

[XXI<sup>st</sup> Year.]

THURSDAY, June 6, 1765.

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[The Remainder of the very sensible LETTER begun in our last.]

BUT further I am in doubt if there be so much in the Matter of *Precedents* as some would have. I know that the *Lawyers* have carried the Authority of *Precedents* so far, that if a Point be to be gained, nothing is required or sought after but a *Precedent*, and if that can be found among the various and contrary Resolutions, they form a Conclusion that the Point is *clearly established*; whether the *Precedent* be footed on Justice and Reason, or on Whim and Arbitrariness. "It is a Maxim among these Men, that whatever has been done before, may legally be done again, and therefore they take special Care to Record all the Decisions formerly made, even those, which have, through Ignorance or Corruption, contradicted the Rules of common Justice, and the general Reason of Mankind. These, under the Name of *Precedents*, they produce as Authorities, and thereby endeavour to justify the most iniquitous Opinions; and they are so lucky in this Practice, that it rarely fails of Decrees answerable to their Intent and

Dean Swift. "Expectation." *Precedents* of infringing the Liberties of the Subject are to be met with plentifully in History; yet I humbly conceive that if any such could be found in the *British Annals*, it would not be much to the Credit of a *British Writer* against the Liberties of America, to cite them in Vindication of a Measure, which a whole Continent of People thought to be an Aggression of their plain and certain Privileges.

The second Objection made to our Remonstrances is, that the Inhabitants of the Colonies are in *Fact* represented in Parliament. This Proposition, one would think, would be sufficiently refuted by only saying, that not one *American* ever gave, or can give, his Suffrage for the Choice of any of these pretended Representatives. It is very strange, My Lord, and looks like being under the Power of Magic, that such a vast Extent of an inhabited Country as this, should be represented in Parliament, and that yet the People here should never have found it out. How can a Colony, Shire, City or Borough be represented, when not one individual Inhabitant ever did the least Thing towards procuring such Representation? This Position is the last Shift, the dernier Subterfuge, of such as would reconcile the Proceedings of Parliament, respecting laying Taxes on us, with *British* Liberties; but if it be preached forever, the utter Falsity of it, (pardon a plain Expression) is so notorious, that not one single *American* will ever believe it. The Arguments in Support of this *Misbroom* Proposition are so fallacious and weak, that they scarcely deserve a serious Attention. It is urged that because a great Number of the Inhabitants of *Britain* are not Electors there, and seeing that it is unquestionably true that the House of Commons, notwithstanding, actually represent the whole People, that therefore they represent a vast Dominion at Three Thousand Miles Distance, and who have not a single Voice in their Election, although Multitudes in such distant Country in Point of Estate would be well qualified to vote, were they with their Estates in *Britain*, and actually do vote for Persons to represent them in their own Assemblies. If such Argument be of any Force, it will prove, that all the People in *Britain* might be as well represented by the Members of any single Borough Town, as by the whole House of Commons. How came it necessary at the Union, to provide that *Scotland* should send Members to Parliament? Were they not according to the foregoing Doctrine in *Fact* represented by the *English* Members? A Right of Election is annexed to a certain Species of Property, Franchises, &c. and every Man in *England*, who falls under these Descriptions, hath a Right to vote, either for Knights, Citizens, or Burgesses; but can any Man in the Colonies be admitted to a Voice, let him come under what Description he will? Every Person in *England* is not qualified to be an Elector, yet the Country is represented;—but doth it follow that the Colonies too are therefore represented, who give not a single Voice, although Multitudes

here have as much Freehold Estate as serves to qualify their Fellow Subjects in *England*? But it is said that Persons under Age, Women and Children are not Electors, but yet are represented. I wonder these subtle Politicians had not shewn, that Idiots, Madmen, and Cattle were not Electors, and from thence infer that we are represented. Women have not a Share in Government, but yet by their strict Connection with the other Sex, all their Liberties are as amply secured as those of the Men, and it is impossible to represent the one Sex, without the other. As to any Inference which can be drawn against us, on the present Point, from Infants being represented notwithstanding their Incapacity to elect, it seems to me that a Writer must be put to a sorry Shift indeed, to rest any Part of his Cause on so weak a Foundation.

To infer, My Lord, that the *British* Members actually represent the Colonies, who are not permitted to do the least Act towards their Appointment, because *Britain* is unequally represented, although every Man in the Kingdom, who hath certain legal Qualifications can vote for some one to represent him, is such a Piece of Sophistry that I had Half a Mind to pass by the Cobweb without blowing it to Pieces. Is there no Difference between a Country's having a Privilege to choose 558 Members to represent them in Parliament, though in unequal Proportions to the several Districts, which cannot be avoided, and not having Liberty to choose any? To turn the Tables,—if the *Americans* only had Leave to send Members to Parliament, could such Sophistry ever persuade the People of *Britain* that they were represented and had a Share in the national Councils? A Right of Election hath its Origin from having Property or Freehold Estate, and such only have a Right to a Share in Government. Mens Estates are represented, and such as have great and noble Estates actually sit in Parliament for their own Estates. All who have Freehold in *England* to a small Value, share in the Administration; but in *America*, where almost every Head of a Family and most other Men have Freehold, and very many are Owners of great landed Estates, they can have no Share in Government; and those Estates are not represented, because the Owners cannot elect. Suppose none of the 558 Members were chosen by the People, but enjoyed the Right of Sitting in Parliament by hereditary Descent; could the common People be said to share in the national Councils? How trifling then is the supposition; that we in *America* virtually have such Share in the national Councils, by those Members whom we never chose? If we are not their Constituents, they are not our Representatives. But it is said that we are represented in the same Manner as the Non-electors are in *Britain*. This, may it please your Lordship, is a strange Paradox; for the very Reason why the Non-electors in *Britain* are such, is because they are not qualified in Point of Estate, which I hope will not be said of all the Colonists; and it was observed before, that having Property or Freehold, necessarily inferred a Right to be an Elector, or which is all one, to have a Share in Government. Lastly it is really a Piece of Mockery to tell us that a Country, detached from *Britain*, by an Ocean of immense Breadth, and which is so extensive and populous, should be represented by the *British* Members, or that we can have any Interest in the House of Commons.

It therefore remains fully disproved, that the Inhabitants of the Colonies are in *Fact* represented in Parliament; and therefore our most darling Privilege, namely an Immunity from Taxes without our own Consent, hath been nullified by the late Parliamentary Resolutions.

It is beside my present Purpose to examine how far other Acts, to wit, such as regulate Trade, &c. are obligatory upon us, or what Sort of Connections subsist between a parent State and distant Colonies. These may be the Subjects of some abler Pen: But I would just observe, that the Commons of *Great-Britain* have ever held the Right of not being taxed without their own Assent, the most Sacred of all others:

It gives me Pain, My Lord, that so much Un-

tenderness, approaching near to Wrath, on the Part of the present Administration is exercised towards us. We are not conscious of having done any Thing to deserve it; and in our Turn, having all the Feelings of human Nature, must be irritated at what we must think ill-treatment. Broad Hints have been given that *standing Forces* are to be sent amongst us, to humble us, and to enforce Execution of such Laws, as we must esteem Grievances. Such is the Delicacy of the *British* Constitution, that it instantly dies under the Hands of such executive Red-coats, and every Privilege wings its Flight. If such Measures should be pursued, permit me, My Lord, to think that the People of *Britain* may then begin to tremble for their own Liberties. It amounts almost to Demonstration, that when the whole *British* Empire in *America* are dissatisfied, there must be some Foundation for such Dissatisfaction: And whether it would not be for the Benefit of the whole Nation in general, as well as just in itself, to hear our Complaints, and to endeavour by a mild and gentle Treatment to secure our Love and Good-will; instead of exciting our Ill-will, I cheerfully submit to the Judgment of your Lordship.

Thus I have with much Freedom and Plainness, which I doubt not your Candor will excuse, gone through what I proposed to consider. I have only to add that I am in sure and certain Hopes, that what I have written will meet with a better Reception from your Lordship, than the humble Petitions of an innumerable Multitude of People did lately from the Parliament. I am, My Lord, Your Lordship's most obedient and most humble Servant,

Extract of a LETTER from a Gentleman in LONDON, to his Friend at New-York.

MR. Charles Townsend spoke in Favour of the Bill, [Stamp Duty] and concluded his Speech by saying to the following Effect:

"These Children of our Planting (speaking of *Americans*) nourished by our Indulgence, until they are grown to a good Degree of Strength and Opulence, and protected by our Arms, will they grudge to contribute their Mite to relieve us from the heavy Load of national Expence which we lie under?"

"Which having said, and sat down, Mr. BARRE arose, and with Eyes darting Fire, and an out stretched Arm, spoke as follows, with a Voice somewhat elevated, and with a Sternness in his Countenance, which expressed in a most lively Manner the Feelings of his Heart:

"Children planted by your Care! No! Your OPPRESSION planted them in *America*: They fled from your Tyranny, into a then uncultivated Land, where they were exposed to almost all the Hardships, to which human Nature is liable; and among others, to the Savage Cruelty of the Enemy of the Country; a People the most subtle, and I take upon me to say, the most truly terrible of any People that ever inhabited any part of God's Earth; and yet actuated by Principles of true *English* Liberty, they met all these Hardships with Pleasure, compared with those they suffered in their own Country, from the Hands of those that should have been their Friends.

"They nourished by your Indulgence! They grew by your Neglect of them: As soon as you began to care about them, that Care was exercised in sending Persons to Rule over them, in one Department and another, who were, perhaps, the Deputies of some Deputy, of Members of this House, sent to spy out their Liberty, to misrepresent their Actions, and to prey upon them; Men whose Behaviour, on many Occasions, has caused the Blood of these Sons of Liberty, to recoil within them; Men promoted to the highest Seats of Justice, from to my Knowledge, were glad by going to foreign Countries, to escape being brought to a Bar of Justice, in their own.

"They protected by your Arms! They have nobly taken up Arms in your Defence, have exerted their Valour, amidst their constant and laborious Industry, for the Defence of a Country, whose Frontiers, while drench'd in Blood, its interior Parts have yielded all its little Savings to your Enlargement: And believe me, remember I this Day told you so, That the same Spirit which actuated that People at first, will continue with them still: But Prudence forbids me to explain myself any further. God knows, I do not at this Time speak from Motives of Party Heat: What I deliver are the genuine Sentiments of my Heart: However superior to me in general Knowledge and Experience, the respectable Body of this House may be, yet I claim to know more of *America* than most of you, having seen and been conversant in that Country.

"The People there are as truly loyal, I believe, as any Subjects the King has: But a People jealous of their Liberties, and who will vindicate them, if they should be violated; but the Subject is too delicate, I will say no more."



LETTERS from the North American Colonies are filled with the most melancholy Accounts of universal Poverty and Wretchedness, occasioned by the Restrictions on their Commerce with the French and Spanish Settlements.

On Monday, a large Quantity of Shot was shipped for Nova-Scotia and Maryland.

On Thursday a large Quantity of Gunpowder was shipped for Philadelphia.

Last Week Notice was given to the Gentlemen employed in the several Departments of the Stamp Office, that a certain Number would speedily be wanted to embark for New-York, in order to establish a Stamp Office in that Province; when several, who were unmarried, voluntarily offered themselves for that Service, and as soon as the proper Materials can be got ready, will be sent over at the Government's Expense.

March 30. Letters from America say, that the Assemblies of several Places are preparing a Petition to the Mother Country for Leave to send a certain Number of Representatives to the British Parliament, from the Time of the next General Election.

April 1. A very great Addition to the Plan of the Post-Office is intended, and will speedily take place. The General Post will be extended to all American Colonies; and the Penny Post is to be established in all the Parts of this Kingdom.

Some Thousand Pounds Sterling Value, in Silver Three Penny Pieces, are soon to be coined at the Mint, for the Use of the American Colonies, to supply the place of Copper Money, which the People there have long complained of.

We hear the Sums of Money arising from the new Stamp Duties in North-America, for the first 5 Years, are chiefly to be applied towards commodious Post Roads from one Province to another, erecting Bridges where necessary, and other public Measures equally important. [Who can murmur at Slavery when it is to answer such valuable and necessary Purposes?—till it is grown familiar!—] New-York Obf.

We hear the Establishment of a Royal Mint at New-York will certainly take place; but that only the coining of Silver will be permitted.

April 9. Friday last died, advanced in Years, the celebrated Dr. EDWARD YOUNG, Clerk of the Closet to her Royal Highness the Princess Dowager of Wales, and Author of the UNIVERSAL PASSION, the REVENGE, NIGHT THOUGHTS, and other poetical Works.

The Duke of Albany, Capt. Maudslayi, who sailed from the Downs the 4th of March 1764, for Coast and Bay, arrived in the Downs last Saturday, after Post, from Madras, and brings an Account of the Boscawen, late Braund, being safe at the Mauritius; she also brings the agreeable News, that all Troubles were at an End upon the Coromandel Coast, Madras and Palmaroca taken, and the Rebel Isoph Cann executed; and still more agreeable News of the 26th of September from Bengal, that all was then quiet; Governor Vansittart had overcome all Difficulties; Soujah Doulah, the Nabob, had retired into his own Country, soliciting Peace, which Mr. Vansittart would not grant him, unless he delivered up Cossim Ali Can, and Sumro the Affassin. Mr. Vansittart was upon the point of delivering up his Government, and was to return Home in his Majesty's Ship Argo.

The Albany-Indiansman was near being lost, before she entered the Downs. She brings Advice, that, at the Siege of Madras, we had between three and four Hundred Europeans, and eight or nine Officers, killed and wounded, amongst whom was Col. Preston, a very gallant young Gentleman, who was mortally wounded at one of the Attacks, and died about ten Days after, greatly regretted.

April 16. This Day came on the Trial of Lord Byron, when the Lord High Steward, attended by the Judges, went in Procession from his House in Lincoln's-inn-Fields to Westminster-Hall.

Orders were given out for 500 Horse and Foot Guards, to mount at Four o'Clock this Morning at Westminster-Hall and Places adjacent, to prevent any riotous Proceedings during the Trial of Lord Byron.

B O S T O N, May 20.

By Letters from London by the last Ships we learn, That those who had the Care of the Petitions from the Colonies, chose to defer (for what Reason we can't say) the presenting the same to the House of Commons, till the Stamp Bill was brought in, and then it was too late.—The first which was offered against it was from the West-Indies, the second was from Virginia, the third from Carolina, then Mr. Jackson produced his Petition for Connecticut, which, tho' the most moderate, was Rejected as soon as Read; he then offered one (committed to his Care) from this Government, which met with the same Fate. The Ground of rejecting all the Petitions was the standing Order of the House to receive none against a Money Bill. How those to whom the Care of these several Petitions was committed came to delay the Presentation of them so long, is unaccountable, especially as some, if not all of them, were Members of Parliament, and all of them were Resident in England, and must know the constant Usage of Parliament, never to admit a Petition against a Money Bill.

We further learn, That there is not like to be any Alteration with respect to the Molasses Duty this Session; the Ministry chose first to have some Experiment of it's Efficacy. It was affirmed by some of the Advocates for that Duty, that it would produce a very great Sum, at least £. 60,000 Sterling per Annum, and that he was credibly informed that during the two first Months after the Commencement of the Act, there had been collected at Boston £. 24,000, and at Charles-Town £. 10,000 Sterling, whereas it is well known here that during the Time aforementioned, the whole of the Collection did not exceed £. 2400 Sterling. It is from hence probable, that a certain great Ass-bly, has been amused and carried away with idle and false Reports, and have been made to expect great Things from the late Regulations, and led into Measures that in the End will prove detrimental to Great-Britain as well as her Colonies.—We learn that some Relief will be granted us with respect to the Lumber Trade, and we shall be permitted to carry Staves and Lumber to Ireland and the Azores, and perhaps to all Places to the Southward of Cape-Finisterra.

That instead of one Vice Admiralty Court at Halifax, there will be three appointed for all America, with a Right of Appeal, each of the Judges are to have £. 800 Sterling

a Year, to set them above all Corruption, one of these Courts to be at Boston, another at Philadelphia, and the third at Carolina.

It has been Resolved in the House of Commons, that one Shilling Sterling shall be paid for every single Letter, and in proportion for double, treble and packet, that is brought from London to any Port in America. One Penny Sterling to be paid for every Letter delivered to any Post-master, from any Vessel except Packet-boats. Also for every single Letter from any Port in the British Dominions in America to any other Port in the said Dominions, Four-pence Sterling is to be paid, and double, &c. in proportion. There are also other Resolutions respecting the Inland Postage, which were ordered into a Bill.

It is feared there will be almost a Prohibition of the Distilling and Sugar-boiling Business in America.

N E W - Y O R K, May 27.

By Letters from London, we have certain Accounts, that a Clause is added to the Mutiny and Desertion Bill, whereby Justices of the Peace are empowered to billet Soldiers on the Inhabitants in America, at their Discretion.

A N N A P O L I S, June 6.

We learn from the Northward, that the STAMP ACT is to take Place in America, on All Saints Day, the First of November next.

In the Year 1755, on the 1st of November, happen'd that dreadful and memorable Earthquake, which destroy'd the City of Lisbon.

We have the Pleasure of informing our Readers, that the Account of Part of Dominica being lately sunk by an Earthquake, is contradicted. As is also, the Report of the Plague raging in Sicily.

By a Proclamation in Virginia, we find, That a Party of Cherokee Indians, who had obtained a Pass from Col. Lewis, to go to Winchester, were met on their Way, and attack'd by a Party of upwards of 20 Men, who kill'd their Chief and Four more of the Party.

In the Thunder-Gust on the 24th past, a great Quantity of large Hail, fell in several Parts of this Province, and has entirely ruin'd many Fields of Rye, so that the People have Plow'd them up to Plant with Corn.

Tuesday last arrived in South-River, from London, the Snow Sally, Capt. John Buchanan, who left London the latter End of March.

The Ship Fanny, Capt. Lane, from London, is arrived in Patuxent; with whom came Passenger Mr. THOMAS BUCHANAN, of London, Merchant.

PETER BELL, MATHEMATICIAN, Lately from England, (Now in ANNAPOLIS.)

WILL wait on any Gentlemen, at any Time, and Survey what Lands they may think proper, in a Different, but more Exact Method, than that at present practised in this Province.

He will likewise Teach young Gentlemen, the Art of Surveying and Drawing, at a moderate Price, and use his utmost Diligence to make them compleat Masters in a short Time.

He has some Plats and Prospects of this City (but not Engrav'd) which he will dispose of at a cheap Rate. 127 1/2 (3)

To be LET, for a Term not under Seven, nor exceeding Twenty Years, and to be Entered on immediately,

THE MILLS belonging to the Subscriber, at the Falls of Rappahannock River, in Virginia; and, together with them, a good commodious Dwelling-House, with necessary Out-Houses, and Twenty Acres of as good Land as any in the Colony, on which the Mills and Houses stand. The Stream is not only sufficient for the present Works, which are in good Repair, and consist of two Pair of large Cologne Stones, with Tub Wheels under one Roof, and one Pair same Sort of Stones with double Gear'd Work, quite new, in an exceeding good large framed House, but also for a Forge Wheel, or any other kind of Water Work; and there is no Danger from Floods in the Winter, nor was there ever known a Scarcity of Water in the greatest Droughts, at which Times the Toll Custom extends many Miles in a thick settled Country. The Convenience to good Navigation for Sea Vessels, to the Town of Fredericksburg, distant one Mile, to the Town of Falmouth, which stands on the North Side of the River, opposite to the Mills, and a good Fording Place between them, and to a fertile Back Country, where large Quantities of Grain may be purchased, are Advantages very obvious, and afford a Prospect for carrying on the Flour and Baking Trades to great Extent and Profit, especially the latter, as most of the Ships in Rappahannock River have Occasion to send to the above Towns for Tobacco, Iron, &c. As I live on the Premises, shall at all Times be ready to make known my Terms, to those who incline to treat with

(4\*) Their humble Servant, FRANCIS THORNTON.

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THE HOFFE OTHELLO, that was bred by Col. Taffer, and by him Sold into Virginia, is now at WHITEHALL, on the North Side of Severn River, in Anne-Arundel County, and will Cover Mares this Season at Four Guineas, or One Guinea a Leap. (1) The Governor

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco,

A TRACT of LAND called Wiltshire Plains, containing upwards of 400 Acres, lying within two Miles of Bryan Town, in Charles County, on the 2d Day of September next, on the Premises.

(1) M. M. M. SAMUEL PARRAN.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near Lower-Cedar-Point in Charles County, the 17th of May last, Three Convict Servants, imported in the Tryal, Capt. Errington, from London, viz.

John Thomas, a stout swarthy Man, about 32 Years of Age, upwards of 6 Feet high, has black Eyes, and dark brown Hair. Had on an old Jacket lined with Country Cotton, a red Cloth Cap, an old Check Shirt, old black Worsted knit Breeches, and 3 Pair of Yarn Hosi.

John Maund, alias Philpott, about 21 Years of Age, 5 1/2 Feet high, has dark brown Hair, grey Eyes, and Lips in his Speech. Had on a Snuff colour'd Coat and blue Breeches, ribb'd Worsted Hosi, a Check Shirt, and old Shoes.

James West, about 5 Feet high, 15 or 16 Years of Age, has dark brown curl'd Hair, and grey Eyes. Had on and took with him, a Scotch Bonnet, a white Linen Shirt, two Coats, one a dark Cloth, the other a light colour'd Surtout, a Pair of Leather Breeches, ribb'd Worsted Stockings, and a Pair of Pumps.

They took with them two new Osabrigs Shirts, one Pair of Pumps, one Pair of Shoes, and one Pair of old Shoe Boots.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Servants, so that their Master may have them again, shall have Three Pounds Reward; or Five Pounds if brought home, beside what the Law allows, and in Proportion for either.

(1) THOMAS JAMES. N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forewarn'd not to carry them off at their Peril.

Love-Point, on Kent-Island, May 28, 1765. LEFT at my Landing, some Time ago, a small Clinch-Work BOAT about 12 Feet Keel. The Owner, on proving his Property and paying Charges, may have her by applying to (3\*) PATRICK HAMILTON.

THERE is at the Plantation of Jacob Harman, near Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a middle fix'd brown Gelding, with a Star in his Forehead, his near hind Foot white, a bob Tail, and is shod before; but has not any perceivable Brand.

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

THERE is at the Plantation of Walter Evans, on the North Side of the Eastern Branch of Patowmack River, in Prince-George's County, taken up as a Stray, a Sorrel Mare, about 12 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock, but not plain enough to be made out, has a large Snip on her Nose, a small Star in her Forehead, and a flaxen Mane and Tail.

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

To be SOLD to any Person living out of ANNAPOLIS,

THE Time of a very good JOINER, who was Indentured for Four Years, and has been in the Country about 8 Months: Also, A good HOUSE CARPENTER, who has about 6 Years to serve. Enquire at the Printing-Office.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 13th of June, at the Dock in ANNAPOLIS,

A LARGE Quantity of Iron Work; among which are 2 Anchors, the one 6C. 3 qrs. the other 3C. or thereabouts, with about 40 Fathom of 9 Inch Cable, and 70 Fathom of 6 Inch Hawser; a small Quantity of Running Riggings, some Blocks, and 2 Boats, the one 20 Feet long, and 7 Feet wide, and the other 14 Feet long, and 4 1/2 Feet wide; being the Remains of the Ship Rachel, lately burnt in Hudg's River.

(2\*) THOMAS MOORE.



The **SCHEME** of the  
Land, Plate, and Goods **LOTTERY**.  
Which will be drawn some Time in September  
next, at Annapolis in MARYLAND.

