

# MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1772.

### CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 24.



THE Grand Signior has not only consented to open his coffers in order to furnish the necessary Preparations for a fourth Campaign, but has resolved to convert into Specie all the golden ornaments that are in his Seraglio, and among other Things, the grand golden cistern, which was formerly used by the Grecian Patriarchs for the administration of Baptism.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 28. The diversions of the carriages on here in the same Manner as if there had not been any revolution. The king dines commonly at two o'clock with the queen mother Julia Maria, the hereditary prince, Frederick, and some foreign ministers with their ladies.

### L O N D O N.

Feb. 12. The Society in the Strand have given Mr. St. Pierre, a French gentleman from South Carolina, their gold medal for producing Wines in that part of the British dominions.

The same gentleman has also brought over some Milk with him raised in Carolina of a very excellent quality.

Feb. 13. Last Sunday proceedings at Law were by agreement stopped between Lord and Lady G. 1200 l. a year is to be granted as a separate maintenance to her Ladyship, together with 1000 l. in hand, to answer immediate disbursements.

Lady G's alimony during the pendency of the suit in D. & C. was 2000 l. a year; but as the event of the suit was uncertain, and if ended in a divorce would leave her without a shilling, her friends judged a permanent 1200 l. a year a very prudent and commodious matter, and therefore proposed with the offer.

Lord and Lady G's divorce had each an arbitrator to terminate this remarkable process; Lord Camden kindly undertook to be the husband's; Lord Apsley and secondly, at the request of the Lady's family, to be the wife's. These illustrious Sages of the Law knew that a retrospect could never produce any accommodation; they looked therefore entirely forward, and in a little Time agreed upon the conditions which we have already communicated to our readers.

### Extract of a letter from the Hague, Feb. 7.

"Last Wednesday the Danish Resident had a conference with the States-Generals; when he communicated to them the great revolution which had happened at Copenhagen on the 17th of January last, with all the circumstances which gave rise to it; at which their High Mightinesses expressed the greatest surprise and concern."

"The last letters from Dantzick of good authority advise, that an officer from the Grand Signior is now at Jassy, the Capital of Moldavia, the head quarters of the Field Marshal Count Romanzow, negotiating a Treaty of Peace, which it is supposed will be preceded by a suspension of Arms, as an insurrection is apprehended at Constantinople, unless the populace are appeased, on account of the high price of provisions, which nothing can remedy but the restoration of peace."

"They write from Paris, that the Dauphiness was extremely alarmed at the news of the Empress Queen's illness, and remained in great grief till the Courier arrived, which brought an account of her being out of danger. The letters from Paris likewise give an account that Mr. d'Abonne has failed there for a very large Sum of Money."

Notwithstanding the Mails from Holland assert the contrary, a subsequent letter from Paris mentions the death of the Empress Queen of Hungary as a fact. The pleasure of the Imperial Minister at our Court seems to favour the account; should it prove true, the most subtle politicians seem unanimous in their opinion, that the young Emperor will speedily make a declaration of war, as he seems possessed of an enterprising and martial genius. What effect this would have upon the tranquillity of Europe, may in some degree be foreseen.

Feb. 15. There is certain information received, that the K. of Prussia is the main spring in a northern revolution. He has secured Sweden, he persuades Russia, he rules the councils of Holland, he commands in Denmark; the whole north is at his devotion."

### Extract of a letter from Hamburg, dated Jan. 28.

"Advices from Saxony bring the most dreadful accounts of the misery and want which reign in some provinces of that Electorate, particularly in the circle of the mountains named Ertzgebourg, where the inhabitants die of hunger and the want of every necessity. The garrison of the little town of Senftenberg is retired, on account of a contagious distemper which has broke out among them. By the same advices we learn, that the Elector has made a great reform among his troops; three companies of each Regiment have been dismissed, and he has reduced those that remain

to a very small number of Men. The same diminution has been made in the cavalry, where there are but 15 men in a company kept up."

Feb. 17. Among a variety of particulars that ought to be remembered to the honour of the late Princess Dowager of Wales, was her appointing, without any Solicitation, that real ornament to human nature, Dr. Stephen Hales, to be her clerk of the closet, and upon his death erecting, at her own expence, a handsome monument for him in Westminster-Abbey.—She afterwards bestowed the same office on the celebrated Dr. Edward Young, author of Night Thoughts, &c. So solicitous was this much injured Lady, upon every occasion, to distinguish and reward real merit.

We learn by our letters of the 17th of December, from Constantinople, that Signior di Ludolph, Envoy from his Neapolitan Majesty to the Ottoman Porte as he was going to make a visit to the Prussian Minister there, was attacked and robbed in the public streets.—By the same channel we are informed, that several Russian Frigates have been lately seen in the Euxine, or Black Sea, which have even fired upon some Turkish ships there, and which latter had, with great difficulty, made their escape from the former. This event having been authentically ascertained, and duly notified to the marine department in Constantinople, six xebecs and four gallees were immediately ordered out on the cruise in the Black Sea, and particularly at the mouth of it, for the safety of the castles called the CAVAX. And, in a postscript to this letter, we have advice, that Ali Bey had taken by storm the city of Scilia, otherwise Sidon, in Syria on the 29th of October, which he intends to make the Capital seat of his government in all Syria, to which he invites all the Jews from every quarter of the globe, to come and settle, promising them not only to have the free exercise of their religion, but also full liberty of trading, and even admission into all the departments of government, as natural members of the same. At Gaza, Damascus, and Aleppo, Ali Bey has an army of 60,000 men.

Feb. 18. It is said a motion will be made for the accounts and letters from Denmark to be laid before a great Assembly; and this, in consequence of its being apprehended, that throwing out threats, and denouncing the Vengeance of the British Nation, and the terrors of an English fleet, against the Senate and people of Denmark, may be attended with expensive consequences to this kingdom, which may probably follow from harsh measures being pursued.

A correspondent observes, that when parliaments were even annual, this kingdom was cursed with popery, slavery, (as to the latter, witness the feudal tenures) and arbitrary power; whence he infers that short parliaments will not redress the grievances of this country.

Feb. 19. Saturday Captain Shuldham kissed his Majesty's hand on being appointed Commodore of the squadron to sail to Newfoundland, and Governor of the said island.

### Extract of a letter from Lisbon, dated Jan.

"In answer to the many false and infamous paragraphs, that have lately appeared in the papers, concerning the satisfaction demanded and received by the Court of Great Britain from that of Portugal, it may be some satisfaction to the publick, to know how matters really stand in that respect this 23d of Jan. 1772."

"In the first place, the Captain of the English vessel seized in the Brasils, is a prisoner in Lisbon; and the escape of some persons confined in the same place, was lately made a pretext for committing him not only more closely, but along with common felons."

"2dly, Mr. Cornell is still a prisoner, without relief, redress, or satisfaction of any kind. N. B. He was arrested the 4th of August, 1770."

"3dly, The brokers continue to hold the scourge over the British merchants in Lisbon, inasmuch, that they cannot now sue for the payment of their debts, though contracted ten or twelve years ago, without producing a certificate from a broker, of the sale from which the debt arose, which is universally impracticable. N. B. All their other grievances in statu quo."

"4thly and lastly, From May 1770 till this morning about eleven o'clock, we have had no Envoy at the court of Lisbon; From all this it is evident, that if the British court has received satisfaction from that of Portugal, satisfaction, in the language of Princes, does not always imply redress to their subjects."

It is said, that the truth of the following account may be depended on.—The office of Commander in Chief of the forces of Hanover being vacant, the Princess of Brunswick came over on purpose to solicit the command for the Prince of Brunswick, and to her great disappointment she found, that the behaviour of the Prince during the late war, was not a sufficient recommendation, but that the important command of all the forces of Hanover must be conferred on a raw and unexperienced officer, a Prince of the illustrious house of Mecklenburgh Strelitz. This accounts for the sudden departure of the Princess of Brunswick.

If Lord North should realize his intended plans for reducing the prices of the necessaries of life, he will be as popular a minister as this kingdom ever knew.

It is confidently reported, that Lord North has absolutely refused to involve the nation in a war on account of the late revolution in Denmark.

Feb. 24. Our correspondent at Vienna writes, that they are carrying on all sorts of preparations for an approaching war, with indefatigable diligence and zeal; and they are daily completing their regiments and filling their military magazines to the utmost perfection.

Had not Count Rantzau interposed, it is beyond a doubt, that the Queen of Denmark would have fallen a sacrifice to an enraged populace.

A second revolution is every day expected to take place in Denmark.

The Princess Dowager, it is said, sent 2000 l. to Colonel Keith, as she expresses it, for his standing forth in behalf of the innocent, by a private messenger, who came by the way of Gottenburgh and Leith.

Feb. 25. Our old correspondent at Paris assures us, that a remarkable colonel appears between the courts of Versailles and that of Madrid, inasmuch, that his Catholick Majesty's Ambassador had actually requested his recall.

Mr. Charles Fox publicly assures all his friends, that though he has resigned his office, he will not go into opposition, his quarrel being only with the minister and not with the King's measures.

Feb. 26. Mr. Smith, a merchant of the first rate in the city of London, received advice yesterday about one o'clock, by a special messenger from Amsterdam, that the preliminary articles of peace, between the Porte and the Empress of Russia, had been happily adjusted; and that the belligerent powers had agreed to open a congress immediately, to conclude this weighty negotiation.

Feb. 28. They write from Paris, that the French Court are on the point of surrendering the island of Corsica to the infant Duke of Parma, for 11,000,000 livres.

March 2. Five companies of the royal train of artillery at Woolwich, are now under orders to embark at the shortest notice for Gibraltar: The transports that are to carry them are now actually in the river. The publick must be very blind indeed, not to see, from this intended embarkation, that a rupture with Spain is not at so great a distance as the Ministry have all along laboured to make us believe; for it is strongly suspected, that the Spaniards have for some Time been employed in carrying on a mine from their lines to Gibraltar, which is about the distance of a mile, and it is feared, that they have already penetrated a considerable way into the rock. Dreadful will be the havoc when this mine comes to be sprung, which in all probability will happen soon, for we have no miners in the garrison to counteract them. How surprising it is that the interest of this nation should be so strangely neglected in every particular. There is an error in the establishment of every department. It will hardly be believed, that notwithstanding we have four battalions of the train, we have not so much as one company of miners in the whole corps.

### Extract of a letter from Copenhagen, Feb. 15.

"The examined Papers of the state prisoners turns clearly against them; notwithstanding the court show all the lenity possible to them. Yesterday noon, the English Minister, Col. Keith, had an audience of his Danish Majesty, in the presence of his Privy Council; on account of dispatches he received from his Court."

March 4. We are assured that the present negotiation with the French Court, for the final settlement and full payment of the Canada debt, has been carried on and will be speedily concluded, much to the honour of Lord Rochford, who has peremptorily insisted on the immediate payment of all the interest due on that debt.

The bank has refused to discount the Jew draughts from Holland. The plausible reason given for this very alarming circumstance is, that too much gold might through this channel be drawn out of the kingdom. The real reason is of a quite different nature, but we do not chuse to make it publick.

The humble ADDRESS of the Right Honourable the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament assembled.

Die Martii, 21 Januarii, 1772.

Most Gracious SOVEREIGN,  
WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament assembled, return your Majesty our humble Thanks, for your most gracious Speech from the Throne.

Permit us, Sir, to offer to your Majesty our most dutiful congratulations, on the happy event of the increase of your Royal Family, by the birth of another Prince; and to assure your Majesty, that every addition to your Majesty's domestic happiness, must always afford the highest satisfaction to your faithful subjects. We beg leave to express to your Majesty, our most grateful sense of your Majesty's regard for our private conveniences, in not commanding us to an earlier attendance; and to declare to your Majesty our determination to give our most diligent attention to the

promotion of the domestic interests of these kingdoms, and the extension of our most commercial advantages, by the establishment of useful regulations of law.

We return your Majesty our humble Thanks for your goodness and condescension, in acquainting us from the Throne with the restitution of Port Egmont and Falkland's island, on the part of the King of Spain; and with the assurances your Majesty has received of the pacific disposition of foreign powers. We are made happy by learning, that your Majesty had no reason to apprehend that the peace, which we at present enjoy, will be disturbed by our being any wise involved in the calamities of war, which still unhappily prevail in one part of Europe.

Your Majesty's paternal care in recommending to us a due vigilance in the use of every precaution to preserve this country from that most dreadful contagion, from which, under the Divine Providence, it has been hitherto our happiness to remain free, calls for our sincerest acknowledgments; and commands our utmost attention.

We beg leave to assure your Majesty, that our most diligent endeavours shall be employed to frame such laws, as shall, in our judgment, tend to supply the defects, and remedy the abuses, which may appear to have been introduced in any branch of the various and extensive concerns of this country; and we look upon your Majesty's gracious assurance of your ready concurrence, in whatever may best contribute to the attainment of those salutary ends, as a fresh proof of the desire, which has constantly been shewn, by your Majesty, to promote the welfare of your people.

The humble ADDRESS of the House of COMMONS, to the KING.

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN!

WE, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Great-Britain in Parliament assembled, return Your Majesty our humble Thanks, for Your most Gracious Speech from the Throne,

It is with unfeigned Joy we beg Leave to offer to Your Majesty our Congratulations on the Birth of another Prince, and on the happy Recovery of the Queen, who is still more endeared to this Nation, by every new Pledge of Security for the Happiness we enjoy under Your Majesty's auspicious Government, as well as by Her Majesty's amiable Virtues.

We return Your Majesty our warmest Thanks, for Your gracious Communication of the Assurances Your Majesty has received from the King of Spain, as well as from other Powers, of their Disposition to maintain the public Tranquillity; and we cannot but feel the greatest Satisfaction at the fair Prospect which those Assurances, and the Performance of His Catholic Majesty's Engagement, by the Restitution of Port Egmont and Falkland's Island, afford Your Majesty's Subjects of the Continuance of Peace: At the same Time, we have the greatest Confidence, that the Resolution derived to this Nation, from the Moderation and Firmness of Your Majesty's Conduct, will continue to preserve your Majesty's Dominions from the Calamities of War, which still unhappily prevail in the distant Parts of Europe.

We acknowledge with Gratitude your Majesty's paternal Care, in the Precautions Your Majesty has taken to preserve this Kingdom from the infectious Sickness with which we have of late been alarmed; and though we have the Satisfaction to find that, by the Blessing of Providence, the Danger of its spreading is now diminished, we will not be negligent, on our Part, in taking such Measures as may from Time to Time appear best calculated to secure this Nation from the Visitation of so dreadful an Evil.

Your Majesty's faithful Commons will cheerfully grant to your Majesty such Supplies as shall be found necessary for the Service of the current Year, and we will be careful to make sufficient Provision for the Establishment of a respectable naval Force on which, we are truly sensible, the Security, as well as the Importance, of this Nation, must ever principally depend.

We assure your Majesty, that we will not fail, during this Season of Tranquillity, to employ our Time in making such Provisions as may be found necessary for the Improvement of our Laws, and the extension of our Commerce: And your Majesty may rely on our vigilant and active Attention to those important Concerns recommended to us by Your Majesty; and wherever it shall be found that with Respect to any of these, either from the Remoteness of their Situation from the Seat of Government, or from other Circumstances, such Abuses prevail as expose them to Danger, we shall think it our Duty to endeavour, by every Regulation in our Power, to remedy those Evils, which may in their Consequences so essentially affect the Interest and Honour of this Country.

ANNAPOLIS, MAY 7.

On Friday the 24th of April, Mrs. MARY COOLIDGE, the amiable Consort of Captain JUDSON COOLIDGE, departed this Life, after a long and painful Illness, which she bore with a true Christian Fortitude: She was a prudent and an affectionate Wife, a kind and indulgent Parent, a sincere Friend, and an excellent Neighbour; She has left Five small Children to bewail the Loss of their tender Mother, who was ever solicitous for their Welfare. Thro' Life she was a sincere Christian, but her Behaviour on her death Bed was truly exemplary; conscious of her approaching End, she performed the Duties of a dying Christian, met the King of Terrors without Dismay, and readily obeyed his Summons, we hope and believe, to eternal Bliss.

On Friday last his Excellency our Governor, was pleased to prorogue the General Assembly of this Province, which stood prorogued to Tuesday the Twelfth Instant, to Monday the Fifth Day of October next.

Arrived since our last the Peace and Plenty, Smith, and Eden, Nicholson, from London, but have brought no later Intelligence than what we have had by other Ships,

Annapolis, May 5, 1772.

**JUST IMPORTED,**  
In the Brigantine Peace and Plenty, Capt. Thomas Smith, from London, and to be sold by Thomas Hyde, at his Store in South East Street, Wholesale or Retail, for ready Money or short Credit.

**A** LARGE and neat Assortment of European and India Goods, among which are a few Pieces of genteel Silk, a Variety of superfine Clothes, single and double refined Sugar, Bohea and Hyson Tea, Jar Raisins, Florence Oil, and Window Glafs. Also a Quantity of very good Country sole and upper Leather, among which are a few Dozens of neat Calf skins. Train Oil and Goree.

A handsome riding Chair and Harness for a single Horse to be sold for ready Cash only.

**JUST IMPORTED**

From London, in the Peace and Plenty, Capt. Thomas Smith, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at the Store lately occupied by Mr. Thomas Harwood,

**A** NEAT Assortment of European and East-India Goods, suitable to both Seasons, among which are the following Articles, viz. Superfine fashionable Broad Clothes, Casimers, Jeannets, Sagothies, Damascuses and Tobines, Pelongs and Sarfets, Persian, Taffeties, fine sprigg'd and Book Mullins, work'd Lawn Aprons, India Chintz, plain and corded Dimities, Merisilles Quilting; also a great Variety of black, Blond, Thread, and Minionet Lace, Ladies fashionable Caps, Lace Satin Terezas, French Palle, Wax, Mockgarnet and Pearl Necklaces and Earings, French Collars, Puff Silk Egrets with Lace, genteel pencil'd and gilt Queen's China, good Bohea Tea, Gloucester and Cheshire Cheese, &c. &c. which will be sold at a very low Advance.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD.

N. B. The Store to be rented where the subscriber moved from.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the stage-wagon belonging to John Bolton, that plies from Rock Hall to Newcastle, will begin the 11th of this Instant, May, to set out from Chester-Town on Mondays, and will continue going till the Navigation is stopped by the Ice in Delaware; she will arrive at Newcastle on Tuesday about Noon, where a compleat Stage-boat, kept by Joseph Tatlow, will take in the Passengers and Goods, and sails immediately for Philadelphia; the same Day the Wagon will set out from Newcastle, and arrive at Chester-Town on Thursday; on Friday she will go to James Hodges at Rock-Hall, who will have a compleat Boat to take in the Passengers, &c. and sail immediately for Annapolis; she will leave Annapolis Saturday Morning at 6 o'Clock, and go to Rock-Hall, where the Wagon will wait for the Return of the Boat, to take the Passengers and Goods to Chester-Town. The Newcastle Stage-boat will sail from Philadelphia on Sunday, and get to Newcastle on Monday; she was built on purpose for a Stage-boat, has excellent Accommodations for Passengers, and as she will be kept neat and clean, hope thereby to induce Gentlemen and Ladies to try that Method of Travelling, as it will be attended with far less Trouble and Expence than the usual Way, and we shall do our utmost Endeavour to make each Passage agreeable to them.

JOHN BOLTON,  
JOSEPH TATLOW,  
JAMES HODGES.

(6w)

To be sold, by Way of publick Vendue, on Tuesday the 9th of June next, at the House of Mr. Joseph Belt, in George-Town,

**T**WO Overshot Grist Mills and a Saw Mill, on Rock Creek, about Five Miles from George-Town, which in all Probability will soon become one of the most flourishing Towns in the Province, where there is a good Market and Inspection for Flour, and about Six Miles from Bladensburg; one of these Mills are double geared, with an exceeding good Pair of French Bur Stones; and 300 Acres of Land adjoining, with Three Plantations that will rent for 25 Pounds a Year. Also a good new Grist Mill on Little Monocacy, with about 100 Acres of Land: This Mill is well situated for Custom or a Merchant Mill, having an extensive Body of good Land adjoining, which is very thick settled, and no Market for Grain nigher than George-Town, which is about 30 Miles. I have also for Sale about 500 Acres of Land adjoining Rock Creek Church, which is almost between George-Town and Bladensburg. Time will be given for half the Money, on paying Interest to

ZACHARIAH WHITE,

To be Sold the first of June next, at Mr Joshua Dorsey's, Elk-Ridge Landing,

**A** Valuable Tract of Land, called Polecat Glade, containing 94 ACRES, lying in Anne-Arundel County, between the Falls of Patapsco, and a Run called Deep Run, nigh Elk-Ridge Landing, Dorsey's Furnace, and Two Forges. The Quality of the Land, and Advantages of its Situation, will recommend it to a Purchaser. For Terms of Sale apply to Mr. James Frost, on Mr. Carroll's Manor, beyond Elk-Ridge.

**A** T O B E S O L D,  
VERY handsome London built COACH, with neat Harness for a Pair of Horses. Enquire of the Printer.

Baltimore, April 28, 1772.

**A** JUST imported, and to be sold by the Subscriber, a LARGE Quantity of Drugs and Medicines of all Kinds, Apothecary Utensils, Surgeons Instruments, urinal, nipple and cupping Glafs, &c. Also an Assortment of Painters Colours, Oil, Brushes, Hair Pencils, Window Glafs, Putty Gold Leaf, Varnish, Lacker, &c. &c.

(w4) ALEXANDER STENHOUSE.

Annapolis May 6, 1772.

**S**TOLEN or dropped in this City, on Friday the First of this Instant, out of the Subscriber's Pocket, a red Morocco Pocket Book, with his Name engraved in Gold Letters on the outside thereof; wherein were a Lease, sundry Accounts, Letters, and other things of Importance. Whoever has found said Pocket Book, on Delivery to me shall receive a Reward of Fifteen Shillings Currency and no Questions asked, paid by

ALEXANDER McDONALD.

**T**AKEN up by the Subscriber, at the Mouth of Patowmack River, a Row Boat, about 12 Feet Keel, and 4 Feet wide, her Gunnels are painted yellow, and her Stern Sheets red. She had in her Two Oars marked IAI. The Owner may have her again on proving Property, &c.

JOHN LAMB.

**T**HERE is at the Plantation of John Tucker junr living on Goose Creek, Prince George's County, taken up as a Stray, a small white Mare, 12 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock N, not dock'd, trots and gallop. The Owner may have her again, proving Property and paying Charges.

Just imported, in the Annapolis, Capt. Thomas Eden, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at his Store on the Dock,

**A** LARGE and neat Assortment of European and East-India Goods, suitable to the Season; amongst which is a great Variety of well chosen Silks and Satins, Lawns, Mullins and Gauzes; 25, 30, 35, and 40 Fatnam Seines, and a very large Assortment of Queen's China Ware

(w4) LANCELOT JACQUES.

To be sold to the highest Bidder, on the 3d Tuesday in May

**T**HE plantation whereon Mr. William Hamilton formerly lived, whereon there is a good Dwelling House, Three Rooms and Two Five Places below, and Two Rooms above, a Kitchen 24 by 16 Feet, a convenient House 24 by 16 Feet with a Cellar the whole Length, a good Tobacco Houle 40 by 24 Feet, and a good Apple Orchard; Plenty of rich Meadow, which will make excellent Meadow, a great Plenty of Wood and some Timber, Three Acres of Meadow already cleared. The above Plantation is about Three Miles from Queen Anne Town, Prince George's County, pleasantly situated on the River Patuxent

(w2) WILLIAM GOE.

Elk-Ridge, April 7, 1772.

To be sold at publick Vendue, on Tuesday the 12th Day of May next, at the Subscriber's Dwelling-House, for good Bills of Exchange or current Money.

**A** PARCEL of healthy Country born Negroes, consisting of Men, Boys, Women and Children; among which is a very valuable House Wench.

