

MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1771.

PARIS, June 7.



LETTERS from Nancy bring Advice, that in the late Tumult there, on Account of the Dearth of Provisions, Two Houses belonging to the Intendant were demolished, the Populace having found 30,000 Sacks of Corn secreted therein. The Intendant made his Escape, and the People were so busy in dividing it, that they did not pursue him.

HAMBURG, June 7. They write from the Borders of the Danube, that Advice has been received there from Constantinople, that a Persian Army composed of 70,000 Men, was in march to render themselves Masters of the City of Bagdad.

RATISBON, June 8. We this Moment learn, that the Imperial Troops are already on their March for Transylvania, where the Emperor is to assemble an Army of 160,000 Men, which will extend to the Frontiers of Turkey, in order to compel the belligerent Powers to accept of the Conditions of Peace.

HAGUE, June 13. Letters from Paris of good Authority, inform us, that the King nominated, on the 6th Instant, the Duke d'Aiguillon Minister of foreign Affairs.

LOWER ELBE, June 14. It is said, that a Body of 40,000 Prussians have received Orders to march through Poland, in order to join the Russian Army. Some Letters received here advise, that Prince Repnin, who is actually at the Head of the Body of Troops commanded by the late General Olitz, had taken Widdin; but this News merits Confirmation.

LONDON, June 8.

The Queen of Hungary is going to borrow of her Subjects in the Low Countries Two Millions Five Hundred Thousand Florins.

One of the Footpads, who robbed the Reverend Mr. Horne, turned about to that Patriot, as he was going off, and clinking the Guineas in the Hollow of his Hand, said, "This is the first publick Money that I ever handled."

St. James's, June 12. This Day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of London, in Common Council assembled, waited upon his Majesty; and being introduced to his Majesty by the Right Hon. the Earl of Hertford, Lord Chamberlain of his Majesty's Household; Sir James Hodges, Knight, Town-Clerk, made their Compliments in the following Address.

To the KING's most excellent MAJESTY.

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

Most gracious Sovereign,

"We your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, embrace this joyful Occasion of approaching your Majesty with our sincere Congratulations on the safe Delivery of the Queen, and the auspicious Birth of another Prince.

"Your Majesty's ever loyal and faithful Citizens of London, exceeded by none of your Subjects in honest and anxious Zeal for your Majesty's Happiness and the Glory and Prosperity of your Reign, rejoice in all Events which augment your Majesty's domestick Felicity; firmly trusting that every Increase of the august House of Brunswick will prove an additional Security to our Religion, and the great Charter of Liberty, which, in Consequence of the glorious and necessary Revolution, that illustrious House was chosen to defend."

Signed by Order of the Court, James Hodges.

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

"I thank you for this dutiful Address, and for your Congratulations on the safe Delivery of the Queen, and the Birth of another Prince.

"It gives me great Satisfaction to find that you consider the Increase of my Family, as an additional Security to our Religion, and to that Liberty which I look upon with Pleasure as the Basis of my Government, and which I shall always think my Honour and Interest concerned to defend."

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

At the Court of St. James's, the 12th Day of June, 1771, Present,

The KING's most excellent MAJESTY in Council.

His Majesty having been pleased to deliver the Custody of the Privy Seal to his Grace Augustus Henry Duke of Grafton, the Oath of Keeper of the Privy Seal was this Day administered to him, and his Grace took his Place at the Board accordingly.

Extract of a Letter from Paris, dated May 21.

"The Ministers of the War and marine Departments have just presented to the Council their respective Projects for augmenting the Pay of the Officers,

Soldiers; and Seamen, which have received the Approbation of the Council, inasmuch as the whole tends to the Encouragement of the Military in every Respect; but as the Question is, how to fix a Fund to supply this Augmentation, the Business was postponed till further Orders, all the Funds being already anticipated.

The next Day, the Duke de Lavrillier laid before the Council several Letters from the Intendants of the different Provinces, informing the Court, that in all the Towns, Communities and Parishes, there had been Meetings of the Inhabitants, to which their Magistrates had not been invited, and that they had agreed and resolved, that as all the King's Edicts and Declarations for collecting the Land-Tax, the Tax for the Maintenance of the Gendarmes, the Poll-Tax, the Twentieth Penny, &c. had been registered by the Parliament, now that his Majesty had abolished that Body, the Receipt of these Taxes ought to cease, as the Cause that gave Force and Credit had ceased; in consequence, the Receivers of these Taxes can no longer levy them, and had Recourse to the Intendants for a Supply of Porteurs de Contraintes [Bearers of an Order, or general Warrants, to seize and imprison any Person], Soldiers, Dragoons, &c. which these Intendants refused to grant without express Orders from the Court, which is greatly embarrassed at this Increase of Troubles. This is the most fatal and decisive Blow that could be struck to open the King's Eyes, and let him see the wicked Proceedings of the Chancellor; for if the People persist in refusing to pay, the King's Troops will not be sufficient to quarter One Soldier only on each refractory Individual, to distrain, or in Garrison. Moreover, where must the Money come for Payment, if every Landholder, and every private Person, refuses to pay?

This is our present Situation, and Nobody will venture to accept of the Premiership, nor of the Place of Comptroller-General, which the Abbe de Terray still keeps against his Will."

June 13. The latest Accounts from Hamburg assure us, that the Empire of Russia is far from being bettered by the late Successes, as many Parts are left totally neglected; and in many extended Districts only old Men, Women, and Children, are to be seen.

Yesterday Morning was tried before Lord Mansfield and a special Jury, in the Court of King's-Bench, a Cause, wherein Lord March was Plaintiff, and Mr. Pigot Defendant. The Action was brought to recover the Sum of 500 Guineas, for a Wager which Lord March had laid with Mr. Pigot. The Wager was, that if Sir William Codrington died first, Lord March was to pay Mr. Pigot 1600 Guineas; and, if old Mr. Pigot died first, Mr. Pigot was to pay Lord March 500 Guineas. Mr. Pigot happened to die suddenly with the Gout in his Head on the Morning previous to the laying of the Wager: Mr. Pigot thought that from this Circumstance it was no Bet; Lord Ossory and several other Noblemen were examined. Lord March sat on the Bench with Lord Mansfield. The Defendant's Counsel said, that if you make a Bet for Two Horses to run, and One of them should die before it can be run, there can be no Bet; and he hoped that the Jury would find a Verdict for the Defendant. After a short Charge given by the Judge, the Jury brought in a Verdict for the Plaintiff of 500 Guineas, and full Costs of Suit.

Mr. Horne's last Letter has done Mr. Wilkes more Disservice than any of the other particular Charges the Parlon has brought against him; such a Series of regular Facts amount to more than Prima Facie Evidence; and unless Mr. Wilkes can, in his Reply, demonstratively prove that the whole is a String of Falshoods, the Publick in general will look on him as the most ungrateful and unprincipled Profligate that ever dared insult Generosity and Friendship. If he should have the Adroitness to overturn all Mr. Horne's Assertions, he will raise himself in the general Esteem of Mankind, and Mr. Horne will deservedly be thought an Archfiend, able in Villainy, and practised in Deceit.

June 14. We are assured that the Presents made by the King of France to the King of Sweden, when he left Versailles, amounted in Value to 20,000l.

The King of Denmark has regulated all the Courts of Justice in his Dominions, on the same Plan as that adopted by his Prussian Majesty.

June 15. The whole Court will reside at Windsor during the Installation of the Knights of the Garter, which will be in July; Orders having been given by Lord Talbot, Steward of the Household, for fitting up Apartments for the Officers of State.

It is said that Lord Bute, who is gone down to his Seat in Bedfordshire, is again relapsed, and that he intends soon to visit the Continent, finding that the English Air does not agree with his Constitution.

Extra of a Letter to the Printer from Paris, dated June 10.

"The Publick expected to be at length relieved from Oppression, by the Mediation of the Duke de Penthièvre, at the Two Assemblies held at St. Hubert and Remboullet, but M. de Manpeou has made these Interviews the Subject of his Triumph. The King, fatigued with wielding the Rod of Iron, with which he has ruled these Ten Months past, has delivered into

the Hands of the Duke d'Aiguillon, all the Power which the Duke de Choiseul was invested with. Behold! he is now Prime Minister, at the very Time when it was thought he was fallen from all Pretensions. It is to be feared that this Event will be productive of as much Bloodshed as the St. Bartholomew Massacre. The People are all in an Uproar at this News. The Courier is setting out; I have no Spirits to write any more."

Extra of a Letter from Paris.

"We are at present in such Confusion at this Capital, and indeed all over the Kingdom, that the Ministers of State are taking every Precaution to prevent a Civil War: Gentlemen and Ecclesiastics are sent to the Bastille by Dozens; the new Parliament dare not transact any Business for fear of being arraigned by the old Parliament; Princes of the Blood, and the greatest Part of the Nobility, as an unlawful Assembly; several of them having been already threatened to be hanged up at their own Doors. The Country People from different Provinces are so numerous in this City, that the Judge of Police endeavoured to clear it of them, but to no Purpose, because they find no Bread nor Money in the Country; in short, if proper Measures are not speedily adopted, this Country will be one of the most miserable in the World. Happy then that Nation, whose Liberties are preserved sacred and inviolable! There can be nothing wanting in it to make every Thing lovely, and to flourish in it; their Trade must be extensive; their Manufactures numerous; the People easy, contented, rich, brave; the Governors happy, in governing reasonable Creatures in a reasonable Manner, and commanding what Principle teaches to be fit and right. England is the Nation where these Effects are best understood, and most likely to be expected, and learn to commiserate and pity almost all the World besides."

Extra of a private Letter from the Hague, dated June 7.

"Our Politicians were never more puzzled than they are at present, to form a proper Judgment of the Turn Affairs will take between Russia and the Porte; for though a Treaty of Pacification has for some Weeks been talked of as an Event that would soon take Place, the Czarina's Demands are considered by the Porte as so very unreasonable, that it is positively assured the Grand Signor has declared, that he will not only rather risque another Campaign than submit to them, but if the Russians were absolutely possessed of Constantinople, he would still reject them. It is generally believed, that though the Court of Versailles will not visibly appear an Auxiliary to the Porte, she has had sufficient Influence upon the Court of Vienna to engage the Emperor to make the most favourable Dispositions in Favour of the Grand Signor, and that under Pretence of preventing Incurisions into his Territories, he will absolutely second the Operations of the Turks and the Russians. It is, indeed, said, that a Treaty has been for some Time upon the Carpet between the Courts of Vienna and Berlin, whereby it is stipulated, that an Army of Observation is immediately to be raised for the security of their respective Territories, but which, it is generally believed by our deepest Politicians, is indeed designed to strip the Czarina of those Acquisitions she has already made, or may hereafter make, upon the Turk. We wait with Impatience for the next Post from Petersburg, which will throw great Light upon the present critical State of Affairs."

A Correspondent says, Lord Bute finding all his Emisaries were not sufficient to crush Mr. Wilkes, whom he looks upon as his chief Obstacle to the carrying his Scheme of arbitrary Power and abject slavery of this once free Country fully into Execution, is come over on Purpose with a determined Resolution to stop the further Progress of Mr. Wilkes's Popularity, by preventing him from being elected one of the Sheriffs of the City of London and County of Middlesex, tho' it should cost 30,000l. and has set all his Hirelings, or Blood-Hounds, to work to hunt him down.

Policies are already opened upon the Royal Exchange upon the Success of Mr. Wilkes's Election: 60l. are taken to return 100l. if he should not be chosen.

June 18. To-morrow a Chapter of the most Noble Order of the Blue Garter will be held at St. James's; when the vacant Ribbon, by the Death of the Earl of Halifax, will be given to the Bishop of Osnaburgh.

June 22. By the Survey already made, of some of the Dock-Yards and Shipping, it appears, there are 60 Ships of the Line fit for immediate Service.

Sir William Meredith's Brother is to be Canon Residentary of St. Paul's, in the Room of Dr. Egerton, now Bishop of Durham; and not to have the Living of Ross, as hath been mentioned in the Papers.

Sir William Meredith, it is said, asked the Chancellorship of the Duchy of Lancaster for himself; but it was settled for Lord Hyde.

The French and Spanish Fleets, now in the Mediterranean, amount to above Sixteen capital Ships of the Line, exclusive of Frigates, Sloops, and Advice Boats; the latter of which are provided for fighting, the same as in Time of War.

A Peace is at last finally concluded between the Dey of Algiers and the King of Denmark, through the Mediation of the Sardinian Court.

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August 7, 1771... to his Exec... the Night of... Mr. James Cl... anty, was brok... unknown, who... a Sum of Mon... and Thirty-th... his Excellency... to publick Just... the said Robber... for such Offenc... r Principals onl... or their Accom... so that he, be... icted thereof.

COTT, Cl. Cor... ment, the Subscr... Baltimore County... and, to any one... Person or Perso... ff-nee, so that he... ice and convicted... MES CHESTON.

RACE... ED GUINEAS... Mare, or Geld... of the Jockey... our Years old... 10lb. 6 Years

5. FIFTY POUNDS... Horses aged, 14... for every Year... and Half a Stone... es over or under

6. SE, which, with... is expected will... 3 Miles each;

OS, free for any... 9 Stone. Heats... excluded starting... or upwards, may... Three last Days... y Two Guineas

Jan. 22, 1771... General, having... of Correspondence... been pleased to... hereby given, that... of the Clock at... every Month, and... ay for Falmouth.

DEN, Secretary... June 6, 1771... sale or Retail, up... at the Store next

REAN and EAST... T BUCHANAN... ly has been regu... Trade in the most... the City of Cork... Time with much... Masters in England... up at the House of... r, near the Town... carrying on his... s; from a superior... constant Adherence... fary in the Execu... will be able to... ose who please w... (11)

PRINTING... TISEMENTS, Long Ones of BLANKS, proper BONDS k performed

The several Companies of the Nine Traders in Newcastle, at a Meeting at their respective Balls on Monday...

BASSETTERE, (St. Christopher's) July 27. Extract of a Letter from St. Eustatius, July 20.

B O S T O N, August 19. Monday Afternoon arrived in King-Road, the Honourable John Montagu, Esq; Rear-Admiral of his Majesty's Blue Squadron...

Table with columns: Ships Names, Guns, Commanders. Lists ships like Livey, Rose, Gibraltar, Tamar, Beaver, Swan, Senegal, Buonetta, Hope Schooner, Gaspee Schooner and their respective commanders.

On the Arrival of the Admiral, the Salutes were respectively paid by the several Ships in the Harbour. The Day following the Admiral came up to Town in the Barge, with his Lady, Daughter, &c.

NEW P O R T, August 19. Last Tuesday a Ship, built on a new Construction, for carrying Home to England a large Quantity of Timber, was launched at Warren, in this Colony.

NEW-Y O K K, August 26. Last Monday Evening was married at Shrewsbury, in East N. Jersey, James De Lancey, Esq; one of the Representatives of this City in the General Assembly...

P H I L A D E L P H I A, August 22. Extract of a Letter from Pittsburg, August 6. Last Night a Runner arrived here from Fort Charters; he came from thence the 10th of June with a Party, in Three Battos, Two Officers, and a recruiting Party of Soldiers...

A N N A P O L I S, September 5. The General Assembly of this Province will certainly meet for the Dispatch of publick Business, on Tuesday the First Day of October next.

TO THE PRINTERS of the MARYLAND GAZETTE. BOARVING in your Gazette, as sum mischavus Person, and bitter Enemy to my Prosperity, has taken upon him to print my Name, with Intent to ruin my Character...

be, and as I hold Genius to be both unreligius and dafarving to be layd, and tore up Root and Branch forever, understanding in diverse Companies, as it is a fa-cret & dedly Foe to the present Laws of this Land...

3dly, As I am so far from purtending to foretel any Thing about the Inspecfhion Law, that I am totally ignorant of the Matter; only that I noe a narrow Inspecfhion is the worst Thing that can happen to any Gentleman, that purfesses to entertain and bennefit the Publick, by imposing upon um; which I myself have sumtimes expearunced, as well as many other Gentle-men, who exercise thare Purfeshons for that Purpos.

4thly, As I have too sound Principels to dabel in Pollickicks, having red and heard in diverse Prints and Books, that the grand Decepfion and other Tricks of Pollytishons is not near innocent Fun, but SLANDER-ING, NOISY, HYPOCRITICAL and BLOOD THIRSTY, setting eaven the Son againt his Father, and seching the Deltruxon of hole innocent Families, to glut private Revenge, Mortificashon and Spleane, and whoe-ver gets any Thing by um arns his Wages hard anuff.

5thly, As I am so far from selling Lozenges, or any other Purfarves that will stop Folks Mouths, that I do verrily beleave in my Hart, as there is many People of both Sexes (for I return Thanks to Heaven I have been a married Man) who, nothing but the Breathe being fairly out of thare Boddy, krew'd up, and put Six Foot under Ground, will silence; seeing that I myself was onc acquainted with Two Mountebanks, who, when they were trickt out in thare pybald Coats, patch'd up of here and thare a Shred of fine CABBAGED Purple, and all the rest such coarse filthy Rags as sca-venagers & Kennel-scrapers pick up, had a clear Stage, and a right true Pair of Connought Pappipes to keep thare Blood hor, tho' both as rank Dunghills as ever cry'd, wou'd have Tongue-lash'd & Beellingsted the King of France, if he had STOOD in THARE WAY, tho he had sent Twelve of his Granadeers to point thare Muskets at thare Brefts, and fire at the first Word that flew out of thare Mouths. This true indeed, I noe they wou'd, in an Instant, change from abusing one Side of the Stage to abuse tother, for a few Teesters or so; but then whilst they stood in the Publick, they cou'd no more help foming and running at the Mouth, than the Filth & Offels can help foming and running down Dublin Streets after a heavy Showr; when, as the Poet says,

Sweeping from Butchers Stalls Dung, Blood and Guts, Drown'd Puppies, flinking Sprats, all drench'd in Mud, Dead Cats and Turnip Tops cum tumbling down the Flood.

The first had his Skull fraeter'd by one of the Lads of the College, upon College Green, for his Slack-gaw, the second was so much the same Thing over and over again, such a dull fishy fleshy Sort of a Boddy, as he could at last get no Boddy to laff at his Jokes but him-self, and so the Mob left him; and if Luck hain't cum to him with a dead Lift, I dont noe what's become of him, unless he took his Passage at WAPPING aboard the Rainbow Dogger, to go to Amsterdam to larn Umer among the Dutch; as I heard a Gentleman of my Ac-quaintance say, he saw him thare, at the Sign of the Two VULTURES that was.

Now my Enemy even to Destruccion, who has printed this Advertisement, calling me Ujga Bratzkoi Uberniskow Tzezetlu, tho' he plainly intends that the Publick shall noe that I, H. S. am the Man he means, has thought this the shurest Step to take away my onnest Livelyhood; for running over with Mischif and Lies, he makes me promise, that I will perform, what it is unpossibile to perform, without the Black Art. So as when I cum to the Tryal, I may be hooted at for a Cheat and Impofter, seeing as nothing disgraces a Gentleman like Words without Deeds, let his Purfeshon be what it will, Divine or Doctr, Solejer or Pollicitihon, Slight of Hand Man or Lawer; for the Reason why? If a Parfon preaches up Peace and Charrity a Sunday, and falls to rangling, and wont pore a Drap of Small Beer upon Lazarus's burning Tongue a Munday; if a Doctr gives Pyson to the Sick instead of Fylick; if the Soljer looks scarce & blusters, but turns Tale when the Drums beats and Cannons rores; if the Pollytishon sets Things into a Blaze, only as he may save GOODS OUT OF THE FIRE, as Fild does in the Oppery; if a Slight of Hand Man pretends to make white black and black white, and cant perform his Word like a Gentleman; if a Lawyer purtects you, only as he may suck your Blood and pick your Bones himself, People isn't content with calling for Vengeance upon the Pur-fessors, but often times wishes that the Purfeshons themselves was cast into the Bottom of the Sea; as who shoud say, they som how or another, in the Room of making us more contented, happier and onnest, makes us more discontenteder, miserabler & roguisher than the wild Beasts that ranges up and down, jelt as they will, feeding upon Acorns, Plunder & such like.

But to show the World that I do not wince without being gall'd, that my bafe ungentelmanlike Fears does not magnify my Misfortunes, I will send to yr Pres by the next Week a few Letters out of 150 rote by very disarving Ladies and Gentelmen, who have been taken in by this crofty malicious-lying Advertisement. Indeed I ask'd the Advice of a Gentleman of my Ac-quaintance, if I had not better go to Law, to punish the Author for Forgery; but he perswaded me from it, tho he woudnt spake out, but only sed, half a Loaf was better than no Bred; as to be shure, to loose on's Carackter was a baddish Sort of Thing anuff; but Beggary, and a Jayl into the Bargain, was the Fool-ishness of a Lunatick; and so as a Word was anuff to the Wife, I chuse the above Skeem, of laying before the Publick the said Letters upon Pollickiks & other mysterius Matters, which I repate, I SAY I REPEAT IT, that I nas no more of, than an unborn Babe. But however, if any Gentelmen could RELIGIOUSLY, FAIR-LY, & ONNESTLY ans' any of them, especially that which burns with Fire and Revenge againt the Author

br Authors of the Catalogue, I most devoutly and far- vently pray it may be DONE, as he or they may be branded in the Forehead, and wander up and down like Cain. Yours the much injured, H. SANDERS. August 16, 1771.

BY AUTHORITY. BY THE AMERICAN COMPANY. On Monday next, being the Ninth of September, The NEW THEATRE in West Street will be opened WITH THE ROMAN FATHER. THE ROMAN FATHER, by Mr. Hallam, TULLUS HOSTILIUS, by Mr. Douglass, PUBLIUS, by Mr. Goodman, VALERIUS, by Mr. Wall, FIRST CITIZEN, by Mr. Morris, SECOND CITIZEN, by Mr. Woolls, THIRD CITIZEN, by Mr. Parker, FOURTH CITIZEN, by Mr. Roberts, SOLDIER, by Mr. Tomlinson. VALERIA, by Mrs. Henry, HORATIA, by Miss Hallam.