### All PRIZES : No BLANKS.

2 Prizes containing about 350 Acres of Land, situate in Kent County,	£. 500	Value each, } 1000
4 Ditto, containing about 175 Acres situate as above,	250	— 1000
1 D <sup>o</sup> . being a curi- ous Assortment of Plate,	100	— 100
1 Ditto, —	78 : 0 : 0	78
2 Ditto, —	50 : 0 : 0	100
4 Ditto, —	25 : 0 : 0	100
8 Ditto, —	12 : 0 : 0	96
20 Ditto, —	10 : 0 : 0	200
16 Ditto, —	6 : 0 : 0	96
50 Ditto, —	4 : 0 : 0	200
100 Ditto, —	2 : 10 : 0	250
40 Ditto, —	1 : 17 : 6	75
100 Ditto, —	1 : 10 : 0	150
150 Ditto, —	1 : 0 : 0	150
500 Ditto, —	0 : 12 : 0	300
7000 Ditto, —	0 : 6 : 0	2100
1 First drawn, —	—	2 : 10
1 Last drawn, —	—	2 : 10

8000 { Tickets at 15 s. Pennsylvania } 6000  
Currency, is

The Public will easily perceive that this Lottery is on a much better Footing than any other that has been plann'd for these many Years. The utmost Care has been taken in the Choice of the Goods, Plate, &c. to render Satisfaction to the Adventurers.

The following are some Particulars of the Prizes, exclusive of the Land.

**C**URIOUS Silver Coffee Pots, with elegant Silver Waiters; a large Silver Tankard in the gentlest Taste; a Pair of handsome Pint Mugs; Silver Punch Strainers; neat Silver Sauce Boats; Punch Ladles; Salt Cellars, &c. A curious chiming Table Clock; a Parcel of Silver Watches; a large Assortment of Gold, Silver, and Pinchbeck Seals; a Quantity of the best Guitars and Violins in neat Cases; the best German Flutes by the most noted Makers in that Branch; Stone Shoe Buckles from 10 l. to 3 l. per Pair; shaving Equipages complete; some elegant and curious Stone Necklaces, Pompons, and Stay-Hooks for Ladies, among the former is one of 15 l. Price; optical Glasses of the best Kind, made by the principal mathematical Artists and a curious Microscope for magnifying Insects and small Objects; a vast Variety of Gold Rings set differently, some with Diamonds; Ladies Etween Cases; a Variety of neat Fowling Pieces and Fuzes; Silver mounted Swords, Cuttases de Chasse; Optical Pillar Machines for viewing Prospects; 30 Dozen of the very best strong Silk Stockings; some Pieces of rich Italian and French Silks; an infinite Variety of the neatest Broaches, differently set, some in Gold and others in Silver; complete Sets of mathematical Instruments, from 30 l. to 15 l. a Case; universal Ring Dials; elegant Snuff Boxes of various Kinds, from 5 l. to a Dollar; beautiful French Fans for the Ladies, mounted in Leather; a vast Variety of Silver Pencil Cases, and Tooth-pick Cases; some travelling Equipages; a large Quantity of the newest Fashion Silver and Pinchbeck double gilt Shoe and Knee Buckles; Stone Stock and Knee Buckles; a Quantity of the very best Hyson Tea; Silk Umbrellas; Gold Lace; the neatest Silver mounted Pocket Piffols, &c.

Also a Library of BOOKS, selected from the best Authors, viz.

**S**WIFT's Works; Pope's, Addison's, Shakespear's, Butler's, Johnson's, Hooke's, Smollett's, Congreve's, Gay's, Rowe's, Otway's, and Steele's Works; Chambers's Dictionary of Arts and Sciences, Owen's Ditto; Beawes Lex Mercatoria; Statutes at large, 8 Vols. Quarto, a new Edition; McKnight's Harmony of the Gospels; 'Eland's Works; Parliamentary History of Great-Britain, 24 Vols; a general History of the World, in 40 Vols; Lady Montague's celebrated Letters and Travels; Entick's History of all the Transactions of the late War; Smollett's, Hume's, Rapin's and Tindal's Histories of England; and a very great Variety of Books and other Articles, extremely useful and ornamental.

The Goods are deposited at Annapolis, and the Prizes will be delivered from thence (Philadelphia, New-York, and Boston, as may be agreeable to the Situation of the Adventurers) as soon as drawn, without any Deduction or Evasion whatever.

As it is difficult to collect in the lowest Prizes, 7000 Articles, exactly of that Value; the Public may be assured that many Hundred of them instead of Six Shillings, are of Eight, Nine, Ten, and Twelve Shillings Value; and very few, if any, not intrinsically worth the Six Shillings.

The Prizes, as they are drawn, will every Week be advertised in this Paper.

Tickets may be had of Risington and Brown, in Boston, New-York, and Philadelphia; of William Stephenson, Esq; at Chester-Town, The Rev. Mr. Montgomery, at George-Town, Maryland; Mr. Joseph Rye, in Williamsburg; and at the PRINTING-OFFICE in ANNAPOLIS.

**JUST IMPORTED** by the Subscribers, in the Ship Virginia Planter, from Glasgow to Patuxent River, and to be Sold at their Stores on Nottingham and Benedict, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco, on reasonable Terms.

**A** GREAT Variety of European GOODS for Retail, too numerous to particularize.

Also sundry Parcels of sorted Linens and other Goods, suited to the Season, to be Sold Wholesale, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco. If necessary, Credit will be given for any of these Parcels, in whole or in part, for 3, 6, or 9 Months, as can be agreed on. They are of different Amounts, from Two to Six Hundred Pounds Cost.

THOMAS CAMPBELL, and Company.

N. B. Those who still remain indebted to Messieurs Shortridge, Gordon, and Company, for Dealings at their Stores, late at Upper Marlborough, Nottingham, and Benedict, are once more earnestly requested to take Measures for speedily discharging, or otherwise settling, their respective Balances, in order to prevent the disagreeable Consequences of Orders lately received from the said Company, by

(5<sup>th</sup>) THOMAS CAMPBELL, Attorney

2 in Fact.

### FOUR POUNDS REWARD.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, in Fairfax County, Virginia, on the first Day of November last, a likely Country-born Negro Man named Harry, about 30 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, slow of Speech, his Back much furrow'd by Whipping, very yellow Teeth for a Negro. His Dress I shall not describe, as it is reasonable to suppose he has chang'd it before this.

Whoever takes up the said Negro, and brings him Home, or secures him in any Jail, and gives me Intelligence, so that he may be had again, shall receive the above Reward, paid by

(2<sup>nd</sup>) 2 X WILLIAM TRIPLETT.

**HALF-CROWN NAILS**, a large Quantity, to be Sold very cheap. Enquire of JONAS GREEN. Not less than a Cask will be disposed of, and each Cask contains 8 or 9000.

**A**NY Person willing to Contract for the Building a BALL-ROOM in ANNAPOLIS, may see the Plan at Mr. Richardson's Store, to whom they are desired to give in their Proposals in Writing, in Order to their being laid before the Managers.

Elk-Ridge Landing, May 15, 1765.

**T**HE Subscriber, understanding that many false Reports have industriously been propagated, relative to the Loss of the Ship *Dolphin*, Deugall McDougall Master, who sailed from Patuxent in November last, takes this Method of acquainting the Gentlemen, who shipp'd Tobacco in her, that he has received Letters from Messieurs John Stewart and Campbell, importing that the said Ship, after some Days excessive Storms (during which Time many Ships of great Value were lost) was forced on Shore in Mount's Bay, near the Land's End. That the Tobacco would be lost, but that the Shippers thereof were insured at Six Pounds Sterling per Hogthead, agreeable to their Request. WILLIAM LUX, Attorney in Fact

(4<sup>th</sup>) 3 for Messrs. John Stewart and Campbell.

**JUST IMPORTED** from LISBON, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, in Baltimore-Town, very cheap for Ready Money.

**A** CHOICE Parcel of LISBON WINE in Quarter Casks, (amongst which are One Hundred Casks of CALKAVALLA) good fresh Lemons in Boxes, Figs and Raisins in Fraills, Almonds, Currants, and Walnuts in Casks; likewise, a Quantity of Lisbon Salt, and Corks.

(4<sup>th</sup>) 3 JONATHAN PLOWMAN.

### WANTED,

**A** PERSON well Qualified to take upon him the Management of a FURNACE at an IRON-WORKS. Such a Person, well Recommended, will meet with good Encouragement. For further Particulars, enquire at the Printing-Office.

(1<sup>st</sup>) 3 X

### JOLLY CHESTER,

**B**ELONGING to the Subscriber, and to Cover this Season at Two Guineas and a Half, and Five Shillings to the Groom; the Money to be paid at the Stable Door. He will be kept at Benedict Calvert's, Esq; in Prince-George's County.

(1<sup>st</sup>) 4 X WILLIAM YELDELL.

### FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

VIRGINIA, Dumfries, May 13, 1765.

**R**AN away last Night, or early this Morning, James Scott, native of Ireland, a Convict Servant, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, and pitted with the Small-Pox: Took with him a Sailor's blue Jacket, a Pair of coarse Sacking long Breeches, and a full Suit of old black Cloaths. He ran away from me in 1757, and was never taken up till this Spring, so that he must be pretty well acquainted with the Country, and will probably impose himself on the Public for a Freeman.

Whoever takes up the said Runaway, and conveys him to me here, shall have Five Pounds Reward.

RICHARD GRAHAM.

**STRAY'D** or **STOLEN** from the Subscriber, living within two Miles of Frederick-Town, a light Bay Horse, between 14 and 15 Hands high, branded P C, paces naturally, carries his Head high when rode, is full of Spirit, and inclinable to stumble, is shod before, and 9 or 10 Years old; he had on a large Bell, mark'd W R.

Whoever takes up the said Horse, and brings him to the Subscriber, or informs so that he may be had again, shall have Ten Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

(3<sup>rd</sup>) WILLIAM RICHARDSON.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

**C**OFFEE, CHOCOLATE, Loaf SUGAR by the Hundred or single Loaf, Lisbon WINE by the Quarter Cask, Lisbon LEMONS by the Chest or Dozen, Almonds, Figs, Raisins, Currants, Barrell'd PORK, FLOUR, and Ship BREAD; likewise, Black and White OAKUM.

(4<sup>th</sup>) SAMUEL MIDDLETON.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, by the Subscriber, on the 22d Day of August next, being the 3d Day of Court, at the House of Mr. Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, for Sterling Money, or Bills of Exchange.

**A** VERY valuable Tract of LAND called Aix-la-Chapelle, containing 1792 Acres, being and lying in Frederick County, on the main Branch of Seneca, and near the Mouth of the said Branch; the Land is well wooded and watered. One Year's Credit will be given, for one Half of the purchase Money (if desired) upon giving good Security, and paying Interest.

(1<sup>st</sup>) CHARLES CARROLL, junr.

**STRAYED** from the Subscriber's on Bush Creek, in Frederick County, last Month, a thin Mouse colour'd Horse, about 14 Hands high, paces naturally, his Brand, if any, forgot.

Also a well made Iron Grey Horse, about 13 Hands high, paces and trots, branded on the near Buttock T I.

Both of them were shod before, and are supposed to have made towards Calvert County.

Whoever will deliver them to Benjamin Johnson, near Calvert County Court-House, Thomas Johnson in Annapolis, or the Subscriber, shall be paid Thirty Shillings, or Fifteen Shillings for either; or if Information is given where they may be sent for, the Favour will be thankfully acknowledged, by

(1<sup>st</sup>) JAMES JOHNSON.

**R**AN away the 14th Instant, from the Elk-Ridge Furnace, a Convict Servant Man named Joseph Clark, about 30 Years of Age, near 5 Feet 10 Inches high, is pretty luffy, of a fair Complexion, has black Eyes, and something of a down Look when spoken to; his Hair is of a brown Colour, and curl'd; he has been in the Country about 12 Months, and speaks pretty much in the English Country Dialect; he has taken with him a Discharge belonging to one Benjamin Legate, which is dated 1764. I think in July, which it is probable he will make use of, by changing his Name; he also carried with him a Suit of Legate's Cloaths, viz. Coat, Jacket and Breeches, of a dirty or dark Cloth Colour; the Coat has a slash Sleeve, and the whole trimm'd with yellow Metal Buttons; he also took with him several other Things, as a Castor Hat, Check Shirt, Yarn Stockings, a Pair of Pumps, striped Holland Trowsers, a Pair of Gfnaabrigs Sailor's Ditto, and two Silk Handkerchiefs. Whoever takes up and brings the said Runaway to the Subscriber, at the Elk-Ridge Furnace, shall have, if taken within 10 Miles of the said Furnace, Thirty Shillings; if 20 Miles from thence, Three Pounds; if 40 Miles, Five Pounds; and if out of the Province, Ten Pounds Reward;

(6<sup>th</sup>) CALER DORSEY.



**R**AN away from the Subscriber, a Negro Man named *Jem*, a likely lively young Fellow, about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, has a wild Look, and when spoke to appears surprized. He was formerly the Property of Mr. *Robert Gordon*, of the City of *Annapolis*, deceased, so that it is very likely he spends some Part of his Time among his Acquaintance in Town. Whoever takes up the said Fellow, and secures him, so that he may be had again, shall have Eight Dollars Reward.

(11)

ROBERT TYLER.

## S E L I M,

**S**TANDS at *Tulip-Hill* this Season, and Covers Mares at Four Guineas, and Five Shillings the Groom: The Money to be paid at the Stable Door. Good Pasturage *Gratis* 'til the Mares refuse, and Notice given to the Owners; afterwards Five Shillings per Week for Pasturage.

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JOHN CLAVER.

## C H I L D E R S,

**T**HE Horse I advertised last Year, is now in fine Order, and will Cover the ensuing Season at Four Dollars. Good Pasturage for Mares.

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GEORGE LEE.

## D R I V E R,

**B**ELONGING to the Subscriber, a proved good Horse, Three Fourths Blood, Covers this Season, as Money is scarce, for Twenty-five Shillings Currency; and those Mares that do not prove with Foal, shall be Covered next Year for Fifteen Shillings. As the Terms are so very reasonable, it is expected that those that bring Mares will at the same Time bring the Cash.

(11)

ROBERT TYLER.

Kent-Island, April 19, 1765.

**A**S it is published in the *Philadelphia* Paper, that the noted Horse *DOVE*, imported by Dr. *Hamilton*, is now Covering at Mr. *Dames's*, such Gentlemen on the Western Shore as incline sending Mares to him, may have them carefully brought over the Bay, sent up to the Horse, and returned at *Annapolis* when done with him, at Twelve Shillings and Six Pence each Mare. Particular Care shall be taken of them. Good Pasturage both at Mr. *Dames's* and my House.

(11)

EMORY SUDLER.

To be SOLD very reasonably,

**T**WO Tracts of LAND, joining together, containing Two Hundred Acres; on one of which is a good Dwelling-House, a Stable, and an Orchard; and on the other Two Orchards, and about Ten Acres of Meadow Ground may be made. They join a Tract of Land called *Bear Bacon*, near *Snowden's* Manor.

For Title and Terms apply to *William Wright*, living in *Annapolis*.

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## JOSEPH RATHELL,

**W**HO has Taught in the Country for Twelve Months with uncommon Success, being encouraged by several Gentlemen in Town, has opened SCHOOL in the City of *Annapolis*, in the House formerly occupied by Mr. *Lyttleton*, where he Teaches the following Branches, *viz.* READING, in which no Pains will be wanting to give Children a true Pronunciation and proper Delivery: WRITING, agreeable to an approved and familiar Method, by which he has made many Improvements in a short Time: And, ARITHMETIC, in a laconic and expeditious Manner, peculiarly adapted to fit Youth for mercantile Business. And as he is determined to confine himself to a much smaller Number of Pupils than are usually received in Schools; and to use all possible Diligence to promote their Improvement, as well in the above Branches, as in having a proper Regard to their Behaviour, he humbly hopes for the Encouragement of the Public, which, to deserve a Continuance of, shall be his constant Endeavour.

He will also attend a few young Ladies or Gentlemen at their Houses from XII to 1 o'Clock in the Forenoon, and from V to VI in the Afternoon. Those who are pleased to favour him with the Care of their Children, may depend on their being well treated in all Respects, and may be particularly informed of the Terms, &c. by enquiring at Mr. *Knapp's*, Watchmaker, in Town.

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**T**HE Managers of the SEVERN CHAPEL LOTTERY, beg Leave to inform the Public, That they purpose to begin Drawing the same, on Monday the Tenth of July next, at *Elk-Ridge* Landing. There are some Tickets still on Hand, which may be had of any of the Managers, or at the PRINTING-OFFICE.

(11)

April 27, 1765.

**R**AN away from the *Baltimore* Iron-Works on *Patapsco*, in *Maryland*, last Night, Two English Convict Servant Men, belonging to *Charles Carroll*, Esq; and Company, *viz.*

*Thomas Plevy*, a Bricklayer by Trade, he is of a middle Stature, and about 30 Years of Age, full faced, of a ruddy Complexion, has black Eyes, as is his Hair and Beard, which are turning grey. Had on an old Castor Hat, Osnabrigs Shirt, an old blue Broad-Cloth Coat without Lining, a blue strip'd Flannel Jacket, an old Pair of Leather Breeches, and Country Shoes and Stockings.

*John Dabs*, he pretends to be a Collier, is of a middle Stature, and about 23 Years of Age, of a swarthy Complexion, has blue Eyes, and light colour'd Hair. Had on an old Felt Hat, Osnabrigs Shirt, a brown Cloth Coat about half worn, a blue Cloth Jacket, a Pair of old Leather Breeches, and Country Shoes and Stockings.

It is likely they may change their Cloaths in Part, as they stole some Things out of the House they left, *viz.* two brown Wigs, one a Que, the other a bob, one Pair of Thread Stockings, one Pair of mix'd Worsted Ditto, and a Pair of turn'd Pumps.

It is expected they will make for *Philadelphia*, as they have been both Soldiers, and have with them their Discharges from the Army.

*Plevy* was a Soldier at *Philadelphia* this Time two Years.

Whoever secures the said Servants, so that they may be had again, shall have Six Pounds Reward, or Three Pounds for either of them; and reasonable Charges if brought Home.

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R. CROXALL.

## ROBERT PINKNEY, TAYLOR,

At JONATHAN PINKNEY'S in CHURCH-STREET, ANNAPOLIS,

**T**AKES this Method to acquaint the Public, That he makes all Sorts of Mens Cloaths in the newest Fashion: As also Ladys Riding Habits in the genteelst Taste. Those Gentlemen who are pleased to favour me with their Commands, may depend on having their Business as completely executed as by any of the Trade, having had Eight Years Practice as a Foreman to the most Eminent of the Business in *London*.

Charles County, April 8, 1765.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber on Shrove Tuesday last, a tall, likely, strong, Country-born Negro Fellow, named *Sango*, aged 20 Years. He had on an old light colour'd Surcoat Coat much worn, and over that a dark striped Country Cloth Jacket, and Breeches of the same, dark colour'd Country knit Yarn Stockings, and Country made Shoes. Whoever will secure the said Fellow, if in the County, so that he may be had again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward. If out of the County, in any Jail, Forty Shillings, and if brought Home, reasonable Travelling Charges allowed.

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GEORGE LEE.

**W**HEREAS one JOHN HUNT, who left England; and in the Year 1748 lived in St. Paul's Parish, *Baltimore* County, *Maryland*, as a Saddler, and removed to *Westons* Parish in the same County; from thence, 'tis said, he went to *Cumberland* in *Georgia*, and from thence to St. *Augustine*; and in January, 1764, as it is also said, he ordered a Cargo of Goods from *London*, to be directed to Messrs. *Barton* and *Roget* in St. *Augustine*, to be left with Messrs. *Hoopers* and *Swallows*, in *Charles-Town*, *South-Carolina*: If the said *John Hunt* be still Alive, and will apply to the Subscriber, living in *Baltimore-Town*, *Maryland*, he will hear of something to his Advantage. If he is Dead, which is most likely, any Person that will bring a proper Certificate of his Death to the Subscriber, shall receive a REWARD OF FIVE GUINEAS.

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JOHN MERRYMAN, junior.

BALTIMORE-TOWN, May 1, 1765.

**T**HIS is to desire all Persons Indebted to me, either upon Mortgage, Bill of Sale, Bond, Protested Bill, Note, or open Accounts, to come immediately and pay the same, or settle to my Satisfaction. Attendance will be constantly given, at my Store in *Baltimore-Town*, by Mr. *William Goodwin*, who is authorized in the Time of my Absence from said Store, to adjust and settle all Accounts, &c. whose Receipt shall be good for all Payments made to him: And Notice is hereby given to all such Persons as neglect to comply with the above Request, that the proper Suits at Law will be immediately commenced against them, by

(47)

J. RIDGELY.

## TO BE SOLD,

**A** CONVICT SERVANT WOMAN, who has near 7 Years to serve. She can Sew, Wash and Iron, very well, is a sober, and an exceeding handy, Woman. Enquire at the Printing-Office.

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**T**HE Subscribers beg Leave to inform the PUBLIC, That they have lately Erected, at *BALTIMORE-TOWN*, in *MARYLAND*, A DISTILLERY for making RUM; which, (by many good Judges who have seen it) is allowed to be one of the largest, completest and best constructed STILL-HOUSE of any in *NORTH-AMERICA*: And having furnished themselves with an expert DISTILLER, and a plentiful Stock of MOLASSES, they purpose to carry on the DISTILLING BUSINESS extensively, and to supply constantly the Demand for Home-made RUM, at nearly the same as the *Philadelphia* Prices, at least on much lower Terms than the Province of *MARYLAND* has been generally supplied with that Article. The RUM already made by them has been highly approved by the best Judges, and deemed superior to either *Philadelphia* or *New-England* RUM; and they hope to give Satisfaction to the Public, as well as maintain their own Reputation, by continuing to make always of the same approved Quality.

As this Undertaking is so well calculated to promote the general Trade of the Province, and so convenient for supplying the Country Traders, Farmers, &c. who bring their Produce to *Baltimore* Market, as well as to promote the private Emolument of the Owners; it is hoped the Public will give proper Encouragement to a Branch of Trade so useful, and so much wanted in the Province.

Any Gentlemen wanting Quantities of RUM for Exportation, by giving timely Notice may be supplied, and proper Allowance made to such, by

Their humble Servants,

SAMUEL &amp; ROBERT PURVIANCE, &amp; Comp.

## TO BE SOLD,

**A** TRACT of LAND adjoining to the Town of *Nottingham*, on *Patuxent* River, in *Prince-George's* County, called *Beanes's Pasture*, containing 220 Acres; whereon is a new Dwelling-House 28 by 26 Feet, finished in a very neat and convenient Manner; a new Kitchen 20 by 16 Feet, (under which is a small Stone Cellar); and a Stable. About Half the Tract is fine hard Marsh, which may easily be improved to very great Advantage: The other Part is very level, and of a good Soil: The Situation is very convenient for either a Merchant or Tavern Keeper. Also a Lot of Ground in the Town of *Nottingham*, whereon is a very good Stone-House 30 Feet square, with a good Store Room, Lumber Room, Comping Room, with a Brick Chimney thereto, and a Lodging Room, on the first Floor: Above Stairs there is Three good Rooms, compleatly finished, and in good Repair; there is also a good Cellar under the House, the full Size thereof, with Three convenient Rooms therein. The Whole to be Sold together, or separate, as the Purchaser chooses, for *London* Bills of Exchange, Sterling or Current Money, upon very reasonable Terms.

All Persons Indebted to the Estate of *Calvert Beanes*, late Deceased, are desired to settle and discharge their respective Ballances by the Tenth Day of February next; otherwise they may depend on being Sued and Warranted, without Respect to Persons.

(11)

WILLIAM BEANES, Executor.

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From the LONDON GENERAL EVENING POST.  
April 11, 1765.