(w2) BENJAMIN STEVENS.

Annapolis, April 25, 1772.

**J**UST IMPORTED,  
**A** GENERAL Assortment of Goods from most of the manufacturing Towns in Britain, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at the Store next Door below the Coffee-House, Wholesale or Retail, upon the lowest Terms, for Cash or short Credit.

Among the above there is a small Assortment of fashionable Needle flowered Muslin Aprons and Ruffles.

(t.f.) ROBERT BUCHANAN.

April 24th, 1772.

**T**HE expected Meeting of the Ohio Company on the 30th of March last being prevented by the sitting of the Virginia Assembly at the Time, a Meeting of the said Company, at Stafford Court-House in Virginia, on Monday the 25th Day of May next, on Business of the utmost Importance is desired by

(w3) G. MASON, Treasurer.

**A**LL Persons indebted to the Estate of Dr. James Leiper, late of Prince George's County, deceased, are requested to make immediate Payment to Mr. John Brown, jun near Piscataway; and those that have any Demands against said Estate are desired to bring in their Accounts properly proved to him, who is legally authorized to receive and settle the same.

(w3) THOMAS LEIPER, Executor.

Baltimore, April 18, 1772.

Just imported, and to be sold on the most reasonable Terms, for Tobacco, Cash, or short Credit, Wholesale or by the Single Piece,

**A** LARGE and neat Assortment of dry Goods: Also single and double refined Sugars, Hyson, Green, Congo, and Bohea Teas.

(w2) ROBERT CHRISTIE, junr.

**T**HE Subscriber's Church-Street front of the Dock, Capt. Thomas Hyde, from London, but have brought no later Intelligence than what we have had by other Ships,

FIFTEEN

**R**AN away about Subscriber's Servant Mary, been some Years under Indenture; has dark brown Hair, Complexion, tall, all War, is subject Had on and took a blue Camlet Pair of shoes, and Whoever brings in Baltimore-Town Sheriff of said County, N. B. His Wife off to him, and the

On the 22d Day of Sale on the 1st change, or Street

**T**HE PLANTATION of the Subscriber, Anne-Arundel County, about 22 Miles from Elk-Ridge, Acres, about 1

Acres of good to be made with Province: The or Tobacco: The Apple Orchard Peaches, Cher given to the next. The Tenable to purchase to the Subscriber (ts)

Just imported, and Terms, for Tobacco, by the Single Piece, LARGE, Alto single Green Teas, and don Porter, by (w2) N. B. I want

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**A**LL Perf John J are desired to Alexander Cbr Marlborough, Dumfries, Vir N. B. Cap Ferry on Pat of May.

**S**TOLEN in the N April, a larg small Star i bout 15 1/2 Ha and green Ha a Surcingle. given to any as that the the Owner.

**W**ALLA At their Sto have just from Lond

**A** VER A ropan Spring and very cheap, British Sail ruine Port

Annapolis, March 26, 1772.

THE Subscribers have removed their Store from Church-Street, to the new Building on the Front of the Dock, and have imported in the Carriage, Captain Thomas Pearson, from London, and to be sold on the most reasonable Terms, at Wholesale and Retail, a general Assortment of European and India Goods, amongst which are a Choice of Millinery, and the most fashionable Silks.

THOMAS HARWOOD, junr.  
JOHN BRICE.

FIFTEEN DOLLARS REWARD.

Baltimore, April 22, 1772.

RAN away about Fourteen Months ago, from the Subscriber's Plantation in Frederick County, an Irish Servant Man named ANDREW DUNLOP, has been some Years in the Country, since which he came under Indenture; he is about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, has dark brown Hair tied behind, thin Visage and pale Complexion, talks much of his being a Soldier in the last War, is subject to drink and very impertinent: Had on and took with him a Suit of brown Drab Cloth, old blue Camlet Coat and Jacket, old Castor Hat, Two Pair of shoes, and sundry other Things unknown.

Whoever brings said Servant to his Master, living in Baltimore-Town, or delivers him in Custody of the Sheriff of said County, shall receive the above Reward.

MORDECAIGIST.

N. B. His Wife being a free Woman has since gone off to him, and they have lately been heard of in Pennsylvania.

April 13, 1772.

On the 22d Day of May next will be exposed to publick Sale on the Premises, for good London Bills of Exchange, or Sterling Cash,

THE Plantation and Tract of Land whereon the Subscriber now lives, lying on Elk-Ridge, in Anst-Arundel County, and Province of Maryland, about 22 Miles distant from Baltimore-Town, and 15 from Elk-Ridge Landing; it contains about 400 Acres, about 150 of which are cleared, about 13 Acres of good Timothy Meadow, and 50 more may be made with little Expence, equal to any in this Province: The Land is suitable either for Farming or Tobacco: The Plantation in good Order, and several valuable Improvements; and an excellent Apple Orchard of 250 bearing Trees, besides Peaches, Cherries, &c. &c. Possession will be given to the Purchaser the first Day of December next. The Title indisputable. Any Person inclinable to purchase may view the same, by applying to the Subscriber on the Premises.

(ts) HENRY BARNES.

Baltimore, April 15, 1772.

Just imported, and to be disposed of on the most reasonable Terms, for Tobacco, Cash, or short Credit, Wholesale, or by the Single Piece,

A LARGE and neat Assortment of Dry GOODS: Also single and double refined Sugar, Hyson and Green Teas, and best bottled and wired fine old London Porter, by

JAMES CHRISTIE, junr.

N. B. I want a Parcel of Pipe and Hothead Staves.

WHEREAS Mr. Boles Tye Balthrop, of Charles County, by his last Will and Testament, hath left a valuable Tract of Land, lying in Kent County, of 5 or 600 Acres, known by the Name of Bolton, very pleasantly situated by the River, the Soil remarkably good for any Country Produce, and to be sold in order to pay his just Debts. I likewise find with the Papers of the said Balthrop, a Bond from Mr. Thomas Browning of that County, for the Payment of a certain sum of Money for that said Tract of Land, to be paid at the Acknowledgment of the same, which I am willing to do provided he apply by the 10th Day of June next, or shall sell the same to any other Person applying after the said Time. (w3) EDWARD SMOOT, Executor.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Captain John Johnson, late of the Ship Lord Camden, are desired to make immediate Payment to Capt. in Alexander Chrystie, at John Reed Magruder's, Upper-Marlborough, or with William Carr, Merchant, Dumfries, Virginia.

N. B. Capt. Chrystie will attend at Mr. Laidler's Ferry on Patowmack, from the 25th Inst. to the 4th of May.

STOLEN from R. C. Stable in Baltimore-Town, in the Night, betwixt the 14th and 15th Inst. April, a large bay Horse, black Mane and Tail, a small Star in his Forehead, Three white Feet, about 15½ Hands high, with an old Hogskin Saddle, and green Housing, trimmed with yellow Lace, and a Surcingle. A Reward of Four Dollars will be given to any Person who can discover the Thief, so that the said Horse may be taken and restored to the Owner. (w4) R. CHRISTIE.

WALLACE, DAVIDSON and JOHNSON.

At their Store on the Front of the Dock in Annapolis, have just imported, in the Trimley, Capt. Page, from London,

A VERY large and compleat Assortment of European and East-India Goods suitable for the Spring and Summer Seasons, which they will sell very cheap, for ready Money or short Credit. Also British Sail Duck, Loaf Sugar, London Porter, genuine Port Wine, and old Barbados Cane Spirit.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

April 9, 1772.

BROKE out of Cecil County Jail on Tuesday the 7th Inst. Alexander Moore, and William Arnett, who were committed to my Custody as Criminals.—Moore is about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high: Had on, a grayish Coat and Jacket, Leather Breeches, blue Worsted Stockings, and plain Silver Buckles in his Shoes.—Arnett is about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 Inches high: Had on, a brown Half Coat, Leather Breeches, and white Stockings.—Whoever secures them, and delivers them to the Subscriber, shall have the above Reward, or Five Pounds for each.

(tf) RICHARD THOMAS, Sheriff.

THIRTY DOLLARS REWARD.

Virginia, Fredericksburg, April 8, 1772.

RAN away on Monday Night the 6th Inst. from my Plantation, in Culpepper, near Fredericksburg, an English Convict Servant Man, named JOHN BOCKER, about 33 Years old, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, narrow Visage, ruddy Countenance, a little pitted with the Small-Pox, dark Hair not tied, born in Yorkshire, speaks broad, fond of Liquor, and talkative; he has been near Two Years in the Country, a good Dancer and Farmer: His Clothes consisted of a Frize Frock almost new, not lined, with flat Metal Buttons, cut in the Fashion with a Button and Strap to the Hip, his Breeches the same Cloth, but more wore, if any Jacket, an old black one, new Felt Hat, Yarn Stockings, Country Shoes tied with strings, the Heels and Soles thick nailed.—Went off at the same Time with the above, another English Convict Man, belonging to Mr. William Allan, adjoining to my Plantation, named THOMAS DRYBROW, a tall stout large Fellow, full swarthy Face, which appears as if swelled or bloated, wears his own thick curled sandy coloured Hair: Had on and took with him, Two Offending Shirts, a Pair of old brown Trowsers, old Leather Breeches, coarse Kersey Fly Coat, and Metal Buttons, the Body lined with Plaid, an old blue Jacket without Sleeves, good Shoes, old Felt Hat, and Country white Yarn Hat, much wore; it is probable they may change Clothes with each other. The above Reward shall be paid to any Person who will deliver the said Servants to Mr. Edward Stevens, Merchant, at Culpepper Court House, the Overseer of my Plantation, or to myself in Fredericksburg, or Fifteen Dollars if secured in any July, to be get them again, or in Proportion for either of them.

(t) JAMES DUNCANSON.

STRAYED from the Subscriber, living in George-Town, Fredericks County, on the 21st of April, 1772, a bright coloured Strawberry roan Mare truly mixed, upwards of 14 Hands high, 7 Years old, thin, long backed, and long docked, a blaze Face, white Mane and Tail, carries her Ears wide when out of Hand, trots, paces, and gallops, was trained in the Spring every where usual for Farming, has a small Scar or Nick in the near Side of her Bearing, and when standing still, her off under Footlock Joint bends forward, as if favoured for some Weakness, (though none to be discovered in using her) and at the same Time her Hoof rests full on the Ground, and sometimes takes it in her Head when rid, not to leave the Company, or go by or from Place without giving the Rider some Trouble, especially Places that she is used to, and I think has no Brand: Also a black bay or Mouse coloured black, Two Years old Horse Colt, likely to have a few white Hairs over him, neither cut, docked, nor branded, Three-eighths of the Blood, small Head and Ears, short backed, never haltered, something like fish, trots, and fastest of galloping.—The Colt followed the Mare away, though did not come off her, and it's likely he may have left her: The Colt I bred.—Whoever will deliver me the aforesaid Mare, shall be paid Three Pounds, and their reasonable Expences; and Forty Shillings for the Colt, and reasonable Expences. I should be obliged to every Gentleman that reads the Papers, to enquire of those that do not read them for the above strays.

(w3) JOHN WATSON.

PIG-POINT RACES.

April 14, 1772.

To be run for on Thursday the 28th day of May next.

A PURSE of THIRTY POUNDS, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, on the following Terms, viz. Four Years old to carry 8 Stone, Five Years old 8 Stone 10 Pounds, Six Years old 9 Stone 6 Pounds, and aged 10 Stone, Saddle and Bridle included.—To run the best Two in Three.—Three Mile Heats.—On the Day following will be run for over the same Ground, (the winning Horse the preceding Day excepted) A Purse of Fifteen Pounds on the following Terms. A Horse 14 Hands high to carry 9 stone, and rise and fall agreeable to the Rules of racing.—The Horses to be entered with Mr. Richard Wells, on Tuesday before the Race.—Three Horses to start reputed Runners, or no Race, subscribers paying 30 Shillings for the first Day, and 15 Shillings for the Second; Non-Subscribers 3 Pounds for the First, and 30 Shillings for the Second Day.—Judges will be appointed for the Direction of the Races, who are to determine all Disputes.—To start each Day at Two o'Clock.

HERE is at the Plantation of Sabra Giffell, living near Rock-Creek Church in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a yellow bay Mare, about 13 Hands high, she is branded on the off Shoulder thus = though seems to be imperfect, trots and gallops. The Owner may have her again on proving Property and paying Charges.

Frederick County, March 19, 1772.

To be sold at publick Vendue, on Monday the First Day of June next, on the Premises, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon; pursuant to the last Will and Testament of Capt. John Adamson, deceased,

THE Land whereon the deceased lived (the burying Ground excepted) lying in Frederick County, about Ten Miles from George-Town, on Patowmack River, Seven measured Miles from Bladensburg, about Five Miles from Rock-Creek Church, and within Half a Mile of Two good Grift Mills on the North-West Branch, containing upwards of 370 Acres, whereon is a small convenient Dwelling-house, with a Brick Chimney, Plank Floors, and a good Cellar, a Kitchen with a Stone Chimney, a Quarter with a Stone Chimney, Meat-house, Milk-house, Lumber-house, Hen-house, Still-house, Stables, Corn-house almost new, and Two Tobacco-houses, in One of which there is a Plank thrashing Floor, a paled Garden; convenient to the Houses, particularly the Still-house, is a good Draw-well, with Bucket and Chain, &c. There are also Three Apple Orchards that produce a great deal of Cider, many Peach and some Cherry Trees. The Land will suit either for planting or farming, having a Meadow upon it, with a constant stream of Water, so that it may be watered at pleasure.

The Purchaser will have Liberty to put in a Crop of Grain at the Fall as early as he chooses, and will have full Possession of the Houses and Premises on the 25th Day of December next.

Twelve Months Credit will be given the Purchaser from the Day of Sale, on his giving Bond and Security, and paying Interest from the 25th December next, the Day he is to get full Possession.

RICH. BEALL, on of Nin. senr. } Exe utors:  
ANDREW HUGH. (wg)

Will be exposed for Sale on the Premises, on Monday the 11th Day of May next, if fair, if otherwise, the first fair Day.

SIX Hundred Acres of Land, lying in Baltimore County, on the Little Falls of Gunpowder River, being Part of a Tract of Land, called and known by the Name of Brooke Crofs, situate about Six Miles from Yoppa, and Sixteen from Baltimore-Town; about Four Hundred Acres are now under Leaf for Five Years, the Remainder under Rent from Year to Year. The Soil is exceeding fertile, and well adapted for planting or farming. There are on the Premises Three Tobacco-houses, a new Dwelling-house, 16 by 24, with a Stone Chimney, and planked above and below, and other Buildings, besides the Advantage of a fruitful soil, and Two good Apple Orchards; it is watered by a constant Stream, whereon may be had a commodious Seat for building a Mill. These Advantages will fully appear to any one inclinable to purchase by viewing the Premises.

JAMES BROOKE, senr.

N. B. The Conditions and Terms of Payment will be made known on the Day of Sale. If any Person is inclinable to purchase at private Bargain are desired to apply before the Day abovementioned.

April 10, 1772.

Just imported, from London, in the Grace, Captain Elder, and to be sold by the following Persons, at the different Places On Patuxent-River, at Pig-Point, by Thomas Murton, junr. at Nottingham, by Fielder Bowie; at Lower-Marlborough, by Benjamin Stoddart; at Hunting-Town, by William Allein; at saint Leonard's-Creek, by Samuel Gray; and, on Patowmack, at Pomonkey, by Benjamin Douglafs; at Bladensburg, by William Murlock; and, at George-Town, by William Deakins, junr.

LARGE and compleat Assortments of European and East-India Goods, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco, at the most reasonable Rates.—Have £. 1200 Cost of Goods, well assorted, to sell at wholesale, at a very low Advance; they are landed at Lower-Marlborough, on Patuxent River. (5w) THOMAS CONTEE.

Baltimore, March 7, 1772.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the large commodious and well built Brick Ware-house and Ship-wharf on Fell's Point, formerly known by the Name of Long's, with a good inclosed Yard, is now open for storing all Kinds of Goods, Grain, and Lumber, where constant Attendance is given: Also at his Office of Insurance in Baltimore-Town, as formerly advertised by

THOMAS BRERETON,  
(7w) Commission and Insurance Broker.

F I G U R E

WILL cover this Season at Sportsman's-Hall, the Seat of Capt. Charles Ridgely, Esq; Baltimore County; Mares High-bred, at Four Guineas; Those Half and Three-fourths, at Four Pistoles; and Country Mares at Three Pistoles each, and Five Shillings the Groom. The Mares will have choice Pasture at Two Shillings and Six-pence per Week, and those above 20 Miles distant Gratis, if taken away in Two Months, after that to pay Five Shillings per Week; the Money to be paid before taken away. (4w)





**POETS CORNER.**

HORACE, Ode 9, Book IV. imitated.

*Ne forte credas interitura, &c.*  
**M**Y Friend's mistaken, should he think,  
 Oblivion, with her gloomy Hand,  
 Will to the Shades of sudden Night  
 The Labours of the Mule command.

Though Homer's Trumpet loudest Sound,  
 That set fierce rival Worlds in Arms;  
 Alcæus' lofty Strains are read,  
 And still a tender Sappho warms.

By Love and Wine Anacreon fir'd,  
 Seems yet to smile in easy Lays,  
 Whether he sing the neck'rous Bowl,  
 Or in soft Lines some Beauty praise.

Before the gilded Trojan Barge  
 Had stem'd the rolling Grecian Tide,  
 Many a thameless Helen sold  
 Her Virtue for the Glare of Pride.

Nor Hector first, nor Diomed,  
 In Virtue's Cause were stain'd with Blood;  
 But gen'rous Heroes, long before,  
 Had greatly fall'n for publick Good.

Are they unknown?—No Muse embalm'd  
 In deathless Verse their shortliv'd Name;  
 But envious Night their Deeds involves,  
 And hides the splendour of their Fame.

When god-like Virtue yields to Fate,  
 And lies forgotten in the Grave,  
 The Difference here is none, between  
 The Hero, and the bury'd Knave.

But let the Muse her Odours shed;  
 New Fragrance from the Tomb will rise,  
 The Demigod is call'd to Life,  
 And charms th' admiring Earth and Skies.

Fall worthy Man! PHILANDER hail!—  
 All Marston echoes with the sound;  
 And ev'ry tuneful Bard would join,  
 To spread thy glorious Praises round.

Thou with immortal Virtue shin'st,  
 This Country's Patron, kindest Friend;—  
 Methinks I see ALL grateful weep,  
 And at thy Tomb in sorrow bend.

EUGENIC,

*Alexandria, April 2, 1772.*  
**N**OW on the Stocks, and will be launched, and  
 ready to load by the 15th of May next, the  
 Brig Betty, for Charter, to any Part of Great-Britain.  
 It is expected she will carry about 320 Hogheads of  
 Tobacco. The Terms may be known by applying  
 to Mr. Daniel Stebbins in Bladensburg, or the Sub-  
 scriber at Alexandria.

(t.f.) WILLIAM WOOD.

*April 10, 1772.*  
**W**HEREAS the Meetings of the Vestry of  
 Queen-Anne's Parish, in Prince-George's County,  
 to contract with Workmen to build a Church in  
 said Parish, have proved fruitless, do hereby give  
 further Notice, that they will attend at their Parish  
 Church on the First Tuesday in June next, in order  
 to treat with some Person or Persons to build a Brick  
 Church of the following Dimensions, viz. 60 Feet  
 by 46 Feet, 20 Feet Pitch above the Surface, the  
 Wall 27 Inches thick at the Foundation, 22 Inches  
 at the Top of the Water Table, which is to be  
 raised Two Feet above the Surface, and 18 Inches  
 above; with Doors and Windows in Proportion to  
 the Building, the Roof to be covered with good  
 Cypress Shingles well dressed off, and secured with  
 Girders or Pillars, let into the principal Rafters,  
 the Rafter to be about 28 or 29 Feet long. Any  
 Person or Persons inclined to undertake the said  
 Building, is requested to meet the Vestry at the  
 Time and Place abovementioned, to give in Propo-  
 sals.  
 Signed by Order,  
 SAMUEL TYLER, Register.

**A** FEW remaining COPIES of the LAWS pass'd  
 last SESSION of ASSEMBLY; as also of the  
 PROCEEDINGS upon the CONFERENCE, the AD-  
 DRESS to the GOVERNOR upon the Subject of his  
 PROCLAMATION, the RESOLVES therewith sent,  
 and the GOVERNOR'S ANSWER thereto, may be had  
 at the Printing-Office.

**ANNAPOLIS:** Printed by ANNE CATHARINE GREEN and SON, 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.

*Annapolis, April 14, 1772.*  
**T**HE Subscriber intends leaving this Province  
 this Fall, all Persons who are indebted unto  
 me, are desired to pay their respective Debts by the  
 24th Day of June next, or all lawful Means will be  
 used to recover the same; and all those who have  
 any Demands upon me, are requested to send in  
 their Accounts, that they may be adjusted.

(tt) JOSEPH SELBY.  
 N. B. The Subscriber has a Quantity of Ladies  
 and Gentlemens hunting Saddles: Also Chaise Har-  
 nesses, &c. Which he will dispose of on very rea-  
 sonable Terms for ready Money only.

**FIVE POUNDS REWARD.**  
*April 13, 1772.*  
**R**AN away from the Subscriber, living in Prince-  
 George's County, near Gladenburg, on the 31st  
 Day of March last, The Two following Servants,  
 viz.

THOMAS ELTON, a Convict Servant Man, a-  
 bout Five Feet Four Inches high, wears his own  
 short black Hair, is of a swarthy Complexion,  
 pretty much marked with the Small-Pox, and is a  
 well made Fellow: Had on when he went away, an  
 old blue Waistcoat, white Broadcloth Breeches, an  
 Olive-brown Shirt, black Yarn Stockings, and a Pair  
 of old Shoes nailed in the Soles, one of his great  
 Toes is so sore that he cannot get his Foot into his  
 Shoe; 'tis probable he may change his Dress.

WILLIAM DUGHS, a well made Country born  
 young Fellow, about Nineteen Years of Age, Five  
 Feet Nine Inches high, of a swarthy Complexion,  
 wears his own short black Hair, is Beetle-browed,  
 has black Eyes, and an ugly down Look: His  
 Coats are unknown: He was whipped and pil-  
 low'd at Court about Three Weeks ago, for stealing a  
 Gun

Whoever takes up said Servants, and brings them  
 Home, or secures them so that their Master may  
 get them again, shall receive the above Reward, or  
 Fifty shillings for either of them, paid by

(tt) CHARLES DUVAL.  
 N. B. It is presumed they will not go together,  
 as they are unacquainted with each other.

**SCHEME of a LOTTERY**  
 For raising 1500 DOLLARS,  
 FOR CLEANING AND SECURING THE DOCK IN  
 ANNAPOLIS.

| Number of Prizes             | Dollars.    | Dollars. |
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| 1 - of -                     | 2000 - is - | 2000     |
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| 4 - of -                     | 250 - are - | 1000     |
| 5 - of -                     | 100 - are - | 500      |
| 10 - of -                    | 50 - are -  | 500      |
| 25 - of -                    | 20 - are -  | 500      |
| 50 - of -                    | 10 - are -  | 500      |
| 750 - of -                   | 4 - are -   | 3000     |
| 848 Prizes.                  |             | 10000    |
| 4152 Blanks.                 |             |          |
| 5000 Tickets, at Two Dollars |             | 10000    |
| each, amount to              |             |          |

**B**Y the above SCHEME, there are more than  
 Four Blanks to a Prize, and the Prizes are  
 subject to a Deduction of Fifteen per Cent. but as  
 there are many of them very valuable, it is not  
 doubted but the Tickets will very soon be disposed  
 of, especially as a great Number of them are already  
 engaged.

The Drawing to begin on the Second Monday in  
 July next, or sooner if sooner full, in the Presence  
 of Five of the Managers at least, and as many of  
 the Adventurers as chuse to attend.

