collection of Turkey Burdets and Damascus, for Summer Waistcoats.  
ROBERT PINKNEY.

ANNAPOLIS, January 19, 1767.

Pursuant to the Directions of the Last Will and Testament of Edmund Key, Esq; Deceased, the following Tracts of Land will be Sold to the Highest Bidder, at Public Vendue, on the Third Wednesday in March next, precisely at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, MARYLAND, viz.

3 PARADISE, containing Three Hundred and Thirty-five Acres. GOOD HOPE, containing Three Hundred Acres. And FRIENDSHIP, containing Two Hundred and Six Acres. These Three Tracts almost join one another; one of them binds upon Patuxmack; and all of them lie betwixt Great Conococheague and Little Conococheague Rivers. They will be sold for Ready Cash, or Six Months Credit will be given, on proper Security.  
U. SCOTT, Executor.

January 21, 1767.

By Virtue of a Deed of Trust, made in the Lifetime of the Deceased Mr. Samuel Chapman, to the Subscriber, for the Purposes therein mentioned, will be SOLD by Public Vendue, on Thursday the 26th of February next, at the Plantation near Queen-Anne, where the Deceased Mr. Chapman lately lived,

3 A PARCEL of about Twenty-eight likely Country-born SLAVES, Men, Women, and Children. Also Two Tracts of Land, viz. One Tract of LAND called Rowedown's Security, lying on the North Side of Patuxent River, almost opposite to Queen-Anne, said by the Deed to contain Eight Hundred and One Acres, more or less, having on it a Negro Quarter, with Tobacco-House, and other Improvements. One other Tract called Rotbery, containing about Sixty-five Acres, more or less, adjoining or lying contiguous to Rowedown's Security. The Sale will be for Sterling Money, or good Bills of Exchange, with Indorsers, if required; but other Current Money, and the Money to be emitted in Virtue of the late Act of Assembly, will be taken in Payment, at an Exchange to be fix'd on at the Day of Sale. As the Days are short, the Sale will begin Half an Hour after Ten o'Clock at farthest.—Mr. Anthony Stewart will attend and conduct the Sale, in Case of the Absence of the Subscriber. For any farther Information of Title, or Terms of Sale, apply to  
JAMES DICK, Trustee.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC SALE, on Wednesday the 4th Day of March next, at

JOPPA,

3 A GREAT Variety of the very best Kind of Household and Kitchen FURNITURE, consisting of every Thing necessary for a genteel Family. Likewise a very good CHAISE, with a Bellows Top, and Harness for two Horses; a Single CHAIR, on Steel Springs, entirely new, without Harness; two very good CARTS and GEBERS, with sundry Plantation UTENSILS.  
And a likely young NEGRO Fellow. And,

On the Friday following will be Sold, on the Premises, to the Highest Bidder, pursuant to the Last Will and Testament of Mr. David McCulloch, Deceased,—His late Dwelling-House and Lot in Joppa, with sundry other Lots, sufficiently described in the Maryland Gazette, N<sup>o</sup>. 1101, to N<sup>o</sup>. 1105. Also Two TRACTS of LAND, adjoining each other, lying within three Miles of Joppa, and containing Three Hundred Acres.  
For Terms of Sale, apply to the Executor at ANNAPOLIS, or to Mr. Charles Lin at Joppa. The Sale of the Furniture will continue from Day to Day, until all is sold.  
ANTHONY STEWART, Executor,  
MARY McCULLOCH, Executrix.

(6\*) N. B. Bills of Credit to be emitted by Act of Assembly, will be taken as any other Currency, in Payment for the Furniture; and for the Houses and Land, at an Exchange to be agreed on at the Day of Sale.

Annopolis, January 28, 1767.

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2 COMMITTED to Anne-Arundel County Jail, as Runaways, viz. Samuel Brown, who says he was born in New-England, and denies that he is a Servant. Negro Frank, who says he belongs to Thomas Beall, Son of William, of Prince-George's County. His Master is desired to take him away, and pay Charges.  
(2\*) WILLIAM STEWART, Sheriff.

DR. R. HULSE, from St. Thomas's, Guy's, and the Lying-Inn Hospitals, LONDON, continues to reside at the Reverend Mr. Craddock's, Garrison Forest, Baltimore County, and practices as usual, every Branch of PHYSIC, SURGERY, and MIDWIFERY, at an Expence much inferior to the customary Charges. (10<sup>w</sup>)

Imported in the Snow Industry, from LONDON, SAIL-CLOTH, CORDAGE, SEINE TWINE, and small ANCHORS, to be sold at their Store in BALTIMORE-TOWN, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Country Produce, by BUCHANAN & M'GACHIN. (4<sup>w</sup>)

MARYLAND, January 13, 1767. THE Subscribers continue to carry on their DISTILLERY at Baltimore Town, where their Friends and Customers may depend on being constantly supply'd, on the most reasonable Terms, with the best AMERICAN RUM made on the Continent; for which they will take Payment in Bar Iron, Flour, Pot-k. Wheat, Rye, Indian Corn, Pine Boards, Shingles, Heading, Pipe, Hoghead, or Barrel Staves, if made according to the Philadelphia Staves, and cull'd. They have also to dispose of for Cash or Bills of Exchange, best West India Rum, Molasses by the Hoghead or Tierce. Muscovado and Loaf Sugars in Barrels, best New-England Mackerel and Fish Oil. SAMUEL and ROBERT PURVIANCE. (4<sup>m</sup>)

LEFT with William Digges on Patowmack, A CASK, mark'd thus N - F, containing Tea-Kettles, &c. &c. A. The Owner is desired to prove his Property, pay Charges, and take it away. (1<sup>t</sup>)

January 3, 1767. ALL Persons having any just Demands against my Sister, Mary Moore, are desired to tend them, properly authenticated, to me, or to Mrs. Caton, at London-Town. I shall, on the 2<sup>d</sup> Day of February, sell off all the Negroes, Stock, Wheat, Corn, and every Thing on the Plantation and Household Furniture belonging to my Sister, at her late Dwelling-House near London-Town. STEPHEN WEST (16)

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Thursday, the 26th Day of February Inst. at the House of Mr. Henry James, in Baltimore-Town, for Current Money, or good Bills of Exchange.

A TRACT of LAND lying on the Great Falls of Gunpowder, and about 12 Miles from Baltimore Town, called Cubb Hill, containing about 900 Acres, the greatest Part of which is as good as any in the Country, proper for either Farming or Plantation Business. There is about 200 Acres cleared, with a Dwelling House, and convenient Out Houses thereon, an Orchard of choice Fruit Trees, 2 or 3 good Streams, and convenient Situation for a Furnace, &c. The whole is well Timbered, and remarkably healthy.

Also another Tract in said County, called Tibb's United Inheritance, lying on Middle River Neck containing by Patent 640 Acres, chiefly surrounded with Water, is very well Timbered, and has good Improvements thereon. With very little Expence, this Land may be made as good a Farm as any upon the Continent, and produce considerable Profit to any Person who would give their Attention to the Improvement of Land; besides it is remarkable for the Great Rock Fishery, and wild Fowl, in the proper Season.

About 50 Acres of Land adjoining to Baltimore-Town, which will be sold together, or in Parcels of 4 or 5 Acres, as is most suitable and agreeable to those who want to purchase.

The noted and well known Tavern where Mr. Fogg formerly lived, and is now kept by Mr. Henry James.

The House and Lot formerly belonging to Thomas Clendening.

Also the House, and Part of the Lot, late the Property of James Bonfield. THOMAS SLIGH.

WE, the Subscribers, being appointed by Charles County Court, to examine the Records of said County, Do hereby give Notice, that we intend to meet at Port-Tobacco, at the House of Mrs. Doncastle, every Wednesday and Saturday, till the last Day of April next, for that Purpose. Any Person or Persons that have Deeds or other Instruments of Writing, Entered upon those Records, may have them Examined, by applying to us, on any the Days above mentioned.

(3<sup>w</sup>) WALTER HANSON, SAMUEL HANSON, JOSIAS HAWKINS. X3

WHEREAS WILLIAM, the Son of JOHN RICHARDSON, of Stafford, in England, came over to Maryland, and was a Servant in the Year 1754, to Mr Samuel Tipton, on the River Patapsco: If the said William Richardson be living, by applying to Messrs. Purdie and Dixon, Printers, in Williamsburg, he will hear of something to his Advantage; if dead, any Person producing an authenticated Certificate of his Death, will be reimbursed his Expences, with Thanks.

Piscataway, Dec. 6, 1766. WHEREAS William, Mary, and Frances Herringham, the Children of William Herringham, late of Greenwich, in the County of Kent, did, about 25 Years ago, leave England, and go to some Part of the West-Indies, and, as it is believed, afterwards go to some of the Northern Colonies in America: This is therefore to give Notice to them, if the said William, Mary, and Frances Herringham, or the Survivor or Survivors of them, be living, or to their Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, if dead, that by applying by Letter, or otherwise, to the Subscriber at Piscataway, in Prince George's County, Maryland, they will hear of something greatly to their Advantage: Or, if any Person can give Information where any of the said Persons, if living, now reside, or if dead, when and where they died, and where buried; such Person shall be genteely rewarded for their Trouble, by applying as above, to WM. RUSSELL. (6<sup>m</sup>)

LEFT, by a Person unknown, at the Subscriber's House in Annapolis, Two Pieces of BOLTING-CLOTH. Any Person, proving his Property and paying Charges, may have them, on Application to SAMUEL MIDDLETON. 5

THE Subscriber takes this Method of informing the Public, That he has Open'd TAVERN, at Patapsco Lower Ferry, in the House formerly kept by Mrs. Hughes. He has provided himself with the best of LIQUORS, Clover and Timothy Hay, &c. &c. and shall do his utmost to accommodate to their Satisfaction, such Gentlemen as may chuse to call at his House. JAMES KELSO. (6<sup>w</sup>)

Elk-Ridge Furnace, Dec. 16, 1766. THE Subscriber is authorized to receive all Debts due to Dr. John Shippen, late of Elk-Ridge, and takes this Method to inform all those who are Indebted to the said Doctor, that immediate Payment is expected. JULIUS CLARE. (1<sup>t</sup>)

ANNAPOLIS, Nov. 26, 1769. To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, at first Cost and Charges,

FOUR Hundred and Twenty-five Pounds Sterling's Worth of East-India and European GOODS: Invoices of which may be seen by applying to the Subscriber. A Time for Payment will be given, on giving Bond on Interest, with Security, if required.

N. B. All Persons indebted to the Subscriber, on Open Account, are requested to discharge the same, or to give Obligations for the Balances due, and 'tis hoped this Request will be complied with, to save further Trouble. BENNETT CHEW. (6<sup>m</sup>)

S C H E M E OF THE MARYLAND LIBERTY LOTTERY

THE Lower House of Assembly of Maryland have constantly and ineffectually hitherto, since Seventy Hundred and Thirty-nine, RESOLVED, That his Majesty hath no Right to collect Twelve-pence per Hoghead Tobacco exported.

A Constitutional Tax on the People to support an Agent of the Appointment of the Lower House, has been great desired, frequently attempted, and as often refused by the Upper House.

The Lower House of Assembly contend, That the Clerks of the Council his reasonable Reward, as well as every other Expence necessarily attending the Execution of the Power of Government, ought to be defrayed out of the Fine Forfeitures, Amerciaments, and other Monies received by the Government for the Support thereof; and, "That Sentence being directly opposite to the Opinion the Upper House had, on mature Consideration, formed upon the Subject of the Clerk of the Council's Claim," principally occasioned the Non-payment of the Public Debt for upwards of Ten Years: The Distress of Trade for Want of a Circulating Medium, and the extreme Necessity of Public Creditors compelled the Lower House to agree to an Appeal to his Majesty in Council, on the Subject Matter of Difference, without the Allotment of any Public Money for that Purpose, as the only Means to settle Disputes, restore Public Credit, and lay a sure Foundation for the future Ease and Good of the Province.

A Subscription therefore, by Resolution of the Lower House, has been Open'd, and Subscriptions are taken in by every Member, for maintaining an Agent, and supporting the Appeal on the Part of the People, as well as obtaining Redress of their other Grievances; and, by Resolution also of the Lower House, as an additional Means of raising Money for the same Purposes, the following SCHEME of a LOTTERY, by which to raise One Thousand Pound Common Money, is submitted to the Public.

Table with 3 columns: Prize description, Amount, and Value. Includes prizes of £500, £250, £100, £50, £30, £20, £15, £10, £5, £4, £3, £2:10, £2, £13:15, £13:15, £6500.

2500 Prizes. 2500 Blanks. £.6500

5000 Tickets, at Thirty Shillings each, amount to £.7500. From which deduct 1000 £.6500

Two and an Half per Cent to be deducted from the Prizes, to defray the Expences of the Lottery.

The Drawing to be in the Court-House at Annapolis, in the Presence of the Managers, and as many of the Adventurers as shall be pleased to attend, on the last Monday in May next, or sooner, if sooner full.

The Managers are, William Mardock, Esq; Messieurs Thomas Sprigg, William Paca, John Weems, Thomas Gassaway, South River, Thomas Kinggold, B. T. B. Worthington, Henry Hall, John Hammond, Thomas Johnson, John Hall of Annapolis, and Samuel Caste, or such of them as shall chuse to act.

The said Managers to give Bond to the Hon. SPEAKER, and be upon Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust.

A List of the Prizes to be Published in the MARYLAND GAZETTE, and the Prizes paid as soon as the Drawing is finished; and those not demanded in Six Months after the Drawing, to be deemed as generously given to the above Use.

The Scheme to be made publick in the Maryland and Virginia GAZETTES, and Pennsylvania JOURNAL.

"LIFE without LIBERTY is worse than DEATH." TICKETS may be had of any of the Managers, and of most of the Members of the Lower House of Assembly.

October 10, 1766.

THE JUSTICES of Queen-Anne's and Talbot Counties, being empowered by Act of Assembly, to levy on the taxable Inhabitants of St. Paul's Parish, in the said Counties, certain Sums of Tobacco, to be applied by the Vestry and Church Wardens of the said Parish, towards Building and Compleating a new Parish Church; and building an Addition, and Galleries to the Chapel: The said Vestry and Church Wardens, will be ready to contract for the said Building, the First Tuesday in every Month.

Signed per Order, N. S. T. WRIGHT, Register. (6<sup>m</sup>)

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From the ST. JAMES'S CHRONICLE, O<sup>r</sup>. 30.

S I R,

It has often been advanced in Writings and Conversations on Political Matters, that this Nation, by its overgrown Extent, Power, and Riches, will, like ancient Rome, soon suffer a fatal Revolution; but the Constitution of this Country widely differs from that State, either in its republican, aristocratical, or monarchical Government; and most probably if we decay, it will be from very different Causes. Our Laws are formed on different Principles, and our Opulence has been acquired by far different Means. The judicial and legislative Matters of ancient Rome were decided either by an Aristocracy, by an indiscriminate Mob, inflamed by the Harangues of a popular Speaker, or by the Caprice of a Tyrant. And as our Riches have been acquired by the Arts of Peace, Manufactures, and Commerce, so theirs were acquired by ambitious and successful Wars. The Leaders of their Armies came home every Year in Triumph, loaded with the Spoils of conquered Nations, the pompous Parade of Devaluation and Rapine. In the various Modes by which that Empire was governed, we find that private Property and public Affairs suffered greatly, from Partiality, Injustice, Confusion and Oppression. The Fabrick of Rome, fell because its Foundation was rotten; but if we fall, it will be by a lethargic Supineness under the Weakness and Corruption of Ministers. Our Constitutional Laws, Thanks to our Ancestors, cannot be mended; but some Errors in the executive or legislative Power may, nay have reduced us to a feeble and tottering situation. I mean the bad Policy of those Ministers who first began, and continued to augment our national Debt to its present enormous Amount, which now seems to have brought us to a very singular and dangerous Crisis; such as no Nation ever experienced before, and being without Precedent in History, we cannot so easily foresee the Consequences, yet most Men fear the worst. God forbid, that I should be actuated by a factious Spirit, or that I should raise a Discontent in the Minds of Men. Too much of that already appears. I mean not to stigmatize this or any other Administration, but to recommend to them to consider seriously the Nature of our present Situation, that calls aloud for an animated Exertion of Public Spirit, and the most consummate Abilities. The grievous and unparalleled Taxes upon almost every Necessary of Life (arisen now to such a Height, that thirty Years ago every one would have thought were impossible to be borne, and I am afraid our Increase of Wealth is by no Means adequate to our Increase of Taxes) must give a Minister, who wishes well to his Country, a very serious Alarm.

The Tumults that have lately arose in many Counties in England are no other than the Murmurs of the People, which have been heard for some Years, bursting out at last into Riot and Confusion; and unless the Cause be removed, will continue, and most probably increase, in spite of the civil or even Military Power. In vain may Sycophants whisper in the Ears of a Minister, that none but the Idle and Dissolute occasion Tumults. It is the Opinion and Voice of the whole. It is true the Abandoned are the first in every Act of Outrage. The Industrious patiently suffer Labour and Hardships as long as they can. But while the Industrious have been guilty of only Murmurs and Complaints, the Idle and Dissolute have proceeded to Violence; and many of the Honest, though they hitherto refrained from being Accessories, yet silently approve of their Conduct. The Poor are much oppressed, and the Burthen of late Years has come too fast upon them to be borne with a patient Resignation. We may callily discuss these Matters over a Bottle of Claret, after a plentiful Dinner, and say that the Poor in Ireland live upon Potatoes, and in France, another Countries, upon Turnips or Cabbage. We must take Things as we find them; our Poor are not accustomed to live in that Manner, nor will they easily give up Bread, &c. although they may be deemed Luxuries of Life, especially as they know they are deprived of them by the Oppression of Taxes. I will

forbear to mention open Rebellion as a Consequence of their present Distress, yet this is certain, that our manufacturing and labouring Poor will fly to other Countries for Support, and our Commerce will gradually decay; an Evil that, though it may work more slowly, will be as certain a Destruction to this Kingdom. If our Ministers do not contrive some Means of relieving the present Distresses of the Poor, I will pronounce them weak, pusillanimous, or corrupted; and whoever, from particular Interest, Envy, or Faction, opposes so salutary a Measure, is an Enemy to his Country.

A. Z.

L O N D O N, November 8.

YESTERDAY Morning the Rev. Mr. Whitefield set out for Bath, where great Numbers have lately been converted by the Preaching of the Rev. Mr. Wesley, who is just arrived in Town from thence.

Nov. 15. Letters from the Hague mention, Advice having been received there, that a Crew of Pirates, commanded by a Brother of Angria, said to be the same who in 1764 attacked the Speaker East-Indiaman, now infests the Neighbourhood of the Persian Gulf, and had taken one Dutch, and two Portuguese Country Ships.

Nov. 19. Yesterday Mr. Gregg seized, in Billingsgate Market, several Hundreds of Flounders, most of which were not above 3 Inches long, and brought them to the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor for Condemnation; but the Owner made his Escape through the Crowd in the Market. His Lordship sent for Mr. Dawson, the Water-Bailiff, and desired that he and his Assistants would use their utmost Diligence in seizing all unlawful Nets, by which the Fry of the River Thames is, and, in Time, the entire Fishery thereof will be, quite destroyed.

