

The MARYLAND GAZETTE.

[XVIIIth Year.]

THURSDAY, April 7, 1763.

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MALAGA, Nov. 16.

LIEUTENANT Salvat, of the French Frigate L'Oiseau, the Chevalier de Modene, Commander, is arrived here with 180 of the Crew of that Frigate, and gives the following Account of the Loss

of her. "The 23d of October the Chevalier de Modene descried a Sail off Cape Palos, to which he gave Chace; but perceiving her to be an Enemy's Ship of superior Force, he tack'd, and in his Turn crowded Sail to get away: But about 5 in the Evening, the Enemy came up with him, and after a sharp Engagement of three Hours, compelled him to strike. The Oiseau received 30 Shot Wind and Water, had 49 Men wounded, and 13 killed, among whom were Sieurs de Gignous, Masperruis, and St. Croix. The Chevalier de Modene had his Right Arm carried off by a Grape Shot; Lieutenant Salvat received a Contusion in the Arm; and the Sieur de Chalot a slight Wound on the Hand. The Enemy had 20 Men killed or wounded. The English Vessel was the Brune Frigate of 34 Guns, and 260 Men: She carried her Prize into Gibraltar, where the Chevalier de Modene, whose Life is not in Danger, remains."

Moscow (in Russia) Nov. 8. Two of the Officers who were concerned in the Plot against the Empress, have been this Morning degraded, and declared infamous, in the Square before the Castle of Kremlin, their Swords having been broke over their Heads.

It is notorious to the whole World, that since the Accession of the late Empress Elizabeth to the present Throne, the Punishment of Death was abolished throughout the Empire; but the Abuse which that Lenity had occasioned, induced the high Tribunal to give Notice, that the Laws which prescribe that Punishment for certain Crimes will be again put in Force.

Dantzick, Nov. 24. The Prussian Resident in this City has of late been very diligent in purchasing all the Horses he can find in this Neighbourhood, and Provinces adjacent, which he sends away as fast as possible to Pomerania, where the People are in great Want of Cattle to cultivate their Lands.

Vienna, Dec. 6. They write from Constantinople, that the Truce which subsisted for 15 Years, between this Court and the Porte, being expired, has been renewed for the same Term, and that the Ottoman Ministry gave our Minister the strongest Assurances of the most inviolable Friendship being preserved between the two Courts.

M. Daun arrived here Yesterday from Silesia. *Ratisbon, Dec. 7.* The City of Kitzingengen has already paid 20,000 Florins to the Prussians; and the Imperial Cities of Wunsheim and Rothenbourg, are each to furnish 100,000 Crowns.

Dec. 9. The Prussians continue raising Contributions in the Counties of Wurtzbourg and Biechrad; and, since they left Nuremberg, they have extended to Dillingen and Gutzbourg in Swabia. It was said Yesterday, they were very near Ulm; and that another Detachment was marching by Oerlingen towards Heilbronn.

Neighbourhood of Nuremberg, Dec. 7. Nuremberg made General Kleist a Present of 1000 Ducats for the good Discipline he observed in that City. He insisted that for the Future they should be neuter. A Neutrality hath been proposed also to Aspach, Barchin, and Wurtzbourg.

Nuremberg, Dec. 7. Besides the Contribution, Cannon, and Military Stores, which have been already mentioned, General Kleist was supplied here with 10,000 Pair of Shoes, and 6000 Pair of Boots. He carried away with him 13 Waggon Loads of Money, and Bills of Exchange to the Amount of 20,000 Crowns.

Hamburg, Dec. 18. According to some Advices, the Danish Troops are going to be reduced. A Regiment of Miners is raising in the Circle of the Mountains, in Saxony, for the Service of the King of Prussia.

Genoa (in Italy) Nov. 29. On the 21st Instant in the Morning, four Barks sailed from hence with about 1300 Men for Bastia in Corsica, in which Number are included five Companies, who are to serve only three Years.

This Republic's Troops in Corsica, have of late obtained some small Advantages over the Malecontents, having, since the Surrender to them of the Post called, the Cofcia, taken that called St. Maria della Chispella, which is at a small Distance from the Cofcia; and being a Harbour for small Vessels, will be a Place of Refuge for the Genoese small Craft, when chased by any of the Malecontents Privateers.

Hamburg, Dec. 14. The King of Prussia arrived at Leipzig the 5th Instant, accompanied by Gen. Seidlitz.

L O N D O N.

Dec. 23. Some Letters from Vienna remark, that they now see, but too late, the Consequences of the Armistice concluded for Saxony: They say it is favourable to none but the King of Prussia, who has thereby found Means to execute the Project of invading Franconia, &c. which no Doubt was formed before the Truce was concluded.

The Duke de Nivernois has delivered no Passports for British Ships since the Signing of the Preliminaries, and will deliver none. All these Passports have been sent to the Earl of Egremont, and all Applications to obtain them, must be made at his Lordship's Office only. All the Passports given for private Persons by the Duke of Nivernois, have, and will be, always delivered gratis.

We are informed that General Howard's, Col. Lambert's, and Col. Frederick's Regiments are to embark from Portugal to Minorca, to garrison that Island, and a Regiment from Gibraltar is to go on the same Service: The French Troops are soon to evacuate it.

The Molly, Stephenson, from Virginia, is arrived at Glasgow. She came out the 10th of November, under Convoy of the Gosport Man of War, who had besides, about 700 Sail of Merchant Ships, bound to London, Bristol, Liverpool, Scotland, &c.

There are now building at Chatham, a First Rate Man of War, to carry 100 Guns, and is to be called the Victory, which is in great Forwardness; also the Remilies of 90 Guns, that is near finished, and will be launched next February; likewise a 60 Gun Ship.

A Letter from Lubworth, Dorsetshire, dated Dec. 11. "Last Sunday Evening, at Nine o'Clock, the Horizon clear, myself and another Person being near Ludlow-Castle, the Seat of Edward Wield, Esq; we were surprized by a sudden and radiant Light, which overspread the Earth and Sea, equal to the Splendor of the Noon-Day Sun; looking directly perpendicular over us, we saw an Appearance resplendent as the Sun itself, in Form straight as a Line, about eight Times the Diameter of the Full Moon in Length, in Breadth not an eighth Part of its Length; the Duration about a Minute. Afterwards it altered its Position, and changed into a serpentine Form, and seemed to terminate in Smokes."

A Plan is now under Consideration, to make the Port of London the most beautiful and convenient of any in Europe: About 500 Merchants intend to purchase out the Proprietors of Lands between London-Bridge and the Tower, and to extend the present free Quay and Wharfs. The Lands to be purchased may amount to 500,000 l. but the Glory of such a public Design is far superior to the Greatness of the Expence. The War has given great Encouragement to the trading Part of the Nation; and the forwarding of such a public Act would be a just Acknowledgment of it.

An Order is come to continue 8 Sail of Ships with their Masts in, viz. the Dragon, Northumberland, Superb, Essex, Dorsetshire, Montague, Anson, and Shrewsbury.

In a private Letter from Holland, by Yesterday's Mail, is the following Passage: "From all the Manœuvres of the King of Prussia, our Politicians prognosticate that the Theatre of War will be changed; that the War, which is just extinguished between France and England, will embroil other Powers, and kindle another War, which may possibly be more general, and prove more fatal, than the present."

At Paris, the Mouth of every Minister is full of Economy, the Nation being formerly impoverished by the large Sums sent Abroad. The Parliament of

Brittanny hath forbid all Persons from presuming to interpose in Favour of the Jesuits.

As French Passports come to 7l. 6s. 6d. in London, People are desirous of knowing what Price English Passports bear at Paris, and it is imagined the next French Mail will bring that necessary Information.

The Topsham, Holland, from London and New-Castle to Boston, is taken and carried into Ferrol.

A Number of our People who have been Prisoners of War in France, are daily expected to arrive in England, in Exchange for an equal Number of French Prisoners.

The Tin-Plate Workers, belonging to the Ordnance, are shortly to prepare a Model of a Building for the Exhibition of our grand Fireworks, which are to be played off at the Conclusion of the general Peace.

We hear Hans Stanley, Esq; is going abroad to France on Affairs of Importance, and will set out on Christmas-Day.

A very fine Post Chariot, of most exquisite Workmanship, is making in Long-Acre, which is designed as a Present to the French King from a great Personage.

The Brig which was bound from London to the Havannah, taken by a Privateer belonging to St. Sebastian, and carried into that Port the 4th of December, proves to be the Hope, Elliot, loaded with Bale Goods. The Letter which brought the Account above says, that a Vessel sent Express from the Havannah to England, is also taken by a Privateer, and carried into St. Sebastian.

Dec. 24. Spanish Passes are expected daily, to be issued in the same Manner as the French are.

Extract of a Letter from Vienna, Nov. 20. "The last Letters from Lusatia advise, that the Prussians who lately passed through that Province spread Desolation wherever they came. They left the Inhabitants neither Cattle nor Provisions; in some Towns they did not leave them Bread for above three or four Days."

Extract of a Letter from the Hague, Dec. 17.

"The Passage of the English Troops is not yet agreed to or settled. Though General Yorke hath given Assurances that they shall pay ready Money for every Thing that is furnished them, some Provinces are not satisfied: They alledge, that they have not yet been paid for what was furnished to the Troops of England, in their Passage through the Republic's Territories, in the last War: A Resolution hath therefore been taken, to order the Count de Welleren, the States Minister at London, to make Representation on this Head; and we expect that the English Commissaries, who are employed to regulate the present Passage, will be empowered to settle those Arrears."

Several Advices inform us, that a large Body of Prussians are on their March to come and take Possession of Wesel, Gueldres, and the County of Cleves. This Corps will be reinforced by the greatest Part of the British Legion, and several other Bodies of Light Troops which have been discharged from the Allied Army, and which, it is said, are gone into the Service of the King of Prussia. Mean while it is presumed that the Approach of these Prussians will be looked upon with an evil Eye by this Republic, where an Uneasiness is already visible: But no Body dares to open their Mouth about it. From Brussels we are informed, that every Measure is taking in that Country to oppose the Enterprizes of the Prussians, and to be beforehand with them: That in order to make Head against them, Orders have been received from Vienna to enlist all the Men that are discharged from the Troops of France, but that they are apprehensive that all these Steps will prove too late."

Monseur Bottari, with 12 Sail of the Line, 2 Frigates, and 3 Chebecks, is lately arrived in Toulon, after an idle Parade on the Coast of Sardinia, Tullia, and Malta, of 13 Months, without taking a single Prize.

A particular State of all the Garrisons in England, and it's Dependancies, is taking together with the Number of Men at present raised; and we hear they are to be raised to their full Complement.

A very great Alteration is soon expected in the System of Affairs in the Empire of Germany; all the Circles and Allies of the House of Austria exclaim bitterly against the Court of Vienna, for entering into a Suspension of Arms with the King of Prussia during the Winter, without including them, by which the Prussians, by their extravagant Contributions, have ruined a great Number of their Inhabitants, and may be the Means of the Seat of War being brought into their Country, on which Account they are determined to solicit the King of Prussia for a Neutrality.