The Managers are, Mess. Lancelot Jacques, Wil-  
 liam Reynolds, William Paea, Thomas Johnson, Thomas  
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 James Williams, Thomas Brooke Hodgkin, William  
 Rooks, Robert Johnson, William Deards, James Brice,  
 Colin Campbell, James Dundas, John Galloway,  
 James Brooks, and Samuel Harvey Howard; who  
 are to give Bond, and be upon Oath for the faith-  
 ful Discharge of their Trust.

A List of Prizes will be published in the Gazette,  
 which will be ready to be paid in One Month after  
 drawing. Those not demanded within Six Months  
 will be deemed as generously given for the Emolu-  
 ment of the City.

TICKETS may be had of any of the  
 Managers.

*Charles County, March 22, 1772.*  
 On Tuesday the 26th of May next, at the House of Mrs.  
 Anne Halkerton, in Port-Fobacco, will be ex-  
 posed to Sale, to the highest Bidder,

**T**HE Two following Tracts or Parcels of Land,  
 late the Property of Capt. Robert Horner, and  
 conveyed to me in Trust for the Use of his Credit-  
 tors.

KRITH'S REST, lying in the County aforesaid,  
 near Mr. Joshua Sanders's, in the Neighbourhood of  
 Bryon Town: This Tract was patented for only  
 One Hundred Acres, but it is said contains near  
 Three. Any Person inclinable to view it before the  
 Day of Sale, may apply to Mr. David Osborne, a  
 Tenant on it.

HOG MARSH, containing Eight Acres, a Piece  
 of Lease Land for Three Lives, lying in Westwood  
 Marsh, adjoining Westwood Manor, and near the  
 Plantation of Mr. John Winter, on Wicomico River in  
 the County aforesaid.—Those who have an Inclina-  
 tion to purchase both or either of the abovemention-  
 ed Tracts of Land, must come prepared with  
 Current Money, Sterling Cash, or Bills of Ex-  
 change, as no Credit can be given by  
 (t.s.) GEORGE LEE, Sheriff.

*Jan. 6, 1772.*  
 To be sold at Frederick-Town, on Thursday the 28th  
 Day of May next, 6300 Acres of Land by Virtue  
 of an Act of Assembly of the Province of Maryland,  
 empowering the Executors of Col. Thomas Colvill,  
 to grant Deeds to Mr. John Semple, his Heirs or  
 Assigns, for a certain Tract of Land, called Merry-  
 land, in Frederick County, and Province aforesaid,  
 containing 6300 Acres.

**W**HE the Subscribers being Assigns of the said  
 Semple, and having received from the Exe-  
 cutors of Col. Colvill, sufficient deeds for the Land  
 aforesaid, do hereby undertake to dispose of the  
 same, at the Time and Place above-mentioned. It  
 is laid off into Lots, in the most advantageous Man-  
 ner, so that any one of them will make One, Two,  
 or Three good Settlements, as will appear by the  
 Plat, a Copy of which may be seen at the Coffee-  
 Houses of Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Annapolis,  
 in the Hands of Cumberland Wilson, Dumfries, Adam  
 Stuart, George-Town, and Mr. Charles Beatty, Fre-  
 derick-Town, who will direct those desirous of seeing  
 the Land, to a Person acquainted with the Bounda-  
 ries, or on near the Premises, who will shew them  
 the same; but as we intend to meet on the spot  
 ourselves a few Days before the sale, in order to  
 run the Lines, &c. those inclinable to purchase  
 will have an Opportunity of viewing it with us, by  
 attending from Monday the 25th, till the 28th, the  
 Day of Sale.

This Land is very suitable for planting or farm-  
 ing, being well watered and timbered, no settle-  
 ment having ever been made on it, and a very good  
 Soil; it lies along the Banks of Patowmack River,  
 adjoining it for a considerable Way, near to Harper's  
 Ferry, the main Road from which, to Frederick-  
 Town (a very flourishing populous Place) runs  
 through it, from which it is distant only about Nine  
 Miles, from George-Town, the Sea-port of the County  
 Forty five Miles, and from Baltimore about Sixty-  
 five Miles; at each of which Places a constant and  
 ready Market may be found for all Kinds of Produce.

Its Situation on Patowmack River must be of con-  
 siderable Advantage to it, and in Time may add  
 immensely to its Value, when the Navigation is  
 opened, which may be done without any great Dif-  
 ficulty for a considerable Distance; there being at  
 present a tolerable Navigation, both below and a-  
 bove, it lying near the Shanandoa Falls, from whence  
 up to Fort-Cumberland, 110 Miles, Battoes now fre-  
 quently pass, and downwards to the Seneca Falls, 25  
 Miles, which is within 20 Miles of George-Town.—  
 It will be sold in separate Lots, or all together, for  
 Sterling or Current Money, as may best suit the  
 Purchasers; one Third to be paid down at the Sale,  
 one Third payable in Twelve Months, and the other  
 in Two Years, giving Bond and Security with In-  
 terest, till paid.—A most undoubted Title will be  
 made to the Purchasers, by

(ts) ADAM STEUART,  
 THOMAS MONTGOMERIE,  
 CUMBERLAND WILSON.

*Annapolis, March 24, 1772.*  
**T**o be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBERS,  
 THREE Tracts of Land, lying in Frederick  
 County, containing by Patent 610 Acres,  
 which will be sold for a very reasonable Price. For  
 Terms apply to  
 SAMUEL HOWARD,  
 JOHN HOWARD.

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# MARYLAND GAZETTE

THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1774.

BRESLAU, Jan. 9.

HE theatre of war in Poland will, it is probable, soon be changed, as 20,000 Russians are on march, it is said, to crush the confederates this winter.

MADRID, Jan. 15. Notwithstanding the accommodations of this court with that of London, our ministry assemble frequently; and their project is, to put the forces of this crown, both by sea and land, upon the most respectable footing.

From the DANUBE, Jan. 25. Authentic advices from several places formally contradict those from Poland, which represented a peace between Russia and the Porte as at the door. It seems to be a thing wished for by both parties, but, at the same time, the formidable preparations they are making is a sure sign of the continuation of the war.

FRANCKFORT, Jan. 31. Letters from Saxony advise, that the want of provisions there is so great, that hundreds of persons of all ages are begging their bread; and that the inhabitants are reduced to that distress, that they make bread of acorns and of roots, which occasions diseases, from which the most fatal consequences are to be apprehended.

HAGUE, Jan. 31. According to the letters from Vienna, a courier returned there lately from Petersburg, with the answer of that court to some dispatches sent thither some time ago relative to the terms of reconciliation between Russia and the Ottoman Porte. This answer is couched in very polite terms, and expresses great satisfaction and gratitude on the part of the Empress of Russia, for the pains which the Emperor and the Empress Queen had taken to promote her reconciliation with the Turks; but, at the same time, her Imperial Majesty declares, that she cannot condescend to accept the terms proposed by the Grand Signior, but is determined to abide by the ultimatum which she communicated to the court of Vienna long ago, and from which she is resolved not to depart, especially as the Porte had declared war against her on very slight pretences, and without any just reason. The ultimatum abovementioned, it is said, contains, that Crimea, Budziac Tartary, and in general all that tract of land, as far as the left shore of the Danube, on the coast of the Black Sea, shall continue for ever under the dominion of Russia; that this power shall enjoy a free navigation upon the Black Sea, have possession of the Town of Asoph, and be indemnified for the expenses she has incurred by the present unjust war, &c. This answer is sent to Constantinople, so that till the return of the courier, it is impossible to know the determination of the Porte, or form a judgment of peace being restored, notwithstanding the assertions of the news papers.

PARIS, Feb. 4. According to our advices from Copenhagen, the Court keeps very secret all the proceedings relative to the late revolution, especially the motives that gave rise to it. The commission appointed to enquire into this affair, is composed of one member from each department of government, and they have full power to examine what witnesses they think proper, and all the papers of the prisoners. The public is extremely impatient to have the necessary elucidation of this extraordinary event; and it is said that the Court will publish a manifesto, in order to justify its conduct to all Europe. The public in general are of opinion, that this manifesto will not make its appearance very speedily; and, in the mean time, it is suspected that ambition, the thirst after government, and the spirit of revenge, have been the principal motives which brought about this extraordinary revolution.

L O N D O N,

Feb. 8. When the Queen of Denmark was seized, the conspirators tied her hands behind, which being told to the King, affected him very much, and mult convince the world, that the Dowager gave orders for it. None but a woman could order a Queen to be thus treated.

If the Queen of Denmark should at last be restored safe to her family, and the King should be found really incapable of the government, yet it cannot stand with the honour of the King of Great Britain to suffer the Queen Dowager to hold the regency. He must take an active part against her, if he has the feelings of an uncle, or values the reputation of a great King.

It is certain that all the Spanish regiments in Old Spain are in motion, and that this fact is not denied by certain persons here; but in excuse they say, that this is the time when the Spanish government changes the garrisons of their several fortified towns.

It is said there is a very considerable party in Denmark which espouses the cause of the Queen, attributing all the present mischief to the influence which the Dowager mother has over her son; and whatever is the fate of the unhappy Queen, the people seem determined no longer to endure the intrigues of the double Cabinet. *Imperium in imperio* has ever been a solecism

in politics, but no government can subsist under a double Cabinet.

Feb. 11. The King of Denmark, we hear, has sent his Majesty private advice, that he had no way to save the Queen's life but by consenting to her imprisonment. The Danish Monarch has not obtained a safe channel for corresponding explicitly with England; and this, we hear, is the reason why no accounts are published in London by authority.

Feb. 13. Yesterday 23 deserters were conducted by a sergeant's guard to Gravesend, in order to be sent to some of the regiments abroad for life; which punishment, it is said, will be inflicted on all deserters for the future.

It is said a certain great personage has declared an opinion with respect to a future plan of politics, which has convinced a late favourite that his political influence expired on Saturday last.

The friends to Lord North boast, in every company, that as he is now at liberty himself, the people will see there never was a greater friend to freedom, and doubt not but he will shortly be called the Patriot Minister.

It is said in Windsor, that the Duchess of Cumberland has rallied her sister the Duchess of Gloucester, upon her being disconsolate in the absence of her Lord; "What do you mourn for, says she, you have got what you wanted; you married for a title, and that cannot leave you; a title, like the soul, can never die; come cheer up, my dear sister, and let the world see us the merry wives of Windsor."

The fatal moment is at length arrived, and the Princess Dowager has paid the last sad debt of nature; I would therefore hope, that not only the news writers, but politicians of all denominations, who have so long filled the publick prints, and disturbed the peace of private companies, by their continued clamours, will so far shew themselves to be possessed of reason and humanity, as to cease their murmurings at the conduct of a person, who is now beyond the reach of their utmost resentment. However just their former accusations against her may have been, let them now remember, that the hand of death has cast a veil over her crimes, and it would be unmanly, ungenerous and unchristian, to endeavour to draw it aside. A strict adherence to that established maxim, *nil de mortuis nisi bonum*, was never more necessary than at present; and, if no other consideration can tempt them to be silent, let me at least persuade them to reflect a moment on the present unhappy and distracted state of the Royal Family; his Majesty, it is universally known, was deservedly admired for his filial attachment to his deceased mother, and the loss of a parent to him at least respectable: the precarious situation of his Royal sister in Denmark; the late imprudent conduct of one of his brothers, and the hourly expected death of the other, these are, surely, sufficient cause of affliction to the best of Kings, without any addition being made to his anxiety, by our expressing even the smallest satisfaction at this melancholy event.

We are assured that her late Royal Highness the Princess of Wales expended, first and last, upon her elegant gardens at Kew, not less than 100,000*l.* exclusive of wages to gardeners, &c. a prodigious sum! but rationally and judiciously expended, not only for the purposes of ornament and pleasure, but for promoting the useful study of botany; it being said, she was possessed of every species of tree and plant that could be collected throughout the known world.

Extract of a Letter from Shoreham in Sussex.

"A very extraordinary personage has lately appeared here, whose character, history, and discourse, have much amazed us. He was taken up for charity, in a trading vessel, on the coast of Holland; he calls himself an Englishman, though he speaks the language but indifferently, which will not seem strange when you have heard his story.

"He is now eighty years of age; when he was no more than twenty, having lost his parents, reduced what fortune he had, and meeting with a very severe disappointment in love, he resolved to relinquish the world, but he preferred solitude to self-murder. To accomplish his design, he laid out the chief remainder of his fortune in books, and then embarked for the Isle of Candensis, in the Frozen Sea, in July, *anno Domini* 1712.

"In this place he continued to lead the life of an hermit till the age of fifty, when (he says) he found himself impelled by an irresistible impulse to revisit his native country; which, though friendless, void of money, and so far advanced in years, he was persuaded he should be able to effect. The cause of this strong prepossession was a vision which he saw for several nights successively, assuring him that it was his destiny to rectify what yet remained imperfect in his country's practice of religion; which yet had been the whole study of his retirement.

"Accordingly, having contrived to get conveyed to the continent, he set out on foot in the year 1743, and continued his walk for thirty years, through Russia, Prussia, Germany and the Netherlands, subsisting all the while upon charity, not dismayed at the innumerable obstacles he met with, being convinced that

he should arrive here at last, though he knew (for he pretends to inspiration) that it would not be till some previous attempts had been made to those regulations which he is the instrument to finish.

"I have been desirous to know what could be the substance of his pretences, but can get no more from him than distant hints, that there are faults in the education of our clergy, and in our articles of religion; He says, he shall not explain himself more fully, till he is more universally known. I have not time to send many more particulars of him by this post. His dress is not less extraordinary than his history; it consists of a motley patched mixture of the habits of the kingdoms which he has passed through; he wears no shoes, nor lies on any bed but the ground; his beard is very long and white; his voice clear and sonorous; his gait, considering his years and adventures, amazingly firm. He says, he is sure he shall not die till his purpose is fully effected."

"I have sent you, I believe, the very earliest account of this amazing character, who will soon, I fancy, be sufficiently talked of. Whether or no he is an impostor, time will certainly discover. But, I assure you, he relates this with such unvarying firmness and apparent veracity, as staggers the most incredulous. He proposes having his history drawn up at full length, as soon as possible, to be made publick; to every article of which he promises to swear before any magistrate. Large subscriptions are already begun, not only for his support, but for the prosecution of the abovementioned work.

Feb. 15. It is an undoubted fact, that an Indian sent over by Heider Ally, to execute a commission of importance with the Directors of the East India Company, has been arrested for a considerable sum of money by order of the House, and is now actually confined in the King's Bench prison. A gentleman of spirit and abilities has, we hear, got the man's papers, which are to be published; when, it is expected, a scene will be opened so detrimental to the Company, that a parliamentary enquiry will be the immediate consequence.

A correspondent observes, that he most sincerely rejoices to find the Parliament intends to make a serious enquiry into the conduct and management of the East India affairs; for, after examining the different revolutions brought about in that country since the year 1759, after comparing the different stories told by different plunderers, it appears, says our correspondent, that the conduct of our countrymen in that quarter of the world is cruel, mercenary, bloody and tyrannical. And considering the knavish petty larceny of the Company's servants at home, it is high time, adds our correspondent, for a parliamentary stop to be put to practices which disgrace us as Christians, as Men, and as Britons.

It is asserted, that news of a very interesting nature is arrived from the coast of Coromandel. Heider Ally, driven to the last extremity, has made a very disadvantageous peace with the Marattoes, who have made insolent demands for the Chout upon the Company. An army of 60,000 horse, with 80 battalions of disciplined infantry, were, when the letters came off, advancing slowly towards the Carnatic.

The advices add, that 100,000 horse, of the same nation, have filed off towards Orissa. Suja Dowla, afraid of the growing power of the Marattoes, has offered to the Council of Calcutta, to enter into an offensive and defensive treaty with the Company.

It is positively asserted, that Col. Luttrell has actually wrote to Lord North, desiring the nominal employment of the Chiltren hundred, for the purpose of vacating his seat in Parliament.

It is thought that the desired alteration in the marriage act will be carried in spite of all opposition, as also that no bill whatsoever is intended to be brought into the House, adverse to the wishes of a matrimonial delinquent, notwithstanding all the reports to the contrary.

It is expected that the Lord Mayor's refusal of a Common Hall will produce new commotions in the city, as a strong body of malecontents have already begun to form themselves under a leader of proved abilities and most extensive fame.

Feb. 26. We learn from Dantzick, that the Prussian troops continue not only to demand larger contributions than before, but that they likewise occupy all the avenues of that city, by which they prevent corn being brought thither; and all the neighbouring inhabitants are forbid to carry corn to Dantzick, on pain of having it confiscated. It is to be feared, that the corn sent from Poland this year will not be very considerable, for it is assured, that in the territory of Marienburgh, the sending of corn to Dantzick is prohibited.

Feb. 27. Private letters from the East Indies give authentic intelligence, that a new Indian war is actually begun with the English, though this news is suppressed with all possible care. All the troubles are attributed to the private machinations of the French in those parts.

Feb. 28. A gentleman of veracity, who is just arrived from Copenhagen, says, when he left that city, every thing was in the greatest confusion, not a day or night passed but murders were committed, and houses

broke open and plundered: the King, greatly terrified, went about like a distracted man; as for the Queen, no one could or durst say where she was confined.

March 2. The Danish Ambassador to the British Court, Baron de Dieden, who had leave of absence, is ordered immediately to repair to London.

This morning his Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Bishops of London, Carlisle and Salisbury, had the honour of a private conference with his Majesty, relative, it is conjectured, to the marriage bill now depending in Parliament.

We are informed, that the last Packet from Denmark contained a letter from the Queen Consort, to his Majesty, the contents of which are kept a profound secret.

We hear from Petersburg, that the Empress of Russia has laid up three millions of roubles for carrying on the war, which in all likelihood will this campaign become most serious and terrible.

March 3. A report prevailed yesterday, that an attempt had been made on the life of the Prince of Orange, by shooting at him as he was riding in his garden on horseback at his seat of Harlmstadt.

It is reported that on Sunday night last a Council was held at St. James's, which did not break up till past 12 o'clock, when two packets received the great seal, and were immediately sent off, but where is not publicly known.

The Ministry have given orders to their Secretaries, Clerks, &c. to be very cautious how they mention the affairs of State before any person.

A correspondent informs us, that the Sheriffs are determined to call a Common Hall, in opposition to the opinion of the Chief Magistrate.

In all laws relative to the succession of the Crown, the utmost precaution should ever be taken to guard against every possible event that may hereafter create divisions and distractions amongst the people of this kingdom. According to the heads of the bill, now in agitation, for framing a law to restrain the Princes of the Royal Family from marrying without the King's consent and approbation, there are supposable cases, which may happen, that might not only cause great divisions and animosities, but even a civil war in this nation. Every man will admit, that love, especially in youth, is a very strong and violent passion, and cannot always be controlled by advice. Let us therefore suppose, because there is a possibility of its happening, that his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales should chance to fall in love with a young lady, who is a subject of the Crown, and should, in consequence, marry her without having the King's consent: and let us further suppose, that his Royal Highness should happen to depart this life before the King his father, leaving issue by the said marriage. By the law that is now about to be made, we apprehend, the issue of his Royal Highness would, in such case, be excluded from succeeding to the Crown, contrary to the ancient laws and constitution of this realm, and also contrary to lineal descent, reason and equity. Now, should such an event come to pass, and every one must allow it is possible, might it not occasion great distractions in this kingdom? The Bishop of Osnaburgh would then, by this law, be, on the demise of his present Majesty, heir to the Crown; but the issue of the Prince of Wales would be rightful heir to it, according to the ancient successions, laws and customs of the land. On such a case happening, and the supposition of such an event is far from being impossible, might not the people be greatly divided in their sentiments about the succession? And might it not very probably occasion a civil war in this kingdom? It is therefore to be hoped, that no such new law will be made, as may alter the descent of the Crown, and lay the ground-work of the greatest misfortune that can befall the nation.

March 4. Within this week past, the workmen in the several dock-yards of this kingdom have worked double tides. The navy is in a very fine state; and, in a short time, will be fit to cope with any two powers in Europe.

It is said, that the advices received from Admiral Rodney contain intelligence no ways pleasing.

#### ANNAPOLIS, MAY 14.

The Captains Kilty, J. Buchanan, and Maynard, from London, are arrived in Patuxent.

The Piece signed AMICUS will have a Place in our next.

\* \* A Report having been spread about the Country, that the Small-Pox is now in this City, which has prevented many Persons from coming, where Business call them, to the Metropolis; in order to remove any groundless Apprehensions of the Sort, we can assure the Publick the City is entirely clear of that Disorder, the Person who came down from Baltimore-Town, and was taken with it here, having been removed on the first Appearance of an Eruption.

JUST PUBLISHED,  
And to be sold at the PRINTING-OFFICE,

THE  
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF  
the last SESSION OF ASSEMBLY.

THE Members of the Maryland JOCKEY-CLUB, are desired to meet at the Coffee-House, on Thursday the Fourth Day of June next.  
EDWARD LLOYD, Esq; }  
SAMUEL GALLOWAY, Esq; } Stewards.

Dinner to be on Table at Two o'Clock. Those Gentlemen who propose to attend, will be so obliging to give timely Notice to

WILLIAM EDDIS, Secretary.

T O B E S O L D,  
THE Household Furniture, China, &c. belonging to Nisbitt Darby, Esq; who will speedily leave this Province; the same may be viewed at his House in Annapolis.

Just imported, in the Eden, Capt. Samuel Nicholson, and to be sold, Wholesale and Retail, on the lowest Terms, by the Subscriber, in Church-street, Annapolis;

A LARGE and genteel Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS.

THOMAS GASSAWAY, jun.

Upper-Marlborough, May 11, 1772.

FOR the Ease of the People in the different Parts of Prince George's County; the Subscriber gives Notice, that he will attend at the following Places on the Days undermentioned, in order to receive what is due to him as Sheriff.

(3w) RALPH FORSTER.

At Nottingham, the 10th and 11th of June.

At Piscataway, 12th and 13th.

At Broad Creek, 15th.

At Bladensburg, 16th and 17th.

At Queen-Anne, 18th.

At Upper-Marlboro', 19th and 20th.

Baltimore, April 24, 1772.

#### MORDECAIGIST

BEGS Leave to inform his Customers and the Publick in general, that he has removed his Store from Gay-street, to the Second Door above the Market-house, adjoining Mr. David Ruff's Tavern, in Baltimore-street, where he continues selling, Wholesale and Retail, at his usual very low Advance. He has just imported in the Industry, Capt. David Carcaud, from London, a large and neat Assortment of East-India and European Goods; which are now opening, and returns his grateful Acknowledgements for the many Favours of his good Customers, and flatters himself, their Continuance will prove conducive to mutual Advantage.

N. B. All those whose Accounts have stood open above Twelve Months, are requested to discharge their respective Balances without further Advice, as the uncouthly low Advance he has always sold at, will not admit a longer Indulgence. (w3)

JAMES PIPER,

CLOCK AND WATCHMAKER.

INFORMS the Publick, that he carries on the Clock and Watchmaking Business in all its Branches, at Chester-Town, Kent County: He also makes Surveying Instruments of all Kinds, such as Theodolites, Circumferentors, &c. and as it shall be his constant Study to merit the Esteem of the Publick, he flatters himself that he will give general Satisfaction to all Gentlemen whom it may please to make Trial of his Abilities in either of the above-mentioned Branches, as due Regard will be had that their Orders be punctually executed.