**C**RY ALoud AND SPARE NOT. If ever there was an Occasion so to do, the present is a most alarming One. I hear there is a Bill now offering to a certain Hon<sup>ble</sup> Assembly, to punish Mutiny and Desertion, and for the better providing Quarters for the Troops in America; in which there is a Clause allowing Troops to be billeted in private as well as public Houses. Good God! Are there no watchful Guardians of our Liberties left? Are there no Remains of those noble Patriots who struggled so hard against standing Armies, who now dare legally and constitutionally oppose a Measure big with the most direful Mischiefs, and destructive of that Happiness every Englishman has been taught to believe he has a Right to enjoy in his own House? The Laws of England call every Man's House, his Castle; but surely they never meant it should be garrisoned by hiring Soldiers. If that should ever be the Case in England (which Heaven avert) in one Sense, indeed, it may still be called his Castle, but more properly his Prison, where Officers will be the Goalers, and Soldiers the Turnkeys. Consider, my Countrymen, if this will not be of more dangerous Consequence to the Peace, Happiness, and Liberty of every Man, than even the destructive Power of General Warrants? There will then indeed be but little Occasion to send Messengers to ransack a Man's private Papers, as no one will dare to speak disrespectfully of Governors or Ministers (how bad soever in future Times they may be) much less write to advise others of their Danger, when he will be constantly watched, in his own House, by two or three military Spies; especially, if he should offend any one of these honourable Gentlemen, by refusing him the Whole, or if he should rather choose it, the Half of his Wife or Daughter's Bed.

I need not be very particular in pointing out the infinite Disquietudes and Mischiefs, which must result from a Measure so contrary to the very Being of Liberty; every Englishman must shudder at the Thoughts of so unconstitutional a Design. It has been lately the fashionable Language to call the Colonies, Members of the Mother Country, in charging them with Taxes, &c. certainly then they have an equal Right to be secured in their Liberties: But if Justice to them does not affect you; a Regard for yourselves surely must Alarm you; for if such a Law be once suffered to pass for America, you may depend upon it, Arguments, of one Sort or other, will not be wanting to impose the same on the Mother Country, whenever in future any weak, wicked, or arbitrary Minister shall please to attempt it. Should you therefore neglect to nip in the Bud so dangerous a Design, you would act like a Man who should refuse to use the Means to quench a Fire in his Neighbour's House, because a thin Partition divided it from his own. But I hope better Things from Englishmen; and doubt not some able Pen will so improve these loose Hints, as to prevent so terrible a Clause from passing into a Law.

CIVIS.

LONDON, April 16.

**O**N Friday last were interred the mortal Remains of the learned, pious and incomparable Doctor YOUNG, in his Parish Church of Wellwyn, in the County of Hertford. Tho' he lived celebrated, he was buried with the utmost Obscurity, under the Altar Piece, by the Side of Lady Betty, his late Wife: The common Forms of interring the meanest Person were not violated upon this Occasion; the Bell did not toll till his Corpse was brought out of his House, which is opposite the Church; and tho' he was both the Founder and Endower of a Charity School in his Parish, neither the Master, nor the Children, attended his Funeral. His Pall was supported by the Rev. Dr. Yarborough, the Rev. Mr. Wynne, the ingenious Author of the New Translation of the New Testament; and several other Divines, who were Rectors or Vicars of the neighbouring Parishes: The Mourners were his Son, his Nephew,

another near Relation, his House-keeper, most of the Bearers, and the whole Town of Wellwyn.

Previous to his Death, Dr. YOUNG ordered all his Manuscripts to be committed to the Flames. Those who know how much he comprized in a small Compass, those who recollect that he never wrote on trivial Subjects, must lament both his Modesty and the irreparable Loss to Posterity; especially when they consider that he was the intimate Acquaintance of Addison, that he himself was one of the Writers of the Spectator, and, excepting Dr. Pearce, the present Bishop of Rochester, the last surviving Genius of that incomparable Groupe of Authors.

They write from Bristol, That Forty-eight Couple of Blood-hounds were shipped from thence a few Days ago on Commission for New-York, where the Breed of these useful Animals are to be kept up for the Benefit of that Province.

BOSTON, May 20.

An Act hath been passed this Session of Parliament for punishing Mutiny and Desertion, and a Bill hath been brought in for extending the Mutiny Act to the Colonies, by which Bill it is proposed that it shall and may be lawful to and for the Constables, Tithing Men, Magistrates and other civil Officers of Villages, Towns, Townships, Cities, Districts and other Places within his Majesty's Dominions in America, and in Default or Absence, for any one Justice of the Peace inhabiting in or near any such Village, &c. and for no others, to Quarter and Billet the Officers and Soldiers in his Majesty's Service, in the Barracks provided for that Purpose, or in public Houses, or in Houses licensed for retailing, and in Case there should not be sufficient Room therein, then, and in no other Case, it shall and may be lawful for any or more of his Majesty's Justices in or near the said Villages, &c. and they are thereby required to billet the Residue "in such Manner as hath hitherto been practised to billet his Majesty's Forces in his Majesty's Dominions in America."

It is proposed also by the said Bill that the Justices within or near the said Villages, &c. shall upon the Requisition of the General or the commanding Officer there, be obliged to procure Carriages and able Drivers for the transporting Arms and Baggage, the Prices whereof are to be fixed by the said Bill, and Provision is therein made that the Driver shall be paid from Day to Day agreeable to the Rates therein established.

We hear that the Stamp Act is nearly agreeable to that of the Mother Country, save the following additional Clause, viz.

And it is hereby further Enacted and Declared by the Authority aforesaid, That all Sums of Money granted and imposed by this Act as Rates or Duties, and also all Sums of Money imposed as Forfeitures or Penalties, and all Sums of Money required to be paid, and all other Monies herein mentioned shall be deemed and taken to be Sterling Money of Great-Britain, and shall be collected, recovered and paid to the Amount of the Value which such nominal Sums bear in Great-Britain, and that such Monies shall and may be received and taken according to the Proportion and Value of 5s. 6d. the Ounce in Silver; and that all the said Forfeitures and Penalties which shall be incurred in the said Colonies and Plantations, shall and may be prosecuted, sued for, and recovered, with full Costs of Suit, in any Court of Record, or in any Court of Admiralty in the respective Colony or Plantation where the Offence shall be committed, or in any Court of Vice-Admiralty appointed or to be appointed, and which shall have Jurisdiction within such Colony, Plantation, or Place, (which Courts of Admiralty or Vice-Admiralty are hereby respectively authorized and required to proceed, hear and determine the same) at the Election of the Informer or Prosecutor: And the said Forfeitures and Penalties which shall be incurred in any other Part of his Majesty's Dominions shall and may be prosecuted, sued for, and recovered, with full Costs of Suit, in any Court of Record within the Kingdom, Territory or Place where the Offence shall be committed, in such and the same Manner as any Debt or Damage to the Amount of such Forfeiture or Penalty can or may be sued for and recovered.

PORTSMOUTH (NEW-HAMPSHIRE) May 24.

Capt. Hickson from London, informs, That in Lat. 40° N. Long. 30° West, he saw a Ship the 28th of April, and went on board her, but found no Person; she had no Sails, loaded with Masts, and White Pine Boards, and appeared to be of the North Country built, having no Head nor Gallies, a very round Side, and what they call a Pink, and over the Cabin Table was wrote, ALL FAIR UNDER THE ROSE.

NEW-YORK, June 3.

The Six Nations, with the Delawares of Sasquehanna, who were long expected by Sir William Johnson, arrived at Johnson Hall the 6<sup>th</sup> of May; and we are assured have agreed to the Particulars recommended to them by the King's Orders. The Delawares of Ohio, with those of Sasquehanna, have subscribed to a Treaty of Peace, which must prove very advantageous, if duly observed; and their Readiness upon this Occasion has a very promising Appearance. The latter have left their two Chiefs as Hostages, until they bring down some Prisoners and Negroes amongst them; and the Senecas have done the same, as there are yet some Prisoners amongst them. The Number of Indians assembled on this Occasion, exceeded 900: They were to go to their respective Homes a few Days after the 16<sup>th</sup> of May; and the Prisoners, &c. were to be delivered up within 40 Days; in which Time there is Reason to expect they will be punctual, as there are so many of their Chiefs Hostages at present in Sir William's Custody, whose Enlargement must be greatly desired by the several Nations.

Extract of a Letter from London, dated February 16, 1765.

General C. said in the House, "The last Session of Parliament we came to a Resolution, that it might be proper to Tax the Americans; at that Time it was thrown out.—I am sure I understood it so, that the Intention of this Resolution was, to give to the Americans Time to represent their Inability, or to suggest the Propriety of a less burthenome Tax than the Stamp Duty: This Time has been given; the Representations are come from the Colonies; and shall we shut our Ears against that Information, which, with an Affectation of Candour, we allotted sufficient Time to reach us? For my own part, I must declare myself just as much in the dark as I was the last Year; my way of Life does not engage me in Intercourse with commercial Gentlemen, or those who have any Knowledge of the Colonies. I declare upon my Honour, I expected, as a Member sitting in this House, to receive such Information, as in Consequence of the Notice given, might be transmitted by the Colonies, by which my Judgment might be directed, my Conduct regulated. In a Question so important, which regards Two Millions of unrepresented People, I lay aside every Consideration of Party, and shall therefore make no Scruple to declare my Opinion, that the Jamaica Petition is not admissible, because it does not come from the Colony, and of Course cannot contain those Lights, which I am sure, I am desirous of receiving, and which the Colonists themselves can only give. But there are, I am informed, other Petitions of the Nature which I describe, that I am for receiving. A great deal has been said of the standing and established Rule of this House, that no Petitions can be received against Money Bills. What is this Rule? I recollect no Order, no Resolution occurs to me; and it appears undeniable, from what has been advanced on both Sides, that the Practice is by no Means invariable; at best, it is but a Practice of Convenience; a Practice which in this Instance, if in no other, we ought to vary from: For from whom, unless from themselves, are we to learn the Circumstances of the Colonies, and the fatal Consequences that may attend the imposing of this Tax? I speak this with great Deference to the Abilities of the very few Agents who sit in Parliament; some of the Colonies have not this Advantage, and none of them, let Gentlemen say what they please, are Represented in Parliament. They can't be serious, when they insist even on their being



"being virtually Represented: Will any Man in this House get up and say, he is one of the Representatives of the Colonies, when, so far from being an Object of their Choice, the most sensible Man in the Colonies scarce knows such a Gentleman exists. One Gentleman, in the Course of this Debate (G. Elliott) has observed, *That the Commons have maintained and asserted their Right against the Crown, and against the Lords, of solely voting Money without the Controul of either, any otherwise than by a Negative: And will you suffer your Colonies to impeach, to attack those Rights, to impede the Exercise of them, untouch'd, as they now are, by the other Branches of the Legislature.* This, I confess, appears to me the strangest Argument I ever heard: Can there be a more absolute Acknowledgment of your Right, a more declared Avowal of your Power, than a Petition, humbly submitting their Cause to your Wisdom and Justice, and praying to be heard before your Tribunal, against a Tax that will affect them in their tenderest Parts, in their Privileges, that at least you have suffered, and in their Property, acquired by your Protection. I am therefore, from a Principle of Lenity, Policy, and Justice, for receiving the Petitions of a numerous, useful, opulent People, from whom this Country derives it's greatest Commerce, Strength, and Consideration."

ANNAPOLIS, June 13.

On the last of May, Capt. William Maynard, in the *Britannia*, arrived from London, in Patuxent River.

The Brig *Trotman*, Capt. Richard Hayton, arrived here Yesterday, from London, with about 60 Indentured Servants.

We do not hear by those Vessels any later or BETTER News, than what we had before.

A LIST of the LETTERS remaining in the POST-OFFICE, at Upper-Marlborough, June 7, 1765.

JOHN SCOTT, D. P. M.

- B. Dr. James Brand. Margaret Brooke, Patuxent. Thomas Blockley. Andrew Beal, Bladensburg.
- C. John Cotterill, Sugar-Lands, 2 Letters.
- H. Capt. John Hasbun, Port-Tobacco. Mary Hardesty.
- I. John Johnston, Lower-Marlborough, 2. Joseph Ireland, Mount-Pleasant.
- L. David Lowe.
- T. William Thompson.

#### PREROGATIVE OFFICE.

ANNAPOLIS, the 13th of June, 1765.

THE same Impediment which occasioned the late Adjournment of this Court to the 19th Day of this Month, still subsisting; PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, That the said Court is further Adjourned to the next Court in Course, being the Second Tuesday in July next.

Per Order, ELIE VALLETTE, Register.

JUST IMPORTED in the Sally, Capt. Buchanan, from LONDON, and to be SOLD by the Subscribers, at their Store in Church-street, ANNAPOLIS, for Cash, or Bills of Exchange, Wholesale and Retail,

A LARGE ASSORTMENT of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable for the SEASON. Likewise, West-India RUM by the Hoghead, Maryland RUM by the Hoghead or Tierce, Muscovado SUGAR by the Barrel, MOLASSES by the Hoghead, old Madeira WINE by the Pipe, Hoghead or Quarter Cask; Liverpool SALT by the Bushel, Bell's ALE by the Dozen, Castile SOAP and CANDLES by the Box, PORK by the Barrel; and also, all Sorts of CORDAGE and SHIP CHANDLERY.

(4<sup>th</sup>) STEWART & RICHARDSON.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1765.

WHEREAS a certain James Millar, on or about the 2d of May, 1764, Indented himself at Gravesend, to Mr. Sydenham, Merchant, of London, and failed immediately in the Brig *Brothers*, James Morrison Master, bound to Patuxent in Maryland, and was consigned to Mr. Fishwick there. The said Millar is of a dark Complexion, about 20 Years of Age, and about 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, and a Carpenter and Joiner by Trade, born at Stratbam in Surry. Whoever will give Information of the said James Millar (Alive or Dead) by directing a few Lines to Mr. Charles Allen, to be left at Mr. Joseph Yeater's, at the Three Tons in Chestnut-Street, Philadelphia, the Favour will be most gratefully acknowledged by

(3<sup>rd</sup>) CHARLES ALLEN.

JUST IMPORTED from LONDON, in the Sally, Capt. BUCHANAN, and to be Sold by the Subscribers, at their Store in ANNAPOLIS, by Wholesale or Retail, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit, on very reasonable Terms,

A CHOICE Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable for Summer and Winter.

(1<sup>st</sup>) CHARLES WALLACE & Comp.

JUST IMPORTED from LONDON, in the Anne and Mary, RICHARD CARR, and to be Sold by the Subscriber in UPPER-MARLBOROUGH, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco,

A LARGE Assortment of European and East-India GOODS; among which there is Household Furniture, consisting of Chairs, with Matted and Russia Leather Bottoms, Mahogany Dressing, Card, and Writing Tables, Looking Glasses, Fire Screens, Field Bedsteads, with Mattresses and Furniture, Check Curtains, Basson Stands, Tea Chests and Waiters, an Assortment of Tunbridge Wares, great Variety of Paper Hangings and Landscapes, Music, and Musical Instruments, Spinnet Jacks, Tin Ventilators, that effectually prevent Chimneys from Smoking, Water Proof Cloths, Patent Ram Skin Breeches, and Dutch Rappee Snuff.

FRANCIS LEEKE.

N. B. Those who bring the Ready Money, will find a proper Distinction made between That and Credit.

(1<sup>st</sup>) M. C. Digges F. L.

To be CHARTER'D, for any Port,



THE SLOOP CHARLOTTE, now lying in Herring-Bay, well Found, and Fitted for the Sea; will carry 2000 Bushels, and is a prime Sailer.

For Terms apply to SAMUEL CHEW at Poplar Ridge, on Herring-Bay, who has a sufficient

Quantity of Corn to sell, to load the Sloop, which he will dispose of reasonably.

(1<sup>st</sup>)

For the EMOLUMENT of such as have not a sufficient KNOWLEDGE of ARITHMETIC, and are desirous to be expeditious at BUSINESS:

THE Subscriber intends writing for Sale, the most compendious Rules for finding the Amount of any Goods or Merchandize: Computing Simple or Compound Interest, and Discount: Calculating Commissions, Average, Insurance, Brokerage, Storage, and Factorage of Goods, Lands, &c. bought or negotiated at any Rate from Ten Shillings per Cent upwards: And also the most concise Methods for working Exchange; by which, instead of the common Method (so intolerably tedious) used in that most necessary Rule, any Sum Currency, at any Rate, and of any Province, may be reduced into Sterling: And any Sum of English or Irish Money, at any of the general Rates of Exchange, may be brought into Currency in the Space of Two Minutes. The whole contained in a very small Compass, and so easily understood, that any Person that can Subtract, Multiply and Divide, but indifferently, may become perfectly intimate with it in an Hour. Persons living at any Distance, may be supplied with Books upon the shortest Notice, by addressing their Commands for the Author, at his School in Annapolis, or at Mr. Knapp's, Watchmaker. Price of each Book to Subscribers, Three Dollars; one to be paid at Subscribing, and the Remainder when the Books are Delivered, which shall be with all Expedition.

JOSEPH RATHELL.

COMMITTED to Anne-Arundel County Jail, on Suspicion of being a Runaway, an Irishman, about 28 Years old, 5 Feet 2 or 3 Inches high. Has on an old black Cape Coat and Waistcoat, and Drab Breeches. He says his Name is Patrick Kilkelly, and that he belongs to Mr. Makall, Merchant, at Hobbs-Hole, in Virginia. His Master is desired to pay Charges, and take him away. (1<sup>st</sup>) JOSEPH GALLOWAY, Sheriff.

Baltimore-Town, June 6th, 1765.

THERE is in the Possession of the Subscriber, taken up as a Stray, a middling large Brown or Chestnut colour'd Gelding, with some white in his Forehead, branded on the near Shoulder with C, and on the near Buttock thus A.

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

(3<sup>rd</sup>)

JOHN STEVENSON.

WHEREAS the Subscriber's Worldly Affairs are so circumstanced that he is under a Necessity of leaving this Province in a short Time, in Order to settle them, and the many Favours he has already received at the Hands of many of the Gentlemen residing here, encourages him to make a further Trial of their benevolent Disposition in helping him to dispose of the Tickets in the following LOTTERY, whereof a Scheme is annexed. The House and Store are situated in the most advantageous Spot of Ground for Trade in the City of Annapolis, and at these dull Times would be reckon'd very reasonable at the yearly Rent of Fifty Pounds Currency, so that whoever gets the two first Prizes will lay out his Money well, and should it so happen that two are concern'd, they will see their Advantage in selling out or buying in as they can agree. The Land is situated in Dorchester County, very valuable, and could the Subscriber wait for the Money, would sell among the Neighbours, for as much Sterling as it is valued at present in Currency; it will be divided in Three equal Lots of 45 Acres, for the Convenience of Buying or Selling. The remaining 127 Tickets are to be paid off in European Goods, rated very low in Pennsylvania Currency.

As the Sale of the Tickets in this Lottery, will enable the Subscriber to get clear of all the Effects whereof he stands at present possessed in this Province, in a speedy Manner, he takes this Method of acquainting the Public, that their good Offices in assisting him to perfect the same, will never be forgot by him, and to convince them that the Whole will be carried on with the greatest Integrity, he has made Choice of the following Gentlemen in this City to be Managers of the Whole in his Absence, and they are empowered to make Deeds to the fortunate Adventurers for the Houses and Land, and deliver the several Goods, as numbered in their respective Lots.

The Managers are, Messieurs Lancelot Jacson, Anthony Stewart, Thomas Richardson, Richard Macubin, Charles Wallace, William Stewart, Revory Gbifelin, and Colin Campbell, and the two Bookkeepers, George Clarke and George Digges.

The Drawing will be on the first Tuesday in August next, or sooner if the Tickets are all sold: Fourteen Days Notice whereof will be given in the Maryland Gazette, that as many of the Adventurers as chuse to attend may be present.

HENRY WARD.

The Scheme of the Land, Houses, and Goods LOTTERY, which will be Drawn the First Tuesday in August next,

2 Prizes, for the House and Store,		
Value 250 Pounds each,		£. 500
3 Ditto, for the Tracts of Land,		
each 45 l.		135
125 Ditto, for Goods, at 40 s. each,		250
1 First drawn,		10
1 Last drawn,		5
132 Prizes,		
768 Blanks,		
900 Tickets at 20 s. each, are		£. 900

George-Town, June 4th, 1765.

UPON a Petition being preferr'd to the worshipful Justices of Frederick County, at June Court in 1764, by John Murdock, praying that Commission might issue to certain Persons, empowering them to examine Evidences relating to the Bounds of the Three following Parcels of Land, viz. one called Philip and Jacob, one called Whitehaven, and Part of a Tract called Friendship, all lying in Frederick County, and near George-Town on Patowmack River, or the Bounds of any other Land or Lands, whereon the Bounds of the aforesaid Lands may depend, or whereto they may relate, in order to ascertain and perpetuate the same; which Petition being Granted, and a Commission thereupon issued and directed to us the Subscribers for that Purpose:

We hereby give Notice to all Persons any wise concerned or interested therein, or whose Property may be any wise affected thereby, That we intend to meet on the said Tracts, on the first Monday in August next, precisely at Ten o'Clock, in order to execute the said Commission, that we may make due Return thereof, together with the Depositions, so that the same may be Recorded in perpetual Memory, according to the Directions of the Act of Assembly in that Case made and provided.

(3<sup>rd</sup>)

CHARLES JONES, C. D.  
ROBERT PETER,  
ANTHONY HOLHEAD,  
ERASMUS GILL.



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LES JONES, C. D.  
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HONY HOLHEAD,  
MUS GILL.

Virginia, Prince William County, May 13, 1765.  
**COMMITTED** to the Jail of this County,  
from under the Hand of Lewis Rine, one of  
his Majesty's Justices, a Negro Man who calls  
himself Dick, and says he belongs to *Jess Mit-  
chell*, of the Province of Maryland, near Annapolis;  
he is a luffy full faced Fellow, has some grey Hairs  
in his Head; and has on a Cotton Jacket and  
Breeches, brown Linen Shirt, and an old Worsted  
Cap. The Owner is desired to fetch him away,  
on paying Fees and Charges to

(2<sup>d</sup>) *Mr. Moore* WILLIAM TREBS, Sheriff.

Jun 13, 1765.  
**WENT** away last Night from the Brigantine  
*Trotman*, (Richard Hayton, Commander)  
at Anchor in Chesapeake Bay, off Annapolis, Two  
Men and One Woman, who took a Long-Boat,  
about 20 Feet Keel, Clinch built, with a Studding  
Sail and Brass Compass; one of the Men is Coun-  
try born, named *John Nicklin*, about 5 Feet 4  
Inches high. The other a Sailor, named *John*  
*Ogden*, a Dane born, speaks broken English, and  
is about 5 Feet 7 Inches high. The Woman is  
about 5 Feet 4 Inches high, named *Lucy Chapell*,  
and had on a white Linen Hat, and a brown  
Worsted Gown.

It is imagined they went up the Bay.  
Whoever brings or secures the said People, so  
that the Subscriber gets them again, shall have  
Four Pounds Reward for the Sailor, and for the  
other two Forty Shillings each, paid by

RICHARD HAYTON.

**RAN** away from the Subscriber, living on  
*Elk-Ridge* in Anne-Arundel County, the 26<sup>th</sup>  
of May last, a Convict Servant Man named *Samuel*  
*Beach*, he is a luffy, well made Fellow, about 5  
Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, of a fresh Complexion,  
wears his own short yellowish Hair, his right  
Thumb remarkably crooked, and is very apt to  
get in Liquor. Had on when he went away, an  
old Felt Hat, Country Cloth full'd Jacket, coarse  
Country made Linen Shirt and Trowsers, and a  
Pair of strong Country made Shoes, with a large  
Nail in the Toe of each.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings  
him to his Master, or secures him so that he may  
be had again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward,  
if taken 20 Miles from home; Forty Shillings,  
if out of the County; and Three Pounds Pennsylv-  
ania Currency, if out of the Province, beside  
what the Law allows, paid by

(3<sup>d</sup>) BENJAMIN LAWRENCE.

**STRAYED** away from my Plantation at the  
*Deer Park*, sometime ago, Two genteel Black  
Horses, with bob Tails. They were seen at fev-  
eral Places, and supposed to be going towards  
*Conococheague*, where they were bred; but as they  
have not been heard of there, it is imagined they  
have been stopt by some Person or Persons on this  
Side *Frederick-Town*.

Whoever will give Information where the said  
Horses may be had, or bring them to me, at *Balti-  
more-Town*, shall be handsomely Rewarded for  
their Trouble, by

JOHN STEVENSON.