They write from Saxony of the 8th Instant, that the most eminent Merchants at Leipzig had been arrested by the Prussians, and their Ware-houses, Compting-houses, &c. were sealed up till the Contribution is paid.

Letters from Madrid of the 28th ult. assert, that the Spanish Troops returning out of Portugal, paid ready Money for every Thing they had from the Portuguese.

It is said that a Royal Country Seat will shortly be presented to his Royal Highness the Duke of York, by his Majesty.

The Queen has sat for her Picture to the celebrated Miss Read, who draws her Majesty in a fitting Posture, with the young Prince in her Lap.

We are authorized to assure the Public, that what has been inserted relating to several Lord Lieutenants resigning their Lieutenancies, is without Foundation.

The Incursions of the King of Prussia into the Empire, give all the neighbouring States the greatest Uneasiness, not only by the heavy Contributions levied in the several States through which his Troops pass, but still more on Account of the Uncertainty of their Object, and the uncommon Mysteriousness observed by that Monarch with Respect to his present Intentions.

It was strongly reported last Night, that Orders had been given not to discharge any more Men from either Army, Navy, or Militia, on Account, as it is said, of some Advices received from abroad.

They write from Cleves of the 14th Inst. that since the Cessation of Arms has been published the French are evacuating those Provinces; their Cannon and Ammunition they have sent away from Rees, Wesel and Gueldres, to Mentz; the Volunteers of Dauphine and Clermont are still in the Neighbourhood of Rees, to consume the remaining Part of their Provisions, &c. the greatest Part of which were sold at public Auction at Wesel; and that the Joy of the Inhabitants was beyond expressing on the sudden Change of Affairs, and Hope of being soon protected and garrisoned by Troops of their lawful Sovereign the King of Prussia.

They write from Francfort of the 12th Instant, that the Duke of Wurtemberg had drawn a Chain with his Troops all along the Frontiers of his Dominions, to prevent the Prussians from invading his Duchy; and that the Saxons under Prince Xavierus of Poland, were too inconsiderable to face the Prussians in Franconia, so it is thought they will meet with no Opposition except it be from Bohemia.

Dec. 25. We have received Advice from the Hague, that the first and second Divisions of the British Foot-Guards, entered their Territories on the 1st and 3d Instant, on their March to Williamstadt; they are successively followed by the other Divisions; and it is computed, the whole Corps of British Troops will have entered the Territories of the Republic by the 21st of this Month.

The last Letters from Germany assert, that the Prussians under General Kleist, who had penetrated into Franconia, had taken the Fortrefs of Forchheim, in the Bishopric of Wurtzbourg, and were pushing on their Operations in Franconia, and raising large Contributions.

By Letters from Francfort, dated December 14, we learn, that 17 Regiments of French Troops have crossed the Rhine, within these 8 Days past, on their Way to France. Many of the Regiments are little more than Half complete, and their Countenances and Apparel plainly shew that it is high Time they were got into Winter-Quarters. The Officers say, that most of their Regiments will be broke, or reformed, soon after their Arrival in France.

We are informed, that no Spanish Passes are yet arrived, or have been here, but are expected by the next French or Flanders Mails.

The Steuart, Auld, and Antelope, Haffie, are arrived at Lochindale from Virginia, in a Passage of nine Weeks and two Days; 74 per Cent. Insurance had been given on them.

They write from Paris of the 12th Instant, that the King of France's Privy-Council, met very of-

ten, where the King and Dauphin always assist. The Dauphin being in a very unsettled and bad State of Health, causes great Concern among the People.

It is now said, that no more than Four Millions will be raised for the Service of the present Year, and that Three and an Half per Cent. only will be given for it, with a Lottery Ticket of 5 l. Two Millions of the above Sum are already subscribed.

It is said three different Loans of Money are now negotiating in Holland, for three sundry Courts in Europe.

We hear that the Right Honourable Earl Gower has kissed his Majesty's Hand at St. James's, on being appointed Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

Lord Sandys is to succeed Earl Gower as Master of the Great Wardrobe. And,

The Right Honourable Charles Townshend to be First Lord of Trade.

Sir Richard Littleton is appointed Governor, and Colonel Barre, Member of Parliament for Wycomb, Lieutenant Governor of Minorca.

Yesterday there was a great Levee at St. James's, and also a great Board of Treasury, on Affairs of Importance.

The John and Bells, Green, one of the Fleet from Virginia, is arrived at Londonderry.

Dec. 27. A French Gentleman lately arrived from that Country, declared, that he never was so much surprized at any Thing as to see the amazing Business going forwards as he passed through London; the common Discourse in France being, when he left it, that we were so far undone, amidst our Successes, that we were become Bankrupt, and unable to raise any more Money for carrying on the War.

We are informed there are already arrived in this Kingdom from France, Holland, &c. a Number of Agents, to buy up, on Commissions, as many Army Horses as they can procure from those Troops which will be disbanded soon after their Arrival in England.

They write from Paris, that the Dukes of Bedford and Praslin confer so often together, and the two Courts are so eager to restore Tranquility, that if no unlucky Incidents intervene, the Definitive Treaty may be concluded about the Middle of January.

We hear that the Merchants who petitioned for some Provision to be made for securing their Effects in the Conquered Islands, have received all the Satisfaction that could be given them.

Extensive Schemes are formed, and, as we are told, already digested, for the Reduction of the national Debt, and other Articles of public Economy; such as cannot fail to make this Nation, if we ourselves are not unworthy to be so, a most happy People.—As an Instance of what we may expect, under those who are now in the Management of the public Treasure, it is confidently asserted, that the apparent Savings at a certain Board at this time, amount to no less a Sum than 40,000 l. per Month.

Orders are given for a proper List to be prepared of all the Land and Seamen in his Majesty's Service, in their different Ranks, that have been killed during the War, in order to settle proper Pensions on their Widows, during their Lives.

PHILADELPHIA, March 31.

On Saturday last the Heso Privateer, Captain Appowen, of this Port, returned from a Cruise (last from Providence) and brought two of his Prizes, Sloops, with him.—Besides the Vessels formerly mentioned to be taken by Captain Appowen, a few Days before the Cessation of Hostilities took Place, he took a Sloop, bound to Cape Francois from St. Eustatius; but a Man of War appearing before she struck, the Vessel was ordered to Jamaica.

The same Day Captain Brice arrived here from South-Carolina, with whom came Passenger Mr. Harris of this Place.—He was bound to Guadeloupe from Martinico, in the Sloop Betty, Captain Guttridge, of Barbados, and on the 24th of December the Vessel foundered, when the People (six in Number) took to the Boat, having Time only to take Thirty-nine Biscuit, and about two Gallons of Water, with them, upon which, and what Rain Water they got, they lived betwixt nine and ten Days and were almost spent, when they made the Spanish Main, where there was a small Town, about 30 Miles from Lagaira, but could not get ashore with their Boat, the Surf ran so high; upon which they held up a white Handkerchief, and some Spaniards swam to them and carried them ashore; where they were kindly used, and, after recovering their Strength, carried to Lagaira, for Examination, and confined in a bad Prison; but after being examined, and the Court-

mandant finding that Mr. Harris had Connections with a Friend of his in Barbados, he was set at Liberty, and well treated; and, by his Means all the other Prisoners were likewise released, and sent to Coracoa.

While Mr. Harris was at Lagaira, three large Ships, of 24, 22, and 20 Guns, said to have large Sums of Money on board, and laden with Cocoa in Bulk, sailed for Old Spain; and while he was in Carolina, there was a Report there, that one of our Men of War had taken a rich Cocoa Man, and carried her to Jamaica; which agreed with the Time of their Sailing, and was believed to be one of them.

From Lisbon we have Advice, that His Majesty's Ship Marlborough foundered at Sea, on her Passage from the Havannah to England; but that the Antelope Man of War luckily fell in with her, and took out a great Quantity of Money, which she had on board, and all the Men, and carried it and them to Lisbon.

ANNAPOLIS, April 7.
Last Week Died very suddenly in Baltimore County, Mr. DANIEL STANBURY, a Native of that Place, in the 85th Year of his Age. He had Eat a hearty Supper the Evening before he Died; and has left a Twin-Brother.

Wishes the Horses which are to Run here on the 23d Inst. for the 50 Pistole Purse, are to be enter'd with me on Tuesday the 29th, I wish the Owners would Enter them before Noon on that Day, as Business will necessarily oblige me to be from Home in the afternoon.
J. Green.

Annopolis, April 6th, 1763.
AS the PAPER CURRENCY ACT, made in the Year 1733, will expire the 29th of September, 1764, and as the Bonds taken by the Commissioners or Trustees of the Loan-Office, can have no longer Duration than that Law; Therefore the said Commissioners inform the Debtors to the aforesaid Office, that they will immediately after the 30th Day of July next, proceed to put the Bonds in Suit, beginning with those of the eldest Date, and will continue this Procedure until all the Money due to the Loan-Office shall be paid in.
Signed per Order,
ROBERT COUDEN, Cl. P. C. Office.

Philadelphia, March 29, 1763.
PHILADELPHIA RACES,
On Monday the 30th of May, will be Run for, over the Center Course of this City, a Purse of
FIFTY POUNDS,

FREE for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, not full Blooded: Those of 15 Hands high, to carry Nine Stone, Saddle and Bridle included, and 7 Pounds for each Inch above that Size, to Run 3 Heats, three Times round the Course each Heat. Not less than Four reputed running Horses, Mares, or Geldings, to Start in this Race. The Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that winneth any two Heats, winneth the Purse; 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 winneth the fourth Heat, shall have the Purse.

Three Gentlemen will be appointed Judges, who are to fix the Hour of Starting, determine all Disputes, agreeable to regular Articles which will be read at the Post, and will dispose of the Entrance Money, as they shall think most likely to entertain the Company the next Day, when a Purse of TWENTY POUNDS, or more, will be Run for, by such Horses as the Judges may then think proper.

All Horses, Mares, or Geldings, that Run for the FIFTY POUND PURSE, are to be shew'd, entered, and measured, by Mr. Peter Robinson in this City, on Friday the 27th of May, paying Two Pistoles Entrance, or Four Pistoles if entered at the Post.

THE Subscriber, Sarah Raymer, Widow of Thomas Raymer, at Broad-Creek on Kent-Island, Deceased, has Administred on his Estate: Therefore all Persons to whom he was Indebted, either by Bond, Bill, Note, or open Account, are desired to bring in their Claims, that they may be adjusted and settled: And those who are Indebted to the said Estate, are requested to come and settle their Accounts. SARAH RAYMER, Administratrix.
The Ferry Boats will cross the Bay, and the Tavern be kept as in the Life-Time of Mr. Raymer: Constant Attendance and quick Dispatch, may be depended on, by all who shall be pleas'd to favour her with their Custom.
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Alexandria, March 22, 1763.