A Journeyman who properly understands either Clock or Watchmaking, will meet with good Encouragement by applying as above. The highest Price will be given for old Brass. (w6)

JOHN FINCH, formerly of the Parish of Hothfield, in the County of Kent, in England, lived about the Year 1740, on the East Side of Patowmack River, in the Province of Maryland, and afterwards dwelt in Virginia and Pennsylvania, but the Place of his present Abode is uncertain. If the said John Finch be still living, or any of his lawful Heirs, by applying to Thomas Brooke Hodgkin, in Annapolis, Mess. Samuel and Robert Purviance, in Baltimore, Mess. George Meade, and Co. in Philadelphia, or Mess. Curson and Seton, in New-York, he or they may hear of something to his or their Advantage. Should he be dead, and left no Issue, it is requested of any Person or Persons to whom he might have been known, to give the necessary Advice to any one of the above Gentlemen. (tf)

Frederick County, May 6, 1772.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Thomas Jones, deceased, are desired to come and settle their Accounts, and make Payment; likewise those that have Accounts against the said Estate, are desired to bring them in.

(w3) JOHN HOPKINS, Administrator.

Frederick County, April 30, 1772.

MR. GEORGE WALKER's Creditors are requested to give him Twelve Months longer for the Payment of his Debts, or he will apply to the next General Assembly for Relief; it can be made appear that he has for some Time past been doing what lay in his Power to make Money in order to pay them, but the last Winter being so bad, it could not be expected he could go out surveying. His Creditors who spoke to me to get Mr. Hanson's Note, must excuse me from troubling that Gentleman, as he will not do it.

(3w) JAMES HACKMAN, Sheriff.

THERE is at the Plantation of Charles Murphy, near the Great Falls of Patowmack, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a dark chestnut sorrel Mare, about 14 Hands and an Inch high, has a Snip on her Nose, some white Hairs in her Forehead, and white Spots upon her Rump; trots and gallops. The Owner may have her again, proving Property and paying Charges, (w3)

Frederick County, April 30, 1772.  
COMMITTED to my Custody as a Runaway, JOHN DOYL, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, with black Hair and a long Beard; Has on, a Fear-nought Coat, brown Jacket, a short Leather Apron, and Breeches of many Colours. He says he came in to Philadelphia with Capt. Miller. His Master is desired to take him away and pay Charges. (3w) JAMES HACKMAN, Sheriff.

Prince George's County, May 2, 1772.  
COMMITTED to my Custody as a Runaway, Robert Campbell, who says he had agreed to work his Passage to Scotland in a new Ship, Capt. Miller, in Patowmack, but that he belongs to the 14th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Col. Darymple at Boston. Negro Prince, belonging to the Kingsbury Iron Works. Their Masters are desired to pay Charges and take them from

(2w) RALPH FORSTER, Sheriff.  
If Campbell is not taken out in Two Months, he will be sold for his Fees

#### TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near Mr. James Brooke's Mill, in Frederick County, about 20 Miles from George-Town, on the 4th Instant, May, a Convict Servant Man, named WILLIAM WARD, about 22 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 or 8 Inches high, well set, round Visage, short brown Hair tied behind: Had on and took with him, a blue Druggert or German Serge Coat, trimmed with yellow Metal Buttons, a light coloured Duroy Waistcoat, a Pair of Buckskin Breeches almost new, one Pair of Thread, and Two Pair of dark coloured Yarn Stockings, a Pair of old Shoes, one of them patched on the Side, odd Buckles, one brass and the other Steel, a Pair of Osnabrig Trowsers, white Shirt, Two Handkerchiefs, one Linen and the other black Silk, a new coarse Felt Hat, and an Eight Dollar Bill; also a sorrel Horse, about 14 Hands and an Inch high, branded on the near Buttock and Shoulder PD, paces, trots and gallops with good Spirit, his hind Legs are white about half way, and has a large Blaze in his Face. Whoever delivers the said Servant and Horse to the Subscriber, or secures them so as he may get them again, shall receive the above Reward, or Twenty Pounds for the Servant only, and Five Pounds for the Horse, paid by SAMUEL RIGGS.

STRAYED away from the Subscriber, on the 4th Day of April last, a sorrel Mare, branded on the off Shoulder and Buttock, and on the near Shoulder, IE, also on the near Buttock V; she has a white Spot on her off Shoulder, and a small Star on her Forehead. Whoever takes up the said Mare, and brings her to the Subscriber, living near the Head of Bennet's Creek, in Frederick County, shall have Thirty Shillings Currency for their Trouble, paid by JEREMIAH BROWNING.

THERE is at the Plantation of William Luffy, in Anne-Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a dark bay Mare, about 12 Hand high, paces and gallops, has a Star on her Forehead, a Snip on her Nose, Saddle Spots on each Side, and is branded on the off Buttock and Shoulder. The Owner may have her again, proving Property and paying Charges.

Annapolis, May 5, 1772.

JUST IMPORTED,  
In the Brigantine Peace and Plenty, Capt. Thomas Smith, from London, and to be sold by Thomas Hyde, at his Store in South East Street, Wholesale or Retail, for ready Money or short Credit.

A LARGE and neat Assortment of European and India Goods, among which are a few Pieces of genteel Silk, a Variety of superfine Clothes, single and double refined Sugar, Bohea and Hyson Tea, Jar Raisins, Florence Oil, and Window Glass. Also a Quantity of very good Country sole and upper Leather, among which are a few Dozens of neat Calf-skins, Train Oil and Goree.

A handsome riding Chair and Harness for a single Horse to be sold for ready Cash only.

Annapolis, May 6, 1772.

JUST IMPORTED  
From London, in the Peace and Plenty, Capt. Thomas Smith, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at the Store lately occupied by Mr. Thomas Harwood,

A NEAT Assortment of European and East-India Goods, suitable to both Seasons, among which are the following Articles, viz. Superfine fashionable Broad Clothes, Casimers, Jeannets, Sagothies, Damascuses and Tobines, Pelongs and Sarfnets, Persian, Taffeties, fine sprigg'd and Book Muslins, work'd Lawn Aprons, India Chintz, plain and corded Dimities, Merseilles Quilting; also a great Variety of black, Blond, Thread, and Mini-onet Lace, Ladies fashionable Caps, Lace Satin Terezas, French Paste, Wax, Mockgarnet and Pearl Necklaces and Earrings, French Collars, Puff Silk Egrets with Lace, genteel pencil'd and gilt Queen's China, good Bohea Tea, Gloucester and Chesbire Cheese, &c. &c. which will be sold at a very low Advance.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD.  
N. B. The Store to be rented where the Subscriber moved from.

NOTICE is given to all Persons belonging to the Rock-Hall to New-Castle, that they are desired to appear at the Court of Sessions, on Thursday the 14th Instant, at 6 o'Clock, and to be sworn in as Passengers on the Newcastle on Tuesday the 12th Instant, at 6 o'Clock, and to be sworn in as Passengers on the Newcastle on Thursday the 14th Instant, at 6 o'Clock, and to be sworn in as Passengers on the Newcastle on Saturday the 16th Instant, at 6 o'Clock, and to be sworn in as Passengers on the Newcastle on Monday the 18th Instant, at 6 o'Clock, and to be sworn in as Passengers on the Newcastle on Wednesday the 20th Instant, at 6 o'Clock, and to be sworn in as Passengers on the Newcastle on Friday the 22nd Instant, at 6 o'Clock, and to be sworn in as Passengers on the Newcastle on Sunday the 24th Instant, at 6 o'Clock, and to be sworn in as Passengers on the Newcastle on Tuesday the 26th Instant, at 6 o'Clock, and to be sworn in as Passengers on the Newcastle on Thursday the 28th Instant, 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NOTICE is hereby given, that the Stage-wagon belonging to John Bolton, that plies from Rock-Hall to Newcastle, will begin the 11th of this instant May, to set out from Chester-Town on Mondays, and will continue going till the Navigation is stopped by the Ice in Delaware; she will arrive at Newcastle on Tuesday about Noon, where a complete Stage-boat, kept by Joseph Tailor, will take in the Passengers and Goods, and sails immediately for Philadelphia; the same Day the Waggon will set out from Newcastle, and arrive at Chester-Town on Thursday; on Friday the will go to James Hodges's at Rock-Hall, who will have a complete Boat to take in the Passengers, &c. and sail immediately for Annapolis; she will leave Annapolis Saturday Morning at 6 o'Clock, and go to Rock-Hall, where the Waggon will wait for the Return of the Boat, to take the Passengers and Goods to Chester-Town. The Newcastle Stage-boat will sail from Philadelphia on Sunday, and get to Newcastle on Monday; she was built on purpose for a Stage-boat, has excellent Accommodations for Passengers, and as she will be kept neat and clean, hope thereby to induce Gentlemen and Ladies to try that Method of Travelling, as it will be attended with far less Trouble and Expence than the usual Way, and we shall do our utmost Endeavour to make each Passage agreeable to them.

JOHN BOLTON,  
JOSEPH TATLOW,  
JAMES HODGES.

(6w)

To be sold, by Way of publick Vendue, on Tuesday the 9th of June next, at the House of Mr. Joseph Belt, in George-Town,

TWO Overtho Grift Mills and a Saw Mill, on Rock Creek, about Five Miles from George-Town, which in all Probability will soon become one of the most flourishing Towns in the Province, where there is a good Market and Inspection for Flour, and about Six Miles from Bladenburg; one of these Mills are double geared, with an exceeding good Pair of French Bur Stones; and 300 Acres of Land adjoining, with Three Plantations that will rent for 25 Pounds a Year. Also a good new Grift Mill on Little Monocacy, with about 100 Acres of Land: This Mill is well situated for Custom or a Merchant Mill, having an extensive Body of good Land adjoining, which is very thick settled, and no Market for Grain nigher than George-Town, which is about 30 Miles. I have also for Sale about 500 Acres of Land adjoining Rock Creek Church, which is almost between George-Town and Bladenburg. Time will be given for half the Money, on paying Interest to

ZACHARIAH WHITE,

(ts)

To be Sold the first of June next, at Mr Joshua Dorsey's, Elk-Ridge Landing,

A Valuable Tract of Land, called Polecat Glade, containing 94 ACRES, lying in Anne-Arundel County, between the Falls of Patapsco, and a Run called Deep Run, nigh Elk Ridge Landing, Dorsey's Fur-ace, and Two Forges. The Quality of the Land, and Advantages of its Situation, will recommend it to a Purchaser. For Terms of Sale apply to Mr. James Ross, on Mr. Carroll's Manor, beyond Elk Ridge.

T O B E S O L D,

A VERY handsome London built COACH, with next Harness for a Pair of Horses. Enquire of the Printer.

Baltimore, April 28, 1772.

Just imported, and to be sold by the Subscriber, A LARGE Quantity of Drugs and Medicines of all Kinds, Apothecary Utensils, Surgeons Instruments, urinal, nipple and cupping Glass's, &c. Also an Assortment of Painters Colours, Oil, Brushes, Hair Pencils, Window Glass, Putty Gold Leaf, Varnish, Lacker, &c. &c.

ALEXANDER STENHOUSE.

(w4)

Annapolis May 6, 1772.

STOLEN or dropped in this City, on Friday the 1st of this Instant, out of the Subscribers Pocket, a red Morocco Pocket Book, with his Name engraved in Gold Letters on the outside thereof; wherein were a safe, sundry Accounts, Letters, and other things of importance. Whoever has found said Pocket Book, on Delivery to me shall receive a Reward of Fifteen Shillings Currency and no Questions asked, paid by

ALEXANDER McDONALD.

THERE is at the Plantation of John Tucker jun. living on Goose Creek, Prince George's County, taken up as a Stray, a small white Mare, 12 hands high, branded on the near buttock N, not black'd, trots and gallops. The Owner may have her again, proving Property and paying Charges.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

April 9, 1772.

DROKE out of Cecil County Jail on Tuesday the 7th Inst. Alexander Moore, and William Bennett, who were committed to my Custody as Criminals. Moore is about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet or 9 Inches high: Had on, a grayish Coat and Jacket, Leather Breeches, blue Worsted Stockings, and plain Silver Buckles in his Shoes. Arnett is about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 Inches high: Had on, a brown Half Coat, Leather Breeches, and white Stockings. Whoever secures them, and delivers them to the Subscriber, shall have the above Reward, or Five Pounds for each.

RICHARD THOMAS, Sheriff.

(tf)

Just imported, in the Annapolis, Capt. Thomas Eden, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at his Store on the Dock,

A LARGE and neat Assortment of European and East-India Goods, suitable to the Season; amongst which is a great Variety of well chosen Silks and Sattins, Lawns, Mullins and Gauzes; 25, 30, 35, and 40 Fathom Seines, and a very large Assortment of Queen's China Ware.

LANCELOT JACQUES.

(4w)

Annapolis, April 25, 1772.

JUST IMPORTED, A GENERAL Assortment of Goods from most of the manufacturing Towns in Britain, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at the Store next Door below the Coffee-House, Wholesale or Retail, upon the lowest Terms, for Cash or short Credit.

Among the above there is a small Assortment of fashionable Needle flowered Mullin Aprons and Ruffles.

ROBERT BUCHANAN.

(c.f.)

April 24th, 1772.

THE expected Meeting of the Ohio Company on the 30th of March last being prevented by the sitting of the Virginia Assembly at the Time, a Meeting of the said Company, at Stafford Court-House in Virginia, on Monday the 25th Day of May next, on Business of the utmost Importance, is desired by

G. MASON, Treasurer.

(w3)

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Dr. James Leiper, late of Prince George's County, deceased, are requested to make immediate Payment to Mr. John Brown, jun. near Piscataway; and those that have any Demands against said Estate are desired to bring in their Accounts properly proved to him, who is legally authorized to receive and settle the same.

THOMAS LEIPER, Executor.

(w3)

Baltimore, April 18, 1772.

Just imported, and to be sold on the most reasonable Terms, for Tobacco, Cash, or short Credit, Wholesale or by the Single Piece,

A LARGE and neat Assortment of dry Goods; Also single and double refined Sugars, Hyson, Green, Congo, and Bohea Teas.

ROBERT CHRISTIE, junr.

(mz)

Newport, Charles County, March 10, 1772.

RAN away from the Subscriber's Plantation, near Bryan-Town, a Mulatto Man Slave called Stephen Butler; he is a lusty Fellow, about 6 Feet 2 Inches high, thin faced, has a small Scar on the right Cheek-Bone, and has lost One of his under Jaw fore Teeth: Had on when he went away a blue Duffel Jacket, a white Cotton ditto, and spotted Cotton Breeches; it is likely he may have changed them, as he has different Suits. He plays on the Fiddle, works at tight coopering, sawing and Wheel-work, is by Trade a Carpenter, has been pretty well known as a Runaway for these 30 Years, and has so great a Correspondence amongst many white People, that he never was once taken only by myself. He has confessed to me and many others where he has been harboured and whose Houses he resorted; that he has worked for several by Stealth, whose Names I shall pass over in Silence at this Time, but for the future, if I can possibly make Proof either against white or black, I will proceed against them as the Law directs. He is a very great Liar, an insinuating Fellow, and if taken into Custody will endeavour to make his Escape. Whoever will take up and bring the said Slave to his Master, shall have, if taken in the County, Ten Dollars, if in any other County Twelve, and if Fifty Miles from Home or out of the Province Ten Pounds and reasonable Charges, paid by

LEONARD BOARMAN.

(w6)

Piscataway, April 8, 1772.

Just imported, and to be sold for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Crop Tobacco, at a low Advance,

ABOUT £. 670 Cost of Goods, consisting of Osnabrigs, Irish Linens, Irish white and brown Sheetting, home made Checks, coarse and fine Hats, low priced Clothes, 10d and 20d Nails, and many other Articles too numerous to particularize.

JOHN BAYNES.

(6w)

April 13, 1772.

On the 22d Day of May next will be exposed to publick Sale on the Premises, for good London Bills of Exchange, or Sterling Cash,

THE Plantation and Tract of Land whereon the Subscriber now lives, lying on Elk-Ridge, in Anne-Arundel County, and Province of Maryland, about 22 Miles distant from Baltimore-Town, and 15 Miles from Elk-Ridge Landing; it contains about 400 Acres, about 150 of which are cleared, about 13 Acres of good Timothy Meadow, and 50 more may be made with little Expence, equal to any in this Province: The Land is suitable either for Farming or Tobacco: The Plantation in good Order, and several valuable Improvements; and an excellent Apple Orchard of 250 bearing Trees, besides Peaches, Cherries, &c. &c. Possession will be given to the Purchaser the first Day of December next. The Title indisputable. Any Person inclinable to purchase may view the same, by applying to the Subscriber on the Premises.

HENRY BARNES.

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Annapolis, April 20, 1772.

THE Subscriber intends to leave the Province in a short Time; those indebted to him are requested to make immediate Payment, and those who have Claims against him are desired to bring in their Accounts that they may be settled.

JOHN LAYPOLE.

FIFTEEN DOLLARS REWARD.

Baltimore, April 23, 1772.

RAN away about Fourteen Months ago, from the Subscriber's Plantation in Frederick County, an Irish Servant Man named ANDREW DUNLOP, has been some Years in the Country, since which he came under Indenture; he is about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, has dark brown Hair tied behind, thin visage and pale Complexion, talks much of his being a Soldier in the last War, is subject to drink and very impertinent: Had on and took with him a Suit of brown Drab Cloth, old blue Camlet Coat and Jacket, old Castor Hat, Two Pair of Shoes, and sundry other Things unknown.

Whoever brings said Servant to his Master, living in Baltimore-Town, or delivers him in Custody of the Sheriff of said County, shall receive the above Reward by

MORDECAI GIST, N. B. His Wife being a free Woman has since gone off to him; and they have lately been heard of in Pennsylvania.

PIG-POINT RACES.

April 14, 1772.

To be run for on Thursday the 28th day of May next,

A PURSE of THIRTY POUNDS, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, on the following Terms, viz. Four Years old to carry 8 Stone, Five Years old 8 Stone 10 Pounds, Six Years old 9 Stone 6 Pounds, and aged 10 Stone, Saddle and Bridle included.—To run the best Two in Three.—Three Mile Heats.—On the Day following will be run for over the same Ground, (the winning Horse the preceding Day excepted) A Purse of Fifteen Pounds on the following Terms. A Horse 14 Hands high to carry 9 Stone, and rise and fall agreeable to the Rules of racing.—The Horses to be entered with Mr. Richard Wells, on Tuesday before the Race.—Three Horses to start reputed Runners, or no Race, subscribers paying 30 Shillings for the first Day, and 15 Shillings for the Second; Non-Subscribers 3 Pounds for the First, and 30 Shillings for the Second Day.—Judges will be appointed for the Direction of the Races, who are to determine all Disputes.—To start each Day at Two o'Clock.

Frederick County, March 19, 1772.

To be sold at publick Vendue, on Monday the First Day of June next, on the Premises, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, pursuant to the last Will and Testament of Capt. John Adamson, deceased,

THE Land whereon the deceased lived (the burying Ground excepted) lying in Frederick County, about Ten Miles from George-Town, on Patowmack River, Seven measured Miles from Bladenburg, about Five Miles from Rock-Creek Church, and within Half a Mile of Two good Grift Mills on the North-West Branch, containing upwards of 370 Acres, whereon is a small convenient Dwelling-house, with a Brick Chimney, Plank Floors, and a good Cellar, a Kitchen with a Stone Chimney, a Quarter with a Stone Chimney, Meat-house, Milk-house, Lumber-house, Hen-house, Still-house, Stables, Corn-house almost new, and Two Tobacco-houses, in One of which there is a Plank thrashing Floor, a paled Garden; convenient to the Houses, particularly the Still-house, is a good Draw-well, with Bucket and Chain, &c. There are also Three Apple Orchards that produce a great deal of Cider, many Peach and some Cherry Trees. The Land will suit either for planting or farming, having a Meadow upon it, with a constant Stream of Water, so that it may be watered at pleasure.

The Purchaser will have Liberty to put in a Crop of Grain at the Fall as early as he chooses, and will have full Possession of the Houses and Premises on the 25th Day of December next.

Twelve Months Credit will be given the Purchaser from the Day of Sale, on his giving Bond and Security, and paying Interest from the 25th December next, the Day he is to get full Possession.

RICH. BEALL, Son of Nin. senr. } Executors.

ANDREW HEUGH. (w9)

Baltimore, April 15, 1772.

Just imported, and to be disposed of on the most reasonable Terms, for Tobacco, Cash, or short Credit, Wholesale, or by the Single Piece,

A LARGE and neat Assortment of Dry GOODS; Also single and double refined Sugar, Hyson and Green Teas, and best bottled and wired fine old London Porter, by

JAMES CHRISTIE, junr.

N. B. I want a Parcel of Pipe and Hoghead-Staves.

STOLEN from R. C.'s Stable in Baltimore-Town, in the Night, betwixt the 14th and 15th Inst. April, a large bay Horse, black Mane and Tail, a small Star in his Forehead, Three white Feet, about 15½ Hands high, with an old Hogskin Saddle, and green Housing, trimmed with yellow Lace, and a Surcingle. A Reward of Four Dollars will be given to any Person who can discover the Thief, so as that the said Horse may be taken and restored to the Owner.

(w4)

R. CHRISTIE

*Alexandria, April 2, 1772.*  
**N**OW on the Stocks, and will be launched, and ready to load by the 15th of May next, the Brig *Betty*, for Charter, to any Part of Great-Britain. It is expected she will carry about 320 Hogheads of Tobacco. The Terms may be known by applying to Mr. Daniel Stephenson in Bladensburg, or the Subscriber at Alexandria.  
 (t.f.) WILLIAM WOOD.

*April 10, 1772.*  
**W**HEREAS the Meetings of the Vestry of *Queen-Anne's Parish*, in *Prince-George's County*, to contract with Workmen to build a Church in said Parish, have proved fruitless, do hereby give further Notice, that they will attend at their Parish Church on the First Tuesday in *June* next, in order to treat with some Person or Persons to build a Brick Church of the following Dimensions, *viz.* 60 Feet by 46 Feet, 20 Feet Pitch above the Surface, the Wall 27 Inches thick at the Foundation, 22 Inches at the Top of the Water Table, which is to be raised Two Feet above the Surface, and 18 Inches above; with Doors and Windows in Proportion to the Building, the Roof to be covered with good Cypress Shingles well dressed off, and secured with Girders or Pillars, let into the principal Rafters, the Rafter to be about 28 or 29 Feet long. Any Person or Persons inclined to undertake the said Building, is requested to meet the Vestry at the Time and Place abovementioned, to give in Proposals.  
 Signed by Order,  
 SAMUEL TYLER, Register.

*Chester-Town, Kent County, April 8, 1772.*  
**B**ROKE Jail on Tuesday Night the 7th Instant, Three Prisoners committed for Debt, the one named *Joseph Corman*, middle aged, about Five Feet Nine or Ten Inches high, has a pert impudent Look, limps in his Walk, and stammers a little in his Speech, by Trade a Sawyer; Had on when he broke Jail, a Pair of Nanken Breeches, Nankeen Coat, a striped Silk and Cotton Jacket, a lightish coloured Surtout of Bath Coating, almost new, a Pair of white worsted ribbed Stockings, old Shoes, Check Shirt, a brown Cut Wig, and a coarse Felt Hat, near Half worn; but it is probable he may change his Cloaths; it's thought he would make towards *George-Town*, and from thence to the *Jerseys*: Another named *Richard Skees*, a Country born, about Twenty-five Years of Age, Five Feet Nine or Ten Inches high, slim made, dark thin Visage, talks pert and bold: Had on when he broke Jail, a light coloured Sagoth or Shalloon Coat, much worn, an old blue Jacket patched with white, a Pair of light blue worsted Stockings, a Pair of Pumps, a Pair of narrow rimmed Silver Buckles, has a very old flapped Hat, an old Pair of Leather Breeches, has long straight black Hair tied behind: The other named *James Floyed*, middle aged, down Look: Had on when he broke Jail, an old brown short Coat, a Calico Jacket, a Pair of green Cloth Breeches, a Pair of Osnabrig Trowsers over the Breeches, his Beard is very red, and wears short brown Hair, by Trade a Flax Breaker.  
 Whoever takes up the abovementioned Persons, or either of them, and secures them in any Jail, so that they may be delivered to the Subscriber, shall have Three Pistoles Reward for *Corman* and *Skees* each, if taken out of the Province, and Fifty Shillings each, if taken within the Province, and Thirty Shillings for *Floyed*, paid by  
 THOMAS SMYTH, Sheriff.

