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From the LONDON GAZETTE.

St. James's, October 4.

THIS Day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons, of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, waited on his Majesty, and being introduced to his Majesty by the Right Hon. William Finch, Esq; Vice-Chamberlain, made their Compliments in the following Address, which was spoken by Sir William Moreton, Knight, the Recorder.

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons, of the City of London, in Common Council assembled.

Most gracious Sovereign,

WE Your Majesty's ever dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons, of your City of London, in Common Council assembled, humbly beg Leave to congratulate your Majesty upon the late signal Success with which it has pleased the Almighty to bless your Majesty's Arms, in the Reduction of the Havannah and its Dependencies (most properly styled the Key of the Spanish West-Indies, and deemed impregnable) under a Capitulation that does Honour to the Spirit and Humanity of the British Nation.

It is with the highest Pleasure we reflect upon the Value and Importance of this Conquest, attended with the Acquisition of immense Riches, and an irreparable Blow to the Trade and Naval Power of Spain. A Conquest, that gives additional Lustre to an already glorious and successful War; and which cannot but strike Terror into an Enemy, not only unprovoked, but insensible to the repeated Instances of your Majesty's Goodwill, Friendship, and Moderation; and convince them, that there is no Attempt, how arduous soever, but what, planned and directed by the Wisdom of your Majesty's Councils, may, under the Divine Providence, be effected by the Harmony, Activity, and Abilities of such Commanders, and the Valour, Zeal, and Emulation of your Fleets and Armies, regardless of any Fatigues or Dangers, where-ever the Glory of their King and Country is concerned.

May the Possession of this very valuable Conquest, together with other happy Consequences of your Majesty's Measures, thus wisely and vigorously pursued, prove the Means of effectually defeating the ambitious Views of your Majesty's Enemies, and of for ever dissolving the late alarming Compact of the House of Bourbon, calculated to destroy the Commerce of your Subjects, and so replete with Danger to the Existence of your Majesty's antient and natural Ally, and to the Independence of the Rest of the Powers of Europe.

And we beg Leave humbly to assure your Majesty, that your faithful Citizens of London, animated by the warmest Sense of Duty to your Majesty, and their Country, will, with unwearied Cheerfulness, contribute their utmost Efforts to strengthen your Majesty's Hands, until your Enemies, moved by their own repeated Losses and Distresses, shall be disposed to listen to such Terms of Accommodation, as your Royal Wisdom shall think adequate to our glorious Successes; and such as may effectually secure the Trade and Navigation of your Subjects; and prevent the Calamities of a future War.

Signed by Order of Court, JAMES HODGES.

To which Address his Majesty was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer.

RETURN you my cordial Thanks for this very dutiful and loyal Address, and for the continual Proof you give me of your Attachment to my Person and Government.

The able Conduct, unwearied Activity, and exemplary Harmony, of my Commanders by Sea and Land, and the intrepid Valour of my Fleets and Armies, have never been more conspicuous, than on the present Occasion, and have acquired additional Glory to the British Arms.

The steady Affections of my People, and their Zeal for the Honour of my Crown, will, I trust, under the Blessing of God, enable me to terminate just War, by an equitable, glorious, and last

The Prosperity of the City of London, and the extensive Trade and Navigation of my faithful Subjects, are, and ever will be, the constant Objects of my unwearied Care and Attention.

They were all received very graciously; and had the Honour to kiss his Majesty's Hand.

LONDON, October 12.

Exclusive of the Advantages arising to this Nation from the Conquest of the Havannah, as the Key to the West-Indies, the Number of capital Ships of War in that Harbour (within one) equals the Number that were taken, lost, or destroyed, during the Whole of last War, which amounted to no more than 15, from 60 to 74 Guns, six of which were destroyed at Carthage, five taken in separate Engagements, two lost in the West-Indies, and two in Pursuit of Admiral Anson's Squadron to the South Seas: The Hermione may be set against the South Sea Expedition; and the small Men of War taken in going to the Havannah, and the Merchant Ships and Treasure taken in that Harbour, more than equal to all the smaller Vessels and Captures during that tedious War of Nine Years Continuance.

His late Majesty King George II. declared War against Philip V. King of Spain, on the 29th of October, 1739, which was followed by a like Declaration in Spain, on the 17th of November, and Peace was not made till the 19th of October, 1748. The British Nation wanted a free and uninterrupted Trade in the Seas of America, which was their undoubted Right, tho' that Right had been frequently invaded by the Spaniards; therefore the War was not undertaken to gratify the Views of restless Ambition, but to maintain the Honour of an injured Nation.

The first Blow was struck by the brave Admiral Vernon, who took Porto Bello, on the 22d of November, with only six Ships. In 1740, he demolished Chagre; and in 1741, attacked Carthage, with 29 Ships of the Line, and 15,000 Seamen, who destroyed all the Fortifications of the Harbour, six Spanish Ships of the Line, and seven Galleons; but Gen. Wentworth, who had 10,000 Soldiers under his Command, was unsuccessful on Shore, where he lost 2000 Men.

Admiral Vernon and General Wentworth, in 1741, also undertook the Reduction of the Island of Cuba, but the General even abandoned the Attempt against St. Jago, which made the Admiral complain, that he was unequally yoked; and the Spaniards merrily said to one another, they believed the English were only come to a Hunting-Match in their Woods.

That War was very sparingly carried on against the Spaniards in all Parts, but now they are convinced, by the unexpected Reduction of the Havannah, how vulnerable their greatest Strength is to the British Arms, when conducted with Spirit and Unanimity both by Sea and Land. They tremble for the Fate of Carthage, where they have eight Ships of the Line, and the Possession of that important Place, which we well know how to attack, will open the Way to Panama, which will enable us to command Mexico and Peru.

Without Doubt, all Englishmen with the Crown had no German Dominions, and that our Strength might be kept within our own Island: But secondary Causes have disposed Things otherwise, and it is not easy to alter them. It might be proposed to give Hanover to one of the Royal Family; as it would be greatly for the Interest both of Great-Britain and Hanover, by taking away a Pretence from France for invading it when at War with us.

This Measure is said to be practicable; for by the Feudal Law, by which the Fiefs in Germany are regulated, a Vassal can give his Land to whom he will; and there are many Examples in Germany which shew, that such Alienations are agreeable to the Germanic Constitution. But these Writers forget the Golden Bull of Charles IV. whereby it was provided, that the Territories, with the great Offices annexed to them, and by the Possession of which, the Electoral Dignity was obtained, should descend according to the Right of Primogeniture, and be absolutely indivisible, that the Right of each Elector might be the better known, and more effectually secured.

According to the Spirit of the Treaties of this Age, Europe requires that the Sovereignty of Spain should be separated from that of Italy; therefore the present King of Spain, on his Accession to that Throne in 1759, made a formal Act of Abdication and Settlement of the Crown of the Two Sicilies, in Favour of his third Son, Don Ferdinand, and in Prejudice to the natural Right of his eldest Son Don Philip, the Prince Royal.

This poor Prince is now in the 18th Year of his Age, and was in his 15th, when his tender Father thought proper to deprive him of the Trouble of Government, on the Report of his Physicians, that they had not been able to find in the unfortunate Prince Royal, either the Principles of Reason, Reflection, or Judgment; and that as he had been in this State ever since his Infancy, he was not only incapable of any Act of Religion or Reason, but there was not even the least Shadow of Hope that he could ever acquire the Use of his Faculties.

Those wise Physicians concluded from thence, that Don King Carlos could not think of disposing of the Crown of the Two Sicilies in Favour of his eldest Son, though it might be agreeable to Nature, and his paternal Duty and Affection: And the King declared, that he was constrained by the Divine Will, to pass by the Right of his eldest Son, in Favour of the Infant Don Ferdinand, his third Son, whom he left in Possession of the Crown of the Two Sicilies, under a Regency of his own Nomination, declaring that the Minority of the Prince, who is now in the 12th Year of his Age, should expire when he has accomplished his 16th Year.

But the Report of those Physicians is absurd in the highest Degree, and may one Day occasion the Beginning of a War in Italy; for which there are many Reasons to be assigned.

The last Letters received from France, by the Way of Holland, inform us, that what stopp'd the Negotiation was, that when the Duke of Bedford proposed a Cessation of Arms in Portugal, under the Guaranty of France, the Marquis de Grimaldi declared, that though he was charged with full Powers, he could not agree to that Proposal without further Instructions from his Court. The Return of the Courier he had dispatched for them was impatiently expected.

Transports are preparing to receive some Horse and Foot Forces on board, designed to reinforce the British Army in Portugal; and we are assured some other Transports will soon be contracted for, to carry some Troops to the Coast of Spain, where a Descent is intended to be made as soon as possible, by Way of a Diversion in Favour of Portugal.

Letters from the Allied Army advise, that the French Garrison in Cassel is reduced to the Necessity of eating a Kind of Bread made Half of Oats and Half of Rye, and that they are almost without Provisions of any Kind; so that the Place must soon surrender.

War, says Dr. Smollet, in the Continuation of his History, which naturally impedes the Traffic of other Nations, has opened new Sources to the Merchants of Great-Britain: The Superiority of her Naval Power hath crushed the Navigation of France, her great Rival in Commerce; so that she now supplies, on her own Terms, all those foreign Markets at which in Time of Peace she was underfold by that dangerous Competitor. Thus our Trade is augmented, to a surprising Pitch, and this great Augmentation alone has enabled her to maintain the War, at such an enormous and incredible Expence. As this Advantage will cease when the French are at Liberty to re-establish their Commerce, and prosecute it without Molestation, it would be for the Interest of Great-Britain to be at continual Variance with that restless Neighbour, provided the Contest could be limited to the Operations of a Sea War, in which the English would always be invincible and victorious. Foreign Nations doubtless will be surpris'd to learn that above Eight Thousand Ships are employed by the Traders of Great-Britain; and that the Produce of the Sinking-Fund, which is the Overplus produced by all the different Funds appropriated to defray the Interest of the national Deb., exceeds annually Three Millions Sterling.

Return of the Killed, Wounded, Missing, and Dead, since the Army landed on the Island of Cuba. August 13, 1762.

Staff. **BRIGADIER** Carleton, wounded. 1st Regiment, Sinclair's. Lieuts. Cook and Athe, killed. Capt. Balfour, Lieut. Ruth, Ensign Keating, wounded. 1 Serjeant, 31 rank and file, killed. 2 Serjeants, 1 Drummer, 75 rank and file, wounded. 2 rank and file, missing. 12 rank and file, died. 3 rank and file, dead of wounds.

4th, Duroure's. Lieut. Chitty, wounded. Enf. Lindsey, died. 2 rank and file, killed. 1 rank and file, wounded. 6 rank and file, missing. 16 rank and file, died.

9th, Whitmore's. Enf. Wood, killed. Lieut. Col. Thomas, Capt. Suttie, Lieut. Surman, died. 19 rank and file, killed. 31 rank and file, wounded. 1 Serjeant, 10 rank and file, missing. 2 Serjeants, 2 Drummers, 24 rank and file died. 5 rank and file, dead of wounds.

15th, Amherst's. Lieut. Skene, killed. Capt. Tyrwhit, Lieut. Winter, died. 2 Serjeants, 8 rank and file, killed. 2 Serjeants, 18 rank and file, wounded. 1 rank and file, missing. 1 Drummer, 9 rank and file, died. 2 rank and file, dead of wounds.

17th, Monckton's. Lieut. Martin, Ensign M'Grath, wounded. 1 Serjeant, 2 rank and file, killed. 2 rank and file, wounded. 3 rank and file, missing. 4 Serjeants, 22 rank and file, died.

22d, Gage's. Lieut. Stannus, wounded. Capt. Schaak, Lieut. Burke, died. 6 rank and file, killed. 13 rank and file, wounded. 4 rank and file, missing. 28 rank and file, died. 1 rank and file, dead of wounds.

27th, Warbuton's. Enf. Orr, killed. Capt. Morris, wounded. Lieut. Col. Gordon, died. 14 rank and file, killed. 23 rank and file, wounded. 4 rank and file, missing. 1 Serjeant, 12 rank and file, died. 1 Drummer, dead of wounds.

28th, Townshend's. 2 Serjeants, 9 rank and file, killed. 2 Serjeants, 15 rank and file, wounded. 1 Drummer, 8 rank and file, missing. 7 rank and file, died. 1 rank and file, dead of wounds.

34th, Cavendish's. Lieut. Johnston, killed. Lieut. Wyley, Enf. Mortiboy, died. Lieut. Banks, dead of wounds. 1 Serjeant, 24 rank and file, killed. 2 Serjeants, 68 rank and file, wounded. 1 rank and file, missing. 1 Serjeant, 2 Drummers, 82 rank and file, died. 7 rank and file, dead of wounds.

35th, Otway's. Lieut. Widdrington, killed. Lieut. Fitzgerald, Enf. Candler, wounded. 1 Drummer, 13 rank and file, killed. 1 Serjeant, 25 rank and file, wounded. 11 rank and file, missing. 17 rank and file, died. 6 rank and file, dead of wounds.

40th, Armiger's. Lieut. Reid, died. 8 rank and file, killed. 1 Drummer, 12 rank and file, wounded. 1 Drummer, 14 rank and file, missing. 10 rank and file, died. 1 rank and file, dead of wounds.

42d, Lt. J. Murray's Highlanders, First Battalion. Major M'Neill, Capt. M'Donald, Lieuts. Mill and Blair, died. 1 Drummer, 2 rank and file, killed. 2 rank and file, wounded. 5 rank and file, missing. 2 Drummers, 38 rank and file, died. 1 rank and file, dead of wounds.

42d, Second Battalion, Capt. Menzies, Lieut. Grant, Leslie, Farquarson and Cunnison, died. 1 rank and file, killed. 1 Drummer, 2 rank and file, wounded. 33 rank and file, died. 2 rank and file, dead of wounds.

43d, Talbot's. Capt. Spendlove, wounded. 10 rank and file, killed. 15 rank and file, wounded. 4 rank and file, missing. 13 rank and file, died.

46th, Murray's. 2 rank and file, missing. 1 rank and file, died.

48th, Webb's. Capt. Crofton, Lieuts. Atkinson and Frazer, died. 8 rank and file, killed. 27 rank and file, wounded. 1 Drummer, 9 rank and file, missing. 1 Drummer, 9 rank and file, died. 3 rank and file, dead of wounds.

56th, Keppel's. Lieut. White, Enf. Ingram, died. 1 Serjeant, 35 rank and file, killed. 1 Serjeant, 73 rank and file, wounded. 4 rank and file, missing. 86 rank and file, died. 7 rank and file, dead of wounds.

60th, 2d Batt. Haviland's. Lieut. Sears, Enf. Power, wounded. Enf. M'Dougal, died. Enf. Steward, dead of wounds. 2 Serjeants, 1 Drummer, 15 rank and file, killed. 4 Serjeants, 2 Drummers, 57 rank and file, wounded. 11 rank and file, missing. 13 rank and file, died. 8 rank and file, dead of wounds.

65th, Malpas's. 1 rank and file, wounded. 72d, Richmond's. Lieutenant Bruce, wounded. Lieut. Bowers, Quarter-Master Wall, died. Enf. Brice, dead of wounds. 20 rank and file, killed.