TO BE RENTED,

THE GEORGE TAVERN (near the Court-House) extremely convenient, has Three Rooms, and a good Bar, below Stairs, and Six Rooms above; a Kitchen adjoining, with two Rooms below, and one above; a large Dining-Room, and a good London Billiard-Table, above; a Garden, paved in; a Well, Smoke-House, Stable, and Necessary-House; late in the Possession of Patrick Byrn, Deceased.

The Terms may be known by applying to WILLIAM RAMSAY.

Alexandria, March 22, 1763.

SUPPOSED to be Imported into Maryland, from London, in the Year 1761, or 1762, SIX Half Barrels of GUN-POWDER, mark'd B M (with a long Stroke between them, and Something like this at Top) or MB.

Any Person that can give an Account of them is desired to inform the Subscriber: WILLIAM RAMSAY.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

TAR, Pitch, Turpentine, and Pork, by the Barrel: Tallow, Myrtle and Bees Wax, by the Pound: Gammons, Shoulders and Midlings of Bacon: And, Some European Goods not well Afforded. ROBERT SWAN.

He has also Rum for Sale.

Talbot County, March 25, 1763.

A SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

FOR Raising Four Hundred and Eighty Dollars, for Erecting a BODGE-ROOM, for the Brotherhood and Fellowship of FREE and ACCEPTED MASONS, at Talbot Court-House.

MASONRY has been cultivated by Men of the first Rank and best Taste in all Ages, and been justly held in the highest Esteem among all civilized Nations: We Doubt not, therefore, but an Attempt to cultivate that truly Noble and Royal Art among us, will meet with all due Encouragement from all Lovers of the Arts, and Friends to Taste; particularly we Hope, that our Brethren of the several LODGES, in this and the adjacent Provinces, will lend their helping Hands to so laudable a Design, thereby evincing their Brotherly Love to MASONS, and Regard to MASONRY.

This Scheme is as well calculated for the Benefit of the Adventurers, as most Others of the Kind, there being but few more than Two Blanks to a Prize; the Deduction being only 15 per Cent, which may be well afforded by the fortunate Adventurers.

Number of Prizes.	Value in Dollars.	Total Value.
1 of 250	is 250	
2 of 150	are 300	
2 of 100	are 200	
4 of 50	are 200	
8 of 20	are 160	
10 of 15	are 150	
50 of 10	are 500	
175 of 8	are 1400	
1	First drawn Blank	20
1	Last drawn Blank	20

254 Prizes.
546 Blanks.

800 Tickets at 4 Dollars each, are 3200

THE following Gentlemen are appointed MANAGERS, Dr. Charles Leith, Reverend John Gordon, Dr. John Martin, Messieurs Jacob Hindman, John Dickinson, William Hanson, Joshua Clarke, Henry Tripp, Clement Hollyday, Thomas Jack, Ebenezer Mackey, and John Allen Thomas, who are to give Bond, and be upon Oath, justly to execute the Trust reposed in them.

The Drawing to be at Talbot Court-House, on Monday the Third Day of October next, or sooner, if sooner full.

The Prizes will be published in the Maryland Gazette, and the Prize-Money paid directly after; the Deduction abovementioned being first made.

Prizes not demanded in Six Months after Publication, will be deemed as generously given for the Use of the Building, and applied accordingly.

Tickets may be had of any of the Managers; and from the following Gentlemen, William Hayward, Esq; in Somerset County; Mr. John Anderson, Merchant, in Cambridge; Mr. Anthony McCulloch, in Queen's-Town; Dr. John Scott, in Chester-Town; Mr. John Campbell, in Nottingham; Reverend Thomas Thornton, in Charles County; and at the Printing-Office in Annapolis.

AERIEL will Cover MARES at Mr. William Brent's in Virginia, at Five Pounds the Season. He was bred by the late Colonel Benjamin Vester, and got by Mr. Moreton's noted Horse Trotter, out of Selima. It is recommended to every Gentleman who chuses to send Mares from Maryland, to send them to Kennedy's Ferry on Patowmack, which is directly opposite to Mr. Brent's, and only Twenty Miles from Piscataway, and Sixteen from Port-Tobacco.

JOHN CASBURN, Groom. Good Pasturage for Mares.

Patuxent Iron-Works, April 5, 1763.

ALL Persons who have just Claims against the Estate of Richard Snowden, late of Anne-Arundel County, Deceased, are desired to bring them in, that they may be settled and adjusted: And all Persons who are Indebted to the said Estate, by Mortgage, Bond, Note, or Book Account, are requested to come and settle, and pay the same.

ELIZABETH SNOWDEN,
THOMAS SNOWDEN,
SAMUEL SNOWDEN,
JOHN SNOWDEN, } Executors.

To be SOLD for Current Money,

ABOUT Sixteen Hundred Acres of LAND, lying on Anti-Eatam in Frederick County, being Part of a Tract called Fellfoot Enlarged, formerly granted to Captain Tobias Stanbury; the greatest Part of it very good, and well Timber'd; on Part of it there is great Appearance of Iron Ore, and a Stream sufficient to work a Furnace; it lies on the Public Road, and is very convenient for a Store, or Tavern, where there is some Improvements. The Title indisputable.

The Whole will be Sold together or in Lots, as may suit the Purchaser.

Credit will be given for One Half the Purchase, on good Security, if required.

Attendance will be given on the Premises, from the 10th to the 20th of May next, by

JOSEPH ENSOR.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT or PARCEL of LAND, called CHOICE, containing 280 Acres, lying and being in Frederick County, on the West Side of Manockasy, near Daniel Pepenger's, about Half a Mile above the Mouth of Owen's Creek, joins a Tract of Land called Black Walnut Bottom, and about 13 Miles from Frederick-Town. The Title indisputable. S. CHASE.

CHARLES WILSON PEALE,

LATELY Removed into Church-Street, where Mr. SWAN formerly kept his Store, hereby gives Notice, That he carries on his SADDLER'S BUSINESS as usual, where all Persons may be supplied with Saddles, Bridles, or Harness, of any Sort, at the most reasonable Rates.

N. B. He would give good Encouragement to a SADDLE-TREE-MAKER.

Painting of Signs, is likewise performed at the same Place.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, at the Sign of the Waggon & Horses in West-Street, near the Town Gate, in ANNAPOLIS,

GOOD HOPS, CANDLES, OAKUM, and all Sorts of CORDAGE, of different Sizes, at reasonable Rates. JOHN GOLDBER.

WHEREAS a certain John Jones has, in a fraudulent Manner, obtained my Note of Hand for Fifty-one Pounds Five-Shillings Pennsylvania Currency: This is to forewarn all Persons from purchasing or taking an Assignment of the said Note, for I will not pay it.

THOMAS HUSBAND.

THE Subscriber acquaints his old Customers and Others, That he keeps Public House where he now lives, in Prince-George's County, on the main Road that leads to and from Annapolis, where may be had good ENTERTAINMENT for Man and Horse, from

Their humble Servant,
WILLIAM BEALL.

ALEXANDER RODOHAN,

Lately arrived from Philadelphia,

HEREBY informs the Public, That he would willingly, if he could meet with Encouragement, Teach the FRENCH Language, the LATIN and ITALIAN. All those who incline to Learn either of those Tongues, may give Notice to Joseph Landris at Oxford.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, at the Store of Mr. Robert Couden in Annapolis, on Tuesday the 19th Day of April Inst. being the Second Week in the Provincial Court, for Bills of Exchange, or Money at the current Rates,

A PARCEL of Country-born SLAVES, consisting of Men, Women, Boys, Girls, and Children, lately belonging to the Estate of Mr. James Mouat, deceased. The Sale to begin at 11 o'Clock in the Afternoon, and will continue next Day, if they are not all Sold on the Day of Sale. JAMES ANDERSON, Executor.

ISAAC NEDHAM having Indented himself to me for a Term of Years; I hereby forewarn all Persons from having any Dealings with him; as I will not Pay any Debts of his contracting since the 26th Day of June 1760. HENRY WARD.

March 25, 1763.

NOTICE is hereby given, That a STAGE SHALLOP, Oakford, Master, well accommodated for Passengers, will set out from New-Castle on Friday the First Day of April. (and so Weekly) and proceed for Philadelphia, and leave that Place on the Wednesday following, and return to New-Castle, where there will be a Stage Waggon, belonging to John Bolton, which will on the Friday be ready to set out for Chester-Town in Maryland, and from thence to Rock-Hall on Chesapeake Bay, being about 60 Miles, where there will be a Stage Boat, belonging to Abraham Ayres, ready to proceed to Annapolis on the Monday, and the Waggon returns from thence on that Day to Chester-Town, and sets out for New-Castle on Wednesday.

OAKFORD,
JOHN BOLTON,
ABRAHAM AYRES.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, on Saturday the 23d of April, at the House of Mr. Henry Gassaway in Annapolis, at 11 o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Sterling Cash, or good Bills of Exchange,

A TRACT of choice LAND, call'd Part of Turkey Quarter, otherwise Clerk Quarter, containing about 150 Acres, more or less; late the Property of Mr. Henry Woodward, Deceased; to be Sold agreeable to an Act of Assembly.

Six Months Credit will be given, if required, on giving Bond and Security.

JOHN HESSELIUS.

Annapolis, March 24, 1763.

To be SOLD, on Thursday the 21st of April next, on the Premises, at 11 o'Clock in the Morning, for ready Money, or short Credit (with Security if required).

A COMMODIOUS Brick Dwelling-House, being Part of the Lot N^o. 67, lately built by Robert Gordon, Stay-Maker, Deceased; the House fronts West-Street, from the Northwest, near the Town Gate, in Front about 60 Feet, and Back with the same Breadth about 160 Feet: There is a good Pump-Well, Boghouse, and Garden Ground. The House is not quite finish'd; by which great Additions may, at a small Expence, be made to the Purchaser's Fancy.

The Right and Title may be known, by applying to

JOHN GORDON, } Administrators.
ROBERT SWAN, }

N. B. All Persons Indebted to said Gordon, are desired to make immediate Payment, otherwise they may expect to be dealt with according to Law.

To be SOLD to the HIGHEST BIDDER, at the House of Mr. John Smith Prather, in Bladensburg, on Tuesday the Tenth of May next, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Sterling Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Current Money;

A CHOICE Parcel of LAND, containing upwards of 257 Acres, well situated for Farming, and produces fine Wheat, lying in Prince-George's County, within a Mile of the Eastern Branch of Patowmack, and 3 Miles from Bladensburg, whereon is a good Dwelling-House, and several Out-Houses. The Title is good.

Any Person inclinable to purchase the said Land, may see it, any Time before the Day of Sale, by applying to

SAMUEL SCOTT.

JOSEPH BULKLEY, MARINER,
Living at the lower End of East-Street, in Annapolis,

WILL PILOT any SHIP or other VESSEL, to or from any Part of the BAY, at the common Rate of PILOTING.