**R A N G E R**  
**W**ILL cover this Season, at Mr. *William Diggs's* upon *Potowmack*, at Two Pistoles a Mare and Two Shillings and Six-pence the Groom. He was got by Mr. *Martindale's Rogulus*, his Dam by Lord *Portmore's Merry-Andrew*, his Grand-Dam by Lord *Portmore's Steady*, his Great-Grand-Dam was the Dam of *Shaftoe's Wildair*, all Horses of high Form. He has great Spirit, high bred, and near 15 Hands and 3 Inches high; his Foals are very promising.  
 Good Pasture and proper Care will be taken of the Mares. The Money to be paid at covering. (3w)

*Annapolis, March 26, 1772.*  
**T**HE Subscribers have removed their Store from *Church-Street*, to the new Building on the Front of the Dock, and have imported in the *Caroline*, Captain *Thomas Pearson*, from *London*, and to be sold on the most reasonable Terms, at Wholesale and Retail, a general Assortment of *European* and *India Goods*, amongst which are a Choice of *Milnery*, and the most fashionable Silks.  
 THOMAS HARWOOD, junr.  
 JOHN BRICE.

**ANNAPOLIS:** Printed by ANNE CATHARINE GREEN and SON, 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.

*Annapolis, April 14, 1772.*  
**T**HE Subscriber intends leaving this Province this Fall, all Persons who are indebted unto me, are desired to pay their respective Debts by the 24th Day of *June* next, or all lawful Means will be used to recover the same; and all those who have any Demands upon me, are requested to send in their Accounts, that they may be adjusted.  
 (t.f.) JOSEPH SELBY.

*April 13, 1772.*  
**R**AN away from the Subscriber, living in *Prince-George's County*, near *Bladensburg*, on the 31st Day of *March* last, The Two following Servants, *viz.*  
 THOMAS ELTON, a Convict Servant Man, about Five Feet Four Inches high, wears his own short black Hair, is of a swarthy Complexion, pretty much marked with the Small-Pox, and is a well made Fellow: Had on when he went away, an old blue Waistcoat, white Broadcloth Breeches, an Osnabrig Shirt, black Yarn Stockings, and a Pair of old Shoes nailed in the Soles, one of his great Toes is so sore that he cannot get his Foot into his Shoe; 'tis probable he may change his Dress.  
 WILLIAM HUGHES, a well made Country born young Fellow, about Nineteen Years of Age, Five Feet Nine Inches high, of a swarthy Complexion, wears his own short black Hair, is Beetle-browed, has black Eyes, and an ugly down Look: His Cloaths are unknown: He was whipped and pillory'd at Court about Three Weeks ago, for stealing a Gun.  
 Whoever takes up said Servants, and brings them Home, or secures them so that their Master may get them again, shall receive the above Reward, or Fifty Shillings for either of them, paid by  
 (t.f.) CHARLES DUVALL.

**FIVE POUNDS REWARD.**  
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**S C H E M E of a L O T T E R Y**  
 For raising 1500 DOLLARS,  
 FOR CLEANING AND SECURING THE DOCK IN ANNA POLIS.

| Number of Prizes                             | Dollars. | Dollars. |
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| 848 Prizes.                                  |          | 10000    |
| 4152 Blanks.                                 |          |          |
| 5000 Tickets, at Two Dollars each, amount to |          | 10000    |

BY the above SCHEME, there are more than Four Blanks to a Prize, and the Prizes are subject to a Deduction of Fifteen per Cent. but as there are many of them very valuable, it is not doubted but the Tickets will very soon be disposed of, especially as a great Number of them are already engaged.  
 The Drawing to begin on the Second Monday in *July* next, or sooner if sooner full, in the Presence of Five of the Managers at least, and as many of the Adventurers as chuse to attend.  
 The Managers are, Mess. *Lancelot Jacques, William Reynolds, William Paca, Thomas Johnson, Thomas Jennings, Samuel Chase, James Tilghman, William Cook, Robert Couden, John Brice, Charles Wallace, John Davidson, Thomas Harwood, John Clapham, James Williams, Thomas Brooks Hodgkin, William Rooks, Robert Johnson, William Deards, James Brice, Colin Campbell, James Dundas, John Galloway, James Brooks, and Samuel Harvey Howard*; who are to give Bond, and be upon Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust.  
 A List of Prizes will be published in the Gazette, which will be ready to be paid in One Month after drawing. Those not demanded within Six Months will be deemed as generously given for the Emolument of the City.  
 TICKETS may be had of any of the Managers.

*Charles County, March 22, 1772.*  
**O**n Tuesday the 26th of May next, at the House of Mrs. Anne Halkerston, in Port-Tobacco, will be exposed to Sale, to the highest Bidder,  
 THE Two following Tracts or Parcels of Land, late the Property of Capt. Robert Horner, and conveyed to me in Trust for the Use of his Creditors.  
 KEITH'S REST, lying in the County aforesaid, near Mr. *Joshua Sanders's*, in the Neighbourhood of *Bryan-Town*. This Tract was patented for only One Hundred Acres, but it is said contains near Three. Any Person inclinable to view it before the Day of Sale, may apply to Mr. *David Osborne*, a Tenant on it.  
 HOG MARSH, containing Eight Acres, a Piece of Lease Land for Three Lives, lying in *Westwood Marsh*, adjoining *Westwood Manor*, and near the Plantation of Mr. *John Winter*, on *Wicomico River* in the County aforesaid.—Those who have an Inclination to purchase both or either of the abovementioned Tracts of Land, must come prepared with Current Money, Sterling Cash, or Bills of Exchange, as no Credit can be given by  
 (t.s.) GEORGE LEE, Sheriff.

*Jan. 6, 1772.*  
**T**o be sold at *Frederick-Town*, on Thursday the 28th Day of *May* next, 6300 Acres of Land, by Virtue of an Act of Assembly of the Province of Maryland, empowering the Executors of Col. *Thomas Colvill*, to grant Deeds to Mr. *John Semple*, his Heirs, or Assigns, for a certain Tract of Land, called *Merryland*, in *Frederick County*, and Province aforesaid, containing 6300 Acres.  
 WE the Subscribers being Assigns of the said *Semple*, and having received from the Executors of Col. *Colvill*, sufficient Deeds for the Land aforesaid, do hereby undertake to dispose of the same, at the Time and Place above-mentioned. It is laid off into Lots, in the most advantageous Manner, so that any one of them will make One, Two, or Three good Settlements, as will appear by the Plat, a Copy of which may be seen at the Coffee-Houses of *Philadelphia*, *Baltimore*, and *Annapolis*, in the Hands of *Cumberland Wilson, Dumfries, Adam Steuart, George-Town*, and Mr. *Charles Beatty*, *Frederick-Town*, who will direct those desirous of seeing the Land, to a Person acquainted with the Boundaries, on or near the Premises, who will show them the same; but as we intend to meet on the Spot ourselves a few Days before the Sale, in order to run the Lines, &c. those inclinable to purchase will have an Opportunity of viewing it with us, by attending from Monday the 25th, till the 28th, the Day of Sale.  
 This Land is very suitable for planting or farming, being well watered and timbered, no Settlement having ever been made on it, and a very good Soil; it lies along the Banks of *Potowmack River*, adjoining it for a considerable Way, near to *Harper's Ferry*, the main Road from which, to *Frederick-Town* (a very flourishing populous Place) runs through it, from which it is distant only about Nine Miles, from *George-Town*, the Sea-port of the County Forty-five Miles, and from *Baltimore* about Sixty-five Miles; at each of which Places a constant and ready Market may be found for all Kinds of Produce.  
 Its Situation on *Potowmack River* must be of considerable Advantage to it, and in Time may add immensely to its Value, when the Navigation is opened, which may be done without any great Difficulty for a considerable Distance; there being at present a tolerable Navigation, both below and above, it lying near the *Sbanandoo Falls*, from whence up to *Fort-Cumberland*, 110 Miles, Batoes now frequently pass, and downwards to the *Seneca Falls*, 15 Miles, which is within 20 Miles of *George-Town*. It will be sold in separate Lots, or all together, for Sterling or Current Money, as may best suit the Purchasers; one Third to be paid down at the Sale, one Third payable in Twelve Months, and the other in Two Years, giving Bond and Security with Interest, till paid.—A most undoubted Title will be made to the Purchasers, by  
 ADAM STEUART,  
 THOMAS MONTGOMERIE,  
 CUMBERLAND WILSON.  
 (t.s.)

*Annapolis, March 24, 1772.*  
**T**o be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBERS, THREE Tracts of Land, lying in *Frederick County*, containing by Patent 610 Acres, which will be sold for a very reasonable Price. The Terms apply to  
 SAMUEL HOWARD  
 JOHN HOWARD.  
 (t.f.)



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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

T H U R S D A Y, M A Y 21, 1772.

C O P E N H A G E N, March 7.

HE commission of inquisition is closely occupied in interrogating Count Brandt. The following has just appeared in one of the publick papers of this city, with respect to Count Struensee: "It is very certain, that Count Struensee is convicted of more than one crime: He has confessed, in one of his examinations, that he has been guilty of high treason, in having, without his Majesty's knowledge, expedited orders from the cabinet, by which he has made many usefess and dangerous changes. It is farther said, that there has been found among his papers, in his own hand-writing, an account, from whence it is strongly suspected that he has defrauded the royal treasury of 100,000 rix-dollars, for his own use, or that of his creatures. There is the greater reason for this belief, from there having been found in his bureau, actions to a very great amount; and his appointments, as prime minister, not amounting to 3000 rix-dollars, he has been too short a time in office to acquire fairly the beforementioned large sums.

WARSAW, March 7. Though we are assured preliminaries are signed between the Russians and Turks, yet both sides are busy in preparing for war. However, we flatter ourselves, that it is only making peace sword in hand.

HAMBURG, March 8. According to the last advices from Poland, the Russians will soon destroy the remains of the little army of Count Oginski, grand General of Lithuania. It consisted of 6500 men; 500 of whom were killed in one skirmish, and 150 made prisoners.

HAGUE, March 9. A long letter from Copenhagen has been published here, by seeming authority, which contradicts, in a great measure, the accounts already given of the revolution there. It accuses Mr. Struensee as the author of certain projects, which were to the liking of the King, but that they all tended to aggrandize himself; and concludes with asserting, that Prince Frederick, the King's brother, is not Prime Minister, that he is no way ambitious of such title; and that his august mother has an innumerable train of witnesses and admirers of her conduct in this affair, to prove her guiltless of the base charges brought against her.

SAXE-GOTHA, March 10. This morning about five o'clock died, at his palace of Friedenstein, after a long and painful illness, in the 73d Year of his age, his Serene Highness Frederick Duke of Saxe-Gottha, to the great grief of his subjects, over whom he had reigned near forty years, universally beloved and respected.

L O N D O N,

March 2. Wednesday his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland came to town from Windsor, with an intent to enter his protest against the bill now depending before the Lords, for regulating Royal Marriages. His Royal Highness was prevented taking this step, by their Lordships ordering that clause in the bill, which had a retrospect to the descendants of his late Majesty, to be erased. So that the bill in question relates to the marriages of the children of the present King. His Highness behaved in the House with great manliness.

The following, we are told, is the substance of his Royal Highness's speech upon the occasion:

" LORDS, "The bill now in agitation seems framed by the minister with an intention of doing an injury to my family; I profess myself a married man, and I appeal to your Lordships humanity, whether any bill ought to pass this assembly, which contains a retrospective clause, evidently inserted to advert to a prior matter. I trust your Lordships will not suffer so material an injury to be done me and my family."

March 3. A petition has been presented to the board of trade by Mr. St. Pierre, praying assistance in the establishment of his colony at New Bourdeaux in South Carolina, for the culture of vines, silk, indigo, and fruit trees, such as almonds, olives, figs, &c. and it is thought this gentleman's undertaking will be recommended by that board as an object of parliamentary consideration.

March 4. Orders are sent over to Ireland to make a draught of twenty men from every regiment in that kingdom, which are to march with all expedition for Kinsale, there to embark for Quebec.

March 5. The King of Prussia has sent a letter to our Sovereign, as Elector of Hanover, which occasioned an express to be sent off late on Sunday night to that electorate.

The Catherine and Maria, Taylor, and the St. Lucia, Hanson, both from Maryland, are put into Cork.

March 10. Advice (which it is greatly wished may turn out premature) has been received, that a young northern Queen will soon make her exit from the stage of life, either voluntarily, or agreeable to a sentence which was every day expected to pass: the former has been much apprehended, since some unfavourable circumstances have transpired, which the imagined could never be brought to light. She is most carefully watch-

ed, and, two days before this advice came away, all access to her person was denied. It is plain Struensee employed all the villainous arts he was possessed of to ensnare her youth; but in a late confession he proved himself a mean and atrocious villain, by exaggerating every youthful failing of his royal victim, and representing her to be what decency forbids us to mention.

A gentleman from Copenhagen, who was present at the revolution, declares, that the young Queen never once lost her spirits, but that when the Count Rantzau arrested her, she denounced vengeance on his head, and declared he should suffer as a traitor, for daring to commit such an outrage upon the consort of his Sovereign.

It is reported, that this morning a messenger arrived from Denmark, with the agreeable news of the Queen being tried, and that nothing criminal being proved, she was honourably acquitted.

Charitable men ought to be indulged in their doubts respecting the criminality of the Queen of Denmark, as every information against her originates from her enemies; even the confession of Struensee is evidently extorted by the terrors of the intended torture.

A letter from Copenhagen says, that immediately after the President made known to the King the result of the examination, which was, that the Queen had been found to be guilty of infidelity, as well as of many high crimes against the State, orders were immediately dispatched to Cronenburg, commanding that the Queen be very closely confined, and that all access to her be denied. The Count, it is said, will be beheaded in a few days before the very window of the castle in which her Majesty is confined. When the President went to the King, to inform him of the examination, he was at the levee, and on hearing the report thereof, his Majesty shed tears, retired to another apartment, and was seen no more that day.

March 12. There was a warm debate in Council on Tuesday last, whether the news from Denmark ought to be published in England. It was at last, however, referred to his Majesty, who was of opinion, that the publication of it would be only giving new opportunities to scandal, lies and defamation, which have already met with too much encouragement.

We are informed, that orders are given for four men of war, and one of the royal yachts, to be in readiness to sail for the port of Elsinore, supposed to bring over to England the Queen of Denmark from that kingdom.

By a private letter lately brought from Copenhagen, it appears a certain fact, that the unhappy young Queen is hourly expected to undergo the same sentence as Count Struensee; it seems there is one M. de Gronintet, a man of desperate fortune, who has got access to the Queen Dowager, and who, it is supposed, by her instigation, has offered to make a confession of crimes which never existed, and to charge the young Queen with intentions she never conceived. To keep up the farce, this villain is secured and put in irons; but persons of intelligence see through the scheme, as scarcely a day passes without a messenger being dispatched to him from the Queen Dowager: he was to be examined the day after the person who brought the above letter left Copenhagen; so that in all probability, by the arrival of the first foreign mails, we shall have a circumstantial account of the horrid success of their villainous stratagem; but that the young Queen is destined for a devoted sacrifice, unless our Ministry interpose their timely aid, there can be no manner of doubt.

It is privately whispered, that the Queen of Denmark's head was struck off the twenty-seventh of last month.

The greatest secrecy and silence are still observed at St. James's on the affairs of Denmark: several advices have been received from Copenhagen, but few if any of the contents have transpired even to the people in office.

The Friendship, Cowan, from Maryland to Clyde, is stranded near Wexford in Ireland.

The last letters from Constantinople mention a dreadful earthquake having happened there lately, which occasioned much damage, and several of the inhabitants were buried in the ruins.

March 13. It is said that Lord Chatham has lately declared, that, in his opinion, the bill for regulating the marriages of the Royal Family is a more hateful stretch of despotism than the Middlesex election was generally considered to be by the kingdom. "Parliamentary privilege (says his Lordship) is a ground upon which wise men have doubted and good men differed; but in the present case there can be neither difference nor doubt. The first principles of natural justice are obviously violated, when a King of 18 is to controul the marriages of Princes who are 25; and when the possible heirs of the Crown are to be laid under restrictions from which the possessor is exempted, though his choice is of infinitely greater importance to the people."

Mr. Charles Fox gave Lord North so severe a drubbing yesterday in the House of Commons, that there is no doubt but he will soon be desired to come into place again upon his own terms.

In the last conference Lord North had with a great personage on the subject of the marriage bill, before

its being brought into the House of Lords, he replied to him in the following words: "I will give your Majesty the last proof of my duty (though I cannot of my inclination) by supporting it with my usual endeavours to serve you."

Letters from Hamburgh inform, that couriers are continually passing between Copenhagen and Berlin, which give rise to various conjectures and much speculation among the politicians.

We are well informed, that Lord and Lady Grosvenor will very shortly be remarried. It is very certain that Lady Grosvenor is gone home to his Lordship's house.

The following changes in the law are talked of to take place after the session: Lord Mansfield to have the Seals; Sir Fletcher Norton to succeed Lord Mansfield; the Attorney-General to succeed Lord Chief Justice De Grey, who is to retire; and Mr. Solicitor-General to be Attorney-General. Who is to succeed Mr. Wedderburne is not said.

Yesterday morning his Grace the Duke of Grafton set off from his house in Arlington-street, on a private embassy to Paris.

It is said his Grace's embassy to France was entirely at the request of a great personage.

By the marriage bill, should it pass as it now stands, if no retrospect is had to the marriage of the Duke of Cumberland himself, yet as a descendant from George the Second, his children, should he have any, will come under the intentions of the bill, and of course must be obliged to conform to the act.

March 14. This evening the Commons, in a committee of the whole House, re-assumed the consideration of the marriage bill: the minority were determined to debate it inch by inch, and, by the event of this day's proceedings, they seem to have got ground considerably; the Speaker, early in the day, made a long harangue on the occasion, and was replied to by Mr. Cornwall; the House had divided twice by five o'clock on the preamble of the bill; the numbers were 68 against 203 on the first division, and 58 against 169 on the second. Many long and excellent speeches were then made, and the arguments ran pretty much on the legality of the wording of the preamble; at a quarter before twelve the House divided a third time, when the numbers were; noes 200, ayes 164. They immediately adjourned till Monday next, and it seems have got no further than the preamble of an act, which it is imagined will give the Ministry as much trouble as any bill that has been brought in this session.

We have authority to inform the publick, that there is a moral certainty of an immediate peace between the Russians and the Porte. The congress is already opened at Jassy, the capital of Moldavia; and it is thought that all the demands of the Czarina will be complied with; the chief of which is, the absolute and entire cession of the Crimea, and all the provinces to the East of the Danube. The cause of this sudden resolution of pacification in the Ottoman Divan, rises from what they call the Treasury of the Court of Vienna; the Emperor having for two years past received a very large subsidy from the Porte, without having taken one step to intimidate Russia from her enterprises.

We are informed that, soon after this session of parliament, Lord North is to retire with a pension, not inferior to that of Lord Chatham, as a small mark of royal favour for his many great services, but particularly for his unwearied industry about the royal marriage bill.

We hear that the shipwrights in the several dockyards are now busier than at any time in the late war; and expresses are continually arriving at one or other of them from the Admiralty. It is not even conjectured what is the reason of all this extraordinary expedition.

WHITEHALL, March 14. The King has been pleased to appoint Molineux Shuldham, Esq; to be his Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the Island of Newfoundland and all the coast of Labrador, from the entrance of Hudson's Streights to the River St. John, which discharges itself into the sea, nearly opposite the west end of the Island of Anticosti; including that Island, with any other small Islands on the said coast of Labrador, also the Islands of Madelaine in the Gulph of St. Lawrence, as also of all his Majesty's forts and garrisons erected and established, or that shall be erected and established, in the said Islands of Newfoundland, Anticosti, and Madelaine, or on the coasts of Labrador within the limits aforesaid.

March 16. Leave is given to bring in a bill to prevent fraudulent admissions into the company of Merchants trading to America.

March 17. The reports of the death of the Queen of Denmark are; we are well informed, void of truth: the proceedings against her are carried on with the greatest caution, and she has every indulgence that can be allowed a state prisoner; and one of her birth; Colonel Keith, it is said, has been sent for several times by some of the senators appointed to enquire into this affair, and great deference is paid to whatever he advances; and it is therefore imagined, that proceedings will soon be stopped, and none be made acquainted with the particular circumstances, except his

Majesty of Great Britain; and the punishment intended for this Princess will be submitted to his opinion.

March 18. A Danish messenger arrived early yesterday morning from Copenhagen; he was immediately clothed with a great personage.

Two councils were held last week on the consideration of the question, how far Great Britain ought to interfere in the transactions now carrying on at Copenhagen? Lord Rochford, Lord Sandwich, &c. (as well as his Majesty) are of opinion, that the honour of this kingdom is always connected with every branch of the Royal Family, and as such ought to be vindicated whenever these branches are insulted: they are therefore for interfering. Lord Mansfield, Lord North, &c. have given their opinion, that as not only the honour but the interest of Denmark are deeply involved in these important transactions, the utmost caution and circumspection ought to be used in judging of them, much more in meddling with them; that the laws and liberties of a kingdom are not to be trifled with; that we certainly ought to have patience till the laws of Denmark have made a due progress in that business, and thrown some more light on transactions which were yet involved in confusion and mystery; and if it then appeared that prejudice or injustice had exerted any undue influence to bring the business to a disagreeable termination, it was time enough to interfere.—In this state, we are assured, the affair now remains; and orders have been sent to Co. Keith, the British resident at Copenhagen, when any thing new transpires relative to this business, to transmit it immediately to London by express.

By advice from Cracow of the 19th of February we learn, that the commander of the Russian army there has declined all attempts of dispossessing the Confederates, who lately made themselves masters of that fortress, seeing they must soon surrender prisoners of war, all sorts of provisions being totally consumed within the fortifications, and all the avenues to it entirely cut off by the Russians.

March 20. It is said that a negotiation is set on foot by the Duke of Grafton and Lord Hertford, for placing Earl Gower at the head of the Treasury. Mr. Rigby is to be Chancellor of the Exchequer. The Duke of Grafton is to preside at the Admiralty Board, in the room of Lord Sandwich, who, it is reported, will be offered the Vice-Treasurership, or the Post-Office. The Duke of Marlborough is to succeed to the Privy Seal, and the Lords Weymouth and Rochford are to be Secretaries of State. Lord North will be offered Mr. Rigby's present post. The Duke of Portland's estate and popularity will be permitted to recover what Lord Townshend has sacrificed in Ireland. The friends of Lord North at the Treasury will be removed, and succeeded by some of the Devonshires. The inferior arrangements are few, and not yet concluded.

March 21. We are assured that the Lord Chancellor, Lord Mansfield, and the Attorney and Solicitor General, are for the royal marriage bill; and that nine of the Judges, Sir Fletcher Norton, Lord Camden, and Mr. Dunning, are against it.

The Right Hon. the Earls of Lincoln and Hertford are, we are informed, to go to Copenhagen, to fetch over the Queen of Denmark.

None of the stories relative to the affairs of Denmark, so far as respects the movements of our Court therein, are in the least authentic. It is however a fact, that the faith of the King of Denmark, with the permission of the Queen Mother and Prince Frederick, has been pledged, that no step affecting the honour and life of the reigning Queen of Denmark shall be carried into execution, without first laying the merits of it before the Court of Great Britain, and obtaining the concurrence, or, at any rate, the declaration of a non-interference, of the King her brother therein.—This may be depended upon, as the most authentic intelligence of the state of the affair between the Courts of London and Copenhagen hitherto given.

St. James's, March 21. The King has been pleased to grant unto James Macpherson, Esq; the offices and places of Secretary and Clerk of the Council of his Majesty's province of West Florida, in North America, and Register of all grants, patents, and records, of and in the said province.