N. B. The smallest of the Two Horses is  
branded on the near Buttock I S; the other for-  
got.

(3<sup>d</sup>)

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,  
on the 13th of June, at the Dock in AN-  
NAPOLIS,

**A** LARGE Quantity of Iron Work; among  
which are 2 Anchors, the one 6C. 3 qrs.  
the other 3C. or thereabouts, with about 40 Fa-  
thom of 9 Inch Cable, and 70 Fathom of 6 Inch  
Hawser; a small Quantity of Running Rigging,  
some Blocks, and 2 Boats, the one 20 Feet long,  
and 7 Feet wide, and the other 14 Feet long, and  
4½ Feet wide; being the Remains of the Ship  
*Rachel*, lately burnt in *Hungre River*.

THOMAS MOORE.

The Sale of the above Articles was advertised to be on  
This Day; but is necessarily put off till next Thursday, as  
Capt. Moore can't attend; on which Day, at IV o'Clock  
P. M. they will certainly be sold.

**THE** Horse *OTHELLO*, that was bred  
by Col. *Taffier*, and by him sold into Vir-  
ginia, is now at *WHITEHALL*, on the North  
Side of *Severn River*, in Anne-Arundel County,  
and will Cover Mares this Season at Four Guineas,  
or One Guinea a Leap.

(1<sup>st</sup>)

**HALF-CROWN NAILS**, a large Quantity,  
to be sold very cheap. Enquire of *JONAS*  
*GREEN*. Not less than a Cask will be disposed of,  
and each Cask contains 8 or 9000.

PETER BELL, MATHEMATICIAN,  
Lately from England,  
(Now in ANNAPOLIS.)

**WILL** wait on any Gentlemen, at any Time,  
and Survey what Lands they may think  
proper, in a Different, but more Exact Method,  
than that at present practiced in this Province.

He will likewise Teach young Gentlemen, the  
Art of Surveying and Drawing, at a moderate  
Price, and use his utmost Diligence to make them  
complete Masters in a short Time.

He has some Plats and Prospects of this City  
(but not Engrav'd) which he will dispose of at a  
cheap Rate.

2 (3<sup>d</sup>)

To be LET, for a Term not under Seven, nor  
exceeding Twenty Years, and to be Entered on  
immediately,

**THE** MILLS belonging to the Subscriber,  
at the Falls of *Rappabannock River*, in Vir-  
ginia; and, together with them, a good commodi-  
ous Dwelling-House, with necessary Out-Houses,  
and Twenty Acres of as good Land as any in the  
Colony, on which the Mills and Houses stand.  
The Stream is not only sufficient for the present  
Works, which are in good Repair, and consist of  
two Pair of large *Cologne Stones*, with Tub Wheels  
under ope Roof, and one Pair same Sort of Stones  
with double Gear'd Work, quite new, in an ex-  
ceeding good large framed House, but also for a  
Forge Wheel, or any other kind of Water Work;  
and there is no Danger from Floods in the Winter,  
nor was there ever known a Scarcity of Water in  
the greatest Droughts, at which Times the Toll  
Custom extends many Miles in a thick settled  
Country. The Convenience to good Navigation  
for Sea Vessels, to the Town of *Fredericksburg*,  
distant one Mile, to the Town of *Falmouth*, which  
stands on the North Side of the River, opposite to  
the Mills, and a good Forging Place between them,  
and to a fertile Back Country, where large Quan-  
tities of Grain may be purchased, are Advantages  
very obvious, and afford a Prospect for carrying  
on the Flour and Baking Trades to great Extent  
and Profit, especially the latter, as most of the  
Ships in *Rappabannock River* have Occasion to  
send to the above Towns for Tobacco, Iron, &c.

As I live on the Premises, shall at all Times be  
ready to make known my Terms, to those who  
incline to treat with

(4<sup>th</sup>) 2 Their humble Servant,  
FRANCIS THORNTON.

**RAN** away from the Subscriber, living near  
*Lower-Cedar-Point* in *Charles County*, the  
17th of May last, Three Convict Servants, im-  
ported in the *Trial*, Capt. *Errington*, from London,  
viz.

*John Thomas*, a stout swarthy Man, about 32  
Years of Age, upwards of 6 Feet high, has black  
Eyes, and dark brown Hair. Had on an old  
Jacket lined with Country Cotton, a red Cloth  
Cap, an old Check Shirt, old black Worsted  
knit Breeches, and 3 Pair of Yarn Hofs.

*John Maund*, alias *Philpott*, about 21 Years of  
Age, 5½ Feet high, has dark brown Hair, grey  
Eyes, and Lisps in his Speech. Had on a Snuff  
colour'd Coat and blue Breeches, ribb'd Worsted  
Hofe, a Check Shirt, and old Shoes.

*James West*, about 5 Feet high, 15 or 16 Years  
of Age, has dark brown curl'd Hair, and grey Eyes.  
Had on and took with him, a Scotch Bonnet,  
a white Linen Shirt, two Coats, one a dark Cloth,  
the other a light colour'd Suitout, a Pair of Lea-  
ther Breeches, ribb'd Worsted Stockings, and a  
Pair of Pumps.

They took with them two new Osnabrigs Shirts,  
one Pair of Pumps, one Pair of Shoes, and one  
Pair of old Shoe Boots.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Servants,  
so that their Master may have them again, shall  
have Three Pounds Reward; or Five Pounds if  
brought home, beside what the Law allows, and  
in Proportion for either.

(1<sup>st</sup>) 2 THOMAS JAMES.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forewarn'd not  
to carry them off at their Peril.

**JUST IMPORTED** from LISBON,  
and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, in Balti-  
more-Town, very cheap for Ready Money,

**A** CHOICE Parcel of LISBON WINE in  
Quarter Casks, (amongst which are One  
Hundred Casks of CALKAVALLA) good fresh  
Lemons in Boxes, Figs and Raisins in Fraills,  
Almonds, Currants, and Walnuts in Casks; like-  
wise, a Quantity of Lisbon Salt, and Corks.

(4<sup>th</sup>) 4 X JONATHAN FLOWMAN.

To be SOLD to any Person living out of AN-  
NAPOLIS,

**THE** Time of a very good JOINER, who  
was Indentured for Four Years, and has  
been in the Country about 8 Months: Also, A  
good HOUSE CARPENTER, who has about  
6 Years to serve. Enquire at the Printing-Office.

**ANY** Person willing to Contract for the  
Building a BALL-ROOM in ANNAPOLIS,  
may see the Plan at Mr. *Richardson's* Store, to  
whom they are desired to give in their Proposals in  
Writing, in Order to their being laid before the  
Managers.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, for  
Cash, Bills, or Tobacco,

**A** TRACT of LAND called *Wiltshire Plains*,  
containing upwards of 400 Acres, lying  
within two Miles of *Bryan Town*, in *Charles*  
County, on the 2d Day of September next, on  
the Premises.

(1<sup>st</sup>) SAMUEL PARRAN.

*Lower-Point*, on *Kent-Island*, May 28, 1765.  
**LEFT** at my Landing, some Time ago, a  
small Clinch-Work BOAT about 12 Feet  
Keel. The Owner, on proving his Property and  
paying Charges, may have her by applying to

(3<sup>rd</sup>) PATRICK HAMILTON.

**JUST IMPORTED** by the Subscriber,  
in the Ship *Virginia Planter*, from Glasgow  
to Patuxent River, and to be Sold at their  
Stores on Nottingham and Benedict, for  
Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco, on rea-  
sonable Terms,

**A** GREAT Variety of European GOODS for  
Retail, too numerous to particularize.

Also sundry Parcels of sorted Linens and other  
Goods, suited to the Season, to be Sold Whole-  
sale, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco. If necessary,  
Credit will be given for any of these Parcels, in  
whole or in part, for 3, 6, or 9 Months, as can  
be agreed on. They are of different Amounts,  
from Two to Six Hundred Pounds Cost.

THOMAS CAMPBELL, and Company.  
N. B. Those who still remain indebted to  
Messieurs *Shortridge*, *Gordon*, and Company, for  
Dealings at their Stores, late at *Upper Marlborough*,  
*Nottingham*, and *Benedict*, are once more earnestly  
requested to take Measures for speedily discharging,  
or otherwise settling, their respective Balances, in  
order to prevent the disagreeable Consequences of  
Orders lately received from the said Company, by

(5<sup>th</sup>) THOMAS CAMPBELL, Attorney in Fa.

**RAN** away from the Subscriber, a Negro Man  
named *Simon*, a likely young Fellow, about  
5 Feet 9 or 10 Inches high, well made. Had on  
when he went away, an Osnabrigs Shirt, red  
Sailor's Jacket, good Yarn Stockings and Shoes.

Whoever secures the said Slave, so that he may  
be brought or conveyed to the Subscriber at *Vienna*  
in *Dorchester County*, shall have Twenty Shillings  
Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

(1<sup>st</sup>) REGINALD GRAHAM.

**TO BE SOLD,**  
**THE LANCASHIRE FORGE**, consisting  
of Two Fineries, a Chafery, and one Ham-  
mer; together with about 400 Acres of very valu-  
able Land, situate upon *Deer-Creek*, a fine Stream  
of Water, in *Baltimore County*, about 12 Miles  
from the Head of *Bush River*, and 7 from the  
nearest navigable Parts of *Susquehanna*. For Title  
and Terms, apply to the Subscriber, at *Nottingham*  
Forges, upon the Great Falls of *Guns powder River*.

(1<sup>st</sup>) CORBIN LEE.

**JUST IMPORTED,**  
And to be Sold by the Subscriber at Upper-Marlbo-  
rough and Queen-Anne, for Cash, Wheat, In-  
dian Corn, &c.

**GOOD** old Barbados Spirit in Batrels, Barba-  
dos and Philadelphia Rum, Muscovado Sugar,  
Single Refin'd Ditto, Coffee, Candles, Soap, Gin-  
ger, and Fine Salt.

He will be obliged to his Customers at *Queen-  
Anne* for Dealings in his Store in June 1763, to  
come, settle, and pay off their Accounts, in Cash,  
Bills, Wheat, or Indian Corn.

(3<sup>rd</sup>) WILLIAM PARKER.

**JUST IMPORTED,**  
**DOCTOR JAMES'S POWDERS**, to be  
Sold at a cheaper Rate than the Price de-  
manded in Stores. Enquire at the Printing-Office.



**Elk-Ridge Landing, May 15, 1765.**  
**T**HE Subscriber, understanding that many false Reports have industriously been propagated, relative to the Loss of the Ship *Dolphin*, Dougall McDougall Master, who sailed from *Papago* in November last, takes this Method of acquainting the Gentlemen, who shipp'd Tobacco in her, that he has received Letters from Messieurs *John Stewart* and *Campbell*, importing that the said Ship, after some Days excessive Storms (during which Time many Ships of great Value were lost) was forced on Shore in *Mount's Bay*, near the Land's End. That the Tobacco would be lost, but that the Shippers thereof were insured at Six Pounds Sterling per Hogthead, agreeable to their Request. **WILLIAM LUX**, Attorney in Fact (4<sup>th</sup>) for Messrs. *John Stewart* and *Campbell*.

#### FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

**VIRGINIA, Dumfries, May 13, 1765.**  
**R**AN away last Night, or early this Morning, *James Scott*, native of *Ireland*, a Convict Servant, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, and pitted with the Small-Pox: Took with him a Sailor's blue Jacket, a Pair of coarse Sacking long Breeches, and a full Suit of old black Cloaths. He ran away from me in 1757, and was never taken up till this Spring, so that he must be pretty well acquainted with the Country, and will probably impose himself on the Public for a Freeman. Whoever takes up the said Runaway, and conveys him to me here, shall have Five Pounds Reward. **RICHARD GRAHAM**.

**To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE**, by the Subscriber, on the 22<sup>d</sup> Day of August next, being the 3<sup>d</sup> Day of Court, at the House of Mr. *Arthur Charlton*, in *Frederick-Town*, in *Frederick County*, for Sterling Money, or Bills of Exchange.

**A** VERY valuable Tract of LAND called *Aix-la-Chapelle*, containing 1792 Acres, being and lying in *Frederick County*, on the main Branch of *Seneca*, and near the Mouth of the said Branch; the Land is well wooded and watered. One Year's Credit will be given, for one Half of the purchase Money (if desired) upon giving good Security, and paying Interest. (1<sup>st</sup>) **CHARLES CARROLL, junr.**

**S**TRAYED from the Subscriber's on *Busb Creek*, in *Frederick County*, last Month, a thin Mouse colour'd Horse, about 14 Hands high, paces naturally, his Brand, if any, forgot.

Also a well made Iron Grey Horse, about 13 Hands high, paces and trots, branded on the near Buttock T I.

Both of them were shod before, and are supposed to have made towards *Calvert County*.

Whoever will deliver them to *Benjamin Johnson*, near *Calvert County Court-House*, *Thomas Johnson* in *Annapolis*, or the Subscriber, shall be paid Thirty Shillings, or Fifteen Shillings for either; or if Information is given where they may be sent for, the Favour will be thankfully acknowledged, by (1<sup>st</sup>) **JAMES JOHNSON**.

**R**AN away the 14<sup>th</sup> of May, from the *Elk-Ridge Furnace*, a Convict Servant Man named *Joseph Clark*, about 30 Years of Age, near 5 Feet 10 Inches high, is pretty lusty, of a fair Complexion, has black Eyes, and something of a down Look when spoken to; his Hair is of a brown Colour, and curl'd; he has been in the Country about 12 Months, and speaks pretty much in the *English* Country Dialect; he has taken with him a Discharge belonging to one *Benjamin Legate*, which is dated 1764, I think in *July*, which it is probable he will make use of, by changing his Name; he also carried with him a Suit of *Legate's* Cloaths, viz. Coat, Jacket and Breeches, of a dirty or dark Cloth Colour; the Coat has a slash Sleeve, and the whole trimm'd with yellow Metal Buttons; he also took with him several other Things, as a Castor Hat, Check Shirt, Yarn Stockings, a Pair of Pumps, striped Holland Trowsers, a Pair of *Osnabrigs* Sailor's Ditto, and two Silk Handkerchiefs. Whoever takes up and brings the said Runaway to the Subscriber, at the *Elk-Ridge Furnace*, shall have, if taken within 10 Miles of the said Furnace, Thirty Shillings; if 20 Miles from thence, Three Pounds; if 40 Miles, Five Pounds; and if out of the Province, Ten Pounds Reward. (1<sup>st</sup>) **CALEB DORSEY**.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, a Negro Man named *Jem*, a likely lively young Fellow, about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, has a wild Look, and when spoke to appears surprized. He was formerly the Property of Mr. *Robert Gordon*, of the City of *Annapolis*, deceased, so that it is very likely he spends some Part of his Time among his Acquaintance in Town. Whoever takes up the said Fellow, and secures him, so that he may be had again, shall have Eight Dollars Reward. (1<sup>st</sup>) **ROBERT TYLER**.

*Kent-Island, April 19, 1765.*

**A**S it is published in the *Philadelphia Paper*, that the noted Horse DOVE, imported by Dr. *Hamilton*, is now Covering at Mr. *Dames's*, such Gentlemen on the Western Shore as incline sending Mares to him, may have them carefully brought over the Bay, sent up to the Horse, and returned at *Annapolis* when done with him, at Twelve Shillings and Six Pence each Mare. Particular Care shall be taken of them. Good Pasturage both at Mr. *Dames's* and my House. (1<sup>st</sup>) **EMORY SUDLER**.

#### JOSEPH RATHELL,

**W**HO has Taught in the Country for Twelve Months with uncommon Success, being encouraged by several Gentlemen in Town, has opened SCHOOL in the City of *Annapolis*, in the House formerly occupied by Mr. *Lyttleton*, where he Teaches the following Branches, viz. READING, in which no Pains will be wanting to give Children a true Pronunciation and proper Delivery: WRITING, agreeable to an approved and familiar Method, by which he has made many Improvements in a short Time: And, ARITHMETIC, in a laconic and expeditious Manner, peculiarly adapted to fit Youth for mercantile Business. And as he is determined to confine himself to a much smaller Number of Pupils than are usually received in Schools, and to use all possible Diligence to promote their Improvement, as well in the above Branches, as in having a proper Regard to their Behaviour, he humbly hopes for the Encouragement of the Public, which, to deserve a Continuance of, shall be his constant Endeavour. He will also attend a few young Ladies or Gentlemen at their Houses from XII to 1 o'Clock in the Forenoon, and from V to VI in the Afternoon. Those who are pleased to favour him with the Care of their Children, may depend on their being well treated in all Respects, and may be particularly informed of the Terms, &c. by enquiring at Mr. *Knapp's*, Watchmaker, in Town. (1<sup>st</sup>) **J X**

**T**HE Managers of the *SEVERN CHAPEL LOTTERY*, beg Leave to inform the Public, That they purpose to begin Drawing the same, on Monday the Tenth of *July* next, at *Elk-Ridge Landing*. There are some Tickets still on Hand, which may be had of any of the Managers, or at the PRINTING-OFFICE. 5 (1<sup>st</sup>)

#### ROBERT PINKNEY, TAYLOR,

At *JONATHAN PINKNEY's* in CHURCH-STREET, ANNAPOLIS.

**T**AKES this Method to acquaint the Public, That he makes all Sorts of Mens Cloaths in the newest Fashion: As also Ladies Riding Habits in the genteelst Taste. Those Gentlemen who are pleased to favour me with their Commands, may depend on having their Business as completely executed as by any of the Trade, having had Eight Years Practice as a Foreman to the most Eminent of the Business in *London*. 6 X

*Charles County, April 8, 1765.*

**R**AN away from the Subscriber on *Shrove Tuesday* last, a tall, likely, strong, Country-born Negro Fellow, named *Sango*, aged 20 Years. He had on an old light colour'd Surtout Coat much worn, and over that a dark striped Country Cloth Jacket, and Breeches of the same, dark colour'd Country knit Yarn Stockings, and Country made Shoes. Whoever will secure the said Fellow, if in the County, so that he may be had again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward. If out of the County, in any Jail, Forty Shillings, and if brought Home, reasonable Travelling Charges allowed. 4 **GEORGE LEE**.

**TO BE SOLD,**  
**A** CONVICT SERVANT WOMAN, who is near 7 Years to serve. She can Sew, Wash and Iron, very well, is a sober, and an exceedingly handy, Woman. Enquire at the *Printing-Office*. (1<sup>st</sup>)

**W**HILEAS one *JOHN HUNT*, who was born in *England*, and in the Year 1743 lived in *St. Pauls Parish, Baltimore County, Maryland*, as a Saddle, and removed to *Westmore Parish* in the same County; from thence, 'tis said, he went to *Cumberland in Georgia*, and from thence to *St. Augustine*; and in *January, 1764*, as it is also said, he ordered a Cargo of Goods from *London*, to be directed to Messrs. *Barton* and *Regent* in *St. Augustine*, to be let with Messrs. *Hoopers* and *Swallow*, in *Charles-Town, South-Carolina*: If the said *John Hunt* be still Alive, and will apply to the Subscriber, living in *Baltimore-Town, Maryland*, he will hear of something to his Advantage. If he is Dead, which is most likely, any Person that will bring a proper Certificate of his Death to the Subscriber, shall receive a REWARD of FIVE GUINEAS. (12<sup>m</sup>) **JOHN MERRYMAN, junr.**

**T**HE Subscribers beg Leave to inform the PUBLIC, That they have lately Erected, at *BALTIMORE-TOWN*, in *MARYLAND*, A DISTILLERY for making RUM; which, (by many good Judges who have seen it) is allowed to be one of the largest, completest and best constructed STILL-HOUSE of any in *NORTH-AMERICA*: And having furnished themselves with an expert DISTILLER, and a plentiful Stock of MOLASSES, they purpose to carry on the DISTILLING BUSINESS extensively, and to supply constantly the Demand for Home-made RUM, at nearly the same as the *Philadelphia* Prices, at least on much lower Terms than the Province of *MARYLAND* has been generally supplied with that Article. The RUM already made by them has been highly approved by the best Judges, and deemed superior to either *Philadelphia* or *New-England* RUM; and they hope to give Satisfaction to the Public, as well as maintain their own Reputation, by continuing to make always of the same approved Quality.

As this Undertaking is so well calculated to promote the general Trade of the Province, and so convenient for supplying the Country Traders, Farmers, &c. who bring their Produce to *Baltimore Market*, as well as to promote the private Emolument of the Owners; it is hoped the Public will give proper Encouragement to a Branch of Trade so useful, and so much wanted in the Province.

Any Gentlemen wanting Quantities of RUM for Exportation, by giving timely Notice may be supplied, and proper Allowance made to such, by Their humble Servants, **SAMUEL & ROBERT PURVIANCE, & Comp.**

**TO BE SOLD,**  
**A** TRACT of LAND adjoining to the Town of *Nottingham*, on *Patuxent River*, in *Prince-George's County*, called *Beanes's Pasture*, containing 220 Acres; whereon is a new Dwelling-House 28 by 26 Feet, finished in a very neat and convenient Manner; a new Kitchen 20 by 16 Feet, (under which is a small Stone Cellar); and a Stable. About Half the Tract is fine hard Marl, which may easily be improved to very great Advantage: The other Part is very level, and of a good Soil: The Situation is very convenient for either a Merchant or Tavern Keeper. Also a Lot of Ground in the Town of *Nottingham*, whereon is a very good Stone-House 30 Feet square, with a good Store Room, Lumber Room, Compting Room, with a Brick Chimney thereto, and a Lodging Room, on the first Floor: Above Stairs there is Three good Rooms, completely finished, and in good Repair; there is also a good Cellar under the House, the full Size thereof, with Three convenient Rooms therein. The Whole to be Sold together, or separate, as the Purchaser chooses, for *London Bills of Exchange*, Sterling or Current Money, upon very reasonable Terms.

All Persons Indebted to the Estate of *Calmer Beanes*, late Deceased, are desired to settle and discharge their respective Balances by the Tenth Day of *February* next; otherwise they may depend on being Sued and Warranted, without Respect to Persons. (1<sup>st</sup>) **WILLIAM BEANES, Executor.**

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The following Piece, selected from a late London Paper, was wrote by a worthy North-American, and directed to Thomas Touchit, Esq; of Spring-Gardens.

S I R,

A S a Number of interested People are very assiduous in propagating a Report that our North-American Colonies omit no Opportunity of establishing an Independency prejudicial to the Mother-Country, it will be a Matter highly worthy your known Humanity, to set this Point in a clear Light; and I doubt not therefore but you will readily grant a Portion of your useful Paper to wipe off the Calumnies so unjustly thrown upon so valuable a Part of our Fellow-Subjects.

One of the principal Arguments made use of by the Enemies of our Colonies, is that the Orders from North-America are every Day decreasing, and that the Inhabitants of those Settlements have already set up a Number of Manufactories, which must not only render the Assistance of the Mother-Country still less and less necessary, but materially, affect its Interest to boot.

'Tis in Reality surprizing after all that has been said upon this Subject, how strange an Inclination People manifest to be deceived: Must our sage Declaimers against the American Colonies be everlastingly told, that if the Demand for the Manufactures of the Mother-Country has decreased, that the Mother-Country has herself been the Occasion of that Decrease; and that there is scarcely a Manufactory established in those Parts, but what she herself has actually compelled the Inhabitants to set up.

If these mighty Patriotic Gentlemen knew any Thing about the Subject which they so unceasingly dwell on, or had the least Intention of being properly informed, they would soon see that while the Mother-Country permitted the Colonies to carry on a Trade with the French and Spanish Settlements, that then the Colonies sent over very extensive Orders annually, and never attempted to set up any Manufactories which could possibly obstruct the Interest of this Kingdom. In Fact, the Colonies were sufficiently employed in supplying the French and Spanish Islands with the Manufactures of the Mother-Country, and found it besides so valuable a Branch of Commerce, that they had neither Leisure nor Inclination to think of any Thing else. When this Trade therefore was prohibited, what was this to do? They could not send over to England for Goods without Money to pay for them; tho' I dare say, if they had had the least Idea, that we should have looked upon this prudent Solicitude for their own immediate Preservation as an Act of Arrogance or Audacity, they would have submitted to any Exigence rather than incur our Displeasure or give Birth to that Whirlwind of Obloquy and Slander, which has so violently burst on their Heads.