Yesterday Afternoon a Woman passing through Newgate was taken in Labour, and with Difficulty got to the Corner of Giltspur-Street, where, before proper Assistance could be got, she was delivered of a fine Boy. She was immediately taken Care of by the Neighbours, and sent to St. Sepulchre's Workhouse, and is in a fair Way.

Wednesday a poor Tradesman, who had been confined several Days at a Spunging-House near Clare-Market, for a trifling Debt, having expended his little All in the House, and not having Friends either to pay the Plaintiff, or to bail him, was intended to be conveyed to Newgate, to which Place he swore he would not go; his Words, indeed, proved Prophetic; for as soon as the Bailiff, with some Difficulty, had got him into the Coach, the Affair so shocked him, that he dropped down dead.

Yesterday a most desperate Battle was fought for a Wager of 20 Guineas, and many large Bets depending, near the Bell in St. George's Fields, between Lion, the Fighting Waterman of Lambeth, and a Blackamoor Sailor; when, after an Engagement of near 43 Minutes, Victory declared for the Waterman.

Within these few Days, four Publicans have had their Licences taken from them, for keeping Houses of bad Repute, near Saffron-Hill.

Nov. 20. A Premium, it is said, will be settled by an august Assembly, for those Farmers and other Dealers, who bring the greatest Quantity of Wheat and other Grain, and the chief Necessaries of Life to any Public Market; it having been judged the most effectual Method of preventing Regrating, Engrossing and Forestalling.

The celebrated Miss Kitty Fisher has, within these few Days, been married to — N —, Esq; a Gentleman of considerable Family and Fortune.

Yesterday the Right Hon. Charles Townshend, Chancellor of the Exchequer, took the Oaths and his Seat in the House of Commons, he being re-elected for Harwich.

Same Day Isaac Barre, Esq; one of the joint Vice Treasurers of Ireland, took the Oaths and his Seat, on being re-elected for Wycombe in Bucks.

On the 4th Instant an extraordinary Marriage was performed at Thorne, in Yorkshire: A Man of that Place fold his Wife to a Neighbour for

Five Shillings, to whom he delivered her in a Halter; but the Purchaser being desirous of having her secured to him by Marriage, a few Days after went with the former Husband to Doncaster to apply for Licence to solemnize the same, which they obtained, and the Ceremony was accordingly performed at the above Time and Place, when the first Husband became Father, and gave her away; the Minister not knowing any Thing of the Circumstances of the Affair.

Nov. 22. It is said the Parliament will break up in March, and that their Majesties intend soon after to visit their German Dominions.

We hear that a noble Lord's Plan for providing for the Royal Family is thus:

Four Hundred Thousand Pounds to make good the Deficiencies in the Civil List.

The Duke of York to be Lord High Admiral, with the usual Salary.

The Duke of Gloucester to be Field Marshal and Generalissimo to the English Forces, with a Salary.

And the Duke of Cumberland to be Lord Lieut. (or Viceroy) of Ireland, for Life, with a Council to assist him.

The Number of good Measures, said to be projected by the Administration, are now made the Topics of Conversation in all Companies; and People are become so full of agreeable Hopes, that it may truly be said, if to hope is a happy Situation, the Public was never more happily situated than at present.

Extract of Letter from a Gentleman in Waterford to his Friend in Dublin, dated O<sup>r</sup>. 18.

"As I was on a Party of Pleasure with some Friends, going to Passage, the Wind blowing hard at S. S. W. we perceived a large Whitehaven Vessel, with her Sails furled, and seemingly in Distress; and perceiving no body on board, we made up to her, and hailed her; but receiving no Answer, we ventured to go on board, where we found a Parcel of Poor Women lying in a Fever, quite delirious, and not able to give any Account of themselves, whom we relieved as well as we could, with what Necessaries our little Vessel afforded.

"Upon searching further, we found the Cockit of the Vessel, which discovered her to be the Transport Ship, Capt. Ford, Commander, bound for East Florida from Dublin, with 150 Convicts on board. By all Appearances, we suppose the Hands have been murdered and thrown overboard, as we found on board their Compass, Quadrant, Cloaths, &c. Upon coming into Harbour, we gave Notice of it to the Officers in the Custom-House, who immediately went and brought her in here."

They write from Dublin, that an Express arrived there on O<sup>r</sup>. 30, with the melancholy Confirmation of the murder of Capt. Ford, and his whole Ship's Company, by the Convicts: In the Night-time they had found Means to knock off their Chains, surprized the Captain and Crew, threw them overboard, and then making for the Shore, got clear off before any Discovery was made. Some of them, however, have been since apprehended, and committed to Dublin Gaol.

INTELLIGENCE EXTRAORDINARY.

A few Days ago a poor miserable Object, almost starved to Death, asked Charity of a dignified Lawyer in the Temple, and told him her Name was *Honesty*, the Daughter of *Conscience*, to which he replied, "Away, Woman, I know nothing of you or your Family, if I see you here again, you'll be sent to the House of Correction."

We hear from several Parts of an Island, once famous for Liberty, that the Poor (who are now in a starving Condition) have come to a Resolution to Kill and Salt up all the Prisoners that have been confined in Goal above six Months, and are so base as to persist in not being able to pay their Debts. Some Persons of Humanity here, with the same Method might be made use of by our Patriotic M —, as the great Numbers of Prisoners now confined in this Kingdom are a Burden to Community. Several useful Consequences would be the result of those Measures; the Poor might be fed at a low Price, the Plaintiff's Malice gratified, the Prisoner released from a Confinement that is worse than Death, and the Public eased of the Burthen of maintaining so many useless People.

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Nov. 11. Last Night there was a great Council at the Cockpit, at which the Great Officers of State, several Lords of the Privy Council, and Members of both Houses of Parliament assisted.

Among the other new Dresses preparing for the ensuing Season, is that of the Ladies Head Dress. Several are formed, but the Grand One is that of the Castle Toupees, or Curls, Seven Inches high above the Forehead. [Some perhaps may take Nine.]

We are informed, the Heads of a Bill for the better Recovery of West-India Debts, of Estates by Testament of Persons dying in the Colonies, and to prevent Frauds in Guardians in America, and the Islands, are now preparing to be laid before an August Assembly.

The Discourse of the Public at present turning much on East India Affairs, it may not be unacceptable to many to be informed, (from Mr. Pofflethwaite's Dictionary,) that the Charter granted to the United Company of Merchants Trading to the East Indies, by Queen Anne, expiring, another was granted in the same Reign, which was to continue in Force till 1730; this, by a Grant in the seventeenth of King George II. was to continue till March 25, 1780, when, on Three Years Notice, and Re-payment of the capital Stock borrowed by the Government, and the Annuities, the Company's Right ceases in the East Indies.

The Debt owing to the East India Company is as follows:

Advanced by the new Company to	
King William, _____	2,000,000
To Queen Anne, in the sixth Year of her Reign, _____	1,200,600
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St. CHRISTOPHER'S, Nov. 19.

On Saturday Morning last, Nicholas Johnson, the Murderer and Pirate, was publicly Racked, pursuant to his Sentence, in St. Eustatius. About 9 o'Clock in the Morning he was conducted out of the Fort to the Place appointed for his Execution, where he was bound fast with Cords to an Engine resembling a St. Andrew's Cross. The Executioner, with a great deal of Deliberation, then proceeded to execute the Law upon the Criminal, breaking his Right Leg with a Blow of an Iron Bar provided for that Purpose. He bore the breaking of his Legs and Arms without a Groan; but when his Thighs came to be broke he made dreadful Outcries. After all his Limbs were thus mangled and shattered, he received Twenty-two Blows on his Stomach before he expired. Some Time before his Execution he confessed that he had formerly been guilty of Two Murders; and acknowledged that he and his Accomplice, Joseph Andrews, intended to have murdered William Harris the Day he escaped out of the Boat. Johnson was about 35 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, and a very cheerful Countenance: His Behaviour after Sentence, and at the Place of Execution, was decent and resigned, which makes us conclude, that, if he had lived as well as he died, his Life would not have been brought to so ignominious a Period.

CHARLES-TOWN, (South-Carolina.)

Dec. 30. The General Assembly have sent home a Petition, to be presented to his Majesty, praying for the Repeal of that Act of the British Parliament, which restrains the Emission of Paper Currency in America, and that they may have Leave to issue to the Amount of £. 50,000 Sterling, less than which will not be sufficient as a Medium of Trade.

ANNAPOLIS, February 12.

Yesterday WALTER DULANY, Esq; was Sworn in One of his Lordship's Honourable Council of State of this Province.

Last Week we mention'd a terrible Fire which happen'd a few Weeks since at Bridge-Town, in Barbados. It seems the Information of Mr. Jones, the Pilot, with regard to that Disaster, was not altogether Right as to the Number of Dwelling-Houses, but the Damage was Dreadful. The Fire began about Nine in one of the Evenings of last Month, (but of what Day we know not) in a Negro Hut belonging to Mr. Daniel's, or Bedford and Mead's Lumber-Yard, (not known which,) and Burnt with great Fury 'til next Morning: During which Time it devour'd Eighty-nine good Dwelling-Houses, beside Store-Houses, and all the Lumber in the Place for Sale. Most of the Principal Merchants are Burnt out, and Themselves and Families oblig'd to take Shelter in mean Huts.

This GAZETTE [No. 1118,] concludes the Printer's Year of 52 Weeks, since It's Revival; to which Number all his Accounts will be made out: And those Gentlemen who commenced Customers since No. 1067, will be charged with their Proportion of 12s. and 6d. a Year, for the Time they have had them sent, in order that All who are now Customers may begin their Year with the same Number. The Publisher hopes for the favourable Indulgence of the PUBLIC a little while longer, for Printing it with so indifferent a Letter, which (like himself) is at least Half-Worn: But by the next Shipping from London, a Month or Two hence, he expects a Recruit of several new Founts from Mr. CASLON, proper for the Purpose, and Then he'll do his Best. All Persons Indebted on the Old Score, as well as the new, but especially the OLD, before the FIRST OF NOVEMBER, 1765, are earnestly requested to Settle and Pay off their Accounts, to enable him to carry on his Business.

February 12, 1767.

To be SOLD, pursuant to the Directions of the Last Will and Testament of John Ross, Esq; Deceased, the following Tracts of LAND, in Frederick County, Maryland, viz.

NEW-LONDON, containing 1360 Acres: The Main Road that leads from Frederick-Town, to Philadelphia, runs through this Tract, about 20 Miles from Frederick-Town, and 2 from Tawney-Town; it is well Wooded, and extremely Level, every Acre of it being fit for Cultivation: The Soil is well adapted for Farming, being capable of producing almost every Kind of Grain. There are three or four Springs of Water, if not more, on this Tract.

THE CORNER, containing 112 Acres.— ROSS'S RANGE, containing 3400 Acres.— These two Tracts join to one another, and lie 5 or 6 Miles to the Northward of New-London, Great-Pipe-Creek, Bear-Branch, and The Meadow-Branch, run through them, and afford several convenient Sites for Mills; and, on the Banks of these Streams, there is a large Quantity of excellent Bottom Land, capable of either bearing Hemp, or being made into Meadow Ground. The Upland is much the same Quality with that of New-London, but more broken.

THE PLAINS, containing 50 Acres, lies on Piney-Creek, a Draught of Menocacy River.

Mr. Normand Bruce, who lives in the Neighbourhood, if called upon, will shew any of the above Tracts, to such as incline to purchase.

WALNUT LEVEL, containing 390 Acres, lies about 10 Miles West from Fort-Cumberland, upon a Branch of Will's-Creek.

ROSS'S-TOWN-CREEK LOT, containing 530 Acres, lies on Town-Creek, about 12 Miles from the Mouth of it, near a Place called, The Devil's Hole.

WINGFIELD'S DELIGHT, containing 1300 Acres, and lies on a Branch of Linganore: The Soil is, in general, good, it has plenty of both Timber and Water on it, and there is, from Appearances, great Reason to believe that it contains within it a very valuable Copper-Mine.

The Purchasers may, either, pay ready Money, or will be indulged in Time for the Payment, upon giving good Security.

The Terms may be known by applying to Dr. Upton-Stott in Annapolis, who is empowered to dispose of the above Lands.

FRANCIS KEY, } Executors.  
U. SCOTT, }

WANTED, THREE good Draught HORSES, one of them to be a dark red Bay, well Turned, and good Spirit, about 14 Hands high, and no White about him, none of them to exceed Six Years old next Spring. Any Person that hath such Horses to sell, may apply to the Printer hercof. N. M. 1767.

COMMITTED to Prince-George's County Jail, as a Runaway, by the Name of Michael Cowan, an Irishman, wears his own black Hair, has on an old Thickset Coat, Fastian Breeches, Yarn Stockings, and a Pair of Turned Pumps. He says he is a Freeman, a Taylor by Trade, and lately lived on Rock-Creek, in Frederick County. His Master (if any) is desired to take him away, and pay Charges.

WILLIAM T. WOOTTON, Sheriff.

THE PARTNERSHIP of BOYD and COMPANY, being now expired; JOHN BOYD begs Leave to inform those Gentlemen who have formerly dealt with the Company, and Others who may incline to become his Customers, That he continues the MEDICINAL STORE, as formerly, in BALTIMORE-TOWN; Having a Small, but General Assortment of DRUGS now on Hand; and expects by the first Vessels from London, and the Straights, either to this, or the Port of Philadelphia, a large Importation of every useful Article in his Way. Their Arrival shall be made known by the Public Papers. As he purposes to Sell for the future, on Terms more advantageous to the Buyer, than his late Connections would permit. He thinks it necessary to wait on his former kind Customers, and other Gentlemen of the Faculty in the Province, as soon as possible, in order to inform them more particularly of his intended Terms.

Those Gentlemen who are indebted to the late Partnership of BOYD and COMPANY, are earnestly requested to remit their several Balances, by the most safe and speedy Conveyance, to

Their much obliged, humble Servant,

(\*) JOHN BOYD.

To be SOLD on reasonable Terms, and on 6 or 12 Months Credit, if required, paying Interest,



THE Brig MARIA, with her Tackle and Apparel, as she came lately from Sea; She is a very good, strong, tight, double-deck'd Vessel, about 4 Years old, has been very well kept, and was well built with good Materials, and will carry 4500 Bushels of Grain in her Hold, and a good deal between Decks, is now lying at Chester-Town, where any Person wanting to purchase such a Vessel may see her, and treat with

(2\*) THOMAS RINGGOLD, & Co.

Who also have for Sale, Best Sun Raisins by the Keg, best Gloucester Cheese, and British Beer and Cyder.



THE Ship BRITANNIA, Capt. ROBERT CLARKE, now lying at Chester-Town, and bound to Barbados, will take in Indian Corn at 9<sup>d</sup>. per Bushel Freight, and Bread and Flour at Three Pounds per Ton, delivered along Side before the 6th of March next. She will certainly sail by that Time.

She brought in a Quantity of Choice old Barbados RUM, which we will exchange by the Hoghead, a Gallon for a Bushel of Good Indian Corn, delivered along Side the said Ship before the above Time, and will sell it very cheap for ready Cash, or Flour.

(2\*) THOMAS RINGGOLD, & Co.

Chester-Town, Feb. 2, 1767.

To be SOLD at Public Vendue, to the Highest Bidder, pursuant to the Last Will of James Calder, Deceased; on the Tenth Day of April next, for either Pennsylvania Currency, or Bills of Exchange,

FIFTEEN Hundred Acres of well Timbered LAND, lying in Kent County, Maryland, and situated between the River of Chester and Sassafras, and within 16 Miles of Duk-Creek Landing.

The aforesaid Land will be Sold, as may be most agreeable to the Purchasers, either in Lots of 200 or 300 Acres, or larger Quantities.

The Sale will be had at a House on the Premises, within about a Mile of Mr. Dennis Dulany's Dwelling house.

Credit will be given or one Half the Purchase Money, on giving Security if required, and Payment of Interest.

Any Person inclin'd to treat for any of the aforesaid Land, before the Day of Sale, may be inform'd of the Terms by applying to Mr. Dennis Dulany, Mr. James Macblain, Doctor John Scott, Mr. Alexander Calder or the Subscriber, in Chester-Town.

The Title is inqutable. MARY CALDER, Executrix of Apt. James Calder, deceased.

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ANNAPOLIS, February 5, 1767.

I Take this Method of returning my most sincere and hearty Thanks, to all my good Customers, both in Town and Country, who have been pleased to favour me with their Children, during my Residence in Annapolis; and hereby inform them, that I shall teach School in Town no longer than Saturday 14th Instant; and I humbly hope, those who now Honour me with their Children, will excuse me for declining my School, because my Interest calls me another Way: And all those who have any Demands against me are desired to send, or bring in their Accompts, that they may be paid; and those who are indebted to me, are desired to make Payment as soon as possible: Their complying with this, will add to the Obligations already conferred on, Their most obedient, Much obliged, Very humble Servant, W. HUTCHINGS.

N. B. I have some very good Books of the Mathematicks, and some Mathematical Instruments, which I will dispose of at reasonable Prices.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, ABOUT Two Hundred and Forty or Fifty Bushels of Wheat, for ready Cash only, and will deliver it either at his Landing, on South-River, or Road-River, just as it may suit the Purchaser. 2 NICHOLAS GASSAWAY.

ALL Persons indebted to the Subscriber, (now removed from Annapolis to Charles-Town, at the Head of the Bay) are requested to make speedy Payment, or they may expect Trouble. WILLIAM NIVEN.

Baltimore-Town, January 23, 1767. FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away last Night, from the Subscriber, a Convict Servant Man, named William Graham, alias Scholar, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, a likely, artful young Fellow, has black Hair, commonly curled: Had on a Claret coloured Coat and Jacket, with Metal Buttons, Buckskin Breeches, Boots, and a blue Surtout; carried with him, a likely old Bay Horse, marked WN, joined together, on his near Buttock, and a very good Hogskin Saddle, the Horse is well known on the Road.

Whoever brings said Fellow, with the Horse and Saddle, to me, in Baltimore-Town, shall have the above Reward; or, for the Horse and Saddle alone, Fifty Shillings. JAMES CHRISTIE, junr. (3) X3

January 23, 1767. THREE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away last Night, from the Subscriber, a Negro Boy, named Cambridge, a chunky, well-set Fellow, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, pitted with the Small-Pox: Had on, a blue Surtout Coat, and some Regimental Cloaths. Whoever brings him to me, in Baltimore-Town, shall have the above Reward. ARCHIBALD BUCHANAN, (3) X3 N. B. 'Tis probable Mr. CHRISTIE's Servant Man William Graham, above advertised, has taken him away, as a Waiting-Man.

New-Port, in Charles County, Jan. 9, 1767.