1 Drummer, 36 rank and file, wounded. 7 rank and file, missing. 3 Serjeants, 2 Drummers, 80 rank and file, died.

77th, Montgomery's. Lieut. M'Vicar, killed. Major Mirrie, Lieuts. Grant, and M'Nabb, died. 2 rank and file, killed. 8 rank and file, wounded. 16 rank and file, missing. 10 rank and file, died. 90th, Grant's. Lieut. Holroyd, killed. Lieut. Wastel, wounded. Capt. Windus, Enf. Kelly, died. 10 rank and file, killed. 25 rank and file, wounded. 1 rank and file, missing. 49 rank and file, died.

98th, Burton's. Enf. Deade, wounded. Lieut. Burton, died. Lieut. Barber, dead of wounds. 1 Drummer, 5 rank and file, killed. 3 rank and file, wounded. 1 Drummer, 4 rank and file, missing. 1 Serjeant, 31 rank and file, died.

Engineers. Captain Gordon, Ensign Moncrieff, wounded.

Royal Artillery. Capt. Strachey, Lieut. Fireworker Boffom, killed. Lieut. Col. Leith, First Lieut. Benjamin, died. 5 Serjeants, 16 rank and file, killed. 5 Serjeants, 44 rank and file, wounded. 2 Serjeants, 1 Drummer, 22 rank and file, died. 4 rank and file, dead of wounds.

Independants, 1 rank and file, missing. Provincials, 7 rank and file, missing. Major Ferron, Capt. Goreham, died.

Total. Officers, 11 killed. 19 wounded. 39 died. 4 dead of wounds.

15 Serjeants, 4 Drummers, 260 rank and file, killed. 49 Serjeants, 6 Drummers, 576 rank and file, wounded. 1 Serjeant, 4 Drummers, 125 rank and file, missing. 14 Serjeants, 11 Drummers, 632 rank and file, died. 1 Drummer, 51 rank and file, dead of wounds.

A Person Died lately, who left a large Estate to a Female Relation, provided she would Marry one of the Name of Pearce. She not knowing any one of that Name, advertised in the public Papers, That if any such Person would come to her, he might hear of something to his Advantage. At Length one came, to whom she would give 150 l. per Annum, if he would Marry her, settle the Rest of her Fortune upon her, and live elsewhere. Which Proposal he gladly accepted, being just released from Jail by the Insolvent-Act.

**EDINBURGH, Sept. 27.**  
This Day Mr. Johnson performed his surprising Feats of Horsemanship in Comely-Garden, to the Astonishment of all the Beholders, who acknowledged that he by far surpassed any Thing contained in his Advertisement, of which the following is a Copy.

I. He rides a single Horse standing upon one Leg, on his Back, and in that Position puts the Horse through all his Exercises, whilst the Horse keeps Time to the Music. He then stands with both Feet on his Back, whilst the Horse goes three Times round the Green on full Speed. He then lays the Bridle on the Horse's Neck, and gallops him round without the Assistance of it.

II. He rides two Horses, with a Foot in each inside Stirrup: When the Horses are at the greatest Rate, he extends himself between them, at full Length; then raises himself up, and vaults from one to one; stands upon the Saddles upright, and gallops three Times round.

III. He rides three Horses; and, when in full Speed, tosses his Cap and catches it several Times.

IV. He rides a single Horse, and mounts and dismounts while the Horse is on full Speed; and, to the great Surprise of the Spectators, leaps over the Horse when at his greatest Rate.

**CHARLES-TOWN (South-Carolina) Nov. 13.**  
From Virginia we learn, that the Murrain has lately made its Appearance amongst the Cattle there. This Distemper broke out among our Cattle about 18 Years ago, and still continues in the Province.

We are desired to make it public, that George Lemond, and Joseph How, who went as Hostages to Cape-François in 1758, for 2000 l. Sterling, on Account of Messieurs Papley and Boan, Merchants in Jamaica, remained close confined in Goal the 21st of August last, only Part of the Ransom Money having then been paid.

There were above 4000 Sick at the Cape when our Informant left it.

Nov. 20. On Thursday last arrived here from Havannah, his Majesty's Ship Mercury, Samuel Cranston Goodall, Esq; Commander (of whom Sir George Pocock writes very advantageously) being ordered hither by Sir George, as an additional Station Ship to the Success and Bonetta. She has on board the Spanish Bishop of St. Jago, and other Ecclesiastics, accused of dangerous Practices, and ordered to be landed at St. Augustine, whither we hear they will be sent as soon as the Bonetta comes in from her present Cruise.

Sir George Pocock sailed for England from Havannah, the same Day as the Mercury left it, in the Namure, and took with him the following other Ships of War, viz. Temple, Marlborough, Devonshire, Infante, San Genaro, and Assumption Register Ship (the two last, with the Register Ship, taken at Havannah) with about 80 Sail of Transports and Merchantmen under his Convoy: He was parted with in the Lat. of St. Augustine, the 14th Inst. and had to that Time taken the most extraordinary Care of his Convoy.—The Ships left at Havannah are, the Belleisle, Rippon, Hampton-Court, and Port-Royal Sloop.—Lord Albemarle, we hear, goes Home in the Rippon about the 1st of January.—On the 24th of October, 3 English Transports were lost, just as they came out of the Havannah, by the North Winds suddenly setting in; one of them was the General Wolfe (an old Indian) the Lion was another, the Name of the 3d we have not learnt.

**PROVIDENCE (in New-England) Dec. 11.**  
Last Saturday the Brig Britannia, Capt. Dudley Saltonstall, arrived at New-London, in 40 Days from Coracoa; in whom came Passenger Mr. John Snow, of this Town, late Mate of the Brigantine Industry, Capt. Philemon Williams, who has been gone near twelve Months, without ever being heard of.—Mr. Snow gives the following Account of the Loss of said Vessel, on the Voyage from Barbados to Saltertuda, and the many Difficulties and Hardships they afterwards underwent, viz. On the 3d of April last, they sailed from Barbados in the Fleet for Saltertuda, and were to touch at Martinico, but their Vessel being an extreme heavy Sailer, they soon lost Sight of the Fleet; and after many fruitless Efforts to get into Martinico, they bore away for Saltertuda; but were by strong Currents, and adverse Winds, driven so far to Leeward, that on the 17th of April, about 4 o'Clock in the Morning, they unfortunately ran ashore on the Spanish Main at a Place called Cora; where they were soon after boarded by 150 Savages from the Shore, who plundered them of every Thing that could be of any Service to them, and turned them ashore (seven in Number) without any Kind of Provision to subsist on, with Directions to go to Maricoy, a Spanish Settlement, about 300 Miles from thence. They accordingly set out upon their Journey, through a Country they were unacquainted with, and after travelling three Days, in the greatest Distress for Want of Subsistence, and continually exposed to wild Beasts of Prey, and the more savage Natives, they were luckily overtaken by 7 Spaniards, who supplied them with Refreshments, and conducted them to the Spanish Town. As soon as they arrived they were immediately imprisoned, without Distinction, in a loathsome Goal, where they all continued for five Months, except one who embraced the Roman Catholic Religion, after a Month's Confinement, and was set at Liberty, and treated with great Kindness. At length the Spanish Governor ordered the fix that kept fast to their Faith, on board of a Dutch Sloop that was trading there, in which they got to Coracoa. Capt. Williams died on the 19th ult. on his Passage Home, after a few Days Illness.

**NEW-YORK, - December 27.**  
We have Letters in Town from Lisbon, as late as the 29th of October, by which we learn that the Portuguese expected to be able to stop the Progress of the Spaniards in a short Time, and prevent their attacking any more of their Towns for the Campaign.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Wednesday the 16th of March next, at the House of Mr. Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, in Frederick County,

THE following Tracts of LAND, late the Estate of Mr. James Wardrop, Deceased, all lying in Frederick County.

One Tract called Partnership, lying on the West Side of Manockasy, below the Upper Ford, — — — — — } 250

One Ditto called Dear Bought, lying on a Draught of Anti-Eatam, near the Head of a Spring at Thomas Anderson's old Place, } 500

John's Delight, lying on a small Run called Curry's Branch, at the Foot of Shannendore Mountain, near Curry's Cap, } 104

Piney Hill, lying about 8 Miles above the Mouth of Conococheague, on the East Side of Lick Run, near Patowmack River, } 86

Brentford, lying near John George Arnold's on the West Side of the Road leading from Conococheague to Frederick-Town, } 35

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### PROPOSALS,

For Circulating a Collection of New BOOKS in the City of ANNAPOLIS, and a Circle of Thirty Miles about it.

I. EVERY Subscriber shall pay at the Time of Subscribing One Guinea, for the Use of this Library for one Year.

II. Every Subscriber shall have the Use of one Book at a Time, for which he or she shall send a Ticket or Note, under his or her own Hand, and shall have the Liberty of changing them as often as he or she shall think proper.

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### ANNAPOLIS RACES.

On Thursday, the 21st of April next, will be Run for, on the Race-Ground in the City of Annapolis, a Purse of FIFTY PISTOLES, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, on the following Terms.

EVERY Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that runs for the said Purse, shall, if rising Four next Grass, carry eight Stone, if Five, eight Stone ten Pounds, if Six, nine Stone six Pounds, and Aged, ten Stone: Horse Plates, and Shoes, not allowed in the Weight.

Every Person that puts in a Horse, Mare, or Gelding, for the said Purse, shall enter the same with Mr. JONAS GREEN, on the Tuesday preceding the Race, with whom he shall leave satisfactory Vouchers of his or her Age, and at the same Time shall pay Two Pistoles Entrance, or Half that Sum, if a Subscriber to the Race; and such Horses, Mares, or Geldings, of whose Ages satisfactory Vouchers are not produced, shall be deemed Aged.

The Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that wins any two Heats, wins the Purse; each Heat to be four Times round the Poles; but if three several Horses, Mares or Geldings, win each of them a Heat, then those three, and only they, to run a fourth Heat, and the Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that wins the fourth Heat, shall win the Purse; any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that wins the first and second Heats, shall be obliged to start again, if

required by any of the other Riders, and must save his Distance, to entitle him to the Purse: No Distance a fourth Heat.

In running the Heats, if it cannot be decided, which Horse, Mare, or Gelding, has his or her Head at the ending Post first, that Heat goes for nothing, and they may all Start again, except it be in the last Heat, and the Doubt between two Horses, Mares, or Geldings, if either of which had won, the Purse would have been decided, then they only shall start again.

Every Rider shall after each Heat is run, come to the Scales with his Horse, Mare, or Gelding, then and there to alight and not before, and to weigh to the Satisfaction of the Judges; and in case of Neglect or Refusal thereof, or want of Weight, the Horse, Mare, or Gelding, of such Rider, shall have no Share in the Purse, nor be permitted to start again: But as a Rider may (unknown to the Judges) alight previous to his coming to the Scales, and by them, for want of timely Information, be permitted to start again, such Horse, Mare, or Gelding, shall take Place, the same as if it had not happened.

If a Rider falls from his Horse, and the Horse is rode in by another, that is of sufficient Weight, he will take Place the same as if it had not happened, provided he goes back to the Place where the Rider fell.

If any Rider shall cross, jostle, strike, or use any foul Play, the Horse, Mare, or Gelding, he rides, shall be deemed distanced.

Every Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that runs on the wrong Side of the Poles, and does not turn back, or is distanced in any of the Heats, shall have no Share in the Purse, nor be permitted to run any more.

The Entrance Money to be paid to the second best Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that shall start for the Purse.

If there are three Heats run, the Horse, Mare, or Gelding, is second best, that wins one, and if the Purse is won by two Heats, the Preference to be determined by the Place they are in at the second Heat.

The Time of Starting will be between One and Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, and Half an Hour will be allowed between each Heat to rub.

All Disputes that shall arise to be finally determined by Messieurs Thomas Sprigg, Kensey Johns, and Jonas Green, who are appointed Judges for that Purpose.

The next Day will be run for, a Purse of TWENTY-FIVE PISTOLES, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, rising Four next Grass, to carry eight Stone, each Heat to be three Times round the Poles, and to be entered on the Day preceding the Race, with Mr. Jonas Green, to whom they shall pay One Pistole Entrance, or Half that Sum if a Subscriber to the Race; the winning Horse of the Day before, to be excluded; all the other Terms (hereto applicable) to be the same as in the preceding Race.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Estate of William Beall, Son of William, late of Frederick County, Deceased, are desired to make immediate Payment; and all those that have any just Claims against the said Estate are desired to bring them in, legally proved, by the First Day of March next, which shall be adjusted and paid, by

THOMAS EDMONSTON, Administrator.

ALL Persons that have any Demands against the Estate of Thomas Stockett, late of Anne-Arundel County, Deceased, are desired to bring them in, that they may be adjusted and paid; and all those who are Indebted to the said Estate, are desired to make speedy Payment, to

ELISABETH STOCKETT, Executrix.

JOHN JEUDY, BREWER, Living at the Tan-Yard, which formerly belonged to Mr. Robert Swan, in Annapolis,

HEREBY gives Notice, That he will purchase any Quantity of GOOD BARLEY, delivered at his House, between this Time and the Middle of March, and give Four Shillings a Bushel, Ready Money, or more, if more is given by any Body else: After that Time he will give the best Market-Price. Next Fall he will purchase a large Quantity of RYE, and give the best Market-Price, in Ready Money.

He likewise carries on the COOPER's Business, and makes all Kinds of CASKS, at the most reasonable Price.

N. B. He wants a couple of Apprentices.

### TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of Land, called Beanes's Pasture, containing 220 Acres, adjoining to the Town of Nottingham on Patuxent River in Prince George's County, whereon is a new Dwelling-House, 28 by 26 Feet, finished in a neat and very convenient Manner, with a new Kitchen, 20 by 16 Feet, under which is a small Stone Cellar, and a good Stable. About Half the Tract is a fine hard Marsh, which may easily be Improved to very great Advantage; the other Part is very level, and proper for highland Pasturage.

ALSO, To be SOLD, Between Four and Five Hundred Pounds first Cost of Goods, very suitable to the Season, at a low Advance, for good London Bills of Exchange, Sterling or Current Money.

All Persons indebted to the Estate of Colmore Beanes, Deceased, are desired to make immediate Payment, and those who have any Demands against the said Estate, are desired to send in their Accounts legally proved. Attendance is given at Nottingham, every Wednesday and Saturday in order to settle Accounts, by

WILLIAM BEANES, junior, Executor.

January 1, 1763.

SCHEME of a LOTTERY, for Raising ONE HUNDRED and FIFTY POUNDS, to be applied towards Building a WHARF at Bobemia Ferry, in Cecil County, Maryland.

As this Undertaking is intended, in a very particular Manner, for the Public Good, no other Recommendation is thought requisite in it's Favour. The great Advantages accruing from it, to Numbers of the Trading Gentlemen residing in the Lower Counties of this Province, and a considerable Part of the Colony of Virginia, is beyond Doubt Excitement sufficient for their unanimous Encouragement of a much more extensive, though (perhaps in the Issue) not more laudable Undertaking. The Situation of the Place must undoubtedly Claim the Preference of any other at the Head of the Bay, it being much the nearest navigable Landing, from whence a constant uninterrupted Communication with Philadelphia may, with the greatest Ease, Safety, and Expedition, be maintained. A commodious Road for Cartage, not exceeding 13 or 14 Miles, is already laid out from the Ferry on Bobemia River to Reedy-Island. A convenient Waggon for Passengers, or Goods, (and more than One upon any Emergency) will constantly attend once a Week at the Ferry, when the Scheme shall be completed.