N. B. He has a good BOAT to carry PASSENGERS up or down the Bay, at the cheapest Rate.

AS several of the Store BOOKS of Messieurs *John Glasford*, and Company, which were formerly kept by Mr. *William Gammell*, at *Port-Tobacco*, in *Charles County*, were unfortunately consumed by Fire, and as Mr. *Gammell* hath left the Country, and Mr. *Thomas Campbell*, who at the Time the Debts upon these Books were contracted, was an Assistant in the said Store, is now about to leave the Country also; I have thought it necessary, the better to establish these Demands, to take the Deposition of Mr. *Campbell*, who transcribed from the Day Books these Accounts with his own Hand, before he leaves the Country. This is therefore to give Notice, That Mr. *Campbell's* Deposition will be taken at *Port-Tobacco*, on Wednesday the 27th of April, at which Place and Time, every Person concerned, may, if they will, attend.

ROBERT MUNDELL.

THE Subscriber living on *Patowmack River*, at the Old Office, within One Mile and a Half of *Lower Cedar Point*, and a Quarter of a Mile below *Benjamin Fendall's Landing*, KEEPS a BOAT with good experienc'd HANDS, and Ferries over to *Captain Hooe's Landing*, where all Gentlemen Travellers may depend upon Ready Passage; also good Private ENTERTAINMENT for MEN and HORSES, by *Their humble Servant*, JOHN LAIDLER.

THE MANAGERS of the PORT-TOBACCO LOTTERY, for the Benefit of Mrs. HALKERSTON, intend to Draw it the Twelfth Day of MAY next. All those Gentlemen to whose Care Tickets have been recommended, and are not disposed of, are desired to return them by the First Day of that Month to the several Managers.

Charles County, March 2, 1763.

To be SOLD by the Subscribers, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on TUESDAY the Tenth Day of MAY next, at the late Dwelling-House of Mr. JOHN FENDALL, deceased, for Sterling Cash, Bills of Exchange, Tobacco, Virginia or Inspection Currency,

A CHOICE Parcel of COUNTRY-BORN SLAVES, consisting of Men, Women, Boys and Girls; among them are several Tradesmen, and House Maids that understand Cooking, &c. A Variety of Household Furniture, and sundry Horses, Cattle, Hogs, and Sheep. Also the said *John Fendall's Stud of BLOODED HORSES, MARES and COLTS*; among which is the famous Grey Stone Horse that beat *Goodrick's Black* a Quarter of a Mile, with 85 odds in Riding: He also won a Match of a Quarter of a Mile against a *Virginia Horse* called *Hips*, and is thought by Gentlemen, who know him, to be a very swift Horse. He was bred by *Col. Tupper*, and will be delivered in good Order to the Purchaser. Time will be allowed for Payment, if required, on giving Bond and Security. The Sale to begin at XII o'Clock, and continue till all is Sold.

ALL Persons who have just Claims against the Estate of the said *John Fendall*, are desired to bring them in; that they may be settled and adjusted: And all Persons who are indebted to the said Estate, are requested to make speedy Payment, otherwise they will be sued and warranted without Respect to Persons. Those who are indebted on Account, will be allowed Time for Payment, provided they will come and settle them by Bond in a short Time.

SARAH FENDALL, PHILIP RICHARD FENDALL, } Executors

Baltimore, February 25, 1763.

THE Partnership of *Buchanan and Hughes* being nearly expired; All Persons, whose Debts with them have become due, are desired to discharge the same by the First of May next, or they may expect to be proceeded against by Law.

The said *Buchanan and Hughes* have on Hand a large Quantity of Dry GOODS, which they will sell very cheap, for Cash or Credit.

SENT away by Mistake, to some Part of Pennsylvania, from on board the *Ship, John Curlew*, Master, two Parcels of Goods, marked L P, with Figure 4 and a Crow Foot between them, in a Diamond, a Case, N^o. 1, and a Bundle N^o. 2. Any Information concerning them given to the Subscriber, living at *Lower-Market*, will be most gratefully acknowledged. DAVID SEATER.

ANNAPOLIS: Printed by *Jonas Green* and *William Bind*, in *Charles-Street*. All Persons may be supplied with this GAZETTE at 12 s. and 6 d. per Year. ADVERTISEMENTS of a moderate Length are inserted for 5 s. the First Week, and 1 s. each Time after: And Long Ones in Proportion.

MR. WILLIAM SANDERS, of this Province, who served an Apprenticeship to Mr. *Lux*, Merchant, of *Baltimore*, is gone in the *Somerset*, Capt. *Erickson*, to settle at *St. John's* in *Antigua*, and will be glad to receive Assignments from any of his Acquaintance, Countrymen, or Others, who will oblige him with their Favours of that Sort; and they may depend on his Care, Expedition and strict Punctuality. Having already Lived some Time in the *West-Indies*, he obtain'd sufficient Credentials of his Capacity, Honesty, and Integrity.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the Premises, on Saturday the 21st Day of May,

A VALUABLE Tract of LAND (whereon the Subscriber now lives) lying in *Anne-Arundel County*, upon the Falls of *Patapsco*, and about Four Miles from *Elk-Ridge Landing*, containing 300 Acres, whereon is a Dwelling-House, Two Tobacco Houses, besides several other Improvements: It is well Timbered, and a very convenient Place for Erecting a Mill. The Right is indisputable.

Whoever inclines to purchase, may know the Title, by applying to EDWARD TALBOT.

Mount Calvert, Pr. George's County, March 1, 1763.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

SOME Negro WOMEN and BOYS, for Cash or Bills.—Also to be SOLD or LET, Four Hundred ACRES of LAND, near *Piscataway*, whereon is a New Dwelling-House, Tobacco-House, Corn-House, and an Old Quarter.

All Persons that have just Claims against the Subscriber, are desired to apply for Payment; and those Indebted in Accounts of above two Years standing, are desired to come and pay or settle by Note. Notes without a Seal, above two Years standing, may be renewed.

THOMAS HAMILTON.

AT the repeated Solicitations of several Persons, the OHIO COMPANY have agreed to lay off a Number of LOTS for a TOWN at *Fort Cumberland*, near the Mouth of *Will's Creek*, on *Patowmack River*, in the Province of *Maryland*; and that each Purchaser may have an Opportunity of attending, and choosing the Lots he may judge most convenient, they will be SOLD to the Highest BIDDERS on Friday the 15th of April.

Any one who will consult the Maps must see that *Fort Cumberland*, from its natural Situation and Contiguity to that very extensive and fertile Country on the *Ohio* and its Waters, must be the Key to all that valuable Settlement; it being the highest and most convenient Landing-place for the Inhabitants on the other Side the *Allegheny Mountains*, on all the *River Patowmack*, which affords a Water-Carriage, that with a very inconsiderable Expence, might be rendered safe, certain and easy, at all Seasons of the Year, from the Great Falls to the Spot now proposed for a Town. It is about 75 Miles Land-Carriage to the *Monongahela*, which is navigable to the *Ohio* for flat-bottomed Boats or Battoes; and not more than 65 Miles to the *Tauyanguins*, where the Road, as it is at present cleared to *Pittsburg*, crosses; to which Place the *Indians* frequently, before the War, brought up their *Battoes* loaded with *Skins*: And all who are acquainted with the Country agree, that a very good Waggon Road may be made to that very Spot, or even a few Miles lower down the *River*, which would reduce the Distance from thence to *Fort Cumberland* at least 25 Miles. The Land-Carriage from *Pimmatt's Warehouse*, at the Little Falls, which is the highest Tide Water of *Patowmack*, to the Great Falls, does not exceed 12 Miles; and the Manufactures of *Great-Britain* may be transported by the *Patowmack* to the *Ohio*, and its Produce or Furs remitted through the same Channel, with only 90 Miles Land-Carriage at the most.

Fort Cumberland is about 225 Miles from *Pittsburg*, 30 from *Fort Bedford*, 60 from *Wichiter*, Land-Carriage, good Waggon Roads, and 100 Miles Water-Carriage from the Mouth of *Cincobagoes Creek* in *Maryland*.

The Day the LOTS are Sold the OHIO COMPANY will LET to the highest Bidder, for a Term of Years, Two very good Store-Houses, opposite to *Fort Cumberland*, in *Virginia*, one 45 by 25, with a Counting-Room and Lodging-Room at one End, the other 44 by 20, with proper Conveniences for a Family to live in, two Stories high each, besides Garrets, with good dry Cellars fit for storing *Shoes*, the whole Size of the Houses; and a Kitchen, Stable for 25 Horses, Meat-House and Dairy; these are Two good *Battoes*, which will be given to the Person who rents the Houses. The whole entirely new, and will be completely finished, and fit to enter upon immediately; and the Person who takes the Store-Houses, may also have a Lease, for a Term of Years, of as much Land adjacent to them as he chooses. Any one desirous to treat privately for the Store-Houses, before the Day of Sale, or the Town Lots, may know the Terms by applying to the Subscriber, who will attend at *Fort Cumberland* on the 15th Day of April before-mentioned, to deliver the Purchasers Deeds for their Lots. There is great Plenty of good Timber and Lime-Stone on the LOTS, on each Side of the *River*; and the Company are building a Saw and Grind-Mill, within a Mile of the Spot proposed for the Town.

GEORGE MERCER.

TO BE RENTED,

ONE Thousand Acres of Land, to be divided into Six Farms, and some Meadow Ground thereon. Three Hundred and Thirty-eight Acres of Land, to be divided into Two Farms, a great Part of which is Meadow Ground. One Hundred and Eighty Acres in One Farm, all Upland. The above Land is Woodland and very good, about 17 Miles from *Baltimore-Town*.

Also Sundry Lots to let upon Ground-Rent in *Baltimore-Town*. For Terms apply to

BRIAN PHILPOT.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE on Monday the 9th Day of May next, pursuant to an Act of the General Assembly of Virginia, for enlarging the Town of Alexandria,

FIFTY-EIGHT Lots, or Half Acres of Land. This Town is beautifully situated near the Falls of *Patowmack*, one of the finest Rivers in *North-America*; it affords good Navigation for the largest Ships in *Europe*, up to the Town, where there is an excellent Harbour. The Country back is very extensive, and the Soil capable of producing Tobacco, Corn, Wheat, Flax, Hemp, &c. in great Perfection.

It's equal Convenience for Transporting any Commodity to the Waters of the *Ohio*, is obvious to any one that will give themselves the Trouble of examining the Draughts of the Country.

To be SOLD, on Tuesday the 19th Day of April Instant, at Alexandria, being Court-Day,

TWO LOTS, or one Acre, in the said Town, known by the Name of the *Long Ordinary*, consisting of one Dwelling-house, about 90 Feet long, and 24 wide. Six Rooms below, all with Fire-places, and Six Rooms above; a good Cellar, Kitchen, Meat-House, &c. The whole well paved in, with a Garden distinct.

At the same Time is to be SOLD, One LOT, with a good neat Brick House, about 36 Feet by 24; a good Cellar, Kitchen, and other Out-houses; the Lot is well paved in. They are both well accustomed Public Houses.

