

# MARTLAND GAZETTE,

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THURSDAY, April 2, 1752.

From the MUSEUM.

## AN APOLOGY for SWEARING.

Being a Remembrance of one of the Members of a certain SOCIETY near St. James's, against a SWEARING-BOX, and imposing a Penalty upon OATHS.

GENTLEMEN,

**T**HOUGH I may, perhaps, be as great a Lover of Virtue and Good Manners as the worthy Gentleman who spoke last, and tho' I should be very far from opposing any Thing that might tend to the Reformation of our Manners, or that would prevent any Indecency of Expression unbecoming the Members of this Society; yet, to the Proposal that is now made of imposing a Penalty upon us for Swearing, I cannot help making a few Objections.

In the enacting of any new Laws, great Regard should be had, not only to the Usefulness and Expediency of them, but to the Propriety or Impropriety of the Time in which they are introduced. Now I will undertake to shew, that we live at a Time in which it is impossible for a Man of Spirit sometimes to forbear Swearing; nay, I shall go so far as to assert, that a good and hearty Curse, on many Occasions that happen in these our Days, is almost a Virtue.

It is with great Regret, Gentlemen, that I proceed to give Instances of this strange Assertion: But when we see the Great, the Nobles of our Land, the Men of Birth and Fortune, who should be the Patrons and Encouragers of Virtue, Knowledge, and every useful Art, to the Ruin of their Characters, Fortunes, and Families, and to the utter Discouragement of Learning and every Kind of Merit, neglecting all Authors but *Hoyle*, despising all Study but the Rules of Whist; who can help SWEARING at the preposterous Patrons? Who can help CURSING the pernicious Author? And who will blame the Man that vents such honest Exclamations?

Do we not daily see a Set of Wretches (I am ashamed to call them Countrymen) who, to the manifest Ruin of our Trade, and consequently of our Glory as a Nation, despise the bounteous Produce of their native Climate, disdain to receive either Sustenance or Cloathing, unless from foreign Productions? Nay, unable to meet with Vices and Follies, low and ridiculous enough for their Imagination, at home; do they not even travel abroad in Quest of them? And then triumphantly returning, with their plain *English* Sense and Humanity, polished and improved (as they would persuade us) into mere *French* Flutter and Complaisance, insult their Countrymen with a Behaviour so utterly unworthy, so infinitely beneath the manly Plainness, honest Freedom, and open Sincerity of an *Englishman*, as renders them fit for nothing but to be despised and laugh'd at, or kick'd out of Company. And shall such insipid, such contemptible Wretches, assume a Superiority from their imported, vilely mimick'd, foreign, *French* Politeness? 'Tis ridiculous!

We live in an Age, when it is become fashionable for the greatest Men to take a Pride in the meanest Actions, for the most Honourable to be the most infamous; and for those, whose Birth and Fortunes give them the glorious Privilege of rewarding Merit or succouring Distress, to make a scandalous Use of that very Privilege, to ruin Families, to insult Mankind, to cheat the honest Tradesman with Impunity, and to screen themselves from the Payment of their just and lawful Debts. And is this a Time to lay a Penalty upon us for SWEARING?

Do we not see a Pack of human Idiots (for it is impossible to suppose them rational) who, possessed of Health, Plenty, Honour, and Independence, and without any Motive that one can dignify with the Name of a Reason, but full of Ostentation, and

swelling with a foolish Pride, indulge themselves in every idle Extravagance that Vanity, Luxury, and intemperate Passions can suggest; 'til sickening, dwindling, sinking by Degrees, their Health is in the End destroy'd, their Fortunes ruin'd, their Honour corrupted, and their late boasted Independence waiting on a Court, and cringing for a mere Maintenance; a shameful Stipend, the Wages of their Folly? And shall we not yet SWEAR?

Do we not daily hear of Admirals who are no Sailors, and of Generals who are no Soldiers? Have not our Fleets been baffled, our Armies defeated by Enemies whom we have heretofore despised? Whence does all this proceed? Not from a Want of able, brave, and honest Men; but from the Absurdity, the Wickedness of those, who from low, sinister, and self interested Views, prefer the Worthless, Base, and Undeserving. Sure such as this would move a Stoick's Wrath!

We live in a Community, which for the Justice and Equality of its Laws, and the Safety and Security of the Lives and Properties of its Members, is the Envy and Admiration of all Europe; yet, to the Shame of our Government, to the Scandal of our Constitution, a Pack of lawless, arm'd, audacious Ruffians, openly, in the Face of Day, and in Defiance of the Magistrate, assist their Country's Poes, infringe her sacred Laws, and maim or murder all who dare oppose them. And shall we not be allowed the Liberty even to CURSE them? God forbid! Good Heaven CONFOUND 'em! For such is the Infatuation, or such the Iniquity of those who should, that hitherto they are unsuppress'd, if not encouraged.

We live at a Time when bold Rebellion rages in the Land.—Rebellion! against a Government founded on the Principles of Liberty, and exercised in the Spirit of it.—Rebellion! supported by the Tyranny of France, our mortal Foe; instigated by the Bigotry and blind Superstition of Rome, our Jest and Derision; yet abetted—by *Englishmen* must I say? O Shame! by *Englishmen*. By Men, who, born and nourish'd in the Land of Liberty, yet act and live insensible to her Charms; who scruple not to involve their native Country in Calamity and Confusion; nay, to entail on themselves and their wretched Posterity that extreme of human Evils, compleat Slavery: And all for what? For that Reproach to Reason, that Scandal to Humanity, the mere Non sense and Wickedness of Jacobitism. NOT SWEAR! impossible! he whose Indignation does not rise against them is not an *Englishman*; who does not with all his Might oppose them, is not a Lover of Liberty; and every Honourer of Truth and Virtue, who does not from his Soul abjure, detest, and scorn them, is guilty at least of Immorality, if not Impiety.

To conclude therefore: As I look upon Gaming to be one of the worst and most destructive of evil Habits; as I despise the Meanness of the Great, however magnificently adorn'd; as I hate all Encouragers of, or Connivers at Smuggling; as I scorn a Coward; as I have an utter Contempt for all *Frenchified* Puppies; as I abhor and detest all Abettors of Superstition and Tyranny; and as I love to vent my Indignation against these, and all such monstrous Enormities, with the warm, the honest Freedom of an *Englishman*, I shall undoubtedly give my Vote against so improper, so unnecessary, and so ill-timed a Restraint.

JURO.

## On SELF-LOVE: A Fable.

**W**HEN I consider the natural Propensity of human Nature to Good, I am often greatly surprized how the Power of Education is able to subvert it; but it raises my Indignation, that Superstition and idle Legends can cast such a Film over the intellectual Eye, as to render it in a great Measure incapable of extending its View beyond

the little circumscribed Limits of what belongs merely to Man. 'Tis this Counter Knowledge that makes us by Degrees become selfish and unsocial, by confining the Design and Benevolence of Providence to a Part of the Universe, which, in Comparison to the whole System, is no more than a single Grain of Sand to the Earth itself; for when once we have begun to exclude our Planet by Superiority from the rest, and to regard the other Luminaries as existing only to serve ours, we presently proceed to bring the Thought nearer home, by looking upon the Country we casually were born in, then the Family we come from, and at length, ourselves alone, as the principal Object of divine Care. This is the Bane of all Morality, and from this plentiful Source of Evils flow *Pride, Ill Nature*, and that Parent of active Vices *Uncharitableness*. Contrary Thoughts therefore must be productive of contrary Effects; and I dare say, every one, who has experienced the Light of useful Learning and true Religion, will agree with me, that nothing tends more to better the Heart, as well as enlarge the Understanding, than to carry our Thoughts as far as we are able into Immensity, and to meditate on the Attributes of the Deity, from whom all *Wisdom proceeds*, and in whom it ends; which will necessarily lead us to consider the whole Solar System as no more than a single Atom in Subjection to the universal Plan of divine Government: What then is Man!—The *Arabian*, who convey all their Learning, their moral and religious Precepts, through Fables, relate the following Story, as an instructive Lesson on this Subject.

There lived in the Vale of *Koritz*, a Hermit named *Akallab*, who by the Power of a Talisman could convert any Animal whatsoever into another of a different Species. His Life being as pure as his Knowledge was extensive, he presently became famous over the whole East, and all the Youth of the adjacent Countries came to him for Instruction. Among the rest, the Son of the King of *Thebet* was placed by his Father, under the Tuition of this celebrated Philosopher. *Monophax*, for that was the Name of the young Prince, was of a proud, selfish, and cruel Disposition; he look'd upon the other Nations of the Earth as tributary Vassals to his Power, and upon his Father's Subjects as the abject Slaves of his Pleasure. *Kalaphax*, the good old King, who tenderly loved his People as a Parent, would often lament within himself the terrible Prospect they had before them, when he anticipated the Calamities that were likely to ensue after his Death, under the Reign of his Successor; however, that nothing should be wanting to contribute to their Welfare, or that of his own Son, he took all the Methods possible to render the young Prince more humane and tractable; but when nothing availed, he at last determined to send him as above-mention'd, to the great Philosopher and Magician *Akallab*. Accordingly when *Monophax* arrived at a little Village, where the Pupils of Distinction generally resided, he sent to command the Preceptor to come to him. *Akallab*, who both knew by his Art, and was previously informed of the Temper of his royal Disciple, told the Messenger, that tho' his Birth and Fortune set a Distinction between the rest of Mankind, yet Wisdom claimed a Superiority by Nature over all; and though the Prince of *Thebet* had been accustomed to command the great Ones of the Earth, it was now his Turn to obey and attend the Will of his Master. As soon as *Monophax* received this Message, which breathed a Spirit of Liberty and Philosophy, more than what he had been used to, he was greatly enraged against the Hermit, and repairing to his Cave with the Servants that attended him, resolved to make the good old Man fall a Victim to his Resentment. *Akallab* being apprized of the young Prince's Design, waited patiently for his coming; upon whose Appearance with a drawn Sword in his Hand, he touch'd the Talisman, and *Monophax* was instantly metamorphos'd into an Emmet. The Attendants, upon



upon the sudden Disappearance of their Master, were greatly astonish'd, which the Hermit perceiving: *Behold!* said he, pointing to the Ground, *that Insect, which you see crawling on the Earth, was once Monophaz, your Lord, who was to reign uncontrollable over the Lives of Millions, but is now reduced by the Power of the Almighty, to lie with Reptiles in the Dust; for before his Presence, who created every Being for universal Good, and not selfish Delight, the greatest Monarch upon the Globe is no more than the smallest Mote fluttering in the Meridian Sun.* Learn hence, continued he, young Prince (looking down upon the Emmet), *that those alone are distinguish'd by his present and future Favour, who correspond with his great Design of promoting the Good of all his Creatures, and guide their Lives by the unerring Dictates of Reason, and the tender Suggestions of Humanity.* 'Tis in my Power, whom you lately so threaten'd in your Wrath, to make you continue in this Body, as a Punishment for the rash Attempt; but as I perceive by my Art that ere will be a thorough Reformation of your Mind, with the Change of your Shape, and that your future Conduct will be both a Blessing to yourself and the rest of Mankind; you shall immediately be conveyed back again in your own Form, with your Attendants, to the Court of your Father at Thebes: Having said this, Akallab touch'd the Talisman, by which Monophaz found himself where the Magician promised to convey him; and being convinced by this Experiment of the Weakness and Insufficiency of Man in Comparison to the Power of Heaven, he became afterwards, by his Example, a living Precept of Goodness to the rest of the World.

PHILARETES.

EDINBURGH, November 21.

**T**UESDAY last, the Judge of the High Court of Admiralty, in Consequence of the Verdict of a Jury formerly returned on the Trial of Samuel Lampro, late Shipmaster at Leith, decerned, adjudged, and declared the said Samuel Lampro, infamous, intellable, and incapable of giving Evidence in any Court, or passing upon any Jury, and ordained him to be carried from the Bar to the Tolbooth, there to remain till Wednesday the 8th of January next, and on the said Day to be carried from thence at Eleven o'Clock before Noon, with a Rope about his Neck, attended by the common Executioner, and put on the Pillory, to stand bareheaded for the Space of a complete Hour, having a Paper affixed on his Breast, containing these Words, in large Characters: "Here stands Samuel Lampro, an infamous Person, who did wilfully and wickedly cast away the Ship Prince Charles of Lorraine, with a Design to defraud the Insurers of the said Ship, after having, contrary to the Trust reposed in him, sold the Cargo on board the said Ship, belonging to the Merchants who had loaded the same;" and afterwards to be carried back to Prison, to be confined to the 10th Day of November next, and thereafter till an Opportunity offers of transporting him to his Majesty's Plantations in America; and further decerned and adjudged the said Lampro to be banished Scotland, during Life, with Certification if he returns, of being imprisoned for the Space of one Year, whipt through this City on the first Market Day of each Month, and re transported, *toties quoties.*

LONDON.

Nov. 16. The following Character of his late Serene Highness the Prince of Orange has been printed at the Hague, where it has been greatly in Esteem and Demand:

William Charles Henry Friso was born to be of a Stature above the common; but an Accident in his fourth Year shortened it, and inclined the Body to the Left; with which, however, he had an Appearance full of an amiable Dignity. His Hair was of a Chestnut, and well arranged; his Eyes were large, blue, keen, and animated; nothing escaped their Quickness: His Features agreeable, his Countenance comely, and advantageous.

He was a Posthumous Child, and they who had the first Care of him instructed him in little else besides Latin and Divinity. Sensible of the Injury of this Negligence, he laboured with such Ardour and Success to retrieve it, that he surpassed most Princes in the Sciences. He particularly applied himself to the most useful Parts of the Mathematics: He was desirous of Improvement in general, and never slept the Opportunities of informing himself from those whom he accounted eminent in any Art.

His Memory was wonderful; besides the Latin, and his native Language, in which he expressed himself with the most delicate Purity and Elegance,

he spoke three other Languages very well, viz. the German, English, and French. The Crosses of his first thirty six Years were known to every Body; great as they were, they did not weary out his Patience, and his Sense of them appeared only in an Instance of the noblest Generosity, pardoning when he could revenge; Clemency had always a greater Share in his Composition than Resentment; and he was never seen, in a Time of Need, to deny his Assistance to those who had abused his Confidence.

He was hasty, but soon recovered himself, and immediately applied himself, as far as his Dignity would permit, to make the Objects of his Effervescences forget them.

By a Strain of Moderation, not universal among Princes, he favour'd a Limitation of his Power at a Time when there was a general Eagerness to extend it.

Averse to Harshness, he always chose the mildest Methods; and his Lenity led him to too great a Repugnance to punish, or even refuse. Many hard Judgments have been passed upon him on this Point, and on his Easiness in thinking well of others, and his Diffidence of himself. This last Disposition will appear surprizing to those who consider the constant and unanimous Applauses of those august Assemblies, in which he had often an Occasion to deliver himself: His ready Conception, his noble and striking Expression, were always their Admiration; Talents which, added to his Affability, gained him the Hearts of every one. A Prince, amidst such Applauses, might entertain the most advantageous Thoughts of himself, as, upon consulting his Heart, he found there a pure and settled Intention to do Good; generous and exalted Sentiments, to which he readily sacrificed all his private Interests.

He naturally loved Magnificence, and delighted in Liberality; so that his Oeconomy was the Effect of Reflection. He took a Pleasure in Acts of Charity, and gave with the Modesty of a Man who sympathizes with the Distresses of others.

In Company he both received and gave Pleasure, being of a sprightly and mild Conversation; and as Good Nature was his leading Principle, he loved to make every one easy with whom he conversed.

The last Years of his Life have been spent in an intense Application, to him the more painful and prejudicial, from his daily-increasing Ailments; but no Inconvenience was of Weight against his Love for his Country.

His Piety was sincere; his Zeal for Protestantism was temper'd with a Toleration adapted to the Government of these Provinces. He was a declared Enemy of Licentiousness, Prophaneness, and Vice, and always countenanced Virtue and Merit.

He was a happy and a good Husband, a good Father, a good Son, and a good Master.

If his resigned Submission to the Determinations of Providence has undergone Variety of Trials, his Virtues, on the other Hand have not failed of a glorious Recompence even in this Life. He has saved his Country; he has traced the Path which leads to the Recovery of the antient Grandeur of the State; and, together with his Example, has left, in his House, the sacred Guardianship of National Liberty and Happiness.

December 9. Last Week was entered at the Custom House, from on board the Charming Martha, Capt. Leslie, 496 Pounds Weight of raw Silk, the Growth of Georgia, under the Testimonials required by the late Act of Parliament for encouraging the Growth and Culture of Silk, in his Majesty's Dominions in America; which raw Silk, by the said Act, was imported Duty free.