A convenient Wharf and Warehouse is already built by Capt. Jacob Gooding at his Landing, at Reedy-Island, who intends, keeping in constant Attendance a proper Vessel, once a Week (or oftener if Necessary) to go from thence to Philadelphia.

As small Undertakings may in Time, if properly encouraged, become of great and public Utility, this Scheme is therefore humbly recommended to the impartial Consideration of the Public, the Managers trusting it will meet with Success adequate to it's Intention.

The SCHEME is as follows:

Number of Prizes.	Value of each.	Total Value.
1 of	£. 50	is 50
1 of	30	is 30
2 of	20	are 40
3 of	15	are 45
6 of	7:10	are 45
8 of	5	are 40
20 of	2:10	are 50
65 of	2	are 130
570 of	1	are 570

676 Prizes.

1324 Blanks.

2000 Tickets at 10s. each, are £. 1000

There are not two Blanks to a Prize, and the Deduction 15 per Cent.

The Drawing will begin at Bobemia Ferry, the First of March next, or sooner, if sooner full, of which timely Notice will be given, and the Fortunate Numbers to be publish'd in the Maryland GAZETTE.

Prize Money not demanded in Four Months after the Publication of them, will be deem'd as generously given to the Purpose of the Lottery.

The following Gentlemen are appointed Managers, viz. Col. Peter Bayard, Captains John Yeazy and Jonathan Hodgson of Cecil County, Capt. John Fendall of Charles County, Jacob Gooding of New-Castle, and James Aphton Bayard of Cecil County.

TICKETS may be had of any of the Managers.

THERE is at the Plantation of Edward Dorsey, Son of John, at Elk-Ridge, taken up as a Stray, a Grey Horse about 4 Years old, Branded on the off Buttock HD (join'd together), 14 Hands high, Faces slow, and had a small Bell on.

**TO BE SOLD,**

For Bills of Exchange, or Sterling Cash,

**A** VERY good Brick DWELLING-HOUSE, situate on the main Road, about a Mile from Annapolis, where the Subscriber now lives, with about 100 Acres of Land. There is a very good Cellar to the House, good Stable, Corn-House, Meat-House, Milk-House, Hen-House, Two good Gardens, and an Orchard with very good Fencing. The Title good. Any Person wanting to purchase, may apply to  
THOMAS PECKER.

ALSO, A good Tract of LAND containing 210 Acres, situate on a Branch of Seneca, in Frederick County, about 30 Acres of it good Meadow Ground; for Dollars or Pistoles.

Baltimore County, Dec. 31, 1762.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, on the 29th of this Instant, a Servant Man named David Wickenden, an Englishman, about 30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, dark Skin, thin Visage, black Hair tied behind, and a small Blemish in one of his Eyes: Had on when he went away, a good Felt Hat, and old Country-Cloth Coat full of the Cape lined with Plaid, and a Lead-colour'd Country full'd Jacket with large white Buttons, a small old light colour'd Coat, old coarse Shirt, old Leather Breeches, mix'd blue and white Yarn Stockings, old Shoes, and round yellow Buckles.

Whoever secures the said Servant so that his Master may have him again, shall receive Forty Shillings Reward if taken in the County; Five Pounds if out of the County; and Seven Pounds Ten Shillings if out of the Province, and reasonable Charges paid if brought home, by  
ALEXANDER WELLS.

N. B. He formerly served Seven Years to Mr. Henry Dorsey on Elk-Ridge.

**L**ENT, but to whom forgot, the Second Volume of Dr. DOUGLASS'S "SUMMARY, Historical and Political, of the first Planting, progressive Improvements, and present State of the British Settlements in North-America." Printed in 1749. The Person who has it, is desired to return it to the Owner, or else, to call or send for the First Volume. These Words are wrote in the Beginning, *The Wicked Borrow and never Return.*

**TO BE LET,**

**A** VERY convenient STUDY, suitable for a Lawyer, or any Person studying the Arts and Sciences, adjoining the Store that the Subscriber keeps; there is one Room below, with a good Fire Place and Closets, and a very good Lodging Room up Stairs.

The Subscriber has a new SAILING BOAT to Sell, well fitted with new Sails and Rigging, and Sails as fast as most Boats.  
WILLIAM ROBERTS.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

**A** TRACT of Land, called *Jarboe's Ramble*, containing 400 Acres, lying near the Head of St. Mary's River, in St. Mary's County: Any Person or Persons inclining to purchase the Whole, or any Part thereof, may be informed of the Terms, by applying to  
RICHARD WIMSATT.

N. B. The Payment, if agreeable to the Purchaser or Purchasers, may be made in Corn or Wheat, for one Third of their Purchase, the Remainder in Cash or Tobacco.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, living in Annapolis, on the 28th of Decemb. last, a Convict Servant Man, named *Richard Stevens*, a Prussian Born, and Taylor by Trade, speaks broken English, and very quick. He is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, naturally of a pale Complexion, but when he ran away, his Face was much bruised, and had black Eyes, occasioned by Fighting. He carried with him sundry very good Clothes, viz. a very good brown Broadcloth Coat and Waistcoat, trimmed with the same Colour, a violet blue Suit of Cloth, with divers other Things too tedious to mention.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures him so that his Master may have him again, shall have TEN POUNDS Reward, paid by  
JOHN DUCKER.

Queen-Anne's County, December 4, 1762.

**W**HEREAS *Hannah*, the Wife of me *George Glover*, having within Nine Months past, by her Extravagancy, involved me in Debt, more than I can afford to pay for her; and has often said, that she intended to ruin me as fast as she could, and make me a Servant, if it lay in her Power; and as it is proper for my own Safety, I hereby give Notice to all Persons, not to Trust her on my Account, or Harbour her in anywise, for I solemnly Declare, I will not pay any Debts contracted by her after this Date.  
GEORGE GLOVER.

**S**AMUEL ROUNDELL, being determined to go for London, early the next Spring, desires all Persons who have any Claims on him, to bring in their Accounts, that they may be paid; and all Persons who are indebted to him, are requested immediately to settle their Accounts, or they may expect Trouble.  
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To be SOLD to the HIGHEST BIDDER, at the House of Mr. John Scott, in Upper-Marlborough, on Tuesday the First Day of February next, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Sterling, Maryland Currency, or Bills of Exchange,

**A** CHOICE Tract of LAND, whereon are good and valuable Improvements, called *Greenland*, containing One Hundred Eighty-four Acres and an Half, where Mr. *Richard Keene*, formerly lived, and produces as Fine Tobacco as any made in the Province. The Title is indisputable.  
FRANCIS HANCE.

N. B. There is a CHOICE Piece of Meadow Land, and more, with very little Trouble, may be made. Likewise Two Additions, containing Seventy Acres, called *Keene's Additions to Greenland*.  
# FRANCIS HANCE.

**T**HIS is to give NOTICE, that the Subscriber has left the Place where he lived by *Port-Tobacco*, in *Charles County*, and now lives Five Miles from *Upper-Marlborough*, on the Road to *Nottingham*, by the Rev. Mr. *Eversfield's* Chappel, where Gentlemen that please to favour him with their Custom, in Repairing their Clocks and Watches, may depend on having them well done, and as reasonable as possible, by  
Their Humble Servant,  
# WILLIAM THOMPSON.

December 6, 1762.

**O**N the Third Day of January next, there will be a Vacancy for a Master, at *Charles County-School*; any Gentleman that can come well recommended, will meet with Encouragement by applying to the Visitors of the said School.  
Signed per Order,  
# WILLIAM HANSON, Register.

Prince-George's, December 15, 1762.

**W**E hereby give NOTICE to, and request all Persons who have any Demands against *Nathan Smith*, late of *Prince-George's County*, Deceased, to bring in their Claims to us the Subscribers, in Two Months from the Date hereof, that we may be enabled to Satisfy such Creditors as are legally entitled to receive their Debts; we are afraid there will be more Bonds than there is Estate to pay, and we want to finish the Estate.  
# MARGARET SMITH,  
JAMES SMITH.

**G**OOD RUM to be SOLD at the New STILL-HOUSE in *Charles-Town*, and by *JAMES REITH* in *Annapolis*, at reasonable Rates.

**P**IGG-IRON, to be SOLD by *BUCHANAN & HUGHES* in *Baltimore-Town*.

**JUST IMPORTED,**

In the Schooner *Peggy*, Captain *William Grymes*, from *Savannah* in *Georgia*, to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at their Stores in *Queen's-Town*, *Oxford*, and at *Talbot Court-House*, by Wholesale or Retail, for Ready Money, Tobacco, or short Credit.

**G**REAT Variety of EUROPEAN and INDIA GOODS.  
# ANTHONY McCULLOCH,  
JOHN GLASSELL,  
EBENEZER MACKIE.

December 13, 1762.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, living on *Kent-Island*, in *Queen Anne's County*, on the 6th Instant, a young Convict Servant Man, named *John Place*, born in *England*, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, heavy Look, remarkable large white Eyes, dark Hair with drop Curls; he is an artful cunning Fellow, writes a legible Hand, and will probably forge a Pass: His Cloathing is, a light coloured Broad Cloth Coat, with Mohair Buttons, a white Linen Jacket, a red Swanskin ditto, Buckskin Breeches, a Pair of grey ribbed Stockings, and a Pair of Block-Tin Shoe Buckles, which has much the Appearance of Silver.

Also one other Servant, named *Samuel Downy*, born in *England*, 5 Feet 5 Inches high, about 35 Years of Age, of a dark Complexion; has had a Bile on one of his Cheeks: His Cloathing a light brown Cloth Coat, with white Metal Buttons, a blue Serge Jacket, a grey and brown cut Wig, dark Yarn Stockings, and took several Pair with him, their Colour unknown, Buckskin Breeches, with Jockey Straps, and speaks much in the West-Country Dialect.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Servants, so that their Master may have them again, shall have Fifty Shillings Reward for each, paid by  
JAMES HUTCHINGS.

**S**TRAYED or taken out of Mrs. *Orrick's* Stable in *Baltimore*, on the 15th of December last, a dark bay Mare, nigh 14 Hands high, a long bob Tail, shod before, trots, paces, and gallops lively. Whoever returns her to Mrs. *Orrick*, or the Subscriber, in *Alexandria*, shall have THREE DOLLARS Reward, from  
JOHN KIRKPATRICK.

**S**TRAYED or STOLEN from the Subscriber in *George-Town*, *Frederick County*, some Time in *October* last, a bright Bay Horse about 14 Hands high, with a small Snip on his Nose, in shod before, paces slow and gallops, but has no perceivable Brand. Whoever brings the said Horse to me, shall receive Twenty Shillings.  
JOHN MURDOCK.

Annapolis, December 9, 1762.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, for Cash, or Bills of Exchange,

**A** QUANTITY of TOBACCO, Sixty Hogheads of which are at one Warehouse, and the Rest contiguous.  
HENRY WARD.

Annapolis, November 10, 1762.

**W**HEREAS several of the Officers and Men who composed the *Maryland Troops*, did not in July last (when Lieutenant Colonel *Dagworthy*, and Dr. *Daquid Ross* attended at *Annapolis* and *Queen's-Town*, to pay away the Money, which in Pursuance of a Warrant from his Excellency Sir *Jeffery Amherst*, had been advanced to Lieut. Colonel *Dagworthy* for that Purpose) either personally appear, or by others apply for the Arrears of Pay due to them respectively; Notice is hereby given, that Lieutenant Colonel *Dagworthy* and *David Ross* will attend again at *Annapolis*, the Third Monday in February next, in order to settle Accounts with, and pay the Arrears due to such Persons as shall then apply to them, or send proper Powers to settle and receive what may be due to them respectively: And those who cannot attend themselves, are desired to have the Powers they give to others, to receive what may be due to them, regularly attested, and it is expected that those who shall apply for what is due to the Estates of such as are dead, will previously take out Letters of Administration in the Counties where it is most convenient for them to give Security.

**WANTED,**

**A** CURATE for *Dorchester Parish*, in *Dorchester County*. Any Clergyman of the Church of *England*, that can be well recommended, will be employed by the Vestry, who has an Assignment of Fourteen Thousand Pounds of Tobacco yearly, to be paid as collected by the Sheriff, for his Support. Signed per Order,  
ROGER JONES, Register.

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# The MARYLAND GAZETTE.

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ST. JAGO DE LA VEGA (in Jamaica) October 23.  
Extract from the Proceedings of the ASSEMBLY.  
Sabbati, 2 Die Octobris, 1762.

Mr. SPEAKER,  
I AM commanded by his Excellency to lay before the House, his Majesty's Order in Council of the 15<sup>th</sup> of February last, declaring his Majesty's Royal Disallowance of four Acts passed by the Governor, Council and Assembly of this Island, the Titles whereof appear in the said Order; and also, the Report of the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations to the King, bearing Date the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of January last, whereon his Majesty's said Order is grounded; and the King having been graciously pleased to signify his Permission and Allowance, for the immediate re-enacting the Provisions contained in the said Acts comprised therein, entitled, "An Act for one of the Acts re-enacted therein, and condemned as such, in this Island, to export the same under certain Regulations, free from any Duties imposed by the Laws of this Island; and for laying a Duty on certain Wines that may be brought in and condemned as Prize, and sold in this Island, and not already liable to any Duty or Impost, passed in the Year 1761." His Excellency recommends to the House to prepare a Bill for that Purpose; and also refers it to the Consideration of the House, that it appears requisite, that an Act, passed here on the 18<sup>th</sup> Day of April last, entitled, "An Act to explain and amend two several Acts of this Island; one entitled, 'An Act for giving Licence to the Captors, other Proprietors, and Purchasers of Prize-Goods, to export the same under certain Regulations, free from any Duties imposed by the Laws of this Island, and for laying a Duty on certain Wines that may be brought in and condemned as Prize, and sold in this Island, and not already liable to any Duty or Impost.' And the other, an Act, entitled, 'An Act to prohibit the Importation of Sugars, Rum and Molasses, of the Growth of the French, Spanish, Dutch, and Danish Colonies in America into this Island; and for preventing several Frauds committed by Persons trading to and from the Northern Colonies,' should be repealed at the same Time that the above-mentioned Act, passed in the Year 1756, is re-enacted, forasmuch as sundry of the Objections stated in the Report of the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations, may be said to affect the Act of the 18<sup>th</sup> of April last, equally with those Laws that were under the Contemplation of their Lordships, at the Time when they made their said Report to the King, and humbly proposed to his Majesty to disallow thereof; but in order that the illicit and clandestine Importation of the Produce of Foreign Colonies into this Island may be prevented, his Excellency further recommends to the House, to consider of some Regulations which shall operate as a Remedy to that Evil, without contradicting the Laws of the Mother-Country, and his Excellency will readily concur with the House, in passing a distinct and particular Act for that Purpose.

Jovis, 7 Die Octobris, 1762.