Whoever is acquainted with the Genius of the American Colonies, must know, that nothing is more repugnant both to their Interest and Inclination, than the Establishment of Manufactories among themselves: Wherever there is a great Tract of Country, and but a small Number of Inhabitants, the Work of Agriculture and Husbandry must be the principal Objects of the People. They must first provide for their Wants, before they can think of gratifying their Luxuries; and the Price of manual Labour being proportioned to the Scarcity of Hands, they will sacrifice the Ambition of Dressing magnificently, to the humbler Necessity of getting Bread. By this Means they can furnish themselves cheaper in Fact, from the Mother-Country, where the Plenty and Expertness of Workmen reduces the Price of all Manufactures to a reasonable Standard, than at Home, where the extreme Scarcity of Workmen, joined to the general Inexperience, not only enhances the Price to an enormous Degree, but even lessens the Value of the Commodity too.

For these Reasons, Mr. Touchit, I look upon it as an utter Impossibility for our Colonies to entertain the least Notion of rendering themselves Independent. If we are chagrined that they do not

purchase our Manufactures in the same Quantities as they formerly did, we have nothing to do but take the Restriction from their Commerce, which so fatally robs us of the Means. If we are offended that they have set up Works of their own, let us take away the Necessity which compelled them to such a Measure, and the Consequences will be such as must answer our warmest Expectation. We have found the Inconveniencies arising from this Restriction sufficiently to teach us a little Prudence, so that if we do not take it off out of Tenderness to the Colonies, we ought at least to remove it out of Regard to ourselves.

I am Sir, Yours, &c.

A NORTH-AMERICAN.

From the PUBLIC LEDGER.

LONDON, April 1.

NOTWITHSTANDING it has been frequently mentioned in your Paper by several Gentlemen, That our Colonies were in a most flourishing Situation, and that it was very hard they should reap all the Advantages arising from the Freedom of a British Constitution, without subscribing something towards the prodigious Sums, which, in the Course of the late War, have been laid out in it's Defence; yet I must differ very much in Opinion from your Correspondents, with regard to the Opulence of the Colonies. I am in Trade myself, Sir, and formerly had considerable Orders from the Plantations; but within these 3 or 4 Years, my Business had not only visibly decreased, but even the little I do send to that Part of the World is so ill paid, that I have almost determined to discontinue my Connections there, and not for the Sake of a very trifling Profit, run the Hazard of losing the Whole. Every Gentleman who knows any Thing of the American Commerce, knows very well that not above an Eighth of the Orders, which were sent over in 1763, came over during the Course of the last Year; and they also know very well that Remittances from our Colonies have been so extremely precarious, that it would be a Degree of the greatest Rashness to trust them with any capital Quantity of Goods.

The Reason of this Decline in the Plantation Trade has been a Thousand and a Thousand Times mentioned. The only Commerce of considerable Advantage which our Colonies carried on, was with the neighbouring French and Spanish Settlements, who paid a very high Price for their Goods. This enabled them to send Orders of a most extensive Nature every Year, for the various Manufactures of the Mother Country, and put it also in their Power to be religiously punctual in the Payment of their Bills. The Mother Country however, through a strange Principle of Policy, thought proper some Time ago to lay a Restriction upon this Trade, between our Colonies and the French and Spanish Settlements. By this Means our Colonies have been deprived of the most material Channel of their Opulence, and consequently rendered utterly unable to assist the Mother Country to any Degree of Importance, by the Purchase of it's various Commodities and Manufactures.

This is in short the whole State of the Case, and we may exclaim as much as we think proper about the little Advantages which our Colonies produce; but our Exclamations will be attended with no salutary Effects till we remove the Cause of Complaint, and restore the Plantations to their former Privileges.—This we ought to do as speedily as possible, as there is but too much Reason to suppose some other European Nations will establish Free Ports in America, and prevent the Possibility of this beneficial Traffic ever to return to our Hands.

A MERCHANT.

NEW-YORK, May 9, 1765.

A MIDST the insatiable Thirst for Novelty so prevalent in England, and especially the Nation's Greediness after American Intelligence, at a Time when those of his Majesty's Dominions

are the grand Object of Deliberation, I am surprized to find the English News Writers so incompetently informed by their Correspondents in this Part of the World. It is true, they sometimes oblige the Public with a remarkable Occurrence, respecting the various Contrivances we make use of to reduce the Importation of British Manufactures. But I do not remember to have seen an English Article of News respecting the Northern Colonies on the Subject just mentioned, but what was trifling in Comparison of those with which an industrious Collector might perpetually supply them. May we not therefore expect in convenient Time to see the following Articles in some of the London Prints, which I have purposely collected to gratify the laudable Curiosity that reigns at Home, and all which, are as agreeable to Truth as most of those that have lately embellished the English Papers, viz.

That the Americans are so determined to live independent of any British Manufactures, that every Letter from those Parts abounds with Instances of their Experiments to supply themselves with all the Necessaries of Life of their own Fabrication.

An old Lady of Carlisle in the Province of Pennsylvania, has accidentally discovered a Method of making an excellent Velvet greatly superior to that of Manchester, of the Down of Peaches, intermixed with a small Proportion of the Spiders Web, to give the Thread the greater Length and Consistence.

We are credibly informed that the North-American Ladies need not flint themselves in the Article of Silk, tho' they received not a single Piece from Britain, our Colonists having discovered a new Species of Silk Worm, that spin and propagate at the same Time; and work the whole Winter, when instead of Mulberry Leaves, their only Food during the Season, they are kept on Indian Corn and Oats.

We also have it from good Authority, that one Jedidiah Potter, of Barnstable in New-England, has lately exhibited to the Select Men of the Town an excellent Piece of Cloth made of Hogs Bristles, not inferior to any of our Wiltons. A Discovery that must infallibly ruin our Woollen Manufactures and reduce Thousands of our Weavers to Beggary. And to convince the World that the Americans can supply themselves even with the Luxuries of Life without any Communication with Europe, three enterprising Brothers in the Province of New-Jersey have given Specimens of their Ingenuity on that Subject, in the following Instances. The one makes excellent Barbados Spirits of the Juice of Cucumbers; the other presses the choicest Claret from the long shaped Turnip; and the Third boils a Jelly, equal in Taste and Transparency to the best Calfs Feet Jelly, from the Flint Stone, in which that Country greatly abounds.

The following is an Article of American Intelligence most authentically attested, that on the Report of the Parliament's Intention to lay a Tax on the Colonies, a Number of Gentlemen belonging to the Society for promoting Arts, Agriculture and Economy, in the Province of New-York, immediately contracted with Two Hundred Shepherds to purchase Three Million of Sheep in Peru, which were to be brought all along the Continent of America by Land, in order to prevent any Obstruction from his Majesty's Cutters; but that on the News of the happy Discovery made by the said Potter, that Project was laid aside; and Premiums proposed for encouraging all the Farmers to exert themselves in breeding Swine, for the Sake of their Bristles.

It is thought by our ablest Politicians that America may bear a Tax of One Million Sterling per Annum from a just Calculation of its Riches, it being undoubtedly fact that in the City of New-York alone there are at least Seven Hundred Coaches, and most of them shod with Gold, and set with Diamonds and other precious Stones; and we have it from Persons of undoubted Credit, that no private Gentleman pretended to entertain Sir Jeffery Amherst and his Family, while at Head Quarters in that City, at a less Expence than Four Hundred Pounds Sterling.—Surely such wealthy Colonies are able to sink the National Debt without the least Incumbrance!

Our



Our Colonies are so extremely addicted to Smuggling (a Thing altogether unknown in Britain) that since the King's Ships have been stationed along the Continent to prevent that felonious Practice, a certain Gentleman of a very mechanical Turn, by a new Improvement on the Diving Bell, has contrived a Rowing Boat that is carried under Water for Twenty-four Hours without any Inconvenience to her Navigators for Want of fresh Air. With these Boats the Smugglers meet the Vessels expected with the contraband Commodities at some convenient Distance from the Land; and having taken in the prohibited Part of their Cargoes, are conveyed under Water in the Harbour under the very Noses, that is to say, under the very Keels of the Men of War.

The Ministers have received very recent Advice that our Indian Affairs in America are upon a very respectable Footing; and that his Majesty's Agent in order effectually to prevent all farther Ravages by those barbarous Savages, had summoned all the Indians in America to meet him at a grand Congress, at which every individual adult Indian in America attended; the whole Number amounting to Three Million Five Thousand Seven Hundred and Thirty-four. At this Congress the Agent informed them that it appearing from daily Experience that they were a People whose Promises could not be relied on; and that from the immense Increase of the Whites the Country would soon be too narrow for both, if they were really determined to give the highest Evidence in their Power of their Loyalty and Affection to the Crown of Great-Britain, and of their so frequently pretended Friendship for him, it was necessary for them by their own voluntary Act so to brighten the Covenant Chain, as to render it impossible to contract for the future the least Atom of Rust: That they were all Warriors, and had too much of the Hero to fear what was the natural Lot of all Men. Upon which the whole Audience who all heard him very distinctly and easily took the Hint, unanimously rose up and immediately went and hanged themselves.—It is thought that the Subject of Ways and Means how to dispose of their Wives and Children to prevent the tragical Consequences of the Repopulation of America by such Savages, will be one of the first that will engage the Deliberation of the Parliament at their next Sitting.

**L O N D O N, April 17.**  
YESTERDAY Morning, about Half an Hour after Nine, Lord Byron, escorted by a Party of the Guards, consisting both of Horse and Foot, and attended by the Lieutenant Governor and Constable of the Tower, and one other Gentleman, went in a Coach over London-Bridge to Westminster, in order to take his Trial there before his Peers, for the late unhappy Affair that passed between him and the late Mr. Chaworth; his Lordship was conducted back the same Way, between five and six o'Clock.

The Council for his Lordship on this Occasion are, the Hon. Mr. Charles Yorke, and Alexander Wedderburn, Esq; Attorney, Mr. Potts. Against his Lordship, the Attorney General, the Solicitor General, Mr. Serjeant Glynn, Mr. Stowe, Mr. Cornwall; Attorney, Mr. Joyner.

April 18. Last Night, about seven o'Clock, the Trial of the Right Hon. Lord Byron ended at Westminster Hall, when his Lordship was found guilty of Manslaughter; but pleading his Privilege, he was discharged from his Confinement.

**B O S T O N, June 3.**  
Our Trade is in a most deplorable Situation, not one fifth Part of the Vessels now employed in the West-India Trade, as was before the late Regulations: Our Cash almost gone before the Stamp and Post-Office Acts are to operate: Bankruptcies multiplied, our Fears increased; and the Friends of Liberty under the greatest Despondency: What these Things will end in, Time only can discover.

Advices from England by the last Ships are,—That the Stamp Bill is not only passed, but has a Provision that all Breaches of said Act are cognizable by any of his Majesty's Courts of Admiralty; so that the Americans are not only to have their Monies taken from them without their Consent, but to be deprived of another darling Privilege, viz. Trials by Jury.—That several Regiments are coming to America from Ireland, and a Bill had a first Reading, by which the Soldiery may be quartered upon private Families; and that Mr. — had moved and obtained Liberty to bring in a Bill next Session, for laying a Tax upon the landed Estates in North-America, which will not much surprize the People of the Colonies, as indeed no-

thing can, after what has already taken Place.—That instead of our present Courts of Admiralty, to which no Salaries are annexed, and so are no Expence to the Crown, several new Ones are to be erected in their Stead, and each Judge with a Salary of £. 800 Sterling per Annum out of the American Revenue, and other Officers in Proportion, it being no more than equal to the Importance of such Appointments, and the Ability of our Trade to furnish.—That the—has a Swarm of Scribblers employed to prejudice the Mother against her Children, and to colour Measures calculated to raise a Revenue and Increase Dependencies, tho' upon the utter Ruin of Trade.—And that French Agents and French Monies are employed to set on Foot Measures that may have a Tendency to alienate the Affections of the Colonies from their Mother-Country, as the most probable Means of giving them a Chance in some future Period, to recover what has been taken from them by the Help and uncommon Exertions of these infant Colonies.

The Report that some Americans are to deliver Stamps to their Fellow Slaves, puts us in Mind of the West-India Policy, most of their Plantations having Negro Overseers, who in order to please their Masters, and hold their Posts, are more severe to their own Colour in their Exactions and Whippings, than are the white Overseers, and consequently are more abhorred and detested.

**N E W - Y O R K, June 10.**  
By a Gentleman who arrived here last Week, from Montreal, we have the following melancholy Piece of Intelligence, viz. That on the 17th ult. at Half after One in the Afternoon, a Fire broke out in the House of Mr. John Livingston, of that Place, and there being only two small Engines, and the French extremely ignorant of the Method of extinguishing Fires, the Flames soon spread with great Rapidity on both Sides of the Street, and the Wind being very high, 115 Houses were entirely consumed, by Six o'Clock in the Evening, with immense Quantities of Goods contained therein, it being the principal Street in the Place, and where all the English Merchants resided. A Nunnery was also consumed, and three Nuns, a French Gentleman and his Lady, and a Negro Wench, lost their Lives. On the Occasion, the Army, animated by the Presence of Brigadier General Burton, exerted themselves in a particular Manner, and it is said it was owing to their Activity that the whole Town was not destroyed, as several of the poor Soldiers were much burnt in removing Goods from the Houses whilst in Flames, most of the French Inhabitants having retired to their Churches, being greatly intimidated by some small Explosions of Gunpowder, that happened whilst the Houses were in Flames, as several of the Merchants, very imprudently, had Quantities of that Article in their Garrets. It is said the Fire was occasioned by a Negro Wench carrying a Quantity of Matches into the upper Story of Mr. Livingston's House, not with any bad Design, but to be kept there for making Soap.—The following English Merchants have been great Sufferers, viz. Vanderhyden, Stanhouse, Neagles and Barron, Simenson and Delale, Howard, Morrison and Holmes, M'Craken, Patterson and Grant, and Knipe, and Duane; Mr. Livingston sustained little Loss; tho' the Fire first broke out in his own House.—The following French Gentlemen, besides many others of the same Nation, suffered much, viz. Monf. Lecorn, Dumay, and Irview.

**A N N A P O L I S, June 20.**  
On Monday last arrived here, in Eight Weeks from England, the Ship Echo, Capt. JOHN CURLING, junior; who brought with him a Printed Copy of the — STAMP ACT.—Which is now Re-Printing here, and will be Publish'd, and to be Sold next Week: Very necessary to be known by every One who would keep out of LIMBO.

**B L A N K B O O K S** for RECORDS, of any Size, on the best of Paper for the Purpose; Bound stronger than those from our MOTHER COUNTRY, and as neat, may be had on Application to JONAS GREEN. N. B. The Reason why they are stronger, is, That the Moisture and Damp in the Hold of a Ship, much affects and weakens the Glue.

**C A S H** to be had for good London BILLS of EXCHANGE, of  
(2<sup>d</sup>)  
IGNATIUS FENWICK, junior.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Saturday next, the 22d Instant, at IV o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Mr. Samuel Middleton's, in Annapolis, to the highest Bidder, for ready Money,

**T H R E E** Fine NEGRO WOMEN, one a choice Field Negro, well used to the Hoe; the other Two are fine healthy New Negroes, and well season'd to the Country.

**A B O U T** 50 Years ago, came into this Province, as a Physician or Surgeon, a Gentleman whose Name was David M'Gill, (younger Son of Mr. Arthur M'Gill, of Kemback, in the County of Fife, in Scotland) who married a Woman of the Name of Bond or Bonn, by whom, it is supposed, he has left several Children, particularly two Sons, who, it is imagined, have settled in Maryland, or some of the neighbouring Provinces: If they will apply to the Printing-Office, in Annapolis, they will hear of Something to their Advantage. *M. M. Maxwell*

**T H E** Subscriber intending to London early in the Fall, requests all Persons who have Claims against him, to bring them in, that they may be adjusted: And those Indebted are desired to come and settle their Accounts. Those that cannot make Payment this Summer, will be indulged with a reasonable Time, on giving Bond, with Security if required.

He hath Imported from London, in the Fanny, Capt. Lane, An Assortment of European and East-India GOODS, which is to be Sold at his Store in Upper-Marlborough, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco.  
(4<sup>th</sup>)  
JOHN READ MACRUDER.

**B Y** Virtue of a Fieri Facias, will be Sold to the Highest Bidder, on Tuesday the Second Day of July next, at the House of Mr. Clement Whetler, Two TRACTS of LAND, lying in Charles County, late the Property of Thomas Middleton, (and now in Possession of Thomas Duffett) to satisfy a Debt due from the said Middleton to the Commissioners or Trustees of the Loan Office; the one Tract called Stephen's Hope, containing 98 Acres, the other called Norwich, containing 100 Acres. (2<sup>d</sup>) DANIEL JENIFER, Sheriff.

**T H E** Subscribers having furnished themselves with Two compleat Hands in the LEATHER BREECHES MAKING BUSINESS, from London, inform the Public, That they may be supplied with LEATHER BREECHES of all Sorts and Sizes, made in the best and neatest Manner.  
H. CATON,  
W. WILKINS.  
(6<sup>th</sup>)

To be DISPOSED of, by the Subscriber, on board the Brig Trotman, Capt. HAYTON, in the Ferry-Branch, Patapsco River, PARCEL of Healthy Indentured SERVANTS, just arrived from London, in the said Brig, amongst whom are several of different Trades and Professions, as House-Carpenters, Weavers, Shoemakers, Peruke-makers, Stone Masons, Cutlers, Braziers, Scriveners, Blacksmiths, Bakers, Silvermiths, Jewellers, Fullers, and Maltsters.

The Sale will begin on Friday the 21st Instant.  
THO<sup>s</sup>. BUCHANAN.  
N. B. All the Servants have had the Small-Pox.

**J U S T I M P O R T E D,**  
And to be Sold by PATRICK M'GILL, at his Store at ELK-RIDGE Landing, in the Pearl, Capt. Francis, from Scotland, and in the Friendship, Capt. Frost, from London, A NEAT Assortment of European and East-India GOODS, suitable for the Season; amongst which are some handsome Lotestrings and Tobines: Likewise a very good Harris's Spinnet.

**I** TAKE this Method to acquaint the Public, That I am much obliged to all those Gentlemen that have subscribed to my Packet, and also those that have been so kind as to favour me with their Custom, during the Time my Ferry was kept from Broad-Creek, on Kent-Island, to Annapolis: But finding it disadvantageous to continue it any longer, from the small Encouragement I have met with, and the Ferriages being lessened, have thought it most to my Advantage to Rent it to Mr. James Hutchings, whose Ferry, I am convinced, from the Conduct of the Public in general, has been thought sufficient to carry across the Bay all those that have Occasion to Travel by Way of Kent-Island. (7<sup>th</sup>)  
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ANNAPOLIS, June 19, 1765.  
**JUST IMPORTED by the SUBSCRIBER,**  
from LONDON.

**A**N Assortment of the very best HAIRS,  
and other Materials, for WIG-MAKING.  
Gentlemen in the Country may be furnished, on  
the shortest Notice, with all Sorts of PERUKES,  
made in the best Manner, for ready Money, or  
short Credit. Those that are Indebted to him,  
are requested to make speedy Payment.

(1<sup>st</sup>) THOMAS HEWITT.

**To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,**  
for the Benefit of the Insurers, and Others  
concerned, on Tuesday the 9th Day of July  
next, at X o'Clock A. M. at the Dock in  
ANNAPOLIS.

**T**WO ANCHORS, one of them Weight 9 C.  
1 q. 9 lb. the other 3 C. 2 q. 1 lb. A  
Long-Boat, Sails, and Two Oars; a Yawl and  
Oars; a Parcel of Spikes and Bolts; about 40  
Fathom of 9 Inch Cable, and about 60 Fathom  
of Hauser, with sundry other Things too tedious  
to mention: Being what was saved of the Ship  
Rachel, lately burnt in Hungre River.

(3<sup>rd</sup>) THOMAS BROWNING.

Kent-Island, June 19, 1765.

**To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,**  
A LARGE commodious Deck'd, and Two  
Open, BOATS, almost new, in good Or-  
der, and well Rigged, on very reasonable Terms.

JAMES HUTCHINGS.

**A**LL Persons Indebted to John Robinson, late  
of Annapolis, deceased, Painter and Glazier,  
and Myself in Partnership, are desired to pay off  
their respective Balances as soon as possible: And  
all those who have any Claims against the said  
John Robinson, are desired to bring them in legally  
proved, to

WILLIAM TUCK.

N. B. The Subscriber carries on the Painting  
and Glazing Business, at his Shop in Annapolis, as  
usual, and will be obliged to Gentlemen for their  
Custom.

(1<sup>st</sup>) WM. TUCK.

**To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, to the**  
**HIGHEST BIDDER, on Monday the 8th**  
**of July next, at the Plantation whereon Thomas**  
**Adams now lives, near Mr. Priggs's in Prince-**  
**George's County, and within 5 Miles of Not-**  
**tingham, for Sterling Money, or Bills of Exchange,**

**P**ART of Two Tracts of LAND, the one  
called Truman's Hills, the other Pheasant's  
Hills, contiguous to each other, and containing in  
the Whole 251 ACRES; there are two Tene-  
ments on the Land, and the Soil very good.

The Sale to be about 11 o'Clock, and if bad  
Weather that Day, the first fair Day after.

The Money, or Bills, to be paid down, or  
Bond on Interest, with Security, if required.

(1<sup>st</sup>) JOSHUA BEALL.

**To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE,**  
on the 25th Day of this Instant June,

**A** TRACT of LAND, containing Two  
Hundred ACRES, more or less, whereon  
is a good Dwelling-House and Kitchen,  
Quarters, Cow-House, Tobacco-House, Garden,  
and all other Conveniences, lying on a good  
Creek for Fishing and Fowling, called by the  
Name of Thompkins Purchase, in Cobb Neck.

RAPHAEL LANCASTER.

**T**HERE is at the Plantation of Ninian Beall,  
near Bladenburg, taken up as a Stray, a  
Grey Gelding about 13 Hands high, with a Sprig  
Tail, about 5 Years old, and trots heavy; but  
has not any perceivable Brand.

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

**T**HERE is in the Possession of Roger Beall,  
near Bladenburg, taken up as a Stray, a  
small Black Mare, about 12 Hands high, with a  
Star in her Forehead, and paces.

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

**C**OMMITTED to Anne-Arundel County Jail,  
on Suspicion of being a Runaway, an Irish-  
man, about 28 Years old, 5 Feet 2 or 3 Inches  
high. Has on an old black Crape Coat and  
Waistcoat, and Drab Breeches. He says his  
Name is Patrick Kalkelly, and that he belongs to  
Mr. Makall, Merchant, at Hobbs-Hole, in Virginia.  
His Master is desired to pay Charges, and take  
him away. (1<sup>st</sup>) JOSEPH GALLOWAY, Sheriff.

**JUST IMPORTED in the Sally,**  
Capt. Buchanan, from LONDON, and to be  
SOLD by the Subscribers, at their Store in  
Church-street, ANNAPOLIS, for Cash, or  
Bills of Exchange, Wholesale and Retail,

**A** LARGE ASSORTMENT of EUROPEAN  
and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable for the  
SEASON. Likewise, West-India RUM by the  
Hoghead, Maryland RUM by the Hoghead or  
Tierce, Muscovado SUGAR by the Barrel, MO-  
LASSES by the Hoghead, old Madeira WINE  
by the Pipe, Hoghead or Quarter Cask; Liverpool  
SALT by the Bushel, Bell's ALE by the Dozen,  
Castile SOAP and CANDLES by the Box, PORK  
by the Barrel; and also, all Sorts of CORDAGE  
and SHIP CHANDLERY.

(4<sup>th</sup>) 2 STEWART & RICHARDSON.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1765.