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

CARLYLE and DALTON.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, Administrator on the Estate of Mr. William Chapman, late of London-Town, Merchant, Deceased, on Wednesday the 13th Day of April Instant, at the House of Mr. Henry Galloway in Annapolis,

A CHOICE Parcel of Country Born SLAVES, consisting of MEN, WOMEN and CHILDREN; for Sterling Cash, or Good London Bills of Exchange. The Sale to begin at II o'Clock in the Afternoon. WILLIAM CHAPMAN.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND called *Theberton's Neck*, lying on *Bynam's Branch*, near the Head of *Bush River*, in *Baltimore County*, containing about 1000 Acres. Any Person desirous of purchasing the above Tract of Land, may, upon Application to Mr. Robert Alexander, of *Baltimore-Town*, be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale. Sterling, or Gold and Silver at the current Rates, will be taken in Payment, as may best suit the Purchaser.

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 DUCKETT.

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

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[XVIIIth Year.]

THURSDAY, April 14, 1763.

[No. 936.]

MADRID, December 7.
THE Most Christian King, of his own Motion, and without requiring any Equivalent, at present, has ceded to our Monarch Louisiana and New Orleans.—This Cession is made purely and precisely to keep up those Sentiments of sincere and disinterested Union which fill the Breasts of the two Kings.

Milan, Dec. 6. We have a Report here, that the Prince of Monaco will cede his Principality to the King of Sardinia, and receive from the French King in Return the Island of Belleisle.

Hague, Dec. 22. It is reported that Prince William Henry, his Britannic Majesty's Brother, will be speedily declared Bishop of Osnabrug, and that he will set out in the Spring, to take Possession of that Principality.

LONDON, December 18.

By Letters received by Tuesday's Dutch Mail, we are informed, that on Friday the 10th Instant, the Right Honourable the Marquis of Granby lay so dangerously ill at Warbourg, that they had little or no Hope of his Recovery; and that a Messenger was that Day dispatched to Hanover to one of the first Physicians of that City, by whose Assistance he is now happily out of Danger, to the great Joy of the whole Army, to whom he has endeared himself by a Thousand Acts of Generosity.

Extract of a Letter from Ratisbon, Nov. 25.

"Baron Plotho, the Minister of Brandenburg, has declared to the Dyet, that the King his Master, intends to act in a hostile Manner against all the Circles, until they recal their Contingents from the Austrian Army, and give his Majesty ample Satisfaction for all the Hostilities they have hitherto committed against him. This plain Declaration has struck Terror into the Circles that are most exposed to his Resentment. Yesterday Morning the Military Chest of the Army of the Empire was sent away from hence to Lintz. Several Ministers, and especially the Emperor's principal Commissary, have packed up all their Effects, that they may be ready to depart, in case Danger draws nearer."

Part of a Letter from Ratisbon, dated Nov. 29.

"The Deputies of this City, and of the Grand Chapter, as also of the Abbey of Emeran, Ober, and Næder Munster, having repaired to Baron Plotho, on Occasion of the King of Prussia's late Declaration, this Minister told them, that the Moment a Body of Prussian Troops should appear before the City, and demand Hostages to treat of Contributions, they must comply, without waiting for Extremities."

"Such is the Situation of Affairs in these Parts; and we have the more Reason to dread the approaching Appearance of the Prussians, as they are already come into the Bishopric of Eichstadt. We don't perceive that Bavaria makes any Preparations for Defence; and it is said, that the Prussians have demanded a free Passage through that Electorate."

Dec. 19. They write from Paris of the 12th Inst. that a Company of Swiss Guards passing over a Bridge, on their March returning to that City from Germany, the Bridge broke under them, by which they were all drowned, except 16 that were taken up.

Some private Letters by the last Dutch Mail intimate, that several Courts will act in Concert, as well at Leipzig as at Vienna, in Order to compromise the Quarrel between the Empress Queen and his Prussian Majesty.

They write from Paris, that the King of Sardinia is to assist the Queen of Hungary with 10,000 of his Troops in the Beginning of the Spring, to bring the King of Prussia to reasonable Terms of Peace.

We have it affirmed to us, that the Spanish Passes, transmitted here by M. Grimaldi, the Minister of the Court of Madrid at that of Versailles, have been found so imperfect, that they have been obliged to be returned back. If this is true, as we have great Reason to think it is, the French and Spanish Subjects, under our Passes, now reap the whole Benefit of Trade resulting from the Preliminaries, while our own Merchants by this Stroke of Politics, remain precluded from such commercial Advantages.

Our naval Force in India, and its Situation, was in April last, as follows:

Five Sail of the Line, at Madras.
 Two of the Line, at Bombay.
 Two of the Line, and two Frigates, at Batavia.
 Two of the Line, and two Frigates at the Cape of Good Hope. All separated by Chance, but they were expected to unite at the Island of Ceylon, in June last.

The Parties taken into Custody for distributing some inflammatory Libels are discharged.

Wednesday an Express arrived from the Duke of Bedford. His Dutches having sent for her Jewels, it is thought they will stay longer at Paris than was at first imagined.

Yesterday in the Evening, after the breaking up of the Council, a Messenger was dispatched to the Duke of Bedford at Paris.

We have an Account from Petersburg in Russia, that a Man there had 72 Children by two Wives, by the first he had

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This Account is from a Master of a Ship who was at Petersburg in the Year 1757, and was taken from the Mouth of one of the Sons; the Man was 72 Years of Age, then living with his second Wife, and 52 of his Children were also living at that Time.

Dec. 23. An Officer, lately arrived from the Havannah, declares, that there are not 300 Men left alive of the Regiment of Highlanders, commanded by Lord John Murray, which Regiment consisted of two Battalions of 1000 Men each.

All the small Ships in his Majesty's Service, of a certain Age, we hear are ordered to be sold.

It is said that his Grace the Duke of Newcastle has resigned the Office of Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

On Thursday three Sailors, who had just received their second Payment of 450 l. Prize Money, due from the Hermione, at the Ship Tavern behind the Exchange, took a Coach, in order to go to the Strand, and threw out Money all the Way to the Populace.

Dec. 27. An English Frigate-built Ship, called the Donald, bound to Virginia, burthen 180 Tons, and 20 Men, is taken by the Triumphant Privateer, and carried into St. Sebastians.

They are fitting out a Squadron of Men of War at Brest, for the East Indies, which are to be commanded by Count d'Esfrange. This Gentleman ran twice away from his Parole of Honour, and after the first Breach of Faith, fitted out some Ships at the Morusket, and did us a great deal of Mischief at Bencoolen, and in the Gulph of Persia.—*Quere,* What may not be expected from a Soldier who breaks his Honour? In about 20 Months Time, or thereabouts, we may possibly hear of some extraordinary Exploits in the true French Taste.

We are informed, that a Person of Distinction will be immediately sent to the King of Prussia, in order to reconcile him to the Princes of the Empire, against whom he has taken an Antipathy, and to endeavour to prevent a Continuation of the War, which seems to wear as dreadful a Look at present as it ever did, in Upper Germany.

We hear the Articles of the Definitive Treaty between this Court, France, Spain and Portugal, which arrived here a few Days ago from Paris, are already sent back to his Grace the Duke of Bedford.

Vast Quantities of Goods, of various Kinds, are shipping in the River, for several Ports in France and Spain.

Extract of a Letter from the Hague, Dec. 14.

"Letters from Paris, by this Day's Post, advise, that the People of France are highly dissatisfied with the Preliminaries of Peace. And from Dunkirk they write, that on the 6th Instant a Courier arrived there from Versailles, whose Dispatches occasioned a great Consternation, being an express Order to demolish all the Works that have been raised since the Year 1756, which it was ap-

prehended would include the Port; but this was not to be determined till the Arrival of the English Commissaries, who were expected on the 15th."

This Day at Noon Peter Annet (lately convicted for Publishing divers blasphemous Remarks on the Five Books of Moses) stood in the Pillory at Charing-Cross, and next Week he is to stand at the Royal Exchange.

Dec. 28. Yesterday Morning an Express arrived from Germany, and amongst other Dispatches, it is said, has brought Advice of the Marquis of Granby being relapsed, and was dangerously ill when the Express came away.

Dec. 30. In the Course of the War we have taken from the French 18 Ships of the Line, and 36 Frigates, and destroyed 14 Ships, and 13 Frigates; and they have lost by Accidents 5 Ships, and 6 Frigates; so that on the whole their Navy has been deprived of 37 Capital Ships, and 55 Frigates. From the Spaniards we have taken 12 Ships, and 4 Frigates. Our Loss has been only 2 Frigates taken, and 3 destroyed; and 13 Ships, and 14 Frigates, lost by Accident.

A Letter from the Hague, dated Dec. 21, says, "It is rumoured at that Place, that though only 26 Preliminary Articles of Peace between France and England have been published, there were 37 signed; consequently 11 which have not been thought proper to be published. By one of these, some People pretend to say that it is stipulated, That notwithstanding the vague and haughty Answer which the King of Prussia made to the Representation of England on the Expediency of accommodating his Difference with the Empress Queen, fresh Application shall be made to him, desiring him to be more explicit on the Terms of Peace he will agree to."

According to the last Letters from Vienna, the Troops of the Empress Queen will be augmented next Campaign with 70,000 Men, viz. 50,000 Recruits, raised in the Hereditary Dominions, and 20,000 foreign Troops, which she will take into her Pay. The Grandees of Hungary have promised to advance to her Majesty Seventeen Millions, which they borrow at Venice, Genoa, and other Cities.

The whole Discourse of the Town turns now upon the strong Report of the Reconciliation of our Court and that of Vienna; and some Politicians pretend to see strange Revolutions, in Consequence thereof.

Letters from Brussels, of the 30th Instant, advise, that a very strong Detachment of Prussian Troops were on their March to occupy the Territories of Marck, Cleves, and Guelders; on which Account Orders have been sent from Vienna, to Prince Charles of Lorraine, to have a watchful Eye over these Troops, that they do not penetrate into the Austrian Netherlands.

The Prussian Troops, which are on their March to take Possession of Cleves, it is said, will execute some *Coup d'Eclat* against a Province belonging to the Dutch, and also against the County of Horne, to which the King of Prussia has long laid a Claim.

It will give Pleasure to the Friends of Ireland, when they are informed, that their Linnen Exports have increased upwards of 211,000 l. within the last Year, ending the 25th of March; 1762.

January 1. Various are the Opinions of Persons on the sudden Departure of the Honourable Hans Stanley, for Paris; but in general it is believed, that he is gone as an Assistant to his Grace the Duke of Bedford, in the same Station as the French Ambassador has an Assistant at our Court; yet some say the Affairs of the East-India Company is the chief Object.

England and France have agreed to use their joint Influence to induce the States of Germany to withdraw their Troops from the Army of the Empire, and observe a strict Neutrality whilst the War continues.