May it please your EXCELLENCY,  
IN Consequence of your Excellency's Message, accompanied with a Report from the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations to his Majesty, and an Order of his Majesty in Council thereupon, we are ordered by the House to acquaint your Excellency, that they have maturely weighed the Purport of the Proposition, permitting them to re-enact the Provisions of the Act passed in the Year 1756, for the Regulation of Prizes; and as the House do not incline to accept the Proposition, nor can admit the Objection of the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations to that Act, to carry any Weight, so they are by no means disposed to substitute their Sentiments to the Determination of their Lordships, nor ever will at any Time suffer them, in any Respect, to direct or influence their Proceedings by any Proposition or Decision whatever.

Veneris, 8 Die Octobris, 1762.

Mr. SPEAKER,  
I AM commanded by his Excellency to acquaint the House, that he has received their Answer to his Message of the 10<sup>th</sup> Instant, with the greatest Surprise.

His Excellency fees, with Concern, that the House has declined preparing a Bill to re-enact the Law passed in the Year 1756, for the Regulation of Prizes, which his Majesty, by his Order in Council, now before the House, has declared to be a Law, tending to encourage the Annoyance of the Enemy, and a vigorous Prosecution of the War, and has therefore, out of his Princely Regard for the Welfare of his People, been graciously pleased to permit the immediately re-enacting of; but his Excellency cannot sufficiently express his Amazement, that the House should take upon itself to judge the Objection to that Act, as stated by the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations in their Report to the King, to be of no Weight, even after his Majesty and his Privy-Council have adopted that Objection, as the Ground whereon the King has been pleased to make known his Disallowance and Repeal of the said Act.

And his Excellency is at a Loss to conceive, what can have induced the House to break forth into such Expressions, of the Disregard they are determined to shew to the Sentiments of the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations, more especially, as the Sentiments of their Lordships have in the Instance of the Laws lately repealed, been approved of by his Majesty and his Privy-Council, and transmitted hither with a benevolent Purpose to the good People of this Country, that the Legislature of it being apprized of every Objection that has occurred to those Laws, may know how to avoid the same Errors in the passing of any future Laws.

But his Excellency is willing to hope, that the House will, upon a Review of its Proceedings in this Business, explain the extraordinary and unprecedented Declarations it has

made, and express its Respect for his Majesty's Councils of State (one whereof are the King's Commissioners for Trade and Plantations) in such Terms as are due to the Place those Councils hold in his Majesty's Administration, and may vindicate the House from any Intention of treating them in a contemptuous Manner, and thereby affronting his Majesty's mild and gracious Government.

Sabbati, 9 Die Octobris, 1762.

May it please your EXCELLENCY,

WE are commanded by the House to assure your Excellency, in Answer to your Message of Yesterday, that their Intentions never were, by their Message of the 7<sup>th</sup> Instant, to shew the least Disrespect to his Majesty, or his most Honourable Privy-Council, and they embrace this Opportunity, which your Excellency hath given them, to declare, that they will always preserve an inviolable Attachment to his Royal Person, and Submission to his Government, and that they think themselves bound in every Instance to approve themselves the most dutiful loyal Subjects to a Prince, who has always shewn himself a Father to his People.

With Hearts filled with such Sentiments, the House think themselves ill treated by the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations, who, in their Report on the several Laws mentioned in your Excellency's Message of the 2<sup>d</sup> Instant, have endeavoured to represent the Legislature of this Island in a very disadvantageous Light to his Majesty, and mentioned them as Objects of his severest Censure; and that, in Language not used by that Board, in Regard to Acts of the Legislature of this Island, whilst the Right Honourable the Earl of Halifax presided there.

The greater the Zeal of the House is to acquire and preserve his Majesty's Love and good Opinion, the greater must their Resentment be against any whose Actions have the least Tendency to lessen them, and the House might at this Time have been under the greatest of Misfortunes (his Majesty's Displeasure) had not his usual Benignity interposed, the Influence of which hath always been felt by his most dutiful and loyal Subjects here, tho' unhappily placed at so great a Distance from his Royal Presence.

Martis, 12 Die Octobris, 1762.

GENTLEMEN of the COUNCIL,

I Return you Thanks for the Part you have taken towards expediting the publick Business that has come before you. Mr. SPEAKER, and GENTLEMEN of the ASSEMBLY,  
When I called you together, I hoped that a calm and temperate Spirit would have ruled in your Deliberations, and directed them to a prosperous Issue for the Good of his Majesty's Service, and the Welfare of the People you represent; and it is with much real Concern I have now required your Attendance here, that I may express to you how great my Disappointment has been. The publick Manner in which you have arraigned the Conduct of the King's Commissioners for Trade and Plantations, whose Representations, in Relation to you, have been solemnly approved by his Majesty and his Privy-Council, and your other Declarations concerning their Lordships, which you have not even apologized for, altho' I put it in your Power to do it, render it necessary for me, as his Majesty's Governor, to give a signal Proof of the Sense I have of your great Misconduct, by bringing your present Proceedings to a speedy Conclusion; and I heartily wish, that at your next Meeting, a just Regard for the Peace of this Country (which no Man has it more at Heart to preserve than I have) and a due Respect for his Majesty, and all those who are in Authority under him, may induce you to lay aside all Considerations that are not compatible therewith, and apply yourselves to render a future Session as happy in its Fruits as this Meeting has proved unfortunate. I do prorogue this General Assembly unto Tuesday, the 19<sup>th</sup> Day of this Month of October, and it is prorogued accordingly.

LONDON, September 30.

Yesterday being the Feast of St. Michael, came on at Guildhall the Election of Lord-Mayor; and after the Recorder had spoken as usual concerning the Business of the Day, Mr. Alderman Beckford advanced from his Seat, with an Intention to address the Livery; but after making several Attempts to speak, he retired again to his Seat, as he found it impossible to be heard. The Lord-Mayor and Aldermen then went into the Court of King's Bench, as is customary, leaving the Sheriffs on the Hustings to proceed to the Election. Upon holding up of Hands, there appeared a great Shew in Favour of Mr. Alderman Beckford, and Mr. Alderman Bridgen, who were returned to the Court of Aldermen; and upon their Scrutiny, there were found eighteen Votes for Mr. Beckford, and one (which was supposed to be Mr. Alderman Beckford) for Mr. Bridgen. The Lord-Mayor and Aldermen then returning to the Hustings, the Recorder, after intimating that the Court of Aldermen had made Choice of William Beckford, Esq; immediately declared him duly elected Lord-Mayor of this City for the Year ensuing. Two Officers then put the Gold Chain on William Beckford, Esq; which done his Lordship Eleat advanced forward, and addressed himself in a Speech to the Livery, purporting, That if it had been their Pleasure to bear him before, he should have desired they would excuse his taking upon him the Office of Lord-Mayor, as the ill State of Health he had been in for some Years past, and the Multiplicity of Business which he has on his Hands, rendered him incapable of discharging the Office, which he looked upon to be of great Dignity and Importance, in the Manner that is ought to be: That he had also the highest Veneration for the Name of Citizen; that his Family were Citizens; that some of them had borne the highest Offices for a Century past; and that as the Livery had elected him, he was determined to serve the Office to the best of his Abilities, let the Consequence to himself be what it might, &c. &c.

We are assured that Admiral Pocock has declared he will give a 16<sup>th</sup> Part of the Prize Money coming to him from the Conquest of the Havannah, to the Widows and Orphans of

the Seamen killed there. An Act of Generosity worthy the Conqueror of the Havannah, and deserving to be imitated by all other Victors, who generally acquire both their Laurels and Riches at the Expence of these poor Fellows and their Families.

The following uncommon Affair we are informed is a Matter of Fact, viz. A few Days since, a Widow, in Essex, whose Husband died lately, being missing, was supposed to be gone to a Relation at Westham; but it appearing on Enquiry that she was not there, her House was ordered to be broke open, when they found her dead in her Bed, with a very uncommon Appearance of Worms about her, and upon searching farther they likewise discovered her Child at her Feet, miserably eaten by the same Vermin. The Distemper she died of being believed in the Neighbourhood to be Epidemical, she was carried forth to be buried upon a Bier, instead of Men's Shoulders, to prevent the Infection spreading, by the Direction and at the Expence of a worthy Gentleman, who has a Seat at the Place where this happened.

NEWPORT (Rhode-Island) December 13.

Last Wednesday Evening John Shearman, who received Sentence of Death at the last Superior Court, for Burglary, and had been Reprieved by the Hon. General Assembly for the Term of Fourteen Months, in order that he might have an Opportunity to obtain his Majesty's Pardon, broke out of Goal and made his Escape. [It is very probable this poor Rogue was afraid he had no Friend at Court.]

NEW-LONDON, December 17.

About 700 Horses have this Week been shipped at this Port for different Parts in the West-Indies.

We hear from Hebron, that of 18 Soldiers which went from that Town, in the Expedition to the Havannah, 15 are dead, two are sick at New-York, and one is returned.

Dec. 24. Last Wednesday Evening two Indians being on board a Canoe in the Cove at the lower End of this Town, they were heard to have some high Words together, and soon after one of them was heard to fall over board; and altho' help was immediately obtain'd he was drowned. The Body was found the next Morning, when the Coroner's Inquest convened and brought in their Verdict, that the Wounds and Bruises found on the Body were not mortal. Their Names were John and Solomon Peters, belonging to Stonington, and were Brothers; the latter was drowned, and the former after some Resistance was taken into Custody.—They were both in Liquor.

WILLIAMSBURG, December 17.

By a Letter from London, dated September 28<sup>th</sup>, we have an Account of the Arrival of the following Vessels: The Unity, Cuzens; Freemason, Ayres; Russia Merchant, Lawrence; British King, Gray; Fauquier, Wray; Hope, Nicholson; Mary and Anne, Walker; John and Presley, Thompson; at Portsmouth: The Marlborough, Quiney; and Monmouth, Clark; at Liverpool. The Friendships, Melvin, parted from the Rest the 6<sup>th</sup> of September, to go North about, and had not been heard of since.

WILMINGTON, December 17.

An Extract of a Letter from an Officer to his Relation here, dated at Fort Detroit, October 26, 1762.

"This Settlement is about 15 Miles long (the Fort contains very near as many Houses as Wilmington) the Land extraordinary good, and the People might live very happy, were they industrious; but instead of cultivating the Land, they pay a most exorbitant Price for almost all the Necessaries of Life, and only carry on a little dirty Trade with the Indians.

"The 19<sup>th</sup> of this Month was the most extraordinary dark Day, perhaps, ever seen in the World. At Nine in the Morning it was scarce lighter than at Break-of-Day, and so continued till about 12 o'Clock, the Air being very full of Smoke, accompanied with a strong Smell, as of Wood, Straw, and other Combustibles, when burning. At half an Hour after One it was so dark, that we were obliged to light Candles to dine by: At this Time it rained a little, with which fell such a Quantity of black Particles, like Ashes, as turned every Thing it fell upon black; even the River, which is twice as wide as Christiansa, was covered with a black Froth, which when scummed off the Surface, resembled the Lather of Soap, with this Difference, that it was (and as black as Ink) more greasy. At Seven in the Evening the Air was more clear, and the disagreeable Smell was now almost gone.—We have been since informed, by People who were 20 Miles from hence that Day, that the Darkness, Rain and Smell, was the same with them."

ANNAPOLIS, January 20.

We have certain Advice, That the Sloop Sally, Captain Robert Saunders, junior, of this Province, with a Cargo of Rum, &c. was taken by a Spanish Privateer, of ten Guns, on the 4<sup>th</sup> of November past, as she was coming from the West-Indies, near the Capes of Chesapeake, in 17 Fathom Water.

A few Days ago, Mr. ALEXANDER LAWSON, a young Gentleman of Baltimore, was married to Miss ELISABETH BROWN (only Daughter of Mr. CHARLES BROWN) of Queen-Anne's County: And Mr. BENNETT CHEW, a young Gentleman of this City, to Miss ANNE TILGHMAN (eldest Daughter of Col. EDWARD TILGHMAN) of the same County. Two amiable young Ladies, of distinguish'd Merit, and handsome Fortunes.

On Saturday Evening last, departed this Life, at his House in St. Luke's Parish, in Queen-Anne's County, the Reverend Mr. RICHARD HARRISON, for Twenty Years past Rector of that Parish; in the Course of which Time, his Conduct was such

**TO BE SOLD,**

For Bills of Exchange, or Sterling Cash,

**A** VERY good Brick DWELLING-HOUSE, situate on the main Road, about a Mile from Annapolis, where the Subscriber now lives, with about 100 Acres of Land. There is a very good Cellar to the House, good Stable, Corn-House, Meat-House, Milk-House, Hen-House, Two good Gardens, and an Orchard with very good Fencing. The Title good. Any Person wanting to purchase, may apply to  
THOMAS PECKER.

ALSO, A good Tract of LAND containing 210 Acres, situate on a Branch of Seneca, in Frederick County, about 30 Acres of it good Meadow Ground; for Dollars or Pistoles.

Baltimore County, Dec. 31, 1762.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, on the 20th of this Instant, a Servant Man named David Wickenden, an Englishman, about 30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, dark Skin, thin Visage, black Hair tied behind, and a small Blemish in one of his Eyes: Had on when he went away, a good Felt Hat, and old Country-Cloth Coat full-lined, the Cape lined with Plaid, and a Lead-colour'd Country full-lined Jacket with large white Buttons, a small old light colour'd Coat, old coarse Shirt, old Leather Breeches, mix'd blue and white Yarn Stockings, old Shoes, and round yellow Buckles.

Whoever secures the said Servant so that his Master may have him again, shall receive Forty Shillings Reward if taken in the County; Five Pounds if out of the County; and Seven Pounds Ten Shillings if out of the Province, and reasonable Charges paid if brought home, by  
ALEXANDER WELLS.

N. B. He formerly served Seven Years to Mr. Henry Dorsey on Elk-Ridge.

**L**ENT, but to whom forgot, the Second Volume of Dr. DOUGLASS'S "SUMMARY, Historical and Political, of the first Planting, progressive Improvements, and present State of the British Settlements in North-America." Printed in 1749. The Person who has it, is desired to return it to the Owner, or else, to call or send for the First Volume. These Words are written in the Beginning, *The Wicked Borrow and never Return.*

**TO BE LET,**

**A** VERY convenient STUDY, suitable for a Lawyer, or any Person studying the Arts and Sciences, adjoining the Store that the Subscriber keeps; there is one Room below, with a good Fire Place and Closets, and a very good Lodging Room up Stairs.

The Subscriber has a new SAILING BOAT to Sell, well fitted with new Sails and Rigging, and Sails as fast as most Boats.  
WILLIAM ROBERTS.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

**A** TRACT of Land, called *Jarboe's Ramble*, containing 400 Acres, lying near the Head of St. Mary's River, in St. Mary's County: Any Person or Persons inclining to purchase the Whole, or any Part thereof, may be informed of the Terms, by applying to  
RICHARD WIMSATT.

N. B. The Payment, if agreeable to the Purchaser or Purchasers, may be made in Corn or Wheat, for one Third of their Purchase, the Remainder in Cash or Tobacco.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, living in Annapolis, on the 28th of Decemb. last, a Convict Servant Man, named Richard Stevens, a Prussian Born, and Taylor by Trade, Speaks broken English, and very quick. He is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, naturally of a pale Complexion, but when he ran away, his Face was much bruised, and had black Eyes, occasioned by Fighting. He carried with him sundry very good Clothes, viz. a very good brown Broadcloth Coat and Waistcoat, trimmed with the same Colour, a violet blue Suit of Cloth, with divers other Things too tedious to mention.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures him so that his Master may have him again, shall have TEN POUNDS Reward, paid by  
JOHN DUCKER.