RAN away from the Subscriber, the 24th Day of December last, a Mulatto Man Slave, called Stephen, by Trade a House-Carpenter, he can work pretty well as a Wheel-Wright, Sawyer, or tight Cooper, is about 35 Years of Age, 6 Feet 1 or 2 Inches high, a long Face, thin jaw'd, a small Scar on one of his Cheeks, I believe the Right, and several Scars on his Legs, cut with Edge and several Scars on his Fiddle, is a very sensible, cunning Fellow, and if taken will endeavour to make his Escape. Had on when he went away, a light coloured Kersey Jacket, Cotton Breeches, Country made Shoes and Stockings, and an Osnabrigs Shirt. It is imagined he has changed his Cloaths, and got a Pass.

Whoever takes up the said Slave, and secures him in any Jail, or brings him to his Master, shall have a Reward of Six Dollars, if taken in Charles County; if taken in St. Mary's, or Prince-George's, County; if taken in what the Law allows; if in Six Dollars, beside what the Law allows; or, if out any other County, Twelve Dollars; and reasonable Charges if brought home, paid by LEONARD BOARMAN (8\*)

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near Mount-Pleasant, in Anne-Arundel County, on the last of July, a Negro Wench, named Nan, about 18 Years of Age, of a brownish Complexion, has a Scar on her Cheek, and another on her Nose, and is a short thick Wench: Had on when she ran away, a white Cotton Petticoat, and an old Irish Linen Shift: She carried away with her, her Child, named Doll, about a Year old, or better. This Wench, with her deceitful Ways, and lying Tongue, passes with some Sort of People, by shewing her Marks, and pretending to be used with a great Deal of Barbarity; she is pretty well marked, which she never got for her good Behaviour.

Whoever takes up said Wench and Child, and secures them, or brings them to their Master, shall have Forty Shillings Reward for the first Twenty Miles they are brought, and One Shilling per Mile for what they may come farther, to be paid by JOSEPH WARD.

All Persons are forbid to harbour said Negro Wench and Child, as they shall Answer the contrary at their Peril; and any free Person who will give Information of their being harboured, shall be entitled to Three Pounds; if a Slave Thirty Shillings; beside the above Reward, if they take them. J. W.

JUST IMPORTED in the Leeds, Capt. Anderson, from LONDON, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at the House of Jonathan Pinkney in ANNAPOLIS,

A NEAT Assortment of superfine CLOTHS, with Trimmings suitable for the same, the best four Thread black Breeches Patterns, Gold and Silver Basket Buttons, and Gold Binding, green and white corded Silk for Waistcoats; likewise, a choice Collection of Turkey Burdets and Damascus, for Summer Waistcoats. ROBERT PINKNEY.

ANNAPOLIS, January 19, 1767.

Pursuant to the Directions of the Last Will and Testament of Edmund Key, Esq; Deceased, the following Tracts of Land will be Sold to the Highest Bidder, at Public Vendue, on the Third Wednesday in March next, precisely at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, MARYLAND, viz.

PARADISE, containing Three Hundred and Thirty-five Acres. GOOD HOPE, containing Three Hundred Acres. And FRIENDSHIP, containing Two Hundred and Six Acres. These Three Tracts almost join one another; one of them binds upon Patowmack; and all of them lie betwixt Great Conococheague and Little Conococheague Rivers. They will be sold for Ready Cash, or Six Months Credit will be given, on proper Security. U. SCOTT, Executor.

January 21, 1767.

By Virtue of a Deed of Trust, made in the Lifetime of the Deceased Mr. Samuel Chapman, to the Subscriber, for the Purposes therein mentioned, will be SOLD by Public Vendue, on Thursday the 26th of February next, at the Plantation near Queen-Anne, where the Deceased Mr. Chapman lately lived,

A PARCEL of about Twenty-eight likely Country-born SLAVES, Men, Women, and Children. Also Two Tracts of Land, viz. One Tract of LAND called Rowedown's Security, lying on the North Side of Patuxent River, almost opposite to Queen-Anne, said by the Deed to contain Eight Hundred and One Acres, more or less, having on it a Negro Quarter, with Tobacco-House, and other Improvements. One other Tract called Rotberry, containing about Sixty-five Acres, more or less, adjoining or lying contiguous to Rowedown's Security. The Sale will be for Sterling Money, or good Bills of Exchange, with Indorsers, if required; but other Current Money, and the Money to be emitted in Virtue of the late Act of Assembly, will be taken in Payment, at an Exchange to be fix'd on at the Day of Sale. As the Days are short, the Sale will begin Half an Hour after Ten o'Clock at farthest.—Mr. Anthony Stewart will attend and conduct the Sale, in Case of the Absence of the Subscriber. For any farther Information of Title, or Terms of Sale, apply to JAMES DICK, Trustee.

JAMES DICK, Trustee.

STRAY'D from the Subscriber's Plantation, on Bay-Creek, in Frederick County, the 15th of January last, Three Mares, viz. An Iron Grey, about 14 or 15 Hands high, and no Brand, but Dock'd pretty short, and hath her Tail fallen. The other Two are small Dark Bays, one of them Branded on the near Buttock HT the wrong Way, has a Snip on her Nose, and had a small Bell on, mark'd with R. in a Heart. The other not Branded, Dock'd farther than the Ham. Whoever will deliver the said Mares to Mr. Benjamin Johnson, near Calvert Court-House, to Thomas Johnson, junr. in Annapolis, or to the Subscriber, at his Plantation, shall have a Dollar for each. J. J. JOHNSON. JAMES JOHNSON.

N. B. If any Person will secure the above Strays in any Inclosure, and give Information to either of those Gentlemen, they will be immediately sent for, and the Person handfomely Rewarded for his Trouble, with Thanks.

THERE is in the Possession of Leonard Soper, Overseer, at the Plantation called Non-Such, near the Eastern-Branch, belonging to the Rev. Mr. Addison, taken up as a Stray, a Sorrel Horse, about 13 Hands high, Branded on the off Buttock with something like the Letters T E, he has a large Star in his Forehead, his near Fore-Foot, and both behind, are white; is about 5 Years old. The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation, of James Eysie, near the Sugar-Land, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Mare, mixed with several white Hairs, one of her Feet has a white Ring round it, and has a Blaze in her Face, brand-ed on the near Shoulder, thus, O B, and had a small Bell on. The Owner may have her again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

January 29, 1767.

ALL Persons indebted to the Subscriber, late Sheriff of Anne-Arundel County, are desired to make Payment.—Those who do not come and settle their Accounts, either by Note or otherways, will be Sued or Warranted, without Respect to Persons, or further Notice. JOSEPH GALLOWAY. (3\*)

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 26th Day of February Instant, for Sterling Cash, Current Money, or good Bills of Exchange, on the Premises,

PART of a Tract of Land, called FRIEND'S CHOICE, containing 200 Acres, lying in Anne-Arundel County, near Queen-Anne, on which is an old Dwelling-house, with two Brick Chimnies, and sundry Out-houses; a good Apple and Peach Orchard, the Soil is very good and well adapted to Farming or Planting Business. For Title apply to William Wootton, the Executor. At the same Time will be Sold, sundry Plantation Utensils; Stock of Horses, Mares and Colts, Cattle, Sheep, and Hogs; Indian Corn, and Tobacco, &c.

SARAH CHAPMAN, Executrix, WILLIAM T. WOOTTON, Executor.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Capt. Samuel Chapman, are requested to make immediate Payment, and those who have any Claims against the said Estate are desired to send in the same legally proved, to William T. Wootton, the Executor, who is appointed to settle the same.

SARAH CHAPMAN, Executrix, WILLIAM T. WOOTTON, Executor.

WANTED,

A YOUNG MAN, well Qualified for Tending a COFFEE-HOUSE in this City: Such an one will meet with good Encouragement. Enquire of the Printer hereof.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, very cheap, for ready Money, or short Credit,

CHOICE Lisbon Wine, by the Quarter Cask, exceeding fine White Wine Vinegar, and best Batavia Arrack, by the Gallon or larger Quantity. RALPH FORSTER.

N. B. He has likewise amongst a great Variety of dry Goods, a new Seine, Forty-five Fathoms long, and otherwise calculated for the Patuxent Herring Fishery.

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To be SOLD at PUBLIC SALE, on Wednesday the 4th Day of March next, at JOPPA,

A GREAT Variety of the very best Kind of Household and Kitchen FURNITURE, consisting of every Thing necessary for a genteel Family. Likewise a very good CHAISE, with a Bellows Top, and Harness for two Horses; a Single CHAIR, on Steel Springs, entirely new, without Harness; two very good CARTS and GEERS, with sundry Plantation UTENSILS. And a likely young NEGRO Fellow. And,

On the Friday following will be Sold, on the Premises, to the Highest Bidder, pursuant to the Last Will and Testament of Mr. David McCulloch, Deceased,—His late Dwelling-House and Lot in Joppa, with sundry other Lots, sufficiently described in the Maryland Gazette, N<sup>o</sup>. 1101, to N<sup>o</sup>. 1105. Also Two TRACTS of LAND, adjoining each other, lying within three Miles of Joppa, and containing Three Hundred Acres.

For Terms of Sale, apply to the Executor at ANNAPOLIS, or to Mr. Charles Lin at JOPPA. The Sale of the Furniture will continue from Day to Day, until all is sold.

ANTHONY STEWART, Executor, (6\*) MARY McCULLOCH, Executrix. N. B. Bills of Credit to be emitted by Act of Assembly, will be taken as any other Currency, in Payment for the Furniture; and for the Houses and Land, at an Exchange to be agreed on at the Day of Sale.

D. R. HULSE, from St. Thomas's, Guy's, and the Lying-Inn Hospitals, LONDON, continues to reside at the Reverend Mr. Cradock's, Garrison Forest, Baltimore County, and practices as usual, every Branch of PHYSIC, SURGERY, and MIDWIFERY, at an Expence much inferior to the customary Charges. (10\*)

January 3, 1767. ALL Persons having any just Demands against my Sister, Mary Moore, are desired to send them, properly authenticated, to me, or to Mrs. Caton, at London-Town. I shall, on the 2d Day of February, sell off all the Negroes, Stock, Wheat, Corn, and every Thing on the Plantation, and Household Furniture belonging to my Sister, at her late Dwelling-House near London-Town. (6\*) STEPHEN WEST.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Thursday the 26th Day of February Inst. at the House of Mr. Henry James, in Baltimore-Town, for Current Money, or good Bills of Exchange,

A TRACT of LAND lying on the Great Falls of Gunpowder, and about 12 Miles from Baltimore-Town, called Cubb Hills, containing about 900 Acres, the greatest Part of which is as good as any in the Country, proper for either Farming or Plantation Business. There is about 200 Acres cleared, with a Dwelling House, and convenient Out Houses thereon, an Orchard of choice Fruit Trees, 2 or 3 good Streams, and convenient Situation for a Furnace, &c. The whole is well Timbered, and remarkably healthy.

Also another Tract in said County, called Tibbi's United Inheritance, lying on Middle River Neck, containing by Patent 640 Acres, chiefly surrounded with Water, is very well Timbered, and has good Improvements thereon. With very little Expence, this Land may be made as good a Farm as any upon the Continent, and produce considerable Profit to any Person who would give their Attention to the Improvement of Land; besides it is remarkable for the Great Rock Fishery, and wild Fowl, in the proper Season.

About 50 Acres of Land adjoining to Baltimore-Town, which will be sold together, or in Parcels of 4 or 5 Acres, as is most suitable and agreeable to those who want to purchase.

The noted and well known Tavern where Mr. Fogg formerly lived, and is now kept by Mr. Henry James.

The House and Lot formerly belonging to Thomas Clendening.

Also the House, and Part of the Lot, late the Property of James Bonfield.

THOMAS SLIGH.

MARYLAND, January 13, 1767.

THE Subscribers continue to carry on their DISTILLERY at Baltimore-Town, where their Friends and Customers may depend on being constantly supply'd, on the most reasonable Terms, with the best AMERICAN RUM made on the Continent; for which they will take Payment in Bar Iron, Flour, Pork, Wheat, Rye, Indian Corn, Pine Boards, Shingles, Heading, Pipe, Hoghead, or Barrel Staves, if made according to the Philadelphia Staves, and cull'd. They have also to dispose of for Cash, or Bills of Exchange, best West-India Rum, Molasses by the Hoghead or Tierce, Muscovado and Loaf Sugars in Barrels, best New-England Mackrel and Fish Oil. SAMUEL and ROBERT PURVIANCE.

LEFT with William Digges on Patowmack, A CASK, mark'd thus N -- F, containing Tea-Kettles, &c. &c. The Owner is desired to prove his Property, pay Charges, and take it away. (11)

WHEREAS WILLIAM, the Son of JOHN RICHARDSON, of Stafford, in England, came over to Maryland, and was a Servant in the Year 1754, to Mr. Samuel Tipton, on the River Patapsco: If the said William Richardson be living, by applying to Messrs. Purdie and Dixon, Printers, in Williamsburg, he will hear of something to his Advantage; if dead, any Person producing an authenticated Certificate of his Death, will be reimbursed his Expences, with Thanks.

Piscataway, Dec. 6, 1766.

WHEREAS William, Mary, and Frances Herringham, the Children of William Herringham, late of Greenwich, in the County of Kent, did, about 25 Years ago, leave England, and go to some Part of the West-Indies, and, as it is believed, afterwards go to some of the Northern Colonies in America: This is therefore to give Notice to them, if the said William, Mary, and Frances Herringham, or the Survivor or Survivors of them, be living, or to their Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, if dead, that by applying by Letter, or otherwise, to the Subscriber at Piscataway, in Prince George's County, Maryland, they will hear of something greatly to their Advantage: Or, if any Person can give Information where any of the said Persons, if living, now reside, or if dead, when and where they died, and where buried; such Person shall be genteely rewarded for their Trouble, by applying as above, to (6m) WM. RUSSELL.

LEFT, by a Person unknown, at the Subscriber's House in Annapolis, Two Pieces of BOLTING-CLOTH. Any Person, proving his Property and paying Charges, may have them, on Application to X 6 SAMUEL MIDDLETON.

Elk-Ridge Furnace, Dec. 16, 1766.

THE Subscriber is authorized to receive all Debts due to Dr. John Shippen, late of Elk-Ridge, and takes this Method to inform all those who are indebted to the said Doctor, that immediate Payment is expected. (11) X 7 JULIUS CLARE.

ANNAPOLIS, Nov. 26, 1766.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, at first Cost and Charges,

FOUR Hundred and Twenty-five Pounds Sterling's Worth of East-India and European GOODS: Invoices of which may be seen by applying to the Subscriber. A Time for Payment will be given, on giving Bond on Interest, with Security, if required.

N. B. All Persons indebted to the Subscriber, on Open Account, are requested to discharge the same, or to give Obligations for the Balances due, and 'tis hoped this Request will be complied with, to save further Trouble.

9 BENNETT CHEW.

S C H E M E OF THE

MARYLAND LIBERTY LOTTERY

THE Lower House of Assembly of Maryland have constantly and ineffectually hitherto, since Seventy-Hundred and Thirty-nine, RESOLVED, That his Majesty hath no Right to collect Twelve-pence per Hoghead Tobacco exported.

A Constitutional Tax on the People to support an Agent of the Appointment of the Lower House, has been desired, frequently attempted, and as often refused by the Upper House.

The Lower House of Assembly contend, That the Claim of the Council his reasonable Reward, as well as every other Expence necessarily attending the Execution of the Power of Government, ought to be defrayed out of the Power of the People, and not out of the Purses of the Members of the Support thereof; and, "That Sentiment being directly opposite to the Opinion of the Upper House had, on mature Consideration, formed upon the Subject of the Clerk of the Council's Claim," principally occasioned the Non-payment of the Public Debt for upwards of Ten Years: The Distress of Trade for Want of a Circulating Medium, and the extreme Necessity of Public Creditors, compelled the Lower House to agree to an Appeal to his Majesty in Council, on the Subject Matter of Difference, with out the Allotment of any Public Money for that Purpose, as the only Means to settle Disputes, restore Public Credit, and lay a sure Foundation for the future Ease and Good of the Province.

A Subscription therefore, by RESOLVE of the Lower House, has been Open'd, and Subscriptions are taken in by every Member, for maintaining an Agent, and supporting the Appeal on the Part of the People, as well as obtaining Redress of their other Grievances; and, by RESOLVE also of the Lower House, as an additional Means of raising Money for the same Purposes, the following S C H E M E of a LOTTERY, by which to raise One Thousand Pounds Common Money, is submitted to the Public.

Table with 3 columns: Prize amount, Quantity, and Total value. Includes prizes of £500, £250, £100, and £50, with quantities ranging from 1 to 2250.

2500 Prizes. £.6500  
2500 Blanks.

Tickets, at Thirty Shillings each, amount to £.7500  
From which deduct 1000 £.6500

Two and an Half per Cent to be deducted from the Prizes, to defray the Expences of the Lottery.

The Drawing to be in the Court-House at Annapolis, in the Presence of the Managers, and as many of the Adventurers as shall be pleased to attend, on the last Monday in May next, or sooner, if sooner full.

The Managers are, William Mardock, Esq; Messieurs Thomas Sprigg, William Pava, John Weems, Thomas Gassaway, South River, Thomas Ringgold, B. T. B. Worthington, Henry Hall, John Hammond, Thomas Johnson, John Hall of Annapolis, and Samuel Chase, or such of them as shall chuse to act.

The said Managers to give Bond to the Hon. SPEAKER, and be upon Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust.

A List of the Prizes to be Published in the MARYLAND GAZETTE, and the Prizes paid as soon as the Drawing is finished; and those not demanded in Six Months after the Drawing, to be deemed as generously given to the above Use.

The Scheme to be made publickly in the Maryland and Virginia GAZETTES, and Pennsylvania JOURNAL.

"LIFE without LIBERTY is worse than DEATH." TICKETS may be had of any of the Managers, and of most of the Members of the Lower House of Assembly.

October 16, 1766.

THE JUSTICES of Queen-Anne's and Talbot Counties, being empowered by Act of Assembly, to levy on the taxable Inhabitants of St. Paul's Parish, in the said Counties, certain Sums of Tobacco, to be applied by the Vestry and Church Wardens of the said Parish, towards Building and Compleating a new Parish Church; and building an Addition, and Galleries to the Chapel: The said Vestry and Church Wardens, will be ready to contract for the said Buildings, the First Tuesday in every Month.

Signed per Order, N. S. T. WRIGHT, Register.

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THURSDAY, February 19, 1767.

[N<sup>o</sup>. 1119.]

From FELIX FARLEY'S BRISTOL JOURNAL, October 18.

SIR,

I rather myself, that the following Extract from "An Account of the Giants lately discovered, in a Letter to a Friend," will be entertaining to your Readers; and by inserting it, you will oblige, Yours, &c. S. G.

**A**FTER humbly reciting the particular Reports of Capt. BYRON'S Discovery of the Patagonians, the Author proceeds to consider what political Advantages may accrue from it to the British Nation:

"You will be impatient, says his Correspondent, to know if Captain Byron took Possession of the Country for the Crown of England, and to have his Majesty's Title run, 'GEORGE the Third, by the Grace of GOD, King of Great-Britain, France, Ireland, and the Giants! You will ask why some of their Women were not brought away to mend our Breed, which all good Patriots assert has been dwindling for some Hundreds of Years; and whether there is any Gold or Diamonds in the Country?"