IN ACT IV. AN OVATION, FOR PUBLIUS'S VICTORY over the Curiatii. The vocal Parts by Mr. Woolls, Miss Storer, Mrs. Morris, Miss Richardson, Mr. Parker, &c. &c. With a new occasional PROLOGUE and EPILOGUE, and a FARCE, which will be expressed in the Bill for the Day.

To be printed by Subscription. For the Benefit of an INJURED UNFORTUNATE, [Price One Dollar, Half on subscribing] DIVERS Particulars relating to Peter Egerton, the Descendent and Heir of Sir Ralph Egerton, who was Standard-bearer to King Henry the Eighth, and Treasurer to the Lady Princess; elder Brother of Sir Thomas Egerton, after Baron Egleme, Chancellor of Oxford, and Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of England under Queen Elizabeth, from whom Francis Egerton, the present Duke of Bridgewater, is descended: To which the Pedigree of the Family will be prefixed, from the Reign of William Rufus, King of England, down to the Author.

This Work is interspersed with suitable Anecdotes, and some poetical Essays, that may afford an Amusement to the learned, an Instruction to the young, and a Caution to the unwary.

Hic murus abeneus esto, Nil conscire sibi; nulla pallescere culpa, HOR. Subscriptions are taken in by Mr. Lemax, at the Ferry in Alexandria, Mr. Patrick Graham at Port Tobacco, Mr. Faris, Silversmith and Tavernkeeper in Annapolis, and the Author, Peter Egerton, School-maister near Piscataway.

True Christian Souls, to social Virtues prone, Make the wide Interest of Mankind their own. September 3, 1771. On the 16th Instant will be exposed to publick Sale, to the highest Bidder, at Nottingham, in Prince George's County,

A TRACT of Land, called Rencher's Adventure, in the County aforesaid, containing 1000 Acres more or less; one other Tract or Parcel of Land called Gardner's Purchase, lying in Charles County, containing 100 Acres more or less; one other Tract or Parcel of Land called Madd's Rest, lying in Charles County, containing 100 Acres more or less; and also one other Tract or Parcel of Land called Pheasant Neck, lying in Charles County, containing 50 Acres more or less. The above Lands were heretofore mortgaged by Thomas Hodgkin, deceased, to Bartholomew Pomeroy and are now subject to the equitable Right of Redemption of the Heir at Law of the said Thomas Hodgkin, deceased, by FRANK LEEKE, Attorney in Fact for Bartholomew Pomeroy.

To be SOLD, for ready Cash, A Tract of Land, lying in Frederick County, called and known by the Name of Pool's Delight, containing 287 Acres, some of which is good Meadow Ground, cleared, and the rest is well timbered. A View of the Premises will sufficiently convince the Fertility of the Soil. Any Person willing to purchase said Land, may know the Conditions, by applying to (3w) ANNE MIDDLETON, at Annapolis.

September 4, 1771. To be sold at Publick Vendue, on Tuesday the First of October next (if fair, if not the First Fair Day afterwards) at the House of William Halslet, at Choptank Bridge, PART of a Tract of Land called Long Range, containing upwards of 200 Acres, lying in Dorchester County, about Two Miles from Choptank Bridge, and not more than sixteen from several Landings on Delaware. There is on the Premises a Grist Mill, which with a small Expence might be made very valuable, being supplied by a Stream of Water, that I am told never fails in the driest Times; the Dam is remarkably strong and good, the Title is indisputable, and the Terms of Sale will be made known on the Day of Sale, by (ts) JOSEPH COWMAN, N. B. Any Person inclinable to view the Land and Mill, may apply to William Douglass, living near the Place, who will shew the same, J. C.

THE Subsc... AN away... WILLIAM... of Age, 5 Feet... JOSEPH L... Age, 5 Feet... and a Blenid... went away... tarrel over... Bucklin Br... poi in Irons... to get them... Match-coat... and several... and Servant... each, if tak... lings, if T... the Provinc... the Law all... WHER... all t... many Time... Creditors... shall Petiti... vince for m... County, wh... (3w) NOTIC... ing a... ty Jail, inte... by for a R... ply with all... STRAY... high... ly, has a... Whoever... living in F... from Snow... so Shilling... HIS I... L... at Baltim... tember, ar... of the Re... they have... purchasin... such resp... no Person... at. Sho... the origi... such Pur... the same... Now... J O... At the ne... And will... to the... lings... Paper... POETIC... OF TH... Late Mi... JERS... Lord... Ireland... N. B. A... to the... who... and w... their... lisher... * The... on a... 44 PE... Sorts... above... R AN... LUFFE... remark... Hair: ... Coat li... without... Ticking... Lining... and an... Servant... receive... Law a... Provin... brough... (w)

St. Mary's County, September 5, 1771.

THE Subscriber gives this publick Notice, that he has now at his Houfe a Company under Inoculation, and shall continue until late in the Spring 1772, at his usual Price of Five Pounds Inspection Currency for Whites, and Three for Blacks.

H. JERNINGHAM.

Elk-Ridge, August 19, 1771.

RAN away from the Subscriber, Two Convict Servant Men, viz.

WILLIAM HUNT, an Englishman, about 19 Years of Age, 5 Feet 7 Inches high, has a good Countenance, speaks well, and says he was brought up a Farmer: Had on when he went away, a Cotton Jacket, an old Felt Hat bound round the Brim with black Binding, an Osnabrig Shirt and old Leather Breeches.

JOSEPH DUNN, an Irishman, about 40 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, has short gray Hair, and a Blenish in one of his Eyes: Had on when he went away, a short striped Flannel Jacket, an old Hat, tarred over the Crown, an Osnabrig Shirt, and old Buckskin Breeches. These Fellows were both lately put in Irons for running away, but have found Means to get them off; they took also with them, a new Match-coat Blanket, Three Yards of striped Holland, and several other Things.—Whoever apprehends said Servants, and brings them home, shall have for each, if taken Twenty Miles from home, Thirty Shillings, if Thirty Miles, Forty Shillings, and if out of the Province, Five Pounds Reward (including what the Law allows) paid by

CALEB DORSEY.

Annapolis, Sept. 2, 1771.

WHEREAS I find it not in my Power to satisfy all the Claims that are against me, and I have many Times offered every Thing in my Power to my Creditors, I hereby give this publick Notice, that I shall Petition the next General Assembly of this Province for my Release from the Sheriff of Anne-Arundel County, whose Custody I am now in.

JOHN LAWTON, junr.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscriber being a languishing Prisoner in Anne-Arundel County Jail, intends to Petition the ensuing General Assembly for a Release from his Confinement, and will comply with all Requisites as the Law directs.

ANTHONY SMITH.

STRAYED or STOLEN, a black Mare, 13½ Hands high, branded on the off Buttock 1 paces naturally, has a short switch Tail, trim'd with a ridge Mane. Whoever will bring said Mare to the Subscriber, living in Frederick County, Maryland, about 12 Miles from Snowden's Iron-Works, shall receive a Reward of 20 Shillings, and reasonable Charges, from

JOHN THOMAS.

Annapolis, August 27, 1771.

HIS Lordship's Commissioners for the Sale of Lands, &c. give Notice, that they will attend at Baltimore-Town, on Monday the 16th Day of September, and put up to Publick Auction such Tracts of the Reserve as have been surveyed, at the Prices they have been valued at; when the Preference in purchasing will be given to those on whose Account such respective Surveys have been made, provided no Person offers more than the Price they are set up at. Should such Tracts be purchased by any but the original Surveyor, he must be reimbursed by such Purchaser in his Expence of having surveyed the same.

Signed per Order,

JOHN CLAPHAM, Clk.

Now in the Press and speedily will be published,

JOHN DUNLAP,

At the NEWEST PRINTING OFFICE in MARKET STREET, PHILADELPHIA,

And will be delivered to the Subscribers, agreeable to the original Proposals, Price bound Five Shillings Pennsylvania Currency, printed on a fine Paper, and an elegant Type.

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POETICAL WRITINGS, AND SOME OTHER PIECES OF THE REV. NATHANIEL EVANS, A. M.

Late Missionary in GLOUCESTER-COUNTY, NEW-JERSEY, and Chaplain to the Right Honourable Lord Viscount KILLMURRAY of the Kingdom of Ireland.

N. B. As the List of Subscribers will be committed to the Press in a few Weeks, it is hoped, that all who are desirous of encouraging this Publication, and who may not yet have subscribed, will send their Names, without Loss of Time, to the Publisher of this Paper.

* The Subscribers shall have their Books printed on a fine Writing Paper.

† PENNSYLVANIA PRINTING PAPER of all Sorts sold, on the most reasonable Terms, by the above DUNLAP.

Elk-Ridge, August 26, 1771.

RAN away last Night from the Subscriber, an Irish indentured Servant Man, named NILL DUFFEY. He is a short well made Fellow, has a remarkable large Beard, and wears his own dark Hair: Had on a Felt Hat, a dark coloured Cloth Coat lined with yellow, a striped Flannel Waistcoat without Sleeves, a Check Shirt, a Pair of striped Ticking Breeches, one Pair ditto coarse Country Lining, a Pair of dark coloured Yarn Stockings, and an old Pair of Shoes. Whoever secures the said Servant, so that the Subscriber gets him again, shall receive 40 Shillings Reward, including what the Law allows, if 20 Miles from Home; if out of the Province Three Pounds, and reasonable Charges if brought Home, paid by

HENRY HOWARD.

Charles County, August 14, 1771.

THIS is to give Notice, that there is to be built a large Brick Church in Trinity Parish. Any Persons inclinable to undertake the same, are desired to meet the Vestry at their Parish Church on the Second Tuesday in September next.

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Dorchester County, Maryland, June 29, 1771.

To be leased, the Houses and Lots belonging to the Subscriber, in the Town of Cambridge, viz.

THE Dwelling-House where he at present lives, with all the Improvements belonging to the said Lot, as also, about Fifteen Acres of good Pasture Ground on the opposite Side of the Street, on which is a Stable, Chute-House, and a large Granary convenient to the Water. Likewise a Lot and a Half, with a large Dwelling, and other Out-Houses near the Court-House, which from it's Situation is one of the most convenient Places in the said Town for a Tavern, or other publick Business, with the Advantage of about Ten Acres of very good Grass Land for Pasturage, and the Privilege of getting Fire-Wood for the Use of each of the above-mentioned Dwelling-Houses, from Land contiguous to the said Town.

To be let or leased likewise, for a Term of Years, a Farm, with the Slaves and Stock on it, about Two Miles from the aforesaid Town, on which is a good convenient Dwelling-House and Kitchen, with other requisite Out-Houses, and from it's central Situation as to the County, and lying partly between Two much frequented Roads, it is very fit for a Person in any publick Way. The Pasturage remarkably fine, and a good deal of Branch, that may with little Expence be finished into good Meadow.

There are Two other Plantations with Slaves, Stock, and the necessary Utensils for cultivating of the Land, to be leased; the furthest of them not exceeding Four Miles from Cambridge, the Soil very good, and in good Repair.

HENRY MURRAY.

July 25, 1771.

RAN away last Night from the Subscriber's Plantation, about 10 Miles from Baltimore-Town, 2 Convict Servants, viz. DAVID TOOLE, about 5 Feet 4 or 5 Inches high, a well set Fellow, has black Hair, gray Eyes, fresh ruddy Complexion, he is an Irishman, but doth not talk much in that Dialect: Had on and took with him, an old Fearnought Jacket, Osnabrig Shirt, Crocus Trousers, Felt Hat, and half worn Shoes. JOHN ROBERSON, an English Convict Boy, about 4 Feet high, and about 14 or 15 Years old, has black Hair, black Eyes, and a good Complexion; he is a very smart talkative Boy, and can read and write pretty well; he has had both of his Legs broke by a Cart, which occasions them to be somewhat crooked. Had on when he went away, an Osnabrig Shirt, Felt Hat, a good blue Coat, brown Holland Jacket, and blue Breeches: They may not be dressed as is described, as they took sundry Cloaths with them, viz. A half worn Gold laced Hat, which has a very narrow Brim, a redish Wilton Coat, with Pockets in the Skirts, a Check Shirt, and striped Holland Trousers, an old blue under Jacket, old white Shirt and a new white ditto, 8 Pair of Thread Stockings, and One Pair of worsted ribbed ditto; the Boy has a Pair of Boots.—Whoever takes up and secures the said Servants, so that their Master gets them again, shall have 30 Shillings, if taken above 20 Miles from home, if out of the County, 40 Shillings, and if out of the Province 3 Pounds for each, and reasonable Charges if brought home.

JOHN R. HOLLIDAY.

Annapolis, July 24, 1771.

THE Subscriber has lately received Letters from England, informing him of sundry Books, on Painting, and a Number of Prints being sent him, but by what Ship, or to what Part of Virginia or Maryland they were sent, he is totally at a Loss to find out. Any Gentleman that may be in Possession of the Books, Prints, &c. and will send them to the Subscriber, or give him Information of them, shall be well rewarded for his Trouble, and receive the Thanks of his

Very humble Servant,

CHARLES W. PEALE.

To be sold, leased, or rented, by the Subscriber, living near the Head of South-River,

TWO valuable Tracts of Land, viz. One lying in Prince-George's County, containing 230 Acres, and situated near Bladenburg, on the main Road from thence to Annapolis, the Soil is rich, well watered, and full of Timber: There is on said Plantation very good Improvements, fit for carrying on planting or farming Business: The other lying in Frederick County, containing 100 Acres, situated on the new Waggon Road, within 12 Miles of Frederick-Town, &c.—The Titles indisputable.

THOMAS RUTLAND, junr.

T O B E S O L D,

A Commodious Plantation, on Elk-Ridge, within Twenty-two Miles of Annapolis, Eighteen of Baltimore-Town, and Ten of Elk-Ridge Landing, well adapted to Grain and Grass. A View of the Premises will sufficiently evince the Beauty of the Situation and Fertility of the Soil.

H. GRIFFITH.

To be let for a Term of Years by the Subscriber, in Dorchester County, Maryland,

A Merchant Mill on Hunting-Creek, in good Repair, with Two Water Wheels, One carries a Pair of French Burs, double geered, hoisting and bolting Materials in good Order, with several other Buildings at said Mill. Also, sundry Farms near the said Mill, with and without Slaves, &c. would be leased: And in the Town of Cambridge, Dwelling-Houses with other Improvements suitable for Tradesmen, where such, if sober and industrious, would meet with good Encouragement.

As I purpose leaving the Province next Spring, I would dispose of a Sea Sloop, that will carry about 3000 Bushels of Grain, well calculated for the West-India Trade, sails well, about Two Years old, and sheathed. Also, a small Bay Schooner, carries about 1100 Bushels; and some other smaller Craft. As the Situation at the Mill is very convenient for a Store, having Water Carriage to the Mill Tail, and a much frequented publick Road leading by it, in a good Wheat and Corn Country, any Person inclining to farm the Mill, that would keep a Store of wet and dry Goods, I think would find his Advantage in purchasing one or other of said Vessels, for which a 3y reasonable Time would be given for Payment, on paying Interest and giving Security, if required.

N. B. Land Carriage to Delaware Landings does not exceed 36 Miles from the Mill, and Water Carriage about 80 Miles to Baltimore-Town.

JAMES MURRAY

Virginia, Stafford County, August 2, 1771.

For Sale, on Thursday the Twenty sixth Day of September next,

THE Subscriber's Plantation, lying in Stafford County, whereon he formerly lived, known by the Name of Beulah, with 780 Acres of Land adjoining, or 580 Acres, as may best suit the Purchaser; the Land is well watered and timbered, and the Plantation in good Repair, fit for the Reception of either a Planter or Farmer; there is on it an Apple Orchard of choice Fruit, from which there is made annually upon an Average, Seven or Eight Thousand Gallons of Cyder; the Land is conveniently situated to Trade, being within 14 Miles of the Falls of Rappabannock, 12 Miles from Dumfries, 8 Miles from Aquia Warehouse, and the same Distance from Aquia Church, 5 Miles from the Quakers Meeting-House, 5 Miles from the Baptist Meeting-House, in Fauquier County, 4 Miles from the Baptist Meeting in Stafford County, and within 3 Miles of 2 Grist-Mills; it is immaterial to describe the Buildings and Improvements on the Premises, as any Person inclinable to purchase may be shewn them between this and the Sale; I could undertake to complete any Thing that might be wanting on the Plantation by a reasonable Man, to suit a Merchant, Planter, or Farmer; there is a Quantity of Ground in order for small Grain this Fall, and I will give full Possession in December next. The Title is indisputable, and I will sell a great Bargain, as I do it for the Benefit of my younger Grandsons. The Purchaser may have 14 Years to pay the Money, on giving Bond with approved Security, bearing Interest from the Date, or I will discount Five per Cent for ready Money; I shall sell at the same Time the Plantation Utensils, Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs, the Corn, Fodder, and Hay, a good Still and Alembick, a Number of good Cyder Casks, and sundry other Things too tedious to mention, at Six Months Credit.

JOHN RALLS.

N. B. The said Land and Plantation may be sold by private Sale, before the Time appointed, by applying to the Subscriber, who is very convenient to the same.

SIX POUNDS REWARD.

Kent County, Maryland, July 24, 1771.

RAN away from the Subscriber last Night, Two Irish Servant Men, viz. TIMOTHY CONNER about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, has middling thick Lips, large Nose, short brown Hair, has a Sore on his right Breast, and a large Wart on his left Hip: Had on and took with him Two brown Country Linen Shirts and Two Pair of Trousers of the same, a brown Kersey Vest without Sleeves, an old brown great Coat, half worn Shoes with large Copper Buckles, and Felt Hat; his other Cloaths not known if any. The other named MICHAEL GOULDBOURY, about 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, long black Hair, a large Mouth, large Teeth, and brown Complexion: Had on and took with him Two new brown Country Linen Shirts, Two Pair of Trousers of the same, a new light coloured Country Cloth Vest lined with white Country Flannel, with Cuffs to the Sleeves, with white Metal Buttons, a Felt Hat, half worn Shoes, to One of which has lately been put a new Patch. They took with them a coarse Sheet and some Provisions. Whoever takes up the said Servants, and brings them Home, shall receive the above Reward; or if secured in any Jail, and Notice given to their Master, so as he may get them again, shall receive Forty Shillings for each.

GEORGE BROWNING.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels and others are forbid to harbour or carry them off at their Peril.

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POETS CORNER.

To the very worthy and respectable Inhabitants of Annapolis, the humble Petition of their OLD CHURCH Shreweth,

THAT, Late in Century the last, By private Bounty, here were plac'd My sacred Walls; and tho', in Truth, Their Stile and Manter be uncouth;

How chang'd the Times! for now, all round, Unnumber'd stately Piles abound, All better built, and looking down On Me quite antiquated grown.

The Stadt-Houfe, that, for publick Good, With me co-eval long had stood; With me full many a Storm had dar'd,

Old Bladen's Palace, once so fam'd, And now too well, The Folly nam'd. Her Roof all tott'ring to Decay,

But Party, Faction (Fiends that still Have been the Foes of publick Weal) The Dogs of War against her slipp'd,

Of Sunshine oft a casual Ray Breaks in upon a cloudy Day O'erwhelm'd with Woe; methinks, I see

A novel Structure sudden rife. There let the Stranger stay, for me, If Virtue's Friend, indeed, she be.

Why should I point to distant Times, To kindred and congenial Climes, Where, Spite of many a Hoit of Foes,

At least, to make God's Houfe genteel? Here, in Annapolis alone, God has the meanest Houfe in Town.

The Premises considered, I With humble Confidence rely, That, Phenix-like, I soon shall rife,

COMMITTED to my Custody as a Runaway, a Man who calls himself Charles Connelly, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, well made: Has on, a brown Cloth Coat and Breeches, old white Jacket, and blue Worsted Stockings, says he came into Baltimore-Town with Captain Richard Hunter;

And your Petitioner shall pray, &c. RICHARD THOMAS, Sheriff.

WILLIAM ROOKE

Has just imported in the Ship Camden, Capt. Richardson; and the Ship Eden, Capt. Nicholson, from London, and to be sold Wholesale and Retail, very cheap, for Cash, at his Corner Store, the Head of the Dock, Annapolis, a great Variety of GOODS, among which are the following Articles, viz.