Queen-Anne's County, December 4, 1762.

**W**HEREAS Hannab, the Wife of me George Glover, having within Nine Months past, by her Extravagancy, involved me in Debt, more than I can afford to pay for her; and has often said, that she intended to ruin me as fast as she could, and make me a Servant, if it lay in her Power; and as it is proper for my own Safety, I hereby give Notice to all Persons, not to Trust her on my Account, or Harbour her in any wife, for I solemnly Declare, I will not pay any Debts contracted by her after this Date.  
GEORGE GLOVER.

**S**AMUEL ROUNDELL, being determined to go for London, early the next Spring, desires all Persons who have any Claims on him, to bring in their Accounts, that they may be paid; and all Persons who are indebted to him, are requested immediately to settle their Accounts, or they may expect Trouble.  
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To be SOLD to the HIGHEST BIDDER, at the House of Mr. John Scott, in Upper-Marlborough, on Tuesday the First Day of February next, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Sterling, Maryland Currency, or Bills of Exchange,

**A** CHOICE Tract of LAND, whereon are good and valuable Improvements, called Greenland, containing One Hundred Eighty-four Acres and an Half, where Mr. Richard Keene, formerly lived, and produces as Fine Tobacco as any made in the Province. The Title is indisputable.  
FRANCIS HANCE.

N. B. There is a CHOICE Piece of Meadow Land; and more, with very little Trouble, may be made. Likewise Two Additions, containing Seventy Acres, called Keene's Additions to Greenland.  
4 FRANCIS HANCE.

**T**HIS is to give NOTICE, that the Subscriber has left the Place where he lived by Port-Tobacco, in Charles County, and now lives Five Miles from Upper-Marlborough, on the Road to Nottingham, by the Rev. Mr. Everfield's Chappel, where Gentlemen that please to favour him with their Custom, in Repairing their Clocks and Watches, may depend on having them well done, and as reasonable as possible, by  
Their Humble Servant,  
WILLIAM THOMPSON.

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**O**N the Third Day of January next, there will be a Vacancy for a Master, at Charles County-School; any Gentleman that can come well recommended, will meet with Encouragement by applying to the Visitors of the said School.  
Signed per Order,  
WILLIAM HANSON, Register.

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Prince-George's, December 15, 1762.  
**W**E hereby give NOTICE to, and request all Persons who have any Demands against Nathan Smith, late of Prince-George's County, Deceased, to bring in their Claims to us the Subscribers, in Two Months from the Date hereof, that we may be enabled to Satisfy such Creditors as are legally entitled to receive their Debts; we are afraid there will be more Bonds than there is Estate to pay, and we want to finish the Estate.  
MARGARET SMITH,  
JAMES SMITH.

**G**OOD RUM to be SOLD at the New STILL-HOUSE in Charles-Town, and by JAMES REITH in Annapolis, at reasonable Rates.

**P**IGG-IRON, to be SOLD by BUCHANAN & HUGHES in Baltimore-Town.

**JUST IMPORTED,**

In the Schooner Peggy, Captain William Grymes, from Savannah in Georgia, to be SOLD by the Subscribers, at their Stores in Queen's-Town, Oxford, and at Talbot Court-House, by Wholesale or Retail, for Ready Money, Tobacco, or short Credit.

**G**REAT Variety of EUROPEAN and GINDIA GOODS.

ANTHONY McCULLOCH,  
JOHN GLASSSELL,  
EBENEZER MACKIE.

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December 13, 1762.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, living on Kent-Island, in Queen Anne's County, on the 6th Instant, a young Convict Servant Man, named John Place, born in England, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, heavy Look, remarkable large white Eyes, dark Hair with drop Curls; he is an artful cunning Fellow, writes a legible Hand, and will probably forge a Pass: His Cloathing is, a light coloured Broad Cloth Coat, with Mohair Buttons, a white Linen Jacket, a red Swanskin ditto, Buckskin Breeches, a Pair of grey ribbed Stockings, and a Pair of Block-Tin Shoe Buckles, which has much the Appearance of Silver.

Also one other Servant, named Samuel Downy, born in England, 5 Feet 5 Inches high, about 35 Years of Age, of a dark Complexion; has had a Bile on one of his Checks: His Cloathing a light brown Cloth Coat, with white Metal Buttons, a blue Serge Jacket, a grey and brown cut Wig, dark Yarn Stockings, and took several Pair with him, their Colour unknown, Buckskin Breeches, with Jockey Straps, and speaks much in the West-Country Dialect.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Servants, so that their Master may have them again, shall have Fifty Shillings Reward for each, paid by  
JAMES HUTCHINGS.

**S**TRAYED or taken out of Mrs. Orrick's Stable in Baltimore, on the 15th of December last, a dark bay Mare, nigh 14 Hands high, a long bob Tail, shod before, trots, paces, and gallops lively.

Whoever returns her to Mrs. Orrick, or the Subscriber, in Alexandria, shall have THREE DOLLARS Reward, from  
JOHN KIRKPATRICK.

**S**TRAYED or STOLEN from the Subscriber in George-Town, Frederick County, some Time in October last, a bright Bay Horse about 14 Hands high, with a small Snip on his Nose, is shod before, paces slow and gallops, but has no perceivable Brand.

Whoever brings the said Horse to me, shall receive Twenty Shillings.  
JOHN MURDOCK.

Annapolis, December 9, 1762.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, for Cash, or Bills of Exchange,

**A** QUANTITY of TOBACCO, Sixty Hoop-heads of which are at one Warehouse, and the Rest contiguous.  
HENRY WARD.

Annapolis, November 10, 1762.

**W**HEREAS several of the Officers and Men who composed the Maryland Troops, did not in July last (when Lieutenant Colonel Dagworthy, and Dr. David Ross attended at Annapolis and Queen's-Town, to pay away the Money, which in Pursuance of a Warrant from his Excellency Sir Jeffery Amherst, had been advanced to Lieut. Colonel Dagworthy for that Purpose) either personally appear, or by others apply for the Arrears of Pay due to them respectively; Notice is hereby given, that Lieutenant Colonel Dagworthy and David Ross will attend again at Annapolis, the Third Monday in February next, in order to settle Accounts with, and pay the Arrears due to such Persons as shall then apply to them, or send proper Powers to settle and receive what may be due to them respectively: And those who cannot attend themselves, are desired to have the Powers they give to others, to receive what may be due to them, regularly attested, and it is expected that those who shall apply for what is due to the Estates of such as are dead, will previously take out Letters of Administration in the Counties where it is most convenient for them to give Security.

**WANTED,**

**A** CURATE for Dorchester Parish, in Dorchester County. Any Clergyman of the Church of England, that can be well recommended, will be employed by the Vestry, who has an Assignment of Fourteen Thousand Pounds of Tobacco yearly, to be paid as collected by the Sheriff, for his Support.  
Signed per Order,  
ROGER JONES, Register.

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ST. JAGO DE LA VEGA (in Jamaica) October 23.  
Extract from the Proceedings of the ASSEMBLY.  
Sabbati, 2 Die Octobris, 1762.

Mr. SPEAKER,  
I AM commanded by his Excellency to lay before the House, his Majesty's Order in Council of the 15th of February last, declaring his Majesty's Royal Disallowance of four Acts passed by the Governor, Council and Assembly of this Island, the Titles whereof appear in the said Order; and also, the Report of the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations to the King, bearing Date the 27th Day of January last, whereon his Majesty's said Order is grounded; and the King having been graciously pleased to signify his Permission and Allowance, for the immediate re-enacting the Provisions contained in one of the Acts comprised therein, entitled, "An Act for the giving Licence to the Captors, other Proprietors, and Purchasers of Prize-Goods, brought into, and condemned as such, in this Island, to export the same under certain Regulations, free from any Duties imposed by the Laws of this Island; and for laying a Duty on certain Wines that may be brought in and condemned as Prize, and sold in this Island, and not already liable to any Duty or Imposition, passed in the Year 1761." His Excellency recommends to the House to prepare a Bill for that Purpose; and also refers it to the Consideration of the House, that it appears requisite, that an Act, passed here on the 18th Day of April last, entitled, "An Act to explain and amend two several Acts of this Island; one entitled, 'An Act for giving Licence to the Captors, other Proprietors, and Purchasers of Prize-Goods, brought into, and condemned as such in this Island, to export the same under certain Regulations, free from any Duty or Imposition;' and the other, an Act, entitled, 'An Act to prohibit the Importation of Sugars, Rum and Molasses, of the Growth of the French, Spanish, Dutch, and Danish Colonies in America into this Island; and for preventing several Frauds committed by Persons trading to and from the Northern Colonies,'" should be repealed at the same Time that the above-mentioned Act, passed in the Year 1756, is re-enacted, forasmuch as sundry of the Objections stated in the Report of the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations, may be said to affect the Act of the 18th of April last, equally with those Laws that were under the Contemplation of their Lordships, at the Time when they made their said Report to the King, and humbly proposed to his Majesty to disallow thereof; but in order that the illicit and clandestine Importation of the Produce of Foreign Colonies into this Island may be prevented, his Excellency further recommends to the House, to consider of some Regulations which shall operate as a Remedy to that Evil, without contradicting the Laws of the Mother-Country, and his Excellency will readily concur with the House, in passing a distinct and particular Act for that Purpose.

Jovis, 7 Die Octobris, 1762.

May it please your EXCELLENCY,  
IN Consequence of your Excellency's Message, accompanied with a Report from the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations to his Majesty, and an Order of his Majesty in Council thereupon, we are ordered by the House to acquaint your Excellency, that they have maturely weighed the Purport of the Proposition, permitting them to re-enact the Provisions of the Act passed in the Year 1756, for the Regulation of Prizes; and as the House do not incline to accept the Proposition, nor can admit the Objection of the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations to that Act, to carry any Weight, so they are by no means disposed to submit their Sentiments to the Determination of their Lordships, nor ever will at any Time suffer them, in any Respect, to direct or influence their Proceedings, by any Proposition or Decision whatever.

Veneris, 8 Die Octobris, 1762.

Mr. SPEAKER,  
I AM commanded by his Excellency to acquaint the House, that he has received their Answer to his Message of the 1st Instant, with the greatest Surprise.  
His Excellency sees, with Concern, that the House has declined preparing a Bill to re-enact the Law passed in the Year 1756, for the Regulation of Prizes, which his Majesty, by his Order in Council, now before the House, has declared to be a Law, tending to encourage the Annoyance of the Enemy, and a vigorous Prosecution of the War, and has therefore, out of his Princely Regard for the Welfare of his People, been graciously pleased to permit the immediately re-enacting of it; but his Excellency cannot sufficiently express his Amazement, that the House should take upon itself to judge the Objection to that Act, as stated by the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations in their Report to the King, to be of no Weight, even after his Majesty and his Privy-Council have adopted that Objection, as the Ground whereon the King has been pleased to make known his Disallowance and Repeal of the said Act.

And his Excellency is at a Loss to conceive, what can induce the House to break forth into such Expressions, the Disregard they are determined to shew to the Sentiments of the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations, more especially, as the Sentiments of their Lordships have in the Instance of the Laws lately repealed, been approved of by his Majesty and his Privy-Council, and transmitted hither with benevolent Purpose to the good People of this Country, at the Legislature of it being apprized of every Objection that has occurred to those Laws, may know how to avoid the same Errors in the passing of any future Laws.

But his Excellency is willing to hope, that the House will, on a Review of its Proceedings in this Business, explain the extraordinary and unprecedented Declarations it has

made, and express its Respect for his Majesty's Councils of State (one whereof are the King's Commissioners for Trade and Plantations) in such Terms as are due to the Place those Councils hold in his Majesty's Administration, and may vindicate the House from any Intention of treating them in a contemptuous Manner, and thereby affronting his Majesty's mild and gracious Government.

Sabbati, 9 Die Octobris, 1762.

May it please your EXCELLENCY,  
WE are commanded by the House to assure your Excellency, in Answer to your Message of Yesterday, that their Intentions never were, by their Message of the 7th Instant, to shew the least Disrespect to his Majesty, or his most Honourable Privy-Council, and they embrace this Opportunity, which your Excellency hath given them, to declare, that they will always preserve an inviolable Attachment to his Royal Person, and Submission to his Government, and that they think themselves bound in every Instance to approve themselves the most dutiful loyal Subjects to a Prince, who has always shewn himself a Father to his People.

With Hearts filled with such Sentiments, the House think themselves ill treated by the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations, who, in their Report on the several Laws mentioned in your Excellency's Message of the 2d Instant, have endeavoured to represent the Legislature of this Island in a very disadvantageous Light to his Majesty, and mentioned them as Objects of his severest Censure; and that, in Language not used by that Board, in Regard to Acts of the Legislature of this Island, whilst the Right Honourable the Earl of Halifax presided there.

The greater the Zeal of the House is to acquire and preserve his Majesty's Love and good Opinion, the greater must their Repentment be against any whose Actions have the least Tendency to lessen them, and the House might at this Time have been under the greatest Misfortunes (his Majesty's Displeasure) had not his usual Benignity interposed, the Influence of which hath always been felt by his most dutiful and loyal Subjects here, tho' unhappily placed at so great a Distance from his Royal Presence.

Martis, 12 Die Octobris, 1762.

GENTLEMEN OF THE COUNCIL,  
I Return you Thanks for the Part you have taken towards expediting the publick Business that has come before you.

Mr. SPEAKER, and GENTLEMEN OF THE ASSEMBLY,  
When I called you together, I hoped that a calm and temperate Spirit would have ruled in your Deliberations, and directed them to a prosperous Issue for the Good of his Majesty's Service, and the Welfare of the People you represent; and it is with much real Concern I have now required your Attendance here, that I may express to you how great my Disappointment has been. The publick Manner in which you have arraigned the Conduct of the King's Commissioners for Trade and Plantations, whose Representations, in Relation to you, have been solemnly approved by his Majesty and his Privy-Council, and your other Declarations concerning their Lordships, which you have not even apologized for, altho' I put it in your Power to do it, render it necessary for me, as his Majesty's Governor, to give a signal Proof of the Sense I have of your great Misconduct, by bringing your present Proceedings to a speedy Conclusion; and I heartily wish, that at your next Meeting, a just Regard for the Peace of this Country (which no Man has it more at Heart to preserve than I have) and a due Respect for his Majesty, and all those who are in Authority under him, may induce you to lay aside all Considerations that are not compatible therewith, and apply yourselves to render a future Session as happy in its Fruits as this Meeting has proved unfortunate. I do prorogue this General Assembly unto Tuesday, the 19th Day of this Month of October, and it is prorogued accordingly.

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We are assured that Admiral Pocock has declared he will give a 46th Part of the Prize Money coming to him from the Conquest of the Havannah, to the Widows and Orphans of

the Seamen killed there. An Act of Generosity worthy the Conqueror of the Havannah, and deserving to be imitated by all other Victors, who generally acquire both their Laurels and Riches at the Expence of these poor Fellows and their Families.