As soon as they are properly Civilized, that is, ENSLAVED, due Care will undoubtedly be taken to specify in their Charter, that these Giants shall be subject to the Parliament of Great-Britain, and shall not wear a Sheep-skin that is not legally stamp'd. A Riot of Giants would be very unpleasant to an infant Colony. But Experience, I hope, will teach us, that the invaluable Liberties of Englishmen are not to be wantonly scattered all over the Globe. Let us enjoy them ourselves, but they are too sacred to be communicated. If Giants once get an Idea of Freedom, they will soon be our Masters instead of our Slaves. But what Pretensions can they have to Freedom? They are as distinct from the common Species as Blacks, and by being larger, may be more useful. I would advise our prudent Merchants to employ them in the Sugar Trade; they are capable of more Labour, but even then they must be worse treated, if possible, than our black Slaves are; they must be lamed and maimed, and have their Spirits well broken, or they may become dangerous. This too will give a little Respite to Africa, where we have half exhausted the human, I mean, the black Breed, by that wile Maxim of our Planters, that if a Slave lives Four Years, he has earned his Purchase-money, consequently you may afford to work him to Death in that Time.

The Mother Country is not only the first, but ought to be the sole Object of our political Considerations. If we once begin to extend the Idea of the Love of our Country, it will embrace the Universe, and consequently annihilate all Notion of our Country. The Romans, so much the Object of modern Admiration, were with Difficulty persuaded to admit even the rest of Italy to be their Countrymen. The true Patriots never regarded any Thing without the Walls of Rome, except their own Villas, as their Country. Every Thing was done for immortal Rome, and it was immortal Rome that did every Thing. Conquered Nations, which to them answer'd to discovered Nations with us, for they conquer'd as fast as they discover'd, were always treated accordingly; and it is remarkable that two Men, equally famous for their Eloquence, have been the only two that ever had the Weakness to think, that conquered Countries were 'entitled to all the Blessings of the Mother Country. Cicero treated Sicily and Cilicia as tenderly as the District of Aspinum, and I doubt it was the Folly of that Example that misled his too rash Imitator on a late Occasion. However, the Giants must be impress'd with other Ideas: Bless us, if like that Figny Old Oliver, they should come to think the Speaker's Mace a Bauble!

What have we to do with America, but to conquer, enslave, and make it tend to the Advantage of our Commerce? Shall the noblest Rivers in the World roll for Savages? Shall Millions teem with Gold for the Natives of the Soil? And shall the World produce any Thing but for England, France and Spain? It is enough that the Overflowings of Riches in those three Countries are every ten Years washed in Germany.

Still, my political Friend, I am not for occupying Patagonia, as we did Virginia, Carolina, &c. Such might be the Politics of Queen Elizabeth's Days. But modern Improvements are wiser. If the Giants in Question are Masters of a rich and flourishing Empire, I think they ought to be put under their Majesties, a West-Indian Company; the Directors of which may retail out a small Portion of their imperial Revenues to the Proprietors, under the Name of a Dividend. This is an excellent Scheme of Government totally unknown to the Ancients. I can but think how poor Livy or Tacitus would have been hamper'd in giving an Account of such an Imperium in Imperio. *Casimirus Alnus Canuus* (for they latinized every proper Name, instead of delivering it as smoothly pronounced by their Soldiers and Sailors) would have sounded well enough: But Dividends, Discounts, India Bonds, &c. were not made for the Majesty of History. But I am wandering from my Subject; though, while I am talking of the Stocks and Funds, I could chalk out a very pretty new South-Sea Scheme, *a propos* to the Patagonians. It would not run above half the Nation, and would make the Fortunes of such industrious Gentlemen as during the Want of a War in Germany, cannot turn Commissaries."

This Writer proceeds further to remark, that many perhaps will think, that this Race of Giants (peaceable and harmless as they are said to be) should be exterminated, and their Country Colonized; but he rather advises us to let them live, because of the great Use we may make of them as Slaves, and has no Objection to our importing some few of them for the sake of mending our Breed; but he would by no Means come into any Project where Propagation is not concern'd. For "Ireland, says he, is already kept in a State of Humiliation. We check their Trade, and do not allow them to avail themselves of the best situated Harbours in the

World. Matrimony is their only Branch of Commerce unrestrict'd, and it would be a most crying Injustice to clog that too.

In Truth, we are not sufficiently acquainted with these Goliaths to decide peremptorily on their Properties. No Account of them has been yet transmitted to the Royal Society: But it would be exceeding advisable, that a Jury of Matrons should be sent in the next Embarkation to make a Report; and old Women for old Women, I would trust to the Analysis of the Matrons, in Preference to that of the Philosophers."

He concludes with the following merry Conjecture concerning the Poetry of such great Men: "Their Poetry, says he, will be another Object of Inquiry, and if their Minds are at all in Proportion to their Bodies, must abound in the most lofty Images, in the true Sublime. Oh! if we could come at an Heroic Poem penned by a Giant! we should see other Images than our puny Writers of Romance have conceiv'd; and a little different from the cold Tale of a late notable Author, who did not know better what to do with his Giant than to make him grow till he shook his own Castle about his own Ears."



L O N D O N, Nov. 13.

**B**Y Letters from Mittau in Courland we have Advice, that the Sieur Simolin, Counsellor of State to the Empress of Russia, and her Minister Plenipotentiary to Duke Ernest John of Courland, being returned there from Peterburgh the 9th of September, had, Two Days after, published a Declaration of her Imperial Majesty, on the Subject of the Diffensions which still subsist between the said Prince and Part of the Noblesse of the Dutchy. This Piece is dated the 30th of Sept. 1766, and contains the following Passages:

"THE Empress having, since her Accession to the Throne, propos'd as an invariable Rule the employing all the Forces which God has entrusted her with, for the Maintenance of the interior Tranquility, as well general as particular, of the States bordering on her Empire, with whom she has common and intimate Ties of Interest, her Majesty cannot permit the Troubles in Courland, or the extravagant Conduct of the Ill-affected in that Dutchy any longer to subsist. Consequently she finds herself oblig'd to use serious Means, capable of preventing the total Subversion of the Country. 'Tis from this Motive, worthy of her greatness of Soul, that her Majesty thinks it proper and necessary for the Public Good to order her Minister of State, Simolin, to signify to the Nobles and States of the Dutchy, principally to those who persevere in their Obstinacy and Disobedience:

"That her Imperial Majesty cannot consent that the Officers, dismissed from their Employment, shall be reinstated, or even indemnified, as they drew upon themselves that Disgrace by their Stubborness and Disobedience, and only met with what they justly merited. That in case all those who have participated, or still participate, in the Troubles and Disorders of their Country, do not repent of their Faults, abstain from Sedition, cooperate incessantly to the Re-establishment of the interior Tranquility and Concord, take the Oaths of Fidelity and Submission to the Duke, and behave themselves like true and good Sons of the Country, in Four Weeks, reckoning from the Day of the Publication of the present Declaration, her Majesty is firmly resolv'd to cause a Body of her Troops to march into Courland, to live at Discretion on the Lands and Estates of the Ill-affected, till such Time as Tranquility and Union shall be perfectly Re-established in the Country.

"All those, therefore, whom this Declaration concerns, will do well to avert, from themselves and their Country, the Effects of the just Displeasure of her Imperial Majesty, in giving Proofs of a speedy Repentance, and Obedience, whereby they will render themselves worthy of her Favour and high Protection.

"Finally, her Majesty, to convince the Noblesse and States of the Country, how much she is ready to prefer Mildness to Severity, has charged her Minister, if they seem earnestly to desire an Accommodation, to assist therein and contribute all in his Power to re-unite their Minds during the prescribed Term: If not, he has Orders to accomplish the present Declaration of her Majesty without Delay, and without any Exception of Persons, and to follow punctually her high Intentions."

A Letter from Italy, dated Oct. 30, says, "I hinted to you in my last of my Intentions, making

a Tour to Corfica: I have since put them into Execution. I had a most agreeable Journey, and pass'd eight Days at Corte with General Paoli,— This is really the most extraordinary Person I ever met with; he is above all Praise, his Age is 82, his Person graceful, and his Address extremely polite. He is learned in the ancient and modern Languages, has a Fund of Knowledge that would astonish you, and so happy a Memory, that you cannot quote any Passage out of any Writer of Reputation, which he is not able to go on with. He has suffer'd much in his Health by the vast Fatigue and Anxiety which he has undergoe; and he mentioned to me, that he can even feel a sensible Decay in his Faculties. However he is still of so superior a Class, that I am persuas'd you would be charm'd with the Knowledge of him. Corte is in the Centre of the Island, amongst almost impassible Mountains, and has much the Air of an old Grecian Town."

BRIDGE-TOWN, (Barbados) Dec. 29.

On Saturday Evening last, between the Hours of 9 and 10 o'Clock, a Fire broke out in a Store situated to the Windward of the Dwelling-House of Mr. Paul Bedford and Co. the Flames communicated themselves to the said Dwelling-House, from thence to the Buildings of Gedney Clarke, Esq; and took their Course all the Way to the Stepping Stones Wharf. On the other Hand (notwithstanding the Wind was very high, and blew from the North-east) it took its Course up one Side of the Green, carrying before it every Building from that of John Hall, Esq; to that of Mr. Duncan, near the Church, including, in the Destruction, the House tenanted by Irenæus Moe, Esq; To mention the exact Number of Buildings destroyed by this Fire is impossible at present, but according to Computation upwards of Forty principal Dwelling-Houses, besides Stores, have fallen a Sacrifice to the Flames. To what Means this unhappy Accident was owing, is very uncertain; but such is now our miserable Situation, that those very Stores which providentially escap'd the late dreadful Conflagration, and whose humane Owners contributed so much to the Relief of the poor Sufferers thereby, are now destroyed, and with them almost every Lumber-Yard in Town. In short, Words can but faintly convey an Idea of the Distresses of the Inhabitants, whose Lamentations pierc'd the Air, and must have drawn forth Pity from the most obdurate Heart.

By Capt. Styles, from Anguilla, we are inform'd, that on the first Instant the Sloop Bee, William Robertson Master, from South-Carolina, was run over the Reef, and still lies there. They report that the Master was drowned, but there is great Reason to believe both he and the Mate were murdered. She was loaded in Charles-Town by Col. Laurence, and is said to belong to John Tarleton, of Liverpool, and bound to Grenada.

St. GEORGE'S-TOWN, (Granada) October 25, 1766.

This Island, whose happy Situation has hitherto screen'd it from those Accidents, which lately befall almost all the neighbouring ones, was on the 21st Instant expos'd to very great Danger, by the most alarming Earthquake that has been felt for many Years. It began about 5 o'Clock in the Morning, and continued without Intermision for above 2 Minutes, in a Direction from about S. E. to N. W. a Duration of which perhaps there is hardly an Example. However, very providentially, no Damage has happened in Town; but the Country has not escap'd so well, as several Stone Buildings on many Estates, particularly to Windward, have been shattered, and others have lost their Roofs. On the 24th at Night, Two smart Shocks were felt here, without doing any Hurt. They write from St. Vincent and Coracos, that it was also felt in both these Islands at the very Moment it happened here; but the Accounts received from Trinidad, by a Launch which arriv'd Yesterday, are truly dreadful, the Description they give of it is beyond Conception. They alledge the Face of the Island is totally changed, whole Mountains being levelled, and that the Earth was so strongly agitated, as to make it impossible to stand on one's Feet.

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**ROSEAU, (in Dominica) Nov. 12.**  
By a State of the Damages which were done by the Hurricane at Martinico, in the Night of the 13th of August, lately delivered into the General of that Island, by the Commandant of each Quarter, it appears that Six Churches were destroyed, Four lost their Roofs; 57 Whites were killed, 150 drowned, and 53 wounded; 148 Negroes killed, and 416 wounded; 709 Houses destroyed, and 705 lost their Roofs; 81 Sugar-works, 101 Curing-houses, 78 Still-houses, 95 Mills, 302 Coffee-houses, 245 Fuel-houses, and 6751 Negroe-houses blown down; 62323 Loaves, and 60 Barrels of Sugar lost; 69 Snows, Brigs, Sloops or Schooners, drove ashore, and lost, 18 Pettiaugres, and 27 Canoe Passengers, destroyed.

**CHARLES-TOWN, (South-Carolina) Dec. 23.**  
By Capt. Henderson, from Pensacola, we learn that a most terrible Hurricane was felt there on the 22d of October, which had done much Damage as well on Shore as in the Harbour: That the Gale began at E. S. E. was extremely violent, from about 10 o'Clock at Night till 6 in the Morning, when, the Wind shifting to the W. S. W. it abated. That only four Vessels rode it out, not without receiving some Damage; and all the rest were driven ashore, viz. The Brig Rebecca, Robert Craig, Master, from this Port; a Brig from the Bay of Honduras, belonging to Jamaica, four of whose Hands, and the Owner's Son, were drowned; four Schooners and one Sloop, all of which were entirely lost, except one of the Schooners (a Man of War's Tender) that was likely to be got off. That the 2d Infant, his Majesty's Ship the Ferret, commanded by Capt. Murray, came in there from a Cruise, entirely dismasted: And that five very rich Spanish Galleons, from La Vera Cruz, bound for Havanna and Old Spain, were drove on shore in the Bay of St. Bernard, W. and S. of Pensacola, some Time before the Hurricane of the 22d of October, to whose Relief a Vessel had been sent from New-Orleans, but was supposed to be lost; whereupon the Adventure Man of War, commanded by Capt. Fitzherbert, sailed from Pensacola the 11th of November, to give them all possible Assistance.

**BOSTON, January 29.**  
This Morning the Gaol in this Town was discovered to be on Fire; it is apprehended two Criminals that were confined for stealing of Leather, &c. at Roxbury, perpetrated this Crime, they having escaped before the Discovery; and a Hole was found burnt in the Floor over their Room, into the Chamber through which they made their Escape.

**PROVIDENCE, January 10.**  
On the Evening of the 8th Instant was married, Mr. John Taylor of Johnston, to Mrs. Anne Kelson of this Town. This venerable Pair, whose Ages amount to 161 Years, (i. e. 89 by 72) promises little Hopes of Success in the more common Effects of the matrimonial State.

**NEW-YORK, February 9.**  
Lately died at Groton, in the County of New-London, Mr. Edward Ashley, in the 108th Year of his Age: He retained his Reason, and the Use of his Limbs well, 'till a few Days before his Death.

**PHILADELPHIA, February 2.**  
Last Week Colonel George Croghan arrived here from the Illinois, by the Way of New-Orleans, Pensacola, and New-York.—And we have the Pleasure of informing our Readers, that this Gentleman has not only happily confirmed the Peace he made the Year before, with the numerous Tribes which compose the Western Confederacy; but he has adjusted, on Terms very beneficial to His Majesty's Interest, the great Contest which subsisted between the Northern and Western Confederacy.

**ANNAPOLIS, February 19.**  
Sunday Evening last, between X and XI o'Clock, we were alarm'd with the Cry of Fire, in a new Brick House in South-East-Street; but it was quench'd without much Damage. The Fire was occasioned by a Fault in the Hearth, and the Smoke wak'd the Family.

To-morrow the Commissioners appointed for Paying off the Public Claims, will begin Payment.  
*This GAZETTE, No. 1119, begins the Year with all my Customers.*

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 2d Day of March Court, at the House of Mr. Adams, in Annapolis, for ready Cash.

TWO NEGRO WOMEN, one with Child, and a Child. They understand Household Work.

ELIZABETH MOSS.

**JUST IMPORTED, from LONDON,**  
in the Ship Lord Cambden, Capt. Johnston, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store at Elk-Ridge Landing, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, Tobacco, Wheat, Corn, Rye, Beans, or short Credit,

**A LARGE Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS;** among which are the following Articles,—Ofsnabrigs, Hempen Roles;  $\frac{2}{3}$  and  $\frac{1}{2}$  brown, white, and Russia Sheeting;  $\frac{1}{2}$  Ell Russia Linen; brown and white Silefias;  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{3}{8}$ , and Yard wide, fine and coarse Irish Linens; Russia Drab;  $\frac{1}{2}$  Dowlas; striped Cotton and Silk Gingham; corded and flowered Dimothy; white Callico;  $\frac{1}{2}$  Cuffares, striped Muffin Handkerchiefs; striped Lawn, and bordered Ditto; striped and spotted Linen Handkerchiefs; Bandano, Luteftring, Rosslett, Culgee, and Barcelona Silk Handkerchiefs; a Variety of low priced Purple, Light and Dark grounded Callicoes; Light, Red, Pompadour, Purple, and Black grounded Chintz; Printed Linens; Yard wide, and  $\frac{1}{2}$  Muffin; Kenting and Holland Lawn, spotted and clear Ditto; Cambricks; Cyprus, striped, & flowered Gauze; dark-brown, light-blue, green, and black Persians;  $\frac{3}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$ , and  $\frac{1}{4}$  superfine Diaper Table-Cloths;  $\frac{1}{2}$  Linen Check;  $\frac{3}{4}$  Yard wide, and  $\frac{1}{2}$  Cotton Ditto; Cotton Hollands; white and dyed Jeans;  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{3}{4}$ , and  $\frac{1}{2}$  Bed Bunts; Half Ell Bolster Tick; Olive colour'd Manchester Velvet; Tammies; Durants; superfine Scarlet, and Crimfon Rattennets; Starrets; Barleycorns; Diamontee; fashionable Mecklenburgh; Callimancoes; Dorsetteen; brown and blue Camblets, fine Serge-Denim; coloured and black Crape; Bombazeen; Double Allopeen; Hatband Crape; Callimanco quilted Petticoats; Velvet Hoods; Messinet; Silveret, and fashionable brocaded Poplin; white and green Welch Cotton; white Kerseys; Bearskins; Frize; Ratteens; Halfhicks; Forrest Cloth; Devonshire Kersey; German Serge; striped Lincey; Embossed Serge; white Swanskin; striped Duffie Blankets; double-mill'd Drab Cloth; Variety of fine and superfine Broadcloths; Wilton Cloth; fine and superfine Sagathies, and Duroys; light colour'd Hair Shag, long pile Crimfon Ditto; Cloth colour'd and Scarlet Womens Cloaks; Sewing Silk; Scarf and Mohair Twist; Coat Binding; Balendine; brown, whited brown, Scotch, Nuns, & Cambrick Threads; Holland, Diaper, Manchester & Dresden Tape; Bobbing; Dutch Pritties; Quality Binding; Gartering; Thread and Silk Laces; Ferrit; Galloon; Padufoy, Sattin, figured, striped, and plain Ribbon; Gimp; Cap Wire; Womens Silk Mitts; Pins; Wax Necklaces; Mother-of-Pearl Necklaces, and Bar-Rings; Ivory, Bone, and Crape Fans; Womens plain and laced Silk Bonnets; superfine fashionable colour'd Luteftring Ditto; black Silk, and Velvet Ditto; Whitechapel Needles; Candle Wick;  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{3}{4}$  spotted Rugs;  $\frac{1}{2}$  Worsted Ditto;  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{3}{4}$ , and  $\frac{1}{2}$  Bed Blankets;  $\frac{1}{2}$  Calicoe Quilts; Hylon, Green, and Bohea Tea; Double and Single Refined Sugar; Pepper, Pimento, Salt-Petre, Ginger, Epsom Salts, Nutmegs, Cloves, Mace, Cinnamon, Rofin, Allom, Indigo, Fig and Powder Blue; Mens, Womens, and Youths Worsted, Thread, and Cotton Hofs; Worsted Breeches Patterns; Womens Callimanco, Spanish Leather, and Leather Shoes and Pumps; Mens, and Youths, plain and bound Shoes and Pumps; Single Channel Boots; Wax Skins, Ben Leather Soles; Womens Kid Gloves and Mitts; Girls and Womens Lamb, Sattin Lamb, wash, and black Gloves and Mitts; Mens black stitched Dogskin, white Lamb, and welted Buck Gloves; Womens and Girls Stays; Boys and Mens Felt Hats; Boys and Mens plain and laced Castor Hats; Table Knives and Forks, Heel Knives, Pocket Knives and Forks, Clasp and Pen Knives; common and best London Sciffars; Taylor's, and small Shears; common and best London Razors; Steel, White Metal, Pinchbeck, Mourning, plated Silver, and solid Silver Buckles; large Steel Knee Buckles; Bristol Stone Stock Buckles, Sleeve Buttons, Bosom Buckles, and Stay Hooks; Tea Tongs & Spoons; Awl Blades and Tacks; Horn Combs; Sleeve Buttons, Pearl Breast Buttons, flat and capt Metal Coat and Breast Buttons; double gilt, plain, and wrought Ditto; black Glass Ditto; Ivory and Dandriff Combs; Horn Moulds; Kirby Hooks; Perch Lines; Japanned, Silver mounted Tortifeshell, and Enamell'd Snuff-Boxes; Silver, Steel, and Brass Thimbles; Bone and Ivory Nutmeg-Graters; Steel Watch Keys and Chains, Steel Spring Spurs; Oil Gun-Flints; Temple and Common Spectacles; Gold Hatbands, with Bristol Stone Buckles; Mahogany Frame, and Dutch Looking-Glasses; 6 Quire Ledgers, and Journals,