OSNABRIGS, brown, white, Russia and Irish Sheeting, Russia Drab, Irish and German Doubls, 3-4 7-8, 4-4, Irish Linens, Bed Bunts, 3-4, 7-8, 4-4, and Apron Breadth Checks and Manchester Cotton Stripes, printed Cottons, Calicoes, and Linen, pencil'd and Copper-Plate ditto, India Nankeens, check and printed Handkerchiefs, Gauze and Lawn ditto, Silk and Muslin ditto, Book Muslin, Catgut, white Parisnet, plain, figured, striped, and spotted Silk Gauze, clear Lawns, fine sprigg'd Lawn Aprons, red Cardinals, plain ditto trimm'd with Ermine, black Sattin and pink Cardinals, plain ditto trimm'd with Ermine and Lace, trimmed and plain Silk Bonnets and Hats, India Pearl Necklaces, Wax ditto, black Velvet for Ladies Necks, great Variety of Silk Blond Lace, Rugs and Blankets, Camblets, Plaids, rich Damascules, Tammies and Durants, black Ruffel, Callimancoes, Irish Stuffs, Crape, pink Broglio, Serge Tenim, dress'd Tean, mixt Drab, scarlet and green Coating, Frizes, plain, white, red, and embossed Flannels, fine French Paste set in Silver, Ladies and Gentlemens Shoe Buckles, Knee, Stock, and Shirt; Broches ditto, Cruets and Stands, cut Diamond Glass with Silver Tops; Assortment of Ribband, Shoemakers Measures, Lasts, Hammers, Awls, Hafs, Nippers and Pinchers; Mason's Trowels and Hammers, Plasterers Trowels, H Hinges, Stock Locks, Brass Cafe ditto, Iron ditto, Chest, Cupboard, Box, Desk, Drawer and Padlocks; Currycombs and Brushes, Steel, plated, and Metal Spurs; plated, Steel, Pinchbeck, Platina, Bath Metal, Tin and mourning Shoe and Knee Buckles; Paper, enameled and Tin Snuff Boxes, Pocket Looking-Glasses, Slates and Pencils, Needles, Pins, Fishhooks, Hooks and Eyes, Japan'd, Iron, Tin, Brass and plated Candlesticks; Ladies and Gentlemens red, blue, green, and black Leather Pocket-Books, with or without Instruments; an Assortment of Stationary, Boot-Garters, Chaise and Horsewhips, Turkey and common Saddle-Cloths, Curb and Snaffle Bridles, Bridle-Bits, Girths, Saddle-Straps, Bridle Gun Locks, common ditto, Mouse Traps, Wood Screws, smoothing Irons, Carpenters Irons, square 4 & 6 7 Inches Iron Bolts, Firmers, Gouges, Chizels, Socket Gouges and Chizels, Augers and plain Irons, Coopers Adzes and Hammers, best Steel Tenant and Hand-Saws, Files and Rasps assorted, Horn, filagree, gilt and lacquered Buttons, Basket and Death-Head ditto, sewing Silk, Scarf and Twist, Breeches Patterns, Knee-Garters, -coloured, stitching, Scotch and Nuns Thread; Silk Laces, Bobbin, Tapes, Gargering, Coat and Shoe Binding, Men and Womens Thread, Cotton, and Worked Hoes; Penknives, Knives and Forks, Spices, Spectacles, Powder, Shot, and Flint; Sugar-Candy, Epsom and Glauber Salts, Spanish Liqueurice, Tarlington's Balsam, Godfrey's Cordial, Stoughton's Drops, Jesuits Bark, Hungary and Lavender Water, Ivory and Horn Combs; an Assortment of Tin Ware, ditto Pewter, Ditto Flint Glass, Copper Tea Kettles, Coffee-Pots and Skellets, Brass Warming-Pans, best Crown Scythes and Stones, Shovel and Tong, Womens black Sattin, Callimanco, Everlasting, and Leather Shoes; Mens Shoes and Pumps, Spades and Shovels, Seine Twine, Sail Twine, Bed Cords, Lead Lines, Drum, Rock and Perch Lines; Coffin Furniture, white and lacquered; bottled Perry, Gloucester Cheese, Saltpetre, Liverpool Salt; Also to be Sold, Pitch, Tar, and Turpentine; Jamaica Spirit, West-India and Country Rum, English and Philadelphia double and single refined Leaf Sugar, Muscovado ditto, Rice, Indigo, Starch and Blue, Soap and Candles, Mustard, Ginger, Raisins, fine Hyson Tea at 27s. 6d. per Pound, Green at 12s. and best Bohea Tea at 6s. per Pound, Chocolate at 2s. 3d. and Jamaica Coffee at 1s. 6d. &c. &c. &c.

WHEREAS it has been represented to his Excellency the Governor, that in the Night of Saturday the 3d Instant, the House of Mr. James Cheston, in Baltimore-Town, in Baltimore County, was broke open by some Person or Persons unknown, who stole out of a Desk, in the said House, a Sum of Money amounting to about Three Hundred and Thirty-three Pounds One Shilling and Sixpence; his Excellency, for the better discovering, and bringing to publick Justice, the Person or Persons concerned in the said Robbery, doth promise his Lordship's Pardon for such Offence, to any one of them (the Principal or Principals only excepted) who shall discover his, her or their Accomplice or Accomplices in the said Fact, so that he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

Signed by Order, U. SCOTT, Cl. Con. And as a further Encouragement, the Subscriber, living in Baltimore-Town, in Baltimore County, doth promise a Reward of Fifty Pounds, to any one who shall make a Discovery of any Person or Persons concerned in the above-mentioned Offence, so that he, she or they, may be brought to Justice and convicted thereof.

JAMES CHESTON.

ANNAPOLIS RACES.

On TUESDAY, September 24. PURSE of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS, to be run for only by Horse, Mare, or Gelding, belonging to the Members of the JOCKEY CLUB; Heats 4 Miles each. Four Years old to carry 7 Stone, 5 Years 7 Stone 10lb. 6 Years 8 Stone 7lb. Aged 9 Stone.

On WEDNESDAY 25. A SUBSCRIPTION PURSE of FIFTY POUNDS, give and take; Heats 3 Miles; Horses aged, 14 Hands high, to carry 9 Stone; for every Year under to carry Half a Stone less; and Half a Stone more or less to be allowed for Horses over or under 14 Hands.

On THURSDAY 26. LADIES SUBSCRIPTION PURSE, which, with the Entrance Money added thereto, is expected will amount to FIFTY POUNDS. Heats 3 Miles each; Weights as First Day.

On FRIDAY 27. A PURSE of FIFTY POUNDS, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, to carry 9 Stone. Heats 4 M.les. The winning Horse each Day is excluded starting for any of the other Plates. Subscribers of Three Pounds or upwards, may enter free for each, or all of the Three last Days Plates. Non-Subscribers to pay Two Guineas Entrance each Day.

General Post-Office, New-York, Jan. 22, 1771. HIS MAJESTY'S Post-Master General, having (for the better facilitating of Correspondence between Great-Britain and America) been pleased to add a Fifth Packet Boat to the Station between Falmouth and New-York; Notice is hereby given, that the Mail for the future will be closed at the Post-Office in New-York, at Ten of the Clock at Night, on the First Tuesday of every Month, and dispatched by a Packet the next Day for Falmouth.

By Command of the D. Post-Master General. (12m) ALEXANDER COLDEN, Secretary. RAN away from the Subscriber, living in Chester-Town, Maryland, Two white Servant Lads, viz. The one named JAMES FRANCIS, belonging to Stephen Bordley, junr. the other named GEORGE TIPPINS, belonging to William Bordley.

JAMES FRANCIS is short thick set, of a fair complexion, has fair Hair, and down look, can write a tolerable good Hand, and pretends to know something of Navigation: Had on and took with him, a brown Country made Coat, Country Linen Trowsers, a Pair of white broad Cloth Breeches that will not fit him, Two Silver Knee Buckles not Fellows, and a Pair of Shoes that were not made for him, and upon Examination will appear too long and narrow for him. GEORGE TIPPINS is slender made, of a fair Complexion, short light coloured Hair, has been some Time on board of a Man of War, can neither read or write: Had on and took with him, an old blue lapelled broad Cloth Coat, an old Nankeen Coat patched at the Elbows and under the Arms, with new Nankeen, a Pair of light blue Breeches, and a Pair of white Breeches made of Ticking. It is probable JAMES FRANCIS may forge Passes for them both.—Whoever takes them up and secures them, so that the Subscribers get them again, shall receive Five Pounds Reward, from STEPHEN BORDLEY, junr. WILLIAM BORDLEY.

(7w) JOHN BOYD Baltimore, August 10, 1771. Has just received, by the Ship Hazard, Capt. New, LARGE Assortment of Medicines compound and simple, Surgeons Instruments, Shop Furniture, Clyster Syringes, and a few Rupture Trusses easy and commodious for the Patient. Likewise most of the Patent Medicines, with the much famed Noltrums of Ward and Hill. He has a great Variety of Perfumery, Grocery, and Painters Colours, as also a small Parcel of Limners Paints, among which is some superfine drop Lake of a most elegant Tint. All the above Articles he will sell at a low Advance. Gentlemen of the Faculty in particular may depend on the Medicines being excellent in their Kind and moderate in Price.

THERE is at the Plantation of Pryor Smallwood, taken up as a Stray, a bay Mare, about 13 Hands and a Half high, no perceivable Brand, and trots and gallops. The Owner may have her again, on proving Property and paying Charges.

To be SOLD cheap for ready Money, DR. JAMES'S Fever Powders and Pills, with Papers of Direction. Enquire at the Printing-Office.

ANNAPOLIS: Printed by ANNE CATHARINE GREEN, at the PRINTING-OFFICE: Where all Persons may be supplied with this GAZETTE, at 12s. 6d. a Year, ADVERTISEMENTS, of a moderate Length, are inserted the First Time, for 5s. and 1s. for each Week's Continuance. Long Ones in Proportion to their Number of Lines.—At same Place may be had, ready Printed, most kinds of BLANKS, viz. COMMON and BAIL BONDS; TESTAMENTARY LETTERS of several Sorts, with their proper BONDS annexed; BILLS of EXCHANGE; SHIPPING-BILLS, &c. &c. All Manner of PRINTING-WORK performed in the neatest and most expeditious Manner, on applying as above.

MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1771.

N A P L E S, May 14.



Thursday last Mount Vesuvius began to send out Columns of black Smoak with loud Explosions; soon after a Lava burst forth near the same Spot where the great Eruption was in the Year 1767. Their Sicilian Majesties are prepared to leave Portici at a Moment's Warning. But as the Lava has taken its Course towards Refina, (the Spot under which the ancient City of Herculanium is buried) and does not menace Portici, it is thought the Court will not remove. The Lava is about Five Miles in Length, has destroyed some Vineyards, and is stopped within a Mile of Refina. Mr. Hamilton, his Britannick Majesty's Minister at this Court, had the Honour of conducting their Sicilian Majesties to the Lava, which happened to be remarkably curious at the Moment of their Arrival, having just taken its Course into a deep Trench, forming a most astonishing Cascade of Fire, the Fall of which was perpendicular, and not less than 40 Feet.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 17. Letters from Smyrna advise, that the Russians have taken a Fortress upon the Coast of Asia, where they burnt Two Men of War which were upon the Stocks, and taken Eighteen French and Venetian Vessels, laden with Coffee, Rice, and other Commodities, destined for Constantinople.

GENOA, May 25. According to Advices from Madrid, the Disputes relative to the Falkland Islands are finally terminated, and the Subjects of both Spain and England are to be at Liberty to land when they think proper.

OTRANTO, June 3. They write from Constantinople, that towards the Beginning of last Month some Russian Frigates began to bombard the Castle of Tenedos.

PARIS, June 7. We are credibly informed that Six French Ships of the Line, Three Frigates, and several Transports laden with Provisions, are set sail for the East-Indies.

WARSAW, June 12. Yesterday a Courier arrived from the Russian Army, with the following Letter from Count Romanzow, dated Jassy, May 20. O. S. to M. Saldern, Ambassador from Russia to our Court.

After the Expedition of General Wiefman against Istazis, Major General Potemkin signalized himself in a like Enterprize across the Danube. Having drawn the Enemy towards Orcow, he embarked with 600 Grenadiers and 200 Chasseurs in several Boats, and landed at Four Wersts from Cymbra. The Turks, on the first Appearance of our Troops, abandoned that Town with such Precipitation as to leave their Wives and Children to our Mercy. General Potemkin immediately gave Orders to the Troops to pursue them, and 300 were found hid in the Gardens belonging to the Christians; 82 of them were killed; we lost one, and had 19 wounded. The General ordered Fire to be set to Four Barks, Three of which were mounted with Four Cannon, and the other with Five, and Seventeen Saiques, as also to Three Magazines of Flour, and One of Biscuit. After this, the General returned to his Post with 100 small Barks and Fourteen Bateaus, Two of which were laden with Provisions. We have at the same Time released 1,620 Christians, who re-passed the River with us. The Fire of the Magazines was driven by the Wind to some adjacent Houses, which communicating itself to the Town of Cymbra, it was reduced to Ashes. According to the Report of our Prisoners, there were 2000 Turks in that Place.

L O N D O N, June 13.

Thomas Whately and William Frazer, Esqrs. are appointed first Secretaries to Lord Suffolk, Secretary of State for the Northern Department. The former of those Gentlemen, it is said, drew up the famous American Stamp-Act.

June 24. A single elderly Gentleman of considerable Fortune, near Exome, in Somersetshire, has bequeathed an Estate to Mr. Wilkes of 1200l. per Annum after his Decease; and, it is said, that he has already presented the Patriot with a genteel Present as a Reward for his Services.

The Duke d'Aguillon, now Prime Minister for France, says a Correspondent, is one of the completest Gentlemen in Europe; he has gone through several Offices of the highest Consequence with the Approbation of his Prince; and was Intendant of the Provinces of Britany and Normandy during the last War; he directed the Operations of the French Army in the Year 1758, which, on the 23th of September, terminated so fatally for General Bligh, during the Embarkation at St. Cas. On the 23th of November 1759, when Sir Edward Hawke destroyed the French Fleet off Belleisle, he was Intendant of Breff and Gascony; and had the Address the very next Day to go on board and pay a Visit to Sir Edward Hawke, by whom he was honourably entertained, and entered into an Agreement, which at that Time hindered the burning of some Ships of War that had taken Shelter in the

River Villaine: A Dispute of an extraordinary Nature arose between Sir Edward and him, touching a Man of War, which each of them claimed; the most spirited Letters passed between the Two Commanders, but the Frenchman retained it. Being well acquainted with the State of the Dock-Yards and Finances, he has been fixed on at this Juncture, when it is expected he will endeavour to restore France to as flourishing a Condition as in the Time of Cardinal Fleury, who died in 1743.

June 25. Yesterday came on at Guildhall, the Election of Sheriffs of this City and County of Middlesex for the Year ensuing; when the Recorder came forward on the Hustings to explain the Business of the Meeting, but could not be heard for some Time on Account of the Insults of many Persons present, which at length subsided, and he proceeded a little while, but was again interrupted by Groans, &c. which continued till the Lord Mayor interposed, and convinced the Hall, that the Business could not go on without the Formality of an Address from the Recorder; he was then permitted to finish his Speech, which concluded with recommending to the Choice of the Livery, "the good and the independent."

All the Aldermen who had not served the Office of Sheriff were then put in Nomination; the Mention of each of their Names was received with Hisses and Groans, except those of Aldermen Wilkes and Oliver: Every Hand was held up for the former with loud Acclamations; the latter had but a few. Eighteen Commoners, who had been drunk to by the several Lord Mayors, were then nominated, but very few Hands were held up for any of them, except for Mr. Bull, the Mention of whose Name was received with equal Marks of Approbation as that of Mr. Wilkes, and those Two Gentlemen were declared duly elected; but a Poll was demanded in Favour of Aldermen Plumbe, Kirkman and Oliver, which began immediately.

The Lord Mayor and Aldermen (after the Choice of the several Officers) came upon the Hustings, with an Address, Petition and Remonstrance to his Majesty (setting forth the Grievances of the People and praying for Redress) which was read and approved of. After which the Lord Mayor addressed the Livery in a Speech, declaring that notwithstanding the Insults he had received for supporting and maintaining the Rights and Liberties of his Fellow Citizens, he was not in the least intimidated, but will cheerfully go to St. James's with the new Address, accompanied by the Aldermen, Common Council, &c. His Lordship's Speech received the loud Applause of the Hall. It was then moved and carried, that the Lord Mayor, the Four City Members, the Court of Aldermen, Recorder, City Officers, and Committee of Common Council, should go to St. James's, to present the Address, Petition, and Remonstrance.

A Motion was made and carried, that the Thanks of the Livery be given to the Lord Mayor, Mess. Aldermen Wilkes and Oliver, for their steady supporting the Rights and Privileges of the Citizens of London, by opposing Prefs Warrants.

A Motion was also made and carried, that a gold Cup, adorned with the City Arms, of 200l. Value, should be presented to the Lord Mayor; one of 100l. to Mr. Wilkes; and another of the same Value to Mr. Oliver; for their Conduct in the Affair of the Printers, and supporting the Charters of this City, &c.

June 26. It is asserted that Mr. Walpole, who lately set out on a Tour to the Continent, is charged with Two very important Commissions to Earl Harcourt at Paris, and Mr. Harris at Madrid. Mr. Walpole's return is said to be fixed for the 15th of July.

June 28. We hear that the late Bishop of Durham, besides ample Legacies to his Relations, Friends, and Servants, has left the following publick ones, viz. To Christ Church 1000l. to the Society for propagating the Gospel 500l. to the Corporation of Clergymens Widows 500l. to the Infirmary at Newcastle 300l. to the Westminster Infirmary 300l. to the Small-Pox Hospital 300l. to the Poor of Durham 100l. to the Poor of Aukland 100l. to the Poor of Glynd, Redingham, and St. George's, 50l. each Parish.

Wednesday his Majesty's First Regiment of Guards began to learn the new Exercise which Lord Cornwallis has introduced into the Thirty-third Regiment, which is esteemed the best disciplined in the Army.

June 29. The King of Denmark is beloved and adored by his People, and his Kingdom is in a flourishing Situation, owing to the wise Measures of that Prince and his Prime Minister Count d'Orten.

The Barons of the Exchequer have granted Lord Holland Ten Months longer Time to settle his Accounts.

It is said One Reason why Mr. Wilkes stands a Candidate for the Office of Sheriff is, the Opportunity which the Office will give him of being admitted into his Majesty's Presence, and of Course an Opportunity of laying his Case before him in Person.

Lottery Tickets were so great a Drug on Saturday last, that they were sent to sundry People of the Livery of London, and particularly to one Harris, a Ticket of Porter at the Custom House, who was told, that on Condition that he, Harris, paid One Shilling, and went with the Bearer, and voted for Plumbe and Kirk-

man, he should have a Ticket; but the Man had more Virtue than to take it.

We are told that Six Days after the late great Fire at Portsmouth happened, a full Discovery of the dark Transaction was offered to be made to Lord Weymouth, for a Reward of 10000l. which his Lordship refused.

The Plague has broke out afresh at Constantinople and its Suburbs.

July 1. The Russian Fleet in the Archipelago consists of Twenty-seven Ships, viz. Twelve Ships of the Line Fourteen Frigates, and One Bomb-ketch. Each Ship of the Line has 600 Men, and every Frigate 300.

July 2. Yesterday finally ended the Poll for Sheriffs, which had been continued from Day to Day ever since Monday last, when the Numbers stood as follow:

Table with 7 columns: Mon, Tu, Wed, Thur, Frid, Sat, Mon. Total. Rows include Wilkes, Bull, Kirkman, Plumbe, Oliver.

The Declaration of the Numbers is to be made Tomorrow.

Yesterday the Lord Mayor ordered the Numbers of the Poll for Sheriffs to be put up at the Front of the Mansion-House.

Yesterday Mr. John Green, of Chiswell Street, made Oath before Mr. Alderman Wilkes, that Administration had offered him a Lottery Ticket to give his Vote for Aldermen Kirkman and Plumbe, at the Election for Sheriffs.

All the Mariners are ordered out upon recruiting Parties, that their several Complements of Men may be immediately completed, and the Necessity of which Administration best knows; but if flying Reports are to be depended on, it will not be long before there is full Employment for them.

A Letter from the Hague, dated June 28, says, "It is whispered here, that the King of Portugal hath lately run a new Risk for his Life, by a poisoned Letter, which had been presented to his most Faithful Majesty; but that happily it had not the Effect which the Traitors who sent it expected."

We hear that a Squadron, composed of several of the Guardships at Portsmouth and Plymouth, will be immediately sent on a Cruize to the Westward; under the Command of a Rear-Admiral, for the Purpose of exercising the Officers and Men.

Last Night the principal Streets in the City, &c. were illuminated, on Account of Mr. Wilkes and Mrs. Bull being chosen Sheriffs.

July 3. We hear from Stockholm, that the March of Eight Regiments of Russian Horse to the Frontiers of Finland, has occasioned Two extraordinary Meetings of the Senate in the King's Presence, but nothing of their Deliberations has yet transpired.

This Day at Three o'Clock, the Sheriffs, upon casting up the Poll, and finding it the same as was given in our last, declared John Wilkes and Frederick Bull, Esqrs. Sheriffs for the Year ensuing. Upon this Mr. Wilkes addressed the Livery to the following Purport:

"Gentlemen of the Livery, and Fellow-Citizens,

"I thank you for the Honour now conferred upon me; and I congratulate yourselves upon the Victory which you have gained over the united Efforts of publick Enemies and treacherous Friends. The bare-faced Bribery and Corruption practised on this Occasion, and nobly spurned by you, must convince the most profligate and abandoned Administration, with which this Nation was ever cursed, that the City of London is not to be sold or enslaved. It is to be hoped, that the same happy Union will enable us to baffle any future Efforts of the common Enemy. In Return for so distinguished a Mark of your Favour, you may be assured, that I will not be wanting in any Part of the Duty of my Office, but that I will dedicate my Time and Application to the publick Service. One Part of the Business, however, I must decline, and leave to my worthy Colleague: I mean Petitions to the House of Commons. These I cannot carry up, as I am at this Moment a legal Member of that House. Being chosen a Representative by the Freeholders of Middlesex, I hold myself as essential a Branch of the British Legislature; as any Individual of which it is composed; and I here pledge myself never to relinquish their or my Right. I will seize every Opportunity of doing Justice to them and to the whole Nation in that capital Point [here he was interrupted by a Storm of Applause]. Gentlemen, the highest Praises are due to the Sheriffs: Their Conduct on this Occasion has been remarkable for Candour and Impartiality; and it is impossible that upon the whole their general Conduct can be exceeded in publick Spirit, Integrity, and Independence. I hope, however, that it will be at least equalled by that of their Successors."

Then Mr. Bull spoke nearly as follows:

"Gentlemen of the Livery, and Fellow-Citizens,

"I thank myself the more indebted to you for the Honour now conferred upon me, that it was on my Side entirely unolicited, and that you thought proper to join me with so able and so worthy a Colleague. I am not a Man of many Words, nor do I chuse to dilate

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much in Professions. Let me, however, beg Leave to assure you, that I will do my best Endeavours to discharge the Duties of the important Office of Sheriff; and that, as I never had, so I never shall have, any other Object in standing forth upon the publick Stage, but the Peace, the Prosperity, the Honour and Independence of the City of London."