Letters from Leipzig, of the 17th ult, advise, that the King of Prussia intended to have three Armies in the Field next Campaign; one in Saxony, commanded by Prince Henry; another in Silesia, under the Prince of Bevern; and the third headed by the King in Person, to invade the Kingdom of Bohemia.

January 3. His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales has, within this Day or two, been indisposed, but we hope without any Danger.

January 4. Spanish Passes, we are informed, arrived here by the last French Mail.

Several Merchants and Traders have begun to remove Themselves and Effects from Belleisle, some of which are gone, and others intend to go, to Boston, Piscataqua, &c. in order to dispose of their Effects in North-America.

A private Letter by this Day's Dutch Mail says, that the Marquis of Granby was better on the 24th past.

This Morning arrived a Mail from Lisbon, and with it some Dispatches from Count de la Lippe Buckebourg, by which we are informed, that all the Troops were ready to embark for England, every Thing being very quiet throughout the Kingdom.

Whitehall, Jan. 4. The King has been pleased to grant unto Henry Osborn, Esq; the Office or Offices of Vice Admiral of Great-Britain, and Lieutenant of the Admiralty thereof, and also of Lieutenant of the Navies and Seas of the said Kingdom, void by the Death of George Lord Anson.

The King has been pleased to grant unto Sir Edward Hawke, Knight of the Bath, the Office or Offices of Rear-Admiral of Great-Britain, and of the Admiralty thereof, and of Rear-Admiral of the Navies and Seas of the said Kingdom, in the Room of Sir William Rowley, Knight of the Bath, appointed Admiral and Commander in Chief of his Majesty's Fleet.

A curious Monument has been lately erected in St. Peter's Church at Leyden in Holland, in Memory of the famous Dr. Herman Boerhaave, who was born the 31st of December 1668, and died the 23d of September 1738.

BOSTON, March 7.

We hear from Milton, that a Sheep having strayed to a small Distance from a Flock in the Snow Storm that happened in the Night following the 2d Day of January last, took Shelter under a Stone Wall, and was there so covered with Snow, that she was not found until the 31st of that Month; when a Boy accidentally passing on the Snow near where the Sheep lay, broke through the Crust into the Cavity occasioned by her Breath; from whence she was taken: It was several Days before she could use her Limbs, or eat any Thing; however, through the Care of the Owner, the Sheep is now, to Appearance, as strong and active as ever.

An Ewe of a middling Size, and which always grazed with a common Flock in the second Parish in Hingham, has been so Prolific, as that within the Compass of five Years, she has Yeaned 15 Lambs, all which were fatted for the Market, except one devoured by Dogs. Upon the Sheep's dying with Sickness this Winter, three more Lambs were found in her Body. She was not 7 Years old.

Last Tuesday Afternoon a melancholy Affair happened at the North End; two young Children, about 5 and 6 Years of Age, Daughters of a Gentleman lately arrived from Newfoundland, having picked up a Piece of Arsenic, which lay carelessly about the House, the Family not knowing what it was, but thought it to be a Bit of Alabaster, and the Children taking it to be Loaf Sugar, they both eat of it, and the Poison immediately operated to such a Degree that they both died the same Night.

The many repeated Storms of Snow we have had since Christmas, has filled the Town and Country in such a Manner that the Travelling is still very bad.—It is imagined that the Snow is, upon a Level, between three and four Feet high, in the Country.—Several Persons who have come from Rutland, Deerfield, &c. were obliged to travel with Rackets (Snow Shoes) to Shrewsbury, there being no Paths on that Road.

March 28. We have Advices from the West-Indies, that the French and Spanish Privateers have been very successful of late, and that since the 18th of January, no less than 25 Sail of Vessels, belonging to the Northern Colonies, have been taken by them.

NEW-HAVEN (in Connecticut) March 26.

We hear from several Towns, back in the Country, that the Snow is deeper than has been known for near Fifty Years, at this Season; it is Two and Three Feet deep on a Level, in some Places, and where it is Drifted, the Fences are intirely covered up. What makes the Prospect disagreeable is, the general Scarcity of Fodder throughout the Colony.

NEW-PORT, March 14.

Last Wednesday arrived here Captain Croswell, in 16 Days from New-Providence, who gives us

the following Intelligence; viz.—That Capt. Robert Rodman, in the Schooner Twins, who sailed from this Port the 2d of November last, was cast away 16 Days afterwards, on Cat-Island, one of the Bahama's, where the Vessel and Cargo were entirely lost; the Men, Three besides the Captain, leaving 14 Negroes on the Wreck, had the good Fortune to get ashore in their Boat, but not without much Difficulty; after some Time they also got the Negroes on Shore, by carrying two at a Trip; their Boat being so small as not to admit of any more. They having no Knowledge of the Place they were thus unhappily drove to, travelled about in order to make what Discoveries they could, and to procure Subsistence; but after having gone, as they imagined, 150 Miles, came to the Place where they set off from. They continued eight Weeks in the most distressed Situation, subsisting on Shell Fish, and what else they could find; The Captain and his three Men came to a Resolution to take to their Boat; they accordingly set off, very weak and feeble, keeping near the Land, being obliged to go ashore every Night to rest themselves; and in about 8 or 10 Days, to their inexpressible Joy, very fortunately arrived safe at New-Providence, reduced almost to Skeletons: At this Place they applied to a Gentleman for a small Vessel to go after the Negroes; and being provided, they sailed to the Place where they left them, but on their Arrival found but seven alive, whom they brought off.

About 10 Days before Capt. Croswell sailed, a Snow from Bristol was cast away on the Island of Euthera; the Vessel entirely lost; and Part of the Cargo, but the Men saved.

NEW-YORK, April 4.

The Bristol Merchant, Kerr, is arrived at Bristol from Boston. As is also the Harriot Snow Packet Boat, Capt. Bonnell, from New-York at Falmouth, in 26 Days.

On Tuesday the 15th of March last, about 3 o'Clock in the Morning, a most terrible Fire broke out in the House of Messrs. Chesnut and Graham, at Albany, which was soon burnt to Ashes, together with all their Goods, Books, &c. as also the House and Store of Mr. Joseph White, Merchant, adjoining thereto; but by the Vigilance and Industry of the Inhabitants, many of Mr. White's Goods were saved: The Damage Mr. White has suffered by this melancholy Affair is judged to be about 4 or 500 Pounds Currency.

PHILADELPHIA, April 7.

Tuesday Evening arrived Captain Dennis from Lisbon, which he left the 8th of February: A Letter by him of the latter End of January, says, That they had Accounts from France, that the Definitive Treaty was Signed, but they had no Confirmation of it from England.

The same Evening arrived Capt. Hants from St. Christophers, in 23 Days, who informs us, that just before he came away they had Advice, that Thomas Stephens (commonly called Big Headed Tom) was gone a Pirating in a Ship; and that the Levant, and another Frigate was gone after him.

The Goshort Man of War from Virginia, is arrived in England. Some of her Convoy ran foul of one another, some lost and some taken.

ANNAPOLIS, April 14.

We have a quite different Account from the above, relating to the Tobacco Fleet, (by the Way of Virginia,) viz. That they had all got safe Home. Which of the Two is the Truth, a little Time will determine.

Last Tuesday Morning it Snowed here for a considerable Time; but it melted as fast as it fell, and the Night after we had a smart Frost.

WHEREAS there is a Vacancy for a Master, in Queen-Anne's County SCHOOL.

Any Person properly Qualified, applying to the Visitors of the said School, will meet with as much Encouragement as the Law will Support them in.

Signed per Order,
NATHAN WRIGHT, Register.

TO BE SOLD,

SIX Hundred and Ninety Two ACRES of Choice LAND, on Pipe-Creek, about 15 Miles from Frederick-Town, called Ivy Church, it is extraordinary well Water'd and Timber'd, and will be Sold all together, or in two Parts, as it shall best suit the Purchasers.

Likewise the House and Lot in Annapolis, near the Town Gate, formerly in the Occupation of Mrs. McLeod.

Enquire of Mr. WM. COALS, on Elk-Ridge.

Annapolis, April 14, 1763.
ABOUT a Month since, the Subscriber's House was broke open, whilst he was Absent on a Journey, and the following Particulars were Stolen thereout, viz.

A French Frock, with Waistcoat and Breeches, of Cloth Pompadour Colour, and trimmed with Gold Lace; a Coat of brown Broad Cloth, full trimmed, with Metal Buttons; a white Broad Cloth Waistcoat and Breeches; a blue Broad Cloth Waistcoat; a pair of Crimson Broad Cloth Breeches, with Gold Lace Knee-Garters. In one pair of the aforementioned Breeches was a pair of Stone Knee Buckles. A black Satin Waistcoat, very little the worse for wear; one pair of black Silk Stocking-Breeches; two pair of Buckskin Breeches; and sundry other Things.

Whoever will make Discovery of the Thief, or Thieves, that committed the Fact, so that he or they be convicted thereof, shall receive the Sum of TEN POUNDS Current Money; And whoever will deliver all the Goods abovementioned to the Subscriber, shall be paid FIVE POUNDS; and in Proportion for the Delivery of any of the Particulars, to
LLOYD DULAWY.

TO be LET in the City of ANNAPOLIS, in a Fortnight's Time, or thereabouts, TWO Commodious ROOMS, with (or without) a Kitchen, Stable, Chaise-House, Meat-House, and a Garden, situate in as pleasant a Spot as any in the City; suitable for a Merchant, private Family, or a single Gentleman. For further Particulars, Enquire of the Printers hereof.

Wanted, a Servant Man, or Boy, that understands Waiting on a single Gentleman, and that will carefully Manage two Riding Horses.

Kent-Island, April 12, 1763.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, On Monday the 16th of May next,

A TRACT of LAND, called SCYLLA, containing about One Hundred Acres, lying on KENT-ISLAND, now in the Possession of Mr. James Bryan. The Sale to be on the Premises, about 12 o'Clock on that Day, when the Subscriber will attend.

THOMAS ELLIOTT HUTCHINGS.

ISAAC NEDHAM having Indented himself to me for a Term of Years; I hereby forewarn all Persons from having any Dealings with him; as I will not Pay any Debts of his contracting after this 14th Day of April, 1763.

HENRY WARD.

Philadelphia, March 17, 1763.

IMPORTED, and to be SOLD by DANIEL WILLIAMS, In Chestnut-Street, near Front-Street:

A GREAT ASSORTMENT of the Best BOULTING CLOTHS.

MILLERS and OTHERS, who are not skill'd in choosing them, may [by informing him what Branch of the Boulting Business they are wanted for] DEPEND on being supplied with Cloths suitable for any, and every Branch of the Boulting Business, with particular Directions respecting Boulting Mills, and Cloths, if desired. Said Williams has had long Experience in Boulting and Boulting Cloths: Who has also to sell, several Pair of the best Cullen MILL-STONES, for grinding Wheat.