The following uncommon Affair we are informed is a Matter of Fact, viz. A few Days since, a Widow, in Essex, whose Husband died lately, being missing, was supposed to be gone to a Relation at Westham; but it appearing on Enquiry that she was not there, her House was ordered to be broke open, when they found her dead in her Bed, with a very uncommon Appearance of Worms about her, and upon searching farther they likewise discovered her Child at her Feet, miserably eaten by the same Vermin. The Distemper she died of being believed in the Neighbourhood to be Epidemical, she was carried forth to be buried upon a Bier, instead of Men's Shoulders, to prevent the Infection spreading, by the Direction and at the Expence of a worthy Gentleman, who has a Seat at the Place where this happened.

NEWPORT (Rhode-Island) December 13.

Last Wednesday Evening John Shearman, who received Sentence of Death at the last Superior Court, for Burglary, and had been Reprieved by the Hon. General Assembly for the Term of Fourteen Months, in order that he might have an Opportunity to obtain his Majesty's Pardon, broke out of Goal and made his Escape. [It is very probable this poor Rogue was afraid he had no Friend at Court.]

NEW-LONDON, December 17.

About 700 Horses have this Week been shipped at this Port for different Parts in the West-Indies.

We hear from Hebron, that of 18 Soldiers which went from that Town, in the Expedition to the Havannah, 15 are dead, two are sick at New-York, and one is returned.

Dec. 24 Last Wednesday Evening two Indians being on board a Canoe in the Cove at the lower End of this Town, they were heard to have some high Words together, and soon after one of them was heard to fall over board; and altho' help was immediately obtain'd he was drowned. The Body was found the next Morning, when the Coroner's Inquest convened and brought in their Verdict, that the Wounds and Bruises found on the Body were not mortal. Their Names were John and Solomon Peters, belonging to Stonington, and were Brothers; the latter was drowned, and the former after some Resistance was taken into Custody.—They were both in Liquor.

WILLIAMSBURG, December 17.

By a Letter from London, dated September 28th, we have an Account of the Arrival of the following Vessels: The Unity, Cuzzens; Freemason, Ayres; Russia Merchant, Lawrence; British King, Gray; Fauquier, Wray; Hope, Nicholson; Mary and Anne, Walker; John and Prefley, Thompson; at Portsmouth: The Marlborough, Quiney; and Monmouth, Clark; at Liverpool. The Friendships, Melvin, parted from the Rest the 6th of September, to go North about, and had not been heard of since.

WILMINGTON, December 17.

An Extract of a Letter from an Officer to his Relation here, dated at Fort Detroit, October 26, 1762.

"This Settlement is about 15 Miles long (the Fort contains very near as many Houses as Wilmington) the Land extraordinary good, and the People might live very happy, were they industrious; but instead of cultivating the Land, they pay a most exorbitant Price for almost all the Necessaries of Life, and only carry on a little dirty Trade with the Indians.

"The 19th of this Month was the most extraordinary dark Day, perhaps, ever seen in the World. At Nine in the Morning it was scarce lighter than at Break-of-Day, and so continued till about 12 o'Clock, the Air being very full of Smoke, accompanied with a strong Smell, as of Wood, Straw, and other Combustibles, when burning. At half an Hour after One it was so dark, that we were obliged to light Candles to dine by: At this Time it rained a little, with which fell such a Quantity of black Particles, like Ashes, as turned every Thing it fell upon black; even the River, which is twice as wide as Christiansia, was covered with a black Froth, which when scummed off the Surface, resembled the Lather of Soap, with this Difference, that it was (and as black as Ink) more greasy. At Seven in the Evening the Air was more clear, and the disagreeable Smell was now almost gone.—We have been since informed, by People who were 20 Miles from hence that Day, that the Darknes, Rain and Smell, was the same with them."

ANNAPOLIS, January 20.

We have certain Advice, That the Sloop Sally, Captain Robert Saunders, junior, of this Province, with a Cargo of Rum, &c. was taken by a Spanish Privateer, of ten Guns, on the 4th of November past, as she was coming from the West-Indies, near the Capes of Chesapeake, in 17 Fathom Water.

A few Days ago, Mr. ALEXANDER LAWSON, a young Gentleman of Baltimore, was married to Miss ELISABETH BROWN (only Daughter of Mr. CHARLES BROWN) of Queen-Anne's County: And Mr. BENNETT CHEW, a young Gentleman of this City, to Miss ANNE TILGHMAN (eldest Daughter of Col. EDWARD TILGHMAN) of the same County. Two amiable young Ladies, of distinguish'd Merit, and handsome Fortunes.

On Saturday Evening last, departed this Life, at his House in St. Luke's Parish, in Queen-Anne's County, the Reverend Mr. RICHARD HARRISON, for Twenty Years past Rector of that Parish; in the Course of which Time, his Conduct was such

as had deservedly gained him the Esteem of his Parishioners, by whom his Death will be sincerely lamented. He was scrupulously just in his Dealings, of a Disposition truly humane and benevolent; and in his Attendance upon the Duties of his Function (under a long bad State of Health) punctual to a Fault. In an Attempt to attend his Chapel (which he could not effect) on one of the worst Days of this Winter, he contracted a violent Cold, that brought on the Disorder which put an End to his Life.

We are told, that a Vessel is arrived in Virginia, which has brought in an Account, that PEACE is actually concluded on; but it is very likely this Article is of a piece with all those which want Confirmation.

JUST Arrived in the FRIENDSHIP, Captain Brookes, A Load of very good SALT, to be SOLD by the Subscriber at Upper-Marlborough, and Pig-Points, for Money, Corn, Wheat, or other Country Produce. STEPHEN WEST.

Prince-George's County, Jan. 10. 1763.

RAN away about the 8th Instant, from the Subscriber, an indentured Servant Man, whose Name, as he says, is Jonathan Henry, which he will probably change as soon as he gets over the Bay, as I suppose he is gone that Way. He carried with him a Female Child, in order, as he pretends, to leave with his Wife's Friends: He had on when he went away, a Holland Shirt, Leather Breeches, an old brown Great-Coat, &c.

Whoever secures the said Servant, and brings him to me, or to William Reynolds at Annapolis, shall have a PISTOLE Reward, besides what the Law allows. SAMUEL DUVALL BECK.

TO BE SOLD,

A CHOICE Parcel of Land, being Part of a Tract of Land, called Hunting Quarter, containing 348 Acres, lying in Anne-Arundel County, Two Miles from Snowden's new Forge, Ten Miles from Elk-Ridge Landing, and 22 Miles from Annapolis; on which is a good Dwelling-House, and other Out-Houses, all in good Repair. For Title and Terms apply to CHARLES GREENBURY RIDGELY.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, living near Delaware Bottom, to the highest Bidder, on Monday the 14th of February next, if fair, if not, the next fair Day after, for Ready Bills of Exchange, or Sterling Cash,

ALIKELY well grown young NEGRO WOMAN and CHILD, that has had the Small-Pox. The Sale to be precisely at Twelve o'Clock. ROBERT DAVIS.

TAKEN up adrift, by John Hewitt, at West-River, a CANOE, about 22 Feet in Length, and 2 1/2 in Breadth, clumsily made, and had an Iron Chain, about 10 Feet long, at her Head.

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

THERE is in the Possession of Benjamin Ogle, living in the Mountain, near the Head of Owen's Creek, in Frederick County, taken up as Strays, viz. One middling sized light Grey Mare, branded on the near Thigh S, and on both Buttocks, but uncertain what the Brands are, and seems to have some Brand on the near Cheek.

One small bright Bay Mare, with a long Star, or narrow Blaze in her Face, and a small Snip on her Nose, both hind Feet white, and branded on the near Thigh, supposed to be S, and on the off Shoulder, as in the Margin.

And also one bright bay Horse Colt, about a Year old last Spring, with a long narrow Blaze in his Face, and a Snip on his Nose, the near fore Foot, and both hind Feet white, neither branded or docked.

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

THERE is at the Plantation of Edward Dorsey, Son of John, at Elk-Ridge, taken up as a Stray, a Grey Horse about 4 Years old, Branded on the off Buttock HD (join'd together), 14 Hands high, Paces slow, and had a small Bell on.

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

PIGG-IRON, to be SOLD by Buchanan & Hughes in Baltimore-Town.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Wednesday the 16th of March next, at the House of Mr. Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, in Frederick County,

THE following Tracts of LAND, late the Estate of Mr. James Wardrop, Deceased, all lying in Frederick County.

- One Tract called Partnership, lying on the West Side of Manockasy, below the Upper Ford, 280
- One Ditto called Dear Bought, lying on a Draught of Anti-Eatam, near the Head of a Spring at Thomas Anderson's old Place, 500
- John's Delight, lying on a small Run called Curry's Branch, at the Foot of Shannendore Mountain, near Curry's Gap, 104
- Piney Hill, lying about 8 Miles above the Mouth of Conococheague, on the East Side of Lick Run, near Patowmack River, 86
- Brentford, lying near John George Arnold's on the West Side of the Road leading from Conococheague to Frederick-Town, 35

For Title, or Terms of Sale, apply to JAMES DICK.

ALL Persons that have any Demands against the Estate of Thomas Stockett, late of Anne-Arundel County, Deceased, are desired to bring them in, that they may be adjusted and paid; and all those who are indebted to the said Estate, are desired to make speedy-Payment; to

ELIZABETH STOCKETT, Executrix.

JOHN FEUDY, BREWER,

Living at the Tan-Yard, which formerly belonged to Mr. Robert Swan, in Annapolis,

HEREBY gives Notice, That he will purchase any Quantity of GOOD BARLEY, delivered at his House, between this Time and the Middle of March, and give Four Shillings a Bushel, Ready Money, or more, if more is given by any Body else: After that Time he will give the best Market-Price. Next Fall he will purchase a large Quantity of RYE, and give the best Market-Price, in Ready Money.

He likewise carries on the COOPER's Business, and makes all Kinds of CASKS, at the most reasonable Price.

N. B. He wants a couple of Apprentices.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of Land, called Beanes's Pasture, containing 220 Acres, adjoining to the Town of Nottingham on Patuxent River in Prince-George's County, whereon is a new Dwelling-House, 28 by 26 Feet, finished in a neat and very convenient Manner, with a new Kitchen, 20 by 16 Feet, under which is a small Stone Cellar, and a good Stable. About Half the Tract is a fine hard Marsh, which may easily be improved to very great Advantage; the other Part is very level, and proper for highland Pasturage.

ALSO, To be SOLD, Between Four and Five Hundred Pounds first Cost of Goods, very suitable to the Season, at a low Advance, for good London Bills of Exchange, Sterling or Current Money.

All Persons indebted to the Estate of Colmore Beanes, Deceased, are desired to make immediate Payment, and those who have any Demands against the said Estate, are desired to send in their Accounts-legally proved. Attendance is given at Nottingham, every Wednesday and Saturday in order to settle Accounts, by

WILLIAM BEANES, junior, Executor.

Baltimore County, Dec. 31, 1762.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on the 29th of this Instant, a Servant Man named David Wickenden, an Englishman, about 30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, dark Skin, thin Vifage, black Hair tied behind, and a small Blemish in one of his Eyes: Had on when he went away, a good Felt Hat, and old Country-Cloth Coat full-lined, the Cape lined with Plaid, and a Lead-colour'd Country full-lined Jacket with large white Buttons, a small old light-colour'd Coat, old coarse Shirt, old Leather Breeches, mix'd blue and white Yarn Stockings, old Shoes, and round yellow Buckles.

Whoever secures the said Servant so that his Master may have him again, shall receive Forty Shillings Reward if taken in the County; Five Pounds if out of the County; and Seven Pounds Ten Shillings if out of the Province, and reasonable Charges paid if brought home, by

ALEXANDER WELLS.

TO BE SOLD,

For Bills of Exchange, or Sterling Cash,

A VERY good Brick DWELLING-HOUSE, situate on the main Road, about a Mile from Annapolis, where the Subscriber now lives, with about 100 Acres of Land. There is a very good Cellar to the Houle, good Stable, Corn-House, Meat-House, Milk-House, Hen-House, Two good Gardens, and an Orchard with very good Fencing. The Title good. Any Person wanting to purchase, may apply to

THOMAS PECKER. ALSO, A good Tract of LAND containing 210 Acres, situate on a Branch of Seneca, in Frederick County, about 30 Acres of it good Meadow Ground; for Dollars or Pistoles.

To be SOLD to the HIGHEST BIDDER, at the House of Mr. John Scott, in Upper-Marlborough, on Tuesday the First Day of February next, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Sterling, Maryland Currency, or Bills of Exchange,

A CHOICE Tract of LAND, whereon are good and valuable Improvements, called Greenland, containing One Hundred Eighty-four Acres and an Half, where Mr. Richard Keene, formerly lived, and produces as Fine Tobacco as any made in the Province. The Title is indisputable.

N. B. There is a CHOICE Piece of Meadow-Land, and more, with very little Trouble, may be made. Likewise Two Additions, containing Seventy Acres, called Keene's Additions to Greenland.

FRANCIS HANCE.

Queen-Anne's County, December 4, 1762.

WHEREAS Hannab, the Wife of me George Glover, having within Nine Months past, by her Extravagancy, involved me in Debt, more than I can afford to pay for her; and has often said, that she intended to ruin me as fast as she could, and make me a Servant, if it lay in her Power; and as it is proper for my own Safety, I hereby give Notice to all Persons, not to Trust her on my Account, or Harbour her in any wise, for I solemnly Declare, I will not pay any Debts contracted by her after this Date.

GEORGE GLOVER

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

A TRACT of Land, called Jarboe's Ramble, containing 400 Acres, lying near the Head of St. Mary's River, in St. Mary's County: Any Person or Persons inclining to purchase the Whole, or any Part thereof, may be informed of the Terms, by applying to

RICHARD WIMMATT.

N. B. The Payment, if agreeable to the Purchaser or Purchasers, may be made in Corn or Wheat, for one Third of their Purchase, the Remainder in Cash or Tobacco.

SAMUEL ROUNDELL, being determined to go for London, early the next Spring, desires all Persons who have any Claims on him, to bring in their Accounts, that they may be paid; and all Persons who are indebted to him, are requested immediately to settle their Accounts, or they may expect Trouble.

GOOD RUM to be SOLD at the New STILL-HOUSE in Charles-Town, and by JAMES REITH in Annapolis, at reasonable Rates.

Annapolis, November 10, 1762.

WHEREAS several of the Officers and Men who composed the Maryland Troops, did not in July last (when Lieutenant Colonel Dagworthy, and Dr. David Ross attended at Annapolis and Queen's-Town, to pay away the Money, which in Pursuance of a Warrant from his Excellency Sir Jeffrey Amherst, had been advanced to Lieut. Colonel Dagworthy for that Purpose) either personally appear, or by others apply for the Arrears of Pay due to them respectively; Notice is hereby given, that Lieutenant Colonel Dagworthy and David Ross will attend again at Annapolis, the Third Monday in February next, in order to settle Accounts with, and pay the Arrears due to such Persons as shall then apply to them, or send proper Powers to settle and receive what may be due to them respectively: And those who cannot attend themselves, are desired to have the Powers they give to others, to receive what may be due to them, regularly attested, and it is expected that those who shall apply for what is due to the Estates of such as are dead, will previously take out Letters of Administration in the Counties where it is most convenient for them to give Security.