A great Personage is said to have declared, that he will, on no Account, admit the popular Patriot into his Presence, but that, when he comes in his magisterial Capacity, upon any publick Occasion, he must expect to be received only by the Lord in Waiting.

The Prophecy of the Earl of Chatham seems now verifying apace. When speaking of the Conduct of the present Ministry, he said, "You have made Mr. Wilkes your Master; you will soon make him Sheriff for London and Middlesex, and afterwards Lord Mayor."

The Two following Toasts are now drank: "May the Sheriff's white Wand triumph over the Ministers black Rod.

May patriotic Principles be never let out on ministerial Interests."

A considerable Merchant, we hear, has lost 7000l. by the Event of Monday's Election.

A Gentleman, who is a Lieutenant on Board the Russian Admiral, in the Levant, writes, that there are no less than 3000 able Seamen from England and Ireland, on board the Muscovite Fleet, and that Admiral Elphinston's First Lieutenant is a Shetland Man born.

ANNAPOLIS, September 12.

Last Week died, in Prince George's County, Mr. Thomas Stonefreet, a Native of this Country, aged, beyond all Doubt, 98, but, more probably, as appears from Circumstances, 105 or 106. He was a sociable, benevolent and agreeable Man; having lived and died with a very fair Character, and in much Esteem for many good Qualities.

Lately died, at his House in Prince George's County, George Scott, Esq; Farmer of the Quit-Rents in Frederick County, and Deputy Commissary of Prince George's County.

Mr. William Turner Wootton is appointed Deputy Commissary in the Room of George Scott, Esq; deceased.

On Monday last the new Theatre in West-Street was opened with the ROMAN FATHER and MAYOR OF GARRAT, to a numerous and brilliant Audience, who expressed the greatest Satisfaction not only at the Performance, but with the House, which is thought to be as elegant and commodious, for its Size, as any Theatre in America.

The following Prologue and Epilogue were spoken by Mr. Douglas and Mrs. Henry.

OCCASIONAL PROLOGUE.

TO call forth Genius, bid fair Science bloom, Whilom envelop'd in Cimmerian Gloom; The Mind, by Ignorance enthral'd, to free From the hard Bonds of rude Barbarity; For this, at first, was form'd, for this, the Stage Still claims th' Indulgence of a polish'd Age.

In antient Greece, in distant Æra, long From some rude Cart, his Dramas Thespis sung; And Athens saw revolve full many an Age, Ere Bukins, Scenes, and all the Pomp o' th' Stage Grave Æschylus taught; and with well-earn'd Applause, First fix'd the Sytem of Dramatic Laws.

Long too had Rome, for Arms and Arts renown'd, Extended far her Empire's narrow Bound, Ere the beheld her Theatres arise With Tow'rs and Columns reaching to the Skies. Thus has true Taste, like the revolving Sun, From East to West in even Tenor run: Now on these Shores the Goddess stands confess, And reigns supreme in ev'ry gen'rous Breast, Nobly excited by the Thirst of Fame, To emulate the Greek, and Roman Name.

View yonder Stadthouse rising from the Ground, Whilst private Buildings multiply around: Sacred to Shakespeare! this your Structure see, For which each Actor thanks you thus—by Me. Here solemn TRAGEDY, imperial Queen! In awful and majestic State is seen; An unheath'd Dagger in her Zone she wears, And in her Hand her regal Sceptre bears: 'Tis Her's each manly Feeling of the Heart, Each soft Sensation, to awake by Art; To teach the lab'ring Breast to heave the Sigh, When Lovers suffer, or when Heroes die. Here too, behold, with soft bewitching Smiles, Gay COMEDY the yielding Heart beguiles: 'Tis Her's, with gentle Force and happy Pow'rs, To wing with Joy your gayer lighter Hours; Oh, may she often here these Arts diffuse, And You, receiving from our sportive Muse Pleasing Instruction, mix'd with soft Delight, Retire improv'd on each succeeding Night: So shall ye chace that Demon, Spleen, away, And all shall catch good Humour at a Play.

To You, our Friends, rais'd by whole pounteous Hands

This rude, and yet unpolish'd, Fabrick stands; Great is the Debt of Gratitude We owe, Great are the Bounties You may yet bestow: This Debt to pay shall be our constant Aim, Whilst future Favours shall increase your Claim; The Heart, that truly feels a Favour done, Hastens not, impatient to repay it soon. Be ours the pleasing Task, each Night to learn The happy Art your Praises how to earn: Be't Yours with Candor—Yes—it rests with you, Not to withhold your Praise—should Praise be due.

OCCASIONAL EPILOGUE.

WELL, now that 'tis over—the Ice fairly broken, The Epilogue must be, by me, they say, spoken; As a Loss, I must own, I am for a Beginning; Which Divines say but seldom the Case is in sinning;

And a Sinner I am, for no Woman ere breathing Turn'd Actress, but stait she was reckon'd a Heathen! And how then, in Conscience, can I, a forlorn One, Be thought any other, for i' Faith, I was born On:—

'Twas but lately in France (the politest of Nations Where the Actresses all have the best Educations) Allowed, that a Christian Funeral's besitting An Actor, this great Stage of Life on his quitting; To our Sins (if they're such) we hope you will be kinder, And to the Fair Actrets, if really you find her Deserving of Favour, give due Commendation (The Heav'n she aspires to) instead of Damnation.

But to come to the Point; suppose me just enter'd, And excuse the Digression on which I have ventur'd; Yet before I say more—let me look on your Faces—And learn from your Smiles, ye Wits, Critics, and Graces, That you of your Bounty have not yet repented, And—with our Endeavours to please you contented, For the unfinished State of our House make Allowance, Seeing we, of the Time we've had, have not been Truants.

To correct what is wrong, to add what is deficient In the House; and ourselves, if we can, more proficient To render, in this our theatrical Calling, Is a Determination united we're all in.

Of our Obligations, I know 'tis expected That I should say something—I have been directed To tell you—as how—it shall be our Endeavour And Ambition to merit your Favours for ever— With more to that Purpose.—But lest I should tire ye, Excuse me till some other Night I desire ye.

For Epilogue, so much—yet ere I dismiss it, You'd think me full proud, if I did not solicit, Fair Ladies and Gentlemen, from you some Token, That you're not displeas'd with what I have spoken On Behalf of us all.—Your Applause must declare it, Then grant it to me—and the others shall share it.

* * * The Letters signed Apogoni Mastix, Bryan O' Shurlock, and Philonous, are received, as also the Lines signed Clericus. Advertisements omitted this Week will be inserted in our next.

By Order of the JOCKEY CLUB. ANNAPOLIS RACES

On TUESDAY, September 24.

A PURSE of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS, to be run for only by Horse, Mare, or Gelding, belonging to the Members of the JOCKEY CLUB; Heats 4 Miles each. Four Years old to carry 7 Stone, 5 Years 7 Stone 10lb. 6 Years 8 Stone 7lb. Aged 9 Stone.

On WEDNESDAY 25.

A SUBSCRIPTION PURSE of FIFTY POUNDS, give and take; Heats 3 Miles; Horses aged, 14 Hands high, to carry 9 Stone; for every Year under to carry Half a Stone less; and Half a Stone more or less to be allowed for Horses over or under 14 Hands.

On THURSDAY 26.

LADIES SUBSCRIPTION PURSE, which, with the Entrance Money added thereto, is expected will amount to FIFTY POUNDS. Heats 3 Miles each; Weights as First Day.

On FRIDAY 27.

A PURSE of FIFTY POUNDS, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, to carry 9 Stone. Heats 4 Miles.

The winning Horse each Day is excluded starting for any of the other Plates.

Subscribers of Three Pounds or upwards, may enter free for each, or all of the Three last Days Plates. Non-Subscribers to pay Two Guineas Entrance each Day.

The Horses intended to run for the Two last Days Sport, must be entered with the Clerk of the Course, on Saturday the 21st Instant, any Time before Twelve at Noon; and the Horses for the give and take Plate, must be entered and measured between the Hours of Three and Six in the Afternoon of the same Day, or pay, should they start for any of those Plates, double Entrance at the Post, if the Property of a Non-Subscriber, Three Pounds.

Subscribers to the Plates, and the Gentlemen who have Horses to start for the Jockey Club Purse, are desired to enter them the same Day, that Lists may be made out and published.—Certificates of their Ages must be then produced.

The Races are to be run on the Course adjoining to the City; and the Horses are to start each Day precisely at Eleven o'Clock. The winning Horse each Day, to pay a Guinea to the Clerk of the Course for Weights, and Scales.—Judges to be appointed by the Stewards.

N. B. Next Year no Horse, &c. will be allowed to enter or run for any of the Plates, that stands at any House, the Owner of which is not a Subscriber of Three Pounds or upwards.

†† There will be Balls at the Assembly House, on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday in the Race Week.—Tickets for Gentlemen at a Dollar each (without which they cannot possibly be admitted, as Money will not be taken at the Door) are to be had of Mrs. Howard at the Coffee House.

Pursuant to the Will and Testament of Mr. Thomas Sappington, deceased, will be sold to the highest Bidder, on the Premises, on Monday the 14th of October next, at 12 o'Clock,

PART of a Tract of Land, called Sappington's Swamp, containing about 900 Acres, lying and being in Anne-Arundel County, near Patuxent Iron-Works.

(w4) FRANCES SAPPINGTON, Executrix.

Just imported, and to be sold on moderate Terms, at 177 Store in Baltimore, Wholesale, and by the single Piece Large and neat Assortment of Fall Goods Also double Gloucestershire and Chesbire Chees and London double and single refined Loaf Sugar, (w4) JAMES CHRISTIE, junr

To be chartered for London, Liverpool, Bristol or Glasgow, the Ship Duke of York, William Waud, Master, now lying at Baltimore, will carry about 300 Hogheads of Tobacco. For Terms apply to (3w) JOHN STEVENSON

BOLTING CLOTHS. COMPLETE Assortment of superfine, fine, middling and coarse, lately imported, and will be sold as low as on the Continent, by John Corbett in Gay-street, Baltimore-Town.

Those who are not complete Judges as to the Quality of Cloths, may depend on being suited with such will answer the End intended, both as to Quantity and Quality, with Directions, if wanted, how to affix their Orders by Letter from distant Parts are supplied with Care and Dispatch. (w12)

Also a few Pair of Cogin Millstones.

GEORGE-TOWN (Frederick County) RACES.

To be run for, near George-Town, on Thursday the 10th Day of October, a Purse of Twenty-five Pounds, free for any Horse, Mare or Gelding; Two Mile Heats. Four Years old to carry 7 Stone 10lb. Six Years old 8 Stone 7lb. and aged 9 Stone.

On the Day following will be run for, over the same Ground, a Purse of Fifteen Pounds, by any Horse Mare or Gelding, the winning Horse the First Day excepted; Two Mile Heats; Weight for Size. A Heat of 14 Hands to carry 2 Stone, to rise and fall according to the Rules of Racing. The Horses to be entered with Joseph Belt the preceding Day of each Race. To pay for the First Day, Entrance 25 Shillings, for the Second Day 15 Shillings, or double Entrance at the Post. Three Horses to start, or no Race. If the Weather proves bad, the Races will be put off till the next fair Day. To start by Two o'Clock. Proper Judges will be appointed to measure the Horses, and to determine any Disputes that may arise. The Money to be paid down. (w3)

W A N T E D. A CLERK in the PREROGATIVE-OFFICE apply to

ELIE VALLETTE, Register.

Charles County, August 26, 1771.

WHEREAS a certain Thomas Browning, of Kent County, Maryland, agreed with me a few Years ago, for a certain Tract or Parcel of Land, lying in said County, known by the Name of Boleston, containing 500 Acres. I now have said Browning's Bond for a considerable Sum of Money due me for said Land, and he hath my Bond to acknowledge the Land to him, on Payment of the Sum due me. I ever have been ready to comply with my Agreement, and now am, provided Mr. Browning applies within 30 Days from the Date hereof. If Mr. Browning doth not apply to me within the Time herein limited, I am determined to dispose of said Land, and make a good Title to the Purchaser. (w6)

BOLES TYER BALTHROP.

September 9, 1771.

WHEREAS my Wife, Elizabeth Osborn, has eloped from my Bed and Board, I do hereby forewarn all Persons from trusting her, as I will pay no Debts of her contracting from the Date hereof.

WALTER OSBORN.

Frederick County, September 8, 1771.

THE Subscriber continues to keep a House of Entertainment in George-Town, at the King's Arms, and as he is provided with good Entertainment, Stabling, and Provender for Horses, would be obliged to all Gentlemen travelling and others for their Custom, and they may depend on kind Usage, by their most Humble Servant, (w3) JOSEPH BELT.

STOLEN out of the Subscriber's Pasture, near Mr. Snowden's Forge, on the Twenty-eighth of August, the following Horses: One bay Gelding, 18 or 19 Years old, about 14 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock T D paces, and has good Spirit, has a Star in his Forehead, with a hanging Mane and switch Tail: The other a yellowish bay, branded on the near Buttock T paces and trots, with a small Star in his Forehead, and has a black List down his Rump, about 10 or 11 Years old.

Whoever secures the said Horses, so as the Owner may have them again, shall receive 20 Shillings for each or either the said Horses, and Five Pounds for the Thief, so as he be brought to Justice, paid by (3w) RUTH DAVIS.

AN away from the Subscriber, living in Charist County, on the 10th of August, a Convict Servant Woman, named Caterine Miller, an Irish Woman, middle Size and well made, very fleshy, has a broad Face, much pitted with the Small-Pox, and has black Hair: Had on when she went away, a striped Holland short Gown, Felt Hat, and a Country Cloth Petticoat.—Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures her, so that her Master may have her again, shall have Four Dollars if taken in the County, if out of the County Forty Shillings, and if out of the Province Three-Pounds Reward, besides what the Law allows, paid by (w3) JOSEPH EVINS.

LOST Day which has house, w... M. CF. De. IBL. and One (w5) THE liy Stray a Forehead has a for Saddle, The C and payi THE n bay Ho Years of Snip, a Shoulder not to h have h Charges A LIST A. J Allen, John an B. Fr Marylan Burland Brown, del Co Brown, ick Co C. Z Francis lctor a Carton, Jonas C land. Charles D. J Elizabeth Darnal nis, A E. M Saint M F. M Maryla G. J Ann C Annap Lower Thos. H. I Charle mond, Hallan Hufbr Annap J. C Chas. Jacqu Annay K. Anna nedy, L. I Lane, Chas. M. Malle Math Mero Walte P. Mark Jos. John rylan Q. R. Coun bins, Tow Some Ring S. Jame Robt smyt Sand Swan Chop smyt T. Wm. Tayl Fred John V. don- W With John Wes Win ar M

St. Mary's County, September 5, 1771. THE Subscriber gives this public Notice, that he has now at his House a Company under Inoculation, and shall continue until late in the Spring 1772, at his usual Price of Five Pounds Inspection Currency for Whites, and Three for Blacks.

H. JERNINGHAM. FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Coffee-House in Annapolis, an indentured Servant Man, named OLIVER STEPHENS, about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, wore his own Hair, light coloured Cloaths, and also carried some light coloured Jennet, which had been cut out, but not made up, away with him; he is very slender, and has a remarkable thin Face, is a Native of Ireland, as may be easily gathered from his Conversation, he plays tolerably on a Variety of musical Instruments, viz. The Violin, Clarinet, Guitar, German Flute, &c. Tho' not yet Nine Months in the Country, yet this is his second Elopement; he has shewn great Ingratitude to mild and even genteel Treatment. 'Tis supposed he is either gone by Water to Philadelphia, or lies concealed in this Town. If any Person through Ignorance of the Law has harboured him, by securing him and giving immediate Notice thereof to Mrs. Howard, at the Coffee-House, he will not only avoid a Prosecution, but be handsomely rewarded. Five Pounds will be paid by the said Mrs. Howard, to the Person who apprehends said Oliver Stephens, if taken more than 10 Miles from Annapolis, or Three Pounds if nearer, and lodged in Jail, so that Mrs. Howard may have him.

Insurance-Office, Baltimore, July 29, 1771. I Take this Method to acquaint all Gentlemen, Merchants, Masters of Ships or Vessels, Traders and others; that I have lately opened an Office for insuring Ships, Vessels and Cargoes, on any fair Risk, at the customary Premium, and supported by a Number of Gentlemen of Probity and Property as Underwriters.

Any Orders accompanied with the Premium or Credit, shall be punctually executed, by their very humble Servant, THOMAS BRERETON.

Philadelphia, May 13, 1771. ENOCH STORY BEGS leave to inform the Publick in general and his Friends in particular, that he has removed to a House well situate for Business, at the Corner of Market and Second Streets, near the Court-House, in this City, where he has fitted up a convenient Store for the Reception of Merchandize, which he proposes selling upon Commission, on the lowest Terms for Cash only, either there or at his Vendue-House up Second Street, (upon certain Days, of which timely Notice will be given) as may be most agreeable.

He also proposes doing Business as a Broker, to buy or sell West-India or European Goods, Bills of Exchange, Ships or other Vessels, Houses, Lands, &c. &c. and in general, such Business as he may be intrusted with, and that upon such low Terms, as may make it advantageous for the Gentlemen, Merchants, and Traders of this City, and those of the neighbouring Provinces to employ him.

He begs leave to assure them, his utmost Endeavours shall be exerted to give Satisfaction in the Management and Negotiating any Business that may be put under his Direction; and the Favours conferred on him will be thankfully received and gratefully remembered.

N. B. We the Subscribers, being acquainted with the above named Enoch Story, are of Opinion, from our Knowledge of his Abilities and Character, that he is well qualified to execute the several Branches of Business above mentioned.

Resse Meredith, Thomas & Isaac Wharton, James & Drinker, Stocker & Wharton, Willing & Morris, Samuel Morris, junr. Edwards Pennington, James Wharton.

To be sold at publick Vendue, on Friday the First Day of November next, on the Premises,

A Tract of Land containing 404 Acres, situated and lying on Elk-Ridge, within Eight Miles of Elk-Ridge Landing. The Soil is good, well timbered and watered, a large Quantity of Meadow Ground, part of it in good Order for mowing, a good Dwelling-House, Tobacco Houses, and other Out-Houses, good Orchards, &c. Any Person inclinable to purchase, may view the Premises before the Day of Sale, by applying to the Subscriber.

(w6) JOSEPH HALL.

THERE is at the Plantation of Pryor Smallwoods, taken up as a Stray, a bay Mare, about 12 Hands and a Half high, no perceivable Brand, and trots and gallops. The Owner may have her again, on proving Property and paying Charges.

THE Subscriber being fully empowered to settle and adjust the Accounts of Mr. Joshua Johnson, late of this Province, requests all those who have any Claims against him to bring them in; and all those who are indebted to him to make immediate payment; those who neglect to comply with this Request, will have Suits commenced against them to August Court next. Constant Attendance is given at my Office.

JOHN DAVIDSON.

Annapolis, June 19, 1771.

Just imported, in the Betsey, Capt. Henrick, from London, and to be sold by the Subscriber very cheap, for Bills of Exchange or Current Money,

A Great Variety of European and East-India Goods, suitable to each Season. Also may be had as usual, Wine, Rum, Molasses, Chocolate, Coffee, and Sugar, &c. &c.

PHILIP HAMMOND, junr.

Just imported, in the Polly, Capt. John Keitye, from London, and to be sold by the Subscriber, in Church-Street, Annapolis, Wholesale and Retail, on the most reasonable Terms,

A Large and neat Assortment of European and India Goods, suitable to the different Seasons. THOMAS GASSAWAY, junr. A considerable Difference will be made to those who pay ready Cash.

Imported likewise in said Ship, and to be sold for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit, an unopened and well assorted Cargo of European and India Goods, amounting to about 1400l. Cost and Charges.

(tf) T. G. junr.

Queen-Anne's County, July 24, 1771.

RAN away from the Subscriber the 3d of this Instant, a Negro Man named JACK, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, and well made: He had on when he went off, an Osnabrig Shirt and Trousers, Cotton Jacket, and an old Hat bound with Linen.

Whoever will deliver the said Negro Man to John Jennings his Overseer, at the Mouth of Corfica Creek, or secure him so that his Master may get him again, shall have the Reward of Thirty Shillings if taken up in Queen-Anne's County, Fifty Shillings if out of Queen-Anne's County and within the Province, and Five Pounds if out of the Province, paid by JAMES TILGHMAN, 3d.

(tf) N. B. 'Tis conjectured he is gone off by Water.

August 10, 1771.

WHEREAS Mr. Jacob Sprigg, late of Prince-George's County, deceased, did by his last Will and Testament, order all his Tract of Land in Frederick County, called the Addition to happy Choice, containing 834 Acres, to be sold to the highest Bidder—Notice is hereby given, that on Saturday the 21st Day of September next, at the House of the Widow Dowten, near Little Monockash, in Frederick County, the said Land will be offered for Sale agreeable to the said Will, for ready Sterling Cash, Current Money, or good London Bills of Exchange. This Land lays on Little Monockash, in said County; and I am instructed to say, is well watered and timbered, the Soil fruitful, and suitable to Indian Corn, Wheat or Tobacco; and there is on it, a considerable Quantity of Meadow Ground.

(4w) W. T. WOOTTON, Executor. N. B. This 834 Acres Land will be sold all together or in Lots, as may be found best for the Advantage of the Estate.

THE Subscribers give this publick Notice, that they begin to inoculate 1st September (and shall continue until the last of June 1772) the Price as before, 2 Pistoles, but are obliged to charge 30s. per Week for Board, as Provisions through a daily Encrease of Inhabitants are extremely dear.

The Sickness is really trifling, and the Confinement none, they may with Safety return Home in 21 Days.

Those that choose to come, are requested not to alter their Diet, and to give timely Notice that they may not be disappointed: Negroes will be insured at 5 per Cent. HENRY STEVENSON.

(w4) MOSES HASSLETT.