**W**HEREAS a certain James Millar, on or  
about the 2d of May, 1764, Indented  
himself at Gravesend, to Mr. Sydenham, Merchant,  
of London, and sailed immediately in the Brig  
Brothers, James Morrison Master, bound to Patap-  
sco in Maryland, and was consigned to Mr. Fishwick  
there. The said Millar is of a dark Complexion,  
about 20 Years of Age, and about 5 Feet 6 or 7  
Inches high, and a Carpenter and Joiner by Trade,  
born at Stratbam in Surry. Whoever will give In-  
formation of the said James Millar (Alive or Dead)  
by directing a few Lines to Mr. Charles Allen, to  
be left at Mr. Joseph Yeates's, at the Three Tons in  
Chestnut-Street, Philadelphia, the Favour will be  
most gratefully acknowledged by

(3<sup>rd</sup>) 2 CHARLES ALLEN.

**JUST IMPORTED from LONDON,**  
in the Sally, Capt. BUCHANAN, and to be  
Sold by the Subscribers, at their Store in AN-  
NAPOLIS, by Wholesale or Retail, for Cash,  
Bills of Exchange, or short Credit, on very  
reasonable Terms,

**A** CHOICE Assortment of EUROPEAN  
and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable  
for Summer and Winter.

(1<sup>st</sup>) 2 CHARLES WALLACE & Comp.

**JUST IMPORTED from LONDON,**  
in the Anne and Mary, RICHARD CARR,  
and to be Sold by the Subscriber in UPPER-  
MARLBOROUGH, for Cash, Bills, or  
Tobacco,

**A** LARGE Assortment of European and East-  
India GOODS; among which there is  
Household Furniture, consisting of Chairs, with  
Matted and Russia Leather Bottoms, Mahogany  
Dressing, Card, and Writing Tables, Looking  
Glasses, Fire Screens, Field Bedsteads, with Matra-  
sses and Furniture, Check Curtains, Bason Stands,  
Tea Chests and Waiters, an Assortment of Tun-  
bridge Wares, great Variety of Paper Hangings  
and Landscapes, Music, and Musical Instruments,  
Spinnet Jacks, Tin Ventilators, that effectually  
prevent Chimneys from Smoking, Water Proof  
Cloths, Patent Ram Skin Breeches, and Dutch  
Rappee Snuff.

FRANCIS LEEKE.

N. B. Those who bring the Ready Money,  
will find a proper Distinction made between That  
and Credit.

(1<sup>st</sup>) 2 F. L.

**To be CHARTER'D, for any Port,**

**T**HE SLOOP CHARLOTTE,  
now lying in Herring-Bay,  
well Found, and Fitted for the  
Sea; will carry 2000 Bushels,  
and is a prime Sailer.

For Terms apply to SAMUEL  
CHEW at Poplar Ridge, on Her-  
ring-Bay, who has a sufficient

Quantity of Corn to sell, to load the Sloop, which  
he will dispose of reasonably.

(1<sup>st</sup>) 2

**S**TRAYED away from my Plantation at the  
Deer Park, sometime ago, Two genteel Black  
Horses, with bob Tails. They were seen at se-  
veral Places, and supposed to be going towards  
Conococheague, where they were bred; but as they  
have not been heard of there, it is imagined they  
have been stopt by some Person or Persons on this  
Side Frederick-Town.

Whoever will give Information where the said  
Horses may be had, or bring them to me, at Bal-  
timore-Town, shall be handsomely Rewarded for  
their Trouble, by

JOHN STEVENSON.

N. B. The smallest of the Two Horses is  
branded on the near Buttock I 8; the other for-  
got.

2 (3<sup>rd</sup>)

Virginia, Prince William County, May 13, 1765.  
**C**OMMITTED to the Jail of this County,  
from under the Hand of Lewis Rine, one of  
his Majesty's Justices, a Negro Man who calls  
himself Dick, and says he belongs to James Mit-  
chell, of the Province of Maryland, near Annapolis;  
he is a luffy full faced Fellow, has some grey Hairs  
in his Head; and has on a Cotton Jacket and  
Breeches, brown Linen Shirt, and an old Worsted  
Cap: The Owner is desired to fetch him away,  
on paying Fees and Charges to

(2<sup>nd</sup>) WILLIAM TEBBS, Sheriff.

June 13, 1765.

**W**ENT away last Night from the Brigantine  
Trotman, (Richard Hayton, Commander)  
at Anchor in Chesapeake Bay, off Annapolis, Two  
Men and One Woman, who took a Long-Boat,  
about 20 Feet Keel, Clinch built, with a Studding  
Sail and Brads Compa's; one of the Men is Coun-  
try born, named John Nickles, about 5 Feet 4  
Inches high. The other a Sailor, named John  
Ogden, a Dane born, speaks broken English, and  
is about 5 Feet 7 Inches high. The Woman is  
about 5 Feet 4 Inches high, named Lucy Chapell,  
and had on a white Linen Hat, and a brown  
Worsted Gown.

It is imagined they went up the Bay.

Whoever brings or secures the said People, so  
that the Subscriber gets them again, shall have  
Four Pounds Reward for the Sailor, and for the  
other two Forty Shillings each, paid by

RICHARD HAYTON.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, living on  
Elk-Ridge in Anne-Arundel County, the 26<sup>th</sup>  
of May last, a Convict Servant Man named Samuel  
Beach, he is a luffy, well made Fellow, about 5  
Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, of a fresh Complexion,  
wears his own short yellowish Hair, his right  
Thumb remarkably crooked, and is very apt to  
get in Liqueur. Had on when he went away, an  
old Felt Hat, Country Cloth full'd Jacket, coarse  
Country made Linen Shirt and Trowsers, and a  
Pair of strong Country made Shoes, with a large  
Nail in the Toe of each.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings  
him to his Master, or secures him so that he may  
be had again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward,  
if taken 20 Miles from home; Forty Shillings,  
if out of the County; and Three Pounds Pennsil-  
vania Currency, if out of the Province, beside  
what the Law allows, paid by

(3<sup>rd</sup>) BENJAMIN LAWRENCE.

George-Town, June 4th, 1765.

**U**PON a Petition being preferr'd to the wor-  
shipful Justices of Frederick County, at June  
Court in 1764, by John Murdock, praying that  
Commission might issue to certain Persons, impow-  
ering them to examine Evidences relating to the  
Bounds of the Three following Parcels of Land,  
viz. one called Philip and Jacob, one called White-  
haven, and Part of a Tract called Friendship, all  
lying in Frederick County, and near George-Town  
on Patowmack River, or the Bounds of any other  
Land or Lands, whereon the Bounds of the afore-  
said Lands may depend, or whereto they may re-  
late, in order to ascertain and perpetuate the same;  
which Petition being Granted, and a Commission  
thereupon issued and directed to us the Subscribers  
for that Purpose:

We hereby give Notice to all Persons any wise  
concerned or interested therein, or whose Property  
may be any wise affected thereby, That we intend  
to meet on the said Tracts, on the first Monday in  
August next, precisely at Ten o'Clock, in order to  
execute the said Commission, that we may make  
due Return thereof, together with the Depositions,  
so that the same may be Recorded in perpetual  
Memory, according to the Directions of the Act  
of Assembly in that Case made and provided.

CHARLES JONES, C. D.

ROBERT PETER,

ANTHONY HOLMEAD.

ERASMUS GILL.

(3<sup>rd</sup>)

Baltimore-Town, June 6th, 1765.

**T**HERE is in the Possession of the Subscriber,  
taken up as a Stray, a middling large Brown  
or Chestnut colour'd Gelding, with some white in  
his Forehead, branded on the near Shoulder with  
C, and on the near Buttock thus M.

(3<sup>rd</sup>) JOHN STEVENSON.

**T**HE Horse OTHELLO, that was bred  
by Col. Taffier, and by him Sold into Vir-  
ginia, is now at WHITEHALL, on the North  
Side of Severn River, in Anne-Arundel County,  
and will Cover Mares this Season at Four Guineas,  
or One Guinea a Leap.

(1<sup>st</sup>)



**To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco,**  
**360** **A** TRACT of LAND called *Wiltshire Plains*, containing upwards of 400 Acres, lying within two Miles of *Bryan Town*, in *Charles County*, on the 2d Day of September next, on the Premises.  
 (1<sup>st</sup>) **SAMUEL PARRAN.**

**L**ove-Point, on *Kent-Island*, May 28, 1765.  
**3** **L**EFT at my Landing, some Time ago, a small Clinch-Work BOAT about 12 Feet Keel. The Owner, on proving his Property and paying Charges, may have her by applying to  
 (3<sup>rd</sup>) **PATRICK HAMILTON.**

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, living near *Lower-Cedar-Point* in *Charles County*, the 17th of May last, Three Convict Servants, imported in the *Trial*, Capt. *Errington*, from *London*, viz.

*John Thomas*, a stout swarthy Man, about 32 Years of Age, upwards of 6 Feet high, has black Eyes, and dark brown Hair. Had on an old Jacket lined with Country Cotton, a red Cloth Cap, an old Check Shirt, old black Worsted knit Breeches, and 3 Pair of Yarn Hose.

*John Maund*, alias *Philpott*, about 21 Years of Age, 5½ Feet high, has dark brown Hair, grey Eyes, and Lisps in his Speech. Had on a Snuff colour'd Coat and blue Breeches, ribb'd Worsted Hose, a Check Shirt, and old Shoes.

*James West*, about 5 Feet high, 15 or 16 Years of Age, has dark brown curl'd Hair, and grey Eyes. Had on and took with him, a Scotch Bonnet, a white Linen Shirt, two Coats, one a dark Cloth, the other a light colour'd Surtout, a Pair of Leather Breeches, ribb'd Worsted Stockings, and a Pair of Pumps.

They took with them two new Osnabrigs Shirts, one Pair of Pumps, one Pair of Shoes, and one Pair of old Shoe Boots.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Servants, so that their Master may have them again, shall have Three Pounds Reward; or Five Pounds if brought home, beside what the Law allows, and in Proportion for either.

(1<sup>st</sup>) **THOMAS JAMES.**  
**N. B.** All Masters of Vessels are forewarn'd not to carry them off at their Peril.

*Charles County*, April 8, 1765.  
**5** **R**AN away from the Subscriber on Shrove Tuesday last, a tall, likely, strong, Country-born Negro Fellow, named *Sango*, aged 20 Years. He had on an old light colour'd Surtout Coat much worn, and over that a dark striped Country Cloth Jacket, and Breeches of the same, dark colour'd Country knit Yarn Stockings, and Country made Shoes. Whoever will secure the said Fellow, if in the County, so that he may be had again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward. If out of the County, in any Jail, Forty Shillings, and if brought Home, reasonable Travelling Charges allowed.  
**GEORGE LEE.**

**JUST IMPORTED** by the Subscribers, in the Ship *Virginia Planter*, from *Glasgow* to *Patuxent River*, and to be Sold at their Stores on *Nottingham* and *Benedict*, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco, on reasonable Terms,

**A** GREAT Variety of European GOODS for Retail, too numerous to particularize. Also sundry Parcels of sorted Linens and other Goods, suited to the Season, to be Sold Wholesale, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco. If necessary, Credit will be given for any of these Parcels, in whole or in part, for 3, 6, or 9 Months, as can be agreed on. They are of different Amounts, from Two to Six Hundred Pounds Cost.

**THOMAS CAMPBELL, and Company.**  
**N. B.** Those who still remain indebted to *Messieurs Shortridge, Gordon, and Company*, for Dealings at their Stores, late at *Upper-Marlborough, Nottingham, and Benedict*, are once more earnestly requested to take Measures for speedily discharging, or otherwise settling, their respective Balances, in order to prevent the disagreeable Consequences of Orders lately received from the said Company, by  
 (5<sup>th</sup>) **THOMAS CAMPBELL, Attorney in Fact.**

**PETER BELL, MATHEMATICIAN,**  
*Lately from England,*  
*(Now in ANNAPOLIS.)*  
**W**ILL wait on any Gentlemen, at any Time, and Survey what Lands they may think proper, in a Different, but more Exact Method, than that at present practiced in this Province. He will likewise Teach young Gentlemen, the Art of Surveying and Drawing, at a moderate Price, and use his utmost Diligence to make them compleat Masters in a short Time. He has some Plats and Prospects of this City (but not Engrav'd) which he will dispose of at a cheap Rate.  
 (3<sup>rd</sup>) **X3**

**To be SOLD to any Person living out of ANNAPOLIS,**  
**4** **T**HE Time of a very good JOINER, who was Indentured for Four Years, and has been in the Country about 8 Months: Also, A good HOUSE CARPENTER, who has about 6 Years to serve. Enquire at the *Printing-Office*.

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*Kent-Island, April 19, 1765.*  
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THURSDAY, June 27, 1765.

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LONDON, March 20, 1765.

**T**HE Complaints hourly heard in London, of the Distresses of the Manufacturers, are enough to make the most rocky Heart soften into a Tenderness. But our Pity will not afford them any Redress, and charitable Contributions can bring but a temporary Relief; and it were better that such Relief were never necessary, since the bad Habits brought on by such Indulgence, are as much to be dreaded as the Calamity itself; besides we may fear that other Parts of the Kingdom will be reduced by the same Causes to a State of Want. The Expenses of the State have been so great during the late War, and the Taxes thereby so much increased, that the Produce of our Labour cannot be uttered with Advantage in foreign Markets. In Order therefore to make our Manufactures go off, the Tradesman has been obliged to lower the Quality of his Goods, and use other Craft, as best answer'd his Purpose, that he might vend his Goods as cheap as those of other Countries; but these Expedients being unfair in Reality, are soon discovered, and our Commodities, by this Means, fall into Disrepute; by these Causes foreign Merchants are disgusted, and will not deal with us: Hence we acquire the Reputation of Dishonesty and Trickery, which will have such an Effect, as will make them slight our Merchandise, even when the Qualities of them are restored and improved. While we were at War, the Channels of Traffic were stopp'd to our Enemies by the great Destruction of their Ships; and while we had the whole Trade in a Manner in our Hands, we could make what Profit we pleased, so that the Effect of our augmented Taxes was not observed or felt; but now a free Trade is established by the Peace, our Enemies can go to Market as well as we can, it is plainly to be seen what Grievousness will result from the Taxes to the Nation, if they are not reduced; and yet instead of such a Reduction, we daily see them multiply; but how this Multiplicity of Taxes can be reduced is a Thing to be considered. The Method is plain; but what shall be said, if there be no Man of Integrity that dare promote it. We are in the Condition of Sodom, and must perish for Want of one honest Man to endeavour to avert our Destruction.

With the Multiplication of Taxes the Places under the Crown are proportionably multiplied; and not only Places, but the Fees and Profits of a great Number are multiplied; and increased, especially when they depend upon Poundage; for the more Money is raised for the Purposes of Government, the more such Fees must amount to. Will it not startle any Person to have it told, that one Teller of the Exchequer, just before the Conclusion of the War, reserved by Fees 12,000 l. in one Quarter of a Year; and it is a certain Truth, that those Officers have long been ashamed of their own Fees: Perhaps I have made use of an improper Expression, but I am certain they have long feared an Inspection into the Exorbitancy of them. A late Teller, when his Deputy carried him the Profits of his first Quarter, was so astonished at the Sum, that he expressed his Hopes of its being honestly detained; and so great have been the Profits of six or seven Officers of that Sort, that they more than equal many Taxes laid upon the People.

By a proper Inspection into those Things, by rendering shorter the Business of collecting the Revenue; the national Affairs might be put on such a Foundation, as would work a wonderful Alteration for the best. The Public Money has been lavished, not expended; Half the Money that has been raised on the People might have answered all the Purposes of Government with any tolerable Management; but we have been undone by iniquitous Jobbers, Contractors, and other Extortioners. And the worst of all is, that when a Detention is made of any Villainy, certain People are commonly so involved, that the Power of the Kingdom is turned into a Screen for them.

London, March 21. Signior Mangoli, the Italian Singer at the Hay-market, got no less, after paying all Charges of every Kind, by his Benefit last Week,

than 1000 Guineas: This, added to a Sum of 1500 l. which he has already saved, and the remaining Profits of the Season, is surely an undoubted Proof of British Generosity; one patriotic Lady, we are told, complimented the above Gentleman with a 200 l. Bill for a single Ticket on that Occasion.

Mobs and Insurrections are frequent in many Parts of the Country, particularly in the Western Counties on Account of the Dearth of Provisions.

Letters from Truxillo, about 50 Miles from Vera Cruz in Mexico, bring a most shocking Account of the Mountain Mano Blanco, in that Neighbourhood, opening and throwing out Flames, combustible Stuff, and black Stones, some of great Sizes. As there never was a Volcano there before, it intimidated the Inhabitants to such a Degree, that a Number died of the Fright. Many People were destroyed, with 118 Indian Huts: The wild Beasts, as Lions, Tigers, Deer, &c. left the Forest, and came into the Town for Refuge, Sixty-three of which were shot in the Streets.

March 22. Died Eleazer Manafies Mordecai, a Jew, near Clapham-Common; he lived for upwards of 22 Years in one Apartment, without ever stirring out, or opening his Lips to any Body but his Landlady, to whom he has left a considerable Fortune.

March 26. An Evening Paper of last Night says, that a Seizure had lately been made at the Custom-House of about 50 large Prints, beautifully executed Abroad, and containing a genealogical Account of the ROYAL HOUSE OF STUART, from its first Origin to the present Time, divided into two distinct Branches, the first brought down to the late Royal Highness Frederick Prince of Wales, and the other to the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Bute, and his Brother the Hon. James Stuart Mackenzie. The Seizure occasions much Speculation.

April 3. Orders have this Week been received to engage some Persons well skilled in making Gunpowder, to embark for New-York, where Powder Mills for carrying on this Manufacture are going to be erected.

Several more Transports are now engaging in the River, to sail for Cork, to be employed in carrying over three Regiments of Foot, on the Irish Establishment, to North-America.

April 6. We hear from New-York, that from some late Experiments in the Distillation of Indian Corn, they have improved so far as to produce a Spirit every Way equal to the best English Brandy.

April 9. On Saturday Se'night died of an inward Decay, the MONITOR. His Death, it is thought, was principally occasioned by a Fright which he received some Time ago on being seized by a King's Messenger, having laboured under a total Depression of Spirits ever since. [The MARYLAND GAZETTE is in a very ill State, occasioned by a violent cruel Kick, and it is thought cannot possibly survive the Month of October next.]

April 19. Letters from Toulon of the 26th ult. advise, that the Fleet of 4 Frigates and 4 Xebecs, which have been sitting out there, would be ready to sail in a few Days; and were to be joined by a Bombketch.

A Coalition among the Great, it is very confidently said, will take Place before the Breaking up of the Parliament.

They write from Quebec, that upwards of Fifty Thousand hard Dollars have already been taken since the Peace, in exchange for various Kinds of Iron Work, the Manufacture of Canada, exported to the Spanish Settlements in South America.

Near thirty Bakers are engaged to go over to East and West Florida.

Letters from Göttingen, of the 6th Instant, positively assert, that Dr. Klarich, belonging to the University there, had actually cured upwards of fifty Persons of the Toothach by the Application of a Loadstone. He places the Patients with their Faces towards the North, and touching the Teeth with a Magnet, procures them Ease in three or four Minutes.

It is said that a Gentleman of the Turf won no less than 50,000 l. in two Matches and one Bet, last New-market Meeting.

It is said that Court have been requested to join

with no less than three Maritime Powers, to check the exorbitant Insolence of the Moors on the Coasts of Barbary, by whom the European Trade in the Mediterranean has, for some Time past, been intolerably harassed.

In the last Dispatches from the Earl of Rochford at Madrid, it has been assured, on the Faith of the Catholic Ministry, that the Court of Spain have not the least Intention to interfere in Disputes which may happen between the French and English on the Coasts of Africa.—A Nobleman of the first Distinction will be soon sent over to Portugal, with a Commission to speak, in very plain Terms, about the Obstructions which our Commerce daily meet with, from the ministerial Machinations of that Kingdom.

By a Calculation made in France, the Value of the Imports during last Year from the Islands of Hispaniola, Martinico, and Guadalupe, into that Kingdom, amounted to upwards of Ninety-seven Millions of Livres; about Four Millions Two Hundred Pounds Sterling.

Letters from Carthage mention, that Orders were just received from Court, to fit out the St. Isidore, Galera, and Thoulouse Spanish Frigates, of 36 Guns each, in order to proceed on an important Expedition to the Coast of Barbary, to be joined by a considerable Naval Force from Toulon. Their Destination was said to be against Mogador.

Three Ships of War have this Week been appointed for the East-Indies, and it is reported they will have Orders to take the Route of the Philippine Islands, to execute a Commission of great Consequence to the Honour and Dignity of this Nation.

We hear that an Order will soon be issued, by which the Gentlemen of the Army are to wear nothing but their Regimental Uniforms.

We hear that the Ladies, who through the Dirt of the last Winter or two, dragged out many a Yard of Silk at their Tails, are now come to a Resolution of displaying their Industry, by introducing Gowns so short, as may convince the Gentlemen that they have no Holes in their Stockings.

NEW-YORK, June 13.

Extract of a Letter from a considerable Merchant in London, to his Friend in Connecticut, dated April 9, 1765.

"The Opposition is dwindled to almost nothing. Our Ministers are exerting themselves to the utmost to reduce the national Debt; a Measure absolutely necessary, lest our foreign Neighbours should be encouraged by our Distress in that Particular, to commence fresh Hostilities. We are now fully persuaded that the present Administration is as reasonable and upright as any we are likely to see; and I am convinc'd more is to be obtain'd from them for America, by fair, candid private Representations, than by public Opposition. They have accordingly been attentive to such Applications as the American Agents have lately made to them on several Occasions, and you will obtain Relief in some Particulars of the late Act of Trade; and a Grant of some Bounties on Lumber and Iron, to encourage their Importation here.—The Passing of the Stamp Act could not be prevented, altho' the Agents of every Colony both before and at the Time of making the Resolves, and when the Bill was brought in, did all that was in their Power, and were assisted by many Well-wishers to the Colonies. Some of the Reasons you will see in the Pamphlets I have sent you. Others were, the present Necessity of this Country, loaded as it is with public Debts; and the Provocation given by the Claims made in America, and by Americans here, of Independence in the Article of Taxation; whence the Administration thought it highly necessary to establish in this Instance the Right of Sovereignty in this Kingdom over the Colonies, lest dropping the Bill on such Claim started, should be hereafter as an Acknowledgment of that Independence. The Doctrine, however clear you Americans may be in it, could not be endured here, notwithstanding all the Art and Endeavours of your Agents to inculcate it in the Minds of our Leaders. No Member of the House, even of those in the Opposition, could be found hardy enough to present some of the American Petitions which advanc'd



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**Love-Point, on Kent-Island, May 28, 1765.**  
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*James West*, about 5 Feet high, 15 or 16 Years of Age, has dark brown curl'd Hair, and grey Eyes. Had on and took with him, a *Scotch* Bonnet, a white Linen Shirt, two Coats, one a dark Cloth, the other a light colour'd Sartout, a Pair of Leather Breeches, ribb'd Worsted Stockings, and a Pair of Pumps.

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 N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forewarn'd not to carry them off at their Peril.

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 by the Subscriber, on the 22d Day of August next, being the 3d Day of Court, at the House of Mr. Arthur Charlton, in *Frederick-Town*, in *Frederick County*, for Sterling Money, or Bills of Exchange.

**A** VERY valuable Tract of LAND called *Aix-la-Chapelle*, containing 1792 Acres, being and lying in *Frederick County*, on the main Branch of *Seneca*, and near the Mouth of the said Branch; the Land is well wooded and watered. One Year's Credit will be given, for one Half of the purchase Money (if desired) upon giving good Security, and paying Interest.  
 (11) CHARLES CARROLL, junr.