December 12. We hear from Wigton in Cumberland, that a young Woman in the Holme, near that Place, of considerable Fortune, has been so fortunate as to get two Husbands in one Week. She was privately married to her first Husband at Allenby Chapel, and two Days after, to her second Husband, at the Holme Church: Which second Marriage, as it was not kept a Secret, presently reach'd the Ears of the first Husband, who liv'd in the same Parish, and, whilst the new married Couple were regaling themselves, broke in upon them to lay Claim to his Wife, in Right of the prior Marriage; which greatly chagrin'd the second Husband, to find himself so deluded. But however, after the Priests were examined, and both Marriages being fairly proved, the Dispute was not who should have her, but who should get quit of her, as the Marriage was not consummated by any Party; yet, as it was the general Opinion that the Right would be in the first married Husband, the Marriage has been since consummated; and the second Husband is contending himself with finding out Means of Consolation, &c. to qualify himself for another Wife.

PHILADELPHIA.

February 18. From Dover there is Advice, that Archibald Cunningham, and Alice, his Wife (lately mentioned in this Paper) were executed there on the 8th Instant, pursuant to their Sentence, for the barbarous Murder of Eleanor Gollohar.

Capt. Reeve, of this Port, is in the River, from Jamaica. By Capt. Roney, who came Passenger with him, we have the following Deposition:

Jamaica, St. **PATRICK** Roney, John Holt, and Francis Welsh, Passengers on board the Sloop Diamond, of New York, Nathanael Lawrence Commander, who being severally and duly sworn, on the Holy Evangelists, depose and saith, That they sailed from Port Royal, in the said Sloop Diamond, on the Twenty-third Day of December, 1751, bound for Charles Town in South Carolina: That on the second Day of January following, being then off Cape Nicholas, they saw a Sloop coming out of the Mole, steering close by the Wind, which they took to be a Sloop bound to Boston, that sailed from Jamaica a short Time before them: That the said Sloop got the Wind of them, and then bearing down within Gunshot of them, they hoisted a French Pendant. The Sloop Diamond then put her Helm a Lee, and made Sail to the Northward, and was chased by the other Sloop, who being in our Wake, fired a Shot at us. Capt. Lawrence shortened Sail, and the said Sloop on coming up with us, ordered our Boat out immediately; but as we made no Dispatch, they directly hoisted their own Craft out, mann'd with twelve or fourteen Spaniards, and a Spanish Officer, who took Possession of the said Sloop Diamond, and carried her into Cape Nicholas Mole: That upon our Sloop's being carried under the Stern of their Commodore, called The Victoria, Don Domingo Santa Commander, we were saluted with Drums, Trumpet, and loud Huzzas: That as soon as they came to an Anchor, the said Sloop Diamond was boarded by the Commodore's Captain, and the Captain of the Sloop, that brought us into the said Mole, whose Names they would not discover: That they immediately ordered Captain Lawrence's Chest to be opened, and overhaul'd the Governor's Let pass, and Custom House Clearances, and then overhaul'd the Cash in the said Chest, which we compute to about Three Thousand Pounds, Jamaica Currency: at the Sight of which Money, the Spaniards shouted and danced for Joy: That they took an Account of the Number of the Bags, and the mark'd Contents, then put the Money into the same Chest again, and gave the Key of it to Capt. Lawrence, and then went immediately on board the aforesaid Commodore, leaving a sufficient Guard of Spaniards on board the said Sloop Diamond. That they soon after returned again, and ordered the same Chest to be re open'd and counted the loose Money that was in it. That they then overhaul'd all the Chests in the Vessel, and took into their Possession all the Cash in general that was found in her. That the Spanish Sailors rummaged and plundered the Steerage and Hold, stripping the Sailors of all they could possibly take from them; their Officers likewise behaved very little better than Pyrates. That on the third of said January, the Captain of the small Sloop, and the Commodore's Lieutenant, whose Names we could not learn, came on board Captain Lawrence, and ordered all the Prisoners to go on board a Schooner which they had taken two Days before, out of Sight of Land, on her Voyage from Philadelphia to Jamaica. But Captain Lawrence insisting peremptorily, that he and his People would stay by his Sloop, and wait the Issue of a Trial, in order to proceed on his intended Voyage, if acquitted, the Spaniards left us for the present, but in the Morning the aforesaid Spanish Officers compelled the above named Deponents, with five of Captain Lawrence's Sailors, to go on board the aforesaid Schooner, leaving Captain Lawrence, his Mate, and four Sailors, on board his own Sloop. As soon as the aforesaid Passengers and Sailors were on board said Schooner, the Spaniards sent their Craft on board for the Deponent, Patrick Roney, and carried him on board the said Sloop Diamond: That they there examined him, from whence the said Sloop Diamond came, and how the said Spanish Money came on board her: That this Deponent told them, that the sealed Bags, was Money taken in on Freight for South Carolina; and those unsealed, was Money for the Returns of the said Sloop's Cargo from New York. That they then drew up a Writing on Paper, and desired said Deponent Patrick Roney, to sign it: That on his refusing to sign the said Writing, they bid'd the Commodore, who ordered the said Deponent, Patrick Roney, on board him: That he was threatened very much, he then told them, and wrote, and approved which they wanted, his refusing again, Don Domingo, Patrick Roney would cut them off Paper. That at like Kind, he was and Terror, tho' of the Content, said Schooner fail'd for Jamaica, and stant.

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Extract of a Letter from Carolina.

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threatened very hard to make him sign it: That he then told them he was ignorant of what they wrote, and apprehended it to be some Villainy, which they wanted to force him to sign. That on his refusing again to sign it, the aforesaid Commodore, Don Domingo Santa, took the said Depo- nent, Patrick Roney, by the Ears, swearing he would cut them off, if he did not sign the aforesaid Paper. That after several Threatnings, of the like Kind, he was forced to sign it, through Fright and Terror, tho' he did not understand one Word of the Contents. That he was then ordered on board said Schooner, who weighed Anchor, and sail'd for Jamaica, where we arrived the sixth In- stant.

PHILADELPHIA, Mar. 17.  
Extract of a Letter from Charles Town in South- Carolina, dated January 12, 1752.

"The Cherokees, that were last in Town at the Treaty, committed some Robberies, attempt- ed to ravish several Women, and were otherwise very insolent to the Inhabitants in our back Settle- ments, on their Return home, tho' they had made a strict League with us. They were way-laid, and attacked by a Party of the Creek Nation, now at War with them, who killed 32, of about 80 or 90 that went from this Place."

YORK-TOWN, March 2.

On Wednesday last a Maryland Officer, assisted by several Men, came to the House of Mr. Martin Kitzmiller, of this County, to arrest him, at the Suit of Mr. Diggs, when a Scuffle ensued; Mr. Kitzmiller called to his Son, in a Smith's Shop a little Way off, for Assistance; the young Man took up a Gun, loaded with small Shot to shoot Crows, and ran to help his Father, when some of the Of- ficer's attempting to take the Gun out of his Hands, it went off, and shot the above Mr. Diggs's Son in the back Part of his Body, under the short Ribs, who died thereof in less than three Hours after. Young Jacob Kitzmiller deliver'd himself up Prisoner here the next Day. The Verdict of the Coroner's Inquest is not yet come to our Know- ledge.

ANNAPOLIS.

On Thursday the 10th of March last died sud- denly, at her House on South River Neck, to the great Grief of all who knew her, and on Thursday last was very decently interred, Mrs. REBECCA SANDERS, (the Wife of Mr. ROBERT SANDERS, Senior), aged 75 Years; after having fill'd with Honour the several Stations and Duties of Life, which Heaven had assign'd her. She enjoyed, in the connubial State, an almost uninterrupted Tran- quillity of 56 Years, and liv'd to see her fourth Generation. She was a tender Wife, a most affec- tionate Mother, a true Friend, an agreeable Com- panion, and a kind Mistress. Having a just Sense of Religion herself, she instilled the Principles of it thro' her numerous Family; and having educated her Children in the Paths of Virtue and Piety, had the inexpressible Satisfaction (which always results from a Consciousness of having done our Duty) to reflect that they were each an Honour to her, and to be convinced that they formed their Plan of Happiness after her laudable Example.

Thursday last died, after a lingering Illness, at his House at the Wood-Yard, in Prince George's County, Capt. Richard Williams, formerly a Com- mander in the Guinea Trade.

The same Day died in Charles County, Mr. Ed- mund Porteus, Clerk of that County. He is suc- ceeded in the said Office by Benjamin Fendall, Esq; Yesterday came on the Election of an Alderman for this City, in the Room of William Cumming, Esq; deceased; when George Stewart, Esq; was chosen, and sworn into that Office: And Benjamin Tasker, junior, Esq; was unanimously chosen a Common Councilman, in the Room of George Stewart, Esq;

Kent County, March 25, 1752.

WHEREAS I am confined

in this County Goal, for a great Number of Debts, which my Confinement renders me in- tirely unable to discharge, as it incapacitates me to collect many Debts due to me; and whereas I have offered my Creditors by public Advertisements, to deliver up my Books and Effects, into the Hands of Trustees for the Use of my Creditors, which is all in my Power to do; yet some of them have refused to accept these reasonable Terms. Now I give this public Notice, that I intend to apply to the next General Assembly for such Relief, as has heretofore been granted to others in my Circum- stances.

Thomas Barkley.

Wanting a PLACE,

ONE who can wait at a Gentle- man's Table; Take Care of and curry his Horses; Clean Knives, Boots and Shoes; Lay a Table; Shave, and dress Wigs; Carry a Lanthorn, and Talk French; is as honest as the Times will admit, and as sober as can be.

Any Gentleman wanting such a Person, either in Town or Country, may enquire of the Printer hereof.

By the Corporation of the City of Annapolis, April 1, 1752.

ORDERED, That the Clerk of this Corporation give public Notice in the MARYLAND GAZETTE, That they have appoint- ed Thursday, in the first Week of the Provincial Court, being the sixteenth of April Instant, at four of the Clock in the Afternoon, on the Stadt-House Hill, to set up and expose to Sale the present Market House, and the Piece or Parcel of Ground whereon the same now stands in the said City, containing sixty Feet in breadth on the Water, and three hundred and sixty Feet in length, and twenty five Feet on the Head of the said Land, allotted and designed for a Custom House, and lying on the northerly Side of the said Land, for the best Price that can be got for the same; agreeable to an Act of Assembly, Entituled, *An Act for erecting a new Market House, in the City of Annapolis.*


Signed per Order,

R. Burdus, Clerk.

THE Northern POST-RI-

DER having now begun his Fortnight Stages, will be in here at Twelve of the Clock on Wednesday next, the 8th Instant, and tarry till the next Day at Noon; and so constantly and punctu- ally on every other Wednesday at Noon, during the Summer Season. Any Gentlemen having Bu- siness with him, may find him at those Times, either at Mrs. Jennings's, or at the POST-OFFICE.

STOLEN from the Subscriber,

On the 12th of March last, at Night, A large Black Horse, 5 Years old, paces middling well, has a Star in his Forehead, a Snip on his Nose, is branded on the near Hip Bone thus  and a ridge Mane: The said Horse was stolen by a Man who had on a white Coat, blue Stockings, and black curled Hair or Wig. Whoever will bring the said Man and Horse to the Subscriber, living near Bladensburg, shall have Three Pounds Re- ward: Or any Person, that will either secure or bring the said Horse to the Subscriber, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, paid by

William Pickett.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Mr. Benjamin Hammond, living at Newfoundland in Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray, An old Roan Mare, with a kind of dull Blotch or Brand on the Shoulder: She appears to have had the Pole Evil.

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

Just Imported from GLASGOW,

In the Ship NEWAL, Capt. SMITH, by the Sub- scriber, and to be SOLD, at his Store in AN- NAPOLIS,

A LARGE Assortment of Eu- ropean and East-India GOODS, at rea- sonable Rates, by Wholesale or Retail, for Cur- rent Money, Sterling, or Bills of Exchange.

Robert Swan.

LIKEWISE,

The said Swan carries on the Business of Tan- ning and Currying of Leather, and Shoemaking, as usual: And is now furnished with exceeding good Tradesmen, for every Part of the said Busi- ness: And having also brought in a Sadler from Britain, all Persons may be furnished with any Thing in that Way, at reasonable Rates.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of Land, lying on Rock Creek, about four Miles above Mr. Daniel Carroll's, containing Five Hundred and Seventy Acres.

For Title and Terms, apply to

Hancock Lee.

INSPECTORS, who are not

yet supplied with BOOKS and NOTES for the present Year, may have of all Sorts, what Quanti- ties they want, Printed on choice Paper, from

Their humble Servant,

Jonas Green.

FOUND,

AN Obligation from William

Day to Charles Mascubbin, for a Sum of Money therein mentioned, bearing Date April 2, 1751, and witness'd by John Heberston; which is left in the Hands of the Printer hereof. The pro- per Owner, whether Obligor or Obligee, may have it, on paying the Charge of this Advertisement.

FOUND,

ON the 9th of this Instant March, in Annapolis, in the Hay-Loft of the Sub- scriber, A middle siz'd Leather Saddle, with a Leather Housing, which is almost new.

The Owner proving his Property, and paying the Charge of this Advertisement, may have it again, by applying to

Arthur Charlton.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Capt. Joseph Coymen, in Anne Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, A Mouse coloured Horse, with four white Feet, a Blaze in his Forehead, two Saddle Spots on his Back, about twelve Hands high, and brand- ed on the off Buttock with the Letters H T.

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

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Mr. Roger Randall, in Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray, a small Black Horse, branded on the near Buttock, but not plain enough to be described.

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

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Mr. William Marbury, living in Prince George's County, near Piscataway, taken up as a Stray, A Dark colour- ed Horse, branded on the near Buttock A L, about 13 Hands high, has a white Spot on the off Shoulder, and is about 7 or 8 Years old.

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

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Thomas Holley, in Charles County, taken up as a Stray, A small Dark colour'd Mare, branded on the near Buttock with a Capital G having a Tail to it, or Stroke down from it: She has one Wall Eye, and a small Blaze down her Face.

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

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Richard Grimes, near the Head of Severn, in Anne Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a very small Bay Mare, about 3 Years old, which is neither dock'd nor branded.

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



Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That there is in the Possession of Mr. John Adamson, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a middle-sized Grey Gelding, branded on the near Shoulder L, with some black Spots upon his Shoulders.

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

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

**A SCHOONER**, which will carry Thirty-six Hogheads of Tobacco, with all her Tackle and Furniture, now lying in the Dock at Annapolis.

She will be Sold on Friday the 17th Day of April, between V and VI of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Mr. Middleton, for Sterling, Bills of Exchange, Gold, or Paper Currency, by

Jonas Green.

**THE** Subscriber intending for London this Summer, requests all Persons indebted to him to come and make Payment, or settle their Accounts by Note, or Bond: And those who have any just Demands against him, are desired to come and receive Payment of the same.

James Wardrop.

**STOLEN** or strayed from the City of Annapolis, on the 28th of November last, from the Virginia Post-Rider, a small Black Horse, branded on the near Buttock W, has some Saddle Spots on his Back, a Star in his Forehead, some grey Hairs in his Face, and is between 7 and 8 Years old.

Whoever brings the said Horse to the Printer hereof, shall have Ten Shillings Reward, and no Questions asked.

**THE** Subscriber intending soon to depart this Province, desires all Persons who have any Claims on him, to bring in their Accounts, that they may be paid: And all Persons indebted to him, or to the Estate of his late Father Mr. William Ford, deceased, are requested to make speedy Payment, to prevent further Trouble.

Samuel Ford.

**WHEREAS** Mr. William Grainger, the late noted Pilot of Chester River, (who was taught that Business by the Subscriber) is deceased; and the Subscriber is desirous to undertake the said Business of Piloting Ships from Annapolis to Chester Town, or from Chester Town to Annapolis: This is therefore to acquaint all Masters of Ships, or other Vessels, who may have Occasion for a Pilot, that on Application to the said Subscriber, living at Broad Creek on Kent Island, they may depend on being well and faithfully served, by Their humble Servant,

John Grainger.

**WILLIAM MACKAY,**

**LIVING** at Nottingham on Patuxent, hereby gives Notice, That he has a good Boat and Hands to go to Patuxent, for Horses and Carriages: And likewise keeps a House of good Entertainment for Travellers.

William Mackay.

**RAN** away from the Subscriber, living at Broad Creek in Prince George's County, on the 28th of October last, a short Negro Man, named Joe, a Caulker by Trade, and is a little bow legged. Had on when he went away, two Cotton Jackets, a Pair of Breeches, Country Stockings, an Osnabrigs Shirt, and a good Cloth Coat, lately turn'd, with yellow Metal Buttons: He also took with him, a small Iron Grey Horse: He formerly belonged to Mr. John Skinner of Lower-Marlborough: And was bound to the Subscriber for the Term of seven Years, by Captain Smith; which indentured Time is now near expired. He is supposed to be concealed by some Negroes near home.

Whoever takes up the said Negro, and brings him to either Major Joseph Sim, Clerk of Prince George's County, Capt. Smith, lying in Patuxent River, or to the Subscriber, shall have two Pistoles Reward for the Negro, and ten Shillings for the Horse.

Humphry Batt.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

**A TRACT** of Land, lying in the Fork of Patuxent, joining Mr. John Gaither, Son of Benjamin, containing 500 Acres, on the 25th Day of April next, by

William Keene.