March 25. This morning a meeting of several principal Persons in Administration was held at Lord Sandwich's house at the Admiralty, said to be relative to some important naval affairs, which are expected to be shortly the subject of parliamentary discussion.

March 26. We are informed, that a perfect harmony subsists between the Courts of London and Copenhagen, notwithstanding all that has been said to the contrary, each of the powers having adopted the maxim, *Fiat justitia aut pereat mundus*.

Friday last Sir James Stewart, Bart. (who had been many years abroad on account of his being concerned in the late rebellion, for which he has received his Majesty's pardon) was presented by Lord Barrington to his Majesty at St. James's, and most graciously received.

Some new imposts are talked of to be laid on America, before the rising of the present Parliament.

The letters brought by this day's mail confirm, not only that preliminaries of peace have been signed by the plenipotentiaries of the Turks and Russians, but that a suspension of arms had been published in both armies.

March 27. On Wednesday a motion was made in the House of Commons, that it be an instruction to the committee to consider farther of the supply granted to his Majesty, that they do consider of a proper encouragement to be given for more effectually prosecuting such farther discoveries as may be made towards the South Pole, which encouragement has been farther recommended by his Majesty to the House.

It is asserted that his Majesty has very warmly recommended to Lord North to bring the present high prices of provisions into serious consideration in the Lower House, and to adopt such plans and regulations as will be best calculated to bring immediate relief to the distressed poor of the kingdom.

The Attorney-General, we hear, objects to the removal of the 60th regiment from Canada, insinuating that by Act of Parliament this regiment is only bound to serve in North America. It is true, the Attorney-General is right with respect to the condition on which that regiment was raised, and therefore his opposition to its removal to Jamaica, where it has been lately ordered, is perfectly proper.

Last night letters were received from Dr. Jebb, at Rome, which give an Account, that his Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester was quite restored to a good state of health, that he intended to set out for England in a few days, and that he hoped to be in town by the middle of April.

March 28. A clause is inserted in the bill for the more effectual proceeding against persons standing mute on their arraignment for felony or piracy; for extending the provisions therein to his Majesty's colonies and plantations in America.

By a letter from Dunkirk we learn, that two Irish gentlemen, who were viewing the fortifications of that place, were taken into custody by order of the police, on suspicion of being spies.

On Wednesday the Danish minister had a conference of upwards of an hour with Lord Suffolk; after which they both of them waited on the king together, with whom they were closeted for some time. What were the particular circumstances that gave rise to this audience is not known, but it was observed that Baron Dieden returned from the presence seemingly with a very dejected countenance.

#### D U B L I N, March 10.

By letters from the north of this kingdom we have accounts, that late on Thursday night last, about 2000 of the deluded people called Hearts of Steel, attacked the house of Richard Johnson, Esq; at Guildford, and fired several shot into the windows, which were returned by Mr. Johnson and 23 others, by which four of the rioters were killed and many wounded. These turbulent people, not satisfied with doing every mischief in their power, murdered the Rev. Mr. Morell, a dissenting teacher of exceeding good character, by the shot of a bullet through his head, for advising them from the pulpit some days before to be amenable to the laws and constitution, which they resented in the highest degree. After Mr. Johnson had consumed all his ammunition, he made his escape from the back of his house, over a high garden wall, plunged into the river Ban, and swam to the opposite shore; during his passage, these wicked insurgents fired several muskets at him in the water, but he luckily escaped unhurt; but their malice did not end here, as they pulled his elegant house to the ground, and destroyed the whole village.

#### ANNAPOLIS, MAY 21.

•• We can assure the Publick, that the Town is entirely free from the Small Pox.

THE Managers of the ANNAPOLIS LOTTERY are requested to meet, on Saturday next at Eleven o'Clock, at the Coffee-House.

TO BE SOLD, BY THE SUBSCRIBER, A TRACT or Parcel of Land lying in Prince-George's County, containing 222 Acres and a half more or less; the Land is well wooded and watered, no improvements thereon, the title indisputable. For Terms apply to the Subscriber, living near said Land. Cash will be required for Two-thirds of the Purchase Money; Credit given for the other Part, on giving Bond with Security, if required. JOHN BELT, jun.

Baltimore, May 13, 1772. TO BE CHARTERED, THE Ship BETSEY, James Bartholomew Master, now lying at Fell's-Point; she carries about 380 Hogsheads of Tobacco, or 10,000 Bushels of Wheat. For Terms apply to ROBERT CHRISTIE, jun. who has for Sale Teneriffe Wine, in Pipes, Hogsheads and Quarter Casks; likewise a large Assortment of dry Goods, just imported in the last Vessels from London, Liverpool and Glasgow.

ALL Persons any ways indebted to the Estate of THOMAS LANCASTER, late of Prince George's County, deceased, are hereby required to discharge the same; and all Persons that have any just Claims against the said Estate are likewise desired to bring them in, properly attested, that they may be discharged by ISAAC LANSDALE, Administrator.

RAN away from the Ship Molly, William Maynard Commander, now lying at Benedict, Two indentured Servant Men; the one named ROBERT CUMMINS, by Trade a Barber and Peruke maker, is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, wears his own Hair of a light Colour tied behind: Had on when he went away, a dark brown Coat and Buckskin Breeches, and a Hat covered with Oilskin. The other named RICHARD JONES, by Trade a House Carpenter and Joiner, about the same Height as the former, wears his own dark Hair, and is pitted with the Small-Pox: Had on a light coloured Coat and dirty Buckskin Breeches. Whoever takes up the above Servants, and secures them in any Jail within this Province, shall receive Three Pounds Reward, or Thirty Shillings for either, besides what the Law allows; and if taken out of the Province Five Pounds for both, or in Proportion. (t.f.) WILLIAM MAYNARD.

THERE is at the Plantation of John M'Donnell, at the Head of Severn, taken up as a Stray, a dark bay Horse, about 13 Hands and a half high, has a switch Tail, some white Spots under the Saddle, and branded on the near Shoulder R, 1 ace, trots and gallops. The Owner may have him again on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Thomas Noland, at Noland's Ferry in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a dark roan Mare, about 12 Hands high, about 6 Years old, branded on the near Buttock HH, has a Star and Snip; and 3 white Feet. The Owner may have her again on proving Property and paying Charges. (w3)

J U S T P U B L I S H E D, And to be sold at the PRINTING-OFFICE,

T H E VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the last SESSION of ASSEMBLY.

T H E Members of the Maryland JOCKEY-CLUB, are desired to meet at the Coffee-House, on Thursday the Fourth Day of June next. EDWARD LLOYD, Esq; SAMUEL GALLOWAY, Esq; } Stewards. Dinner to be on Table at Two o'Clock. Those Gentlemen who propose to attend, will be so obliging to give timely Notice to WILLIAM EDDIS, Secretary.

T O B E S O L D, THE Household Furniture, China, &c. belonging to Nisbitt Darby, Esq; who will speedily leave this Province; the same may be viewed at his House in Annapolis.

Just imported, in the Eden, Capt. Samuel Nicholson, and to be sold, Wholesale and Retail, on the lowest Terms, by the Subscriber, in Church-street, Annapolis.

A LARGE and genteel Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS. THOMAS GASSAWAY, jun.

Upper-Mariborough, May 11, 1772. FOR the Ease of the People in the different Parts of Prince George's County; the Subscriber gives Notice, that he will attend at the following Places on the Days undermentioned, in order to receive what is due to him as Sheriff.

(w3) RALPH FORSTER. At Nettingham, the 10th and 11th of June. At Piscataway, 12th and 13th. At Broad Creek, 15th. At Bladenburg, 16th and 17th. At Queen-Anne, 18th. At Upper-Marlboro', 19th and 20th.

Baltimore, April 24, 1772.

MORDECAI GIST BEGS Leave to inform his Customers and the Publick in general, that he has removed his Store from Gay-street, to the Second Door above the Market-house, adjoining Mr. David Ross's Tavern, in Baltimore-street, where he continues selling, Wholesale and Retail, at his usual very low Advance. He has just imported in the Industry, Capt. David Carcaud, from London, a large and neat Assortment of East-India and European Goods, which are now opening, and returns his grateful Acknowledgements for the many Favours of his good Customers, and flatters himself, their Continuance will prove conducive to mutual Advantage. N. B. All those whose Accounts have stood open above Twelve Months, are requested to discharge their respective Balances without further Advice, as the uncustomary low Advance he has always sold at, will not admit a longer Indulgence. (w3)

JAMES PIPER, CLOCK AND WATCHMAKER, INFORMS the Publick, that he carries on in all its Branches, at Chester-Town, Kent County: He also makes Surveying Instruments of all Kinds, such as Theodolites, Circumferentors, &c. and as it shall be his constant Study to merit the Esteem of the Publick, he flatters himself that he will give general Satisfaction to all Gentlemen whom it may please to make Trial of his Abilities in either of the above-mentioned Branches, as due Regard will be had that their Orders be punctually executed.

A Journeyman who properly understands either Clock or Watchmaking, will meet with good Encouragement by applying as above. The highest Price will be given for old Brads. (w6)

Frederick County, May 6, 1772.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Thomas Jones, deceased, are desired to come and settle their Accounts, and make Payment; likewise those that have Accounts against the said Estate, are desired to bring them in.

(w3) JOHN HOPKINS, Administrator.

THERE is at the Plantation of Charles Murphy, near the Great Falls of Patowmack, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a dark chestnut sorrel Mare, about 14 Hands and an Inch high, has a Snip on her Nose, some white Hairs in her Forehead, and white Spots upon her Rump; trots and gallops. The Owner may have her again, proving Property and paying Charges. (w3)

JOHN FINCH, in the County the Year 1745, on in the Province of in Virginia and Pennsylvania Abode is unceasing, or any of Thomas Brooke He and Robert Purvis Meade, and Co. in Seton, in New-Thing to his or the and left no Issue, Persons to whom the necessary Advantages.

M. R. GEORGE, requested for the Payment of the next General Assessment, appear that he has what lay in his pay them, but the not be expected Creditors who must excuse me if he will not do it. (3w)

COMMITTEE JOHN DOW, with black Hair, bought Coat, breeches and breeches of in to Philadelphiam desired to take him. (3w)

COMMITTEE Robert Campbell, work his Passage Miller, in Patowmack 14th Regiment, rymple at Boston Kingsbury Iron Works pay Charges and (2w) If Campbell is will be told for

J U S T In the Briganti Smith, from Hyde, at his or Retail, for

A LARGE India Goods of gen eel Silk, gle and double Tea, Jar Raisin Also a Quantity upper Leather, neat Calf-skins A handsome Horse to be sold

J U S T From London, mas Smith, Store lately of

A NEAT Goods, which are the fashionable Brogothies, Dam Sarcnets, Perfum Mullins, work and corded L great Variety onet Lace, I Terezas, French Pearl Necklac Silk Egrets w Queen's Chair Chesbire Chees very low Adv

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**JOHN FINCH**, formerly of the Parish of *Hothfield*, in the County of *Kent*, in *England*, lived about the Year 1740, on the East Side of *Patowmack* River, in the Province of *Maryland*, and afterwards dwelt in *Virginia* and *Pennsylvania*, but the Place of his present Abode is uncertain. If the said *John Finch* be still living, or any of his lawful Heirs, by applying to *Thomas Brooke Hodgkin*, in *Annapolis*, Messrs. *Samuel and Robert Purviance*, in *Baltimore*, Messrs. *George Meade*, and Co. in *Philadelphia*, or Messrs. *Curson and Seton*, in *New-York*, he or they may hear of something to his or their Advantage. Should he be dead, and left no Issue, it is requested of any Person or Persons to whom he might have been known, to give the necessary Advice to any one of the above Gentlemen. (tf)

*Frederick County, April 30, 1772.*

**MR. GEORGE WALKER'S** Creditors are requested to give him Twelve Months longer for the Payment of his Debts, or he will apply to the next General Assembly for Relief; it can be made appear that he has for some Time past been doing what lay in his Power to make Money in order to pay them, but the last Winter being so bad, it could not be expected he could go out surveying. His Creditors who spoke to me to get Mr. *Hanson's* Note, must excuse me from troubling that Gentleman, as he will not do it. (3w)

**JAMES HACKMAN**, Sheriff.

*Frederick County, April 30, 1772.*

**COMMITTED** to my Custody as a Runaway, *JOHN DOYL*, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, with black Hair and a long Beard; Has on, a Fear-nought Coat, brown Jacket, a short Leather Apron, and Breeches of many Colours. He says he came in to *Philadelphia* with Capt. *Miller*. His Master is desired to take him away and pay Charges. (3w)

**JAMES HACKMAN**, Sheriff.

*Prince George's County, May 2, 1772.*

**COMMITTED** to my Custody as Runaways, *Robert Campbell*, who says he had agreed to work his Passage to *Scotland* in a new Ship, Capt. *Miller*, in *Patowmack*, but that he belongs to the 14th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Col. *Dalrymple* at *Boston*. Negro *Prince*, belonging to the *Kingsbury* Iron Works. Their Masters are desired to pay Charges and take them from (2w)

**RALPH FORSTER**, Sheriff.

If *Campbell* is not taken out in Two Months, he will be sold for his Fees

*Annapolis, May 5, 1772.*

**JUST IMPORTED**, In the *Brigantine Peace and Plenty*, Capt. *Thomas Smith*, from *London*, and to be sold by *Thomas Hyde*, at his Store in South East Street, Wholesale or Retail, for ready Money or short Credit.

**LARGE** and neat Assortment of *European* and *India* Goods, among which are a few Pieces of gen eel Silk, a Variety of superfine Clothes, single and double refined Sugar, *Bohea* and *Hyson* Tea, *Jar Raisins*, *Florence Oil*, and *Window Glafs*. Also a Quantity of very good Country sole and upper Leather, among which are a few Dozens of neat Calf-skins. Train Oil and *Goree*. A handsome riding Chair and Harness for a single Horse to be sold for ready Cash only.

*Annapolis, May 6, 1772.*

**JUST IMPORTED** From *London*, in the *Peace and Plenty*, Capt. *Thomas Smith*, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at the Store lately occupied by Mr. *Thomas Harwood*,

**NEAT** Assortment of *European* and *East-India* Goods, suitable to both Seasons, among which are the following Articles, viz. Superfine fashionable Broad Clothes, *Casmiers*, *Jeannets*, *Sagoties*, *Damascufes* and *Tobines*, *Pelongs* and *Sarfunets*, *Persian*, *Taffeties*, fine *Spring'd* and *Book Mullins*, work'd *Lawn Aprons*, *India Chintz*, plain and corded *Dimities*, *Merselles* *Quilting*; also a great Variety of black, *Blond*, *Thread*, and *Minionet Lace*, *Ladies* fashionable *Caps*, *Lace Satin* *Terezas*, *French Paste*, *Wax*, *Mockgarnet* and *Pearl Necklaces* and *Earrings*, *French Collars*, *Puff Silk Egrets* with *Lace*, genteel pencil'd and gilt *Queen's China*, good *Bohea Tea*, *Gloucester* and *Cheshire Cheese*, &c. &c. which will be sold at a very low Advance.

**SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD**.

N. B. The Store to be rented where the Subscriber moved from.

*Baltimore, April 28, 1772.*

**LARGE** Quantity of *Drugs* and *Medicines* of all Kinds, *Apothecary Utensils*, *Surgeons Instruments*, *urinal*, *nipple* and *cupping Glaffes*, &c. Also an Assortment of *Painters Colours*, *Oil*, *Brushes*, *Hair Pencils*, *Window Glafs*, *Putty* *Gold Leaf*, *Varnish*, *Lacker*, &c. &c. (w4)

**ALEXANDER STENHOUSE**.

*Baltimore, April 18, 1772.*

**JUST IMPORTED**, and to be sold on the most reasonable Terms, for *Tobacco*, *Cash*, or *short Credit*, Wholesale or by the Single Piece,

**LARGE** and neat Assortment of dry Goods: Also single and double refined *Sugars*, *Hyson*, *Green*, *Congo*, and *Bohea Teas*. (m2)

**ROBERT CHRISTIE**, junr.

*April 10, 1772.*

**JUST IMPORTED**, from *London*, in the *Grace*, Captain *Elder*, and to be sold by the following Persons, at the different Places. On *Patuxent-River*, at *Pig-Point*, by *Thomas Morton*, junr. at *Nottingham*, by *Fielder Bowie*; at *Lower-Marlborough*, by *Benjamin Stoddart*; at *Hunting-Town*, by *William Allein*; at *Saint Leonard's-Creek*, by *Samuel Gray*; and, on *Patowmack*, at *Pomonkey*, by *Benjamin Douglafs*; at *Bladenburg*, by *William Murdock*; and, at *George-Town*, by *William Deakins*, junr.

**LARGE** and compleat Assortments of *European* and *East-India* Goods, for *Cash*, *Bills of Exchange*, or *Tobacco*, at the most reasonable Rates. Have £. 1200 *Colt* of Goods, well assorted, to sell at wholesale, at a very low Advance; they are landed at *Lower-Marlborough*, on *Patuxent River*. (5w)

**THOMAS CONTEE**.

To be sold, by Way of publick Vendue, on Tuesday the 9th of June next, at the House of Mr. *Joseph Belt*, in *George-Town*,

**TWO** Overshot *Grist Mills* and a *Saw Mill*, on *Rock Creek*, about Five Miles from *George-Town*, which in all Probability will soon become one of the most flourishing Towns in the Province, where there is a good Market and Inspection for *Flour*, and about Six Miles from *Bladenburg*; one of these Mills are double geared, with an exceeding good Pair of *French Bur Stones*; and 300 Acres of Land adjoining, with Three Plantations that will rent for 25 Pounds a Year. Also a good new *Grist Mill* on *Little Monocasy*, with about 100 Acres of Land: This Mill is well situated for *Custom* or a *Merchant Mill*, having an extensive Body of good Land adjoining, which is very thick settled, and no Market for *Grain* higher than *George-Town*, which is about 30 Miles. I have also for Sale about 500 Acres of Land adjoining *Rock Creek Church*, which is almost between *George-Town* and *Bladenburg*. Time will be given for half the Money, on paying Interest to (ts)

**ZACHARIAH WHITE**,

To be Sold the first of June next, at Mr. *Joshua Dorsey's*, *Elk-Ridge Landing*,

**A** Valuable *Tract* of Land, called *Polecat Glade*, containing 94 ACRES, lying in *Anne-Arundel County*, between the Falls of *Patapsco*, and a Run called *Deep-Run*, nigh *Elk Ridge Landing*, *Dorsey's Furnace*, and *Two Forges*. The Quality of the Land, and Advantages of its Situation, will recommend it to a Purchaser. For Terms of Sale apply to Mr. *James Frost*, on Mr. *Carroll's* Manor, beyond *Elk Ridge*.

*April 13, 1772.*

On the 22d Day of May next will be exposed to publick Sale on the Premises, for good *London Bills of Exchange*, or *Sterling Cash*,

**THE** Plantation and *Tract* of Land whereon the Subscriber now lives, lying on *Elk-Ridge*, in *Anne-Arundel County*, and Province of *Maryland*, about 22 Miles distant from *Baltimore-Town*, and 15 from *Elk-Ridge Landing*; it contains about 400 Acres, about 150 of which are cleared, about 13 Acres of good *Timothy Meadow*, and 50 more may be made with little Expence, equal to any in this Province: The Land is suitable either for *Farming* or *Tobacco*: The Plantation in good Order, and several valuable Improvements; and an excellent *Apple Orchard* of 250 bearing Trees, besides *Peaches*, *Cherries*, &c. &c. Possession will be given to the Purchaser the first Day of December next. The Title indisputable. Any Person inclinable to purchase may view the same, by applying to the Subscriber on the Premises. (ts)

**HENRY BARNES**.

**PIG-POINT RACES.**

*April 14, 1772.*

To be run for on Thursday the 28th day of May next,

**A PURSE** of THIRTY POUNDS, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, on the following Terms, viz. Four Years old to carry 8 Stone, Five Years old 8 Stone 10 Pounds, Six Years old 9 Stone 6 Pounds, and aged 10 Stone, Saddle and Bridle included:—To run the best Two in Three,—Three Mile Heats.—On the Day following will be run for over the same Ground, (the winning Horse the preceding Day excepted) A Purse of Fifteen Pounds on the following Terms. A Horse 14 Hands high to carry 9 Stone, and rise and fall agreeable to the Rules of racing.—The Horses to be entered with Mr. *Richard Wells*, on Tuesday before the Race.—Three Horses to start reputed Runners, or no Race, Subscribers paying 30 Shillings for the first Day, and 15 Shillings for the Second; Non-Subscribers 3 Pounds for the first, and 30 Shillings for the Second Day.—Judges will be appointed for the Direction of the Races, who are to determine all Disputes.—To start each Day at Two o'Clock.

*Annapolis, April 29, 1772.*

**THE** Subscriber intends to leave the Province in a short Time; those indebted to him are requested to make immediate Payment, and those who have Claims against him are desired to bring in their Accounts that they may be settled.

**JOHN LAYPOLE**.

*April 10, 1772.*

**WHEREAS** the Meetings of the Vestry of *Queen-Anne's* Parish, in *Prince-George's* County, to contract with Workmen to build a Church in said Parish, have proved fruitless, do hereby give further Notice, that they will attend at their Parish Church on the First Tuesday in June next, in order to treat with some Person or Persons to build a Brick Church of the following Dimensions, viz. 60 Feet by 46 Feet, 20 Feet Pitch above the Surface, the Wall 27 Inches thick at the Foundation, 22 Inches at the Top of the Water Table, which is to be raised Two Feet above the Surface, and 18 Inches above; with Doors and Windows in Proportion to the Building, the Roof to be covered with good *Cypress Shingles* well dressed off, and secured with *Girders* or *Pillars*, let into the principal *Rafters*, the Rafter to be about 28 or 29 Feet long. Any Person or Persons inclined to undertake the said Building, is requested to meet the Vestry at the Time and Place abovementioned, to give in Proposals. Signed by Order,

**SAMUEL TYLER**, Register.

**R A N G E R**

**WILL** cover this Season, at Mr. *William Digges's* upon *Patowmack*, at Two Pistoles a Mare and Two Shillings and Six-pence the Groom. He was got by Mr. *Martindale's Regulus*, his Dam by Lord *Portmore's Merry-Andrew*, his Gra-d-Dam by Lord *Portmore's Steady*, his Great-Grand-Dam was the Dam of *Shastoe's Wildair*, all Horses of high Form. He is great Spirit, high bred, and near 15 Hands and 3 Inches high; his Foals are very promising. Good Pasture and proper Care will be taken of the Mares. The Money to be paid at covering. (3w)

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

**A** VERY handsome *London* built COACH, with neat Harness for a Pair of Horses. Enquire of the Printer.

*Frederick County, March 19, 1772.*

To be sold at publick Vendue, on Monday the First Day of June next, on the Premises, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, pursuant to the last Will and Testament of Capt. *John Adamson*, deceased,

**THE** Land whereon the deceased lived (the burying Ground excepted) lying in *Frederick County*, about Ten Miles from *George-Town* on *Patowmack* River, Seven measured Miles from *Bladenburg*, about Five Miles from *Rock-Creek Church*, and within Half a Mile of Two good *Grist Mills* on the *North-West* Branch, containing upwards of 370 Acres, whereon is a small convenient Dwelling-house, with a *Brick Chimney*, *Plank Floors*, and a good *Cellar*, a *Kitchen* with a *stone Chimney*, a *Quarter* with a *Stone Chimney*, *Meat-house*, *Milk-house*, *Lumber-house*, *Hen-house*, *Still-house*, *Stables*, *Corn-house* almost new, and *Two Tobacco-houses*, in One of which there is a *Plank* *thrashing Floor*, a *paled Garden*; convenient to the Houses, particularly the *Still-house*, is a good *Draw-well*, with *Bucket* and *Chain*, &c. There are also *Three Apple Orchards* that produce a great deal of *Cider*, many *Peach* and some *Cherry Trees*. The Land will suit either for *planting* or *farming*, having a *Meadow* upon it, with a constant *Stream of Water*, so that it may be watered at pleasure. The Purchaser will have Liberty to put in a *Crop of Grain* at the Fall as early as he chooses, and will have full Possession of the Houses and Premises on the 25th Day of December next. Twelve Months Credit will be given the Purchaser from the Day of Sale, on his giving *Bond* and *Security*, and paying Interest from the 25th December next, the Day he is to get full Possession.