**R**AN away the 14th of May, from the *Elk-Ridge* Furnace, a Convict Servant Man named *Joseph Clark*, about 30 Years of Age, near 5 Feet 10 Inches high, is pretty lusty, of a fair Complexion, has black Eyes, and something of a down Look when spoken to; his Hair is of a brown Colour, and curl'd; he has been in the Country about 12 Months, and speaks pretty much in the *English* Country Dialect; he has taken with him a Discharge belonging to one *Benjamin Legate*, which is dated 1764, I think in July, which it is probable he will make use of, by changing his Name; he also carried with him a Suit of *Legate's* Cloaths, viz. Coat, Jacket and Breeches, of a dirty or dark Cloth Colour; the Coat has a fluff Sleeve, and the whole trimm'd with yellow Metal Buttons; he also took with him several other Things, as a Castor Hat, Check Shirt, Yarn Stockings, a Pair of Pumps, striped Holland Trowlers, a Pair of Osnabrigs Sailor's Ditto, and two Silk Handkerchiefs. Whoever takes up and brings the said Runaway to the Subscriber, at the *Elk-Ridge* Furnace, shall have, if taken within 10 Miles of the said Furnace, Thirty Shillings; if 20 Miles from thence, Three Pounds; if 40 Miles, Five Pounds; and if out of the Province, Ten Pounds Reward.  
 (76) CALER DORSEY.

*Kent-Island, April 19, 1765.*  
**A**S it is published in the *Philadelphia Paper*, that the noted Horse DOVE, imported by Dr. *Hamilton*, is now Covering at Mr. *Dames's*, such Gentlemen on the Western Shore as incline sending Mares to him, may have them carefully brought over the Bay, sent up to the Horse, and returned at *Annapolis* when done with him, at Twelve Shillings and Six Pence each Mare. Particular Care shall be taken of them. Good Pasturage both at Mr. *Dames's* and my House.  
 (711) EMORY SUDLER.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, a Negro Man named *Jem*, a likely lively young Fellow, about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, has a wild Look, and when spoke to appears surprized. He was formerly the Property of Mr. *Robert Gordon*, of the City of *Annapolis*, deceased, so that it is very likely he spends some Part of his Time among his Acquaintance in Town. Whoever takes up the said Fellow, and secures him, so that he may be had again, shall have Eight Dollars Reward.  
 (11) ROBERT TYLER.

**TO BE SOLD,**  
**A** CONVICT SERVANT WOMAN, who has near 7 Years to serve. She can Sew, Wash and Iron, very well, is a sober, and an exceeding handy, Woman. Enquire at the *Printing-Office*.  
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**W**HEREAS one JOHN HUNT, who left *England*, and in the Year 1748 lived in *St. Paul's Parish*, *Baltimore County*, *Maryland*, as a Saddler, and removed to *Westons* Parish in the same County; from thence, 'tis said, he went to *Cumberland* in *Georgia*, and from thence to *St. Augustine*; and in *January*, 1764, as it is also said, he ordered a Cargo of Goods from *London*, to be directed to Messrs. *Barton* and *Reyett* in *St. Augustine*, to be left with Messrs. *Hoopers* and *Seawallors*, in *Charles-Town*, *South-Carolina*: If the said *John Hunt* be still Alive, and will apply to the Subscriber, living in *Baltimore-Town*, *Maryland*, he will hear of something to his Advantage. If he is Dead, which is most likely, any Person that will bring a proper Certificate of his Death to the Subscriber, shall receive a REWARD of FIVE GUINEAS. (127) JOHN MERRYMAN, junr.

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THURSDAY, June 27, 1765.

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LONDON, March 20, 1765.

**T**HE Complaints hourly heard in London, of the Distresses of the Manufacturers, are enough to make the most rocky Heart soften into a Tenderness. But our Pity will not afford them a Redress, and charitable Contributions can bring but a temporary Relief; and it were better that such Relief were never necessary, since the Habits brought on by such Indulgence, are as much to be dreaded as the Calamity itself; besides we may fear that other Parts of the Kingdom will be reduced by the same Causes to a State of Want. The Expenses of the State have been so great during the late War, and the Taxes thereby so much increased, that the Produce of our Labour cannot be uttered with Advantage in foreign Markets. In Order therefore to make our Manufactures go off, the Tradefman has been obliged to lower the Quality of his Goods, and use other Craft, as best answer'd his Purpose; that he might vend his Goods as cheap as those of other Countries; but these Expedients being unfair in Reality, are soon discovered, and our Commodities, by this Means, fall into Disrepute: by these Causes foreign Merchants are disgusted, and will not deal with us: Hence we acquire the Repute of Dishonesty and Trickery, which will have such an Effect, as will make them slight our Merchandize, even when the Qualities of them are restored and improved. While we were at War, the Channels of Traffic were stopped to our Enemies by the great Destruction of their Ships; and while we had the whole Trade in a Manner in our Hands, we could make what Profit we pleased, so that the Effect of our augmented Taxes was not observed or felt; but now a free Trade is established by the Peace, our Enemies can go to Market as well as we can, it is plainly to be seen what Grievousness will result from the Taxes to the Nation, if they are not reduced; and yet instead of such a Reduction, we daily see them multiply; but how this Multiplicity of Taxes can be reduced is a Thing to be considered. The Method is plain; but what shall be said, if there be no Man of Integrity that dare promote it. We are in the Condition of Sodom, and must perish for Want of one honest Man to endeavour to avert our Destruction.

With the Multiplication of Taxes the Places under the Crown are proportionably multiplied; and not only Places, but the Fees and Profits of a great Number are multiplied; and increased, especially when they depend upon Poundage; for the more Money is raised for the Purposes of Government, the more such Fees must amount to. Will it not startle any Person to have it told, that one Teller of the Exchequer, just before the Conclusion of the War, reserved by Fees 12,000 l. in one Quarter of a Year; and it is a certain Truth, that those Officers have long been ashamed of their own Fees: Perhaps I have made use of an improper Expression, but I am certain they have long feared an Inspection into the Exorbitancy of them. A late Teller, when his Deputy carried him the Profits of his first Quarter, was so astonished at the Sum, that he expressed his Hopes of its being honestly detained; and so great have been the Profits of six or seven Officers of that Sort, that they more than equal many Taxes laid upon the People.

By a proper Inspection into those Things; by rendering shorter the Business of collecting the Revenue; the national Affairs might be put on such a Foundation, as would work a wonderful Alteration for the best. The Public Money has been lavished, not expended; Half the Money that has been raised on the People might have answered all the Purposes of Government with any tolerable Management; but we have been undone by iniquitous Jobbers, Contractors, and other Extortioners. And the worst of all is, that when a Detestation is made of any Villainy, certain People are commonly so involved, that the Power of the Kingdom is turned into a Screen for them.

London, March 21. Signior Mangoli, the Italian Singer at the Hay-market, got no less, after paying all Charges of every Kind, by his Benefit last Week,

than 1000 Guineas: This, added to a Sum of 1500 l. which he has already saved, and the remaining Profits of the Season, is surely an undoubted Proof of British Generosity; one patriotic Lady, we are told, complimented the above Gentleman with a 200 l. Bill for a single Ticket on that Occasion.

Mobs and Insurrections are frequent in many Parts of the Country, particularly in the Western Counties on Account of the Dearth of Provisions.

Letters from Truxillo, about 50 Miles from Vera Cruz in Mexico, bring a most shocking Account of the Mountain Mano Blanco, in that Neighbourhood, opening and throwing out Flames, combustible Stuff, and black Stones, some of great Sizes. As there never was a Volcano there before, it intimidated the Inhabitants to such a Degree, that a Number died of the Fright. Many People were destroyed, with 118 Indian Huts: The wild Beasts, as Lions, Tigers, Deer, &c. left the Forest, and came into the Town for Refuge, Sixty-three of which were shot in the Streets.

March 22. Died Bleazer Manaffes Mordecai, a Jew, near Clapham-Common; he lived for upwards of 22 Years in one Apartment, without ever stirring out, or opening his Lips to any Body but his Landlady, to whom he has left a considerable Fortune.

March 26. An Evening Paper of last Night says, that a Seizure had lately been made at the Custom-House of about 50 large Prints, beautifully executed Abroad, and containing a genealogical Account of the ROYAL HOUSE OF STUART, from its first Origin to the present Time, divided into two distinct Branches, the first brought down to the late Royal Highness Frederick Prince of Wales, and the other to the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Bute, and his Brother the Hon. James Stuart Mackenzie. The Seizure occasions much Speculation.

April 3. Orders have this Week been received to engage some Persons well skilled in making Gunpowder, to embark for New-York, where Powder Mills for carrying on this Manufacture are going to be erected.

Several more Transports are now engaging in the River, to sail for Cork, to be employed in carrying over three Regiments of Foot, on the Irish Establishment, to North-America.

April 6. We hear from New-York, that from some late Experiments in the Distillation of Indian Corn, they have improved so far as to produce a Spirit every Way equal to the best English Brandy.

April 9. On Saturday Se'night died of an inward Decay, the MONITOR. His Death, it is thought, was principally occasioned by a Fright which he received some Time ago on being seized by a King's Messenger, having laboured under a total Depression of Spirits ever since. [The MARYLAND GAZETTE is in a very ill State, occasioned by a violent cruel Kick, and it is thought cannot possibly survive the Month of October next.]

April 19. Letters from Toulon of the 26th ult. advise, that the Fleet of 4 Frigates and 4 Xebecs, which have been sitting out there, would be ready to sail in a few Days; and were to be joined by a Bombketch.

A Coalition among the Great, it is very confidently said, will take Place before the Breaking up of the Parliament.

They write from Quebec, that upwards of Fifty Thousand hard Dollars have already been taken since the Peace, in exchange for various Kinds of Iron Work, the Manufacture of Canada, exported to the Spanish Settlements in South-America.

Near thirty Bakers are engaged to go over to East and West Florida.

Letters from Gottingen, of the 6th Instant, positively assert, that Dr. Klarich, belonging to the University there, had actually cured upwards of fifty Persons of the Toothach by the Application of a Loadstone. He places the Patients with their Faces towards the North, and touching the Teeth with a Magnet, procures them Ease in three or four Minutes.

It is said that a Gentleman of the Turf won no less than 50,000 l. in two Matches and one Bet, last New-market Meeting.

It is said our Court have been requested to join

with no less than three Maritime Powers, to check the exorbitant Insolence of the Moors on the Coasts of Barbary, by whom the European Trade in the Mediterranean has, for some Time past, been intolerably harassed.

In the last Dispatches from the Earl of Rochford at Madrid, it has been assured, on the Faith of the Catholic Ministry, that the Court of Spain have got the least Intention to interfere in Disputes which may happen between the French and English on the Coasts of Africa.—A Nobleman of the first Distinction will be soon sent over to Portugal, with a Commission to speak, in very plain Terms, about the Obstructions which our Commerce daily meet with, from the ministerial Machinations of that Kingdom.

By a Calculation made in France, the Value of the Imports during last Year from the Islands of Hispaniola, Martinico, and Guadaloupe, into that Kingdom, amounted to upwards of Ninety-seven Millions of Livres; about Four Millions Two Hundred Pounds Sterling.

Letters from Carthage mention, that Orders were just received from Court, to fit out the St. Isidore, Galera, and Thoulouze Spanish Frigates, of 36 Guns each, in order to proceed on an important Expedition to the Coast of Barbary, to be joined by a considerable Naval Force from Toulon. Their Destination was said to be against Mogador.

Three Ships of War have this Week been appointed for the East-Indies, and it is reported they will have Orders to take the Route of the Philippine Islands, to execute a Commission of great Consequence to the Honour and Dignity of this Nation.

We hear that an Order will soon be issued, by which the Gentlemen of the Army are to wear nothing but their Regimental Uniforms.

We hear that the Ladies, who through the Dirt of the last Winter or two, dragged out many a Yard of Silk at their Tails, are now come to a Resolution of displaying their Industry, by introducing Gowns so short, as may convince the Gentlemen that they have no Holes in their Stockings.

NEW-YORK, June 13.

Extract of a Letter from a considerable Merchant in London, to his Friend in Connecticut, dated April 9, 1765.

"The Opposition is dwindled to almost nothing. Our Ministers are exerting themselves to the utmost to reduce the national Debt; a Measure absolutely necessary, lest our foreign Neighbours should be encouraged by our Distress in that Particular, to commence fresh Hostilities. We are now fully persuaded that the present Administration is as reasonable and upright as any we are likely to see; and I am convinc'd more is to be obtain'd from them for America, by fair, candid private Representations, than by public Opposition. They have accordingly been attentive to such Applications as the American Agents have lately made to them on several Occasions, and you will obtain Relief in some Particulars of the late Act of Trade; and a Grant of some Bounties on Lumber and Iron, to encourage their Importation here.—The Passing of the Stamp Act could not be prevented, altho' the Agents of every Colony both before and at the Time of making the Resolves, and when the Bill was brought in, did all that was in their Power, and were assisted by many Well-wishers to the Colonies. Some of the Reasons you will see in the Pamphlets I have sent you. Others were, the present Necessity of this Country, loaded as it is with public Debts; and the Provocation given by the Claims made in America, and by Americans here, of Independence in the Article of Taxation; whence the Administration thought it highly necessary to establish in this Instance the Right of Sovereignty in this Kingdom over the Colonies, lest dropping the Bill on such Claim started, should be hereafter as an Acknowledgment of that Independence. The Doctrine, however clear you Americans may be in it, could not be endured here, notwithstanding all the Art and Endeavours of your Agents to inculcate it in the Minds of our Leaders. No Member of the House, even of those in the Opposition, could be found hardy enough to present some of the American Petitions which advanc'd



advance'd that Claim; nor could any Counsel be found who would undertake to support it, if Leave might have been obtained for a Hearing upon it. — But another Thing that has been proposed in a Bill brought in by the Secretary at War, the Agents will get set aside, or altered to their Satisfaction, viz. "A Power to be given the Officers of the Army in America, to quarter Soldiers in private Houses, where there is not a sufficient Number of Public Houses, nor any Barracks for that Purpose provided." This alarm'd your Friends a good deal, but we are told we shall be made easy when the Bill is committed. It seems the Measure was recommended by the Quarter-Master General.

ANNAPOLIS, June 27.

Yesterday arrived here from London, the Ship *Nancy*, Capt. *Joseph Grundill*; who left England with some of the Ships which arrived here before.

WALTER DULANY, Esq; of this City, is appointed Naval-Officer of *Patuxent* District.

The Town is almost clear of the Small-Pox.

June 17<sup>th</sup>, 1765.  
**PROPOSALS**  
For Printing by  
**SUBSCRIPTION,**  
A New Piece, entitled,  
The COMPENDIOUS  
**ACCOMPTANT:**

CONTAINING  
NEW and EASY RULES

- For Computing in a concise Manner,  
I. The Value of any Quantity of Goods, or Merchandize, &c.  
II. Interest upon Notes, Bonds, &c. when partial Payments are made after the Principal falls due.

ALSO,

New, Easy and Short Ways for Reducing Current Money into Sterling, and the Contrary, at any of the general Rates of Exchange.

TO WHICH ARE ADDED,

The most concise Method of Measuring Work performed by Sawyers, Masons, Joiners, Painters, &c.

AND

The shortest Ways of Gauging and Ullaging Casks by the Pen.

By *H. HOWARD*, Jun<sup>r</sup>.

The Whole will be comprised in a small Octavo Volume, elegantly Printed upon a good Paper, and neatly stitched in Blue.

The CONDITIONS will be one Dollar for each Book; Five Shillings of which to be paid at the Time of Subscribing, and the Remainder when the Book is delivered.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are taken in by *Jonas Green*, at the Printing-Office in *Annapolis*; and *David Hall*, at the New Printing-Office in *Philadelphia*; and by the Author, at the *Elk-Ridge* Furnace.

**WANTED,**

AN OVERSEER, well Qualified to undertake the Management of a Farm, and that can come well Recommended. If he has a Wife that is used to a Dairy, and no young Children, he will be the more agreeable. Enquire at the Printing-Office. *The Governor*.

**TO BE SOLD,**

On board the Trial, Capt. Errington, in Lyon's-Creek, Patuxent.

TWO Seven Year Servants, viz. A very good Taylor, who served a regular Apprenticeship, and work'd at the Business several Years as a Journeyman: Also, A Mathematical Instrument Maker, an ingenious Fellow, and has a good Notion of the Carpenter's and Joiner's Business. Any Persons inclining to purchase, may apply to Capt. Errington, who will treat with them for (4<sup>th</sup>)

WILLIAM RUSSELL.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, for Cash or Tobacco, together, or divided into two Parcels,

ABOUT £. 400 prime Cost of GOODS, consisting of Irish Linens, Sheetings, Osna-brigs, Mens and Womens Shoes, Mens fine and coarse Hats, Kendall Cottons, coarse and fine Broad-Cloths, Shalloons, Cotton Velvet, Sagathy, Duroy, sugar'd Dimity, &c.

(4<sup>th</sup>) DANIEL OF ST. THOMAS JENIFER.

**TO BE SOLD,**



THE SLOOP PATUXENT, of 50 Tons Burthen, now lying at Piscataway Creek, in Prince-George's County; she is 4 Years old, but very sound and tight, well found, and sails well. Six Months Credit will be given if required. If none should come to purchase within 10 Days after the Publication of this Advertisement, I would let her on Freight, for a Voyage to any of the West-India Islands. (4<sup>th</sup>)

JAMES MARSHALL.

I NOW fully intend to leave this Country in September next, and therefore request all Persons who are Indebted to the Store I have kept for Messieurs *John Glasford* and Company, to come without Delay and make Payment, or settle their open Accounts with me, by Bond, Bill, or Note. Those who come to settle, and cannot pay off this Year, will be indulged with Time, on giving Security if required: And those who Neglect or Delay, may expect to be Sued or Warranted, without farther Notice.

Mr. *Alexander Rofs* succeeds me in the same Business, and is now opening a new Cargo of Goods in *Piscataway*, to be Sold for Tobacco, Cash, or Bills, where all old good Customers, or new, will receive good Usage, and good Pennyworths, which it is hoped will be the best Inducement for their Custom. (4<sup>th</sup>)

JAMES MARSHALL.

Lancashire Furnace, June 25, 1765.

THE Subscriber intending to leave this Province in Six Weeks, takes this Method to inform the Public, in order that his Accounts, both private and for the Company, may be properly adjusted, to prevent further Trouble to

WILLIAM HICK.

**TO BE SOLD,**

THE SLOOP *Industry*, between 40 and 50 Tons Burthen, 3 Years old, well found, a prime Sailer, fit for the Sea or Bay Trade. Any Body inclinable to purchase, may be informed of the Terms and Price, by enquiring at the Printing-Office. *Mr. midleton*

THE Subscriber having Open'd TAVERN, at the Sign of the *White Horse* in *Annapolis*, where Mr. *Henry Gassaway* lately lived, keeps the best of LIQUORS, and will be obliged to any Gentlemen for their Custom. He also carries on the Ship Carpenter's Business, and will build by the Ton, or Otherwise, as reasonable as any Person, and with as quick Dispatch. (4<sup>th</sup>)

JOHN BALL.

WILLIAM HAYES,

BLOCK-MAKER and WHEEL-WRIGHT, Lately arrived from LONDON,

INFORMS the Public, That he has lately taken the Shop heretofore occupied by Mr. *William Phillips*, Turner, at the upper End of *Gay-Street*, near the Old Bridge, in *Baltimore-Town*, where all Gentlemen may be furnished with BLOCKS, &c. in the best Manner, and upon the most reasonable Terms. (4<sup>th</sup>)

To be LET for a Term of Years, and may be Entered on the First of October next,

THE Subscriber's Buildings in *Queen's-Town*, *Queen-Anne's* County, being convenient for either a public or private Family, it having been under Rent to a Gentleman, Doctor of Physic, for some Years, but at present intends to remove to Buildings of his own, adjacent to the said Town.

Any Person that may have Occasion for such a Place, may know the Terms by applying to (4<sup>th</sup>)

THOMAS BAKER.

**TEN POUNDS REWARD.**

BROKE out of *Anne-Arundel* County Jail, *Dennis Ferrell*, who was committed on Suspicion of Horse-stealing: He had on an old Check Shirt, white Cloth Waistcoat, Druggert Breeches, and a Pair of old Shoes and Stockings. He is about 24 Years old, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, and very brown complexion'd, being of the Indian Breed. Whoever secures him, so that the Subscriber may get him again, shall receive the above Reward; and if brought to *Annapolis*, reasonable Charges will be paid, by

JOSEPH GALLOWAY, Sheriff.

THE Subscriber having set up the SILVER-SMITH's and GOLDSMITH's Business, as usual, at the Sign of the Golden-Ball in Church-Street, ANNAPOLIS, hereby gives Notice to the Public, That he will work as reasonable as any Man, and will give the best Prices for old Gold and Silver. JAMES CHALMERS.

Patuxent Iron-Works, June 25, 1765.

RAN away last Night from the Subscriber, a Servant Man (just Imported in the Brig *Trotman*, Capt. *Richard Hayton*), named *Jacob Mathews*, a lusty Fellow, near 6 Feet high, of a dark Complexion, light grey Eyes, black curl'd Hair, and is a Carpenter and Joiner by Trade. He had on, two blue Jackets, double breasted, trimm'd with Metal Buttons, and the Seams bound with Cord, coarse blue Breeches, blue-grey Worsted Stockings, old Check Shirt, Sailor's wove Cap, with a Metal Button.

Whoever secures the said Servant, so that his Master may get him again, shall be paid Forty Shillings, if 20 Miles from home; if out of the Province, Five Pounds; and reasonable Charges if brought home, by (4<sup>th</sup>)

SAMUEL SNOWDEN.

ABOUT 50 Years ago, came into this Province, as a Physician or Surgeon, a Gentleman whose Name was *David McGill*, (youngest Son of Mr. *Arthur McGill*, of *Kemback*, in the County of *Fyfe*, in *Scotland*) who married a Woman of the Name of *Bond* or *Bone*, by whom, it is supposed, he has left several Children, particularly two Sons, who, it is imagined, have settled in *Maryland*, or some of the neighbouring Provinces: If they will apply to the Printing-Office, in *Annapolis*, they will hear of Something to their Advantage.

THE Subscriber intending to *London* early in the Fall, requests all Persons who have Claims against him, to bring them in, that they may be adjusted: And those Indebted are desired to come and settle their Accounts. Those that cannot make Payment this Summer, will be indulged with a reasonable Time, on giving Bond, with Security if required.

He hath Imported from *London*, in the *Fanny*, Capt. *Lane*, An Assortment of *European* and *East-India* GOODS, which is to be Sold at his Store in *Upper-Marlborough*, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco. (4<sup>th</sup>)

JOHN READ MAGRUDER.

BY Virtue of a *Fieri Facias*, will be Sold to the Highest Bidder, on Tuesday the Second Day of July next, at the House of Mr. *Clement Whetler*, two TRACTS of LAND, lying in *Charles* County, late the Property of *Thomas Middleton*, (and now in Possession of *Thomas Dorsett*) to satisfy a Debt due from the said *Middleton* to the Commissioners or Trustees of the Loan-Office; the one Tract called *Stephen's Hope*, containing 98 Acres, the other called *Norwich*, containing 100 Acres. (2<sup>th</sup>) DANIEL JENIFER, Sheriff.

THE Subscribers having furnished themselves with Two compleat Hands in the LEATHER BREECHES MAKING BUSINESS, from *London*, inform the Public, That they may be supplied with LEATHER BREECHES of all Sorts and Sizes, made in the best and neatest Manner. H. CATON, W. WILKINS. (6<sup>th</sup>)

**JUST IMPORTED,**

And to be Sold by PATRICK M'GILL, at his Store at *ELK-RIDGE* Landing, in the *Pearl*, Capt. *Francis*, from *Scotland*, and in the *Friendship*, Capt. *Frost*, from *London*.

A NEAT Assortment of *European* and *East-India* GOODS, suitable for the Season; amongst which are some handsome Lutestrings and Tobines: Likewise a very good *Harrison's* Spinnet.

Kent-Island, June 10, 1765.

I TAKE this Method to acquaint the Public, That I am much obliged to all those Gentlemen that have subscribed to my Packet, and also those that have been so kind as to favour me with their Custom, during the Time my Ferry was kept from *Broad-Creek*, on *Kent-Island*, to *Annapolis*: But finding it disadvantageous to continue it any longer, from the small Encouragement I have met with, and the Ferriages being lessened, have thought it most to my Advantage to Rent it to Mr. *James Hutchings*, whose Ferry, I am convinced, from the Conduct of the Public in general, has been thought sufficient to carry across the Bay all those that have Occasion to Travel by Way of *Kent-Island*. (3<sup>th</sup>)

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June 10, 1765.  
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EMORY SUPLER.