The Sale is to begin at Twelve of the Clock at Mr. John Gaither's, Son of Benjamin.

**BENJAMIN BARRY, jun.**

Of Upper-Marlborough, in Prince George's County,

**BEING** removed from the old House in said Town (where he has for many Years kept Tavern), to the House where Mr. Daniel Carroll, deceased, formerly dwelt, gives this public Notice thereof, that his Customers and others may know where to find him, and where they may depend on the best Accommodations and Entertainment, either for themselves, their Servants, or Horses, from

Their humble Servant,

Benjamin Barry, junior.

February 19, 1752.

**DR. CHARLES CARROLL** having made a Street Way, from the Head of Nicholson's Dock, opposite to the Market House in the City of Annapolis, from the End of Church Street at the Water Side, through his Lots, to Duke of Gloucester Street, for the reasonable Convenience of others, as well as his own, by the Name of

GREEN-STREET;

This is to give Notice, that the said Carroll hath several very convenient Lots, fronting on both Sides of said Green Street, some fronting on that and Church Street, or the Cove, and others fronting on Duke of Gloucester Street and said Green Street, very conveniently situated for good Air and Prospect, and Building or carrying on any Trade or Business; which Lots he will sell, or lease at very reasonable Rates, for Lives or any Term of Years.

Any Persons inclinable to buy or lease, may apply to said Carroll, at his House in Annapolis, and know further.

C. Carroll.

**STRAYED** or Stolen from Annapolis, last Fall, a Bay Mare, a natural Pacer, and paces very well, branded with a large H on the off Buttock, has a Star in her Forehead, and has several Saddle Spots.

Whoever brings her to Mrs. Jennings in Annapolis, shall have Ten Shillings Reward.

February 22, 1752.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That the Subscriber will give constant Attendance at his Office in Annapolis, on every Wednesday and Thursday before the Tenth of April next, to receive all such Money from the Inhabitants of this County, as is due from them, for Public Levies, or on any other Account, to

Their humble Servant,

Nathan Hammond, Sheriff of Anne Arundel County.

**ON** the 13th Day of May next, a Purse of FORTY POUNDS Currency, to be run for, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, carrying nine Stone Weight, three Heats, each Heat to be once round the Poles on the Race Ground, near the City of Annapolis, and to be won by such Horse, &c. having the best of the said Heats: Such Horses, &c. are to be entered with Jonas Green two Days before the Race Day, and forty Shillings Currency to be paid at the Entrance, which with what further Addition can be made, is designed for a Race on the 14th Day of May.

**JUST IMPORTED,**

And to be SOLD by the Subscriber, lodging at Mr. John Inch's, Silversmith, in Annapolis,

**GOOD Barbadoes RUM**, at Five Shillings, for each single Gallon; if six Gallons or upwards to one Person at the same Time, Four Shillings and eight Pence per Gallon; if by the Hoghead, at a very reasonable Rate. Any Person taking Twelve Gallons, shall have it at 4s. 6d. per Gallon.

Andrew Henderson.

**ANTHONY SMITH,**

At s's House lately kept by Mr. JOHN CONNER, about seven Miles from London-Town, on the Road to West River, Calvert County, &c.

**NOW** keeps TAVERN; where Gentlemen may depend on good Entertainment, and the most civil Usage, from

their humble Servant,

Anthony Smith.

**THE** Subscriber having a good Brazier, all Persons who have any thing to do in that Way of Business, may have it done at the said Subscriber's Smith's Shop in Annapolis.

Patrick Creagh.

**TO BE SOLD,**

**PART** of a Tract of Land called Clagget's Forest, and other Lands adjoining thereto, lying near the Head of Bush River in Baltimore County, containing about Thirteen Hundred Acres.

ALSO,

A Tract of Land lying in the said County, near the Branches of Deer Creek, called Bend's Grantee, containing Four Hundred Acres.

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

Philip Thomas.

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## MARTLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, April 9, 1752.

The SPARROW and the DOVE.

## A FABLE.

**I**T was, as learn'd Traditions say,  
Upon an April's blithsome Day,  
When Pleasure, ever on the Wing,  
Return'd, Companion of the Spring;  
And cheer'd the Birds with am'rous Heat,  
Instructing little Hearts to beat:

A Sparrow, frolic, gay, and young,  
Of bold Address, and flippant Tongue,  
Just left his Lady of a Night,  
Like him, to follow new Delight.

The Youth, of many a Conquest vain,  
Flew off to seek the chirping Train;  
The chirping Train he quickly found,  
And, with a saucy Ease, bow'd round.

For every She, his Bosom burns,  
And this, and that, he woos by Turns;  
And here a Sigh, and there a Bill;  
And here—“Those Eyes, so form'd to kill!”  
And now, with ready Tongue, he strings  
Unmeaning, soft, resistless Things;  
With Vows, and Dem—me's, skill'd to woo,  
As other pretty Fellows do.

Not that he thought this short Essay  
A Prologue needful to his Play;  
No, truit me, says our learned Letter,  
He knew the virtuous Sex much better;  
But these he held as specious Arts,  
To shew his own superior Parts,  
The Form of Decency to shield,  
And give a just Pretence to yield.

Thus finishing his courtly Play,  
He mark'd the Fav'rite of a Day;  
With careless Impudence drew near,  
And whisper'd *Hebrew* in her Ear:  
A Hint, which, like the Mason's Sign,  
The conscious can alone divine.

The fluttering Nymph, expert at feigning,  
Cry'd, Sir!—*pray Sir, explain your Meaning:*  
Go pratt to those that may endure ye:  
To me, this Rudeness?—*I'll assure ye!*  
Then off she glided, like a Swallow,  
As saying—*You guess where to follow.*

To such as know the Party set,  
Tis needless to declare they met:  
The Parson's Barn, as Authors mention,  
Confess'd the Fair had Apprehension.  
Her Honour there secure from Stain,  
She held all farther Trifling vain,  
No more affected to be coy,  
But rush'd licentious on the Joy.

“Hilt, Love!”—the male Companion cry'd,  
“Retire a While; I fear we're spy'd.”  
Nor was the Caution vain; he saw  
A Turtle rustling in the Straw.  
While o'er her callow Brood she hung,  
And fondly thus address'd her Young:  
“Ye tender Objects of my Care!  
Peace, Peace, ye little helpless Pair;  
Anon he comes, your gentle Sire,  
And brings you all your Hearts require.  
For us, his Infants and his Bride,  
For us, with only Love to guide,  
Our Lord assumes an Eagle's Speed,  
And, like a Lion, dares to bleed.  
Not yet by Windy Skies confin'd,  
He mounts upon the rudest Wind,  
From Danger tears the vital Spoil,  
And with Affection sweetens Toil.”

“Alas, too vent'rous! cease to dare;  
In this, our dearer Safety spare!  
From him, ye cruel Falcons, stray,  
And turn, ye Fowls, far away!  
Should I survive to see the Day,  
That tears me from myself away,  
That cancels all which Heav'n could give,  
The Life, by which alone I live,  
Alas, how more than lost were I;  
Who, in the Thought, already die!”

Ye Pow'rs, whom Men, and Birds, obey;  
Great Rulers of your Creatures, say,  
Why Mourning comes, by Bliss convey'd,  
And ev'n the Sweets of Love allay'd?  
Where grows Enjoyment, tall and fair,  
Around it twines entangling Care;  
While Fear for what our Souls possess,  
Enervates ev'ry Pow'r to bless;  
Yet Friendship forms the Bliss above,  
And, Life! what art thou, without Love?

Our Hero, who had heard apart,  
Felt something moving in his Heart;  
But quickly, with Disdain, suppress'd  
The Virtue rising in his Breast:  
And first he feign'd to laugh aloud,  
And next, approaching, smil'd and bow'd.

“Madam, you must not think me rude;  
Good Manners never can intrude;  
I vow I come through pure Good Nature:—  
(Upon my Soul, a charming Creature!)  
Are these the Comforts of a Wife?  
This careful, cloyster'd, mooping Life?  
No Doubt, that odious Thing call'd *Duty*  
Is a sweet Province for a Beauty.  
Thou pretty Ignorance! thy Will  
Is measur'd to thy Want of Skill;  
That good old-fashion'd Dame, thy Mother,  
Has taught thy Infant Years no other:—  
The greatest Ill in the Creation  
Is sure the Want of Education.”

“But think ye?—tell me without feigning,  
Have all these Charms no farther Meaning?  
Dame Nature, if you don't forget her,  
Might teach your Ladyship much better.  
For Shame! reject this mean Employment,  
Enter the World, and taste Enjoyment;  
Where Time, by circling Bliss, we measure;  
Beauty was form'd alone for Pleasure:  
Come, prove the Blessing, follow me,  
Be wife, be happy, and be free.”

“Kind Sir,” reply'd our Matron chaste,  
“Your Zeal seems pretty much in haste;  
I own, the Fondness to be bless'd  
Is a deep Thirst in ev'ry Breast;  
Of Blessings too, I have my Store,  
Yet quarrel not, should Heav'n give more;  
Then prove the Change to be expedient,  
And think me, Sir, *Your most obedient.*”

Here turning, as to one inferior,  
Our Gallant spoke, and smil'd superior.  
“Methinks, to quit your boasted Station  
Requires a World of Hesitation;  
Where Brats and Bonds are held a Blessing,  
The Case, I doubt, is past redressing.  
“Why, Child, suppose the Joys I mention  
Were the mere Fruits of my Invention,  
You've Cause sufficient for your Carriage,  
Is flying from the Curse of Marriage;  
That fly Decoy, with vary'd Snare,  
That takes the Widgeon in by Pairs;  
Alike to Husband, and to Wife,  
The Cure of Love, and Bane of Life;  
The only Method of forecasting,  
To make Misfortune firm and lasting;  
The Sin, by Heaven's peculiar Sentence,  
Unpardon'd, thro' a Life's Repentance.”

“It is the double Snake, that weds  
A common Tail to diff'rent Heads,  
That lead the Carcass still astray,  
By dragging each a diff'rent Way.  
Of all the Ills that may attend me,  
From Marriage, mighty Gods, defend me!  
Give me frank Nature's wild Demerme,  
And boundless Tract of Air serene,  
Where Fancy, ever wing'd for Change,  
Delights to sport, delights to range;  
There, Liberty! to thee is owing  
Whatever of Bliss is worth bestowing;  
Delights, still vary'd, and divine,  
Sweet Goddesses of the Hills! are thine.  
What say you now, you pretty Pink you?  
Have I, for once, spoke Reason, think you?”

“You take me now for no Romancer:—  
“Come, never study for an Answer;  
“Away, cast ev'ry Care behind ye,  
“And fly where Joy alone shall find ye.”  
“Soft yet, return'd our female Fencer,  
“A Question more, or so;—and then, Sir,  
“You've rally'd me with Sense exceeding,  
“With much fine Wit, and better Breeding;  
“But pray, Sir, how do you contrive it?  
“Do those of your World never wive it?”  
“No, no.”—“How then?”—“Why dare I tell?”  
“—What does the Business fall as well?”  
“Do you ne'er love?”—“An Hour at Leisure.”  
“Have you no Friendships?”—“Yes, for Pleasure.”  
“No Care for little ones?”—“We get 'em.”  
“The rest the Mothers mind;—and let 'em.”

“Thou Wretch!” rejoin'd the kindling Dove,  
“Quite lost to Life, as lost to Love!  
“Whene'er Misfortune comes, how just!  
“And come Misfortune surely must;  
“In the dread Season of Dismay,  
“In that, your Hour of Trial, say,  
“Who then shall prop your sinking Heart?  
“Who bear Affliction's weightier Part?  
“Say, when the black-brow'd Welkin bends,  
“And Winter's gloomy Form impends,  
“To Mourning turns all transient Cheer,  
“And blasts the melancholy Year;  
“For Times at no Persuasion stay,  
“Nor Vice can find perpetual May;  
“Then where's that Tongue, by Folly fed,  
“That Soul of Perinels, whither fled?  
“All shrunk within thy lonely Nest,  
“Forlorn, abandon'd and unblest;  
“No Friend, by cordial Bonds ally'd,  
“Shall seek thy cold, unsocial Side;  
“No chirping Prattlers, to delight  
“Shall turn the long-enduring Night;  
“No Bride her Words of Balm impart,  
“And warm thee at her constant Heart.”

“Freedom, restrain'd by Reason's Force,  
“Is as the Sun's navarying Course,  
“Benignly active, sweetly bright,  
“Affording Warmth, affording Light;  
“But torn from Virtue's sacred Rules,  
“Becomes a Comet, gar'd by Fools,  
“Foreboding Cares, and Storms, and Strife,  
“And fraught with all the Cares of Life.  
“Thou Fool! by Union every Creature  
“Subsists, thro' universal Nature;  
“And this, to Beings void of Mind,  
“Is Wedlock of a meaner Kind.  
“While womb'd in Space, primæval Clay  
“A yet unfashion'd Embryo lay,  
“The endless Source of Good above  
“Shot down his Spark of kindling Love;  
“Touch'd by the all-enlivening Flame,  
“Then Motion first exulting came;  
“Each Atom sought its sep'rate Class,  
“Thro' many a fair enamour'd Mass;  
“Love cast the central Charm around,  
“And with eternal Nuptials bound.  
“Then Form and Order o'er the Sky,  
“First train'd their bridal Pomp on high;  
“The Sun display'd his Orb to Sight,  
“And burn'd with Hymeneal Light.  
“Hence Nature's Virgin Womb conceiv'd,  
“And with the genial Burden heav'd;  
“Forth came the Oak, her first born Heir,  
“And scal'd the breathing Steep of Air;  
“Then Infant Stems, of various Use,  
“Imbib'd her soft maternal Juice;  
“The Flow'rs, in early Bloom disclos'd,  
“Upon her fragrant Breast repos'd;  
“Within her warm Embraces grew  
“A Race, of endless Form and Hue;  
“Then pour'd her lesser Offspring round,  
“And fondly cloath'd their Parent Ground,  
“Nor here alone the Virtue reign'd,  
“By Matter's cumb'ring Form detain'd;  
“But thence, subliming, and refin'd,  
“Aspir'd, and reach'd it's Kindred Mind.”

Caught



Caught in the fond celestial Fire,  
The Mind perceiv'd unknown Desire,  
And now with kind Effusion flow'd,  
And now with cordial Ardours glow'd,  
Beheld the sympathetic Fair,  
And lov'd it's own Resemblance there;  
On all with circling Radiance shone,  
But centring, fix'd on One alone;  
There clasp'd the Heav'n-appointed Wife,  
And doubled every Joy of Life.  
Here ever blessing, ever blest'd,  
Resides this Beauty of the Breast;  
As from his Palace, here the God  
Still beams refulgent Bliss abroad,  
Here gems his own eternal Round,  
The King, by which the World is bound;  
Here bids his Seat of Empire grow,  
And builds his little Heav'n below.  
The bridal Partners thus ally'd,  
And thus in sweet Accordance ty'd,  
One Body, Heart, and Spirit, live,  
Enrich'd by ev'ry Joy they give;  
Like Echo, from her vocal Hold,  
Returns'd in Music twenty Fold.  
Their Union firm and undecay'd,  
Nor Time can shake, nor Pow'r invade;  
But as the Stem and Scion stand,  
Ingraffed by a skilful Hand,  
They check the Tempest's Wint'ry Rage,  
And bloom and strengthen into Age.  
A thousand Amities unknown,  
And Pow'r, perceiv'd by Love alone,  
Endearing Looks, and chaste Desire,  
Fan and support the mutual Fire,  
Whose Flame, perpetual, as refin'd,  
Is fed by an immortal Mind.  
Nor yet the nuptial Sacrament ends,  
Like *Nir*, it opens and descends;  
Which, by apparent Windings led,  
We trace to it's celestial Head.  
The Sire, first springing from above,  
Becomes the Source of Life and Love,  
And gives his filial Heir to flow  
In Fondness down on Sons below;  
Thus roll'd in one continu'd Tide,  
To Time's extremest Verge they glide;  
While kindred Streams, on either Hand,  
Branch forth in Blessings o'er the Land.  
Thee, Wretch! no liping Babe shall name,  
No late returning Brother claim,  
No Kinsman on thy Road rejoice,  
No Sister greet thy en'ring Voice,  
With partial Eyes no Parents see,  
And bless their Years, restor'd in thee.  
In Age rejected, or declin'd,  
An Alien, ev'n among thy Kind,  
The Partner of thy scorn'd Embrace  
Shall play the Wanton in thy Face.  
Each Spark unplume thy little Pride,  
All Friendship fly thy faithless Side;  
Thy Name shall like thy Carcass rot,  
In Sickness spurn'd, in Death forgot.  
All-giving Pow'r! great Source of Life!  
O hear the Parent! hear the Wife!  
That Life thou lendest from above,  
Thou little, make it large in Love;  
O bid my feeling Heart expand  
To ev'ry Claim, on ev'ry Hand,  
To those, from whom my Breath I drew,  
To these, in whom those Days renew;  
To all my Kin, however wide,  
In cordial Warmth, as Blood ally'd;  
To Friends, with stealthy Fetters twin'd;  
And to the Cruel, not unkind.  
But chief, the Lord of my Desire,  
My Life, myself, my Soul, my Sire,  
Friends, Children, all that Wish can claim,  
Chaste Passion clasp, and Rapture name;  
O spare him, spare him, gracious Power!  
O give him to my latest Hour!  
Let me my Length of Life employ,  
To give my sole Enjoyment Joy,  
His Love, let mutual Love excite,  
Turn all my Cares to his Delight;  
And ev'ry needless Blessing spare,  
Wherein my Darling wants a Share.  
When he with graceful Action wooes,  
And sweetly bills, and fondly cooes,  
Ah! deck me to his Eyes alone,  
With Charms attractive as his own;  
And, in my circling Wings carest'd,  
Give all the Lover to my Breast.  
Then in our chaste connubial Bed,  
My Bosom pillow'd for his Head,  
His Eyes with blissful Slumbers close,  
And watch, with me, my Lord's Repose;  
Your Peace around his Temples twine,  
And love him with a Love like mine.  
And, for I know his generous Flame,  
Beyond what'er my Sex can claim,