bound in Rough Calf and Letter'd; red and black Ink-Powder; Writing Paper, Bibles, Testaments, Prayer Books, Pfalters, Whole Duty of Man, Memorandum Books; 2 d. 3 d. 4 d. 6 d. 8 d. 10 d. 12 d. 20 d. 24 d. and 30 d. Nails; Saddlers Tacks; Hob Nails, broad Hoes, Iron Traces, Pot Hooks, Shutter Bolts, Crofs Garnet, Side, and HL Hinges; Pad, Cup-board, Chest, and Stock Locks; Iron bound Ditto, with Brads Knobs; Box Irons and Heaters; Thumb Latches; Plane Irons; Compasses; all Sorts of Chizels; Augres, Steel Plate Hand Saws, Whip, Crofs Cut, Handfaw, and Smiths Files; Farriers Rasps; Scythes; compleat Sets of Shoemakers Tools; Steel Spades; Iron Pots; Blister Steel; Grindstones; Mens and Womens high and low priced Saddles; Womens superfine Cloth Saddle Covers, laced and fringed with double Furniture; plain and fringed Houfings; Saddle-Cloths; Snaffle, Half-Kirb, Whole-Kirb, Pelham & Weymouth Bridles; Surcingles, Stirrup Leathers, Switch, Half and Whole Hunting Whips; China Tea Cups and Saucers, Coffee Ditto, Chocolate Ditto, Custard Cups and Bowls; all Kinds of Glass, Stone, and Earthen Ware; Copper Tea Kettles; Brass and Iron Candlesticks; Bell-metal Skillets, Mortars and Pestles; Warming Pans; Pewter Dishes, Plates, Porringers, & Bafons; Guns, and Gun Locks; Mahogany Tea Chests, Tea Boards, and Hand Waiters; Glass Castors, or Cruet Frames; Mops, Scrubbing Brushes, Clamp Cloth Brushes, Brooms, Shoe Brushes, Hearth Brooms; Shoe Lasts, Shoe Heels; Blacking Ball; Hair and Lawn Sifters; Wool Cards; F and FF Gunpowder; Shot and Bar Lead; painted Tin Sugar Boxes; Funnels, Sauce Pans, Cullenders; gilt Trunks, snuff, &c. &c.

(3<sup>w</sup>) JOHN DORSEY.  
N. B. I have a few Boxes of CHINA, amount about 25 l. Cost, each, Consisting of low priced Blue and White, and Ennamell'd, Tea, Coffee and Chocolate Cups and Saucers, Custard Cups and Bowls, which I will sell at a very small Advance, by the Box.

February 14, 1767.  
ON the Eleventh Day of October, 1764, I notified in the *MARLAND GAZETTE*, That I had conveyed, by Deeds of Lease and Release, all my real and personal Estate, by Assignment, and invested WALTER DULANY, Esq; with the sole Disposal thereof, as Trustee, for the Use and Benefit of my Creditors; provided they would come into a Composition, to have the same distributed according to their respective Claims, and give me an absolute Discharge therefrom; which Advertisement my said Creditors have not thought fit to take any Notice of. This is therefore once more to let them know, that upon their entering into the Composition, and giving the Discharge abovementioned, my said Trustee will immediately expose to sale, by Way of Public Vendue, all my Estate real and personal, and distribute the Money arising therefrom, in just equal Proportions, among my said Creditors. If it were in my Power, I would pay to the last Farthing, but, as it is not, I think myself bound by all the Ties of Justice and Honour, not to give a Preference to any particular Creditor, but to satisfy all as far as I can; this Conduct I am determined to pursue, whatever the Consequence may be as to myself. W. Dulany, Esq; M. MACNEARA.

February 18, 1767.  
To be SOLD to the highest Bidder, at the Plantation of Samuel Howard, deceased, near Annapolis, on Severn-River, on Thursday the 12th of March, at 10 o'Clock, for Current Money, or good Bills of Exchange, or Bonds on Interest, with good Security,

A Parcel of fine SLAVES, consisting of Men, Women and Children, sundry Hories, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs, Household Furniture, a Parcel of Leather, and Plantation Utensils.  
SAMUEL HOWARD, } Administrators.  
JOHN HOWARD, }

Benedict, February 18, 1767.  
W A N T E D,  
ONE Hundred Tons of PIG IRON, from the Elk-Ridge or Baltimore Works, apply to Mr. Robert Couden, at Annapolis, or to the Subscriber, at Upper-Marlbrough, next March Court.  
THOMAS CAMPBELL.

TAKEN up by Cleverly Dars, at Cove-Point, Calvert County, a LONG BOAT, 15 Feet Keel, 5 Beam, Paid without with Turpentine, and within with Pitch, her Gunwales painted Red.

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HENRY MERONEY, jun. SADDLER, late from Charles-Town, South-Carolina, has now opened Shop, near the Town-Gate, Annapolis,



WHERE he makes Gentlemens full Welshed and Plain Hogskin seated Saddles, Race, Common Hunting, King's Hunting, and Breasted ditto, and Womens ditto, of all Kinds, in the newest Fashion; likewise covers Coaches, Chairs, &c. with Cloth, mends and makes all Manner of Coach and Chair Harness, Cloth and Leather Hoofs, Saddle Bags, Portmanteaus, Mail Pillions, Boot-Straps, Fire Buckets, and all Sorts of Saddle Furniture, &c. &c.

Those Gentlemen and Ladies that please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Work done in the best Manner, and with the utmost Dispatch, by Their Humble Servant, HENRY MERONEY.

N. B. He will give great Encouragement to a Saddle Tree Maker, H. M.

The following Advertisement is published exactly from the Original. What is meant by it, we know not: The Reader is to find it out, if he can.

WANTED A Groom that has been Reagarily Brought up Under a Ruing Groom or Grooms of Some Person of Note in the Racing way the Person Wanted Must be Capable of Bringing his horse in a Good Condition to the Post, and after Ride him and that Very Coole and with So much Judgment to tell his Employer Wether after a Heat is Over if he Can Cum near the Principle Favourite of the Heats to Come he shall be found all Articles for his horses that he shall want and Nothing wanting for himself Belonging to a Horseman so much as Spurs if he does but Use them where and when wanted and when That Such a Person is found that he Can Answer the Above he will have all things his own way and Great Encouragement will be given—

To Prevent Trouble none need to apply but one that Can bring his Carreter from a Sportman that he is Quiet Sober and Honest and Capable of his Business and not one of Them that Can Speake or act without first Looking to books of Bartlets or Brackens A Letter Post paid Directed to R G will be Imeadeately Answered

ANNAPOLIS, February 14, 1767.

RAN away on the second Instant, from a Plantation at the upper End of Anne-Arundel County, near Mr. Samuel Mansell's, Two Servant Men, viz.

JAMES M'DANIEL, an Irishman, lately imported, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, with dark brown Hair: Had on when he went away, a Felt Hat, old Bearskin Coat, striped double-breasted Flannel Waistcoat, a Pair of buckskin Breeches, white Yarn Stockings, Country-made Shoes, and a white Holland and Osnabrig Shirt.

JOHN NORMAN, an Englishman, about 5 Feet high, with dark brown Hair, fresh Complexion, and when spoke to, has a down-cast Look: Had on and took with him when he went away, a new Felt Hat, yellow double-breasted Cotton Jacket, two black and white striped Ditto, Leather Breeches, black Yarn Stockings, Country-made Shoes, and a white Holland and Osnabrig Shirt, with several other Things they have taken from other Servants. There are missing two Bay Horses, about 13 Hands high, one branded NH joined together, about 15 Years old; the other with a Brand unknown, about 9 Years-old, which it is supposed they have taken.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, or either of them, and secures them in any Jail, or brings them to Thomas King, Overseer at the aforesaid Plantation, or to the Subscribers, if taken in the Province, shall have THREE POUNDS Reward for each; if out, FIVE POUNDS each, and reasonable Charges, paid by

SAMUEL CHASE, PHILIP HAMMOND, Annapolis.

It is supposed they have wrote themselves Passes.

WANTED, THREE good Draught HORSES, one of them to be a dark red Bay, well Turned, and good Spirit, about 14 Hands high, and no White about him, none of them to exceed Six Years old next Spring. Any Person that hath such Horses to sell, may apply to the Printer hereof.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near Benedict-Town in Charles County, on Monday the 19th of May last, a very white, spare, slim Mulatto Woman, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, one of her fore Fingers deformed, by having the End off, and the Nail of it grows round the End, her Name is Rachel, but she has been heard to say, she has at Times changed her Name, and will endeavour to pass as a free Woman, but she is a Slave born.

Whoever brings the said Woman to the Subscriber, shall have Three Pounds Reward if taken in this Province; if taken out of the Province, FIVE POUNDS, and reasonable Charges, paid by

JOHN MORAN. All Persons are forewarn'd not to harbour or entertain her at their Peril.

CAME to the Plantation of John Moran, near Benedict-Town in Charles County, about the End of March or Beginning of April last, Two Stray Cattle, viz.

A young BULL, mark'd with a Staple Fork in the right Ear, and a Slit in the Left. The other a PYD HEIFER, unmark'd.

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

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 26th Day of February Instant, for Sterling Cash, Current Money, or good Bills of Exchange, on the Premises,

PART of a Tract of Land, called FRIEND'S CHOICE, containing 200 Acres, lying in Anne-Arundel County, near Queen-Anne, on which is an old Dwelling-house, with two Brick Chimnies, and sundry Out-houses; a good Apple and Peach Orchard, the Soil is very good and well adapted to Farming or Planting Business. For Title apply to William Wootton, the Executor. At the same Time will be Sold, sundry Plantation Utensils; Stock of Horses, Mares and Colts, Cattle, Sheep, and Hogs, Indian Corn, and Tobacco, &c. SARAH CHAPMAN, Executrix, WILLIAM T. WOOTTON, Executor.

February 12, 1767.

To be SOLD, pursuant to the Directions of the Last Will and Testament of John Ross, Esq; Deceased, the following Tracts of LAND, in Frederick County, Maryland, viz.

NEW-LONDON, containing 1360 Acres: The Main Road that leads from Frederick-Town, to Philadelphia, runs through this Tract, about 20 Miles from Frederick-Town, and 2 from Towny-Town; it is well Wooded, and extremely Level, every Acre of it being fit for Cultivation: The Soil is well adapted for Farming, being capable of producing almost every Kind of Grain. There are three or four Springs of Water, if not more, on this Tract.

THE CORNER, containing 112 Acres. ROSS'S RANGE, containing 3400 Acres. These two Tracts join to one another, and lie 5 or 6 Miles to the Northward of New-London, Great-Pipe-Creek, Bear-Branch, and The Meadow-Branch, run through them, and afford several convenient Sites for Mills; and, on the Banks of these Streams, there is a large Quantity of excellent Bottom Land, capable of either bearing Hemp, or being made into Meadow Ground. The Upland is much the same Quality with that of New-London, but more broken.

THE PLAINS, containing 50 Acres, lies on Piney-Creek, a Draught of Menocacy River. Mr. Normand Bruce, who lives in the Neighbourhood, if called upon, will shew any of the above Tracts, to such as incline to purchase.

WALNUT LEVEL, containing 390 Acres, lies about 10 Miles West from Fort-Cumberland, upon a Branch of Will's-Creek.

ROSS'S-TOWN-CREEK-LOT, containing 530 Acres, lies on Town-Creek, about 12 Miles from the Mouth of it, near a Place called, The Devil's Hole.

WINGFIELD'S DELIGHT, containing 1300 Acres, and lies on a Branch of Linganore: The Soil is, in general, good, it has plenty of both Timber and Water on it, and there is, from Appearances, great Reason to believe that it contains within it a very valuable Copper-Mine.

The Purchasers may, either, pay ready Money, or will be indulged in Time for the Payment, upon giving good Security.

The Terms may be known by applying to Dr. Upton Scott in Annapolis, who is empowered to dispose of the above Lands.

FRANCIS KEY, } Executors. U. SCOTT, }

THE PARTNERSHIP of BOYD and COMPANY, being now expired;

JOHN BOYD begs Leave to inform those Gentlemen who have formerly dealt with the Company, and Others who may incline to become his Customers, That he continues the MEDICINAL STORE, as formerly, in BALTIMORE-TOWN; Having a Small, but General Assortment of DRUGS now on Hand; and expects by the first Vessels from London, and the Streights, either to this, or the Port of Philadelphia, a large Importation of every useful Article in his Way. Their Arrival shall be made known by the Public Papers. As he purposes to Sell for the future, on Terms more advantageous to the Buyer, than his late Connections would permit. He thinks it necessary to wait on his former kind Customers, and other Gentlemen of the Faculty in the Province, as soon as possible, in order to inform them more particularly of his intended Terms.

Those Gentlemen who are indebted to the late Partnership of BOYD and COMPANY, are earnestly requested to remit their several Balances, by the most safe and speedy Conveyance, to

Their much obliged, humble Servant,

JOHN BOYD.

To be SOLD on reasonable Terms, and on 6 or 12 Months Credit, if required, paying Interest,



THE Brig MARIA, with her Tackle and Apparel, as she came lately from Sea; She is a very good, strong, tight, double-deck'd Vessel, about 4 Years old, has been very well kept, and was well built with good Materials, and will carry

4500 Bushels of Grain in her Hold, and a good deal between Decks, is now lying at Chester-Town, where any Person wanting to purchase such a Vessel may see her, and treat with

THOMAS RINGGOLD, & Co.

Who also have for Sale, Best Sun Raisins by the Keg, best Gloucester Cheese, and British Beer and Cyder.



THE Ship BRITANNIA, Capt. ROBERT CLARKE, now lying at Chester-Town, and bound to Barbados, will take in Indian Corn at 9d. per Bushel Freight, and Bread and Flour at Three Pounds per Ton, delivered along Side before the

6th of March next. She will certainly sail by that Time.

She brought in a Quantity of Choice old Barbados RUM, which we will exchange by the Hoghead, a Gallon for a Bushel of Good Indian Corn, delivered along Side the said Ship before the above Time, and will sell it very cheap for ready Cash, or Flour.

THOMAS RINGGOLD, & Co.

Chester-Town, Feb. 2, 1767.

To be SOLD at Public Vendue, to the Highest Bidder, pursuant to the Last Will of James Calder, Deceased; on the Tenth-Day of April next, for either Pennsylvania Currency, or Bills of Exchange,

FIFTEEN Hundred Acres of well Timbered LAND, lying in Kent County, Maryland, and situated between the Rivers of Chester and Sassafras, and within 16 Miles of Duck-Creek Landing.

The aforesaid Land will be Sold, as may be most agreeable to the Purchasers, either in Lots of 200 or 300 Acres, or larger Quantities.

The Sale will be held at a House on the Premises, within about a Mile of Mr. Dennis Dulany's Dwelling-house.

Credit will be given for one Half the Purchase Money, on giving Security if required, and Payment of Interest.

Any Person inclinable to treat for any of the aforesaid Land, before the Day of Sale, may be informed of the Terms, by applying to Mr. Dennis Dulany, Mr. James M'Laclan, Doctor John Scott, Mr. Alexander Calder, or the Subscriber, in Chester-Town.

The Title is indisputable.

MARY CAEDER, Executrix of Capt. James Calder, deceased.

STRAY'D from the Subscriber's Plantation, on Bush-Creek, in Frederick County, the 15<sup>th</sup> of January last, Three Mares, viz.

An Iron Grey, about 14 or 15 Hands high, has no Brand, but Dock'd pretty short, and hath had her Tail fallen. The other Two are small Dark Bays, one of them Branded on the near Buttock H T the wrong Way, has a Snip on her Nose, and had a small Bell on, mark'd with I. R. in a Heart. The other not Branded, nor Dock'd farther than the Ham.

Whoever will deliver the said Mares to Mr. Benjamin Johnson, near Calvert Court-House, to Thomas Johnson, junr. in Annapolis, or to the Subscriber, at his Plantation, shall have a Dollar for each.

JAMES JOHNSON.

N. B. If any Person will secure the above Strays in any Inclosure, and give Information to either of those Gentlemen, they will be immediately sent for, and the Person handsomely Rewarded for his Trouble, with Thanks.

ANNAPOLIS, February 5, 1767.

I Take this Method of returning my most sincere and hearty Thanks, to all my good Customers, both in Town and Country, who have been pleased to favour me with their Children, during my Residence in Annapolis; and hereby inform them, that I shall teach School in Town no longer than Saturday 14th Instant; and I humbly hope, those who now Honour me with their Children, will excuse me for declining my School, because my Interest calls me another Way: And all those who have any Demands against me are desired to send, or bring in their Accounts, that they may be paid; and those who are indebted to me, are desired to make Payment as soon as possible: Their complying with this, will add to the Obligations already conferred on, Their most obedient, Much obliged, Very humble Servant,

W. HUTCHINGS.

N. B. I have some very good Books of the Mathematicks, and some Mathematical Instruments, which I will dispose of at reasonable Prices.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

ABOUT Two Hundred and Forty or Fifty Bushels of Wheat, for ready Cash only, and will deliver it either at his Landing, on South-River, or Road-River, just as it may suit the Purchaser.