# The MARYLAND GAZETTE.

[XVIIIth Year.]

THURSDAY, January 27, 1763.

[N<sup>o</sup>. 925.]

The following LETTER, from an unknown Hand, we give our Readers as we receiv'd it, and submit it to the Censure or Approbation of the Public.

*Difficile est plurimum virtutem revereri qui Semper secundâ fortunâ sit usus—*

Mr. GREEN,

HAVING observed that your Paper is sometimes enriched with Letters, expressly wrote for the Advantage of this Province, without any regard to selfish and lucrative Purposes, I beg you will give the following Hints a Place, which are truly of that Nature; being sent you with the sole View of removing a real and melancholy Grievance.

Of all the various charitable Institutions, there is not one that appears to me more laudable or more becoming a well govern'd Community than the Hospitals for the Reception and Relief of the Poor and Sick. The Benefit of such Hospitals is very apparent. It is true, there has been, as there ought to be, a Provision made for the Support of the Poor of this Province; but I must confess, it does not appear to me to be either sufficient, or well calculated, for the Purpose designed. How this has happened, or why it is not remedied, is not easy to say. But lest I should be supposed to Reason upon false Principles, let any humane Person examine the Situation of the Poor in this Province, and he will find what I advance to be Matter of Fact. It will, no doubt, be said, that this is a cheap and plentiful Country, and therefore the present Allowance is sufficient; but to speak my Sentiments freely on this Head, I must confess this does not appear to be the Case. Let any Person but consider one Day's Expence, and he will find the present customary Allowance for the Poor, insufficient for the meanest Food and Cloathing. What is 1000 or 1200 Weight of Tobacco? And is not this an extraordinary Allowance? Alas! Is there no humane, nor tender Hearted Patriot, in the true Meaning of that Term, who will start up and propose some Method to redress this Grievance? Will no one display his Eloquence in this large Field in behalf of Misery and Distress? Did this Neglect of our Fellow Creatures answer any good End or Design, I might perhaps, tho' not without Pain and Grief, be Silent; but Compassion for the Poor and Afflicted, and the Good of the Community, forbid it. If therefore some Method could be fallen on, to be substituted in the Room of that now made use of, I should be for proposing something of the following Nature, viz. That Hospitals, or Alms Houses, should be erected in the different Counties of this Province. I confess myself a very inadequate Judge of these Matters; yet by the Light of Reason and Common Sense, I am led to think, if the Poor were placed, in Hospitals, it would not only be a real Saving to the Province (if under proper Regulations) by making several of those who receive Alms, useful Members to Society, but by lessening the Miseries of the Distressed in this World, we should be laying up Provision for our own Happiness in the next. I have little to Hope from these Hints; Wise Men may pick something Profitable out of a Fool's Proposal, which is all I expect. I shall only add, that the many noble and magnificent Hospitals and Charity Houses, reflect as great an Honour on our Mother Country, as any Thing whatever.

PHILANTHROPOS.

LONDON, September 23.  
Extract of a Letter addressed by the Nobility of Majorca to the King of Spain.

SIRE,  
THE Nobility of your Kingdom of Majorca, entreat your Majesty to entrust the Defence of that Island to their Zeal. They think they shall not presume too much, if they set at Defiance the whole Power of those Islanders, who, in abusive and impertinent Papers, insult the Spanish Nation. Majorca appearing to us too narrow a Field to exercise our Valour, we beseech your Majesty to accept the Half of our Forces to carry the War home to our Enemies. The other Half will suffice for the Defence of this Kingdom, if they are so vain as to attack it.

Your Majesty's Enemies will be forced to confess, that Spain is a Vessel secured by two Anchors in the Storm, Religion and Morals. After the Example of the Romans, who, in former Ages received Peace from our Ancestors, we presume to exhort your Majesty never to grant Peace, but with the Laurel in your Hand, this is the favourable Moment to raise to the greatest Height, the Glory of the Nation, by humbling England, who madly attempts the Ruin of Europe. As she conducts herself only from Views of Commerce, that is, of solid Gain, she makes War without loving it, against warlike Nations, who desire nothing better than to be provoked to pass beyond the Bounds of Moderation prescribed to well-governed Nations. Silver and Gold will be exhausted at London, as they were at Carthage, but Virtue, Constancy and Vigour, will not be exhausted among us, any more than they were in ancient Rome, your Majesty's Enemies will destroy themselves by the Violence of the Efforts we shall compel them to make.

Sept. 30. The following is Part of a Letter to a Person of Distinction from Peterburgh, dated August 21. "The troubled State of Things here still continues. All are anxious to know their Issue, and it is far from being easy even to conjecture what that Issue will be. The Party of Prince Ivan (or John) shew themselves daily with less Reserve, and their Silence hitherto, is rather attributed to the Depth of their Councils, than to any Consciousness of the Vanity of their Prospects, The Step taken by Catherine II. in declaring herself Empress, instead of Tutress of the Heir Apparent, has inflamed her Enemies, and, upon Reflexion, been looked upon as imprudent, even by her Friends. The pecuniary Arguments with which she has stopped many Mouths, open many more; and as such Resources are far from being inexhaustible, they are insufficient to suppress the Voice of Faction. Some Days ago the Voyage to Moscow was put off; the Preparations for the Coronation suspended; and the whole Attention of the Ministry employed to fix her Majesty firmly on the Throne. The Method proposed for that End is, as it is now publicly said, a Treaty of Marriage with the young Ivan; whom the Empress is gone to visit in his Retirement, to see whether such a Consort will suit her Taste, or be conducive to her Interest. This incognito Voyage is much talked of; certain it is, that her Imperial Majesty has not appeared for several Days past in this Metropolis. The Accounts of Ivan are various; but those who spread or give credit to the Reports of his Simplicity or Idiotism, are certainly mistaken. It is well known that this Prince has had the Advantages of a good Education, added to his natural Talents and Endowments; and

that his Confinement has been alleviated by an Application to those Branches of Science that are suitable to his Rank. Even the late Empress (who beheld in Ivan a Rival, whose Pretensions were more than specious) was careful and attentive about his Education, and appointed Masters to instruct him in the Sciences that become a Prince. Should the present Empress take this illustrious Exile to her Bed and Throne, this would be, no doubt, one of the best Means of uniting all Parties, of healing all Divisions, and of adding to her domestic Comfort, national Tranquility and Concord.

"The Baron de Breteuil, Minister of France, is arrived here: He is a polite, insinuating Man; and he will indeed have Occasion for all his Dexterity and Address, to succeed in his Negotiations here, or, rather, to obtain even the most remote Appearance of Success."

On Monday Evening last was conducted to Warwick Gaol, one Keen, who kept a little Farm at Wincot, near Tamworth, for stealing about two Strikes of Lime from one of his Neighbours. For a Month past he has had several Quarrels with his Wife, and she has been heard to say, that *he would kill her as he did the Man*. On his being carried before a Justice of the Peace for the Theft, and denying the Commitment of it, his Wife, and Son, who were present, said, that he had better confess, lest worse should come of it; on which he acknowledged, that about four Years ago, he and another Man being drinking at a public House, in Lincolnshire, they enticed a Stranger into a Wood, under Pretence of getting a Nest, where, being arrived, they knocked him down, the other Man, cut his Throat, and they robbed him of a 36 s. Piece, and some other Money, a silk Handkerchief, a Cork Screw, &c. and that he had not seen his Confederate for a great while.

October 5. The Misunderstanding between a noble Lord, and a Member of the Hon. House of Commons, which occasioned their fighting a Duel on Tuesday, on Bagshot-heath, (or as some say, on Hounslow-heath) it is feared will bring on other Differences among those, who, by their Rank and Stations, ought to unite, for otherwise it is feared their Example will descend, the Consequences of which none can tell.

BOSTON, December 16.

Yesterday arrived here Capt. Rogers, in 25 Days from Newfoundland, by whom we have Advice, that a French Frigate had been cruising on the Banks for some Time past, and taken several English Vessels, but where belonging we cannot learn:—That Capt. Greatreaks in a Ship with a Letter of Marque from Bristol for Newfoundland, came up with the Frigate, and engaged her; that Capt. Greatreaks fired a Broadside into her, and carried away some of her Masts; the Frigate then endeavoured to get off, but Capt. Greatreaks boarded and took her, and carried her into Trinity-Bay: The Frigate had above 200 Men on board.

We hear that the Furrs brought into Albany this Year, only from Detroit and those Quarters, amount to 100,000 New-York Currency. (*A good Proof of the Importance of the Conquest of Canada.*)

NEW-YORK, December 23.

Last Monday the Prize Brigantine, called Le Bon, Donne de Dieu, from Bourdeaux to the Cape, was sent in here by the Harlequin, Capt. Wright, which was taken the 30th of November last, at 5 o'Clock in the Evening, within a few Leagues of Fort Dau-



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Cadiz two 70 Gun Ships, and most of the other Spanish Vessels were unrigged, and lying by the Walls.

**PHILADELPHIA, January 20.**  
Extract of a Letter from New-York, Jan. 15.  
Yesterday arrived the Ship Grace, Captain Chambers, from Cadiz, (a Cartel Ship) came out with the Pennsylvania Packet, Captain Gardiner, and kept Company most of the Passage. On the 10th of December they fell in with the Renown, a Man of War, had been out Fourteen Days from England, who informed Chambers, that upon his Arrival in America he would hear of a Peace. He did not send his Boat on board, but proceeded for the West-Indies. Chambers was also brought to by the Le Oia, a French Frigate of 20 Guns, and 200 Men, but he could not find out what her Errand was, nor what Place she was bound to.

By Capt. Chambers we have further Advice, that the Spaniards cry out against the King's Favorite Minister he brought from Italy with him, who governs the Kingdom with the most despotic Sway. It is supposed the late Governor of the Havannah (Don Juan de Pardo, of one of the first Families in Spain) and the Marquis del Ryal Transporta, who commanded the Fleet, will be hardly dealt with; all the Money brought from thence is stopped by an Order from Court at the Custom House, it being reported that upon the Capitulation the King's Treasury was robbed. The French Interest is great in Spain, and at Cadiz particularly, so that the English, who still remain in that Town, dare hardly shew their Heads. There was in Cadiz, under a Vice and Rear Admiral, 13 Ships of the Line ready for Sea. They are blocked up by two Frigates, who come to the Mouth of the Harbour every Day. A Vessel of 32 Guns lately attacked three Xebecs at Anchor in the Road, killed them 20 Men, and forced them to return into the Harbour.

The English Fleet under Sir Charles Saunders is at Gibraltar, to watch the Motions of the French and Spanish Squadrons, who having joined, cruise in the Mediterranean, and want to force the Passage of the Straits.  
The Spanish Captain of the Hermione, and his two principal Officers, are now in the Castle of Cadiz, and probably will lose their Heads. Another Ship from Lima is sharply looked for, she being to sail two Months after the Hermione.

**ANNAPOLIS, January 27.**  
Yesterday Morning Died, at his Seat on Patuxent River, near his Iron-Works, in the 76th Year of his Age, the venerable Mr. RICHARD SNOWDEN, a Gentleman universally and deservedly Esteem'd, who has left a sorrowful Widow, numerous Offspring, Family, Friends and Acquaintance, to lament a most tender Husband, indulgent Parent, kind Master, and cheerful and agreeable Companion. He was of a most benevolent and humane Disposition, remarkably Hospitable and Generous in his Entertainment of Strangers, as well as his intimate Acquaintance. By a diligent Application to the extensive Business which he was a long Time engag'd in, he acquired an affluent Fortune, with a fair unblemish'd Character; and led the Life of a Christian truly worthy of Imitation. During his last Confinement, which was long and tedious, he behaved with great Composure and Resignation to the Divine Will, and met the King of Terrors with the utmost Serenity and Fortitude of Mind. *Mark the perfect Man, and behold the Upright, for the End of that Man is Peace.* Psal. xxxvii. 37.

WHERE the LAND-OFFICE was formerly kept, is Taught, GEOMETRY, TRIGONOMETRY, with their Application to SURVEYING and NAVIGATION; WRITING, ARITHMETIC, and the Italian Method of BOOK-KEEPING. Young LADIES are Taught to Write the Italian Hand, &c. Correct, and Read well.  
To be Sold for Cash, Choice West-India RUM by the Hoghead, LOAF SUGAR, COFFEE, CHOCOLATE, MADEIRA WINE, MAHOGANY, and CEDAR DESKS, &c. by  
THOMAS LYTTETTON.

STRAYED or STOLEN from the Subscriber's Plantation on the 11th Instant, a likely bright Bay Horse, about 14½ Hands high, a large Star in his Forehead, a dark Mane and Tail, trots and gallops lightly, he is about 14 Years old, and not Branded: He was Bred by Mr. Gaffaway Watkins in Anne-Arundel County. Whoever brings the said Horse to me, living near Benedict Town, in Charles County, shall have a Pistole Reward, and if out of the Province Two Pistoles, paid by  
January 21. CORNELIUS DAVIES.

**GOOD West-India RUM, by the Tierce, MUSCOVADO SUGAR, by the Barrel, and Barrell'd BEEF, to be SOLD very CHEAP by**  
THOMAS RICHARDSON and Comp.

**TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC VENDUE,**  
at Hunting-Town, in Calvert County, on Saturday the 19th of February next, for Bills of Exchange, or Sterling Cash,

**PART** of Three Tracts of Land, adjoining each other, on the Main Branch of Hunting-Creek, which formerly belonged to John Gough, containing 175 Acres, well timbered, with a Dwelling-House and Kitchen, with Brick Chimneys, a Milk-House, Tobacco-House, and Two Apple Orchards thereon.  
For Title and Terms apply to the Subscriber at St. Leonard's Creek. 1<sup>st</sup> 7/9 JOHN MACKALL.

**THERE** are at the Plantation of John Hamilton, Son of William, at the Falls of Patapsco in Baltimore County, and have been ever since the First of April last, Two Stray Cattle, viz. A Py'd COW, and a Black Yearling STEER, both mark'd with a Poplar Leaf in the Right Ear, and a Crop in the Left; the Cow has since Calv'd and is in good Order. 1<sup>st</sup> 5/9.  
The Owner or Owners may have them again, on proving Property, and paying Charges. X

**THERE** is at the Plantation of Luke Raven, near Lawson's Iron-Works, in Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray, a Black Gelding, about 13½ Hands high, branded on the near Buttock with something like a square Staple, and on the near Side of his Jaw with CH.  
The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges. 1<sup>st</sup> 5/9

**THERE** is at the Plantation of Robert Yeildall, at the Head of Severn, in Anne-Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a small light Iron grey Mare, about Three Years old, branded on the near Buttock IH, has a Slit in her Right Ear, and is about 12 Hands high.  
The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges. 1<sup>st</sup> 5/9

**TO BE SOLD,**  
A CHOICE Parcel of Land, being Part of a Tract of Land, called Hunting Quarter, containing 348 Acres, lying in Anne-Arundel County, Two Miles from Snowden's new Forge, Ten Miles from Elk-Ridge Landing, and 22 Miles from Annapolis; on which is a good Dwelling-House, and other Out-Houses, all in good Repair. For Title and Terms apply to  
2 CHARLES GREENBURY RIDGELY.