Me too to your Protection take,  
And spare me for my Husband's Sake;  
Let one unruffled calm Delight  
The Loving and Belov'd unite;  
One pure Desire our Bosoms warm,  
One Will direct, one Wish inform;  
Thro' Life, one mutual Aid sustain,  
In Death, one peaceful Grave contain.  
While, swelling with the darling Theme,  
Her Accents pour'd an endless Stream,  
The well known Wings a Sound impart,  
That reach'd her Ear, and touch'd her Heart;  
Quick dropp'd the Music of her Tongue,  
And forth, with eager Joy, she sprung.  
As swift her en'ring Comfort flew,  
And plum'd, and kindled at the View;  
Their Wings their Souls embracing meet,  
Their Hearts with answ'ring Measure beat,  
Half lost in sacred Sweets, and blest'd  
With Raptures felt, but ne'er express'd.  
Strait to her humble Roof she led  
The Partner of her spotless Bed;  
Her Young, a fluttering Pair, arise,  
Their Welcome sparkling in their Eyes;  
Transported, to their Sire they bound,  
And hang with speechless Action round.  
In Pleasure wrapp'd, the Parents stand,  
And see their little Wings expand:  
The Sire, his Life sustaining Prize  
To each expecting Bill applies,  
There fondly pours the wheaten Spoil,  
With Transport giv'n, tho' won with Toil;  
While all collected at the Sight,  
And silent thro' supreme Delight,  
The Fair high Heav'n of Bliss beguiles,  
And on her Lord and Infants smiles.  
The Sparrow, whose Attention hung  
Upon the Dove's enchanting Tongue,  
Of all his little Sights disarm'd,  
And from himself, by Virtue charm'd,  
When now he saw, what only seem'd,  
A Faç, so late a Fable deem'd,  
His Soul to Envy he resign'd,  
His Hours of Folly to the Wind,  
In secret wish'd a Turtle too,  
And, sighing to himself, withdrew.

#### GENOA, December 22.

THE Masters of some Ships lately arrived from the Ocean, assure us, that several Corsairs of Barbary are cruising near the Straights, to intercept some of the Spanish Register Ships which are expected at Cadiz from the West Indies. We hear that the Ships employed in fishing for Coral upon the Coast of Sardinia, have been obliged to retire upon the Approach of two Xebecs.

Copenhagen, January 1. The King remains inconsolable for the Loss of his Consort, and 'tis fear'd his Health will be impair'd by it: His Majesty has not appeared in public since that melancholy Event, and generally dines in the Queen Dowager's Closet.

Brussels, January 10. The Court has closed with the Proposal of a Society who demand Permission to import Timber for Ship building, from Norway, and elsewhere, free of Duties, with the Privilege of erecting a Dock at Ostend, as also Sawing Mills, &c. engaging to pay 8000 Florins annually for this Franchise.

Vienna, January 9. The Court has resolved to have a Camp of 30,000 Men in Bohemia next Spring, and Orders are issued for establishing a Military School at Neustadt, on the same Footing as that which has been lately founded in France: The said Camp is said to be intended to secure the Freedom of the Election of a King of the Romans, in Case it should be disturbed under Colour of a Vote or two being wanting.

Dresden, January 6. We begin to make Preparations for the King's Journey to Poland, which we hear will take Place much sooner than was expected, on Account of the Dissensions at Dantzick, and the Broils between some of the most potent Families of the Kingdom, which still subsist.

Paris, January 14. There is much Talk of a Project for joining the River Saone to the Marne, and thereby opening a direct Communication between Marseilles and Havre de Grace. We are assured the East India Company have resolved to augment their Marine with three Men of War; viz. one of 50, and two of 40 Guns each.

Amsterdam, January 17. The fine Stone Bridge of three Arches, over the Heerengracht, between the Royal Square and Leyden Street, sunk suddenly Yesterday, about six o'Clock in the Evening: Several Persons who were then passing over that Bridge, which was one of the most frequented in this City, were buried in the Ruins. This Accident was the more surprising, as the said Bridge

seem'd to be very solidly built, and to want no Manner of Repair. Some Minutes before it fell, a considerable Number of Chaises, Sledges, and other Carriages, had passed over it.

#### LONDON.

November 20. Some private Advices from Paris insinuate, that the famous M. de la Bourdonaye has set up a Claim upon the French East India Company for Six Millions of Livres; and that, in order to compromise, the Company have offered him a Million and a Half, and the Command of all their Naval Force in the Indies.

Some Merchants at Dantzick lately received Letters from Persia, with an Account, that the Troubles in that Empire are at last appeased, that the present Shah, who descended on the Mother's Side from their antient Emperors, had invited the European Factors back to Ispahan, with full Assurance, that their Goods had been preserved, which, however, was look'd upon only as a Pretence to get them thither; but on their Arrival they were agreeably surprized to find every Thing as they left it, and as soon as they had taken Possession of their Houses, the Shah's Guards were withdrawn.

December 12. Yesterday arrived a Mail from Spain, brought by the Swallow Packet, Captain Sherborn, by which there is an Account, that seven Ships of War were sailed from Algiers, to cruise towards the Archipelago, and several others were in the Dock.

By the same Mail there are some Letters which mention, that Admiral Stuart was sailed with the Squadron of Men of War under his Command, but to what Place bound they were not certain, tho' it was generally believed, according to the Course he steer'd, he was destined for the West-Indies.

Our Correspondent at Paris writes, that the East-India Company continue to embark on board their Ships vast Quantities of Manufactures, as well as considerable Sums in ready Money, together with Artillery, naval and warlike Stores; so that it is generally believed they mean to push their Projects in those Parts, with all imaginable Vigour; which is the more probable, as some Men of War are to proceed thither some time next Month.

#### NEW-YORK.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in Charleston, South Carolina, to his Friend in New-York, dated February 20, 1752.

By yours I perceive your Province is in great Emotion about Elections of Representatives;—We seem to be animated in a quite contrary Manner: The 23d of October last, was the Day appointed for the Elections throughout this Province according to Law, which were to meet the 14th of November; when out of 44 Gentlemen chosen; (the Number of our Assembly) only 26 appeared; all the rest, except two not heard from, absolutely refusing to serve; whereupon new Writs were issued for electing sixteen other Members;—accordingly on the 19th of December they were elected, returnable the 8th of January, at which Time five of the new Ones again refused to serve; and for which new Writs have been issued for that Number.—We chuse here in all the Parishes in one Day, and always by Way of Ballot; and so far are Gentlemen from making Interest to get in, that they are, in general, always wishing the contrary.

#### ANNAPOLIS.

On the 17th of March, a most terrible and surprising Whirlwind or Tornado, at 8. W. happen'd in Calvert County, which pass'd in a very narrow Vein, and in it's Course, blow'd down all the Buildings at the Plantation of *John Green*; the falling of the Dwelling House crush'd and kill'd his eldest Daughter, and a Child in her Arms, and much hurt his Wife, and another Child. He was in the Tobacco House with another Man, packing Tobacco, who were remarkably saved by the Hog-head.

And in the same County on the 27th, another violent Wind happen'd, which almost blow'd down the Dwelling-House of the Widow Hall, near *Lower Marlborough*, which was a strong Brick Building, and forced a Crack several Inches wide in one of the Gables, and had they not immediately propp'd it up, it must have fallen to the Ground.

We hear from Worcester County of the Death of Mr. Robert King, Junior, Clerk of that County.

On the 5th Day of last Month, Doctoray the Wife of Col. RICHARD HARRISON of Charles County, departed this Life; she was the Daughter of Col. Robert Hanson, late of said County deceased; and was a Gentlewoman very remarkable through all her Life, for a sweet and mild Disposition, and virtuous and graceful Behaviour. She died in the 31st Year of her Age, to the inexpressible Grief

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of her Husband, and hearty Sorrow and Concern of all that knew her. She having first with great Applause performed the Part of a faithful, loving and obedient Wife; a tender and indulgent Mother; a careful, yet gentle Mistress in her Family; and a kind and generous Benefactor to all her Neighbours: But the Character of this excellent Woman, can never be better set forth and exemplified, than by the two Texts or Portions of Scripture, chosen by her Consort; whereon Funeral Discourses were made and preached, the one at her late Dwelling House at Nanjemoy, and the other at *Port Tobacco*, the Place of her Nativity: The first is taken from the 31st Chapter of *Proverbs*, the 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, and 30th Verses; and the second from the same Chapter, 10th, 11th, and 12th Verses; to which, we refer the Reader.

Tuesday last, Capt. Dennis Dulany, in the *Snow Swift*, arrived here from *London*, after a long Passage.

Capt. Chew is likewise arrived, and gone into *Patuxent*. Capt. Curling is also arrived; and several other Ships are daily expected.

Capt. Henry Carroll, in a fine large new Ship, belonging to Mr. Perkins, was to sail the Beginning of February for *Patuxent River*, and may be every Day expected.

Custom House, ANNAPOLIS, Entered, Schooner Laurel, Patrick Burn, from Virginia; Brig Fanny, Daniel Bird, from St. Kitts; Snow Swift, Dennis Dulany, from London.

Cleared for Departure, Ship Chester, John Lorain, for Bristol; Billander Elizabeth, Richyate Cool, for Bourdeaux; Schooner Laurel, Thomas Palmer, for Virginia; Brig Grove, Robert Wilson, for Barbadoes.

**THE** Publishing all the LAWS of this Province now in Force, in one complete Body, being a Work agreed on by every one to be much wanted and very necessary, is now proposed to be done with all possible Care and Dispatch: In Case they should not be revised by the approaching General Assembly, the Printer hereof designs to send Proposals for Subscriptions into every County in the Province (except this County where he lives) to be lodged with the County Clerks; and if a sufficient Number of Subscribers can be found to defray the Expence, which is not in the least doubted, the Work will be gone about very quickly, and finished as soon as possible, with an accurate and correct TABLE prefixed. As it is uncertain how many Sheets, in a large handsome Folio and good Letter, it will make, the exact Price cannot yet be ascertained; but the Subscribers shall have the Whole, neatly Bound and Letter'd on the Back, at Three Pence per Sheet; to pay Twenty Shillings in Part at the Time of subscribing, and the Remainder at the Delivery of the Book: If Thirty Subscribers in each County shall offer, it will be gone about in the Fall, and the Books ready to deliver to the Subscribers next Year. In this Work it is proposed to insert the Titles only of all such Laws as are Repealed and Obsolete, as well as some of those made on Special Occasions, such as some Parochial Laws of a private Nature, Prisoners' Acts of Relief, &c. and the Whole divided into Chapters and Sections: In doing which, the best Help and Advice will be had.

### To be Sold by Auction,

At Queen Anne Town, in Prince George's County, on Tuesday the 12th Day of May,

**THE** LIBRARY of the late Reverend Mr. Henderson, consisting of a Great many new Books of Divinity, &c. &c.

**THOMAS RIMMER**, Pilot,

**LIVING** at the House of William Elliot, in Annapolis, undertakes to Pilot Ships of any Burthen, either up or down the Bay, or into any River (except *Patuxent*). And any Gentlemen who shall think fit to employ him, may depend on the Care and Judgment of

*Their humble Servant,*

Thomas Rimmer.

### To be Sold by Public Vendue,

On Friday the 8th Day of May next, being the second Day of the Fair, at Baltimore Town, by the Execution of Col. William Hammond, deceased,

**ABOUT** thirteen hundred Acres of Land, near *Soldier's Delight*, in Baltimore County; whereon are two Plantations, well improved. Also, about four hundred and fifty Acres of Land, near *Newfoundland*, in said County; a Plantation well improved, and about seventy Acres of good Meadow, well cleaned and in Fence. Any Persons inclinable to buy, may apply to Mr. John Gill, near *Newfoundland*, or Mr. Nicholas Orrick, near *Soldier's Delight*, who will shew said Land. The Sale to be at Baltimore Town, and to begin at 12 o'Clock.

Also, to be Sold at Annapolis, the second Day of May Fair next, at the House of Mr. Soumaien,

**A** PARCEL of likely young NEGROES, for Bills of Exchange, Gold, or Paper Currency. The Sale to begin, at Eleven o'Clock.

Sarah Hammond.

**WHEREAS** several Lots, taken up in Charles Town, Maryland, in the Year 1749, are likely to become forfeited, by not being built upon as the Law directs: This is therefore to give Notice, That the Commissioners for said Town will there meet, on the 10th Day of May next, in Order, as well to renew such of the said Lots as shall then be so forfeited, as to dispose of several other Lots in said Town, now vacant; wherein the first Takers up, if they appear, shall have the Preference, otherwise they will be granted to others.

Signed by Order of the Commissioners aforesaid,

Matthias Bordley, Register.

### JOHN SENHOUSE,

**HEREBY** gives Notice, That he now carries on the Business of Currying; as also the Business of Shoemaking, in all it's Branches, such as turn'd up Shoes, turn'd Pumps, and double channell'd Pumps, double channell'd Boots, Slippers, Clogs, &c. in the completest and best Manner; at reasonable Rates; where all Gentlemen and others, may depend upon their being faithfully served, by

*Their humble Servant,*

John Senhouse.

Annapolis, April 9.

Prince George's County, April 8, 1752.

**THE** Subscriber intending by one of the earliest Ships for London, requests all Persons who have any Demands on him to bring in their Accounts, and they shall be paid: And those who are indebted to him, are desired to settle, pay off, or give Security, which will prevent Trouble to them, and oblige

*Their humble Servant,*

William Lock Weems.

N. B. Attendance will be given duly on Wednesdays and Saturdays, at my Store and Dwelling House, for that Purpose.

W. L. W.

### Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That there is in the Possession of Patrick Reading, in Prince George's County, taken up as a Stray, a Grey Horse, about 13 Hands high, well made, trot and gallops, branded on the near Buttock somewhat blindly, but resembling G. M. with a Figure 2 between the Letters near the Top of the M. has had the Pole Evil, and appears to be about 8 Years old.

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

Mr. Weems.

### Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of John Welsh, in Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Mare, not branded, has a small Star in her Forehead, and a Switch Tail. The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

### To be Rented, or Sold,

**A** VERY good Dwelling House, with a good Cellar, Kitchen, Stable, and Meat House, all in good Repair, situate in Prince George's Street, near the Prison, in Annapolis; and there is also a good Garden to it, already planted. Enquire of Mr. Joseph Ewitt, living next Door to the said House, or of

John Ewitt.

**RAN** away from the Subscribers, living in Anne Arundel County, on the 30th of March last, the two following Servants; viz. Francis Ferrill, about 50 Years of Age, an Irishman, speaks broken English, has had the Small Pox, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, is a down looking Fellow, and a very great Rogue, is of a sandy Complexion, reddish coloured Hair cut short: He pretends to be a great Scholar, writes a middling good Hand, and is supposed to have forged a Discharge. Had on when he went away, a grey Fearnothing Jacket and Breeches, a light coloured Jacket patched very much, an old Osnabrigs Shirt, a Pair of light coloured Stockings, black Leather Shoes lately soled, an old Felt Hat, and Worsted Cap.

The other named John Nailer, is also an Irishman, aged about 18 Years, speaks good English, is of a fair Complexion, smooth Face, and somewhat freckled. Had on when he went away, a Cotton Jacket and Breeches dyed with Sumac, the Breeches lately mended on the Knees, with white Cotton, a Check Shirt, an Osnabrigs Shirt, dark Yarn Stockings, Country flat Shoes, an old Castor Hat, and Holland Cap; but as he had an old Wig of a brown Colour, probably he may wear it.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, and secures them; so that their Masters may have them again, shall have Fifty Shillings Current Money for each, if taken in Maryland; and Five Pounds for each, if taken in any other Province; and if any Person will bring them to their Masters, shall have reasonable Charges, beside the Reward abovementioned, paid by


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Neal Clark,  
John Welsh.

Kent County, March 25, 1752.