NICHOLAS GASSAWAY.

January 29, 1767.

ALL Persons indebted to the Subscriber, late Sheriff of Anne-Arundel County, are desired to make Payment.—Those who do not come and settle their Accounts, either by Note or otherways, will be Sued or Warranted, without Respect to Persons, or further Notice.

(3<sup>rd</sup>) JOSEPH GALLOWAY.

New-Port, in Charles County, Jan. 9, 1767.

RAN away from the Subscriber, the 24<sup>th</sup> Day of December last, a Mulatto Man Slave, called Stephen, by Trade a House-Carpenter, he can work pretty well as a Wheel-Wright, Sawyer, or tight Cooper, is about 35 Years of Age, 6 Feet 1 or 2 Inches high, a long Face, thin jaw'd, a small Scar on one of his Cheeks, I believe the Right, and several Scars on his Legs, cut with Edge Tools, he can play on the Fiddle, is a very sensible, cunning Fellow, and if taken will endeavour to make his Escape. Had on when he went away, a light coloured Kersey Jacket, Cotton Breeches, Country made Shoes and Stockings, and an Osnabrigs Shirt. It is imagined he has changed his Cloaths, and got a Pass.

Whoever takes up the said Slave, and secures him in any Jail, or brings him to his Master, shall have a Reward of Six Dollars, if taken in Charles County; if taken in St. Mary's, or Prince-George's, Six Dollars, beside what the Law allows; if in any other County, Twelve Dollars; or, if out of the Province, Twenty Dollars, and reasonable Charges if brought home, paid by

(8<sup>th</sup>) LEONARD BOARMAN.

W A N T E D,

A YOUNG MAN, well Qualified for Tending a COFFEE-HOUSE in this City: Such an one will meet with good Encouragement. Enquire of the Printer hereof.

ANNAPOLIS, January 19, 1767.

Pursuant to the Directions of the Last Will and Testament of Edmund Key, Esq; Deceased, the following Tracts of Land will be Sold to the Highest Bidder, at Public Vendue, on the Third Wednesday in March next, precisely at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, MARYLAND, viz.

PARADISE, containing Three Hundred and Thirty-five Acres. GOOD HOPE, containing Three Hundred Acres. And FRIENDSHIP, containing Two Hundred and Six Acres. These Three Tracts almost join one another; one of them binds upon Patowmack; and all of them lie betwixt Great Conococheague and Little Conococheague Rivers. They will be sold for Ready Cash, or Six Months Credit will be given, on proper Security.

U. SCOTT, Executor.

January 21, 1767.

By Virtue of a Deed of Trust, made in the Lifetime of the Deceased Mr. Samuel Chapman, to the Subscriber, for the Purposes therein mentioned, will be SOLD by Public Vendue, on Thursday the 26th of February next, at the Plantation near Queen-Anne, where the Deceased Mr. Chapman lately lived,

A PARCEL of about Twenty-eight likely Country-born SLAVES, Men, Women, and Children. Also Two Tracts of Land, viz. One Tract of LAND called Rowedown's Security, lying on the North Side of Patuxent River, almost opposite to Queen-Anne, said by the Deed to contain Eight Hundred and One Acres, more or less, having on it a Negro Quarter, with Tobacco-House, and other Improvements. One other Tract called Ratberry, containing about Sixty-five Acres, more or less, adjoining or lying contiguous to Rowedown's Security. The Sale will be for Sterling Money, or good Bills of Exchange, with Indorsers, if required; but other Current Money, and the Money to be emitted in Virtue of the late Act of Assembly, will be taken in Payment, at an Exchange to be fix'd on at the Day of Sale. As the Days are short, the Sale will begin Half an Hour after Ten o'Clock at farthest.—Mr. Anthony Stewart will attend and conduct the Sale, in Case of the Absence of the Subscriber. For any farther Information of Title, or Terms of Sale, apply to

JAMES DICK, Trustee.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, very cheap, for ready Money, or short Credit,

CHOICE Lisbon Wine, by the Quarter Cask, exceeding fine White Wine Vinegar, and best Batavia Arrack, by the Gallon or larger Quantity.

RALPH FORSTER.

N. B. He has likewise amongst a great Variety of dry Goods, a new Seine, Forty five Fathoms long, and otherwise calculated for the Patuxent Herring Fishery.

JUST IMPORTED in the Leeds, Capt. Anderson, from LONDON, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at the House of Jonathan Pinkney in ANNAPOLIS,

A NEAT Assortment of superfine CLOTHS, with Trimmings suitable for the same, the best four Thread black Breeches Patterns, Gold and Silver Basket Buttons, and Gold Binding, green and white corded Silk for Waistcoats; likewise, a choice Collection of Turkey Burdets and Damascus, for Summer Waistcoats.

ROBERT PINKNEY.

LEFT with William Digges on Patowmack,

A CASK, mark'd thus N -- F, containing Tea-Kettles, &c. &c. The Owner is desired to prove his Property, pay Charges, and take it away.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC SALE, on Wednesday the 4th Day of March next, at JOFFA,

A GREAT Variety of the very best Kind of Household and Kitchen FURNITURE, consisting of every Thing necessary for a genteel Family. Likewise a very good CHAISE, with a Bellows Top, and Harness for two Horses; a Single CHAIR, on Steel Springs, entirely new, without Harness; two very good CARTS and GEERS, with sundry Plantation UTENSILS. And a likely young NEGRO Fellow. And,

On the Friday following will be Sold, on the Premises, to the Highest Bidder, pursuant to the Last Will and Testament of Mr. David McCulloch, Deceased,—His late Dwelling-House and Lot in Joppa, with sundry other Lots, sufficiently described in the Maryland Gazette, N<sup>o</sup>. 1101, to N<sup>o</sup>. 1105. Also Two TRACTS of LAND, adjoining each other, lying within three Miles of Joppa, and containing Three Hundred Acres.

For Terms of Sale, apply to the Executor at ANNAPOLIS, or to Mr. Charles Lin at JOFFA. The Sale of the Furniture will continue from Day to Day, until all is sold.

ANTHONY STEWART, Executor, (6<sup>th</sup>) MARY McCULLOCH, Executrix.

N. B. Bills of Credit to be emitted by Act of Assembly, will be taken as any other Currency, in Payment for the Furniture; and for the Houses and Land, at an Exchange to be agreed on at the Day of Sale.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Thursday the 26th Day of February Inst. at the House of Mr. Henry James, in Baltimore-Town, for Current Money, or good Bills of Exchange,

A TRACT of LAND lying on the Great Falls of Gunpowder, and about 12 Miles from Baltimore-Town, called Cubb Hills, containing about 900 Acres, the greatest Part of which is as good as any in the Country, proper for either Farming or Plantation Business. There is about 200 Acres cleared, with a Dwelling House, and convenient Out Houses thereon, an Orchard of choice Fruit Trees, 2 or 3 good Streams, and convenient Situation for a Furnace, &c. The whole is well Timbered, and remarkably healthy. Also another Tract in said County, called Tibbi's United Inheritance, lying on Middle River Neck, containing by Patent 640 Acres, chiefly surrounded with Water, is very well Timbered, and has good Improvements thereon. With very little Expence, this Land may be made as good a Farm as any upon the Continent, and produce considerable Profit to any Person who would give their Attention to the Improvement of Land; besides it is remarkable for the Great Rock Fishery, and wild Fowl, in the proper Season.

About 50 Acres of Land adjoining to Baltimore-Town, which will be sold together, or in Parcels of 4 or 5 Acres, as is most suitable and agreeable to those who want to purchase.

The noted and well known Tavern where Mr. Fogg formerly lived, and is now kept by Mr. Henry James.

The House and Lot formerly belonging to Thomas Clendening.

Also the House, and Part of the Lot, late the Property of James Bonfield.

THOMAS SLIGN.

MARYLAND, January 13, 1767.

THE Subscribers continue to carry on their DISTILLERY at Baltimore-Town, where their Friends and Customers may depend on being constantly supply'd, on the most reasonable Terms, with the best AMERICAN RUM made on the Continent; for which they will take Payment in Bar Iron, Flour, Pork, Wheat, Rye, Indian Corn, Pine Boards, Shingles, Heading, Pipe, Hoghead, or Barrel Staves, if made according to the Philadelphia Staves, and cull'd. They have also to dispose of for Cash, or Bills of Exchange, best West-India Rum, Molasses by the Hoghead or Tierce, Muscovado and Loaf Sugars in Barrels, best New-England Mackrel and Fish Oil.

SAMUEL and ROBERT PURVIANCE. (4<sup>th</sup>)

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[XXII<sup>d</sup> Year.]

THURSDAY, February 26, 1767.

[N<sup>o</sup>. 1120.]

R O M E, October 18.

**T**HE Paper War here is carried on with as much Vehemence as ever between the Jesuits and their Adversaries, which last, believe me, are neither weak nor despicable; and moreover that his Holiness and his Court are under no small Trepidation for the Interests of his dear Children in Spain, lest that Court should follow the Examples of the Courts of France and Portugal, for it is certain some unlucky Steps are already taken in Spain, which carry very much that Appearance; and as to the young Chevalier de St. George, whom I have mentioned in some of my former Letters since my Arrival here, his chief Residence is still at Albano, where he takes the Diversions of the Season with his Attendants, which I am assured consist of three British Gentlemen and his Secretary, all Protestants, which I presume will afford the Bigots here but little Pleasure, nor will it strengthen his Interest in the Pope's Court, which it is believed he has Sense enough to despise, though it be generally thought his Finances are low enough.

*Stockholm, November 4.* The Princess Royal has made her Public Entry this Morning, and the Marriage Ceremony is to be performed at Seven o'Clock this Evening in the Chapel Royal.

**L O N D O N, November 6.**  
This Day the Right Hon. Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great-Britain, went in grand Procession, attended by several of the Great Officers of State, the Judges, &c. &c. from his House in Lincoln's-Inn-Fields to Westminster-Hall, and opened the Court wherein his Lordship doth worthily presides.

*Nov 14.* On the 22d of last Month a Foreign Gentleman, who is out of his Senses, took an Opportunity in the Minorities of slipping away from a Surgeon of a Ship, who had the Care of him from Constantinople, and was conducting him to his Friends, and although he was advertised constantly in the Papers, with a very minute Description of his Person and Dress, though he could not speak a Word of English, nor had any Money in his Pocket, and though several People were traversing the Town in Search of him, yet no Tidings could be had of him before Tuesday Morning last; when his Brother passing over Westminster Bridge, fortunately perceived him sitting down, in a very dirty, melancholy, starving Condition. He was conducted home to his Friends, but could give no Account where he had been, how he subsisted, or what was become of a Gold Watch which he had in his Pocket when his Conductor lost him.

From the House of Correction in Surry, we are informed, that one of the most Wonderful Lyings-in that ever was known or heard of, is shortly expected to happen there; a young Man, one of the Prisoners, being big with Child: This is verified by the Oath of a young Woman, who, it seems, is the Father of the Child. For the Truth of this, we refer to an Article in the last Printed Kalendar of the Prisoners in the House of Correction in Southwark, which runs in these Words: "Edmund Mitchell, committed the 11th of June, 1766, by the Rev. Thomas Ellis, Clerk, he being charged on the Oath of Elizabeth Edwards, of the Parish of Nutfield, in this County, single Woman, with being with Child; and that the said Child is likely to be Born a Bastard, and to be chargeable to the said Parish of Nutfield." [Perhaps the Parson who committed him is an old Woman.]

*Nov. 26.* A Plan for a new Town is already drawn, which is to consist of 1500 Houses, built of an equal Height, and in the most regular Manner. This Town is to be built on the Left of Sooter's Hill in Kent, in a circular Form, with a noble Assembly Room in the Middle, and is to be called New Plumstead; and, when finished, it is supposed will be the most beautiful Thing of its Kind in Europe, as it commands a most delightful Prospect for many Miles over the River Thames, and Springs of Water are even with the Ground.

The Eagle, Sugars, from Dublin to Parkgate, with General Stanwix and Family, and other Passengers, is supposed to be lost.

The Lords Justices of Ireland issued a Proclamation the 23d ult. in Consequence of a Memorial

from the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of Cork, representing, "That several large Quantities of Potatoes have been lately shipped in the Port of Cork for foreign Parts, whereby the Price of Potatoes in that City had been greatly advanced, and that they had strong Reasons to imagine that there will be Orders for shipping from that Kingdom such Quantities of Potatoes, as will distress the Poor thereof in the highest Degree; and that by the great Failure in the Growth of Wheat, Barley, and Oats, in that Kingdom this Year, the lower Clafs of People must receive their principal Support the ensuing Winter, Spring, and Summer, from the Potatoes of the Produce of this Year." In order to prevent the Distress which may be apprehended to the poorer Sort of People of that Kingdom, by the Exportation of Potatoes, they do strictly prohibit and forbid the Exportation of Potatoes out of all the Ports in the Kingdom.

*Nov. 29.* Yesterday the Duke of Portland resigned his Place as Lord Chamberlain of his Majesty's Household.

The same Day the Earl of Hertford resigned his Place of Master of the Horse; and afterwards kissed his Majesty's Hand on being appointed Lord Chamberlain, in the Room of the Duke of Portland.

It is said that the Duke of Richmond will this Day be appointed Master of the Horse, in the Room of the Earl of Hertford.

Yesterday the Earl of Besborough resigned his Place of Post-Master General.

The same Day Sir Charles Saunders resigned his Place as First Lord of the Admiralty.

The Earl of Scarborough also resigned his Place of Cofferer of his Majesty's Household, and Deputy Earl Marshal of England. As did Lord Monson his Place of Lord Chief Justice in Byre of his Majesty's Forests South of Trent.

We hear that on Tuesday and Wednesday a Deputation of Millers, Mealmen, &c. waited on the principal Nobility and Gentry in the Administration, with a Memorial, praying to have the same Bounty allowed on Flour as on Wheat, to the great Benefit of the Manufacturers of this Nation; when they were received with that Condescension and Attention which this worthy Administration have ever shown to the Manufactures of Great-Britain.

Yesterday the Duke of York had a numerous and splendid Levee at his House in Pall-Mall, where it is said two illustrious Foreigners, lately arrived at this Court, attended.

Yesterday Se'nnight two Italian Princes arrived in Town, who it is said had the Honour of entertaining his Royal Highness the Duke of York when on his Travels through Italy, and are now come on Purpose to visit him and the British Court.

Orders are received at Toulon to fit out there the Spy Felucca, on board of which 2 Lieutenant Generals of the French King's Naval Forces are to embark, in order to visit all the Coasts of France, from Marcellles to the Mouth of the Rhone.

*Dec. 2.* Most, if not all, of the Resignations mentioned in the public Papers, have been made, as perhaps some more will be; but we are well assured that the pretended Offers made of those Employments to others, and their Rejections of those Offers, are impertinent and groundless Falsehoods, and of course Impositions on the Public.

It is said that the Attention of the Ministry will be employed principally this Session in regulating for the future the Price of Corn and Provisions, and for preventing the monopolizing and engrossing those Necessaries of Life.

Letters from Copenhagen, dated the 18th ult. inform that their Majesties, the King and Queen of Denmark, are in perfect Health; and that the Prince of Hesse Cassel, on the 16th ult. gave a grand Entertainment and a Masked Ball there, at which their Majesties, the great Officers of State, and others of the Nobility, were present.

It is said that the free Importation of Corn from any Part of Europe will only be allowed until the first Day of next March.

The Ticket N<sup>o</sup>. 20,099, drawn Yesterday a Prize of 10,000 l. is the Property of Mr. Jump,

Cheese-Monger in Piccadilly, and 5 other Tradersmen. [A very lucky jump for them.]

They write from Rochfort that six Regiments of Foot had just arrived there, to be embarked on board two Men of War and several Transports, for the French Settlements of Domingo.

A Letter from Sierra Leon mentions that the Crew of a French Slaving Ship on the African Coast had turned Pirates, and run away with the Vessel to Madagascar.

We hear that Yesterday Lord Hillsborough was removed from First Lord of Trade to be First Lord of the Admiralty,

And that George Cockburne, Esq; from Comptroller of the Navy, is appointed a Lord of the Admiralty, together with Dr. Hay.

It is said that a certain Noble Lord, of great Abilities, has offered his Service to the Crown, without Fee or Reward.

They write from Guernsey that a French Ship, laden with Wool, from Barbary, had lately been wrecked on the Race of Alderney, and all the Crew perished.

A few Days ago a French Bark put into St. Mary's, Scilly, by Distress of Weather, where she was detained by the Custom-House Officers, having a Quantity of English Wool on board.

Yesterday a large Seizure of Tea was made by two Revenue Officers, concealed under the Ballast of a North-Country Coasting-Vessel lying off the Hermitage.

We hear from Berwick upon Tweed that the Price of Wheat had fallen there 3 s. 6 d. per Sack, and is now brought to Market in the greatest Plenty.

Yesterday the Price of Wheat fell One Shilling per Quarter in Mark-Lane.

The Hon. Chambers Russel, Esq; many Years one of his Majesty's Council of Massachusetts-Bay, one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of Judicature, and Judge of the Court of Vice Admiralty there, landed the 17th ult. at Portsmouth from Boston, and on the 22d died at Guildford, in his Way to London.

We learn from Whitehaven that the Eagle, Capt. Sugars, reported to be lost, with General Stanwix and Family on board, was safely arrived there, from Ireland.

We hear from Scotland that 50,000 Head of Cattle have lately been contracted for by the English Graziers, to be sent into Lincolnshire, and the Southern Counties.

From the GENTLEMAN'S MAGAZINE, for November last.  
The following PETITION was presented to his Majesty as he went to Parliament.

To the KING's most excellent Majesty.

The humble Petition of the Widows of the Commission and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy, Sheweth,

**T**HAT your poor Petitioners, by the great Reduction of their Pensions, are reduced to the greatest Extremity, to insupportable and almost insupportable Distress, and without the kind Interposition of Parliament, their present very calamitous distressed Situation is likely to be rendered still more intolerable, by the excessive Dearness of Provisions, and the Cruelty of merciless Creditors, many of your Majesty's unhappy Petitioners being now under continual Fears and Apprehensions of a Goal.

That great Almighty Power who hath stretched out the Heaven, and laid the Foundation of the Earth, by whom King's reign, and Princes decree Justice, has declared that he will not disdain to hear the Cries of the Poor, and the Sighings of the Needy; whom to resemble is the greatest Honour, the noblest and most supreme Glory of Princes.

We therefore your Majesty's poor needy Petitioners (as nothing but a Royal Order to the honourable House of Commons is wanting to procure us Redress) most humbly beg that your Majesty would be graciously pleased to recommend our very unhappy Case to the Consideration of Parliament, and that they would be pleased to fix our precarious, uncertain, nominal Pensions, upon a certain, solid, and lasting Foundation; and we flatter ourselves from your Majesty's great Goodness, Justice, and Humanity, that we shall not beg in vain: So shall the Blessings of the Widow and Fatherless descend upon the Heads of your illustrious House, and the devout fervent Prayers of most grateful Hearts be incessantly poured out for the Glory, the Happiness and Prosperity of your Majesty and Royal Family, as long as the British Empire exists, and its victorious triumphant Navy rides the vanquished Main.