N. B. The Subscriber, doubtful of his ever inoculating at his House longer than this Fall and next Spring, will wait on any Gentlemen at any Time, making up an Hundred, at his usual Price, Two Pistoles; and will inoculate any poor People Gratis.

To be printed by Subscription,

For the Benefit of an INJURED UNFORTUNATE, [Price One Dollar, Half on subscribing]

DIVERS Particulars relating to Peter Egerton, the Descendent and Heir of Sir Ralph Egerton, who was Standard-bearer to King Henry the Eighth, and Treasurer to the Lady Princess; elder Brother of Sir Thomas Egerton, after Baron Elemeve, Chancellor of Oxford, and Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of England under Queen Elizabeth, from whom Francis Egerton, the present Duke of Bridgewater, is descended: To which the Pedigree of the Family will be prefixed, from the Reign of William Rufus, King of England, down to the Author.

This Work is interspersed with suitable Anecdotes, and some poetical Essays, that may afford an Amusement to the learned, an Instruction to the young, and a Caution to the unwary.

Hic murus abentus esto,

Nil conscire sibi; nulla pallescere culpa, Hor.

Subscriptions are taken in by Mr. Lomax, at the Ferry in Alexandria, Mr. Patrick Graham at Port Tobacco, Mr. Favis, Silversmith and Tavernkeeper in Annapolis; and the Author, Peter Egerton, School-master near Piscataway.

True Christian Souls, to social Virtues prone, Make the wide Interest of Mankind their own.

July 26, 1771.

To be rented by the Subscriber, living at the Mouth of Hunting Creek, in Dorchester County,

THE Dwelling Plantation where she now resides, with Two other Tenements adjoining the same, all in very good Repair, together with the Slaves, Stock, and farming Utensils on them: Also Two Farms, lying nearly opposite Kingston, both in good tenantable Repair, a light level Soil, remarkable for producing good Wheat: Likewise a Farm lying on Chickinecomico River, known to be as valuable as most in the Country, would be rented with or without Slaves. For Terms apply to Doctor Henry Murray, in Cambridge, Messrs. Edward Trippe and James Murray, on and near Hunting Creek, or the Subscriber.

(6w) LILLY HAMILTON.

Cambridge, Dorchester County, July 19, 1771. THIS is to acquaint the Publick, and my kind Customers in particular, that I have lately furnished myself with a large and compleat Assortment of European, West-India and Country Goods, which I will sell very reasonable for Cash, Wheat, Flaxseed, Corn, Pork, Staves, Plank, and Feathers.

(tf) MICHAEL BURKE.

Annapolis, July 4, 1771.

JUST IMPORTED, In the Ship Polly, Captain John Keitye, and to be sold by Thomas Hyde, at his Store in South-East-Street, for ready Money or short Credit,

A Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable to the Seasons. Likewise a Quantity of Train Oil and Goree, very cheap.

JAMES LOGAN, who not only has been regularly bred to the tailoring Trade in the most capital House for that Business, in the City of Cork, but also worked for a considerable Time with much Applause, with most eminent Masters in England and Ireland; has now opened Shop at the House of Mr. William Goldsmith, Shoemaker, near the Town-Gate, Annapolis, where he intends carrying on his Trade in all its various Branches; from a superior Ability in his undertaking, and constant Adherence to the due Assiduity highly necessary in the Execution thereof, he flatters himself he will be able to give the utmost Satisfaction to those who please to favour him with their Custom. (tf)

General Post-Office, New-York, Jan. 22, 1771. HIS MAJESTY'S Post-Master General, having (for the better facilitating of Correspondence between Great-Britain and America) been pleased to add a Fifth Packet Boat to the Station between Falmouth and New-York: Notice is hereby given, that the Mail for the future will be closed at the Post-Office in New-York, at Twelve of the Clock at Night, on the First Tuesday in every Month, and dispatched by a Packet the next Day for Falmouth.

By Command of the D. Post-Master General. (12m) ALEXANDER COLDEN, Secretary.

To be SOLD cheap for ready Money, R. JAMES'S Fever Powders and Pills, with Papers of Direction. Enquire at the Printing-Office.

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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

T H U R S D A Y, SEPTEMBER 19, 1771.

L O N D O N, June 18.

COPY of a LETTER.



OUR Abilities in Office could be only testified by your spirited Support of my Government, since you resigned. As the first made me regret your quitting my Councils, so the second, from Motives of Gratitude, makes me wish to see your Grace again in my Service. An Office of the first Dignity is become vacant. I desire your Grace to accept of it; if not as an adequate return from me, at least as a Mark to the Publick of your Approbation of my Measures.

His Grace the Duke of Grafton accepted the Privy Seal at the express Request of a Great Personage.

June 20. It is said that Lord North particularly recommended in Council the Appointment of the Duke of Grafton to the Privy Seal; and that a very Great Personage on this Occasion said, "You not only serve your Country in this Step, my Lord, but do yourself Honour, in having a Man who was Prime Minister acting as a Second under your Administration."

June 24. The professed Design of the French Court is to shake off at once the enormous Burden of their publick Debts; and for carrying their Plan into Execution, the Army is posted in proper Places, to prevent Insurrections.

June 25. Never were greater Endeavours used to blacken any Character, than have been exerted against Mr. Wilkes's; and yet nothing has hitherto appeared to the Publick, properly authenticated, either against his private Character or publick Conduct; that ought to render him unworthy the Confidence with which his Countrymen have honoured him. As to slanderous Accusations without Proof, the fairest Character is as liable to them as the worst, nor ought they to have the least Weight; and as the numerous and powerful Enemies of Mr. Wilkes have never been able to prove any of their Accusations against him, we have Reason to believe them false, and that he is really a much more respectable Character than any of his Accusers, both on Account of his publick and private Conduct.

June 27. Yesterday the Lord Mayor, who we hear is the only Alderman in favour of Mr. Wilkes, voted for him and Mr. Bull. It is said Sir Joseph Mawby has promised to advance for Mr. Wilkes whatever Sum may be necessary for his Support in the expensive Office of Sheriff, if he should be elected.

A Writer against Mr. Wilkes says, "It will be much wondered at, if any Man of Wealth and Independence ever again takes a publick Part in Defence of the Rights of the Citizens of London; the Treatment of Mess. Oliver, Townsend, and Bellas, last Monday, by Mr. Wilkes's Friends, was equally infamous and unreasonable. These vociferous Bellowers for Wilkes and Liberty, have the Impudence to pretend that they are contending for Freedom, and yet would deny their Superiors in the Contest all Free-will and Free-agency."

When the Motion was made Yesterday at Guildhall for a fresh Remonstrance, the Lord Mayor stepped forward, and informed the Livery, he would advise that the Address be filed, "Address, Remonstrance, and Petition, of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Livery of London, in Common Hall assembled;" for if his Majesty did not pay any Attention to this Address, it would then be Time enough for the Common Council to take the Matter up, and present another, his Lordship declaring, that, for his Part, he never would either be afraid or ashamed to go to the King at the Head of the Livery, or with the Common Council, until the Grievances they laboured under were properly redressed. After a short Pause, the Address was drawn up and read to the Livery; its Contents were spirited and proper, beginning with a most pathetic Recital of the Injury sustained by the People in the Affair of the Middlesex Election; relating next the arbitrary and despotic Conduct of the House of Commons during the late Session, respecting the illegal Imprisonment of the Lord Mayor and Alderman Oliver, for having kept their Oaths as Magistrates for the City, and particularly enlarging upon the amazing Stroke of Tyranny exercised in their erasing the Record of a judicial Proceeding, thereby assuming a Power unknown to the Crown, and unknown to the Courts of Law; also the arbitrary Act of the Durham-yard Embankment; and finally desiring his Majesty to dissolve the Parliament, and put for ever from his Presence those Ministers, who, by their wicked and designing Arts, had persuaded him to issue his Proclamation for apprehending the Printers, contrary to the known Laws of the Land. The Address met with the unanimous Approbation of all present.

Extract of a Letter from the Magus, June 21.

"We are informed, that the Charge des Affaires for the Court of Madrid, at this Republick, had a private Conference a few Days ago with M. Fagel, Re-

gister of the States General, in which the former communicated to the latter, by Order of the King his Master, that his Catholic Majesty, for certain solid Reasons which he referred to himself, has resolved, for the future, he will no longer permit any Frigate of War, of whatever Nation, to enter and water in the Ports of the Spanish Monarchy, as they have been heretofore accustomed to do; and at the same Time required M. Fagel to inform their High Mightinesses of this Resolution, that they may instruct the Commanders of their Frigates destined for the Mediterranean Sea accordingly. This unexpected Measure has occasioned a great Consternation here.

June 29. Mr. Smith, a Merchant in Budge-Row, received a Letter a few Days ago (which was delivered to him by Mistake instead of another Gentleman in the same Neighbourhood) from a Person belonging to a Publick Office, desiring him to support Alderman Plumbe and Kirkman, which Mr. Smith immediately made publick; and afterwards he, and Mr. Orme his Clerk, made an Affidavit of the Truth of it before Alderman Wilkes, Alderman Plumbe having refused to accept their Affidavit.

Letters from Lisbon say, that a Report prevails there, that the French King had threatened to recal his Minister and Consuls from every Place in Portugal, on Account of some commercial Infringements, which his Subjects had lately suffered in that Kingdom.

July 1. A Person at New Shoreham, who was intrusted lately by a Candidate with 3000l. in order to bribe the Voters, has lately decamped *a la fourdine*.

They write from Madrid, that the Court had given Orders for a strict Guard to be kept upon the King's Magazines and Dock-yards at Ferrol, Cadiz, and Carthagena, at which last Place they have now on the Stocks Four new Ships of the First Rate, besides smaller Vessels.

Extract of a Letter from Stockholm, June 7.

"The King hath caused to be published throughout his States, that from this Time to the First of November, all his faithful Subjects, without any Distinction, may have free Access to the Foot of the Throne, every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, from Four to Five o'Clock in the Evening, and that he will receive their Complaints and answer their Petitions."

A general Coalition is said to be on the Tapis, and the following is talked of as the Arrangement of a new Administration:

- Lord Chatham, President of the Council.
- The Duke of Grafton, First Lord of the Treasury.
- Lord Camden, Chancellor.
- Lord Gower, Ambassador to Paris.
- Marquis of Rockingham, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.
- Lord Weymouth, Paymaster General of the Troops.
- Lord Sandwich, Ambassador to Vienna.
- Lord Shelburne, First Lord of the Admiralty.

July 3. Advice is said to be received of a Danish Sloop having been sunk under a French Fort, in the Port of Bastia, in Corfica, on her persisting to anchor in that Port, contrary to the Remonstrance of the French Governor, who sent a Boat on Board, to inform the Captain that his Orders were to admit the Ships of no Nation whatever. The Sloop had received considerable Damage in a great Storm.

We hear that the Lord Chancellor has within these few Days had divers private Audiences with a Great Personage on the Subject of a popular Alderman being elected Sheriff.

July 5. It is in vain, says a sensible Correspondent, to hope for a free Parliament in this Kingdom. The Country Boroughs are, by a great Majority, under the Influence of the Peers, and the Peers are, by a great Majority, under the Influence of the Ministers. So that, with the Form of a limited Monarchy, the British Government is in Fact as absolute as the Great Mogul's, and must continue as absolute, till the Demon of Self-interest is totally banished from the Bosoms of Mankind.

In an Essay on the Character and Conduct of Lord Viscount Townsend, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, lately published, we meet with the following strictures, which may be worthy Consideration on this Side the Water. "Let me then earnestly exhort every Man, that as his own highest and most permanent Interest is involved in the Interest of his Country, he would, in his particular Station and Department, concur with every Measure of Government, which, upon a fair and dispassionate Enquiry, shall appear to be for the Benefit or Defence of the Nation; He that sets his Face against Government, must expect that Government will set its Face against him, and Hostilities of this Kind can neither be for private nor publick Advantage. In Persons of Rank, Influence, and Property, an Opposition through Prejudice, Pique, and interested Views, is more blamable and more injudicious than in others; they have a superior Stake at Hazard, their Share in the common Stock is greater; their Country is the Repository of their Property and the Seat of their Connections, their Honour is local, and will be transmitted to their Posterity with a paternal Inheritance, that will be of more or less Value, in Proportion as Govern-

ment is assisted or impeded in the Measures it may adopt for its Improvement or Defence: Manual Labour is personal and transitory, inheritable Property is real and permanent. Let no Man, therefore, who would be thought a good Man, a good Citizen, a good Husband, or a good Father, when a publick Measure is to be considered, ask by what Party it is proposed, but what Advantage it will produce, and be assured, that, as that is the worst Government which gives a just Cause for Opposition, they are the worst People, who, without Cause, oppose Government; they entail the greatest Evils that could result from a bad Administration upon a good one, and are at once Enemies to Honesty and common Sense, their Country and themselves."

July 4. The Ministry are in a very great Bustle. Certain News has arrived of the Spaniards having broke the Convention in America, in Two or Three flagrant Instances, although they are disarming in Europe. Lord North has had Three Interviews with the Spanish Ambassador, within these Three Days, on the Subject.

It is said, that, by the Treachery of some Persons confidently employed by the Parties, the Ministry are in Possession of the genuine Copy of a Letter from the Spanish Ambassador at Paris to the Prince de Maffarano, the Spanish Minister at this Court, by which it evidently appears, that the Designs of the Spaniards are equally hostile to us as before signing the late Convention, but that they are still deterred from throwing off the Mask, by the positive Declarations of the French Ministry, "That they will, in no Shape, second or support the Views of the Court of Madrid towards that of London."

On Monday Night an Effigy of Mr. Horne, in a canonical Habit, with a Pen in one Hand, and in the other a Salt-box, intended to represent the Treasury Box of the Bill of Rights, after being carried through the principal Streets in the City, was confumed in a Bonfire, which the Populace made for that Purpose, before the Mansion-house. The like was done in Salisbury-court, Fleet-street.

On the Trial of Edward Twine Carpenter, on Monday, for an Assault on Mr. John Wheble, and unlawfully imprisoning him, Serjeant Glynn, with great Energy and Force of Argument, evinced the Violation of the Law in apprehending the Person of the Prosecutor, under the Pretext of the King's Proclamation, which, if allowed, would render the Liberty of the Subject entirely precarious. On the other Side, the Authority of royal Proclamations in general, and that in Litigation in particular, was argued in an historical Manner, and supported by Cases cited by Mr. Morgan, Counsel for the Defendant. But Mr. Carpenter was convicted on Proof of his own Letter to Mr. Wheble, acknowledging the Fact. For want of producing an attested Copy on Stamps of the royal Proclamation (Mr. Recorder not permitting the same to be read from the Gazette, though admitted by the Prosecutor's Counsel) the whole Discussion of this Matter intended to be brought in Issue, the Justification or Extension of the Sanction of the Proclamation, was left entirely undecided.

Great Bets are still depending, whether Mr. Wilkes be admitted by the higher Powers to serve the Office of Sheriff or not. But many are of Opinion, that no Objection will be made to him, merely to avoid the Tumult and Disorder which such Refusal would occasion.

INTELLIGENCE EXTRAORDINARY.

GUILDHALL RACES, Monday June 24.

PRECISELY at Four o'Clock in the Evening the following Horses started for the great City Plate, amidst the Acclamations of several Thousand Spectators.

- Wilkes's noted bay Mare Liberty, got by Magna Charta, out of the old Baron's Publick Spirit.
- Bull's gray Fielding Trial, the Dam by Liberty (the first Time of Entrance in any Course).
- Plumbe's bald-face Gelding Senior, got by Ministry, out of a snip Mare, Corruption.
- Kirkman's mottled Colt Indifference, half Brother to Senior, by Ministry.
- Oliver's little black Poney Turncoat, got by Ingratitude, out of an old Barbadoes Mare Bamboole.

The first Day afforded little Sport, on Account of the Inequality of the running; Wilkes's Liberty and Bull's Trial being so much a-head.

The second Day Plumbe's Senior and Kirkman's Indifference pulled up amazingly. Towards the Close of this Day, Oliver's Poney Turncoat fell dead lame on the Course, owing, it is said, to the Carelessness of one Bellas, who has been several Years Farrier to Guildhall Livery Stables, but is now out of Place.

The third Day the Four Horses ran so equal, that (to use the Sportman's Phrase) you could cover them with a Sheet; and it was with some Difficulty that Wilkes's Liberty could keep the Lead; however, this was attributed to some juggling and foul Play, which was afterwards accidentally discovered.

The fourth Day the several Jockey Clubs, exasperated at the preceding Day's foul Play, had a sharp

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July 26, 1771. at the Mouth of County,

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HAMILTON.

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Jan. 22, 1771. General, having Correspondence been pleased to tion between Pa- ereby given, that osed at the Post- of the Clock at very Month, and y for Falmouth. DEN, Secretary.

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look-out, and keep the Coast clear, when Liberty again took the Lead, so much as almost to distance the other Horses.

The Fifth and Sixth Days he shewed greater Speed than ever; and on the last of these Days, Bull's Trial passed Plumbe's Sensor, came in Third Horie, and within Half a Neck of the Second.

The Seventh and last Day the grand Push was made, and Kirkman and Plumbe's Jockies exerted all their Heroism to recover their former Disgrace, but all in vain; Liberty, this Day, as if hitherto only in training, distanced them out of Sight, whilst Bull's Trial kept close at his Heels, as if inspired at such a Leader; and the other Two Horses came panting for Breath, double distanced behind.

Thus ended these Races, which held for Seven Days, attended by the greatest Concourse of People ever known on a like Occasion. The Horses started regularly every Morning at Nine, and the Races ended at Three. Publick Breakfasts and Dinners were established near the Course for the Convenience of the Company; and the success of Liberty and Trial gave great Satisfaction to all Lovers of the true Old English Turf.

ANNAPOLIS, September 19.

On Tuesday September the 11th arrived at Norfolk, the Brigantine Jenny, Isaac Mitchinson, Master, from Whitehaven; in whom came Passenger, Mr. Henry of the American Company of Comedians. In Latitude 42 20, Longitude 32 00, spoke the Snow Farmer, Captain Hastings, from Maryland to Ireland, out 26 Days, all well on board.

Mr. PRINTER,

I send you Three Letters, all writ by Gentlemen; I should fainly have given the Ladies the Preference, if a Gentleman of my Acquaintance had not persuaded me to wait for a more proper Season.

Mr. SAUNDERS, alias USGA BRATZKOI, &c.

IMMEDIATELY on reading your Advertisement, I felt a secret Pleasure thrilling through my Heart; you opened to me a Prospect of satiating an honest and laudable Thirst for Vengeance. Some precious lurking Villains have lately introduced (if not invented) into these Regions of UNPRACTISED Simplicity an EXQUISITE and infallible Method of gashing in the Dark with a poisoned Knife. The Business is done by an anonymous Manuscript Catalogue, teeming with the Malice and Falshood of Hell, and abtaining neither from SEX nor CHARACTER. Through this Vehicle a worthy and respectable Neighbour of mine, with his blameless Daughters (in whose Cause I will cheerfully expose both Life and Limb) have been outraged with the most inhuman and unprovoked Barbarity. Now, Sir, a Detection of the execrable Authors of this truly Satanical Violation of the Peace and Security of Society, will be gratefully and amply rewarded, in order that they, to whatsoever Station exalted, either by Profligacy or the sportive Wantonness of Fortune, may be branded in the Forehead by the Hands of the common Hangman, and after publickly running the Gantlope, be kick'd out of the Province with every Mark of bleeding Infamy; for altho' their Propensities to riot in the Confusion and Agonies of others, cannot but have usurped too absolute a Dominion in their savage Hearts, to be totally control'd by any Expedient whatever, it is yet not improbable, but that all their future Efforts will be render'd as perfectly innocuous by a Notoriety of Character as those of the fellist Viper, by an Avulsion of the Repository of its mortal Virus. Until this Event shall take Place, the most angelic Innocence must stand precisely in the same Predicament, exposed to the same Assaults, with the most flagitious and undistinguishing Guilt. I doubt not but that all those Gentlemen, at Annapolis, and elsewhere, who put themselves to the Expence of new Horsewhips, at the first Appearance of the Catalogue will joyfully contribute.

Elk-Ridge.

APOGONI-MASTIX.

Mr. SAUNDERS, alias &c.

HEARING in the Maryland Gazette, as you can foretel Things past, present, and to come, and as you are a Countryman of mine, I wou'd be after asking you a few Questions about some Lottery Tickets, No. 1, 12, 58, as I have had by me so long, that I quite forgot whether I ever had um at all, at all. Now what I wou'd be glad to be shartin about in the first Place is, whether they will be Blanks or Prizes; and in the second Place, whether they will ever be drawn at all or not? And if they wont, what is the Fun of enjoling diverse of people, as well gentle as simple, in Maryland and other forain Provinces, to douse the RED-DY, and be Adventurers in the Wheel of Fortune, that wont be turn'd round till the Devil's Blind, as they the Saying is. For altho' Advertizements has been printed to & again, PUBLICKLY and SOLEMNLY purtelting to the whole World, that Adventurers shall come by no Harm, but that upon this shartin Day, and that shartin Day, the Maryland Liberty Lottery shall be drawn, we are just as near the Mark now as when the Irish pepled Scotland. To be shure, there is a great Difference between great and small, and there is therefore no Occasion for any but small Folks to mind their Obligations. For luckee ye now Mr. Saunders, if I was to make no more Regard of my Word, I wou'dnt get Credit for a single Rap so I wou'dnt; and if so be that I was to be trated so by no higher nor bigger a Man nor myself, I wou'dnt go to put him into the Law, because for the Shake of his Wife, and Innocent Babies, & myself to Boot—but by St. Patrick's Great-grandmother I wou'd tip him Shillaley, if he was neiter old, nor a Cripple, nor a Poltroon, and then I wou'd be ashamed to speake to him, that's the long and short of it.—I have heard all among our Neighbours as the M—d Liberty Lottery Advertizements is compared for all the World to Dr. Rock's Quack Bills, about Pills for the F—l Disease; for the Lottery says,

as Life without Liberty is worse nor Death, and the Doctor's Quack Bills says, as Life without Health is worse nor Death, when at the same Time both the Tickets and the Pills is only to ase our Pockets, and so far from perharving the Constitution from rotting and suffering, thay not only keeps the foul Humers afloat-ing, but sharpens them into the Bargain. So as for any Thing further that I have to say about this same Bubble, this is all from your bamboozel'd Friend to command,

BRYAN O' SHURLOCK.