STOLEN or STRAYED from the Subscriber, of St. Mary's County, at the Plantation of Thomas Posey in Charles County, on Saturday the 19th of March last, a Sorrel Mare between 12 and 13 Hands high, a natural Pacer, has some Resemblance of white Saddle Spots on her Back, not branded, but docked, & has a large Mane & Tail.

Whoever brings the said Mare to me, or gives Intelligence so that I may have her again, shall receive Twenty Shillings Reward, paid by
JOHN REEVER.

Annapolis, April 6th, 1763.

AS the PAPER CURRENCY ACT, made in the Year 1733, will expire the 29th of September, 1764, and as the Bonds taken by the Commissioners or Trustees of the Loan-Office, can have no longer Duration than that Law; Therefore the said Commissioners inform the Debtors to the aforesaid Office, that they will immediately after the 30th Day of July next, proceed to put the Bonds in Suit, beginning with those of the eldest Date, and will continue this Procedure until all the Money due to the Loan-Office shall be paid in.

Signed per Order,
ROBERT COUDEN, Cl. P. C. Office.

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Philadelphia, March 29, 1763.

PHILADELPHIA RACES,

On Monday the 30th of May, will be Run for, over the Center Course of this City, a Purse of FIFTY POUNDS,

FREE for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, not full Blooded: Those of 15 Haps high, to carry Nine Stone, Saddle and Bridle included, and Pounds for each Inch above that Size, to Run 3 Heats, three Times round the Course each Heat. Not less than Four reputed running Horses, Mares, or Geldings, to Start in this Race.

The Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that winneth any two Heats, winneth the Purse; 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 winneth the fourth Heat, shall have the Purse.

Three Gentlemen will be appointed Judges, who are to fix the Hour of Starting, determine all Disputes, agreeable to regular Articles which will be read at the Post, and will dispose of the Entrance Money, as they shall think most likely to entertain the Company the next Day, when a Purse of TWENTY POUNDS, or more, will be Run for, by such Horses as the Judges may then think proper.

All Horses, Mares, or Geldings, that Run for the FIFTY POUND PURSE, are to be shown, entered and measured, by Mr. Peter Robinson in this City, on Friday the 27th of May, paying Two Pistoles Entrance, or Four Pistoles if entered at the Post.

THE Subscriber, Sarah Raymer, Widow of Thomas Raymer, at Broad-Creek on Kent-Island, Deceased, has Administred on his Estate: Therefore all Persons to whom he was Indebted, either by Bond, Bill, Note, or open Account, are desired to bring in their Claims, that they may be adjusted and settled: And those who are Indebted to the said Estate, are requested to come and settle their Accounts. SARAH RAYMER, Administratrix.

The Ferry Boats will cross the Bay, and the Tavern be kept as in the Life-Time of Mr. Raymer. Constant Attendance and quick Dispatch, may be depended on, by all who shall be pleas'd to Favour her with their Custom. S. R.

AERIEL will Cover MARES at Mr. William Brent's in Virginia, at Five Pounds the Season. He was bred by the late Colonel Benjamin Tasker, and got by Mr. Morston's noted Horse Traveller, out of Selima. It is recommended to every Gentleman who chuses to send Mares from Maryland, to send them to Kennedy's Ferry on Patowmack, which is directly opposite to Mr. Brent's, and only Twenty Miles from Piscataway, and Sixteen from Port-Tobacco.

JOHN CASBURN, Groom.

Good Pasturage for Mares.

Patuxent Iron-Works, April 5, 1763.

ALL Persons who have just Claims against the Estate of Richard Snowden, late of Anne-Arundel County, Deceased, are desired to bring them in, that they may be settled and adjusted: And all Persons who are Indebted to the said Estate, by Mortgage, Bond, Note, or Book Account, are requested to come and settle, and pay the same. ELIZABETH SNOWDEN, THOMAS SNOWDEN, SAMUEL SNOWDEN, JOHN SNOWDEN, Executors.

To be SOLD for Current Money,

ABOUT Sixteen Hundred Acres of LAND, lying on Anti-Batum in Frederick County, being Part of a Tract called Fallfoot Enlarged, formerly granted to Captain Tobias Stanbury; the greatest Part of it very good, and well Timber'd; and Part of it there is great Appearance of Iron Ore, and a Stream sufficient to work a Furnace; it lies on the Public Road, and is very convenient for a Store, or Tavern, where there is some Improvements. The Title indisputable.

The Whole will be Sold together or in Lots, as may suit the Purchaser.

Credit will be given for One Half the Purchase, on good Security, if required.

Attendance will be given on the Premises, from the 10th to the 20th of May next, by

JOSEPH ENSOR.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT or PARCEL of LAND, called CHOICE, containing 280 Acres, lying and being in Frederick County, on the West Side of Manockasy, near Daniel Pepengor's, about Half a Mile above the Mouth of Owen's Creek, joins a Tract of Land called Black Walnut Bottom, and about 13 Miles from Frederick-Town. The Title indisputable. S. CHASE.

CHARLES WILSON PEALE,

LATELY Removed into Church-Street, where Mr. SWAN formerly kept his Store, hereby gives Notice, That he carries on his SADDLER'S BUSINESS as usual, where all Persons may be supplied with Saddles, Bridles, or Harness, of any Sort, at the most reasonable Rates.

N. B. He would give good Encouragement to a SADDLE-TREE-MAKER.

Painting of Signs, is likewise performed at the same Place. 2

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, at the Sign of the Waggon & Horses in West Street, near the Town Gate, in ANNAPOLIS,

GOOD HOPS, CANDLES, OAKUM, and all Sorts of CORDAGE, of different Sizes, at reasonable Rates. 2 JOHN GOLDER.

WHEREAS a certain John Jones has, in a fraudulent Manner, obtained my Note of Hand for Fifty-one Pounds Five Shillings Pennsylvania Currency: This is to forewarn all Persons from purchasing or taking an Assignment of the said Note, for I will not pay it. 2 THOMAS HUSBAND.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, at the Store of Mr. Robert Couden in Annapolis, on Tuesday the 10th Day of April Inst. being the Second Week in the Provincial Court, for Bills of Exchange, or Money at the current Rates,

A PARCEL of Country-born SLAVES, consisting of Men, Women, Boys, Girls, and Children, lately belonging to the Estate of Mr. James Mout, deceased. The Sale to begin at III o'Clock in the Afternoon, and will continue next Day, if they are not all Sold on the Day of Sale. JAMES ANDERSON, Executor.

THE Subscribers, Jane Inch, Widow of John Inch, late of the City of Annapolis, Silver-smith, Deceased, and Beriah Maybury, Son-in-Law to the said Deceased, have Administred on his Estate: Therefore all Persons to whom he was Indebted, either by Bond, Bill, Note, or open Account, are desired to bring in their Claims, that they may be adjusted and settled: And those who are Indebted to the said Estate, are requested to come and settle their Accounts. 3

JANE INCH, BERIAH MAYBURY, Administrators.

N. B. The Silver-smith's Business, Tavern-keeping, and Boats to go up and down the Bay, are carried on as usual, by JANE INCH.

March 25, 1763.

NOTICE is hereby given, That a STAGE SHALLOP, Samuel Oakford, Master, well accommodated for Passengers, will set out from New-Castle on Friday the First Day of April (and so Weekly) and proceed for Philadelphia, and leave that Place on the Wednesday following, and return to New-Castle, where there will be a Stage Waggon, belonging to John Bolton, which will on the Friday be ready to set out for Chester-Town in Maryland, and from thence to Rock-Hall on Chesapeake Bay, being about 60 Miles, where there will be a Stage Boat, belonging to Abraham Ayres, ready to proceed to Annapolis on the Monday, and the Waggon returns from thence on that Day to Chester-Town, and sets out for New-Castle on Wednesday. SAMUEL OAKFORD, JOHN BOLTON, ABRAHAM AYRES.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, on Saturday the 23d of April, at the House of Mr. Henry Gassaway in Annapolis, at II o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Sterling Cash, or good Bills of Exchange,

A TRACT of choice LAND, call'd Part of Turkey Quarter, otherwise Clerk Quarter, containing about 150 Acres, more or less, late the Property of Mr. Henry Woodward, Deceased: to be Sold agreeable to an Act of Assembly.

Six Months Credit will be given, if required, on giving Bond and Security. 4 JOHN HESSELIUS.

Alexandria, March 22, 1763.

TO BE RENTED,

THE GEORGE TAVERN (near the Court-House) extremely convenient, has Three Rooms, and a good Bar, below Stairs, and Six Rooms above; a Kitchen adjoining, with two Rooms below, and one above; a large Dining-Room, and a good London Billiard-Table, above; a Garden, paved in; a Well, Smoke-House, Stable, and Necessary-House; late in the Possession of Patrick Byrn, Deceased.

The Terms may be known by applying to WILLIAM RAMSAY.

Alexandria, March 22, 1763.

SUPPOSED to be Imported into Maryland, from London, in the Year 1761, or 1762, SIX Half Barrels of GUN-POWDER, mark'd B M (with a long Stroke between them, and Something like this or at Top) or MB.

Any Person that can give an Account of them is desired to inform the Subscriber.

WILLIAM RAMSAY.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

TAR, Pitch, Turpentine, and Pork, by the Barrel: Tallow, Myrtle and Bees Wax, by the Pound: Gammons, Shoulders and Middlings of Bacon: And, Some European Goods not well Assorted. ROBERT SWAN.

He has also Rum for Sale.

Talbot County, March 25, 1763.

A SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

FOR Raising Four Hundred and Eighty Dollars, for Erecting a LODGE-ROOM, for the Brotherhood and Fellowship of FREE and ACCEPTED MASONS, at Talbot Court-House.

MASONRY has been cultivated by Men of the first Rank and best Taste in all Ages, and been justly held in the highest Esteem among all civilized Nations: We Doubt not, therefore, but an Attempt to cultivate that truly Noble and Royal ART among us, will meet with all due Encouragement from all Lovers of the Arts, and Friends to Taste; particularly we Hope, that our Brethren of the several LODGES, in this and the adjacent Provinces, will lend their helping Hands to so laudable a Design, thereby evincing their Brotherly Love to MASONS, and Regard to MASONRY.

This Scheme is as well calculated for the Benefit of the Adventurers, as most Others of the Kind, there being but few more than Two Blanks to a Prize; the Deduction being only 15 per Cent, which may be well afforded by the fortunate Adventurers.

Number of Prizes.	Value in Dollars.	Total Value.
1 of 250	is 250	
2 of 150	are 300	
2 of 100	are 200	
4 of 50	are 200	
8 of 20	are 160	
10 of 15	are 150	
50 of 10	are 500	
175 of 8	are 1400	
1	First drawn Blank	20
1	Last drawn Blank	20

254 Prizes.
546 Blanks.

800 Tickets at 4 Dollars each, are 3200

THE following Gentlemen are appointed MANAGERS, Dr. Charles Leith, Reverend John Gordon, Dr. John Martin, Messieurs Jacob Hindman, John Dickinson, William Hanson, Joshua Clarke, Henry Trippe, Clement Hollyday, Thomas Jack, Ebenezer Mackey, and John Allen Thomas, who are to give Bond, and be upon Oath, justly to execute the Trust reposed in them.