Signed, the Widows of the Navy.

London, Nov. 11, 1766.

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BOSTON, February 5.

Tuesday Night last a few Minutes after Ten o'Clock, the Bake-House improved by Mr. George Bray, (formerly Mr. Davenport's) nigh the Mill-Bridge, burst into Flames, which immediately communicated to several Buildings contiguous thereto: the Wind blowing high, and not steadily at one Point, the flaming Cinders soon drove on the Roofs of the Houses on every Quarter, and Water being scarce, the Flames for some Time baffled the Efforts of the Firewards, and Engine-men; and while they were employed in extinguishing the Fire where it first broke out, it was found necessary for some to attend at distant Places; and being uncertain what Course the Flames would principally take, obliged a great Number of Families to remove their Goods and Furniture, few thinking themselves safe in that Neighbourhood: A large Brick-House belonging to John Hancock, Esq; which was slated, in a great Measure stopped its Course Southward, and a Brick Wall of Mr. Bulfinch's prevented his House, and those on the South Side of the Mill-Creek, from being burnt; but the Flakes of Fire drove mostly to the Northward, passing over the Creek, caught the Houses of Capt. Bail, the Pilot, Mr. John Griffith, Mr. Jacob Emmons, with many others, and consumed all as far as Cross-Street; excepting those which fronted that Street, Middle-Street, and Fore-Street, the back Part only of some of these were burnt, tho' all were on Fire several Times; the large Mansion-House of Mr. Jonathan Williams, Merchant, was the last that was entirely consumed: Many other Houses were on Fire several Times, and considerably burnt, especially in Fore-Street; but the Tide coming up into the Docks the Engines were plentifully supplied with Water; by which they were prevented from being consumed, and the Fire from spreading further. It was about Three o'Clock in the Morning before the Flames were subdued; during so many Hours the Inhabitants were indefatigable in supplying the Engines with Water, and helping the Distressed, notwithstanding the Extremity of the Weather, which was so cold, that the Water, which fell on their Clothes immediately froze.—Nothing seemed favourable at the first Breaking out of the Fire, except the Time, being before the Inhabitants were generally in Bed—the Weather had come on very severe in the Evening, and the Wind high at W. and N. W. the Streets slippery, being covered with Ice, and low Water:—It was really distressing, especially for those who had Children and sick Persons to take out of their Beds, and remove with their Goods to a great Distance.—Many Goods which were bulky and heavy were obliged to be left in the Street, whereby they were much damaged.—The Loss to the several Sufferers, we pretend not to estimate, but certainly it must be very great, as its said above Twenty Dwelling-Houses were consumed, and between Forty and Fifty Families deprived of their Habitations:—But by a gracious Providence no Lives were lost, nor do we hear of any dangerously wounded, though many were exposed to imminent Dangers, being confined to narrow Passages, among the Flames of Fire and the Falling of Houses.

We have not yet obtained a List of those Families who are burnt out.

This is the Second or Third Time that Mr. Bray has unfortunately been deprived of his Bake-House by Fire.

NEW-YORK, February 16.

By Capt. Hibbs, who arrived here Tuesday last, in 11 Days from Newbern, in North-Carolina, we have Intelligence, that about the beginning of December last, a French Ship of above 400 Tons, Monsieur Richard Commander, bound from Leoganne, for Nantz, in France, with a valuable Cargo of Sugar and Indigo, having met with much bad Weather, and sprung a Leak at Sea, had put into Port Look-Out, in North-Carolina, in Distress;—Where, upon the Survey of Carpenters, the Ship was adjudged irreparable, and condemned.—Capt. Hibbs has brought Part of her Cargo in here.

Monday last four Criminals lately condemn'd, were executed near Fresh-Water, pursuant to their Sentence.—They spoke but very little at the Gallows, only confessed they deserved the Punishment they were brought to, and desired that others might take Warning by their unhappy Fate; notwithstanding which Example, a Man had his Pocket-Book stole at the Execution.

One Hundred and Thirty-four of the Recruits that arrived here lately from Germany, for the Royal-Americans, at the Request of General Gage, are to be billeted in Public-Houses in the Towns of New-Haven, Willingford and Branford.

We hear that the Ruins of several Mills, Dams,

and Bridges, and a large Stack of Hay, entire, are gone ashore on Long-Island, supposed to be carried from the Main by the late Floods.

ANNAPOLIS, February 26.

We are told, that the Commissioners appointed for Paying off the Public Claims, have already Paid away near 30,000*l.* (altho' they have had but Four Office Days) which is more than Half of the Public Debt.

It is said, that such a Number of the TICKETS in the MARYLAND LIBERTY LOTTERY, are sold, and fell so fast, that the Managers expect to Draw before the Time first intended.

Extract of a Letter from a Merchant in London, dated the 19th November last.

"The Real or Artificial Scarcity of Corn, having raised a great Clamour and drove the Needy or Dissolute into Riots, Lord Chatham advised the laying an Embargo on the Exportation of Corn. This is made a Pretence for the Opposition to throw a Slur on the Ministry; but as the Measure was prudent and even necessary, they did not venture to Censure it, but said they thought an Act to indemnify the Advisers was proper; as the Prerogative was, as they said, illegally exercised. This was a Cut-Throat Favour, and was rejected with a contemptuous Superiority. The Ministry hinted to the Opposition, the Meanness of their Motives to this false Kindness, insisted on the Legality and Necessity of their Conduct, and declared they would not have an Act to indemnify them: And they would scorn to receive this Favour, at the Motion of those Men, who thought they stood in no Need of the like Security in the Case of General-Warrants, which had violated the Letter and Spirit of the Constitution, in the Sense of the Courts of Law, of both Houses of Parliament, and every Honest Man in the Kingdom."

The Letter from JAMES WREMS, Esq; with Certificates to confute a false Accusation, came too late for this Week's GAZETTE, but will be in the next.

Baltimore-Town, 1767.

CASH for BILLS; or, BILLS for CASH.

JONATHAN FLOWMAN.

ANNAPOLIS, February 24, 1767.

CATHARINA ELISABETH BLACKETT, Widow, whose Maiden Name was WILSON, came into this Country in a Palatine Ship, Capt. Courtin, in the Year 1752, and had a Brother who came in a Year before her, and wrote for her to come in. He lived somewhere near Lancaster in Pennsylvania, and she would be very glad to hear from him.

February 4, 1767.

THE Subscriber having laid out a Point of Land adjoining to Baltimore-Town, and Fell's Point, into about 270 Lots, will LEASE, or SELL the same, as may best suit the Purchasers. They stand high, pleasant and healthy; the Soil is good for Gardens, and fine Well Water may be had. Jones's Falls run round the Land, so that Flats and Boats may come very convenient to the greatest Part of the Lots. The Public Road to Fell's Point leads through the Land: All Lots taken within Twelve Months, shall go at 6*d.* Sterling per Foot Ground Rent, for 99 Years, renewable for ever, or he will Sell them out and out, for a Principal equal to the Interest; a Plan of the Lots may be seen at his House, near the Lower-Bridge Foot.

BRIAN PHILPOT.

N. B. Any Person taking a Lot, and Building a good House, not less than 25 by 16 Feet, within Two Years, shall have Three Years Rent free, from the Date of the Lease.

COMMITTED to Dorchester County Goal, as a Runaway, the 24th Day of December 1766, a wialatto Man, by the Name of Bob, and when brought, said he belonged to Mr. John Waters of Somerset County, but upon further Examination, says he belongs to one Richard Connaway, and that he left his Master in Patuxent River, he is about 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, and well-set; Cotton Jacket and Breeches, an old Hat Patched with some of the same. If the said Richard Connaway, or any other Person, be his Master, he or they, are desired to come and Release the said Bob from Goal, and Pay his Charges, or he will be sold agreeable to Act of Assembly in that Case made and provided, by JOHN DICKENSON, Sheriff.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, by the Subscriber, on Saturday the 7th Day of March next, at the late Dwelling-House of Samuel Day, at the Head of South-River.

ONE Hundred ACRES of LAND, called OCHAYNE'S PURCHASE.

BENJAMIN WELSH.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 6th Day of April next, on the Premises, for Sterling Cash, Dollars at 4*s.* 6*d.* or good Bills of Exchange,

A TRACT of LAND, lying in the Forks of Gunpowder, about 12 Miles from Baltimore-Town, called, THE LAND OF PROMISE, containing Eight Hundred Acres, the greatest Part of which, is as good as any in the Country, very proper for either Farming or Plantation Business; there is about a Hundred and Twenty-four Acres cleared, with a large new Framed Dwelling-House, and a good Cellar under, a very good new Framed Barn, Three good Tobacco Houses, an extraordinary good Kitchen, and all other convenient Out-Houses, a new paled Garden, a young Apple-Orchard. A good Part of the above Land may be made into Meadow Ground.

(6<sup>w</sup>) NICHOLAS L. DARNALL.

THE Subscriber, having supplied himself with a BOAT and HANDS fit to carry PASSENGERS up and down the BAY, as also to PILOT SHIPS from Annapolis to Cape-Henry, gives this Public Notice, That any Gentlemen who have Occasion to Travel that Way, or any Ships that have Need of a PILOT, shall be faithfully served, by Their humble Servant,

ROBERT BRUCE.

January 28, 1767.

ALL Persons indebted to Messieurs Stewart and Armour; Messieurs John Stewart, and Company, or Messieurs John Stewart and Campbell, either on Bond, Note, Protested Bills, or Accompts Current, for Dealings with Alexander Stewart, Stewart and Lux, or with William Lux, on Account of Servants, are once more requested to come and Pay off their respective Balances; or their Accompts, &c. will be immediately put in Suit without respect of Persons.

Those who have open Accompts for Dealings with William Lux, in Messieurs John Stewart and Campbell's Store, at Elk-Ridge Landing, are entreated to come and Pay them off, or settle and give Bond with Security, if required, otherwise theirundry Accompts will be put into the Hands of a Lawyer. Attendance will be constantly given at the Landing, for the above mentioned Purposes. Those who appear, agreeable to this Notice, and shew Cause why they are not able to pay, will have necessary Indulgence allowed them.

The Subscriber has for Sale, about £. 1400 First Cost of GOODS, which will be sold cheap, for ready Cash, good Bills of Exchange, or Credit, on giving Security, if required.

ALEXANDER STEWART.

WANTED,

A MILLER, any Person who understands Dressing and Tending a Tub-Mill, may have immediate Employment, and good Wages, by applying to the Subscriber, in Prince-George's County, Patuxent River, near Nottingham.

FRANCIS WARING.

THE Subscriber, at Elk-Ridge Landing, requests all Persons Indebted to him, either for Goods sold them, or for their Tavern Scores, to make immediate Payment: And, as we have now a Medium, they cannot expect longer Indulgence.

(6<sup>w</sup>) JOSHUA GRIFFITH.

THERE is at the Plantation of John Macdonall, near Annapolis, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Mare, about 14 Hands high, with a Star in her Forehead, no perceivable Brand, the Trots and Gallops, and is 5 or 6 Years old.

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

THERE is in the Possession of Joshua Yates, Overseer, at the Plantation, called Squirrel-Neck, on Road-River, belonging to Mr. Nicholas Maccubbin, taken up as a Stray, a small black Horse, with a Star in his Forehead, and a Snip on his Nose, one of his hind Feet white, and no perceivable Brand.

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

Mr. Macdonall.

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A HOUSE at Rock-Creek, Also, a SCHOOL, with a CAFFLOUR: And if the Subscriber will engage Cargo, by the last

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**To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,**  
HOUSE and LOT in George-Town, on  
Rock-Creek, adjoining Mr. Peter's Store.  
Also, a SCHOONER, of about Thirty-five  
Tons, with a Cargo of about 250 Barrels of  
FLOUR: And if the Purchaser likes, the Sub-  
scriber will engage to furnish him with another  
Cargo, by the last of May, or first of June next.  
JACOB FUNCK.

Any Persons inclinable to Purchase, may apply  
to Mr. Thomas Johns, at George-Town, who has a  
Power to Sell. from J. F.

**W A N T E D,**

A MAN that understands Book keeping, and  
will undertake the keeping the Books of an  
Iron-Works; such a Person that can come well  
recommended, will meet with Employ, by apply-  
ing to  
THO. SAMUEL, and JOHN SNOWDEN.

Patuxent Iron-Works, Feb. 24, 1767.

**STOLEN** from the Subscribers, the 20th Instant,  
at Night. Two Horses, one a dark Brown,  
about 13½ Hands high, has a very large Star in  
his Fore-head, a large Snip on his Nose, and Four  
white Feet, branded on the Shoulder, RS, and  
on the buttock. TH. The other a dark Bay,  
about 13½ Hands high, his Brands not known,  
though he is a Waggon Horse, and is Marked with  
the Collar and Traces — Whoever will bring  
the said Horses to the subscribers, shall have  
THIRTY SHILLINGS, paid by  
THO. SAMUEL, and JOHN SNOWDEN.

**LOST** some time ago, a PEARL-SNUFF-  
BOX, remarkable for having Two silver  
Lids, the Upper One Chas'd, with a Sheaf of  
Wheat, a Snake, and Two Hands, and the other  
a Frame for a Picture. Whoever has got the same,  
by returning it to the Printing-Office, shall have a  
Reward of THREE DOLLARS, with 1 hank.

**TAKEN** up adrift, the 25th of January, a  
large 12 hhd FLAT, at the Upper-End of  
the Cliffs, near Fishing-Creek, in Calvert County;  
it appears as if she belonged to some Iron-Works,  
as she is ceiled up to her Gunwales, and has some  
Iron-Ore and Shells in her; some Part of her up-  
per Streak is off, with a large Beam athwart her,  
a large Iron Bolt and Ring in her Bow, with about  
Two Fathom of Two Inch Rope, for a Painter.  
The Owner may have her again, on proving  
Property, and paying Charges.  
JOHN PETERS.

**THERE** is at the Plantation of John Beall  
in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a  
dark Bay Horse, about 14 Hands high, appears  
to be very old, branded on the near Shoulder, I R,  
and on the near Buttock, A C.  
The Owner may have him again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges.

**THERE** is at the Plantation of Ulick Burk,  
in Gasparowder Forest, in Baltimore County,  
taken up as a Stray, a Black Mare between 13  
and 14 Hands high, dock'd, but not branded, her  
near hind Foot white, a small white Spot in her  
Forehead, trots naturally, and is supposed to be  
four Years old next Spring.  
The Owner may have her again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges.

**To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,**  
on the 2d Day of March Court, at the House  
of Mr. Adams, in Annapolis, for ready Cash,

**TWO NEGRO WOMEN,** one with Child,  
and a Child. They understand Household  
Work.  
ELIZABETH MOSS.

February 18, 1767.

**To be SOLD to the highest Bidder,** at the Planta-  
tion of Samuel Howard, deceased, near Annapolis,  
on Severn-River, on Thursday the 12th of March,  
at 10 o'Clock, for Current Money, or good Bills  
of Exchange, or Bonds on Interest, with good  
Security,

A Parcel of fine SLAVES, consisting of Men,  
Women and Children,undry Horses, Cattle,  
Sheep and Hogs, Household Furniture, a Parcel of  
Leather, and Plantation Utensils.  
SAMUEL HOWARD, } Administrators.  
JOHN HOWARD, }

**JUST IMPORTED, from LONDON,**  
in the Ship Lord Cambden, Capt. Johnston,  
and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store  
at Elk-Ridge Landing, for Cash. Bills of Ex-  
change, Tobacco, Wheat, Corn, Rye, Beans, or  
short Credit.

**A LARGE Assortment of EUROPEAN**  
and **EAST-INDIA GOODS**; among  
which are the following Articles, — Ofnabricks,  
Hempen Roles; ¼ and ½ brown, white, and Russia  
Sheeting; ¼ Ell Russia Linen; brown and white  
Silefias; ¼, ½, and Yard wide, fine and coarse  
Irish Linens; Russia Drab; ¼ Dowls; striped  
Cotton and Silk Gingham; corded and flowered  
Dimothy; white Callico; ¼ Cuffares, striped Mus-  
lin Handkerchiefs; striped Lawn, and bordered  
Ditto; striped and spotted Linen Handkerchiefs;  
Bandano, Lutefring, Rossiett, Culgee, and Bar-  
celona Silk Handkerchiefs; a Variety of low priced  
Purple, Light and Dark grounded Calicoes;  
Light, Red, Pompadour, Purple, and Black  
grounded Chintz; Printed Linens; Yard wide,  
and ¼ Mullin; Kenting and Holland Lawn, spot-  
ted and clear Ditto; Cambricks; Cyprus, striped,  
& flowered Gauze; dark-brown, light-blue, green,  
and black Persians; ¼, ½ and ¾ supe-fine  
Diaper Table-Cloths; ¼ Linen Check; ¾ Yard  
wide, and ¼ Cotton Ditto; Cotton Hollands;  
white and dyed Jeans; ¾, ½, and ¼ Bed Bunts;  
Half Ell Bolster Tick; Olive colour'd Man-  
chester Velvet; Tammies; Durants; superfine  
Scarlet, and Crimion Rattennets; Starrets; Bar-  
leycorns; Diamontee; fashionable Mecklenburgh;  
Callimancoes; Dorsetteen; brown and blue Cam-  
blets, fine Serge-Denim; coloured and black  
Crape; Bombazeen; Double Allopeen; Harband  
Hoods; Messinet; Silveret, and fashionable bro-  
caded Poplin; white and green Weich Cotton;  
white Kerseys; Bearskins; Frize; Rattreens;  
Halfthicks; Forrest Cloth; Devonshire Kersey;  
German Serge; striped Lincey; Embossed Serge;  
white Swanskin; striped Duffie Blankets; double-  
mill'd Drab Cloth; Variety of fine and superfine  
Broadcloths; Wilton Cloth; fine and superfine  
Sagathies, and Duroys; light colour'd Hair Shag,  
long pile Crimion Ditto; Cloth colour'd and Scar-  
let Womens Cloaks; Sewing Silk; Scarf and  
Mohair Twist; Coat Binding; Balendine; brown,  
whited brown, Scotch, Nuns, & Cambrick Threads;  
Holland, Diaper, Manchester & Dresden Tape; Bob-  
bing; Dutch Pritties; Quality Binding; Gartering;  
Thread and Silk Laces; Ferrit; Galloon; Padu-  
foy, Satrin, figured, striped, and plain Ribbon;  
Gimp; Cap Wire; Womens Pearl Mitts; Pins;  
Wax Necklaces; Mother-of Pearl Necklaces, and  
Bar-Rings; Ivory, Bone, and Crape Fans; Wo-  
mens plain and laced Silk Bonnets; superfine  
fashionable colour'd Lutefring Ditto; black Silk,  
and Velvet Ditto; Whitechapel Needles; Candle  
Wick; ¼ and ½ spotted Rugs; ¾ Worsted Ditto;  
¾, ½, and ¾ Bed-Blankets; ¼ Calicoe Quilts;  
Hylon, Green, and Bohem Tea; Double and Sin-  
gle Refined Sugar; Pepper, Pimento, Salt-Petre,  
Ginger, Epsom Salts, Nutmegs, Cloves, Mace,  
Cinnamon, Rosin, Allom, Indigo, Fig and Pow-  
der Blue; Mens, Womens, and Youths Worsted,  
Thread, and Cotton Hosi; Worsted Breeches Pat-  
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Leather Shoes and Pumps; Mens, and Youths,  
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nel Boots; Wax Skins, Ben Leather Soles; Wo-  
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Mitts; Mens black stitched Dogskin, white Lamb,  
and welted Buck Gloves; Womens and Girls  
Stays; Boys and Mens Felt Hats; Boys and Mens  
plain and laced Castor Hats; Table Knives and  
Forks, Heel Knives, Pocket Knives and Forks,  
Clasp and Pen Knives; common and best London  
Scissars; Taylor's, and small Shears; common  
and best London Razors; Steel, White Metal,  
Pinchbeck, Mourning, plated Silver, and solid Sil-  
ver Buckles; large Steel Knee Buckles; Bristol  
Stone Stock Buckles, Sleeve Buttons, Bolom  
Buckles, and Stay Hooks; Tea Tongs & Spoons;  
Awl Blades and Tacks; Horn Combs; Sleeve  
Buttons, Pearl Breast Buttons, flat and cap Metal  
Coat and Breast Buttons; double gilt, plain, and  
wrought Ditto; black Glass Ditto; Ivory and  
Dandriff Combs; Horn Moulds; Kirby Hooks;  
Perch Lines; Japanned, Silver mounted Tortise-  
shell, and Enamell'd Snuff-Boxes; Silver, Steel,  
and Brass Thimbles; Bone and Ivory Nutmeg  
Graters; Steel Watch Keys and Chains, Steel  
Spring Spurs; Oil Gun-Flints; Temple and Com-  
mon Spectacles; Gold Hatbands, with Bristol  
Stone Buckles; Mahogany Frame, and Dutch  
Looking-Glasses; 6 Quire Ledgers, and Journals,