P. S. It is my sinshere Opinion, if our own Irish Draper, that is dead and berryed for ever in the Hearts of his Countrymen, was to come over here, and draw that very Pen, which warm'd the Peple of Ireland, from opening their Mouths, for the execrable and audacious Will, Wood, to pour his red hot Brags, flaming Pitch, & melted Lead down their Throats, he cou'dnt purswade the infatuated Peple of this Province from swallowing the brazen, rank, heavy Deceptions that the Will, Wood of the Times is every Day coining for their Digestion.

Mr. SAUNDERS, alias &c.

I FIND by your Professions that no Mystry is too hidden for your all-pervading Eye—you even presume to explain the true Grounds of the late pernicious Countels pursued by the wife Heads of the Land: I shall therefore, without any further Preface, propose not only to you, but to all the Conjurers and Magicians under the Moon, those of the Hoff not excepted, Two physical Questions for Resoluition.

1st: Since it is a Truth both acknowledged and celebrated, that the private Virtues of Charity and Hospitality, prevail not more diffusively, nor glow with purer Ardor among any People in the Universe than the Inhabitants of this Province. By the strong Workings of what secret Energy is it, that the Flame of publick Spirit and Magnanimity is thus sickly and languid?

2^{dly}. Whence flows that Variety of political Character, which to strikingly distinguishes us from our Southern Neighbours, equally free, cultivating the same Kind of Soil, and renned by almost the same Degree of solar Warmth?

When we contemplate that glorious, that almost instantaneous Succor afforded to those, whose Fortunes were overwhelm'd and laid Waste, by a late destroying Calamity, the many other noble and illustrious Proofs of national Liberality, which adorn the different Periods of their History, cease to attract our Admiration, we cannot detach ourselves from this single, pleasing, and important Object. We have not Leiture to observe with attentive Regard, what might on any other Occasion be justly deem'd of Moment and Merit enough to call for the strongest Expressions of our Praise and Approbation.

We give and grant for the Relief of the unhappy Sufferers, by the Inundation, £. 30,000.

This is the adamantine Column of their Fame, which shall endure as long as the Waters shall flow, or the Trees put forth their Leaves. The wife and virtuous Writer on the Rights of Peace and War, pronounces those whom it hath pleased Heaven to try, immediately with Affliction, the Objects of a more pious Species of Reverence. The Conduct of this generous People hath been in strict Conformity to that divine Plan. This Effort, their Faculties considered, is not to be surpassed, if paralleled, by any Thing recorded in History, we must not even except the splendid Gifts, though royal, unbounded and critical Munificence (so minutely enumerated and displayed by Polybius) of the Re-publiks and Monarchs of Greece and Asia, to the Rhodians, when their Colossus, and great Part of their City was overwhelmed by an Earthquake.

Let us for a Moment change the Scene, and scan our own Conduct, however mortifying, when a glorious Occasion offered for the Exertion of our National Liberality. It is fresh and lively in our Remembrance, that a feeble and unsuccessful Effort was made, to procure by an Act of our Legislature, a scanty Provision for the female Offspring of a Man (for he left none of that Sex capable of encountering the rude Shocks of the World) who persisted in deserving greatly of his Country, even to the last Dregs of Life; who, of a Genius vigorous and enterprizing, in Despight of complicated Treachery, Mortification and Disease, wading through a Sea of Difficulties, digested and compiled into a perspicuous and connected System our Laws, which, till then, were involved in dangerous Confusion and Uncertainty; who, animated by an inextinguishable Desire of consecrating all his admirable Talents to the Honour and Benefit of his Country, was meditating her History, and had made such Progress in the Work, as to have collected a Variety of rich Materials a few Years before his Death: But that fair Fruit was blasted in its bud by some pestilential Influence. A design likewise he had formed of composing a Series of political Discourses on the Model of the Farmer's Letters; the Subject, the respective Interests and Relations of the British Colonies, with peculiar Attention to all the real Advantages and Inconveniences, naturally resulting from that Species of civil Poity established by our Ancestors, and which hath been at different Periods, and according to the different Temperaments of Faction, and incidental Coalitions of Ambition, in proportionate De-

* I have presumed to speak of this Genius, as if Maryland claimed the Honour of his Birth, inasmuch as, by a long Residence and a Multiplicity of Relations, he may be almost said to have become a Native, though I well know he was an Englishman. It is worthy of Mention, that the Politeness of his Taste and the Superiority of his Understanding very early in Life engaged the Attention of one of the brightest Ornaments of the Age, in a very particular Manner; and though it be a Hope too sanguine to be indulged, that either a Brazen or Marble Statue will be erected in his Honour by publick Gratitude, I will yet breathe a Wish that, in Reverence to sacred Genius, private Generosity and Piety will ere long combine to mark the Place where his Ashes are deposited, by some elegant and expressive Memorial.

gress, the Object of Crimination and Panegyrick; but a cruel and inmedicable Malady, into which he had fallen by long, severe and sedentary Application, and which finally brought him to his Grave, prevented the Execution.—And here, that we may not betray the least Anxiety to cast the friendly and impenetrable Mantle of Oblivion, over those of his Actions which are less subject to publick Observation and Scrutiny, we will be bold to assert, that Candor must acknowledge the very Foibles of his private Department, to have been but the Excesses of his Virtues, however inausurously the contrary hath been propagated by those, who combated this Measure with Keeness truly astonishing, and who, to add fresh Lustre to their triumphant Opposition, have industriously sought Occasions of glorying in their Patriotic and conscientious Deed.

The great Lord Bacon, with whose eminent and wonderful Endowments were blended such fatal Pliability of Soul, such ruinous Inattention to the Interests and Minute of the World, and to whose Character that of this extraordinary Person bears in its grand and leading Traits the strongest Resemblance, has appointed the following remarkable Legacy in his Will: My Name and Memory I leave to foreign Nations and to my own Countrymen after some Time be passed over.—This the Rev. Thomas Bacon, the Outlines of whose Picture are here zealously, tho' rudely sketched, might have imitated with peculiar Propriety; for fresh and fragrant shall his Name and Memory be, when every Monument, save what the broad Base of Infamy may sustain, of the motley Herd of clamorous Dunces, those natural Foes to mental Excellence, who have invariable risen up against him, shall

dissolve,

And, like the baseless Fabrick of a Vision, Leave not a Rack behind.

PHILONOUS.

BY THE AMERICAN COMPANY. At the new THEATRE in WEST-STREET, on Friday SEPTEMBER 20, 1771.

A COMIC OPERA, called the MAID OF THE MILL. WITH THE OLD MAID.

September 19, 1771.

To be sold at publick Vendue, on Tuesday the 19th of November next, at the Subscriber's House, for ready Current Money, Sterling Cash, or good London Bills of Exchange,

SUNDRY white Servants who have near Four Years to serve, several likely young Negro Fellows, Horses, Mares, and Colts, Carts, Cart-wheels, some Household Furniture, and many other Articles. The Sale to begin at 12 o'Clock.

MARY DORSEY, Administratrix of CALEB, (is) Son of RICHARD.

Annapolis, September 18, 1771.

This Day saw an Advertisement of Bales Tyre Balthrop, in the Maryland Gazette, No. 2357, which Advertisement was dated the 26th of August last, in which Piece the said Balthrop says, that a few Years ago, he agreed with me for a Parcel of Land, lying in Kent County, for which I gave him my Bond for the Payment of the Money, and at the same Time he gave me his Bond for the Conveyance on my Payment of the Purchase Money; and further says, that he is ready to comply, and unless I apply to him in Thirty Days from that Date, he will dispose of the Land to some other Person, and make them a good Title; to which I must just say, that the said Balthrop must be mistaken in his Allegation, as he never has been able to comply with his Agreement to me, he having obliged himself to give me personable Possession, and a Part of the Land was only recovered at April Term last, and another Part is now depending in the Provincial Court. By my Bond to him I am obliged to pay him in Three Months after being put into the Possession as soon as he comply with his Part; I ask no Favour from the said Balthrop as the Law may give him, and request all Persons who may incline to purchase from Balthrop, to take care they are not imposed on, as I am determined to do myself Justice in my Claim to the Land.

THOMAS BROWNING.

To be raffled for on Wednesday the 25th of September, between Three and Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Coffee-House in Annapolis, for Fifty-two Pistoles, One Pistole each Chance.

A Large powerful STALLION, Seven Years old, upwards of Fifteen Hands high, walks and trots very fast, is exceeding gentle, fit for a Carriage, makes a fine Appearance in Harness, and warranted found. The Setter up to spend a Pistole, and the Winner to do the same.

To prevent Inconveniences, the Money for Chances, must be paid before raffling. Those Gentlemen who may think proper to take Chances, are desired to pay the Money down and enter their Names at the Coffee-House before Twelve o'Clock on Wednesday aforesaid, that the Money may be made up to the Owner of the Horse, or returned to the Subscribers in due Time.

N. B. The Stallion is to be seen at Greenleaf's Livery Stable, and on the Day of raffling at the Coffee-House.

Annapolis, September 18, 1771.

COMMITTED to Anne Arundel County Jail as a Runaway, William Smith, who says he belongs to David Ruff, in Baltimore-Town. His Master is desired to fetch him away and pay Charges, to JOHN CLAPHAM, Sheriff.

TO BE SOLD.

Handsome Post-Chariot, with a Box, that will take off. Enquire of the Printer.

FREDERICK-TOWN RACES.

Subscription Purse of Twenty Guineas, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding; Heats Three Miles; Four Years old to carry 7 Stone; 5 Years 7 Stone 10lb. 6 Years 8 Stone 7lb. Aged 9 Stone. And on the Day following will be run for over the same Ground, a Subscription Purse, which, with the Entrance Money added thereto, is expected will amount to about Fifteen Pounds; free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding; the winning Horse the preceding Day excepted; Heats Two Miles each; Weight for Size, excepted; Fourteen Hands high, to carry 10 Stone; and to rise and fall according to the Rules of racing; The Horses to be entered with Mr. Peter Grosb, on Saturday the 19th of October, with whom proper Certificates are to be lodged of their Ages. Subscribers to pay Thirty Shillings Entrance, and Non-Subscribers Fifty Shillings. Judges will be appointed to Measure the Horses, and determine all Disputes. (3w)

To be run for, over the Course at Charles-Town, on Thursday the 24th of October next,

Purse of Twenty Pistoles, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, carrying Weight for Blood, and Age as follows. Aged Horses full Blood, to carry 10 Stone, Three-quarters Blood, 9 Stone 7lb; half Blood 9 Stone, Quarter Blood, 8 Stone 7lb. Horses under Age to be allowed 7lb. for each Year; to run the best of Three Three Mile Heats. Three Year old Fillies to be allowed 3lb. And, on Friday will be run for, over the same Ground, a Purse of Ten Pounds, free as above (the winning Horse the preceding Day excepted) to run the Two Mile Heats, carrying Weight for Age, and Blood as above. The Horses for the First Day's Race to be entered on Wednesday the 23d, with Capt. Thomas Elliott, paying Thirty Shillings or double at the Post; and for the Second Day to be entered on Thursday, paying Fifteen Shillings or double at the Post. Three Horses to start or no Race. Any Person detected in unfair riding, to be deemed distanced. To start each Day precisely at Two o'Clock.

September 12, 1771.

WHEREAS Application was this Day made to me, by John Carty of this City, a Creditor of Richard Lewin, late of Anne-Arundel County, deceased, for Letters of Administration on his Estate: These are therefore to give this publick Notice to the Widow of the deceased, or other Persons having, or pretending to have a prior Right to the Administration of his Effects, that unless they do apply for and take out Letters of Administration on the said Estate, at or before the First Day of October next, Letters in common Form will be granted to the said John Carty accordingly, by

ELIE VALLETTE, Deputy Commissary, of Anne-Arundel County.

August 28, 1771.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Persons that have any Demands against the Estate of John Meak, of Baltimore County, deceased, are desired to bring in their Accounts properly proved, within Three Months from the Date hereof, that they may be paid by the Heir William Meak, and Administrator William Bankhead.

N. B. Ralph Laverty and Michael Augbeltrie, as Chief Creditors, are desired to bring in their Accounts within the above mentioned Time.

Upper-Marlborough, September 13, 1771.

THE Subscriber intending to leave this Place, earnestly intreats all Persons indebted to him to pay off their Accounts, on or before the First Day of November next, that he may be enabled thereby, before his Departure, to pay those to whom he owes Money, who are desired to bring in their Claims before the above Time.

JOHN WARREN.

September 13, 1771.

ALL Persons indebted to the Subscriber in Anne-Arundel County, are desired to pay their respective Debts to Mr. Kenley Johns, at Pigg-Point, on or before the First Day of November next, and those that have Claims against him, are desired to leave them with the same Gentleman, in order that they may be paid. As I intend to leave the Parts, I must intreat a Compliance with the above Request.

JOHN WARREN.

THERE is at the Plantation of Joshua Polk, living in Worcester County, taken up as a Stray, a Cow, about 6 or 7 Years old, to Appearance her Colour is a brindle pied, with a white Forehead, the Marks is a Swallow Fork both Ears. The Owner may have her again, proving Property and paying Charges. (w3)

To be sold, leased, or rented, by the Subscriber, living near the Head of South-River,

TWO valuable Tracts of Land, viz. One lying in Prince-George's County, containing 230 Acres, and situated near Bladensburg, on the main Road from thence to Annapolis, the Soil is rich, well watered, and full of Timber: There is on the Plantation very good Improvements, fit for carrying on planting or farming Business: The other lying in Frederick County, containing 100 Acres, situated on the new Waggon Road, within 12 Miles of Frederick-Town, &c.—The Titles indisputable.

THOMAS RUTLAND, junr.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED or **STOLEN** from the Subscriber's Plantation, near Piscataway, in Prince-George's County, Maryland, a black Mare, about 13 Hands 3 Inches high, with a large Snip on her Nose; 2 small white Spots on her Weathers, occasioned by a Gall from the Collar, branded on the near Buttock thus P her off Hip has been slipped, she paces fast.

Whoever secures the said Mare, so that the Subscriber gets her again, shall receive Fifteen Shillings, if not more than Twenty Miles from Home, if in the Province Twenty Shillings, and if out of the Province Forty Shillings; and the above Reward for the Thief and Mare, if he is convicted, paid by (tf) CHARLES LANSDALE.

IF William Roughjeds, late of Prefot, in the County of Lancaster, and who was imported as a Transport in the Savalle, Captain John Metcalfe, in the Year 1763; and bound to Mr. Burch of Wicomico River, near Pile's Warehouse, in Charles County, Maryland, be living, may hear of something to his Advantage, by applying to the Printer hereof, or, whoever can give any Intelligence of him, so that a Certificate may be had of his being alive or dead; will be handsomely rewarded, by applying as above. (w2)

Alexandria, September 9, 1771.

STRAYED or **STOLEN** from the Subscriber, 2 black Horses; One with a large Blaze upon his Face, mealy Nose, and a Wall Eye, his near hind Foot white, a natural Pacer, and branded as I remember upon his near Shoulder HF joined together; he is about 15 Hands high, and shod all round. The other has no white about him, a thick well made Horse, about 14 Hands high, a trot is his natural Gate, paces when going slow, he is branded as I remember with a D and M the one upon his Shoulder, the other upon his near Buttock, and shod all round; they both have been used in the Waggon. If stolen and carried out of the County, I will give Forty Shillings Reward for each, and Forty Shillings more if the Thief is taken and convicted for the Crime. (5w) JOHN DALTON.

THERE is at the Plantation of Henry Fuller, taken up as a Stray, a bright bay Gelding, about Thirteen Hands and an Half high, branded thus JO had on a Bell marked J. Jacob. The Owner may have him again, proving Property and paying Charges.

September 10, 1771.

Pursuant to the Will and Testament of Mr. Thomas Sappington, deceased, will be sold to the highest Bidder, on the Premises, on Monday the 14th of October next, at 12 o'Clock,

PART of a Tract of Land, called Sappington's Sweep, containing about 700 Acres; lying and being in Anne-Arundel County, near Patuxent Iron-Works. (w4) FRANCES SAPPINGTON, Executrix.

September 3, 1771.

Just imported, and to be sold on moderate Terms, at my Store in Baltimore, Wholesale, and by the single Piece.

A Large and neat Assortment of Fall Goods: Also double Gloucestershire and Cheshire Cheese, and London double and single refined Loaf Sugar, by (w4) JAMES CHRISTIE, junr.

Baltimore, September 2, 1771.

TO be chartered for London, Liverpool, Bristol, or Glasgow, the Ship Duke of York, William Waud, Master, now lying at Baltimore, will carry about 300 Hogheads of Tobacco. For Terms apply to (3w) JOHN STEVENSON

BOLTING CLOTHS.

A COMPLETE Assortment of superfine, fine, middling and coarse, lately imported, and will be sold as low as on the Continent, by John Cornbourn, in Gay-street, Baltimore-Town.

Those who are not complete Judges as to the Quality of Cloths, may depend on being suited with such as will answer the End intended, both as to Quantity and Quality, with Directions, if wanted, how to affix them. Orders by Letter from distant Parts are supplied with Care and Dispatch. (w12)

Also a few Pair of Gagn Millstones.

GEORGE-TOWN (Frederick County) RACES.

TO be run for, near George-Town, on Thursday the 10th Day of October, a Purse of Twenty-five Pounds, free for any Horse, Mare or Gelding; Two Mile Heats. Four Years old to carry 7 Stone 10lb. Six Years old 8 Stone 7lb. and aged 9 Stone.

On the Day following will be ran for, over the same Ground, a Purse of Fifteen Pounds, by any Horse, Mare or Gelding, the winning Horse the First Day excepted; Two Mile Heats; Weight for Size. A Horse accepted; 14 Hands to carry 8 Stone, to rise and fall according to the Rules of Racing: The Horses to be entered with Joseph Belt the preceding Day of each Race. To pay for the First Day, Entrance 25 Shillings; for the Second Day 14 Shillings, or double Entrance at the Post. Three Horses to start, or no Race. If the Winner proves bad, the Races will be put off till the next fair Day. To start by Two o'Clock. Proper Judges will be appointed to measure the Horses, and to determine any Disputes that may arise. The Money to be paid down. (w3)

W A N T E D, CLERK in the PREROGATIVE-OFFICE, apply to

ELIE VALLETTE, Register.

By Order of the JOCKEY CLUB. ANNAPOLIS RACES

On TUESDAY, September 24.

A PURSE of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS, to be run for only by Horse, Mare, or Gelding, belonging to the Members of the JOCKEY CLUB; Heats 4 Miles each. Four Years old to carry 7 Stone, 5 Years 7 Stone 10lb. 6 Years 8 Stone 7lb. Aged 9 Stone.

On WEDNESDAY 25.

A SUBSCRIPTION PURSE of FIFTY POUNDS, give and take; Heats 3 Miles; Horses aged, 14 Hands high, to carry 9 Stone; for every Year under to carry Half a Stone less; and Half a Stone more or less to be allowed for Horses over of under 14 Hands.

On THURSDAY 26.

LADIES SUBSCRIPTION PURSE, which, with the Entrance Money added thereto, is expected will amount to FIFTY POUNDS. Heats 3 Miles each; Weights as First Day.

On FRIDAY 27.

A PURSE of FIFTY POUNDS, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, to carry 9 Stone. Heats 4 Miles.

The winning Horse each Day is excluded starting for any of the other Plates.

Subscribers of Three Pounds or upwards, may enter free for each, or all of the Three last Days Plates. Non-Subscribers to pay Two Guineas Entrance each Day.

The Horses intended to run for the Two last Days Sport, must be entered with the Clerk of the Course; on Saturday the 21st Instant, any Time before Twelve at Noon; and the Horses for the give and take Plate, must be entered and measured between the Hours of Three and Six in the Afternoon of the same Day, or pay, should they start for any of those Plates, double Entrance at the Post, if the Property of a Non-Subscriber, Three Pounds.

Subscribers to the Plates; and the Gentlemen who have Horses to start for the Jockey Club Purse, are desired to enter them the same Day, that Lists may be made out and published.—Certificates of their Ages must be then produced.

The Races are to be run on the Course adjoining to the City; and the Horses are to start each Day precisely at Eleven o'Clock. The winning Horse each Day, to pay a Guinea to the Clerk of the Course for Weights, and Scales.—Judges to be appointed by the Stewards.

N. B. Next Year no Horse, &c. will be allowed to enter or run for any of the Plates, that stands at any House, the Owner of which is not a Subscriber of Three Pounds or upwards.

There will be Balls at the Assembly House, on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday in the Race Week.—Tickets for Gentlemen at a Dollar each (without which they cannot possibly be admitted, as Money will not be taken at the Door) are to be had of Mrs. Howard at the Coffee-House.

Charles County, August 26, 1771.

WHEREAS a certain Thomas Browning, of Kent County, Maryland, agreed with me a few Years ago, for a certain Tract or Parcel of Land, lying in said County, known by the Name of Boleston, containing 500 Acres. I now have said Browning's Bond for a considerable Sum of Money due me for said Land, and he hath my Bond to acknowledge the Land to him, on Payment of the Sum due me. I ever have been ready to comply with my Agreement, and now am, provided Mr. Browning applies within 30 Days from the Date hereof. If Mr. Browning doth not apply to me within the Time herein limited, I am determined to dispose of said Land, and make a good Title to the Purchaser.

BOLES TYER BALTHROP.

Frederick County, September 8, 1771.