**RICH. BEAL**, son of *Nin. senr.* } Executors.  
**ANDREW HEUGH**. (w9) }

*Baltimore, April 15, 1772.*

**JUST IMPORTED**, and to be disposed of on the most reasonable Terms, for *Tobacco*, *Cash*, or *short Credit*, Wholesale, or by the Single Piece,

**LARGE** and neat Assortment of *Dry GOODS*: Also single and double refined *Sugar*, *Hyson* and *Green Teas*, and best bottled and wired fine old *London Porter*, by (m2)

**JAMES CHRISTIE**, junr.

N. B. I want a Parcel of *Pipe* and *Hoghead Staves*.  
**JUST IMPORTED**, in the *Annapolis*, Capt. *Thomas Eden*, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at his Store on the Dock,

**LARGE** and neat Assortment of *European* and *East-India* Goods, suitable to the Season; amongst which is a great Variety of well chosen *Silks* and *Sattins*, *Lawns*, *Mullins* and *Gauzes*; 25, 30, 35, and 40 Fathom *Seines*, and a very large Assortment of *Queen's China Ware*. (4w)

**LANCELOT JACQUES**.

*Annapolis, April 25, 1772.*

**JUST IMPORTED**, A GENERAL Assortment of Goods from most of the manufacturing Towns in *Britain*, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at the Store next Door below the *Coffee-House*, Wholesale or Retail, upon the lowest Terms, for *Cash* or *short Credit*. Amongst the above there is a small Assortment of fashionable *Needle* *flowered* *Mullin Aprons* and *Ruffles*. (t.f.)

**ROBERT BUCHANAN**.

POETS CORNER.

TO THE PRINTER.

SIR,

THINKING that the following Translation from Anacreon is well entitled to a Place in your Paper, I have taken the Liberty of sending it to you, without asking the Permission of the Author; who I hope, however, will become a frequent Correspondent, which it is to be lamented he cannot at present conveniently be, as he resides in a distant Province.

To such of your Readers as are Judges of elegant Composition, or of Resemblance in Translation, it is equally unnecessary to remark the happy Choice of Expression, or Anacreontick Flow of the Version of this Ode. I am,

SIR,  
Your humble Servant,  
AMICUS.

ANACREON, ODE III.

WHEN fable Night, slow-wending,  
Had gain'd the middle Steep,  
And Silence, all befriending,  
Had lull'd Mankind asleep;

When Love alone was waking,  
A Knocking shook my Gate;  
I starting cry'd—"What raking  
"Mad Fellow calls so late?"

"Pray tarry not an Instant,  
"Nor fear to let me in;  
"I am a hapless Infant,  
"Wet dripping to the Skin:

"This Night so dark and chilly!  
"It never will be Day:  
"And I, so young and filly,  
"Alas! have lost my Way."

In Haste to light a Candle  
And let him in I rose,  
With Pity prompt to dandle  
And lull him to Repose.

I open'd and admitted  
A Boy indeed, but lo!  
I found the Urchin fitted  
With Quiver, Wings and Bow.

But what Alarm of Danger  
Cou'd such an Elf inspire?  
I plac'd the little Stranger  
Before a blazing Fire,

And near, the Fairy seated,  
With fond and tender Care,  
His Hands in mine I heated  
And wrung his dripping Hair.

But he no sooner found him  
Recover'd from the Cold,  
Than, looking slyly round him,  
"Kind Sir, I'll be so bold

"To make a Trial whether,  
"(Alas I fear to know)  
"This dismal rainy Weather  
"Has hurt my little Bow."

He said, and shot an Arrow  
With such unerring Aim,  
That through my very Marrow  
The Venom spread a Flame.

(Surprize and Indignation  
Employ'd my Tongue in vain:  
Each Oath and Imprecation  
Enhanc'd my awkward Pain)

The Traitor who had acted  
So well the harmless Boy,  
Now laugh'd like one distracted,  
And cry'd—"O give me Joy!

"My Bow retains a Fitness  
"An Arrow still to dart,  
"You'll find the Wound a Witness  
"That rankles at your Heart."

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Annapolis, April 14, 1772.  
THE Subscriber intends leaving this Province this Fall, all Persons who are indebted unto me, are desired to pay their respective Debts by the 24th Day of June next, or all lawful Means will be used to recover the same; and all those who have any Demands upon me, are requested to send in their Accounts, that they may be adjusted.

(tf) JOSEPH SELBY.  
N. B. The Subscriber has a Quantity of Ladies and Gentlemens hunting Saddles: Also Chaise Harness, &c. Which he will dispose of on very reasonable Terms for ready Money only.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

April 13, 1772.  
RAN away from the Subscriber, living in Prince-George's County, near Bladensburg, on the 31st Day of March last, The Two following Servants, viz.

THOMAS ELTON, a Convict Servant Man, about Five Feet Four Inches high, wears his own short black Hair, is of a swarthy Complexion, pretty much marked with the Small-Pox, and is a well made Fellow: Had on when he went away, an old blue Waistcoat, white Broadcloth Breeches, an Osnabrig Shirt, black Yarn Stockings, and a Pair of old Shoes nailed in the Soles, one of his great Toes is so sore that he cannot get his Foot into his Shoe; 'tis probable he may change his Dress.

WILLIAM HUGHS, a well made Country born young Fellow, about Nineteen Years of Age, Five Feet Nine Inches high, of a swarthy Complexion, wears his own short black Hair, is Beetle-browed, has black Eyes, and an ugly down Look: His Cloaths are unknown: He was whipped and pillory'd at Court about Three Weeks ago, for stealing a Gun.

Whoever takes up said Servants, and brings them Home, or secures them so that their Master may get them again, shall receive the above Reward, or Fifty Shillings for either of them, paid by

(tf) CHARLES DUVAL.  
N. B. It is presumed they will not go together, as they are unacquainted with each other.

SCHEME of a LOTTERY  
For raising 1500 DOLLARS,  
FOR CLEANING AND SECURING THE DOCK IN  
ANNAPOLIS.

| Number of Prizes                             | Dollars. | Dollars. |
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| 848 Prizes.                                  |          | 10000    |
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| 5000 Tickets, at Two Dollars each, amount to |          | 10000    |

BY the above SCHEME, there are more than Four Blanks to a Prize, and the Prizes are subject to a Deduction of Fifteen per Cent. but as there are many of them very valuable, it is not doubted but the Tickets will very soon be disposed of, especially as a great Number of them are already engaged.

The Drawing to begin on the Second Monday in July next, or sooner if sooner full, in the Presence of Five of the Managers at least, and as many of the Adventurers as chuse to attend.

The Managers are, Messrs. Lancelot Jacques, William Reynolds, William Poca, Thomas Johnson, Thomas Jennings, Samuel Chase, James Tilghman, William Cook, Robert Couden, John Brice, Charles Wallace, John Davidson, Thomas Harwood, John Clapham, James Williams, Thomas Brooke Hodgkin, William Rooke, Robert Johnson, William Deards, James Brice, Colin Campbell, James Dundas, John Galloway, James Brooks, and Samuel Harvey Howard; who are to give Bond, and be upon Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust.

A List of Prizes will be published in the Gazette, which will be ready to be paid in One Month after drawing. Those not demanded within Six Months will be deemed as generously given for the Emolument of the City.

TICKETS may be had of any of the Managers.

Charles County, March 22, 1772.  
On Tuesday the 26th of May next, at the House of Mrs. Anne Halkerston, in Port-Tobacco, will be exposed to Sale, to the highest Bidder,

THE Two following Tracts or Parcels of Land, late the Property of Capt. Robert Horner, and conveyed to me in Trust for the Use of his Creditors.

KEITH'S REST, lying in the County aforesaid, near Mr. Joshua Sanders's, in the Neighbourhood of Bryan-Town. This Tract was patented for only One Hundred Acres, but it is said contains near Three. Any Person inclinable to view it before the Day of Sale, may apply to Mr. David Osburn, a Tenant on it.

HOG MARSH, containing Eight Acres, a Piece of Lease Land for Three Lives, lying in Westwood Marsh, adjoining Westwood Manor, and near the Plantation of Mr. John Winter, on Wicomico River in the County aforesaid.—Those who have an Inclination to purchase both or either of the above-mentioned Tracts of Land, must come prepared with Current Money, Sterling Cash, or Bills of Exchange, as no Credit can be given by

(t.s.) GEORGE LEE, Sheriff.

Jan. 6, 1772.  
To be sold at Frederick-Town, on Thursday the 28th Day of May next, 6300 Acres of Land, by Virtue of an Act of Assembly of the Province of Maryland, empowering the Executors of Col. Thomas Colvill, to grant Deeds to Mr. John Semple, his Heirs, or Assigns, for a certain Tract of Land, called Merryland, in Frederick County, and Province aforesaid, containing 6300 Acres.

WE the Subscribers being Assigns of the said Semple, and having received from the Executors of Col. Colvill, sufficient Deeds for the Land aforesaid, do hereby undertake to dispose of the same, at the Time and Place above-mentioned. It is laid off into Lots, in the most advantageous Manner, so that any one of them will make One, Two, or Three good Settlements, as will appear by the Plat, a Copy of which may be seen at the Coffee-Houses of Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Annapolis, in the Hands of Cumberland Wilson, Dumfries, Adam Stewart, George-Town, and Mr. Charles Beatty, Frederick-Town, who will direct those desirous of seeing the Land, to a Person acquainted with the Boundaries, on or near the Premises, who will shew them the same; but as we intend to meet on the Spot ourselves a few Days before the Sale, in order to run the Lines, &c. those inclinable to purchase will have an Opportunity of viewing it with us, by attending from Monday the 25th, till the 28th, the Day of Sale.

This Land is very suitable for planting or farming, being well watered and timbered, no Settlement having ever been made on it, and a very good Soil; it lies along the Banks of Patowmack River, adjoining it for a considerable Way, near to Harper's Ferry, the main Road from which, to Frederick-Town (a very flourishing populous Place) runs through it, from which it is distant only about Nine Miles, from George-Town, the Sea-port of the County Forty-five Miles, and from Baltimore about Sixty-five Miles; at each of which Places a constant and ready Market may be found for all Kinds of Produce.

Its Situation on Patowmack River must be of considerable Advantage to it, and in Time may add immensely to its Value, when the Navigation is opened, which may be done without any great Difficulty for a considerable Distance; there being at present a tolerable Navigation, both below and above, it lying near the Shanandoa Falls, from whence up to Fort-Cumberland, 110 Miles, Battoes now frequently pass, and downwards to the Seneca Falls, 25 Miles, which is within 20 Miles of George-Town.—It will be sold in separate Lots, or all together, for Sterling or Current Money, as may best suit the Purchasers; one Third to be paid down at the Sale, one Third payable in Twelve Months, and the other in Two Years, giving Bond and Security with Interest, till paid.—A most undoubted Title will be made to the Purchasers, by

(ts) ADAM STEUART,  
THOMAS MONTGOMERIE,  
CUMBERLAND WILSON.

Annapolis, March 24, 1772.  
To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBERS,

THREE Tracts of Land, lying in Frederick County, containing by Patent 610 Acres, which will be sold for a very reasonable Price. For Terms apply to

(tf) SAMUEL HOWARD  
JOHN HOWARD.

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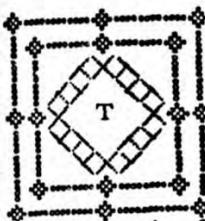
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# MARYLAND GAZETTE.

T H U R S D A Y, M A Y 28, 1772.

V I E N N A, Feb. 8.



HE council of war has ordered all officers to join their respective regiments the 20th of this month. The warlike preparations continue here with unremitting activity, and they are so intent upon filling the magazines for the subsistence of the troops, that the bakers have received orders to furnish a certain quantity of biscuit daily till Whitfuntide; and it is likewise reported, that the Imperial troops, 80,000 in number, will encamp at Peterwarad in the ensuing spring. Orders have been given to raise recruits to complete the different corps, which is more easy to effect since the reformation in the electoral troops of Saxony, as part of those soldiers enter into the Imperial service, and part into that of the Confederates.

NAPLES, Feb. 11. His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester, who continues extremely well, intends to set out from hence on Sunday or Monday (to-morrow) in order to spend the last week of the carnival at Rome.

HAMBURG, Feb. 20. On the 13th of February, at the Court then at Christenbourg, a new Council of State was created; the colour given for this creation is, that his Majesty, out of the most tender regard to his subjects, deeming it more advisable that they should be governed by many than one head, has erected this Council of State. The manifesto under which it was published consists of four articles.

By the first article, his Royal Highness Prince Frederick, the Counts Thett, Rentzau, Schberg, Otto, Shack, Rathlou, Admiral Hans, Henry Roaming, General Hans Henrick Von Eichlicht, Adolphus Siegfried, Minister for the foreign departments, are to assemble weekly in presence of the King.

By the second article, no person is to apply to this Council of State, until he has first applied to the college or board that has cognizance of his particular business, and that board is to certify the facts, so far as they come under the immediate cognizance and direction of such board; the final decision of which is left entirely to this new Council of State: and such determination or rule as they shall make, the King obliges himself to sign.

By the third, all the trials, inquests, processes, &c. are to be in the Danish language.

By the fourth, the King is to set his sign manual to no instrument whatsoever, but in the presence and by the information of such person or persons as are learned in the laws of the land; and, to prevent any farther mischief and future disorder, it is declared to be the King's pleasure, that if at any time, by surprize or otherwise, he should be induced to affix his signature to any such instrument, the possessor of it shall not use it, until it shall have been examined into by the college or board to which it properly belongs, and even after such examination, it must be approved, ratified and confirmed, by the Council of State, as mentioned in the first article.

WARSAW, Feb. 22. Capt. Wrangel is arrived here this moment, with advice that the preliminaries of peace between Russia and the Porte had just been settled and signed at the army of Count Romanzow, by that general and a minister plenipotentiary from the Grand Signior, both duly authorized for that purpose by their respective courts; and that afterwards the Ottoman minister had dispatched couriers to all the courts in friendship with the Porte, to inform them of this event.

MARCH 4. The important news of signing the preliminaries of peace between Russia and the Porte is fully confirmed. We do not yet know the particulars, only that they are entirely to the satisfaction of the Emperors of Russia, and were signed through the mediation of the court of Vienna. The ratification will take place at the next congress, but it is not yet known where it will be held.

BRANDENBURGH, Feb. 23. The third of February, Major General Belling received advice, that Mazowiecki, Marshal of the Confederates, and commander of the confederacies of Cujavia, Dobrzyń, and Lithuania, consisting of several thousand strong, was endeavouring to penetrate through the Prussian line, and march towards Cujavia. On this advice M. Belling went to meet him, with a detachment of 100 horse of Kowalski's regiment, some foot, and one piece of cannon. He found Mazowiecki near the cloyster of Strzelnow. After cutting to pieces 30 of the van-guard of the Confederates, the rest retired with the greatest precipitation, and gave up their design of penetrating through the Prussian line.

PARIS, Feb. 28. Suicide continues to make a great progress. M. D— de B—, late Counsellor at the Chatelet, and who was banished to Montargis, hanged himself in the garret of the house he occupied in that town. It is thought the reason of his committing that rash action was, that, having married a very amiable woman, other people found her to be so besides himself. Another gentleman, a late member of the Parliament of Rouen, shot himself through the head

in cool blood, after having wrote a billet, which was found upon his table, in these words: "My advice was not asked when I came into the world, therefore I think myself at liberty to go out of it without consulting any body."

L O N D O N,

Feb. 22. Some workmen, who were employed in the ruins of the abbey at St. Edmundsbury, found a leaden coffin, made after the ancient custom, exactly the shape of the body. This had been enclosed in an oak case, which by length of time was decayed, but the lead remained quite perfect. Upon close examination, it was found to be the body of Thomas Beaufort, Duke of Exeter, uncle to Henry V. and deposited in 1427. On opening the lead, the flesh, hair, and toe and hand nails, were as perfect and found as though he had not been dead six hours. A surgeon in the neighbourhood made an incision on the breast, and declares the flesh cut as firm as in a living subject, and there was even an appearance of blood; multitudes of people were present and saw the same. At this time the corpse was not in the least noisome, but, being exposed to the air, it presently became putrid and offensive. The workmen coming early on Friday morning, resolved to make prize of the lead, and therefore cut out the corpse, tumbled it into a hole near at hand, and threw the dirt on it. The lead was conveyed directly to the plumbers, and there sold for 22 Shillings. Thus, in Shakespeare's phrase, was a great man knocked about the scone with a dirty shovel.

Mr. Wortley Montague is said, by the last letters from the Levant, to have retired to the neighbourhood of Horeb, with a Christian monk, to imitate Mahomet, who, by the assistance of Sergius, propagated a faith, which has since prevailed over half the world.

Yesterday died, much lamented by the curious in the phenomena of nature, the noted Chevalier Descaizeaux, who resided for thirty years in a garret within the rules of the Fleet. He has left, by his will, his tragedy of Turnus between the managers of our theatres and the King of France.

Feb. 29. We hear that Mr. Wortley Montague has actually submitted to a disagreeable operation, to induce the wild Arabs to receive him into their society. The new religion, which he inculcates upon his followers, partakes more of Mahometanism than of Christianity; and, to give him influence with the fair sex, they are to be admitted, but with additional charms, into his paradise.

MARCH 1. In the pocket of a footman to a lady of fashion (who it seems had purchased the chance of a ticket in the state lottery) was found the following curious memorandum: "When I get the ten thousand pounds I'll marry Bett Johnson, but because she was kyo and laicy I'll use hir like a sarvant; she shall bring me every morning a mug of strong bear with a telt, nutmeg, and sugar; then sleep till ten, when I'll have a sack possit; have dinner on table precisely at wan; lay in a stock of wine and brandy; about five have tarts and gellies, and a gallen boull of punch; a hot supper of two dishes, and if in good humour ask Bett to sit down; go to bed at twelve."

MARCH 6. On Wednesday the following plan for regulating the affairs of the East India Company was laid before the proprietors, previous to its being brought into Parliament: "That the President and Council of Bengal should not be permitted to trade in any one respect whatsoever. That every free merchant should be obliged to take out a fresh licence, under such restrictions as the President and Council should think fit. That no subject of this kingdom, being in India, shall be permitted to buy up any warlike stores; half the forfeitures to go to the informers. That a Chief Justice and three other Judges be appointed, who are to be called the Supreme Court of Judicature. All criminal matters to be tried by Juries, civil ones by deposition; subject to appeal to the President and Council, and from them to his Majesty and Privy Council here."

Mr. Bolts, who has published a work on the India affairs, which will probably cover the Nabobs with confusion, tells us in that publication, that he has been plundered of 60,000l. out of 90, which he had acquired in the fair pursuits of commerce, and for which he has commenced actions at law against his principal oppressors. Mr. Bolts is not yet thirty years of age, and is a Dutchman, though born of English parents.

MARCH 7. The Irish patriots, like the English, have quarrelled, and a total breach, we hear, has taken place between the Duke of Leinster, the Speaker, and Mr. Flood.

Abstract of what passed in the House of Commons on Friday Je'nnight.

After the private business of the day was finished, Sir George Colebroke rose up and spoke thus:

"Mr. Speaker, "I have in my hand a petition to this House in behalf of Dr. Irwin, who has made the most important discovery of which this age can boast. This discovery is no less than that of rendering salt water fresh: a desideratum of which philosophers and chymists have

long been in search, but in vain. And, indeed, no wonder, since the healths and lives of so many men depended upon success in the enquiry. But I forgot myself. It would be idle, before such a well informed assembly as this, to expatiate upon the advantages accruing to the community from the discovery, since it must be evident to the most untutored, that it materially affects our trade and commerce. Suffice it to say, that the Doctor's scheme is no chimera, no built castle, but is founded on the firm basis of experiments. He has communicated the secret to the Admiralty, to the Navy Office, and to the India Company; and, as far as their testimony will go, there is no doubt of his success. The experiment has been successfully made by all of them, as well as by the officers of the fleet at Portsmouth; and they have all found the water, that had undergone the Doctor's process, fresh, tasteless, without smell, and, in one word, a fit substitute for pure elemental water. Nor is this all. The operation by which this wonder is effected is neither difficult, tedious, nor expensive. The apparatus is simple, and easily made by a carpenter, who may, without any inconvenience or hindrance to the ship, produce, in a small space of time, 500 tons of good water. Had this requisite been wanting, had the process been operose or chargeable, the discovery, however much entitled to your praise for its ingenuity, could have little claim to your munificence as a national object. But, as this is not the case, as the reverse is the fact, the Doctor, in my opinion, is fully justified in recurring to your bounty, and in soliciting a reward for so great a national benefit. For these and many other reasons, which every gentleman's good sense and experience will suggest better than I can express them, I move for leave to bring up this petition."

Young Reynard has boasted in several companies, that he humbled the Minister effectually, and that the latter had truckled to him to resume his seat at the Treasury Board. This was told to Lord North, who said dryly, "That the Boy was much given to lying."

MARCH 8. Orders are given for a general survey to be taken of all the ancient fortresses in Scotland, and a report made of the state thereof.

It is absurd to talk of our going to war, to vindicate the (lost) honour of the Queen of Denmark. Considering the number of daughters his Majesty has and may have, and the great profligacy of the age, were we to go to war as often as a Princess of the Blood chuses to play the wanton, we might be engaged in so many wars, that we should never be at peace.

MARCH 9. By his Majesty's royal order, the guards which used to attend his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland are to attend him no more on any Occasion, either publick or private, nor have they attended his Highness since his late marriage.

In one of the East India ships, which is expected home this spring, we hear they have got a wild man on board, taken in the deserts of that country; he is represented to be all covered over with hair of the caliban kind, and comes as a present to a gentleman at Hamptstead.

At Cornely's masquerade last Monday, a pretty fruit wench attracted so forcibly the attention of Lord Grosvenor, that for two hours she was the sole object of his flattery and admiration. At length, worked up into an irresistible want of forming an alliance with her, he told her his name, offered a carte blanche, and begged she would not delay his happiness. The lady whispered her consent, but insisted upon continuing masked. The amorous Lord, overjoyed at the conquest he had made, conducted his fair innamorata to the nunnery in Pall Mall, where, having praised and re-praised every charm he beheld and enjoyed, he obtained leave to untie the odious mask that concealed the beauty who had made him happy. What pen, or pencil, could paint or describe the ghastly astonishment of his Lordship at the sight of that woman! What! My wife, muttered he, shaking in every limb! Lady Grosvenor burst into laughter and left the room, thanking him ironically for the right he had given her to taste with impunity of the forbidden fruit.

It is well observed by a member of the House of Commons on the Royal marriage bill, that it was paving the way for the male issue of the Royal Family to live in a continual course of debauchery and dissoluteness; for if they are by this act debarred from marriage for so many years, contrary to law and nature, what can be expected but that they will give loose to their passions, and gratify them in a private and clandestine manner, forming illicit connexions with the wives and daughters of nobility and gentry, as they may happen to come in their way, and living at large through the kingdom.

We can assure the publick from authority, that Lord North sent a message a few days ago to the dissenting ministers, that they might be assured of his good wishes in releasing them from subscribing to the articles; and that upon a proper application they might depend upon his assistance. The ministers accordingly had a meeting, and appointed a committee of fifteen to conduct this important affair.

We are assured by the best authority, that an express is actually arrived over land from the East Indies, which brings news of the very worst kind.