The Drawing to be at Talbot Court-House, on Monday the Third Day of October next, or sooner, if sooner full.

The Prizes will be published in the Maryland Gazette, and the Prize-Money paid directly after; the Deduction abovementioned being first made.

Prizes not demanded in Six Months after Publication, will be deemed as generously given for the Use of the Building, and applied accordingly.

Tickets may be had of any of the Managers, and from the following Gentlemen, William Hayward, Esq; in Somerset County; Mr. John Anderson, Merchant, in Cambridge; Mr. Anthony McCulloch, in Queen's-Town; Dr. John Scott, in Chester-Town; Mr. John Campbell, in Nottingham; Reverend Thomas Thornton, in Charles County; and at the Printing-Office in Annapolis.

THE Subscriber acquaints his old Customers and Others, That he keeps Public House where he now lives, in Prince-George's County, on the main Road that leads to and from Annapolis, where may be had good ENTERTAINMENT for Man and Horse, from

Their humble Servant,
WILLIAM BEALL.

Annapolis, March 24, 1763.
To be SOLD, on Thursday the 21st of April next, on the Premises, at XI o'Clock in the Morning, for ready Money, or short Credit (with Security if required)

A COMMODIOUS Brick Dwelling-House, being Part of the Lot N^o. 67, lately built by Robert Gordon, Stay-Maker, Deceased; the House fronts West-Street, from the Northwest, near the Town Gate, in Front about 60 Feet, and Back with the same Breadth about 160 Feet: There is a good Pump-Well, Boghouse, and Garden Ground. The House is not quite finish'd, by which great Additions may, at a small Expence, be made to the Purchaser's Fancy.

The Right and Title may be known, by applying to
JOHN GORDON, } Administrators.
ROBERT SWAN, }

N. B. All Persons Indebted to said GORDON, are desired to make immediate Payment, otherwise they may expect to be dealt with according to Law.

To be SOLD to the HIGHEST BIDDER, at the House of Mr. John Smith Prather, in Bladenburg, on Tuesday the Tenth of May next, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, for Sterling Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Current Money,

A CHOICE Parcel of LAND, containing upwards of 257 Acres, well situated for Farming, and produces fine Wheat, lying in Prince-George's County, within a Mile of the Eastern Branch of Patowmack, and 3 Miles from Bladenburg, whereon is a good Dwelling-House, and several Out-Houses. The Title is good.

Any Person inclinable to purchase the said Land, may see it, any Time before the Day of Sale, by applying to
SAMUEL SCOTT.

JOSEPH BULKLEY, MARINER,
Living at the lower End of East-street, in Annapolis,

WILL PILOT any SHIP or other VESSEL, to or from any Part of the BAY, at the common Rate of PILOTING.

N. B. He has a good BOAT to carry PASSENGERS up or down the Bay, at the cheapest Rates.

AS several of the Store BOOKS of Messieurs John Glasford, and Company, which were formerly kept by Mr. William Gammell, at Port-Tobacco, in Charles County, were unfortunately consumed by Fire, and as Mr. Gammell hath left the Country, and Mr. Thomas Campbell, who at the Time the Debts upon these Books were contracted, was an Assitant in the said Store, is now about to leave the Country also; I have thought it necessary, the better to establish these Demands, to take the Deposition of Mr. Campbell, who transcribed from the Day Books these Accounts with his own Hand, before he leaves the Country. This is therefore to give Notice, That Mr. Campbell's Deposition will be taken at Port-Tobacco, on Wednesday the 27th of April, at which Place and Time, every Person concerned, may, if they will, attend.
ROBERT MUNDALL.

AT Hall's Creek, Youth are taught READING and WRITING; ARITHMETIC, in all it's Parts, both Vulgar & Decimal; BOOK-KEEPING after the true Italian Method of Debtor and Creditor, by Double Entry; SURVEYING, or Measuring of Land; ALGEBRA; NAVIGATION, with several Branches of the Mathematics; LATIN, and GREEK, by
D. ANGUS, Master of Arts.

N. B. His Method has been approved of by the best Judges in Calvert County, where he has Taught about nine Years.

THE MANAGERS of the PORT-TOBACCO LOTTERY, for the Benefit of Mrs. HALKERSTON, intend to Draw it the Twelfth Day of May next. All those Gentlemen to whose Care Tickets have been recommended, and are not disposed of, are desired to return them by the First Day of that Month to the several Managers.

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THE Subscriber living on Patowmack River, at the Old Office, within One Mile and a Half of Lower Cedar Point, and a Quarter of a Mile below Benjamin Fendall's Landing, KEEPS a BOAT with good experienc'd HANDS, and Ferries over to Captain Hoos's Landing, where all Gentlemen Travellers may depend upon Ready Passage; also good Private ENTERTAINMENT for MEN and HORSES, by Their humble Servant,
JOHN LAIDLER.

Charles County, March 1, 1763.
To be SOLD by the Subscribers, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on TUESDAY the Tenth Day of MAY next, at the late Dwelling-House of Mr. JOHN FENDALL, deceased, for Sterling Cash, Bills of Exchange, Tobacco, Virginia or Inspection Currency,

A CHOICE Parcel of COUNTRY-BORN SLAVES, consisting of Men, Women, Boys and Girls; among them are several Tradesmen, and House Maids that understand Cooking, &c. A Variety of Household Furniture, and sundry Horses, Cattle, Hogs, and Sheep. Also the said John Fendall's Stud of BLOODED HORSES, MARES and COLTS; among which is the famous Grey Stone Horse that beat Goodrick's Black a Quarter of a Mile, with 85 odds in Riding: He also won a Match of a Quarter of a Mile against a Virginia Horse called Hips, and is thought by Gentlemen, who know him, to be a very swift Horse. He was bred by Col. Taffer, and will be delivered in good Order to the Purchaser. Time will be allowed for Payment, if required, on giving Bond and Security. The Sale to begin at XII o'Clock, and continue till all is Sold.

ALL Persons who have just Claims against the Estate of the said John Fendall, are desired to bring them in, that they may be settled and adjusted: And all Persons who are indebted to the said Estate, are requested to make speedy Payment, otherwise they will be sued and warranted without Respect to Persons. Those who are indebted on Account, will be allowed Time for Payment, provided they will come and settle them by Bond in a short Time.

SARAH FENDALL, } Executors.
PHILIP RICHARD FENDALL, }

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the Premises, on Saturday the 21st Day of May,

A VALUABLE Tract of LAND (whereon the Subscriber now lives) lying in Anne-Arundel County, upon the Falls of Patapsco, and about Four Miles from Elk-Ridge Landing, containing 300 Acres, whereon is a Dwelling-House, Two Tobacco Houses, besides several other Improvements: It is well Timbered, and a very convenient Place for Erecting a Mill. The Right is indisputable.

Whoever inclines to purchase, may know the Title, by applying to
EDWARD TALBOT.

Mount Calvert, Pr. George's County, March 1, 1763.
To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

SOME Negro WOMEN and BOYS, for Cash or Bills.—Also to be SOLD or LET, Four Hundred ACRES of LAND, near Piscataway, whereon is a New Dwelling-House, Tobacco-House, Corn-House, and an Old Quarter.

All Persons that have just Claims against the Subscriber, are desired to apply for Payment; and those Indebted in Accounts of above two Years standing, are desired to come and pay or settle by Note. Notes without a Seal, above two Years standing, may be renewed.

THOMAS HAMILTON.

SENT away by Mistake, to some Part of Patowmack, from on board the Essex, John Curling, Master, two Parcels of Goods, marked L.P. with Figure 4 and a Crow Foot between them, in a Diamond, a Cask, N^o. 1, and a Bundle N^o. 2. Any Information concerning them given to the Subscriber, living at Lower-Marlborough, will be most gratefully acknowledged.
DAVID SLATER.

Charles County, January 20, 1763.

I HAVE LAND to LEASE, for several Tenants, for a considerable Number of Years: Also, Tobacco for Sale, or to let out on Interest, on giving Security, if required.

SAMUEL HANSON.

MR. WILLIAM SANDERS, of this Province, who served an Apprenticeship to Mr. Lux, Merchant, of Baltimore, is gone in the Somerset, Capt. Errickson, to settle at St. John's in Antigua, and will be glad to receive Conferences from any of his Acquaintance, Countrymen or Others, who will oblige him with their Favours of that Sort; and they may depend on his Care Expedition and strict Punctuality. Having already Lived some Time in the West-Indies, he obtains sufficient Credentials of his Capacity, Honesty, and Integrity.

TO BE RENTED,

ONE Thousand Acres of Land, to be divided into Six Farms, and some Meadow Ground thereon. Three Hundred and Thirty-eight Acres of Land, to be divided into Two Farms, a great Part of which is Meadow Ground. One Hundred and Eighty Acres in One Farm, all Upland. The above Land is Woodland and very good, about 17 Miles from Baltimore-Town.

Also Sundry Lots to let upon Ground-Rent in Baltimore-Town. For Terms apply to
BRIAN PHILPOT.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE on Monday the 9th Day of May next, pursuant to an Act of the General Assembly of Virginia, for enlarging the Town of Alexandria,

FFIFTY-EIGHT Lots, or Half Acres of Land. This Town is beautifully situated near the Falls of Patowmack, one of the finest Rivers in North-America; it affords good Navigation for the largest Ships in Europe, up to the Town, where there is an excellent Harbour. The Country back is very extensive, and the Soil capable of producing Tobacco, Corn, Wheat, Flax, Hemp, &c. in great Perfection.

It's equal Convenience for Transporting any Commodity to the Waters of the Ohio, is obvious to any one that will give themselves the Trouble of examining the Draughts of the Country.

To be SOLD, on Tuesday the 19th Day of April Instant, at Alexandria, being Court-Day,

TWO LOTS, or one Acre, in the said Town, known by the Name of the Long Ordinary, consisting of one Dwelling-house, about 90 Feet long, and 24 wide. Six Rooms below, all with Fire-places, and Six Rooms above; a good Cellar, Kitchen, Meat-House, &c. The whole well pailed in, with a Garden distinct.

At the same Time is to be SOLD, One LOT, with a good neat Brick House, about 36 Feet by 24; a good Cellar, Kitchen, and other Out-houses; the Lot is well pailed in. They are both well accustomed Public Houses.

Any Person inclinable to purchase before the Time, may know the Terms, by applying to
CARLYLE and DALTON.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND called Thurston's Neighbourhood, lying on Bynam's Branch, near the Head of Bush River, in Baltimore County, containing about 1000 Acres. Any Person desirous of purchasing the above Tract of Land, may, upon Application to Mr. Robert Alexander, of Baltimore-Town, be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale. Sterling, or Gold and Silver at the current Rates, will be taken in Payment, as may best suit the Purchaser.

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 brained, 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 DUCKETT.

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