**WHEREAS** I am confined in this County Goal, for a great Number of Debts, which my Confinement renders me entirely unable to discharge, as it incapacitates me to collect many Debts due to me; and whereas I have offered my Creditors by public Advertisements, to deliver up my Books and Effects, into the Hands of Trustees for the Use of my Creditors, which is all in my Power to do; yet some of them have refused to accept these reasonable Terms. Now I give this public Notice, that I intend to apply to the next General Assembly for such Relief, as has heretofore been granted to others in my Circumstances.

Thomas Barkley.

**STOLEN** from the Subscriber, on the 12th of March last, at Night, A large Black Horse, 5 Years old, paces middling well, has a Star in his Forehead, a Snip on his Nose, is branded on the near Hip Bone thus  and has a ridge Mane: The said Horse was stolen by a Man who had on a white Coat, blue Stockings, and black curled Hair or Wig. Whoever will bring the said Man and Horse to the Subscriber, living near Bladenburg, shall have Three Pounds Reward: Or any Person, that will either secure or bring the said Horse to the Subscriber, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, paid by

William Pickett.



By the Corporation of the City of  
Annapolis, April 1, 1752.

**ORDERED**, That the Clerk  
of this Corporation give public Notice in the  
MARYLAND GAZETTE, That they have appointed  
Thursday, in the first Week of the Provincial  
Court, being the sixteenth of April Instant, at four  
of the Clock in the Afternoon, on the Stadt-House  
Hill, to set up and expose to Sale, the present  
Market House, and the Piece or Parcel of Ground  
whereon the same now stands in the said City,  
containing sixty Feet in breadth on the Water, and  
three hundred and sixty Feet in length, and twenty  
five Feet on the Head of the said Land, allotted  
and designed for a Custom House, and lying on  
the northerly Side of the said Land, for the best  
Price that can be got for the same; agreeable to  
an Act of Assembly, Entitled, *An Act for erecting  
a new Market House, in the City of Annapolis.*

Signed per Order,

R. Burdus, Clerk.

Just Imported from GLASGOW,

In the Ship NEWAL, Capt. SMITH, by the Sub-  
scriber, and to be SOLD, at his Store in AN-  
NAPOLIS,

**A LARGE** Assortment of Eu-  
ropean and East-India GOODS, at rea-  
sonable Rates, by Wholesale or Retail, for Cur-  
rent Money, Sterling, or Bills of Exchange.

Robert Swan.

LIKEWISE,

The said Swan carries on the Business of Tan-  
ning and Currying of Leather, and Shoemaking,  
as usual: And is now furnished with exceeding  
good Tradesmen, for every Part of the said Busi-  
ness: And having also brought in a Sadler from  
Britain, all Persons may be furnished with any  
Thing in that Way, at reasonable Rates.

**TO BE SOLD,**

**A TRACT** of Land, lying on  
Rack Creek, about four Miles above Mr.  
Daniel Carroll's, containing Five Hundred and  
Seventy Acres.

For Title and Terms, apply to

Hancock Lee.

**INSPECTORS**, who are not  
yet supplied with Books and Notes for the  
present Year, may have of all Sorts, what Quanti-  
ties they want, Printed on choice Paper, from  
Their humble Servant,

Jonas Green.

**FOUND,**

**AN** Obligation from William  
Day to Charles MacCubbin, for a Sum of  
Money therein mentioned, bearing Date April 2,  
1751, and witnessed by John Hibernson; which is  
left in the Hands of the Printer hereof. The pro-  
per Owner, whether Obligor or Obligee, may have  
it, on paying the Charge of this Advertisement.

**FOUND,**

**ON** the 9th Day of last March,  
in Annapolis, in the Hay-Loft of the Sub-  
scriber, A middle sized Leather Saddle, with a  
Leather Housling, which is almost new.

The Owner proving his Property, and paying  
the Charge of this Advertisement, may have it  
again, by applying to

Arthur Charlton.

Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is at the Plantation of Capt. Joseph  
Cooman, in Anne Arundel County, taken up as a  
Stray, A Mouse coloured Horse, with four white  
Feet, a Blaze in his Forehead, two Saddle Spots  
on his Back, about twelve Hands high, and brand-  
ed on the off Buttock with the Letters H T.

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

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

**A** SCHOONER, which will  
carry Thirty-six Hogsheads of Tobacco,  
with all her Tackle and Furniture, now lying in  
the Dock at Annapolis.

She will be Sold on Friday the 17th Day of  
April, between V and VI of the Clock in the  
Afternoon, at the House of Mr. Middleton, for  
Sterling, Bills of Exchange, Gold, or Paper Cur-  
rency, by

4 Jonas Green.

**THE** Subscriber intending for  
London this Summer, requests all Persons  
indebted to him to come and make Payment, or  
settle their Accounts by Note, or Bond: And those  
who have any just Demands against him, are desi-  
red to come and receive Payment of the same.

4 James Wardrop.

**STOLEN** or strayed from the  
City of Annapolis, on the 28th of November  
last, from the Virginia Post-Rider, a small Black  
Horse, branded on the near Buttock W, has some  
Saddle Spots on his Back, a Star in his Forehead,  
some grey Hairs in his Face, and is between 7 and  
8 Years old.

Whoever brings the said Horse to the Printer  
hereof, shall have Ten Shillings Reward, and no  
Questions ask'd.

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**WHEREAS** Mr. William Grain-  
ger, the late noted Pilot of Chester River,  
(who was taught that Business by the Subscriber)  
is deceased; and the Subscriber is desirous to un-  
dertake the said Business of Piloting Ships from  
Annapolis to Chester-Town, or from Chester-Town  
to Annapolis: This is therefore to acquaint all  
Masters of Ships, or other Vessels, who may have  
Occasion for a Pilot, that on Application to the  
said Subscriber, living at Broad-Creek on Kent-  
Island, they may depend on being well and faith-  
fully serv'd, by Their humble Servant,

5 John Grainger.

**WILLIAM MACKAY,**

**LIVING** at Nottingham on  
Patuxent, hereby gives Notice, That he has  
a good Boat and Hands to cross Patuxent, for  
Horses and Carriages: And likewise keeps a House  
of good Entertainment for Travellers.

5 William Mackay.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

**A TRACT** of Land, lying in  
the Fork of Patuxent, joining Mr. John  
Gaither, Son of Benjamin, containing 500 Acres,  
on the 25th Day of April next, by

5 William Keene.

The Sale is to begin at Twelve of the Clock at  
Mr. John Gaither's, Son of Benjamin.

**RAN** away from the Subscriber,  
living at Broad-Creek in Prince George's  
County, on the 22th of October last, a short Negro  
Man, named Joe, a Cauker by Trade, and is a  
little bow legged. Had on when he went away,  
two Cotton Jackets, a Pair of Breeches, Country  
Stockings, an Olmabrigs Shirt, and a good Cloth  
Coat, lately turn'd, with yellow Metal Buttons:  
He also took with him, a small Iron Grey Horse:  
He formerly belonged to Mr. John Skinner of  
Lower Marlborough: And was bound to the Sub-  
scriber for the Term of seven Years, by Captain  
Smith: which indentured Time is now near expired.  
He is supposed to be concealed by some Negroes  
near home.

Whoever takes up the said Negro, and brings  
him to either Major Joseph Sim, Clerk of Prince  
George's County, Capt. Smith, lying in Patuxent  
River, or to the Subscriber, shall have two Pistoles  
Reward for the Negro, and ten Shillings for the  
Horse.

Humphry Batt.

February 19, 1752.

**D. R. CHARLES CARROLL** having  
made a Street Way, from the Head of Ni-  
cholson's Dock, opposite to the Market House in  
the City of Annapolis, from the End of Church  
Street at the Water Side, through his Lots, to Duke  
of Gloucester Street, for the reasonable Convenience  
of others, as well as his own, by the Name of

GREEN STREET;

This is to give Notice, that the said Carroll hath  
several very convenient Lots, fronting on both  
Sides of said Green Street, some fronting on that  
and Church Street, or the Cove, and others front-  
ing on Duke of Gloucester Street and said Green  
Street, very conveniently situated for good Air and  
Prospect, and Building or carrying on any Trade  
or Business; which Lots he will sell, or lease at  
very reasonable Rates, for Lives or any Term of  
Years.

Any Persons inclinable to buy or lease, may ap-  
ply to said Carroll, at his House in Annapolis, and  
know further.

C. Carroll.

**STRAYED** or Stolen from An-  
napolis, last Fall, a Bay Mare, a natural Pa-  
cer, and paces very well, branded with a large H  
on the off Buttock, has a Star in her Forehead,  
and has several Saddle Spots.

Whoever brings her to Mrs. Jennings in Annapo-  
lis, shall have Ten Shillings Reward.

**ON** the 13th Day of May next,  
a Pair of FORTY POUNDS Cur-  
rency, to be run for, by any Horse, Mare, or  
Gelding, carrying nine Stone Weight, three Heats,  
each Heat to be once round the Poles on the Race  
Ground, near the City of Annapolis, and to be  
won by such Horse, &c. having the best of the  
said Heats: Such Horses, &c. are to be entered  
with Jonas Green two Days before the Race Day,  
and forty Shillings Currency to be paid at the En-  
trance, which with what further Addition can be  
made, is designed for a Race on the 14th Day  
of May.

**TO BE SOLD,**

**PART** of a Tract of Land called  
Clagget's Forest, and other Lands adjoining  
thereto, lying near the Head of Bush River in  
Baltimore County, containing about Thirteen  
Hundred Acres.

ALSO,

A Tract of Land lying in the said County, near  
the Branches of Deer Creek, called Bond's Gra-  
mity, containing Four Hundred Acres.

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

Philip Thomas.

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# MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, April 16, 1752.

February 29, 1752.

To the Honourable ROBERT DINWIDDIE, Esq;  
Lieutenant Governor, and Commander in Chief,  
of the Colony and Dominion of VIRGINIA;

The humble ADDRESS of the Council.

SIR,  
WE his Majesty's faithful and loyal Subjects, the Council of Virginia, now met in General Assembly, beg Leave to congratulate your Honour's safe Arrival to the Government of this Colony; and to give you our hearty and unfeigned Thanks, for your affectionate Speech at the Opening of this Session.

There are many and great Advantages derived to us from his Majesty's Reign, in common with the rest of his Subjects; but the Appointment of you, Sir, to preside over us (who formerly lived among us, and are well acquainted with the Laws and Constitution of our Country), is a Circumstance that, in a more particular Manner, demands our Acknowledgments.

To preserve the Order of Society, to protect the Innocent, and administer Justice impartially; to be circumspect and watchful, that all the subordinate Officers of Government act, in their several Stations, with a commendable Fidelity; are the Characteristics, the genuine Marks, of a good Ruler: To be animated by these Motives, ever studious in the Pursuit of these Principles, careful and diligent in the Discharge of every Duty, are Blessings which will be continued to us, by your Prudence and Conduct: The present Generation will more immediately feel the Effects of the Wisdom of your Administration; but the beneficial Consequences of it will be transmitted to Generations that are yet unborn.

We are truly sensible of the Benefits that must arise to the British Interest, by cultivating a Friendship with the Indian Nations; the Importance of it is well known, and cannot fail to claim our Attention, and to merit our Regard.

Influenced therefore by every Motive, which Duty to our Country can suggest, or Gratitude enforce, we shall constantly endeavour to contribute every Thing on our Part; the whole Tenor of our Conduct shall evidence the Sincerity of our Zeal, to promote the Glory of God, the Honour of the Crown, and the Welfare of the People; thereby to render your Administration easy to your Person, and honourable to your Character.

The Governor's ANSWER.

Gentlemen of the Council,

I MOST sincerely thank you for your kind and affectionate Address. In the Discharge of the many Requisites of my Administration, it gives me an inward Pleasure, that I have Gentlemen of your good Sense, Capacity, and Probity, to advise with. And next to the promoting of Piety, and Loyalty to his Majesty, it shall be my constant Endeavour to cultivate and maintain a strict Friendship with you, Gentlemen of the Council.

March 2, 1752.

To the Honourable ROBERT DINWIDDIE, Esq;  
Lieutenant Governor, and Commander in Chief,  
of the Colony and Dominion of Virginia;

The humble ADDRESS of the House of Burgesses.

SIR,

WE his Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Burgesses of Virginia, now met in General Assembly, beg Leave to return your Honour our cordial Thanks for your affectionate speech at the Opening of this Session.

Being truly sensible of his Majesty's paternal Care, for this his most ancient Colony, in appointing a Person of such approved Abilities and Integrity

to preside over us, with Hearts full of Sincerity, we congratulate your Honour upon your safe Arrival, with your Family, amongst us.

Your Zeal for the establish'd Religion, and tender Regard for the Prosperity of this Dominion, do justly claim our unfeigned Acknowledgments; we do therefore in the strongest Terms assure your Honour, that we will embrace every Opportunity of giving lively Testimonies of our strict Attachment to the Purity of that Religion, and every suitable Return of Duty and Gratitude.

When we reflect on those social Virtues, with which your Honour hath formerly distinguished yourself amongst us, we cannot but promise ourselves every pleasing Prospect of an equitable and well order'd Government. And we further assure your Honour, that we shall on our Parts endeavour with an active Diligence to redress such Grievances, reform such Irregularities, and supply such Defects, as shall appear to obstruct the public Tranquility, or retard the common Interest of this Country; in the doing which, we think ourselves happy in the Offer that your Honour hath made of your kind Assistance.

By such a Conduct, we doubt not but we shall derive to ourselves every temporal Felicity, and hope to obtain the Continuance of the Grace and Favour of that Omnipotent Being, who hath not disdained to be called the Father of us all.

The Governor's ANSWER.

Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the House of Burgesses,

I Sincerely thank you for this your agreeable Address, for the Satisfaction you express on my being appointed your Governor, and for your kind Congratulations on my Arrival here with my Family.

I shall always retain a just Remembrance of the kind Reception I have met with from you: And in the Discharge of the Duties of my Administration, I hope fully to convince you of the Sincerity of my Heart, to do every Thing in my Power for the Interest and Service of this Colony.

And I doubt not, the good Understanding so affectionately begun, will be of a long Duration.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 24.

ON the 19th died the most Serene and most Potent Princess, LOUISA, of England, reigning Queen of Denmark, Norway, of the Goths and Vandals, &c. aged 27 Years. The universal Grief here may truly be said to be beyond Expression; she was the Delight of all Ranks; never was Power in more beneficent Hands; never did Sovereign add more Dignity to Majesty. This awful Event was owing to a Rupture, occasioned by a sudden quick Motion. On the 11th, a Consultation of Physicians and Surgeons being held at Court, they were of Opinion, that it had been too long delayed; that her Majesty's Condition was dangerous, and that the only Method was to make an Incision in her Side, to replace the Bowels in their natural Position. This painful Operation her Majesty resolved to undergo the same Evening, and went through it with amazing Firmness. It was over in less than an Hour, and to all Appearance most happily executed. The Queen's Condition was variable till the 15th, when there were no Hopes of Life, and for two Hours was as actually dead; but, to the Astonishment and Joy of her Attendants, Life returned, that on the 17th she took some Food, and drank Tea: On the 18th there were a Number of Symptoms, which continued increasing till the 19th, when at four o'Clock in the Morning this adorable Princess expired with a Devotion and Composure suitable to her unexceptionable Life. As the Queen was in the last Month of her Pregnancy, all Means were used to save the Child, which was a Prince, but they proved ineffectual. The King who considered her as his invaluable Bosom Friend, was so affected with such

a Loss, that it was with Difficulty his Ministers prevailed on him to remove to Rosenburg, one of his Country Palaces. The Queen-Mother sees no Company, being exceedingly affected. Princess Charlotta, the King's Aunt is at Rosenburg, endeavouring to moderate his Majesty's Grief.

Petersburgh, Dec. 5. The Empress's Army, which for some time had been assembled in the Western Provinces, is now in Winter Quarters. This Army amounts to 142,000, and the Troops cantoned in all the other Parts of this vast Empire are at le-<sup>ast</sup> double that Number.

Madrid, Dec. 6. The Success of the Woollen Manufactures set up in this City, has induced the Court to give Directions for doing the like in several Places of the Kingdom. It is computed that since the Year 1749, not less than 5000 Pieces of Cloth have been worked in this Kingdom, a great Part of which was exported in the Register Ships. There is a Talk of laying a heavy Duty on the Exportation of our Wool, if not an absolute Prohibition; but as to laying any additional Duties on French Commodities, that Report was utterly groundless.

Paris, Dec. 20. Mess. Shirley and Mildmay, the British Commissioners, are frequently in Conference with our Ministers, relating to settling the Limits in America, which seems a knotty Business, from the wide Difference of the Delineations which each Nation makes of each particular Province or Settlement. Our American Trade is grown to such a Height, that there is scarce a Port in the whole Kingdom from whence some Ships are not daily going on that Voyage.

Warsaw, Dec. 11. O. S. Count Rosomoulsky, the new Grand General of the Ukraina, being desirous of beginning his Administration by an Act of Clemency, set all the Prisoners under his Government at Liberty, who, instead of applying themselves to some honest Employment to get a Living, have turn'd Robbers, and join'd the Haidamaks. A Party of these last of about 300, towards the latter End of last Month, enter'd and plunder'd the Town of Dowinogrodka, threatening Fire and Sword to those who should oppose them. They drove from this Town near 1000 Cattle, and carried off from thence a considerable Sum in ready Money, and Effects to a great Value.