THE Subscriber continues to keep a House of Entertainment in George-Town, at the King's Arms, and as he is provided with good Entertainment, Stabling, and Provender for Horses, would be obliged to all Gentlemen travelling and others for their Custom, and they may depend on kind Usage, by their most Humble Servant,

JOSEPH BELT.

(w3)

LOST out of the Subscriber's Pocket, on the 7th Day of August, 1771, a small old Pocket Book, which had in it the following Tobacco on Cole's Warehouse, viz.

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and One Transfer Note on St. Inigo's.

(w5) RICHARD FENWICK.

General-Post-Office, New-York, Jan. 22, 1771.

HIS MAJESTY's Post-Master General, having (for the better facilitating of Correspondence between Great-Britain and America) been pleased to add a Fifth Packet Boat to the Station between Falmouth and New-York: Notice is hereby given, that the Mail for the future will be closed at the Post-Office in New-York, at Twelve of the Clock at Night, on the First Tuesday in every Month, and dispatched by a Packet the next Day for Falmouth.

By Command of the D. Post-Master General.

(12m) ALEXANDER COLDEN, Secretary.

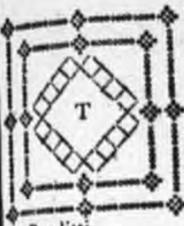
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MARYLAND GAZETTE

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1771.

B A S T I A June 9.



HE French Troops under Count de Marboeuf, have had a bloody Action with the Malecontents on the other Side of the Mountains, and it is said the former were obliged to retire with considerable Loss in killed and wounded. Some of their Baggage is also fallen into the Hands of the Banditti.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 17. The Plague is just broke out again in this Capital, and its Suburbs.

COPENHAGEN, June 11. In order to prevent a Scarcity of Grain in this Capital, his Majesty has given Orders that a Magazine shall be erected here, which shall always contain 10,000 Tons; this is to be replaced from Year to Year; and if our own Country should not furnish a Sufficiency to keep it up, a Quantity sufficient for that Purpose is to be bought in foreign Countries.

TRIESTE, June 12. Letters from the Levant say, that the Russian Squadron is in a bad Condition, as well for want of Money, as good Provision.

MITTAU, June 17. We begin to feel here the like Troubles with Poland and Lithuania. The Dissidents, in the Neighbourhood of our Frontiers, take Refuge in this Duchy, seeking an Asylum against the Violences of the Confederates; but the latter, without Regard to the Law of Nations, pursue them hither, massacre all those who have the Misfortune to fall into their Hands; lay Waste the town Lands, and pull down the Houses which they find in their Passage. The Protestants have built a Church at Birsen, the Confederates are come to destroy it, and Ravage at the same Time the Territories of the Chamberlain Turnau, though situated in this Duchy.

VENICE, June 19. According to the last Letters from the Levant, the Russians propose to make another Attempt upon the Morea. Private Letters say, that they have advanced into Bulgaria.

PRAGUE, June 20. There was a Riot in this City on Account of the Dearness of Provision. The Governor told the Mob, if they would not disperse, he would order the Garrison to fire upon them. Not in the least intimidated, they replied, that they would look upon the Execution of his Menaces as a Favour; since a sudden Death by the Musket was preferable to a slow one by Famine. The Governor did not chuse to take their Advice, but sent an Express to the Emperor, who was so much moved with the Distress of her Subjects, as to shed Tears. She countermanded the Waggon loaded with Corn for Ratisbon, and gave that City an Indemnification of 1500 Ducats.

PISA, June 23. A Report prevails here, that the Emperor of Morocco hath declared War against the French; and that his Corsairs have already insulted the Flag of that Nation.

PARIS, July 5. We are assured that the Jesuits and their Partizans, have offered Two Hundred Millions for Permission to return to their Convents: It is added, that the Jews have also offered an Hundred Millions for a Synagogue, and the Right of Citizens, at Paris; and that they also propose to purchase the fine Coliseum, which the Distress of the Times hath rendered a Desert. Many People, who are fearful of some further Operations in the Finances, prefer these Two Methods of obtaining Money to that of having Recourse to new Burthens on the People.

L O N D O N, July 8.

It is confidently said that a Treaty is on Foot, with the Powers concerned, to annex a valuable trading Island and Port, in the Levant, to the Crown of Great Britain.

We hear that Charles Fox, Esq. is now become a Cabinet Counsellor to a great Personage.

The Question of the Middlesex Election will certainly be brought on again at the Meeting of Parliament, in a Manner, and from a Quarter, at present little suspected.

Letters of good Authority from France say, that a Dispute of much greater Importance than was generally known has for some Time past subsisted between the Courts of Versailles and Madrid; that it was first broached by a Demand which the former made on the latter of Money to a considerable Amount, to relieve her present Necessities, but which Spain absolutely refused. This Quarrel is still to settle; and unless the new Premier of France exerts his Abilities to suppress it, the Consequences will soon produce the Ruin of the Family Compact.

Extract of a Letter from Portsmouth, July 5.

Sailed Yesterday his Majesty's Ship Tartar for New-York. Several Men of War are to come into Harbour, which, we hear, are to be fitted for foreign Service. This Morning the 33d Regiment of Foot began to clear the Ground for the Fortifications round the Dock-Yard."

An Officer of Rank in the Horse, has lately been superseded for Mal practices.

The Marine Companies, which at present consist of no more than Fifty Men each, are to be increased to the Complement of One Hundred; and the Guard which they constituted at Portsmouth Dock, and which has been for some Time discontinued, is to re-established, when the Companies are completed.

Extract of a Letter from Portsmouth, July 8.

The following Ships are getting ready to cruize the Channel, viz. Trident 64 Guns; Worcester 64; Lenox 64; Royal-Oak 64; Glory 36; Thames 36. These Six Men of War are, we hear, to join Three more of the Line at Plymouth, and proceed to Sea as soon as possible.

At Spithead Sixteen Ships of War."

July 10. The Earl of Rochford is said to have sent a very spirited Memorial to the French Court, insisting on the immediate Payment of the Money due on Account of the Canada Paper; and that a firm Resolution is at length taken, that this Matter shall no longer remain the Disgrace of our publick Conduct, and a Stain on the national Honour.

Dr. Horne's being appointed Chaplain to his Majesty seems to prove, that the Name of Horne is not disgusting to a courtly Ear.

Extract of a Letter from Leighborn, dated June 9:

We have just received Advice from Malta, that an English Merchant Ship, named the Anglican; having taken on board at Smyrna about 300 Turks, mostly Traders, whom he was to carry to Alexandria, and who had with them a considerable Sum of Money, was met by a Russian Corsair, who ordered him to bring to. The English Captain, having his Colours flying, took no Notice of the Order, but sailed on his destined Rout; however, the Russian having joined a Frigate of War of his Nation, they both attacked, some Hours after, the English, who after an Engagement of Three Hours, in which he received great Damage in his Masts and Rigging, was obliged to surrender. This Advice comes farther confirmed in a Letter from a Merchant at Malta to his Correspondent here, with Orders to buy up great Part of the Cargo on his Account, if it should be brought into this Place."

ST. JAMES'S. This Day the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, the Sheriffs, and the Common Council, with a Committee of the Livery, of the City of London, waited upon his Majesty, being introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl of Hertford, Lord Chamberlain of his Majesty's Household, with the following Address, Remonstrance, and Petition, which was read by Sir James Hodges, Town Clerk.

To the KING's most excellent MAJESTY,

The humble Address, Remonstrance, and Petition of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Livery, of the City of London, in Common-Hall assembled.

Most gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Livery of the City of London, in the Anguish of our Hearts, beg leave to approach your Royal Person, and deeply to lament that we still suffer, together with many others, all those great and unparalleled Grievances, which we have before submitted to your Majesty, with the Hope of a full and speedy Redress from our Sovereign, as the Father of his People.

The same arbitrary House of Commons which violated the sacred Right of Election, and seated among themselves, as a Representative of the People, a Man who was never chosen into Parliament, have, the last Session, proceeded to the most extravagant Outrages against the Constitution of this Kingdom, and the Liberty of the Subject, of which your Majesty is by Law the Great Guardian. They have ventured to imprison our Chief Magistrate, and one of our Aldermen, for disobeying their illegal Orders, and not violating the holy Sanction of their Oaths to this great City; as well as their Duty to their Country. They have, by the most artful Suggestions, prevailed upon your Majesty, to suffer your Royal Name to give a pretended Authority to a Proclamation, issued at their express Desire, contrary to the known Laws of the Land. At length they proceeded to the enormous Wickedness of erasing a judicial Record, in order to stop the Course of Justice, and to frustrate all Possibility of Relief by an Appeal to those Laws, which are the noblest Birthright and Inheritance of all the Subjects of this Realm.

During the unjust Confinement of our Representatives, they proceeded to a Law, depriving the Citizens of London of a considerable Part of their Property in the Soil of the River Thames, solemnly granted to them by divers Charters, and confirmed by Authority of Parliament; and, under Colour of Equity, inserted in that Law an unusual saving Clause, subversive of the known and established Laws of Property; they have, without any Pretence of an Abuse, superseded the Conservancy of the River Thames, in the

Liberty which the Citizens of London have enjoyed from the Conquest.

We therefore, your Remonstrants, again humbly supplicate your Majesty to restore our Rights, and give Peace to this distracted Nation, by a speedy Dissolution of Parliament, and by removing your present wicked and despotic Ministers for ever from your Councils and Presence.

(Signed by Order) JAMES HODGES."

To which Address, Remonstrance, and Petition, his Majesty was pleased to return the following Answer.

I Shall ever be ready to exert my Prerogative, as far as I can constitutionally, in redressing any real Grievances of my Subjects; and the City of London will always find me disposed to listen to any of their well-founded Complaints: It is, therefore, with Concern, that I see a Part of my Subjects still so far misled and deluded, as to renew, in such reprehensible Terms, a Request, with which, I have repeatedly declared, I cannot comply."

July 11. Several Councils have been held at Paris on the Benefit and Advantage of their Conquest of Corsica, which has cost, in Soldiers and Sailors, 32,000 Men, and 19,070,000 Livres in Money; its costs since the Departure of Paoli, all Accounts balanced, 3,900,000 Livres a Year. The Island does not bring in more than 1,800,000 Livres, exclusive of the Woods; it was thought that this Article would have proved very Advantageous, but as it is under the Management of the King's Undertakers for Ship-building, the Timber is brought to the Docks 12 per Cent. dearer than that imported from the North.

They write from Gibraltar, that the Ships of a certain Northern Power have of late practised some unwarrantable Acts in searching English Merchant Ships in the Mediterranean, under Pretence of having Turkish Property on board.

The following Copy of a Letter was received on Tuesday Night at 11 o'Clock, by the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor, from the Earl of Hertford, Lord Chamberlain.

My LORD;

As in Consequence of the Notice given of the Time your Lordship purposes setting out To-morrow, the Livery may be induced to attend your Lordship to St. James's, I have the King's Command to acquaint you, that it being unprecedented to admit the Livery upon such Occasions, as well as impracticable, to introduce so numerous a Body, no Persons beyond the Number allowed by Law to present Petitions to the Throne, will be admitted, except your Lordship, the Aldermen, Common-Council, and City Officers. I am,

My Lord, with the greatest Respect,

Your Lordship's most obedient humble Servant,

Grosvenor-Street, HERTFORD:"

July 9, 1771.

Yesterday Morning the Lord Mayor caused Copies of the above Letter to be stuck up in divers Parts of the City, that the Livery might be acquainted with the same.

While the King, in one Respect, adheres so religiously to an absolute Law, why does he suffer it to be violated with Regard to the Aldermen? Are not the Livery as much his Subjects as the Aldermen? A Prince should never seem afraid of his People.

Yesterday the Court appeared every Way brilliant and numerous, and his Majesty was surrounded with a great many of the Nobility, foreign Ambassadors; and Officers of State.

The Name of the Islands in the Archipelago, which have been conquered and subjected, with all the Inhabitants thereon, to her Imperial Majesty of all the Russias: Satorin, Naharis, Policandro, Milo, Ar-gentero, Bjeles, Scanim, Nio, Stajalin, Margo, Serfantó, Sarfano, Tirmiyé, Zoa, Sira, Autjaris, Paros, with the Port Ausa, Nixia, Delos, Andro, Tino, Micol, and between the Islands Schio and Schiro, the Island Pefor or Spar.

The Kings of Denmark and Sweden, by their Readiness to hear the Petitions of their Subjects, have set a glorious Example to the Rest of the Sovereigns of Europe.

July 13. We are assured that the King, and not the Lord Chamberlain, read the Answer to the Remonstrance on Wednesday.

Mr. Wilkes being asked to accompany the Lord Mayor on Wednesday, replied, "I certainly will not; and I wonder, Sir, you can desire me to do such a Thing, who know, that it has ever been the Rule of a Study of my Life to give his Majesty no Offence."

A Nobleman on Wednesday asked an Alderman at Court, what was the Intention of the Citizens by their present Visit? To open the King's Eye, and let him see who are his Enemies, answers the Alderman. I wonder, then, replies the Lord, that you left Mr. Wilkes behind you; for had he been here, you would have succeeded completely, and his Majesty would have seen them all.

Extract of a Letter from Bastia, July 13.

The Malecontents of this Island are in great Affliction since they have been informed, that a Frigate and a Chebec are immediately expected from Toulou,

er, living in white Servant FRANCIS, the other named William Berdley. of a fair Com- ok, can write to know some- ook with him, Country Linen h Breeches that re Buckles not re not made for appear too long PINS is slender. light coloured d of a Man o ad on and tool had Cloth Coat the Elbows an a Pair of light Breeches mad FRANCIS ma ever takes the Subscribers g ds Reward, fr. DRDLEY, jun. DRDLEY.

August 10, 1771. Y D rd, Capt. New, icines compou nents, Shop Fur Rupture Truffe. t. Likewi the much fame. as a great Variety ters Colours. as ts, among which most elegant Tint. at a low Advance. ular may depend in their kind and (w6) us, August 7, 1771- ented to his Excl- n the Night of Sa- Mr. James Cligh, ounty, was broke unkown, who stole a Sum of Money and Thirty-three his Excellency, for to publick Justice, the said Robbery, for such Offence, or Principals only er or their Accom- t, so that he, the ncted thereof. SCOTT, Cl. Com- ment, the Subscri- Baltimore County, ounds, to any one Person or Persons Offence, so that he, utice and convicted JAMES CHESTON, scription, UNFORTUNATE, a subscribing] g to Peter Egerton, of Sir Ralph Egerton, g Henry the Eighth, acels; elder Brother ron Elmiers, Chan- er of the Great Seal b, from whom Fran- Bridgewater, is de- e of the Family will William Rufus, King suitable Anecdotes, ay afford an Amuse- ction to no young, culpa. Hol. oy Mr. Lomax, at the e Graham at Port- and Tavernkeeper in ter Egerton, School. al Virtues prone, anking their own. XEXEXEXEXEXE PRINTING- RTISEMENTS, e. Long Ones ds of BLANK, proper BONDS ORK performed

to embark all the Natives who are in our Prisons, and transport them to America."

CHARLES-TOWN, (S. Carolina,) August 26.

On the 11th Instant a large Ship was seen on Fire a few Leagues off Cape Florida, thought to be from Jamaica, with Rum, &c. and continued burning till next Morning, when the Master of the Vessel, who brings us the Intelligence, conjectures the must have gone down, as he could see no more of her. Several other Ships were in Company with, or in Sight of her.

ANNAPOLIS, September 26.

On Saturday last, his Excellency's Brother, Captain Thomas Eden, set out for England by Way of Philadelphia and New York; to which last mentioned City he was to accompany the Hon. Mrs. Eden and Miss Darby.

On Sunday Richard Bennet Lloyd, Esq; also set out for New-York, to go from thence in the October Packet to England.

His Excellency the Earl of Dunmore, Governor of Virginia, is said to have gone down the Eastern Shore last Week in his Way to that Province.

A Snow belonging to Baltimore, is seized below Smith's-Point by the Boston's Tender.

On Monday last the Hon. Daniel of St. Thomas Jenifer, and the Hon. Col. Plater, were sworn in Members of his Lordship's Council of State.

On the 23d of July died in Bermudas, for which Island he had embarked on the 13th of June, in order to make Trial of a Change of Air, John Morton Jordan, Esq; some Time Agent for the Lord Proprietary of this Province.

The flying Gout, which during Six Years had, at different Times, fallen with the most excruciating Violence on every other Part of his Frame, at length seized his Bowels, and put a Period to his painful Existence.

In a Situation which would have overwhelmed most Men, even the firmest, with Melancholy and Despair, his Mind maintained itself erect and unbroken even to a Degree of Vivacity, not to be credited but by those to whom a stricter Intimacy afforded more frequent Opportunities of contemplating and admiring his Fortitude.

He was a Man of rigid Honour, indulgent and noble in the Discharge of his domestic Offices, of a strong natural Capacity, of enlarged Notions in and thorough Acquaintance with Business. In his Friendships he was cordial and disinterested. In his Enmities it must be confessed that he was warm, but he was likewise masculine, frank and generous. Had not the unceasing Assaults of a merciless Disease triumphed over the Delicacy of his Constitution, it is highly probable that this City the Place of his Residence in particular, and the whole Province in general, would have derived very many important and permanent Benefits from the Activity of that enterprising Temper, the Sallies of which, even when he was on the Brink of the Grave, often filled his Friends with Astonishment.

He left behind him a Wife and Son, to mingle their Tears with those of his Relations and sincere Friends. His Fortune is on good Grounds reputed to be very considerable.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint and commissionate Daniel of St. Thomas Jenifer, Esq; to be Agent and Receiver General in this Province, in the Room of John Morton Jordan, Esq; deceased.

On Tuesday the Jackey Club Purse of 100 Guineas was run for over the Course near this City.

Mr. Lloyd's Mare Nancy Bywell,	1	6
Mr. Fitzbush's Bay Horse Regulus,	2	1
Mr. Samuel Galloway's Bay Horse Selim,	6	4
Mr. Alexander Spotswood's Bay Horse Apollo,	3	3
Daniel Dulany, Esquire's Bay Horse Neupareil,	4	2
Mr. Majster's Mare Blak Legs,	5	5

WEDNESDAY, September 25.

Mr. William Bane's Gray Horse Regulus,	1	1
Mr. William Iam's Bay Horse Driver,	3	2
Dr. Thomas Hamilton's Bay Mare Primrose,	2	diff
Mr. Alex. Spotswood's Gray Gelding Driver,	4	diff

THURSDAY, September 26.

Mr. Bayley's Bay Mare Lovely,	1	1
Mr. Sim's Horse Wildart, got by Wildart,	3	2
Dr. Thomas Hamilton's Bay Mare ———, got by Figure,	2	dr.
Dr. Shuttleworth's Gray Horse Atlas,	4	diff

ERRATA in the Pieces inserted in our last Week's Gazette.

The Signature of the 2d Letter, for Skurluck, read Skurluck; Letter 3d, Line 24, for overwhelmed, read overturn'd; Line 46, for though, read the; Line 82, for Coalitions, read Collisions; Col. 3. Line 22, for Traits, read Traits.

* * The Piece signed J. Gordon, will be inserted in our next.

Annapolis, September 24, 1771.

THE Farmers of his Lordship's Quit-Rents on the Western Shore, are desired to come and settle their Quit-Rent Accounts within Six Days after the First Day of February next ensuing.

(4w) REUBEN MERIWETHER, Rent-Roll- Keeper of the Western Shore.

September 20, 1771.

LOST in Annapolis, or between Annapolis and Elk-Ridge Landing, on Friday the 13th current, a Set of Bills of Exchange drawn by Messrs Hyatt the 5th September 1771, at 30 Days Sight, on Messieurs Mildred and Roberts, Merchants in London, for £. 29 : 8 : 6 Sterling. Whoever has found the said Bills, and will send, or deliver them to Thomas Johnson, Esq; in Annapolis, or to Mr. Thomas Todd, at Elk-Ridge Landing, shall receive Thanks for their Trouble. The Bills can be of no Service to any Person but the Owner, who has taken proper Steps to prevent Payment.

Pursuant to the Last Will and Testament of Robert Gilcresh, late of Baltimore County, deceased, will be sold at PUBLICK VENDUE, on Thursday the 31st Day of next October, at Mr. Ambrose Geoghegan's Tavern,

EIGHT Hundred Acres of Land, Part of a Tract of Land, called Upper-Marlborough, situate and lying in Baltimore County, lying on the great Road leading from Frederick-Town to Baltimore-Town, and at the Distance of about 25 Miles from Baltimore-Town. This Land would answer well for making Tobacco or Farming. There are Two small Tenements on it; fine Meadow Ground may be made; has a very extensive Range, and the Title is indisputable. The Land may be laid out in Parcels, or otherwise, as may best suit the Purchasers, and Time may be had for Payment of the Money, on giving Bond with good Security. Any Persons that have a Mind to view the Land before the Time of Sale, may apply to Mr. Ambrose Geoghegan, who lives but a small Distance from the Place, who will conduct them over it. This Land has been advertised some Time past, but the Sale put off from Time to Time, but will certainly be sold at the Time now appointed.

(w6) —HELEN GILCRESH, Executrix.