ANNAPOLIS, June 19, 1765.  
**JUST IMPORTED by the SUBSCRIBER,**  
from LONDON,

**A**N Assortment of the very best HAIRS,  
and other Materials, for WIG-MAKING.  
Gentlemen in the Country may be furnished, on  
the shortest Notice, with all Sorts of PERUKES,  
made in the best Manner, for ready Money, or  
short Credit. Those that are indebted to him,  
are requested to make speedy Payment.

(11) THOMAS HEWITT.

**To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,**  
for the Benefit of the Insurers, and Others  
concerned, on Tuesday the 9th Day of July  
next, at X o'Clock A. M. at the Dock in  
ANNAPOLIS,

**T**WO ANCHORS, one of them Weight 9 C.  
1 q. 9 lb. the other 3 C. 2 q. 1 lb. A  
Long-Boat, Sails, and Two Oars; a Yawl and  
Oars; a Parcel of Spikes and Bolts; about 40  
Fathom of 9 Inch Cable, and about 60 Fathom  
of Hauser, with sundry other Things too tedious  
to mention: Being what was saved of the Ship  
Rachel, lately burnt in Hungre River.

(37) THOMAS BROWNING.

Kent-Island, June 19, 1765.  
**To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER.**

**A**LARGE commodious Deck'd, and Two  
Open, BOATS, almost new, in good Or-  
der, and well Rigged, on very reasonable Terms.

JAMES HUTCHINGS.

**A**LL Persons Indebted to John Robinson, late  
of Annapolis, deceased, Painter and Glazier,  
and Myself in Partnership, are desired to pay off  
their respective Balances as soon as possible: And  
all those who have any Claims against the said  
John Robinson, are desired to bring them in legally  
proved, to

WILLIAM TUCK.

**N. B.** The Subscriber carries on the Painting  
and Glazing Business, at his Shop in Annapolis, as  
usual, and will be obliged to Gentlemen for their  
Custom.

(11) WM. TUCK.

**To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, to the**  
**HIGHEST BIDDER, on Monday the 8th**  
**of July next, at the Plantation whereon Thomas**  
**Adams now lives, near Mr. Pigg's, in Prince-**  
**George's County, and within 5 Miles of Not-**  
**tingham, for Sterling Money, or Bills of Exchange,**

**P**ART of Two Tracts of LAND, the one  
called Truman's Hill, the other Pleasant's  
Hills, contiguous to each other, and containing in  
the Whole 251 ACRES; there are two Tene-  
ments on the Land, and the Soil very good.

The Sale to be about 11 o'Clock, and if bad  
Weather that Day, the first fair Day after.

The Money, or Bills, to be paid down, or  
Bond on Interest, with Security, if required.

(11) JOSHUA BEALL.

June 13, 1765.  
**W**ENT away last Night from the Brigantine  
Trutman, (Richard Hayton, Commander)  
at Anchor in Chesapeake Bay, off Annapolis, Two  
Men and One Woman, who took a Long-Boat,  
about 20 Feet Keel, Clinch built, with a Studding  
Sail and Brass Compass; one of the Men is Coun-  
try born, named John Nickles, about 5 Feet 4  
Inches high. The other a Sailor, named John  
Ogefen, a Dane born, speaks broken English, and  
is about 5 Feet 7 Inches high. The Woman is  
about 5 Feet 4 Inches high, named Lucy Chapell,  
and had on a white Linen Hat, and a brown  
Worsted Gown.

It is imagined they went up the Bay.

Whoever brings or secures the said People, so  
that the Subscriber gets them again, shall have  
Four Pounds Reward for the Sailor, and for the  
other two Forty Shillings each, paid by

RICHARD HAYTON.

**STRAY'D or STOLEN** from the Subscriber,  
living near the Patuxent upper Ferry, a dark  
Bay Mare, near 15 Hands high, with a narrow  
Blaze in her Face, a Snip on her Nose, long Bars,  
Sprig Tail, branded on the near Shoulder W, is a  
natural Pacer, and Battle-Hamm'd.

Whoever takes up the said Mare, and brings  
her to the Subscriber, or informs, so that she be  
had again, shall receive Five Pounds Reward, and  
reasonable Charges, paid by

August 14, 1764. WILLIAM MILLS.

**N. B.** She is supposed to be stol'd by those no-  
torious Horse-stealers, the FERROLS, who lately  
broke out of Annapolis Prison.

(11)

For the EMOLUMENT of such as have not a  
sufficient KNOWLEDGE of ARITHMETIC,  
and are desirous to be expeditious at BUSINESS:

**T**HE Subscriber intends writing for Sale, the  
most compendious Rules for finding the A-  
mount of any Goods or Merchandize: Computing  
Simple or Compound Interest, and Discount: Cal-  
culating Commissions, Average, Insurance, Bro-  
kerage, Storage, and Factorage of Goods, Lands,  
&c. bought or negotiated at any Rate from Ten  
Shillings per Cent upwards: And also the most  
concise Methods for working Exchange; by which,  
instead of the common Method (so intolerably te-  
dious) used in that most necessary Rule, any Sum  
Currency, at any Rate, and of any Province, may  
be reduced into Sterling: And any Sum of English  
or Irish Money, at any of the general Rates of  
Exchange, may be brought into Currency in the  
Space of Two Minutes. The whole contained in  
a very small Compass, and so easily understood,  
that any Person that can Subtract, Multiply and  
Divide, but indifferently, may become perfectly  
intimate with it in an Hour. Persons living at any  
Distance, may be supplied with Books upon the  
shortest Notice, by addressing their Commands for  
the Author, at his School in Annapolis, or at Mr.  
Knapp's, Watchmaker. Price of each Book to  
Subscribers, Three Dollars; one to be paid at  
Subscribing, and the Remainder when the Books  
are Delivered, which shall be with all Expedition.

JOSEPH RATHELL.

**W**HEREAS the Subscriber's Worldly Affairs  
are so circumstanced that he is under a  
Necessity of leaving this Province in a short Time,  
in Order to settle them, and the many Favours he  
has already received at the Hands of many of the  
Gentlemen residing here, encourages him to make  
a further Trial of their benevolent Disposition in  
helping him to dispose of the Tickets in the fol-  
lowing LOTTERY, whereof a Scheme is annex-  
ed. The House and Store are situated in the most  
advantageous Spot of Ground for Trade in the City  
of Annapolis, and at these dull Times wou'd be  
reckon'd very reasonable at the yearly Rent of  
Fifty Pounds Currency, so that whoever gets the  
two first Prizes will lay out his Money well, and  
should it so happen that two are concern'd, they  
will see their Advantage in selling out or buying in  
as they can agree. The Land is situated in Dor-  
chester County, very valuable, and could the Sub-  
scriber wait for the Money, would sell among the  
Neighbours, for as much Sterling as it is valued at  
present in Currency; it will be divided in Three  
equal Lots of 45 Acres, for the Convenience of  
Buying or Selling. The remaining 127 Tickets  
are to be paid off in European Goods, rated very  
low in Pennsylvania Currency.

As the Sale of the Tickets in this Lottery, will  
enable the Subscriber to get clear of all the Effects  
whereof he stands at present possessed in this Pro-  
vince, in a speedy Manner, he takes this Method  
of acquainting the Public, that their good Offices  
in assisting him to perfect the same, will never be  
forgot by him, and to convince them that the  
Whole will be carried on with the greatest In-  
tegrity, he has made Choice of the following Gen-  
tlemen in this City to be Managers of the Whole  
in his Absence, and they are empowered to make  
Deeds to the fortunate Adventurers for the Houses  
and Land, and deliver the several Goods, as  
numbered in their respective Lots.

The Managers are, Messieurs Lancelot Jaquet,  
Anthony Stewart, Thomas Richardson, Richard Mac-  
kubin, Charles Wallace, William Stewart, Reverdy  
Ghiselin, and Colin Campbell, and the two Book-  
keepers, George Clarke and George Digges.

The Drawing will be on the first Tuesday in  
August next, or sooner if the Tickets are all sold:  
Fourteen Days Notice whereof will be given in  
the Maryland Gazette, that as many of the Ad-  
venturers as chuse to attend may be present.

HENRY WARD.

**The Scheme of the Land, Houses, and Goods**  
**LOTTERY, which will be Drawn the**  
**First Tuesday in August next,**

2 Prizes, for the House and Store,	£. 500
Value 250 Pounds each,	
3 Ditto, for the Tracts of Land,	135
each 45 l.	
125 Ditto, for Goods, at 40 s. each,	250
1 First drawn, — — —	10
1 Last drawn, — — —	5

138 Prizes,	
768 Blanks,	

900 Tickets at 20 s. each, are	£. 900
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**JUST IMPORTED** in the Sally,  
Capt. Buchanan, from LONDON, and to be  
SOLD by the Subscribers, at their Store in  
Church-street, ANNAPOLIS, for Cash, or  
Bills of Exchange, Wholesale and Retail,

**A**LARGE ASSORTMENT of EUROPEAN  
and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable for the  
SEASON. Likewise, West-India RUM by the  
Hoghead, Maryland RUM by the Hoghead or  
Tierce, Muscovado SUGAR by the Barrel, MO-  
LASSES by the Hoghead, old Madeira WINE  
by the Pipe, Hoghead or Quarter Case; Liverpool  
SALT by the Bushel, Bell's ALE by the Dozen,  
Castile SOAP and CANDLES by the Box, PORK  
by the Barrel; and also, all Sorts of CORDAGE  
and SHIP CHANDLERY.

(47) STEWART & RICHARDSON.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1765.  
**W**HEREAS a certain James Millar, on or  
about the 2d of May, 1764, Indented  
himself at Gravesend, to Mr. Sydenham, Merchant,  
of London, and sailed immediately in the Brig  
Brother, James Morrison Master, bound to Patap-  
sco in Maryland, and was consigned to Mr. Fishwick  
there. The said Millar is of a dark Complexion,  
about 20 Years of Age, and about 5 Feet 6 or 7  
Inches high, and a Carpenter and Joiner by Trade,  
born at Strattham in Surry. Whoever will give In-  
formation of the said James Millar (Alive or Dead)  
by directing a few Lines to Mr. Charles Allen; to  
be left at Mr. Joseph Yeates's, at the Three Tops in  
Chesnut-Street, Philadelphia, the Favour will be  
most gratefully acknowledged by

(73) CHARLES ALLEN.

**JUST IMPORTED** from LONDON,  
in the Sally, Capt. BUCHANAN, and to be  
Sold by the Subscribers, at their Store in AN-  
NAPOLIS, by Wholesale or Retail, for Cash,  
Bills of Exchange, or short Credit, on very  
reasonable Terms,

**A** CHOICE Assortment of EUROPEAN  
and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable  
for Summer and Winter.

(11) CHARLES WALLACE & Comp.

**JUST IMPORTED** from LONDON,  
in the Anne and Mary, RICHARD CARR,  
and to be Sold by the Subscriber in UPPER-  
MARLBOROUGH, for Cash, Bills, or  
Tobacco,

**A**LARGE Assortment of European and East-  
India GOODS; among which there is  
Household Furniture, consisting of Chairs, with  
Matted and Russia Leather Bottoms, Mahogany  
Dressing, Card, and Writing Tables, Looking  
Glasses, Fire Screens, Field Bedsteads, with Mattra-  
ses and Furniture, Check Curtains, Bafon Stands,  
Tea Chests and Waiters, an Assortment of Yun-  
bridge Wares, great Variety of Paper Hangings  
and Landscapes, Music, and Musical Instruments,  
Spinnet Jacks, Tin Ventilators, that effectually  
prevent Chimneys from Smoking, Water Proof  
Cloths, Patent Ram Skin Breeches, and Dutch  
Rappee Snuff.

FRANCIS LEEKE.

**N. B.** Those who bring the Ready Money,  
will find a proper Distinction made between That  
and Credit.

(11) F. L.

**To be CHARTER'D, for any Port,**

**T**HE SLOOP CHARLOTTE,  
now lying in Herring-Bay,  
well Found, and Fitted for the  
Sea; will carry 2000 Bushels,  
and is a prime Sailer.

For Terms apply to SAMUEL  
CHEW at Poplar Ridge, on Her-  
ring-Bay, who has a sufficient  
Quantity of Corn to sell, to load the Sloop, which  
he will dispose of reasonably.

(11)

**STRAYED** away from my Plantation at the  
Deer Park, sometime ago, Two genteel Black  
Horses, with bob Tails. They were seen at se-  
veral Places, and supposed to be going towards  
Canococheague, where they were bred; but as they  
have not been heard of there, it is imagined they  
have been sloop by some Person or Persons on this  
Side Frederick-Town.

Whoever will give Information where the said  
Horses may be had, or bring them to me, at Bal-  
timore-Town, shall be handsomely Rewarded for  
their Trouble, by

JOHN STEVENSON.

**N. B.** The smallest of the Two Horses is  
branded on the near Buttock I S; the other for-  
got.

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To be LET, for a Term not under Seven, nor exceeding Twenty Years, and to be Entered on immediately.

**T**HE MILLS belonging to the Subscriber, at the Falls of Rappahannock River, in Virginia; and, together with them, a good commodious Dwelling-House, with necessary Out-Houses, and Twenty Acres of as good Land as any in the Colony, on which the Mills and Houses stand. The Stream is not only sufficient for the present Works, which are in good Repair, and consist of two Pair of large Cologne Stones, with Tub Wheels under one Roof, and one Pair same Sort of Stones with double Gear'd Work, quite new, in an exceeding good large framed House, but also for a Forge Wheel, or any other kind of Water Work; and there is no Danger from Floods in the Winter, nor was there ever known a Scarcity of Water in the greatest Droughts, at which Times the Toll Custom extends many Miles in a thick settled Country. The Convenience to good Navigation for Sea Vessels, to the Town of Fredericksburg, distant one Mile, to the Town of Falmouth, which stands on the North Side of the River, opposite to the Mills, and a good Fording Place between them, and to a fertile Back Country, where large Quantities of Grain may be purchased, are Advantages very obvious, and afford a Prospect for carrying on the Flour and Baking Trades to great Extent and Profit, especially the latter, as most of the Ships in Rappahannock River have Occasion to send to the above Towns for Tobacco, Iron, &c. As I live on the Premises, shall at all Times be ready to make known my Terms, to those who incline to treat with

Their humble Servant,  
(4<sup>th</sup>) FRANCIS THORNTON.

Baltimore-Town, June 6th, 1765.

**T**HERE is in the Possession of the Subscriber, taken up as a Stray, a middling large Brown or Chestnut colour'd Gelding, with some white in his Forehead, branded on the near Shoulder with C, and on the near Buttock thus M.

(3<sup>rd</sup>) JOHN STEVENSON.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco,

**A** TRACT of LAND called *Wildshire Plains*, containing upwards of 400 Acres, lying within two Miles of Bryan Town, in Charles County, on the 2d Day of September next, on the Premises.

(1<sup>st</sup>) SAMUEL PARRAN.

**JOSHUA HOSER and JOSEPH SPENCER, SHOEMAKERS,**

At their Shop, next Door below Mr. Couden's Store, in Church-Street, ANNAPOLIS.

**M**AKE and SELL all Sorts of BOOTS, Mens Double and Single Channell'd Pumps, Shoes, and Turn'd Pumps; Womens Shoes and Pumps.

N. B. Womens Silk and Stuff SHOES and PUMPS, made as neat as in London. (7<sup>th</sup>)

**JUST IMPORTED by the Subscribers, in the Ship Virginia Planter, from Glasgow to Patuxent River, and to be Sold at their Stores on Nottingham and Benedict, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco, on reasonable Terms,**

**A** GREAT Variety of European GOODS for Retail, too numerous to particularize.

Also sundry Parcels of sorted Linens and other Goods, suited to the Season, to be Sold Wholesale, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco. If necessary, Credit will be given for any of these Parcels, in whole or in part, for 3, 6, or 9 Months, as can be agreed on. They are of different Amounts, from Two to Six Hundred Pounds Cost.

THOMAS CAMPBELL, and Company. N. B. Those who still remain indebted to Messieurs Sherbridge, Gordon, and Company, for Dealings at their Stores, late at Upper-Marlbrough, Nottingham, and Benedict, are once more earnestly requested to take Measures for speedily discharging, or otherwise settling, their respective Balances, in order to prevent the disagreeable Consequences of Orders lately received from the said Company, by

(5<sup>th</sup>) THOMAS CAMPBELL, Attorney in Fact.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, living near Lower-Cedar-Point in Charles County, the 17th of May last, Three Convict Servants, imported in the *Tryal*, Capt. Errington, from London, viz.

**John Thomas**, a stout swarthy Man, about 32 Years of Age, upwards of 6 Feet high, has black Eyes, and dark brown Hair. Had on an old Jacket lined with Country Cotton, a red Cloth Cap, an old Check Shirt, old black Worsted knit Breeches, and 3 Pair of Yarn Hose.

**John Maund**, alias *Philpott*, about 21 Years of Age, 5½ Feet high, has dark brown Hair, grey Eyes, and Lisps in his Speech. Had on a Snuff colour'd Coat and blue Breeches, ribb'd Worsted Hose, a Check Shirt, and old Shoes.

**James West**, about 5 Feet high, 15 or 16 Years of Age, has dark brown curl'd Hair, and grey Eyes. Had on and took with him, a Scotch Bonnet, a white Linen Shirt, two Coats, one a dark Cloth, the other a light colour'd Surtout, a Pair of Leather Breeches, ribb'd Worsted Stockings, and a Pair of Pumps.

They took with them two new Osnabrigs Shirts, one Pair of Pumps, one Pair of Shoes, and one Pair of old Shoe Boots.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Servants, so that their Master may have them again, shall have Three Pounds Reward; or Five Pounds if brought home, beside what the Law allows, and in Proportion for either.

(1<sup>st</sup>) THOMAS JAMES.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forewarn'd not to carry them off at their Peril.

**A**NY Person willing to Contract for the Building a BALL-ROOM in ANNAPOLIS, may see the Plan at Mr. Richardson's Store, to whom they are desired to give in their Proposals in Writing, in Order to their being laid before the Managers.

Charles County, April 8, 1765.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber on Shrove Tuesday last, a tall, likely, strong, Country-born Negro Fellow, named *Sango*, aged 20 Years. He had on an old light colour'd Surtout Coat much worn, and over that a dark striped Country Cloth Jacket, and Breeches of the same, dark colour'd Country knit Yarn Stockings, and Country made Shoes. Whoever will secure the said Fellow, if in the County, so that he may be had again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward. If out of the County, in any Jail, Forty Shillings, and if brought Home, reasonable Travelling Charges allowed.

(6<sup>th</sup>) GEORGE LEE.

**THOMAS SMITH**, from Philadelphia, and **NATHANIEL BUNKER**, from New-England, COOPER S,

**H**AVE just open'd their Cooper's-Shop, at the lower End of Prince-George's-Street, on the Dock in ANNAPOLIS, where all Persons may be supplied with CASKS of any Sort or Size, and with any Quantity, done in the best Manner, and at the most reasonable Rates, by

Their humble Servants,  
(6<sup>th</sup>) 4 SMITH & BUNKER.

**FIVE POUNDS REWARD.**

VIRGINIA, Dumfries, May 13, 1765.

**R**AN away last Night, or early this Morning, **James Scott**, native of Ireland, a Convict Servant, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, and pitted with the Small-Pox: Took with him a Sailor's blue Jacket, a Pair of coarse Sacking long Breeches, and a full Suit of old black Cloaths. He ran away from me in 1757, and was never taken up till this Spring, so that he must be pretty well acquainted with the Country, and will probably impose himself on the Public for a Freeman.

Whoever takes up the said Runaway, and conveys him to me here, shall have Five Pounds Reward.

(6<sup>th</sup>) RICHARD GRAHAM.

**T**HE Managers of the SEVERN CHAPEL LOTTERY, beg Leave to inform the Public, That they purpose to begin Drawing the same, on Monday the Tenth of July next, at Elk-Ridge Landing. There are some Tickets still on Hand, which may be had of any of the Managers, or at the PRINTING-OFFICE.

**STRAYED** from the Subscriber's on *High Creek*, in Frederick County, last Month, a thin Mouse colour'd Horse, about 14 Hands high, paces naturally, his Brand, if any, forgot.

Also a well made Iron Grey Horse, about 13 Hands high, paces and trots, branded on the near Buttock T I.

Both of them were shod before, and are supposed to have made towards Calvert County.

Whoever will deliver them to Benjamin Johnson, near Calvert County Court-House, Thomas Johnson in Annapolis, or the Subscriber, shall be paid Thirty Shillings, or Fifteen Shillings for either; or if Information is given where they may be sent for, the Favour will be thankfully acknowledged, by

(1<sup>st</sup>) JAMES JOHNSON.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, by the Subscriber, on the 22d Day of August next, being the 3d Day of Court, at the House of Mr. Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, for Sterling Money, or Bills of Exchange,

**A** VERY valuable Tract of LAND called *Aix-la-Chapelle*, containing 1792 Acres, being and lying in Frederick County, on the main Branch of *Sensen*, and near the Mouth of the said Branch; the Land is well wooded and watered. One Year's Credit will be given, for one Half of the purchase Money (if desired), upon giving good Security, and paying Interest.

(1<sup>st</sup>) CHARLES CARROLL, junr.

TO BE SOLD.

**T**HE LANCASHIRE FORGE, consisting of Two Fineries, a Chafery, and one Hammer; together with about 400 Acres of very valuable Land, situate upon *Deer-Creek*, a fine Stream of Water, in Baltimore County, about 12 Miles from the Head of *Bush River*, and 7 from the nearest navigable Parts of *Susquehanna*. For Title and Terms, apply to the Subscriber, at Nottingham Forges, upon the Great Falls of *Gunspowder River*.

(1<sup>st</sup>) CORBIN LEE.

Kent-Island, April 19, 1765.

**A**S it is published in the *Philadelphia Paper*, that the noted Horse DOVE, imported by Dr. Hamilton, is now Covering at Mr. Dams's, such Gentlemen on the Western Shore as incline sending Mares to him, may have them carefully brought over the Bay, sent up to the Horse, and returned at Annapolis when done with him, at Twelve Shillings and Six Pence each Mare. Particular Care shall be taken of them. Good Passage both at Mr. Dams's and my House.

(11<sup>th</sup>) EMORY SUDLER.

**R**AN away from the Subscriber, a Negro Man named *Yem*, a likely lively young Fellow, about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, has a wild Look, and when spoke to appears surprised. He was formerly the Property of Mr. Robert Gordon, of the City of Annapolis, deceased, so that it is very likely he spends some Part of his Time among his Acquaintance in Town. Whoever takes up the said Fellow, and secures him, so that he may be had again, shall have Eight Dollars Reward.

(1<sup>st</sup>) ROBERT TYLER.

TO BE SOLD.

**A** CONVICT SERVANT WOMAN, who has near 7 Years to serve. She can Sew, Wash and Iron, very well, is a sober, and an exceedingly handy, Woman. Enquire at the Printing-Office.

(1<sup>st</sup>)

**W**HEREAS one JOHN HUNT, who left England, and in the Year 1748 lived in St. Paul's Parish, Baltimore County, Maryland, as a Saddler, and removed to *Westmore Parish* in the same County; from thence, 'tis said, he went to *Cumberland* in Georgia, and from thence to St. Augustine; and in January, 1764, as it is also said, he ordered a Cargo of Goods from London, to be directed to Messrs. *Barron and Rogett* in St. Augustine, to be left with Messrs. *Coopers and Swallowers*, in Charles-Town, South-Carolina: If the said John Hunt be still Alive, and will apply to the Subscriber, living in Baltimore-Town, Maryland, he will hear of Something to his Advantage. If he is Dead, which is most likely, any Person that will bring a proper Certificate of his Death to the Subscriber, shall receive a REWARD of FIVE GUINEAS.

(12<sup>th</sup>) JOHN MERRYMAN, junr.

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