There is a Talk of a Body of Polish Troops, which are to be joined by a Detachment of Russians, taking the Field next Spring, in order to exterminate, if possible, these Robbers, and to that End to follow them into their most conceal'd Retreats.

Dresden, Dec. 6. O. S. The Regency of Hamburg having addressed his Majesty to intercede with the King of Spain for the Revocation of the Decree, which prohibits the Trade of that City with the Dominions of his Catholic Majesty, the King has wrote to his Minister at Madrid to interpose his good Offices, as far as from the Circumstances of the Affair should seem reasonable. His Majesty was very willing to do the Hamburgers this Piece of Service, upon Account of the Trade they carry on with this Electorate. 'Tis assured, that the Regency of Hamburg, is absolutely willing to renounce the Treaty concluded with the Algerines, and further engage not to conclude any for the future with the Regencies upon the Coast of Barbary: Orders have been sent to several Ports, at which the Hamburg Ships sent with Presents to Algiers are to touch, not to proceed on their Voyage, but to return home as soon as possible; but 'tis feared these Orders are sent too late.

Florence, Dec. 7. O. S. The Count de Richcourt President of our Council of Regency, has received an Express from Vienna, with Advice, that the Convention which has been some Time negotiating at Madrid, was signed by the respective Ministers; that by this Convention the Empress Queen has for ever renounced her reversionary Right to the Duchies of Parma and Placentia; in Return for which, his Catholic Majesty has given up



by his Pretensions to the Allodial Effects of Tuscany; and that, in order to engage the King of Sardinia to accede to this Treaty, and renounce the Right which he has in Reversion to Part of the Duchy of Placentia, an Equivalent was to be given him on the Side of Milanese.

#### L O N D O N.

Extract of a Letter from Paris, dated Dec. 15.

"The English Commissioners seem very desirous to continue their Conferences for regulating the Limits of the respective Establishments in America; but those of France appear rather inclined to delay that Business. In the mean Time, the King is preparing, with the utmost Diligence, to maintain his pretended Rights by Force; though the Want of Corn in this Kingdom obliges the Court to behave with less Pride, 'til it's Magazines are filled, than it would otherwise do, towards that of Great-Britain.

Letter from Genoa, November 30, 1751.

"On the 22d there was heard, not only in several of our Palaces, but in divers private Houses, such a hideous Crack or rustling Noise, as if their very Foundations were loosened. This shocking Alarm continued 'til the 24th Instant; Workmen however were immediately employed to prop and support them, to prevent, if possible, their total Demolition. What happened in our Port, created an equal Terror; for the Waves swell'd to that prodigious Degree, that we were apprehensive of the Loss of all our Ships which were then riding at Anchor. The Centinels who were posted at all our Ramparts unanimously declare, that they saw, in the Dead of the Night, a Light, like that of a prodigious Fire, which seem'd to arise out of the Ground. The repeated Shocks which were felt throughout the whole City, were equally perceptible throughout the whole Extent of our Coasts. — It is very remarkable, that about the Time of these Phenomena at Genoa, prodigious Floods, preceded by Lightning and Thunder, happened in several Parts of England.

December 20. A Tradesman was committed to Bridewell for 390 blasphemous Oaths, having no Money to pay the Penalty, which amounted to near 20 l. and not able to get Bail.

Dec. 31. A Citizen of Paris, and of a Family of Note, having in September last set out for his Country House, as is customary at that Time of the Year, his Wife went along with him; but as he had previously made an Appointment with a Whore (as we should always call it in plain English), the Presence of a third Person, such as his Wife, could not but be very troublesome. Wherefore he cast about for an Expedient to get rid of her Company, and pretended to have great Occasion for a certain Paper that was lock'd up in his Escutcheon in Town; upon which she offered to go and fetch it; but then he gave her to understand, that if she brought it the next Morning it would be Time enough. The Wife however return'd the same Day about Bed time, catch'd her Husband and his Mistress together, and made him a long and sharp Mercurial on his Conduct, which he heard very patiently, or at least feigned to take it in good Part; and so they both went to Rest seemingly well reconciled. But in the Middle of the Night, the Husband jump'd out of Bed in a Rage, and snatching up a Knife which lay on the Table, plunged it three Times into the Bosom of his Wife, who instantly expired. After so execrable a Deed, he thought of nothing else than saving himself by a speedy Flight. The Parliament of Aix having been informed of the Fact, condemn'd the Murderer, by Contumacy, to be broke alive upon the Wheel; and that if he could not be apprehended, the Sentence should be executed on his Effigy. The Family of the Criminal having hoped, by Means of powerful Intercessors at Court, to obtain some Mitigation of the Sentence, solicited at the same Time a Respite of the Execution on his Effigy; which the Parliament of Aix granted them: But as soon as the King was informed of the Affair, he sent Orders to all his Ministers abroad, to spare no Pains nor Cost to discover and apprehend the inhuman Monster: Since which, he has been secured at Rome; and they are actually bringing him back to Aix, where he will receive the Punishment due to his Crime.

Jan. 2. They write from Copenhagen, that, on occasion of the Death of the Queen of Denmark, his Danish Majesty has issued an Edict, forbidding, for a whole Year, all Plays, Balls, Operas, Concertos, &c. — Heaven preserve us from such Mourning! which would send at least half our gay polite Gentry to the Grave.

Jan. 4. Considering the Progress Spain has in a short Time made in the Woollen Manufactures, and that the House of Austria is intent on setting

up the same Fabrics, not only in her hereditary Provinces, but also in the Netherlands; it seems to be high Time for Britain to take some effectual Measures to preserve this fundamental Article of her Commerce, which has suffered so much already by the Industry of the French, and our own Folly. The Evil has been long complained of, and the principal Cause of it so well understood, that it is needless to dwell upon it in this Place: Let it then suffice for the present to observe, that by cramping one Kingdom in Point of Trade, worse than perhaps it would be under any despotic Government in Christendom, we have laid a Foundation for effecting, in Time, the Ruin of the three Kingdoms.

#### B O S T O N.

March 23. We are informed, that a Schooner bound from Halifax to this Place, Daniel Smith Master, with 14 People on board, was blown off the Coast in the severe Weather we had last December, and were reduced to great Extremities, especially for Want of Provisions; so that they fed upon the Flesh of a Cat for 9 or 10 Days, and for 7 Days after upon gnawing the Leather of a Pair of Breeches; and their Hunger increased to so great a Degree, that they drew Lots which one of them should die to save the Lives of the rest: But before they executed their Design, the Mate having Strength enough to get up a few Ratlines of the Shrouds, he from thence discover'd Land, to their great Joy, which proved to be the Island of Nevis, where they arrived in a few Hours after.

We are likewise informed, that another Schooner, — Rocquet Master, also bound hither from Halifax last Winter, and blown off the Coast, and thought to be lost, is since heard of, having been met with, in a very shattered Condition, by a Vessel bound from England to Virginia; which assisted the People, and tow'd her in thither.

March 30. Last Wednesday se'night, the 18th Instant, sailed from this Port Capt. Winslow in a Ship, and Capt. Mitchell in a Snow, both bound for South Carolina, Capt. Wakefield in a Snow for the West Indies, and Capt. Hunnewell in a Brig for Jamaica; but the Friday following (the 20th) in a violent Snow Storm, Wind at N. E. Capt. Winslow, who was the sternmost Vessel, not being able to clear the Race Point, was put ashore and bilged, but he and his Men happily saved their Lives. — And by a Letter from Eastham, on Cape Cod, we have an Account, that the Hull of a Vessel, Bottom upwards, supposed to be a Brig, was come ashore on the Back of the Cape, and at a considerable Distance from the Hull, her Deck, Masts and Sails, with sundry Sorts of Lumber, Oil, &c. were also come ashore. The Account is very imperfect, but by many Circumstances, 'tis generally thought to be Capt. Hunnewell, and that he was overfet in the Storm.

N E W - Y O R K, March 23.  
Extract of a Letter from Oswego, dated February 22, 1752.

"This Day John Cadogan, and Michael Finn, two Soldiers belonging to Capt. Rutherford's Company, who deserted this Fort with eight more, the 22d of January last, returned here, and gave the following Account; viz. That they all travelled in Company seven or eight Days, towards a French Fort, called Caderagway; and then William Burchell, the Drummer, David Ray, Timothy Sullivan, and Edward Burns, were so much fatigued and frost bitten, that they were unable to proceed: That William Barry, Corporal, James Read, Peter Egbergen, and Mark Sampson, together with the said Cadogan and Finn, pursued their March another Day, when all their Provision was expended; whereupon Mark Sampson was ordered by the Corporal to be shot, and only one Hour allowed him to prepare for Death; that then the Corporal obliged them to draw Lots who should be Executioner; which fell upon James Read: The Execution being over, they eat, and took with them, the Hind Quarters only of the deceased, and continued their March four Days more; when the Corporal ordered Peter Egbergen to prepare for Death, giving him also but one Hour to prepare in; during which he held a Watch in his Hand, that he should not exceed; and then he was shot as he was kneeling; they then eat and took with them the greatest Part of his Body, and continued their March seven Days longer, when the Corporal ordered Cadogan and Finn to shoot James Read, but they refusing, he took up his Firelock and performed the bloody Deed himself; and then the Body was cut in Pieces in the like Manner, as the two others had been: The next Day, the Corporal despairing to reach Caderagway, attempted to murder Finn, by stabbing him in the Thigh, and cutting his Head, his Gun having mis'd Fire several Times, but by Cadogan's Assistance Finn got

off; the Corporal and Cadogan then pursued their March another Day, and then turn'd back, and the next Day rejoined Finn; when the Corporal again made several Attempts to murder him, but was prevented by Cadogan, who gave the Corporal a Blow with an Axe; on which he made his Escape, leaving his Hat, Cap, and Bundle behind him, and destitute of Sustenance, Arms, or Edge Tools, a Penknife excepted: Cadogan and Finn then continued their Retreat; the next Day the Corporal appeared behind them, and begg'd for some of their Flesh; but upon Cadogan's presenting his Firelock, he made off, and they saw him no more. On their Return, they observed a Place where a Fire had been made, and much Blood spilt; which they supposed to be an Encampment of the first four of their Party, left behind, and the Blood to be Sullivan's, as he was the weakest: The same Day they reach'd the Place where they left the four, and found the Drummer shot through the left Breast, and his Flesh stripp'd, his Legs only excepted, which they took and eat: They supposed Ray killed the Drummer, because there was a Difference betwixt them before the parting; he having charged Ray with taking him from a Garrison where he was well treated: — They say that Reflection constantly run high among them, acknowledging they had no Reason to complain, as their commanding Officer had been very kind to them: Cadogan further declares, that when Egbergen was kill'd, the Corporal insisted that Finn should die likewise, that they might encamp, and subsist on the Flesh till they met with Indians, or the Winter broke up; the same was urged when Read was murdered; but Cadogan was favour'd because he was an Axe-Man, and could cut Wood, and the Corporal would have starv'd without him. They both appear like Skeletons; and think the Corporal must be starv'd to Death, as well as Barnes and his Companion. This Account is taken verbally from them. John Coulson was often wish'd for, by them, that they might roast him alive, as he had been the chief Instrument of all their Unhappinefs.

Capt. Bedlow, who is just arrived here in a Schooner, Capt. Myer, from Jamaica, informs us, That he spoke with the Indian King, Capt. Troup, of this Port, off the East End of Jamaica, from the Bay for London, who inform'd him, that two Days before they left Blewfield, a Schooner arrived there, with Advice, that the two Spanish Gallies, who lately attack'd the English Ships in the Bay, were both lost in a violent North Wind, and many of the Men drowned. He confirms the News of the English Ships leaving the Bay; ten Sail of which were arrived at Jamaica, and several others that had sailed and were just on sailing for the Bay, had put back. Capt. Bedlow parted with the Indian King 5 Leagues North of Cape Nicholas; all well on board. And the 27th of February off Hamaga, spoke with Capt. Dowel, in a Brig. for Philadelphia; all well.

#### A N N A P O L I S.

We have an Account of a very melancholy Accident, which happened on the 4th Instant in Potowmack on the Virginia Side. A Number of People, who had been on board a Ship, went, with the Captain, Mate, and two Sailors, in the Long Boat to see a Seine Hauling; but a sudden Squall of Wind happening, and the Halliards being all fast, the Long Boat overfet, by which Means six Persons were drowned; one of them, a Son to Col. Blackburn, a Man and his Wife (big with Child) of Quantico, one more Woman and two others, whose Names we have not yet learn'd. After the overfetting the Boat, the Husband had got on her Bottom, but seeing his Wife perishing, left the Boat in order to save her, but to no Purpose, for he sunk down with her, and they perish'd in each other's Arms.

On Tuesday Night last, two Convict Servant Men in Dorchester County, made an Attempt to murder their Master and Mistress; but they defended themselves so well, that they had like to have overpower'd the Servants, when a Convict Servant Woman came in to their Assistance, which obliged the Mistress to run up Stairs, and getting out at a Dormant Window, she retired into a Swamp near the House, where they could not find her: They beat their Master cruelly, and left him for dead, then plundered the House of Cloaths, and eleven Pounds in Money, and made off; but the Man is like to recover.

This Day, Capt. Jernegan Bigg, arrived in West River from London, which he left the 5th of February.

Capt. Bigg, brings an Account, that Lawrence and Thompson had got home; but Capt. Lawrence met with some Damage at Sea. Capt. White sail'd with Capt. Bigg, and may be every Hour expected.

[The Schooner sold at New York]

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[The Schooner mentioned on the last Page, to be sold at Vendue the 17th Instant, is already sold]

This GAZETTE, Number 364, compleats it's Seven Years Service to the Public. All who have been particularly served with it, are desired to remember and pay it's FREEDOM DUES.

**THE** Subscriber being determined for London this Summer, desires all Persons who are indebted to him, immediately to settle their respective Accounts, to prevent Trouble.

*Daniel Wolfenholme.*

He has a large Assortment of Goods to be disposed of, by Wholesale, for Cash, Bills of Exchange or Tobacco; and reasonable Credit given.

**THOSE** Purchasers at Mr. Hunt's Sale, on the 5th of March last, who Bid in Current Money, are requested to pay off their respective Debts immediately, either to Mr. Vachel Denton, or Mr. Lancelot Jacques, and thereby prevent themselves Trouble. And those who bought last Fall are also desired immediately to make Payment.

*Cecil County, April 9, 1752.*

**RAN** away last Night, from the Subscriber, a Convict Servant Man, named Jacob Parrott, a West Country Man, aged about 23 Years, of a fair Complexion, short, but well set, and very saucy. He took with him a new Felt Hat, (and perhaps an old Leather Cap) a good Duffel Coat, with large white Metal Buttons, a good ash coloured Kerley Coat, with a black Cape, and carved white Metal Buttons, a brown Holland Jacket without Sleeves, double breasted, with yellow wash'd Buttons, a Pair of half worn Buff Breeches, a Pair of white Cotton Stockings, a Pair of grey Yarn Hose lately footed, a Pair of new Pumps, a Pair of old Shoes, a Pair of large Pewter Buckles, with Brass Anchors and Tongues, a Dowlas and white Linnen Shirt. He is supposed to make for Annapolis, or intends to cross the Bay for Baltimore County. All Masters of Vessels are warned at their Peril, not to carry him off. He has been a Footman in England; and being a dextrous Fellow, may pretend to be a Coachman, Gardener, Sawyer, Shoemaker, &c. He took with him a Brown Horse, Bridle and Saddle; but probably will exchange the Horse for some other.

Whoever secures the said Servant, so that he and the Cloaths may be had again, shall have Twenty Shillings more than the Law allows, paid by

*Hugh Jones.*

**STRAYED** the latter End of March last, from the Plantation of Mrs. Sarah Beatie, late of Prince George's County, deceased, a Dark Bay Gelding, about 14 Hands and a half high, about 5 Years old, a natural Pacer, branded on the off Buttock T, one of his hind Feet white, his Footlocks lately trimm'd.

Whoever brings him to either of her Executors, Mr. Thomas Marshall, junior, or Mr. John Lamar, junior, shall receive Twenty Shillings Reward.

*Mr. Lamar.*

Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That there is at the dwelling Plantation of Mr. Robert Lloyd, on the Head of Y River, taken up as a Stray, a middle siz'd Sorrel Mare, with a Star in her Forehead, several Saddle Spots on her Back, and shod before.

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

Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Capt. Henry Butler, in Prince George's County, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Horse, with a Switch Tail, 13 Hands high, paces flow, supposed to be old, branded on the near Shoulder L, but no other Marks that can be perceived.

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

Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Mr. Nathaniel Ramney, near Patapsco, in Anne Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a middle siz'd bluish Horse, branded on the near Shoulder with a Heart, has a flaxen Mane and Tail, a natural Pacer, and shod before.