bound in Rough Calf and Letter'd; red and black  
Ink-Powder; Writing Paper, Bibles, Testaments,  
Prayer Books, Pfalters, Whole Duty of M n;  
Memorandum Books; 2 d. 3 d. 4 d. 6 d.  
8 d. 10 d. 12 d. 20 d. 24 d. and 30 d.  
Nails; Saddlers Tacks; Hob Nails, broad  
Hoes, Iron Traces, Pot Hooks, Shutter Bolts,  
Cross Garnet, Side, and HL Hinges; Pad, Cup-  
board, Chest, and Stock Locks; Iron bound  
Ditto, with Brass Knobs; Box Irons and Heaters;  
Thumb Latches; Plane Irons; Compasses; all  
Sorts of Chizels; Augres, Steel Plate Hand Saws,  
Whip, Cross Cut, Hand saw, and Smiths Files;  
Farriers Raips; Scythes; compleat Sets of Sho-  
makers Tools; Steel Spades; Iron Pots; Blister  
Steel; Grindstones; Mens and Womens high  
and low priced Saddles; Womens superfine Cloth  
Saddle Covers, laced and fringed with double  
Furniture; plain and fringed Houfings; Saddle-  
Cloths; Snaffle, Half Kirb, Whole Kirb, Pelburn  
& Weymouth Bridles; Surcingles, Stirrup Leathers,  
Switch, Half and Whole Hunting Whips; China  
Tea Cups and Saucers, Coffee Ditto, Chocolate  
Ditto, Custard Cups and Bowls; all Kinds of  
Glass, Stone, and Earthen Ware; Copper Tea  
Kettles; Brass and Iron Candlesticks; Bell-metal  
Skillets, Mortars and Pestles; Warming Pans;  
Pewter Dishes, Plates, Porringers, & Basons; Guns,  
and Gun Locks; Mahogany Tea Chests, Tea  
Boards, and Hand Writers; Glass Castors or  
Cruit Frames; Mops, Scrubbing Brushes, Clamp  
Cloath Brushes, Brooms, shoe Brushes, Hearth  
Brooms; Shoe Lasts, Shoe Heels; Blacking Ball;  
Hair and Lawn Sifters; Wool Cards; K and FF  
Gunpowder; Shot and Bar Lead; painted Tin  
Sugar Boxes; Funnels, Sauce Pans, Cullenders;  
gilt Trunks, snuff, &c. &c.

(3<sup>m</sup>) JOHN DORSEY.  
N. B. I have a few Boxes of CHINA, amount  
about 25 l. Cost, each, Consisting of low priced  
Blue and White, and Ennamell'd, Tea, Coffee  
and Chocolate Cups and Saucers, Custard Cups  
and Bowls, which I will sell at a very small Ad-  
vance, by the Box. J. D.

Beneath, February 18, 1767.

**W A N T E D,**  
ONE Hundred Tons of PIG IRON, from the  
Elk-Ridge or Baltimore Works, apply to Mr.  
Robert Conden, at Annapolis, or to the Subscriber,  
at Upper-Mariborough, next March Court.  
THOMAS CAMPBELL.

A LIST of the LETTERS remaining in the  
POST-OFFICE, at ANNAPOLIS, the 17<sup>th</sup> Day  
of Feb. 1767. A. STEWART, D. P. Mr.

- M. R. Addison, m.
- B. Robert Buthan, s. po. John Barton, m.
- Henry Brent, cc. Jane Brown, m. John Bond, m. Wm.
- Buchanan, fr. John Barclay, qs. Abraham Rutterman,
- po. Benj. Brawner, cc. Elijah Bean, ch. George Becon, s.
- James Brown, pg. Elizabeth Butler, m. John Bennett, cc.
- Robert Brown, 4. Queen's-Town. Robert Brent, pg.
- C. Thomas Contee, po. Julius Clark, cc. John
- Craig, cc. Richard Cannock, m. Peter Cleland, Kingston,
- m. Caleb Clark, Choptank. Joseph Cowman, aa. Rich-
- ard Cogle, cc. Alexander Carvell, Road-River.
- D. Caleb Dorsey, Elk-Ridge. Wm. Deakins, pg. Ro-
- bert Dowson, 3. Patuxent. Wm. Durall, fr.
- F. Josiah Fitchet, m. Bernard Ferris, m. Athanasius
- Ford, 2, m. Tho. Faltrap, m. James Forbes, Patuxent.
- G. Reverdy Ghiselin, s. Fielder Gantt, fr. John
- Gaskett, m.
- H. Mary Hammond, s. David Hay, 3, cc. Vernon
- Hebb, 2, m. Mr. Hunter, 2, m. John Hanlon, junr.
- cc. Sarah Heuwit, m. James Hollyday, Patuxent. Ben-
- jamin Harrison, m. Richard Hallen, senr. m. Peter
- Hubbert, Nanticoke.
- I. Henry Jernigan, m. James Jordan, m. Henry
- Jackson, and Co. s. Thomas Johnson, s.
- K. John Kemp, cc. Joshua Kellam, m.
- L. Richard Lloyd, cc. Philip Thomas Lee, s. Anne
- Lee, 2, s. Edward Lloyd, Wye-River.
- M. Patrick Macgill, Elk-Ridge. Mrs. M'Williams, 2,
- Clement's-Bay. Sam. Middleton, s. Daniel M'Daniel, 2,
- Patuxent. Alexander M'Daniel, Ditto. Thomas Mufe, d.
- William Mathews, cc. Patrick M'Caui, cc. James
- M'Laughlan, qs. Madam M'Cordigh, London-Town.
- N. Raphael Neale, cc. Eleanor Neale, 2, cc.
- P. Jonathan Pinkney, s. Wm. Pace, s.
- R. Thomas Richards, cc.
- S. Ephraim Stevens, Teles-Point. Roger Smith, cc.
- John Somervell, m. Adam Skoll, s. Benson Stanton, 2,
- Wye-River. Joseph Sim, Patuxent. Samuel Smith, s.
- Elizabeth Small, s.
- T. Wm. Thomas, s. John Thompson, cc. Benja.
- Talfer, 3, s. Margaret Taylor. Mr. Thornton, Eastern-
- Sbore. Richard Tootell, s. Philip Thomas, aa. Benja.
- Thorne, cc.
- W. Samuel Watkins, s. Tho. Wilson, s. Richard
- Wooton, s. Wm. Wrigth, m. Ann Winsford Harper, s.
- David Walker, s. Robert Watts, 2, m. George Watts,
- Severn. Thomas Williams, s.
- Explanation of the above Abridgments.
- a. Annapolis. aa. Anne-Arundel County. cc. Charles
- County. cc. Cecil County. d. Dorchester. fr. Frede-
- rick. ac. Kent County. m. Maryland. pg. Pr. George's
- County. po. Potowmack. qs. Qu. Anne's County. m.
- St. Mary's. cc. Talbot County.

HENRY MERONEY, jun.



SADDLER, late from Charles-Town, South-Carolina, has now opened Shop, near the Town-Gate, Annapolis,

WHERE he makes Gentlemens full Welsted and Plain Hogskin seated Saddles, Race, Common Hunting, King's Hunting, and Breasted ditto, and Womens ditto, of all Kinds, in the newest Fashion; likewise covers Coaches, Chairs, &c. with Cloth, mends and makes all Manner of Coach and Chair Harness, Cloth and Leather Houfings, Saddle Bags, Portmanteaus, Mill Pillions, Boot-Straps, Fire Buckets, and all Sorts of Saddle Furniture, &c. &c.

Those Gentlemen and Ladies that please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Work done in the best Manner, and with the utmost Dispatch, by *Their Humble Servant,*

HENRY MERONEY.

N. B. He will give great Encouragement to a Saddle Tree Maker. H. M.

ANNAPOLIS, February 14, 1767.

RAN away on the second Instant, from a Plantation at the upper End of Anne-Arundel County, near Mr. Samuel Mansell's, Two Servant Men, viz.

JAMES M'DANIEL, an Irishman, lately imported, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, with dark brown Hair: Had on when he went away, a Felt Hat, old Bearskin Coat, striped double-breasted Flannel Waistcoat, a Pair of Buckskin Breeches, white Yarn Stockings, Country-made Shoes, and a white Holland and Osnabrig Shirt.

JOHN NORMAN, an Englishman, about 5 Feet high, with dark brown Hair, fresh Complexion, and when spoke to, has a down-cast Look: Had on and took with him when he went away, a new Felt Hat, yellow double-breasted Cotton Jacket, two black and white striped Ditto, Leather Breeches, black Yarn Stockings, Country made Shoes, and a white Holland and Osnabrig Shirt, with several other Things they have taken from other Servants. There are missing two Bay Horses, about 13 Hands high, one branded NH joined together, about 15 Years old; the other with a Brand unknown, about 9 Years old, which it is supposed they have taken.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, or either of them, and secures them in any Jail, or brings them to Thomas King, Overseer at the aforesaid Plantation, or to the Subscribers, if taken in the Province, shall have THREE POUNDS Reward for each; if out, FIVE POUNDS each, and reasonable Charges, paid by

SAMUEL CHASE,  
PHILIP HAMMOND,

Annapolis.

It is supposed they have wrote themselves Passes.

THE PARTNERSHIP of BOYD and COMPANY, being now expired; JOHN BOYD begs Leave to inform those Gentlemen who have formerly dealt with the Company, and Others who may incline to become his Customers, That he continues the MEDICINAL STORE, as formerly, in BALTIMORE-TOWN; Having a Small, but General Assortment of DRUGS now on Hand; and expects by the first Vessels from London, and the Straights, either to this, or the Port of Philadelphia, a large Importation of every useful Article in his Way. Their Arrival shall be made known by the Public Papers. As he purposes to Sell for the future, on Terms more advantageous to the Buyer, than his late Connections would permit. He thinks it necessary to wait on his former kind Customers, and other Gentlemen of the Faculty in the Province, as soon as possible, in order to inform them more particularly of his intended Terms.

Those Gentlemen who are indebted to the late Partnership of BOYD and COMPANY, are earnestly requested to remit their several Balances, by the most safe and speedy Conveyance, to

*Their much obliged, humble Servant,*

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JOHN BOYD.

WANTED,

THREE good Draught HORSES, one of them to be a dark red Bay, well Turned, and good Spirit, about 14 Hands high, and no White about him, none of them to exceed Six Years old next Spring. Any Person that hath such Horses to sell, may apply to the Printer hereof.

February 12, 1767.

To be SOLD, pursuant to the Directions of the Last Will and Testament of John Ross, Esq; Deceased, the following Tracts of LAND, in Frederick County, Maryland, viz.

NEW LONDON, containing 1360 Acres: The Main Road that leads from Frederick-Town, to Philadelphia, runs through this Tract, about 20 Miles from Frederick-Town, and 2 from Towney-Town; it is well Wooded, and extremely Level, every Acre of it being fit for Cultivation: The Soil is well adapted for Farming, being capable of producing almost every Kind of Grain. There are three or four Springs of Water, if not more, on this Tract.

THE CORNER, containing 112 Acres.— ROSS'S RANGE, containing 3400 Acres.— These two Tracts join to one another, and lie 5 or 6 Miles to the Northward of New-London.— Great-Pipe-Creek, Bear-Branch, and The Meadow-Branch, run through them, and afford several convenient Sites for Mills; and, on the Banks of these Streams, there is a large Quantity of excellent Bottom Land, capable of either bearing Hemp, or being made into Meadow Ground. The Upland is much the same Quality with that of New-London, but more broken.

THE PLAINS, containing 50 Acres, lies on Piney-Creek, a Draught of Menocacy River.

Mr. Norman Bruce, who lives in the Neighbourhood, if called upon, will shew any of the above Tracts, to such as incline to purchase.

WALNUT LEVEL, containing 390 Acres, lies about 10 Miles West from Fort-Cumberland, upon a Branch of Will's-Creek.

ROSS'S-TOWN-CREEK-LOT, containing 530 Acres, lies on Town-Creek, about 12 Miles from the Mouth of it, near a Place called, The Devil's Hole.

WINGFIELD'S DELIGHT, containing 1300 Acres, and lies on a Branch of Linganore: The Soil is, in general, good, it has plenty of both Timber and Water on it, and there is, from Appearances, great Reason to believe that it contains within it a very valuable Copper-Mine.

The Purchasers may, either, pay ready Money, or will be indulged in Time for the Payment, upon giving good Security.

The Terms may be known by applying to Dr. Upton Scott in Annapolis, who is empowered to dispose of the above Lands.

FRANCIS KEY, }  
3<sup>m</sup> 3 U. SCOTT, } Executors.

Chester-Town, Feb. 2, 1767.

To be SOLD at Public Vendue, to the Highest Bidder, pursuant to the Last Will of James Calder, Deceased; on the Tenth Day of April next, for either Pennsylvania Currency, or Bills of Exchange,

FIFTEEN Hundred Acres of well Timbered LAND, lying in Kent County, Maryland, and situated between the Rivers of Chester and Sassafras, and within 16 Miles of Duck-Creek Landing.

The aforesaid Land will be Sold, as may be most agreeable to the Purchasers, either in Lots of 200 or 300 Acres, or larger Quantities.

The Sale will be held at a House on the Premises, within about a Mile of Mr. Dennis Dulany's Dwelling-house.

Credit will be given for one Half the Purchase Money, on giving Security if required, and Payment of Interest.

Any Person inclinable to treat for any of the aforesaid Land, before the Day of Sale, may be informed of the Terms, by applying to Mr. Dennis Dulany, Mr. James McLachlan, Doctor John Scott, Mr. Alexander Calder, or the Subscriber, in Chester-Town. The Title is indisputable.

MARY CALDER, Executrix of  
(\*5) 3 Capt. James Calder, deceased.

WANTED,

A YOUNG MAN, well Qualified for Tending a COFFEE-HOUSE in this City: Such one will meet with good Encouragement. Enquire of the Printer hereof.

ANNAPOLIS, January 19, 1767.

Pursuant to the Directions of the Last Will and Testament of Edmund Key, Esq; Deceased, the following Tracts of Land will be Sold to the Highest Bidder, at Public Vendue, on the Third Wednesday in March next, precisely at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, Frederick County, MARYLAND, viz.

PARADISE, containing Three Hundred and Thirty-five Acres. GOOD HOPE, containing Three Hundred Acres. And FRIENDSHIP, containing Two Hundred and Six Acres. These Three Tracts almost join one another; one of them binds upon Patowmack; and all of them lie betwixt Great Conococheague and Little Conococheague Rivers. They will be sold for Ready Cash, or Six Months Credit will be given on proper Security.

U. SCOTT, Executor

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, very cheap, for ready Money, or short Credit,

CHOICE Lisbon Wine, by the Quarter Cask, exceeding fine White Wine Vinegar, and best Batavia Arrack, by the Gallon or larger Quantity.

RALPH FORSTER

N. B. He has likewise amongst a great Variety of dry Goods, a new Seine, Forty-five Fathoms long, and otherwise calculated for the Patuxent Herring Fishery.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC SALE, on Wednesday the 4th Day of March next, at JOPPA,

A GREAT Variety of the very best Kind of Household and Kitchen FURNITURE, consisting of every Thing necessary for a genteel Family. Likewise a very good CHAISE, with a Bellows Top, and Harness for two Horses; a Single CHAIR, on Steel Springs, entirely new, without Harness; two very good CARTS and GEERS, with sundry Plantation UTENSILS. And a likely young NEGRO Fellow. And,

On the Friday following will be Sold, on the Premises, to the Highest Bidder, pursuant to the Last Will and Testament of Mr. David McCulloch, Deceased,—His late Dwelling-House and Lot in Joppa, with sundry other Lots, sufficiently described in the Maryland Gazette, N<sup>o</sup>. 1101, to N<sup>o</sup>. 1105. Also Two TRACTS of LAND, adjoining each other, lying within three Miles of Joppa, and containing Three Hundred Acres.

For Terms of Sale, apply to the Executor at ANNAPOLIS, or to Mr. Charles Lin at JOPPA. The Sale of the Furniture will continue from Day to Day, until all is sold.

(6<sup>m</sup>) ANTHONY STEWART, Executor,  
MARY McCULLOCH, Executrix.

N. B. Bills of Credit to be emitted by Act of Assembly, will be taken as any other Currency, in Payment for the Furniture; and for the Houses and Land, at an Exchange to be agreed on at the Day of Sale.

MARYLAND, January 13, 1767.

THE Subscribers continue to carry on their DISTILLERY at Baltimore-Town, where their Friends and Customers may depend on being constantly supply'd, on the most reasonable Terms, with the best AMERICAN RUM made on the Continent; for which they will take Payment in Bar Iron, Flour, Pork, Wheat, Rye, Indian Corn, Pine Boards, Shingles, Heading, Pipe, Hoghead, or Barrel Staves, if made according to the Philadelphia Staves, and cull'd. They have also to dispose of for Cash, or Bills of Exchange, best West-India Rum, Molasses by the Hogshead or Tierce, Muscovado and Loaf Sugars in Barrels, best New-England Mackerel and Fish Oil.

SAMUEL and ROBERT PURVIANCE.

N. B. They have likewise for Sale, a Parcel of Choice Virginia PORK. (\*4<sup>m</sup>)

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