Baltimore, May 25, 1772.

On Thursday the 4th of June will be exposed to Sale, on Board the Brigantine Friendship, at Baltimore Town.

A CHOICE Parcel of likely young SLAVES, consisting of Men, Women, Boys and Girls, arrived from the Coast of Africa; to be sold for Cash or Bills of Exchange. Apply to Samuel and Robert Purviance, or to the Subscriber on Board the Vessel.

(2w) JAMES PATERSON.

A QUANTITY of very good WOOL to be sold cheap, at Mr. WILLIAM THOMAS'S, on South River.

(3w)

TAKEN up at Mr. Carroll's Plantation, beyond Elk-Ridge, a Stray gray trotting Gelding, with Switch Tail, no perceivable Brand or Mark, about 3 Hands high. The Owner may have him, paying Charges.

Baltimore, May 13, 1772.

TO BE CHARTERED,

THE Ship BETSEY, James Bartholomew Master, now lying at Fell's-Point; she carries about 380 Hogheads of Tobacco, or 10,000 Bushels of Wheat. For Terms apply to

(2w) ROBERT CHRISTIE, jun.

who has for Sale Tenerife Wine, in Pipes, Hogheads and Quarter Casks; likewise a large Assortment of dry Goods, just imported in the last Vessels from London, Liverpool and Glasgow.

ALL Persons any ways indebted to the Estate of THOMAS LANCASTER, late of Prince George's County, deceased, are hereby required to discharge the same; and all Persons that have any just Claims against the said Estate are likewise desired to bring them in, properly attested, that they may be discharged by

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ISAAC LANSDALE, Administrator.

RAN away from the Ship Molly, William Maynard Commander, now lying at Benedict, Two indentured Servant Men; the one named ROBERT CUMMINS, by Trade a Barber and Peruke maker, is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, wears his own Hair of a light Colour tied behind: Had on when he went away, a dark brown Coat and Buckskin Breeches, and a Hat covered with Oilskin. The other named RICHARD JONES, by Trade a House Carpenter and Joiner, about the same Height as the former, wears his own dark Hair, and is pitted with the Small-Pox: Had on a light coloured Coat and dirty Buckskin Breeches. Whoever takes up the above Servants, and secures them in any Jail within this Province, shall receive Three Pounds Reward, or Thirty Shillings for either, besides what the Law allows; and it taken out of the Province Five Pounds for both, or in Proportion.

(t.f.)

WILLIAM MAYNARD.

JOHN FINCH, formerly of the Parish of Hotfield, in the County of Kent, in England, lived about the Year 1740, on the East Side of Patowmack River, in the Province of Maryland, and afterwards dwelt in Virginia and Pennsylvania, but the Place of his present Abode is uncertain. If the said John Finch be still living, or any of his lawful Heirs, by applying to Thomas Brooke Hodgkin, in Annapolis, Mess. Samuel and Robert Purviance, in Baltimore, Mess. George Meade, and Co in Philadelphia, or Mess. Curson and Seton, in New-York, he or they may hear of something to his or their Advantage. Should he be dead, and left no Issue, it is requested of any Person or Persons to whom he might have been known, to give the necessary Advice to any one of the above Gentlemen.

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Frederick County, April 30, 1772.

MR. GEORGE WALKER'S Creditors are requested to give him Twelve Months longer for the Payment of his Debts, or he will apply to the next General Assembly for Relief; it can be made appear that he has for some Time past been doing what lay in his Power to make Money in order to pay them, but the last Winter being so bad, it could not be expected he could go out surveying. His Creditors who spoke to me to get Mr. Hanson's Note, must excuse me from troubling that Gentleman, as he will not do it.

(3w)

JAMES HACKMAN, Sheriff.

Frederick County, April 30, 1772.

COMMITTED to my Custody as a Runaway, JOHN DOYL, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, with black Hair and a long Beard; Has on, a Fear-nought Coat, brown Jacket, a short Leather Apron, and Breeches of many Colours. He says he came in to Philadelphia with Capt. Miller. His Master is desired to take him away and pay Charges.

(3w)

JAMES HACKMAN, Sheriff.

Annapolis, April 25, 1772.

JUST IMPORTED, A GENERAL Assortment of Goods from most of the manufacturing Towns in Britain, and to be sold by the Subscriber, at the Store next Door below the Coffee-House, Wholesale or Retail, upon the lowest Terms, for Cash or short Credit.

Among the above there is a small Assortment of fashionable Needle flowered Muslin Aprons and Ruffles.

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ROBERT BUCHANAN.

THERE is at the Plantation of John M'Donnell, at the Head of Severn, taken up as a Stray, a dark bay Horse, about 13 Hands and a half high, has a switch Tail, some white Spots under the Saddle, and branded on the near Shoulder R, paces, trots and gallops. The Owner may have him again on proving Property and paying Charges.

HERE is at the Plantation of Thomas Noland, at Noland's Ferry in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a dark roan Mare, about 12 Hands high, about 6 Years old, branded on the near Buttock HH, has a Star and Snip, and 3 white Feet. The Owner may have her again on proving Property and paying Charges.

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JUST PUBLISHED,

And to be sold at the PRINTING-OFFICE,

THE

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the last SESSION of ASSEMBLY.

THE Members of the Maryland JOCKEY-CLUB, are desired to meet at the Coffee-House, on Thursday the Fourth Day of June next. EDWARD LLOYD, Esq; SAMUEL GALLOWAY, Esq; } Stewards.

Dinner to be on Table at Two o'Clock. Those Gentlemen who propose to attend, will be so obliging to give timely Notice to

WILLIAM EDDIS, Secretary.

Just imported, in the Eden, Capt. Samuel Nicholson, and to be sold, Wholesale and Retail, on the lowest Terms, by the Subscriber, in Church-street, Annapolis,

A LARGE and genteel Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS. THOMAS GASSAWAY, jun.

Upper-Marlborough, May 11, 1772.

FOR the Ease of the People in the different Parts of Prince George's County; the Subscriber gives Notice, that he will attend at the following Places on the Days undermentioned, in order to receive what is due to him as Sheriff.

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RALPH FORSTER.

- At Nottingham, the 10th and 11th of June.
- At Piscataway, 12th and 13th.
- At Broad Creek, 15th.
- At Bladensburg, 16th and 17th.
- At Queen-Anne, 18th.
- At Upper-Marlboro', 19th and 20th.

Baltimore, April 24, 1772.

MORDECAI GIST

BEGS Leave to inform his Customers and the Publick in general, that he has removed his Store from Gay-street, to the Second Door above the Market-house, adjoining Mr. David Ruff's Tavern, in Baltimore-street, where he continues selling, Wholesale and Retail, at his usual very low Advance. He has just imported in the Industry, Capt. David Carcaud, from London, a large and neat Assortment of East-India and European Goods, which are now opening, and returns his grateful Acknowledgements for the many Favours of his good Customers, and flatters himself, their Continuance will prove conducive to mutual Advantage.

N. B. All those whose Accounts have stood open above Twelve Months, are requested to discharge their respective Balances without further Advice, as the uncustomary low Advance he has always sold at, will not admit a longer Indulgence.

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JAMES PIPER,

CLOCK AND WATCHMAKER,

INFORMS the Publick, that he carries on the Clock and Watchmaking Business in all its Branches, at Chester-Town, Kent County: He also makes Surveying Instruments of all Kinds, such as Theodolites, Circumferentors, &c. and as it shall be his constant Study to merit the Esteem of the Publick, he flatters himself that he will give general Satisfaction to all Gentlemen whom it may please to make Trial of his Abilities in either of the above-mentioned Branches, as due Regard will be had that their Orders be punctually executed.

A Journeyman who properly understands either Clock or Watchmaking, will meet with good Encouragement by applying as above. The highest Price will be given for old Brafs.

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Frederick County, May 6, 1772.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Thomas Jones, deceased, are desired to come and settle their Accounts, and make Payment; likewise those that have Accounts against the said Estate, are desired to bring them in.

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JOHN HOPKINS, Administrator.

HERE is at the Plantation of Charles Murphy, near the Great Falls of Patowmack, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a dark chefnut sorrel Mare, about 14 Hands and an Inch high, has a Snip on her Nose, some white Hairs in her Fore-head, and white Spots upon her Rump; trots and gallops. The Owner may have her again, proving Property and paying Charges.

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TO BE SOLD,

A VERY handsome London built COACH, with neat Harness for a Pair of Horses. Enquire of the Printer.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

April 9, 1772.

BROKE out of Cecil County Jail on Tuesday the 7th Inst. Alexander Moore, and William Arnett, who were committed to my Custody as Criminals.—Moore is about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high: Had on, a grayish Coat and Jacket, Leather Breeches, blue Worsted Stockings, and plain Silver Buckles in his Shoes.—Arnett is about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 Inches high: Had on, a brown Half Coat, Leather Breeches, and white Stockings.—Whoever secures them, and delivers them to the Subscriber, shall have the above Reward, or Five Pounds for each.

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RICHARD THOMAS, Sheriff.

Annapolis, March 26, 1772.

THE Subscribers have removed their Store from Church-Street, to the new Building on the Front of the Dock, and have imported in the Caroline, Captain Thomas Pearson, from London, and to be sold on the most reasonable Terms, at Wholesale and Retail, a general Assortment of European and India Goods, amongst which are a Choice of Millinery, and the most fashionable Silks.

THOMAS HARWOOD, junr. JOHN BRICE.

To be sold, by Way of publick Vendue, on Tuesday the 9th of June next, at the House of Mr. Joseph Belt, in George-Town,

TWO Overshot Grist Mills and a Saw Mill, on Rock Creek, about Five Miles from George-Town, which in all Probability will soon become one of the most flourishing Towns in the Province, where there is a good Market and Infusion for Flour, and about Six Miles from Bladensburg; one of these Mills are double geared, with an exceeding good Pair of French Bur Stones; and 300 Acres of Land adjoining, with Three Plantations that will rent for 25 Pounds a Year. Also a good new Grist Mill on Little Monocasy, with about 100 Acres of Land: This Mill is well situated for Custom or a Merchant Mill, having an extensive Body of good Land adjoining, which is very thick settled, and no Market for Grain nigher than George-Town, which is about 30 Miles. I have also for Sale about 500 Acres of Land adjoining Rock Creek Church, which is almost between George-Town and Bladensburg.—Time will be given for half the Money, on paying Interest to

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ZACHARIAH WHITE,

April 10, 1772.

WHEREAS the Meetings of the Vestry of Queen-Anne's Parish, in Prince-George's County, to contract with Workmen to build a Church in said Parish, have proved fruitless, do hereby give further Notice, that they will attend at their Parish Church on the First Tuesday in June next, in order to treat with some Person or Persons to build a Brick Church of the following Dimensions, viz. 60 Feet by 46 Feet, 20 Feet Pitch above the Surface, the Wall 27 Inches thick at the Foundation, 22 Inches at the Top of the Water Table, which is to be raised Two Feet above the Surface, and 18 Inches above; with Doors and Windows in Proportion to the Building, the Roof to be covered with good Cypress Shingles well dressed off, and secured with Girders or Pillars, let into the principal Rafters, the Rafter to be about 28 or 29 Feet long. Any Person or Persons inclined to undertake the said Building, is requested to meet the Vestry at the Time and Place abovementioned, to give in Proposals.

Signed by Order,

SAMUEL TYLER, Register.

Baltimore, April 15, 1772.

Just imported, and to be disposed of on the most reasonable Terms, for Tobacco, Cash, or short Credit, Wholesale, or by the Single Piece,

A LARGE and neat Assortment of Dry GOODS: Also single and double refined Sugar, Hyson and Green Teas, and best bottled and wired fine old London Porter, by

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JAMES CHRISTIE, junr.

N. B. I want a Parcel of Pipe and Hoghead Staves.

Annapolis, May 5, 1772.

JUST IMPORTED, In the Brigantine Peace and Plenty, Capt. Thomas Smith, from London, and to be sold by Thomas Hyde, at his Store in South East Street, Wholesale or Retail, for ready Money or short Credit.

A LARGE and neat Assortment of European and India Goods, among which are a few Pieces of genteel Silk, a Variety of superfine Clothes, single and double refined Sugar, Bohea and Hyson Tea, Jar Raisins, Florence Oil, and Window Glafs. Also a Quantity of very good Country sole and upper Leather, among which are a few Dozens of neat Calf-skins. Train Oil and Goree.

A handsome riding Chair and Harness for a single Horse to be sold for ready Cash only.

Baltimore, April 28, 1772.

Just imported, and to be sold by the Subscriber,

A LARGE Quantity of Drugs and Medicines of all Kinds, Apothecary Utensils, Surgeons Instruments, urinal, nipple and cupping Glafs, &c. Also an Assortment of Painters Colours, Oil, Brushes, Hair Pencils, Window Glafs, Puty, Gold Leaf, Varnish, Lacker, &c. &c.

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ALEXANDER STENHOUSE,

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**P O E T R Y.**  
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 TO THE P R I N T E R.

S I R,  
 HAVING seen Two or Three imperfect Copies of the following short Poem, handed ab ut, in Justice to its Author, I have sent you this, which was, some Time ago, correctly copied from the Original, in the Possession of the Gentleman to whom the Incident alluded to happened.  
 Begging Pardon of the Authors for taking this Liberty without their Permission, I am,  
 S I R,  
 Your constant Reader,  
 BRIAREUS.

The D O V E S, an E L E G Y.  
 ———— rauce, tua Cura, Palumbes. V I R G.

WHERE *Choptank's* slow and sleepy Waters stray,  
 Solemn and silent thro' Pine-nodding Groves,  
 Where erst the Sons of Freedom wont to play,  
 Chase the fleet Deer, and woo their dusky Loves;

Where still the Fragments of that Warrior Race,  
 Which once o'er pread wide *Nanticoke's* Plains,  
 Their ancient Splendor, now all vanish'd, trace,  
 And shew with Grief their last great King's Remains.

'Twas in that genial Season of the Year  
 When Russian Winter, with its horrid Train  
 Of desolating Storms and Tempets drear  
 Retires, and bids Creation smile again;

A Pair of Doves, a gentler Pair, I ween,  
 Not *Venus*, in her own *Idalian* Grove,  
 Nor *Venus' Son* in *Acidale* hath seen  
 More fam'd for Constancy or truest Love.

Secure in Innocence, by Love impell'd,  
 Perch'd Side by Side upon a budding Spray,  
 Sought where their little Nest they safe might build,  
 Wherein their future callow Brood to lay.

"Here," said the Husband to his melting Bride,  
 Whilst on her downy Breast his Head did lie,  
 "Our twig-twin'd Tenement secure we'll hide  
 "Impervious to each vagrant prying Eye;

"In conscious Virtue here, my fairest Dove,  
 "Together will we pass each Joy wing'd Hour,  
 "Here t'ime our little Lamp of purest Love,  
 "And coo, and bill, and love till Life's no more."

'Twas thus, with am'rous Dalliance mix'd, the Pair  
 Fearless as innocent talk'd down the Sun,  
 When lo! benumb'd with Dread and dire Despair,  
 They saw *Philander* point the deadly Gun.

Alarm'd, appall'd, and all with Horror chill'd,  
 O'er his lov'd Spouse his Wing the Turtle spread,  
 Ah me! a feeble unavailing Shield,  
 Yet clinging close to him her Terrors fled;

For thus united; if the Death wing'd Shot,  
 Had reach'd them both in soft Embraces join'd,  
 However dire had been their hapless Lot,  
 Dying together they had dy'd resign'd;

To fair *Clarinda* then his Complaint he rais'd,  
*Clarinda*, Dryad of *Dorsetian* Groves,  
 "Oh haste sweet Patroness, in Mercy haste,  
 "And save from instant Death thy fav'rite Doves.

"By ev'ry Charm of Love's Almighty Pow'r,  
 "By ev'ry nameless dear connubial Joy,  
 "By what thy own Heart feels, I thee conjure,  
 "Let not *Philander's* Gun thy Doves destroy;

"So may'st thou, gentlest of the gentler Kind,  
 "Whilst other Nymphs are scorn'd by other Swains,  
 "Thy own beloved *Damon* ever bind  
 "In rosy Fetters and in silken Chains."

His Complaint *Clarinda* heard with tearful Eye,  
*Clarinda's* Heart is tender, as she's fair,  
 And bade her guardian Sylph immediate fly  
 To snatch from instant Death the faithful Pair.

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On Wings of Wind obedient *Ariel* flew  
 To where his level'd Tube *Philander* held,  
 And thence the Fire-engend'ring Flint he drew,  
 Or ah! full surely had the Doves been kill'd.

As some tall Poppy overcharg'd with Rain,  
 Dejected, sunk with Sorrow to the Ground,  
 By fair *Clarinda's* Hand releas'd, again  
 Springs up, and smiles with added Fragrance crown'd;

So smil'd the Doves, whilst, hopping from the Spray,  
 To their *Clarinda's* Bower their Course they shape,  
 And there, in gayer Notes, and sprightlier Lay  
 The glad Historians sing their late Escape.

"Ah! but for thee, ev'n now," the Turtle said,  
 "My Turtarella had resign'd her Breath,  
 "Yet Spite of Fate with her I wou'd have bled,  
 "As join'd in Life, so had we been in Death.

"For this, nor for Ourselves, nor Younglings, we  
 "One Grain of Corn, or Seed of thine will steal,  
 "But from thy Plants each Grub or Worm we see  
 "We'll careful pick, and on them make our Meal.

"For this, each Morn and Eve, along this Stream,  
 "To thee our grateful Oraisons we'll raise;  
 "Our little Nestlings too, sh ll lisp thy Name,  
 "And all the warbling Throng be taught thy  
 "Praise.

"Yet, tell that rash, tho' not ungentle Swain,  
 "For sure he seems no Enemy to Love,  
 "Wou'd he his dearest *Chloe's* Heart retain,  
 "He ne'er must here, or elsewhere kill a Dove."

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Newport, Charles County, March 10, 1772.  
 RAN away from the Subscriber's Plantation, near *Bryan-Town*, a Mulatto Man Slave called *Stephen Butler*; he is a lusty Fellow, about 6 Feet 2 Inches high, thin faced, has a small Scar on the right Cheek-Bone, and has lost One of his under Jaw fore Teeth: Had on when he went away a blue Duffel Jacket, a white Cotton ditto, and spotted Cotton Breeches; it is likely he may have changed them, as he has different Suits. He plays on the Fiddle, works at tight coopering, sawing and Wheel-work, is by Trade a Carpenter, has been pretty well known as a Runaway for these 30 Years, and has so great a Correspondence amongst many white People, that he never was once taken only by myself. He has confessed to me and many others where he has been harboured and whose Houses he resorted; that he has worked for several by Stealth, whose Names I shall pass over in Silence at this Time, but for the future, if I can possibly make Proof either against white or black, I will proceed against them as the Law directs. He is a very great Liar, an insinuating Fellow, and if taken into Custody will endeavour to make his Escape. Whoever will take up and bring the said Slave to his Master, shall have, if taken in the County, Ten Dollars, if in any other County Twelve, and if Fifty Miles from Home or out of the Province Ten Pounds and reasonable Charges, paid by (w6) LEONARD BOARMAN.  
 FIFTEEN DOLLARS REWARD.

Baltimore, April 22, 1772.  
 RAN away about Fourteen Months ago, from the Subscriber's Plantation in *Frederick* County, an Irish Servant Man named *ANDREW DUNLOP*, has been some Years in the Country, since which he came under Indenture; he is about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, has dark brown Hair tied behind, thin Visage and pale Complexion, talks much of his being a Soldier in the last War, is subject to drink and very impertinent: Had on and took with him a Suit of brown Drab Cloth, old blue Camlet Coat and Jacket, old Castor Hat, Two Pair of Shoes, and sundry other Things unknown. Whoever brings said Servant to his Master, living in *Baltimore-Town*, or delivers him in Custody of the Sheriff of said County, shall receive the above Reward by MORDECAI GIST.  
 N. B. His Wife being a free Woman has since gone off to him, and they have lately been heard of in *Pennsylvania*.

Piscataway, April 8, 1772.  
 Just imported, and to be sold for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Crop Tobacco, at a low advance, ABOUT £. 670 Cost of Goods, consisting of Osnabrigs, Irish Linens, Irish white and brown Sheeting, home made Checks, coarse and fine Hats, low priced Clothes, 10d and 20d Nails, and many other Articles too numerous to particularize.  
 (6w) JOHN BAYNES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Stage-wagon belonging to *John Bolton*, that plies from *Rock-Hall* to *Newcastle*, will begin the 11th of this Instant, *May*, to set out from *Chester-Town* on Mondays, and will continue going till the Navigation is stopped by the Ice in *Delaware*; she will arrive at *Newcastle* on Tuesday about Noon, where a complete Stage-boat, kept by *Joseph Tatlow*, will take in the Passengers and Goods, and sails immediately for *Philadelphia*; the same Day the Wagon will set out from *Newcastle*, and arrive at *Chester-Town* on Thursday; on Friday she will go to *James Hodges's* at *Rock-Hall*, who will have a complete Boat to take in the Passengers, &c. and sail immediately for *Annapolis*; she will leave *Annapolis* Saturday Morning at 6 o'Clock, and go to *Rock-Hall*, where the Wagon will wait for the Return of the Boat, to take the Passengers and Goods to *Chester-Town*. The *Newcastle* Stage-boat will sail from *Philadelphia* on Sunday, and get to *Newcastle* on Monday; she was built on purpose for a Stage-boat, has excellent Accommodations for Passengers, and as she will be kept neat and clean, hope thereby to induce Gentlemen and Ladies to try that Method of Travelling, as it will be attended with far less Trouble and Expence than the usual Way, and we shall do our utmost Endeavour to make each Passage agreeable to them.  
 JOHN BOLTON,  
 JOSEPH TATLOW,  
 JAMES HODGES.

Annapolis, April 14, 1772.  
 THE Subscriber intends leaving this Province this Fall, all Persons who are indebted unto me, are desired to pay their respective Debts by the 24th Day of *June* next, or all lawful Means will be used to recover the same; and all those who have any Demands upon me, are requested to send in their Accounts, that they may be adjusted.  
 (6w) JOSEPH SELBY.  
 N. B. The Subscriber has a Quantity of Ladies and Gentlemens hunting Saddles: Also Chaise Harness, &c. Which he will dispose of on very reasonable Terms for ready Money only.

S C H E M E of a L O T T E R Y  
 For raising 1500 DOLLARS,  
 FOR CLEANING AND SECURING THE DOCK IN  
 A N N A P O L I S.

| Number of Prizes                             | Dollars.    | Dollars. |
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| 848 Prizes.                                  |             | 10000    |
| 4152 Blanks.                                 |             |          |
| 5000 Tickets, at Two Dollars each, amount to |             | 10000    |

BY the above SCHEME, there are more than Four Blanks to a Prize, and the Prizes are subject to a Deduction of Fifteen per Cent. but as there are many of them very valuable, it is not doubted but the Tickets will very soon be disposed of, especially as a great Number of them are already engaged.  
 The Drawing to begin on the Second Monday in *July* next, or sooner if sooner full, in the Presence of Five of the Managers at least, and as many of the Adventurers as chuse to attend.  
 The Managers are, Mess. *Lancelot Jacques, William Reynolds, William Paca, Thomas Johnson, Thomas Jennings, Samuel Chase, James Tilghman, William Cook, Robert Couden, John Brice, Charles Wallat, John Davidson, Thomas Harwood, John Clappam, James Williams, Thomas Brooke Hodgkin, William Roke, Robert Johnson, William Deards, James Brit, Colin Campbell, James Dundas, John Galloway, James Brooks, and Samuel Harvey Howard*; who are to give Bond, and be upon Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust.  
 A List of Prizes will be published in the Gazette, which will be ready to be paid in One Month after drawing. Those not demanded within Six Months will be deemed as generously given for the Emolument of the City.  
 TICKETS may be had of any of the Managers.

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