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

Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of William Fife, in Anne Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a small Dun Horse, branded blindly on the near Buttock with a Mark somewhat resembling CP joined together, with something at Top and Bottom not possible to be described; has a Star in his Forehead, a Snip on his Nose, his Tail lately cut, and has several grey Hairs in it, has been shod, but the Shoes lately taken off; and paces a little.

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

Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of George Scott, in Anne Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Mare, branded on the near Buttock with something like an O, has a black Streak on her Back, and her Mane hanging on the near Side.

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

**THE** Publishing all the LAWS of this Province now in Force, in one complete Book, being a Work agreed on by every one to be much wanted and very necessary, is now proposed to be done with all possible Care and Dispatch: In Case they should not be revised by the approaching General Assembly, the Printer hereof designs to send Proposals for Subscriptions into every County in the Province (except this County where he lives) to be lodged with the County Clerks; and if a sufficient Number of Subscribers can be found to defray the Expence, which is not in the least doubted, the Work will be gone about very quickly, and finished as soon as possible, with an accurate and correct TABLE prefix'd. As it is uncertain how many Sheets, in a large handsome Folio and good Letter, it will make, the exact Price cannot yet be ascertain'd; but the Subscribers shall have the Whole, neatly Bound and Letter'd on the Back, at Three Pence per Sheet; to pay Twenty Shillings in Part at the Time of subscribing, and the Remainder at the Delivery of the Book. If Thirty Subscribers in each County shall offer, it will be gone about in the Fall, and the Books ready to deliver to the Subscribers next Year. In this Work it is proposed to insert the Titles only of all such Laws as are Repealed and Obsolete, as well as some of those made on Special Occasions, such as some Parochial Laws of a private Nature, Prisoner's Acts of Relief, &c. and the Whole divided into Chapters and Sections: In doing which, the best Help and Advice will be had.

**To be Sold by Auction,**

At Queen Anne Town, in Prince George's County, on Tuesday the 12th Day of May.

**THE LIBRARY** of the late Reverend Mr. Henderson, consisting of a great many new Books of Divinity, &c. &c.

**THOMAS RIMMER**, Pilot, **LIVING** at the House of William Elton, in Annapolis, undertakes to Pilot Ships of any Berthen, either up or down the Bay, or into any River. And any Gentlemen who shall think fit to employ him, may depend on the Care and Judgment of

*Their humble Servant,*

*Thomas Rimmer.*

**To be Sold by Public Vendue,**

On Friday the 8th Day of May next, being the second Day of the Fair, at Baltimore Town, by the Executors of Col. William Hammond, deceased.

**ABOUT** thirteen hundred Acres of Land, near Soldier's Delight, in Baltimore County; whereon are two Plantations, well improved. Also, about four hundred and fifty Acres of Land, near Newfoundland, in said County; a Plantation well improved, and about seventy Acres of good Meadow, well cleaned and in Fence. Any Persons inclinable to buy, may apply to Mr. John Gill, near Newfoundland, or Mr. Nicholas Orrick, near Soldier's Delight, who will shew said Land. The Sale to be at Baltimore Town, and to begin at 12 o'Clock.

Also, to be Sold at Annapolis, the second Day of May Fair next, at the House of Mr. Soumaien,

**A PARCEL** of likely young NEGROES, for Bills of Exchange, Gold, or Paper Currency. The Sale to begin, at Eleven o'Clock.

*Sarah Hammond.*

**WHEREAS** several Lots, taken up in Charles Town, Maryland, in the Year 1749, are likely to become forfeited, by not being built upon as the Law directs: This is therefore to give Notice, That the Commissioners for said Town will there meet, on the 10th Day of May next, in Order, as well to review such of the said Lots as shall then be so forfeited, as to dispose of several other Lots in said Town, now vacant; wherein the first Takers up, if they appear, shall have the Preference, otherwise they will be granted to others.

Signed by Order of the Commissioners aforesaid,

*Matthias Bordley, Register.*

**JOHN SENHOUSE,**

**HEREBY** gives Notice, That he now carries on the Business of Currying; as also the Business of Shoemaking, in all it's Branches, such as turn'd up Shoes, turn'd Pumps, and double channell'd Pumps, double channell'd Boots, Slippers, Clogs, &c. in the completest and best Manner, at reasonable Rates; where all Gentlemen and others, may depend upon their being faithfully served, by

*Their humble Servant,*

*John Senhouse.*

Annapolis, April 9.

*Prince George's County, April 8, 1752.*

**THE** Subscriber intending by one of the earliest Ships for London, requests all Persons who have any Demands on him to bring in their Accounts, and they shall be paid: And those who are indebted to him, are desired to settle, pay off, or give Security, which will prevent Trouble to them, and oblige

*Their humble Servant,*

*William Lock Weems.*

N. B. Attendance will be given duly on Wednesdays and Saturdays, at my Store and Dwelling House, for that Purpose.

*W. L. W.*

**THE** Northern POST-RIDER having now begun his Fortnight Stages, will be in here at Twelve of the Clock on Wednesday next, the 22d Instant, and tarry till the next Day at Noon; and so constantly and punctually on every other Wednesday at Noon, during the Summer Season. Any Gentlemen having Business with him, may find him at those Times, either at Mrs. Jennings's, or at the POST-OFFICE.

Conformable



Conformable to LAW,  
**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is in the Possession of Patrick Reading,  
in Prince George's County, taken up as a Stray, a  
Grey Horse, about 13 Hands high, well made,  
trots and gallops, branded on the near Buttock  
somewhat blindly, but resembling G M with a  
Figure 2 between the Letters near the Top of the  
M, has had the Pole Evil, and appears to be about  
8 Years old.

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

Conformable to LAW,  
**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is at the Plantation of John Welsh, in  
Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray, a small  
Bay Mare, not branded, has a small Star in her  
Forehead, and a Switch Tail.  
The Owner may have her again, on proving his  
Property, and paying Charges.

To be Rented, or Sold,  
**A** VERY good Dwelling House,  
with a good Cellar, Kitchen, Stable, and  
Meat-House, all in good Repair, situate in Prince  
George's Street, near the Prison, in Annapolis; and  
there is also a good Garden to it, already planted.  
Enquire of Mr. Joseph Evitt, living next Door  
to the said House, or of

John Evitt.

**R**AN away from the Subscribers,  
living in Anne Arundel County, on the 30th  
of March last, the two following Servants; viz.  
Francis Ferrill, about 30 Years of Age, an Irish-  
man, speaks broken English, has had the Small  
Pox, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, is a down  
looking Fellow, and a very great Rogue, is of a  
fandy Complexion, reddish coloured Hair cut short:  
He pretends to be a great Scholar, writes a mid-  
dling good Hand, and is supposed to have forged  
a Discharge. Had on when he went away, a grey  
Fearnothering Jacket and Breeches, a light coloured  
Jacket patched very much, an old Osnabrigs Shirt,  
a Pair of light coloured Stockings, black Leather  
Shoes lately soled, an old Felt Hat, and Worsted  
The other named John Nailor, is also an Irish-  
man, aged about 18 Years, speaks good English,  
is of a fair Complexion, smooth Face, and some-  
what freckled. Had on when he went away, a  
Cotton Jacket and Breeches dyed with Sumac, the  
Breeches lately mended on the Knees, with white  
Cotton, a Check Shirt, an Osnabrigs Shirt, dark  
Yarn Stockings, Country flat Shoes, an old Castor  
Hat, and Holland Cap; but as he had an old Wig  
of a brown Colour, probably he may wear it.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, and secures  
them, so that their Masters may have them again,  
shall have Fifty Shillings Current Money for each,  
if taken in Maryland; and Five Pounds for each,  
if taken in any other Province; and if any Person  
will bring them to their Masters, shall have reason-  
able Charges, beside the Reward abovementioned,  
paid by

Neal Clark,  
John Welsh.

Kent County, March 25, 1752.  
**W**HEREAS I am confined  
in this County Goal, for a great Number  
of Debts, which my Confinement renders me in-  
tirely unable to discharge, as it incapacitates me to  
collect many Debts due to me; and whereas I  
have offered my Creditors by public Advertisements,  
to deliver up my Books and Effects, into the Hands  
of Trustees for the Use of my Creditors, which is  
all in my Power to do; yet some of them have  
refused to accept these reasonable Terms. Now I  
give this public Notice, that I intend to apply to  
the next General Assembly for such Relief, as has  
heretofore been granted to others in my Circum-  
stances.

3 Thomas Barkley.

**STOLEN** from the Subscriber,  
on the 12th of March last, at Night, A large  
Black Horse, 5 Years old, paces miedling well,  
has a Star in his Forehead, a Snip on his Nose, is  
branded on the near Hip Bone thus \* and has a  
ridge Mane: The said Horse was stolen by a Man  
who had on a white Coat, blue Stockings, and  
black curled Hair or Wig. Whoever will bring  
the said Man and Horse to the Subscriber, living  
near Bladenburg, shall have Three Pounds Re-  
ward: Or any Person, that will either secure or  
bring the said Horse to the Subscriber, shall have  
Twenty Shillings Reward, paid by

3 William Pickett.

Just Imported from GLASGOW,  
In the Ship NEWAL, Capt. SMITH, by the Sub-  
scriber, and to be SOLD, at his Store in AN-  
NAPOLIS,

**A** LARGE Assortment of Eu-  
ropean and East India GOODS, at rea-  
sonable Rates, by Wholesale or Retail, for Cur-  
rent Money, Sterling, or Bills of Exchange.

Robert Swan.

4 LIKEWISE,  
The said Swan carries on the Business of Tan-  
ning and Currying of Leather, and Shoemaking,  
as usual: And is now furnished with exceeding  
good Tradesmen, for every Part of the said Busi-  
ness: And having also brought in a Sadler from  
Britain, all Persons may be furnished with any  
Thing in that Way, at reasonable Rates.

**T**O BE SOLD,  
**A** TRACT of Land, lying on  
Rock Creek, about four Miles above Mr.  
Daniel Carroll's, containing Five Hundred and  
Seventy Acres.

For Title and Terms, apply to  
4 Hancock Lee.

**I**NSPECTORS, who are not  
yet supplied with Books and Notes for the  
present Year, may have of all Sorts, what Quanti-  
ties they want. Printed on choice Paper, from  
Their humble Servant,

Jonas Green.

**F**OUND,  
**O**N the 9th Day of last March,  
in Annapolis, in the Hay-Loft of the Sub-  
scriber, A middle sized Leather Saddle, with a  
Leather Housing, which is almost new.  
The Owner proving his Property, and paying  
the Charge of this Advertisement, may have it  
again, by applying to

4 Arthur Charlton.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,  
**A** SCHOONER, which will  
carry Thirty-six Hogheads of Tobacco,  
with all her Tackle and Furniture, now lying in  
the Dock at Annapolis.

She will be Sold on Friday the 17th Day of  
April, between V and VI of the Clock in the  
Afternoon, at the House of Mr. Middleton, for  
Sterling, Bills of Exchange, Gold, or Paper Cur-  
rency, by

5 Jonas Green.

**T**HE Subscriber intending for  
London this Summer, requests all Persons  
indebted to him to come and make Payment, or  
settle their Accounts by Note, or Bond: And those  
who have any just Demands against him, are desi-  
red to come and receive Payment of the same.

5 James Wardrop.

**STOLEN** or strayed from the  
City of Annapolis, on the 28th of November  
last, from the Virginia Post-Rider, a small Black  
Horse, branded on the near Buttock W, has some  
Saddle Spots on his Back, a Star in his Forehead,  
some grey Hairs in his Face, and is between 7 and  
8 Years old.

Whoever brings the said Horse to the Printer  
hereof, shall have Ten Shillings Reward, and no  
Questions ask'd.

**W**HEREAS Mr. William Grain-  
ger, the late noted Pilot of Chester River,  
(who was taught that Business by the Subscriber)  
is deceased; and the Subscriber is desirous to un-  
dertake the said Business of Piloting Ships from  
Annapolis to Chester-Town, or from Chester-Town  
to Annapolis: This is therefore to acquaint all  
Masters of Ships, or other Vessels, who may have  
Occasion for a Pilot, that on Application to the  
said Subscriber, living at Broad-Creek on Kent-  
Island, they may depend on being well and faith-  
fully serv'd, by Their humble Servant,

John Grainger.

**WILLIAM MACKAY,**  
**L**IVING at Nottingham on  
Patuxent, hereby gives Notice, That he has  
a good Boat and Hands to cross Patuxent, for  
Horses and Carriages: And likewise keeps a House  
of good Entertainment for Travellers.

William Mackay.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,  
**A** TRACT of Land, lying in  
the Fork of Patuxent, joining Mr. John  
Gaither, Son of Benjamin, containing 500 Acres,  
on the 25th Day of April next, by  
William Keene.

The Sale is to begin at Twelve of the Clock at  
Mr. John Gaither's, Son of Benjamin.

February 19, 1752.  
**D**R. CHARLES CARROLL having  
made a Street-Way, from the Head of Ni-  
cholson's Dock, opposite to the Market-House in  
the City of Annapolis, from the End of Church  
Street at the Water Side, through his Lots, to Duke  
of Gloucester Street, for the reasonable Convenience  
of others, as well as his own, by the Name of

GREEN-STREET;

This is to give Notice, that the said Carroll hath  
several very convenient Lots, fronting on both  
Sides of said Green Street, some fronting on that  
and Church Street, or the Cove, and others front-  
ing on Duke of Gloucester Street and said Green  
Street, very conveniently situated for good Air and  
Prospect, and Building or carrying on any Trade  
or Business; which Lots he will sell, or lease at  
very reasonable Rates, for Lives or any Term of  
Years.

Any Persons inclinable to buy or lease, may ap-  
ply to said Carroll, at his House in Annapolis, and  
know further.

C. Carroll.

**O**N the 13th Day of May next,  
a Purse of FORTY POUNDS Cur-  
rency, to be run for, by any Horse, Mare, or  
Gelding, carrying nine Stone Weight, three Heats,  
each Heat to be once round the Poles on the Race  
Ground, near the City of Annapolis, and to be  
won by such Horse, &c. having the best of the  
said Heats: Such Horses, &c. are to be entered  
with Jonas Green two Days before the Race Day,  
and forty Shillings Currency to be paid at the En-  
trance, which with what further Addition can be  
made, is designed for a Race on the 14th Day  
of May.

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# THE MARTLAND GAZETTE,

*Containing the freshest Advices foreign and domestic.*

THURSDAY, April 23, 1752.

The PANTHER, the HORSE, and other Beasts.

## A FABLE.

**T**HE Man, who seeks to win the Fair,  
(So Custom says) must Truth forbear;  
Must fawn and flatter, cringe and lie,  
And raise the Goddess to the Sky;  
For Truth is hateful to her Ear,  
A Rudeness, which she cannot bear:  
A Rudeness!—Yes.—I speak my Thoughts;  
For Truth upbraids her with her Faults.  
How wretched, *Chloe*, then am I,  
Who love you, and yet cannot lie;  
And still, to make you less my Friend,  
I strive your Errors to amend.  
But shall the senseless Fop impart  
The softest Passion to your Heart;  
While he, who tells you honest Truth,  
And points to Happiness your Youth,  
Determines, by his Care, his Lot,  
And lives neglected, and forgot?  
Trust me, my Girl, with greater Ease,  
Your Taste for Flattery I could please,  
And Similes in each dull Line,  
Like Glow-worms in the Dark should shine.  
What if I say your Lips disclose  
The Freshness of the opening Rose?  
Or that your Cheeks are Beds of Flow'rs,  
Enrich'd by refreshing Show'rs?  
Yet certain as these Flow'rs shall fade,  
Time ev'ry Beauty will invade.  
The Butterfly, of various Hue,  
More than the Flow'r resembles you;  
Faint, flutt'ring, fickle, busy Thing,  
To Pleasure ever on the Wing,  
Gayly coquetting for an Hour,  
To die, and ne'er be thought of more.  
Would you the Bloom of Youth should last?  
'Tis Virtue that must bind it fast;  
An easy Carriage, wholly free  
From sour Reserve, or Levity;  
Good-natur'd Mirth, an open Heart,  
And Looks unskill'd in any Art;  
Humility enough to own  
The Frailties which a Friend makes known;  
And decent Pride, enough to know  
The Worth that Virtue can bestow.  
These are the Charms, which ne'er decay,  
Though Youth and Beauty fade away;  
And Time, which all Things else removes,  
Still heightens Virtue, and improves.  
You'll frown, and ask to what Intent  
This blunt Address to you is sent?  
I'll spare the Question, and confess  
I'd praise you, if I lov'd you less;  
But rail, be angry, or complain,  
I will be rude, while you are vain.  
Beneath a Lion's peaceful Reign,  
When Beasts met friendly on the Plain,  
A PANTHER of majestic Port,  
(The vainest Female of the Court)  
With spotted Skin, and Eyes of Fire,  
Fill'd ev'ry Bosom with Desire;  
Where e'er she mov'd, a fervid Croud  
Of fawning Creatures cring'd and bow'd:  
Assemblies ev'ry Week she held,  
(Like modern-Belles,) with Coxcombs fill'd;  
Where Noise, and Nonsense, and Grimace,  
And Scandal echo'd round the Place.  
Behold the gay fantastic Thing,  
Encircled by the spacious Ring;  
Low-bowing, with important Look,  
As first in Rank, the MONKEY spoke:  
"Gad take me, Madam, but I swear,  
"No Angel ever look'd so fair;  
"Forgive my Rudeness, but I vow  
"You were not quite divine 'til now;  
"Those Limbs I that Shape! and then those Eyes!  
"O, close them, or the Gazer dies!"  
Nay, gentle Pug, for Goodness' sake;  
I wou'd and swear, you make me blush.