Just imported, and to be sold by the subscriber, at Mrs. Allom's, opposite Mr. Ball's Ordinary,

A NEAT and elegant Assortment of Jewellery, Millinery and other Goods, viz. Paste Necklaces and Ear-rings, blue Agate set with Marc sites, Pink Wax, Falling ditto and white Wax ditto, Ealing suitable to all, &c. best French Wax, Seed and Pearl ditto, real Garnets and mock ditto, and various Kinds of Agates, genteel striped Velvet Collars of all Colours, beaded ditto, best French Ribband plated and flowered with Silver, Jubely ditto, &c. the newest Taste, handsome Ribband Ruffs, Ribband and best Italian Shenell and Silver Stomachers, Knots and Sprigs ditto, which are vastly genteel, beautiful large Hair Sprigs of all Sorts, viz. best French and English Paste, real Garnets ditto, and pretty Half Moons, Marcasite and Pearl, also small Paste Pins for ditto, Paste Combs genteely set in double and single Rows ditto, in Form of Diamonds and Roses, also plain Tortoiseshell ditto, Gentlemens Set Stock and Knee Buckles, Silver Thimbles, black Fans, ditto white, and coloured Ivory, in Cases, elegantly mounted after the French and China Taste, nice Woolpacks with drop Curis, genteel Flies, handsome Lappets, and all Kinds of Blond Lace Caps, also Mens Stock Tape plated, &c. Egrets; Flower Caps, Plumes with Leaves and single ditto, plain and flowered Gauze Caps, complete Suits of Blond Lace and Gauze ditto, all the newest Taste, various Sorts of Ladies and Gentlemens, Youths and Maids Mitts and Gloves, Mens fine China Hofs, Cotton and Thread ditto, Bags and Rofes, for ditto, finest Book Mullins, striped and thick ditto, plain, figured, flowered and black Gauzes, genteel flowered and bordered Gauze Aprons, ditto black Alameda, trimmed genteely in the Fashion, fine netted Hoods, Shenel of all Colours, Bunches, in black Ostrich Feathers and Ladies Hat ditto, and riding Gloves, Jacob's Ladder, Blond and Miniont Laces, white and blue Sattin Quilts, white, blue and black Bonnets and Sattin Cardinals, white Sattin Shoes, and Calimanco ditto, with a Multiplicity of other Articles too tedious to mention. She assures those Ladies and Gentlemen who may honour her with their Custom, that they are as fashionable, genteel and elegant an Assortment as the ever imported from London, and they may depend on having them upon the best Terms,

From their very humble Servant, MARY DICKINSON.

Upper-Marlborough, Sept. 24, 1771.

THE Partnership of JOHN READ MAGRUDER and JOHN HEPBURN, jun. expires the last Day of December next. They have on Hand a large and general Assortment of Goods for the Winter Season, which they will sell at a low Advance by the lumping Parcel, or the whole, as may best suit the Purchaser, and will give a reasonable Credit.

(w3) MAGRUDER & HEPBURN.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

Piscataway, September 21, 1771.

RAN away last Night from the Subscriber, an English indentured-Servant Man named Thomas Phillips, by Trade a Tailor, he is about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high: Had on, when he went away, a light coloured Frize Coat, bound, trimm'd with Gold Basket Buttons, Nankeen Jacket and Breeches, a new Dowlas Shirt, Thread Stockings and turned Pumps, wears his own long black Hair tied behind, of a dark Complexion, and a grim fower Look. He ran away about a Month ago, and got to Baltimore, to which Place it is probable he may make again. Whoever secures said Servant, so that his Master may get him again, shall have a Reward of Three Pounds Currency, if above Thirty Miles from home, and if out of the Province the above Reward, and reasonable Charges paid, if brought home, by ———

(w3) WILLIAM DUVAL.

THERE is at the Plantation of Lawrence Prangle, near Frederick-Town, taken up as a Stray, a bay Horse, about 14 Hands high, and about 9 Years old, branded on the near Buttock thus, SL, his near hind Foot white, has a dall Star something to one Side of his Forehead. The Owner may have him again on proving Property and paying Charges.

(w2)

To be sold to the highest Bidder, on Monday the 18th November next, pursuant to the Last Will and Testament of Nicholas G. Ridgely, at his late Dwelling-House, for Sterling Cash, Bills of Exchange, or current Money, the following Tracts or Parcels of Land, viz.

THAT Tract whereon the deceased lived, lying in Anne-Arundel County, about 20 Miles from Elk-Ridge Landing, 25 Miles from Bladenburg, and 30 from George-Town, containing upwards of 600 Acres, whereon is a Dwelling-House with Three Rooms and Two Fire Places on the Lower Floor, and Two Rooms above, all finished, a Kitchen, Store-house, Milk-house, Meat-house, Corn-house, Stables, and Three Tobacco-houses almost new, covered with Shingles, about 20 Acres Meadow, fit for the Scythe, and as much more may be made with little Trouble, and great Part thereof being already cut down, and may be watered at little Expence by a Stream that runs through it. Two large young Orchards, the Land is exceeding good and well timbered, the Plantation in good Order and will suit either Planter or Farmer; on the same Tract is a good Brick House lately built, and a Kitchen very convenient for a Tenant. One other Tract containing about 266 Acres, lying about 4 Miles from the above; whereon is a Dwelling-house, Corn-house and Tobacco-houses, in good Repair. The Land is rich and well timbered, and the Plantation in good Order for cropping, the greatest Part being fresh. One other Tract, lying about 3 Miles from the first mentioned Plantation, containing about 100 Acres, whereon is Two small Dwelling-houses and a Tobacco-house; the Plantation in good Order; and now Rents for £. 10 currency per Annum; also Twelve valuable Slaves, Men, Women, Boys and Girls, amongst which are several Ploughmen; a complete Waggoner, and Wenches that understand House Work; the Time of Four Servants, a Carpenter, Shoemaker, Bricklayer and Labourer, a good Waggon and Team, many other valuable Hories, Mares and Colts, a large stock of Cattle, Hogs and Sheep, a Wheat Fan, Ploughs, Cart, and every Plantation Utensil; all the Household Furniture, consisting of Plate, China, many good Feather Beds, Chairs, &c. almost new, also about 150 Barrels of Corn, a large Quantity of Oats, some Wheat, Fodder and Straw; about £. 130 Cost of Goods, consisting of Irish Linens, Mens and Boys Hats, some Silks, &c.

On Saturday the 23d of November will be sold as above, on the Premises, a valuable Tract of Land at the Mouth of Seneca Creek, in Frederick County, about 18 Miles from George-Town, containing about 160 Acres, whereon is a Dwelling-House with a Brick Chimney, Kitchen, Milk-house, Store-house, and several other Out-houses. This Place lies on Patowmack River, at the Head of the Seneca Falls, where in all Probability will be a Landing Place for all Commodities brought down the River from the Back Country, and is likely to be a Place of considerable Trade, as it lies convenient to several Water-Mills. The Land is exceeding rich and well timbered, and the Plantation in good Order for cropping, and would suit either Planter, Farmer, or Merchant.

Also will be sold, at the same Time and Place, one other Tract of Land, lying in said County, near Mr. John Riley's, containing about 200 Acres; some Part of which is cleared, and the soil good, 40 Barrels Corn, some Hogs and Plantation Utensils.

On Saturday the 30th November will be sold, at Publick Sale, at the House of Mr. John Orme, in George-Town, Two convenient Lots in the Addition to George-Town. Twelve Months Credit will be given to the Purchaser of the Lands, and till the last of July to the Purchaser of the Negroes, &c. where the Debt is above Ten Pounds, on giving Bond and Security to

JANE RIDGELY, Executrix of

Nicholas Greenbury Ridgely.

N. B. All who have Claims against the said Ridgely's Estate, are desired to make them known before the Sale to Mr. Greenbury Ridgely, on Elk-Ridge, or Mr. Thomas Johnson, George-Town.

THERE is at the Plantation of Elizabeth Thom living near the Mouth of Monocasy, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a black Horse, Three Years old, about 12 Hands high, neither dock'd nor branded, (except some Hairs cut off the End of his Tail, which is commonly called Hand-docking.) The Owner may have him again on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Nathan Veach in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a bright bay Horse, between 13 and 14 Hands high, several small Saddle Spots, short Tail, thin Mane, Star and Snip, has been burnt for a Fiftula, has no perceivable Brand. The Owner may have him again on proving Property and paying Charges.

Baltimore, September 2, 1771.

TO be chartered for London, Liverpool, Bristol, or Glasgow, the Ship Duke of York, William Waud, Master, now lying at Baltimore, will carry about 300 Hogheads of Tobacco. For Terms apply to

(3w) JOHN STEVENSON.

Published according to Act of Parliament. The great and learned Doctor SANXAY'S IMPERIAL GOLDEN DROPS.

AFTER a very long Course of private Practice with the tender and most delicate Constitutions, the Nobility and Gentry in Great-Britain, Ireland, and many Persons eminent for Fortune and Character in America, and in the West-Indies, the Doctor has proved beyond all Doubt his Imperial Golden Drops, to be the greatest Cordial to Nature, Medicine ever produced. These Drops are composed from the finest Essence of the richest Gums and Balsams of the East and West Parts of the World; therefore, this Medicine is truly the Balsam of all the other known Balsams. It is from the combined Power, Efficacy and Virtue of these rich and natural Balsams, that these Drops are able to fortify the weak and enfeebled Parts, to give Health, Strength, and Vigour to a worn-out Constitution. So friendly is this great Cordial to human Nature, that it is a medical Aliment; nourishes the vital System, and prolongs Life. It is by these unequalled Virtues, that the Causes of Barrenness and Sterility in Women, and Impotency in Men, are to an almost Certainty removed. All rheumatic and gravelly Complaints are most assuredly relieved, and if continued for some Time, will radically cure the Disorders: Besides, all obdurate Gleets, seminal Weakness, Whites in Women, and every Weakness of the Reins and Loins, from whatever Cause proceeding, except the venereal Virus; these Imperial Golden Drops in a few Days effects a Cure. Those Patients labouring under an improper Treatment of Mercurials from unskillful Persons, in a certain Disorder, and find their Juices impoverished, will soon find their Account in the Use of these admired Drops. They who feel the secret Infirmities of advancing Years; or where the Power of Youth begins to decline, will find this Nature's grand Restorative their only Friend. It was for something like this grand Secret in Medicine, that the Fathers of Physick, the immortal Boerhaave and Sydenham laboured their whole Lives in vain to Discover for the good of mankind.

It is to be had in Bottles of THOMAS ANDERTON, Bookseller, Wholesale and Retail, at his Store the Lower End of the Jersey-Market, Philadelphia. To prevent the Buyers from being imposed upon by any counterfeit Sort, he hath sealed the Bottle with his Seal and Coat of Arms, and signed each Bottle in his own Hand writing.

Where also may be had; Doctor Sanxay's Alexipharmic Pills, and his Specific purging Electuary, which cure the Lues Venerea in all Stages and Circumstances whatever in a very short Time; without imparting the Secret to a Bedfellow, without giving the least Pain, Sickness, Trouble, Confinement, or Restraint of Diet to the Patient; who may at all Times of the Year, and in all Climates of the World, at home or abroad, at Sea, or on a Journey, receive perfect and positive Health, by the Use of these Medicines and exactly following the Rules laid down in the Book of Directions given with them.

Advice in all Cases gratis. Letters Post paid duly answered. To be had of Mr. Thomas B. Hodgkin, in Annapolis.

THERE is at the Plantation of George Everhart, living in Baltimore County, near the Dugg Hill, taken up as a Stray, a middle sized sorrel Horse, with a white Mane and Tail, has a small white Spot in his Face, and several white Spots on his Back and Neck, supposed to be occasioned by the Saddle and Collar, is a natural pacer, has no Brand, and appears to be about 12 or 14 Years old. The Owner may have him again on proving Property and paying Charges.

September 19, 1771. To be sold at publick Vendue, on Tuesday the 19th of November next, at the Subscriber's House, for ready Current Money, Sterling Cash, or good London Bills of Exchange.

SUNDRY white Servants who have near Four Years to serve, several likely young Negro Fellows, Horses, Mares, and Colts, Carts, Cart-wheels, some Household Furniture, and many other Articles. The Sale to begin at 12 o'Clock.

MARY DORSEY, Administratrix of CALEB, (15) Son of RICHARD.

Annapolis, September 18, 1771. This Day saw an Advertisement of Boles Tyre Baltrop, in the Maryland Gazette, No. 1357, which Advertisement was dated the 26th of August last, in which Piece the said Baltrop says, that a few Years ago he agreed with me for a Parcel of Land, lying in Kent County, for which I gave him my Bond for the Payment of the Money, and at the same Time he gave me his Bond for the Conveyance on my Payment of the Purchase Money; and further says, that he is ready to comply, and unless I apply to him in Thirty Days from that Date, he will dispose of the Land to some other Person, and make them a good Title; to which I must just say, that the said Baltrop must be mistaken in his Allegation, as he never has been able to comply with his Agreement to me, he having obliged himself to give me personable Possession, and a Part of the Land was only recovered at April Term last, and another Part is now depending in the Provincial Court. By my Bond to him I am obliged to pay him in Three Months after being put into the Possession as soon as he comply with his Part; I ask no Favour from the said Baltrop as the Law may give him, and request all Persons who may incline to purchase from Baltrop, to take care they are not imposed on, as I am determined to do myself Justice in my Claim to the Land. THOMAS BROWNING.

W A N T E D, A CLERK in the PREROGATIVE-OFFICE, apply to ELIE VALLETTE, Registers.

September 12, 1771. FREDERICK-TOWN RACES. To be run for over the Race Ground in Frederick-Town, on Monday the 21st of October next,

A Subscription Purse of Twenty Guineas, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding: Heats Three Miles; Four Years old to carry 7 Stone, 5 Years 7 Stone 10lb. 6 Years 8 Stone 7lb. Aged 9 Stone. And, On the Day following will be run for over the same Ground, a Subscription Purse, which, with the Entrance Money added thereto, is expected will amount to about Fifteen Pounds; free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding; the winning Horse the preceding Day excepted: Heats Two Miles each; Weight for Size. Horses &c. Fourteen Hands high, to carry 10 Stone; and to rise and fall according to the Rules of racing. The Horses to be entered with Mr. Peter Grob, on Saturday the 19th of October, with whom proper Certificates are to be lodged of their Ages. Subscribers to pay Thirty Shillings Entrance, and Non-Subscribers Fifty Shillings. Judges will be appointed to Measure the Horses, and determine all Disputes. (1w)

Upper-Marlborough, September 13, 1771. THE Subscriber intending to leave this Place, earnestly intreats all Persons indebted to him to pay off their Accounts, on or before the First Day of November next, that he may be enabled thereby, before his Departure, to pay those to whom he owes Money, who are desired to bring in their Claims before the above Time. (1f) JOHN WARREN.

September 13, 1771. ALL Persons indebted to the Subscriber in Anne-Arundel County, are desired to pay their respective Debts to Mr. Kensey Johns, at Pigg-Point, on or before the First Day of November next, and those that have Claims against him, are desired to leave them with the same Gentleman, in order that they may be paid. As I intend to leave the Parts, I must intreat a Compliance with the above Request. (1f) JOHN WARREN.

THERE is at the Plantation of Joshua Polk, living in Worcester County, taken up as a Stray, a Cow, about 6 or 7 Years old, to Appearance her Colour is a brindle pied, with a white Forehead, the Marks is a Swallow Fork both Ears. The Owner may have her again, proving Property and paying Charges. (w3) FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED or STOLEN from the Subscriber's Plantation, near Piscataway, in Prince-George's County, Maryland, a black Mare, about 13 Hands 3 Inches high, with a large Snip on her Nose, 2 small white Spots on her Weathers, occasioned by a Gall from the Collar, branded on the near Buttock thus P her off Hip has been slipped, she paces fast. Whoever secures the said Mare, so that the Subscriber gets her again, shall receive Fifteen Shillings, if not more than Twenty Miles from Home, if in the Province Twenty Shillings, and if out of the Province Forty Shillings; and the above Reward for the Thief and Mare, if he is convicted, paid by (1f) CHARLES LANSDALE.

IF William Roughsede, late of Prescot, in the County of Lancaster, and who was imported as a Transport in the Savale, Captain John Metcalfe, in the Year 1763, and bound to Mr. Burch of Wicomico River, near Pile's Warehouse, in Charles County, Maryland, be living, may hear of something to his Advantage, by applying to the Printer hereof, or, whoever can give any Intelligence of him, so that a Certificate may be had of his being alive or dead, will be handsomely rewarded, by applying as above. (w2) Alexandria, September 9, 1771.

STRAYED or STOLEN from the Subscriber, 2 black Horses, One with a large Blaze upon his Face, mealy Nose, and a Wall Eye, his near hind Foot white, a natural Pacer, and branded as I remember upon his near Shoulder HF joined together, he is about 15 Hands high, and shod all round. The other has no white about him, a thick well made Horse, about 14 Hands high, a trot is his natural Gate, paces when going slow, he is branded as I remember with a D and M the one upon his Shoulder, the other upon his near Buttock, and shod all round; they both have been used in the Waggon. If stolen and carried out of the County, I will give Forty Shillings Reward for each, and Forty Shillings more if the Thief is taken and convicted for the Crime. (5w) JOHN DALTON.

THERE is at the Plantation of Henry Fuller, taken up as a Stray, a bright bay Gelding, about Thirteen Hands and an Half high, branded thus JO had on a Bell marked J. Jacob. The Owner may have him again, proving Property and paying Charges.

General Post-Office, New-York, Jan. 22, 1771. HIS MAJESTY's Post-Master General, having (for the better facilitating of Correspondence between Great-Britain and America) been pleased to add a Fifth Packet Boat to the Station between Falmouth and New-York: Notice is hereby given, that the Mail for the future will be closed at the Post-Office in New-York, at Twelve of the Clock at Night, on the First Tuesday in every Month, and dispatched by a Packet the next Day for Falmouth. By Command of the D. Post-Master General. (12m) ALEXANDER COLDEN, Secretary.

September 10, 1771. Pursuant to the Will and Testament of Mr. Thomas Sappington, deceased, will be sold to the highest Bidder, on the Premises, on Monday the 14th of October next, at 12 o'Clock,

PART of a Tract of Land, called Sappington's Sweep, containing about 900 Acres, lying and being in Anne-Arundel County, near Patuxent Iron-Works. (w4) FRANCES SAPPINGTON, Executrix.

September 3, 1771. Just imported, and to be sold on moderate Terms, at my Store in Baltimore, Wholesale, and by the single Piece. A Large and neat Assortment of Fall Goods: Also double Gloucestershire and Cheshire Cheese, and London double and single refined Loaf Sugar, by (w4) JAMES CHRISTIE, junr.

BOLTING CLOTHS. A COMPLETE Assortment of superfine, fine, middling and coarse, lately imported, and will be sold as low as on the Continent, by John Cornbwait, in Gay-street, Baltimore-Town. Those who are not complete Judges as to the Quality of Cloths, may depend on being suited with such as will answer the End intended, both as to Quantity and Quality, with Directions, if wanted, how to affix them. Orders by Letter from distant Parts are supplied with Care and Dispatch. (w15) Also a few Pair of Cologn Millstones.

GEORGE-TOWN (Frederick County) RACES. TO be run for, near George-Town, on Thursday the 10th Day of October, a Purse of Twenty-five Pounds, free for any Horse, Mare or Gelding; Two Mile Heats. Four Years old to carry 7 Stone 10lb. Six Years old 8 Stone 7lb, and aged 9 Stone. On the Day following will be ran for, over the same Ground, a Purse of Fifteen Pounds, by any Horse, Mare or Gelding, the winning Horse the First Day excepted; Two Mile Heats; Weight for Size. A Horse of 14 Hands to carry 8 Stone, to rise and fall according to the Rules of Racing. The Horses to be entered with Joseph Belt the preceding Day of each Race. To pay for the First Day, Entrance 25 Shillings, for the Second Day 15 Shillings, or double Entrance at the Post. Three Horses to start, or no Race. If the Weather proves bad, the Races will be put off till the next fair Day. To start by Two o'Clock. Proper Judges will be appointed to measure the Horses, and to determine any Disputes that may arise. The Money to be paid down. (w3) Frederick County, September 8, 1771.

THE Subscriber continues to keep House a of Entertainment in George-Town, at the King's Arms, and as he is provided with good Entertainment, Stabling, and Provender for Horses, would be obliged to all Gentlemen travelling and others for their Custom, and they may depend on kind Usage, by their most Humble Servant, (w3) JOSEPH BELT.

LOST out of the Subscriber's Pocket, on the 7th Day of August, 1771, a small old Pocket-Book, which had in it the following Tobacco on Cole's Warehouse, viz. Mr. CF. No. 327 Gross 1078 Tare 87 Nett 991 Do. 328 1004 94 910 IBL. 98 1117 99 1018 and One Transfer Note on St. Inigo's. (w5) RICHARD FENWICK.

Dorchester County, Maryland, June 29, 1771. To be leased, the Houses and Lots belonging to the Subscriber, in the Town of Cambridge, viz.

THE Dwelling-House where he at present lives, with all the Improvements belonging to the said Lot, as also, about Fifteen Acres of good Pasture Ground on the opposite Side of the Street, on which is a Stable, Chaise-House, and a large Granary convenient to the Water. Likewise a Lot and a Half, with a large Dwelling, and other Out-Houses near the Court-House, which from it's Situation is one of the most convenient Places in the said Town for a Tavern, or other publick Business, with the Advantage of about Ten Acres of very good Grass Land for Pasturage, and the Privilege of getting Fire-Wood for the Use of each of the above-mentioned Dwelling-Houses, from Land contiguous to the said Town.

To be let or leased likewise, for a Term of Years, a Farm, with the Slaves and Stock on it, about Two Miles from the aforesaid Town, on which is a good convenient Dwelling-House and Kitchen, with other requisite Out-Houses, and from it's central Situation as to the County, and lying partly between Two much frequented Roads, it is very fit for a Person in any publick Way. The Pasturage remarkably fine, and a good deal of Branch, that may with little Expence be finished into good Meadow.

There are Two other Plantations with Slaves, Stock, and the necessary Utensils for cultivating of the Land, to be leased; the furthest of them not exceeding Four Miles from Cambridge, the Soil very good, and in good Repair. (2m) HENRY MURRAY.

THERE is at the Plantation of Thomas Weakly, living on the Head of Severn, taken up as a Stray, an old black Horse, with a Star on his Forehead, branded on the near Buttock thus B J has a sore Back, with some white Spots under the Saddle, paces and gallops. The Owner may have him again, proving Property and paying-Charges.