**JUST** Arrived in the FRIENDSHIP, Captain Brooks, A Load of very good SALT, to be SOLD by the Subscriber at Upper-Marlborough, and Pig-Point, for Money, Corn, Wheat, or other Country Produce. 2 STEPHEN WEST.

**To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Wednesday the 16th of March next, at the House of Mr. Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, in Frederick County,**

**THE** following Tracts of LAND, late the Estate of Mr. James Wardrop, Deceased, all lying in Frederick County.  
One Tract called Partnership, lying on the West Side of Mamockals, below the Upper Ford, 280  
One Ditto called Dear Bought, lying on a Draught of Anti-Eatam, near the Head of a Spring at Thomas Anderson's old Place, 500  
John's Delight, lying on a small Run called Curry's Branch, at the Foot of Shannendore Mountain, near Curry's Gap, 104  
Piney Hill, lying about 8 Miles above the Mouth of Conococheague, on the East Side of Lick Run, near Patowmack River, 86  
Brentford, lying near John George Arnold's on the West Side of the Road leading from Conococheague to Frederick-Town, 35  
For Title, or Terms of Sale, apply to  
3 JAMES DICK.

**GOOD RUM** to be SOLD at the New STILL-HOUSE in Charles-Town, and by JAMES REITH in Annapolis, at reasonable Rates.

**PIGG-IRON,** to be SOLD by BUCHANAN & HUGHES in Baltimore-Town.

**AS** the Scheme I some Time ago offered to the PUBLIC, for Circulating a Library through the Province, is not likely to meet with the Success I expected, I presume it must be owing to the too great Latitude of my Plan; the Communication between this and the other Parts of the Province, not being as yet upon so regular an Establishment, as to admit of its being carried into Execution in so great an Extent, to the Satisfaction of all Parties. For this Reason, I am advised by my Friends to decline all Thoughts of pushing it any further for the present, as premature, and to contract it within such Limits, that every Subscriber may, with very little Trouble, have the full Benefit of it. I propose therefore to confine my Subscriptions to ANNAPOLIS, and a Circle of Thirty Miles about it. I presume no one, who has the least Taste for BOOKS, or any Inclination to improve his Mind, can think much of the Expence of one Guinea a Year, for the Use of such a valuable Collection, so plentifully abounding with Matter both for his Use and Amusement; nor can I conceive how Gentlemen, who either cannot afford, or do not choose to lay out large Sums of Money in Books, can fall upon a better Expedient for attaining the Means of Knowledge, than by some such Scheme as I have proposed. If my present Plan is in any Respect exceptionable, and not well calculated to answer the Purpose intended, I must beg Leave to repeat the Request I made in my former Address to the Public, That any Person would be so good as to point out it's Defects, and to favour me with such Improvements, as may put it upon the best Footing for all concerned.

WILLIAM RIND. X

**PROPOSALS,**  
For Circulating a Collection of New BOOKS in the City of ANNAPOLIS, and a Circle of Thirty Miles about it.

- I. EVERY Subscriber shall pay One Guinea, for the Use of this Library for one Year.
  - II. Every Subscriber shall have the Use of one Book at a Time, for which he or she shall send a Ticket or Note, under his or her own Hand, and shall have the Liberty of changing them as often as he or she shall think proper.
  - III. Any Subscriber damaging any Book, shall make Satisfaction for the same.
  - IV. Every Subscriber shall have the Use of a Folio eight Weeks; a Quarto six Weeks; an Octavo four Weeks; and a Duodecimo three Weeks.
  - V. No Subscriber, upon any Pretence whatever, shall lend any Book belonging to this Collection, under the Penalty of paying for the Book so lent, a double Price.
- Such Gentlemen and Ladies who intend to subscribe, are desired to give in their Names immediately, that the Library may be opened.

Prince-George's County, Jan. 10. 1763.

**RAN** away about the 8th Instant, from the Subscriber, an indentured Servant Man, whose Name, as he says, is Jonathan Henry, which he will probably change as soon as he gets over the Bay, as I suppose he is gone that Way. He carried with him a Female Child, in order, as he pretends, to leave with his Wife's Friends: He had on when he went away, a Holland Shirt, Leather Breeches, an old brown Great-Coat, &c.  
Whoever secures the said Servant, and brings him to me, or to William Reynolds at Annapolis, shall have a PISTOLE Reward, besides what the Law allows  
SAMUEL DUVAUL BECK.

**RAN** away from the Subscriber, living in Annapolis, on the 28th of Decemb. last, a Convict Servant Man, named Richard Stevens, a Prussian Born, and Taylor by Trade, speaks broken English, and very quick. He is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, naturally of a pale Complexion, but when he ran away, his Face was much bruised, and had black Eyes, occasioned by Fighting. He carried with him sundry very good Clothes, viz. a very good brown Broadcloth Coat and Waistcoat, trimmed with the same Colour, a violet blue Suit of Cloth, with divers other Things too tedious to mention.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures him so that his Master may have him again, shall have TEN POUNDS Reward, paid by  
JOHN DUCKER.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, living near Delaware Bottom, to the highest Bidder, on Monday the 14th of February next, if fair, if not, the next fair Day after, for Ready Bills of Exchange, or Sterling Cash,

2 A LIKELY well grown young NEGRO WOMAN and CHILD, that has had the Small-Pox. The Sale to be precisely at Twelve o'Clock. ROBERT DAVIS.

STRAY'D from Mr. Francis Freeland's, in Calvert County, about the Middle of last Month, a dark Bay Mare between 13 and 14 Hands high, she has a very long Mane, a Switch Tail, and is branded on one of her Buttocks RAP.

2 Whoever brings the said Mare to Mrs. Anne Pottenger, in Prince-George's County, about 5 Miles above Queen-Anne, shall receive Twenty Shillings Reward, or Ten Shillings if carried to the aforesaid Mr. Freeland's.

THERE is in the Possession of Benjamin Ogle, living in the Mountain, near the Head of Owen's Creek, in Frederick County, taken up as Strays, viz. One middling sized light Grey Mare, branded on the near Thigh S, and on both Buttocks, but uncertain what the Brands are, and seems to have some Brand on the near Cheek.

X One small bright Bay Mare, with a long Star, or narrow Blaze in her Face, and a small Snip on her Nose, both hind Feet white, and branded on the near Thigh, supposed to be S, and on the off Shoulder, as in the Margin.

WI And also one bright bay Horse Colt, about a Year old last Spring, with a long narrow Blaze in his Face, and a Snip on his Nose, the near fore Foot, and both hind Feet white, neither branded or docked.

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

L ENT, but to whom forgot, the Second Volume of Dr. DOUGLASS'S "SUMMARY, Historical and Political, of the first Planting, progressive Improvements, and present State of the British Settlements in North-America." Printed in 1749. The Person who has it, is desired to return it to the Owner, or else, to call or send for the First Volume. These Words are wrote in the Beginning, *The Wicked Borrow and never Return.*

JOHN FEUDY, BREWER, Living at the Tan-Yard, which formerly belonged to Mr. Robert Swan, in Annapolis,

4 HEREBY gives Notice, That he will purchase any Quantity of GOOD BARLEY, delivered at his House, between this Time and the Middle of March, and give Four Shillings a Bushel, Ready Money, or more, if more is given by any Body else: After that Time he will give the best Market-Price. Next Fall he will purchase a large Quantity of RYE, and give the best Market-Price, in Ready Money.

He likewise carries on the COOPER'S Business, and makes all Kinds of CASKS, at the most reasonable Price.

N. B. He wants a couple of Apprentices.

#### T O B E S O L D,

4 A TRACT of Land, called *Beanes's Pasture*, containing 220 Acres, adjoining to the Town of Nottingham on Patuxent River in Prince George's County, whereon is a new Dwelling-House, 28 by 26 Feet, finished in a neat and very convenient Manner, with a new Kitchen, 20 by 16 Feet, under which is a small Stone Cellar, and a good Stable. About Half the Tract is a fine hard Marsh, which may easily be Improved to very great Advantage; the other Part is very level, and proper for highland Pasturage.

ALSO, To be SOLD, Between Four and Five Hundred Pounds first Cost of Goods, very suitable to the Season, at a low Advance, for good London Bills of Exchange, Sterling or Current Money.

All Persons indebted to the Estate of *Colmore Beanes*, Deceased, are desired to make immediate Payment, and those who have any Demands against the said Estate, are desired to send in their Accounts legally proved. Attendance is given at Nottingham, every Wednesday and Saturday in order to settle Accounts, by

WILLIAM BEANES, junior, Executor.

December 6, 1762.

ON the Third Day of January next, there will be a Vacancy for a Master, at Charles County-School; any Gentleman that can come well recommended, will meet with Encouragement by applying to the Visitors of the said School.

Signed per Order,

WILLIAM HANSON, Register.

Baltimore County, Dec. 31, 1762.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on the 29th of this Instant, a Servant Man named *David Wickenden*, an Englishman, about 30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, dark Skin, thin Visage, black Hair tied behind, and a small Blemish in one of his Eyes: Had on when he went away, a good Felt Hat, and old Country-Cloth Coat full-lined, the Cape lined with Plaid, and a Lead-colour'd Country full'd Jacket with large white Buttons, a small old light-colour'd Coat, old coarse Shirt, old Leather Breeches, mix'd blue and white Yarn Stockings, old Shoes, and round yellow Buckles.

Whoever secures the said Servant so that his Master may have him again, shall receive Forty Shillings Reward if taken in the County; Five Pounds if out of the County; and Seven Pounds Ten Shillings if out of the Province, and reasonable Charges paid if brought home, by

ALEXANDER WELLS.

N. B. He formerly served Seven Years to Mr. Henry Dorsey on Elk-Ridge.

#### J U S T I M P O R T E D,

In the Schooner *Peggy*, Captain William Grymes, from Savannah in Georgia, to be SOLD by the Subscribers, at their Stores in Queen's-Town, Oxford, and at Talbot Court-House, by Wholesale or Retail, for Ready Money, Tobacco, or short Credit,

G R E A T Variety of EUROPEAN and G I N D I A GOODS.

ANTHONY M'CULLOCH.

JOHN GLASSSELL.

EBENEZER MACKIE.

5 STRAYED & STOLEN from the Subscriber in George-Town, Frederick County, some Time in October last, a bright Bay Horse about 14½ Hands high, with a small Snip on his Nose, is shod before, paces slow and gallops, but has no perceivable Brand.

Whoever brings the said Horse to me, shall receive Twenty Shillings. JOHN MURDOCK.

Annapolis, December 9, 1762.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, for Cash, or Bills of Exchange,

4 A QUANTITY of TOBACCO, Sixty Hogheads of which are at one Warehouse, and the Rest contiguous.

7 HENRY WARD.

December 13, 1762.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living on Kent-Island, in Queen Anne's County, on the 6th Instant, a young Convict Servant Man, named *John Place*, born in England, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, heavy Look, remarkable large white Eyes, dark Hair with drop Curls; he is an artful cunning Fellow, writes a legible Hand, and will probably forge a Pass: His Cloathing is, a light coloured Broad Cloth Coat, with Mohair Buttons, a white Linen Jacket, a red Swanskin ditto, Buckskin Breeches, a Pair of grey ribbed Stockings, and a Pair of Block-Tin Shoe Buckles, which has much the Appearance of Silver.

Also one other Servant, named *Samuel Downy*, born in England, 5 Feet 5 Inches high, about 35 Years of Age, of a dark Complexion; has had a Bile on one of his Cheeks: His Cloathing a light brown Cloth Coat, with white Metal Buttons, a blue Serge Jacket, a grey and brown cut Wig, dark Yarn Stockings, and took several Pair with him, their Colour unknown, Buckskin Breeches, with Jockey Straps, and speaks much in the West-County Dialect.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Servants, so that their Master may have them again, shall have Fifty Shillings Reward for each, paid by

JAMES HUTCHINGS.

#### T O B E S O L D,

For Bills of Exchange, or Sterling Cash, A VERY good Brick DWELLING-HOUSE, situate on the main Road, about a Mile from Annapolis, where the Subscriber now lives, with about 100 Acres of Land. There is a very good Cellar to the House, good Stable, Corn-House, Meat-House, Milk-House, Hen-House, Two good Gardens, and an Orchard with very good Fencing. The Title good. Any Person wanting to purchase, may apply to

ALSO, A good Tract of LAND containing 210 Acres, situate on a Branch of Seneca, in Frederick County, about 30 Acres of it good Meadow Ground; for Dollars or Pistoles.

Queen-Anne's County, December 4, 1762.

WHEREAS *Hannab*, the Wife of me *George Glover*, having within Nine Months past, by her Extravagancy, involved me in Debt, more than I can afford to pay for her; and has often said, that she intended to ruin me as fast as she could, and make me a Servant, if it lay in her Power; and as it is proper for my own Safety, I hereby give Notice to all Persons, not to Trust her on my Account, or Harbour her in any wise, for I solemnly Declare, I will not pay any Debts contracted by her after this Date.

GEORGE GLOVER.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

A TRACT of Land, called *Jarboe's Ramble*, containing 400 Acres, lying near the Head of St. Mary's River, in St. Mary's County: Any Person or Persons inclining to purchase the Whole, or any Part thereof, may be informed of the Terms, by applying to

RICHARD WIMBATT.

N. B. The Payment, if agreeable to the Purchaser or Purchasers, may be made in Corn or Wheat, for one Third of their Purchase, the Remainder in Cash or Tobacco.

To be SOLD to the HIGHEST BIDDER,

at the House of Mr. John Scott, in Upper-Marborough, on Tuesday the First Day of February next, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Sterling, Maryland Currency, or Bills of Exchange,

A CHOICE Tract of LAND, whereon are a good and valuable Improvements, called *Greenland*, containing One Hundred Eighty-four Acres and an Half, where Mr. *Richard Keen*, formerly lived, and produces as Fine Tobacco as any made in the Province. The Title is indisputable.

FRANCIS HANCE.

N. B. There is a CHOICE Piece of Meadow-Land, and more, with very little Trouble, may be made. Likewise Two Additions, containing Seventy Acres, called *Keen's Additions to Greenland*.

FRANCIS HANCE.

SAMUEL ROUNDELL, being determined to go for London, early the next Spring, desires all Persons who have any Claims on him, to bring in their Accounts, that they may be paid; and all Persons who are indebted to him, are requested immediately to settle their Accounts, or they may expect Trouble.

Annapolis, November 10, 1762.

WHEREAS several of the Officers and Men who composed the Maryland Troops, did not in July last (when Lieutenant Colonel *Dagworthy*, and Dr. *David Ross* attended at Annapolis and Queen's-Town, to pay away the Money, which in Pursuance of a Warrant from his Excellency Sir *Jeffery Amherst*, had been advanced to Lieut. Colonel *Dagworthy* for that Purpose) either personally appear, or by others apply for the Arrears of Pay due to them respectively; Notice is hereby given, that Lieutenant Colonel *Dagworthy* and *David Ross* will attend again at Annapolis, the Third Monday in February next, in order to settle Accounts with, and pay the Arrears due to such Persons as shall then apply to them, or send proper Powers to settle and receive what may be due to them respectively: And those who cannot attend themselves, are desired to have the Powers they give to others, to receive what may be due to them, regularly attested, and it is expected that those who shall apply for what is due to the Estates of such as are dead, will previously take out Letters of Administration in the Counties where it is most convenient for them to give Security.

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