*I shall be angry at this Rate,——*

*'Tis so like Flattery, which I hate.*

The FOX, in deeper Cunning vers'd,  
The Beauties of her Mind rehears'd,  
And talk'd of Knowledge, Taste, and Sense,  
To which the Fair have vast Pretence;  
Yet well he knew them always vain  
Of what they strive not to attain,  
And play'd so cunningly his Part,  
That Pug was rival'd in his Art.  
The GOAT avow'd his am'rous Flame,  
And burnt——for what he durst not name;  
Yet hop'd a Meeting in the Wood  
Might make his Meaning understood.  
Half angry at the bold Address,  
She frown'd; but yet she must confess  
Such Beauties might inflame his Blood,  
But still his Phrases were somewhat rude.  
The HOO her Neatness much admir'd;  
The formal Ass her Swift'ness fir'd;  
Thus all to feed her Folly strove,  
And by their Praises shar'd her Love.  
The HORSE, whose gen'rous Heart disdain'd  
Applause, by servile Flattery gain'd,  
With graceful Courage, Silence broke,  
And thus, with Indignation, spoke:  
"When flatter'ing MONKEYS fawn, and prate;  
"They justly raise Contempt, or Hate;  
"For Merit's turn'd to Ridicule,  
"Applauded by the grinning Fool.  
"The artful FOX your Wit commends,  
"To lure you to his selfish Ends;  
"From the vile Flatterer turn away,  
"For Knaves make Friendships, to betray.  
"Dismiss the Train of Fops and Fools,  
"And learn to follow Wisdom's Rule;  
"Such Beauties might the Lion warm,  
"Did not your Folly break the Charm;  
"For who would court that lovely Shape,  
"To be the Rival of an Ass?"  
He said; and snorting in Disdain,  
Spurn'd at the Croud, and sought the Plain.

MADRID, December 14.

**I**T has been resolved to introduce among the  
Troops of this Kingdom the new Exercise adop-  
ted by the principal Powers of Europe; and to  
this End a Camp is to be formed in the Neigh-  
bourhood of this City next Spring.

*Turin, Dec. 18.* The Marquis de la Chetardie,  
Ambassador from the French Court, had this  
Week a long Conference with the Chevalier Ofo-  
rio, Secretary of State, about the Convention ne-  
gotiated at Madrid, for the Neutrality of Italy;  
but we cannot say whether it be true, as some pre-  
tend, that his Excellency has had Orders to make  
Representations against certain Articles of that Con-  
vention. However it be, the Ambassador dis-  
patched a Courier to Paris at the Issue of that Con-  
ference.

*Stockholm, Dec. 20.* Though all Affairs depen-  
ding in the Dyet are transacted with the greatest  
Dispatch, Order and Unanimity, there is no Like-  
lihood that this Assembly will break up before the  
Middle of next February, by Reason of the Varie-  
ty of Business they are to go through. The Reso-  
lutions already taken are kept so secret, that all  
we can say is this, That in Consequence of the  
Measures concerted between the King and the  
States, a good Harmony with Russia may be re-  
stored, and the Disputes about the Limits be ad-  
justed to the Satisfaction of both Parties; and that  
the ancient Alliances between Sweden and divers  
Powers of Europe will be confirmed.

In a few Days a grand Council will be held at  
Court, to consider of a Memorial drawn up by  
some of the most eminent Merchants of this King-  
dom, setting forth the greatest Advantages that  
would accrue to the Nation if Commerce was re-  
established with the Dutch on the same Footing as  
it was about fifty Years ago.

*Hague, Dec. 30.* We are assured the States  
General have sent Orders to Count Wartensleben  
to set out from Bonn for Munich, and remain there  
while the Elector of Cologne stays at the said Court.  
The Journey of that Prince to Munich, and the  
Elector Palantine and several other Princes also re-  
pairing to the Bavarian Court, confirms us in the  
Opinion that some Affairs of the greatest impor-  
tance are to be canvassed there.

*Madrid, Jan. 4.* Mr. Keene, the British Am-  
bassador, received a few Days since an Express  
from his Court, with new Propositions, tending to  
accelerate the Conclusion of the Treaty on the  
Tapis for a free Navigation in the West Indies, &c.  
His Excellency has had a Conference on this Sub-  
ject with the King's Ministers, and at the same  
time made Complaints about some English Ships  
being lately taken by our Guarda de la Costa.  
Upon which the Court has sent fresh Orders to the  
Governors of his Majesty's Ports in America, to  
take Care that nothing be done in Contravention  
to the Treaties subsisting between Spain and Great  
Britain.——Considering what Difficulties our  
M——rs labour under in their Foreign Ne-  
g——ts, it is Charity to translate the Puffs inserted for them  
in the Dutch Gazettes.

*Madrid, Jan. 4.* It is certain that our Court  
is bent on ruining the Algerines; for which Pur-  
pose a Squadron of nine Ships of the Line, with a  
great Number of Xebecs, will be sent out next  
Spring, to block up the Port of Algiers; and  
cruise upon all the Pyrates that may venture to  
appear in the Mediterranean; and whilst we thus  
labour to destroy their Marine, or render it useless,  
Preparations will be made at Oran to attack them  
by Land. All the Powers of Italy will be invited  
to second our Naval Expedition. We depend up-  
on the Pope, the Republic of Genoa, and the Or-  
der of Malta; but we dare not promise ourselves  
Assistance from the Venetians, because they have  
some Measures to keep with the Turk, on Account  
of the Situation of their Territories; nor do we  
build upon the King of the Two Sicilies, because  
there is a Treaty of Commerce subsisting between  
him and the Grand Signior; besides that the Porte  
is engaged by Treaty to succour the Regencies of  
Barbary, whenever they shall be attacked. How-  
ever, we may do the same Business well enough  
without them.

The Marquis de Vaulgrenant, the French Am-  
bassador, has had during last Month many Confe-  
rences with the King's Ministers, and as in that  
Time there has been much courting between this  
City and Versailles, we conclude that some impor-  
tant Affair is on the Tapis. It is certain that the  
new Treaty concerning the Affairs of Italy, the  
Articles of which have been settled since the Month  
of September last, will not be signed in Form till  
two principal Difficulties can be got over, which  
relate to the Case of the King of the Two Sicilies  
happening to come to the Throne of Spain, and  
the Infant Don Philip's removing to Naples.

*Petersburg, Jan. 7.* It is given out, that Mat-  
ters stand between our Court and Sweden, on as  
good a Footing as can be desired; and we are also  
told that there is no Room to doubt but that the  
Difficulties concerning Limits of Finland, will be  
adjusted to the Satisfaction of both Crowns. Ne-  
vertheless we find, that the Preparations for the  
Empress's Journey to Moscow are again suspended,  
and from thence are apt to presume, that there is  
still some Danger of a Rupture in the North, or in  
Germany.

*Thorn, Jan. 8.* The Communities of Poland,  
Lithuania, and Polish Prussia, have sent Deputies  
to the King of Sweden, to compliment him on his  
Accession to the Throne, and beg the Favour of  
his Protection, in Imitation of his Predecessors, to  
the End that by the Interposition and Intercession  
of his Swedish Majesty, whenever a favourable  
Opportunity offers, they may be restored to their  
ancient Privileges on the Footing of the Treaty of  
Olivia.

*Stockholm,*



*Stockholm, Jan. 11.* The States of the Kingdom are actually deliberating about the Number of Land Forces and Seamen to be kept up, but we do not yet know their Resolutions. The King will certainly go over to Finland in April or May next.

#### L O N D O N.

*Dec. 21.* Our Advices from Paris say, that the Germans are exceedingly alarmed on the King of Prussia's declaring, that he intends to raise five Squadrons of Hussars for his Life-Guards.

It is said his Royal Highness Prince Henry will accompany his Majesty next Spring to Hanover, where his Highness is to reside, in order to receive his Education.

*Dec. 26.* We are informed from Cadiz of the Arrival of Commodore Rodney there, who went in Search of an Island said to be newly discovered: During the Time of his Cruise, the Fogs were so very constant and thick, that nothing can be determined from it concerning the Truth of the Information given to the Admiralty; and we hear the Commodore is on his Return home.

There will be no Pirates tried until the 18th of next Month; when the Trial of Capt. Lowry will come on; for inhumanly murdering one of his own Men, by whipping him to Death.

*Dec. 30.* From Vienna we have Advice, that the two Magazines of Provisions and warlike Stores lately erected at Peterwaradin in Hungary, have been burnt down to the Ground; but whether designedly or accidentally, the Government had not been able to discover.

By Letters from Astracan there is Advice, that the Sophi of Persia being startled at the considerable Progress made in the Province of Ghilan by Prince Heraclius of Georgia, assembled a powerful Army, and marched into that Province, where a bloody Battle has been fought, and the Army of Heraclius cut in Pieces; by which decisive Victory the Tranquillity of Persia is secured, and the Authority of the Sophi firmly established.

*Dec. 31.* According to private Advices from Paris, the Commissaries that have been so long conferring together in that City about a new Regulation of Limits in America, have already made so surprizing a Progress, that the Public in general begin to be persuaded the Affair will ere long be brought to a happy, tho' not a surprizing Conclusion.

*Jan. 2.* From Vienna we have Advice, that a great Number of Manufacturers are arrived there from different Parts of Europe, to whom the Empress Queen has given all the Encouragement they could reasonably desire, engaging them in her Service for a certain Term, with a fixed Salary; her Imperial Majesty being resolved to admit no foreign Manufactures in her Dominions, if the same Kind can be made at Home.—May Britain do the same with every Nation, whether Friend or Foe, that will not trade with her upon a broad Bottom.

*Jan. 6.* From Paris we hear, that the Memorial relating to Limits in North America, which the French Commissaries lately sent over to London, is returned with an Answer, and that an Expedient has been found to reconcile all Differences; that the British Ambassador and Commissaries at Paris have received fresh Instructions to treat in Conformity to that Expedient, and that it is not doubted but France will readily close with their Proposals.

They write from Frankfort, that notwithstanding all the Appearances of a lasting Peace, the Imperial and Prussian Officers are very busy in that Part of the Empire; but the Prussians enlist only the tallest Men, and appear to be much better provided with each than the Austrians. The French also continue buying up Horses in Germany, and within a Fortnight a good Number of fine grey Horses passed by Frankfort, which are destined for remounting one of the Troops of the French Musketeers.

*Jan. 11.* The following Observation was found in the Journal of a foreign Merchant: "The Children at Nurembergh, said he, are employed in making Toys, at the very Age that the Children in London spend their Time in breaking them." The first Price of the Toys is the Premium which the Nurembergers receive for promoting Industry so early, and which might remain here, if the Children of such as have no Money to buy Toys were employ'd in making them for those that have.

On Christmas Day was drove on Shore, and wrecked in a Place called Cupboard, in Illugan, in Cornwall, a Spanish Ship, about 200 Tons Burthen, laden with Logwood and Madeira Wine, with a large Quantity of Specie on board in Silver, great Part of which was taken up by the Country Fellows in the Neighbourhood, who demolished

the whole Ship in a few Hours, all the Men that belong'd to her being drowned.

Tuesday the Hon. House of Commons came to a Resolution to present an Address of Condolance to his Majesty, on Account of the Death of the Queen of Denmark.

Thursday the House of Peers ordered an Address of Condolance on the Death of the Queen of Denmark; and afterwards adjourned till Monday next.

We hear there are Letters in Town which say positively, that the King of Prussia has had a Fit of an Apoplexy. If this be true, it may, in all Probability, give a surprizing Turn to the political Affairs of Europe.

*Jan. 18.* We hear his Majesty's Birth Day will be kept on Monday the 10th of February; and that the Court will go into Second Mourning on Sunday the 9th.

His Majesty was pleased to return the following Answer to the Address of Condolance of the Right Hon. the House of Peers, presented to him on Thursday last, on the Death of the late Queen of Denmark, viz. "That he thanked the House of Lords for the kind Concern they had expressed for the great Loss which he had sustained, and had the justest Sense of this fresh Mark of their Zeal and Duty to him, and of their Affection for his Family."

#### A N N A P O L I S.

A few Days ago, a Dwelling-House near Patasco, and another on Kent Island, were both burnt to the Ground, while the People were absent from home; and scarce any Thing was saved out of either of them. [Both the Houses had wooden Chimneys; and we rather may wonder that more Accidents of that Kind do not happen, than that so many do.]

We hear from Baltimore County, that two Men, who got hurt at the late Election there, are since dead of their Wounds.

Saturday last, some Gentlemen very resolutely, or rather imprudently, attempting to cross the Bay in one of the Kent Island Ferry Boats, from hence for that Island, just as a Gust was coming on, very narrowly escaped being all lost; the Boat being driven down the Bay as low as Oxford.

Friday last Capt. White, in the *Russell*, from London, arrived in South River.

On Tuesday last night the Provincial Court met here; and the Grand Jury were discharged on Saturday, having found Bills against Five Persons for Horse stealing; two of which were found Guilty, viz. William Grindy and Thomas Hornbrook: The other three, viz. Thomas Stanely, James Dilland, and Terence Sawinney, were acquitted; but ordered to give good Securities, in large Sums, for their good Behaviour; or to leave the Province in twenty Days. [Whether they design to travel towards the North or South, is not known.]

Ebenezer Alexander, of Talbot County, was tried for killing John Campbell in a Fight last October Meeting: It appeared from the Evidence, that Alexander gave Campbell no other Affront than by endeavouring to make Peace between two Men who Campbell wanted should fight; this so enraged him that he insisted on fighting Alexander, who prudently endeavour'd to avoid him; but the other pursuing him from Place to Place with a great deal of ill Language, and Alexander finding it impossible to get rid of him without Blows, at length engaged him; when, after a short Contest, they parted, and Campbell died about a Quarter of an Hour after. The Jury acquitted him in less than a Minute.

Last Thursday, while two Men were at the Bar for Horse stealing, one John Broughton, at the Court-House Door, pick'd a Lad's Pocket of his Pocket Book, wherein he had just before seen him put about fourteen Shillings; but being immediately detected, he was last Saturday tried for the same, and found Guilty.

On Monday one James Powell, from Somerset County, was tried for a Burglary, and stealing a large Quantity of Goods; which being fully proved, the Jury soon brought him in Guilty.

Last Night arrived here the *Thames Frigate*, Capt. James Dobbins, in seven Weeks from London; who has brought in 130 of his Majesty's Passengers, for the better Peopling his American Plantations.

Custom House, ANNAPOLIS, Entered, Schooner Laurel, Thomas Palmer, from Virginia; Sloop Charming Polly, Smith, from Bermuda; Brigantine Vine, Henry Bullen, from Barnstable; Ship Neptune, Jerningham Bigg, from London; Sloop Molly, Traverser Carter, from Virginia; Snow Russell, John White, from London; Snow Three Brothers, Hopkins, from Biddeford; Ship Thames, James Dobbins, from London.

#### JUST IMPORTED,

In the Snow *Russell*, Capt. JOHN WHITE, from LONDON, and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Store in London Town.

**VARIETY of European and East India GOODS**, at reasonable Rates, for ready Money, Bills of Exchange, Tobacco, or on very short Credit, the Subscriber intending soon for London: Therefore all Persons indebted to him are requested to make speedy Payment; or at least, to come and settle Accounts, and give Notes for their Ballances; otherwise they may expect to meet with Trouble.

James Dick.

#### JUST IMPORTED,

In the Snow *Russell*, Capt. WHITE, from LONDON, and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Store in ANNAPOLIS.

**A LARGE Assortment of European and East India GOODS**: Also, Sail Duck, both English and Russia of all Sorts; Anchors from half a hundred to six hundred Weight; Cordage and Cables of all Sizes; Ship Chandlery, &c. &c. &c. both by Wholesale and Retail, at the very lowest Rates, for ready Money, Bills of Exchange, Gold, Silver, or Tobacco.

Stephen West.

#### JUST IMPORTED,

And to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Store in Lower Marlborough.

**A LARGE Assortment of London and East India GOODS**; for Tobacco, Current Money, Sterling, or Bills of Exchange: Also, Barbadoes Rum, and Muscovado Sugar.

John Moffatt.

#### TO BE SOLD

By the Subscriber, for Bills of Exchange, Sterling Money, Gold, or Paper Currency, and long Credit given, if required.

**THE following Tracts of Land**, lying in Baltimore County: viz.

One Tract containing 1000 Acres, well water'd and timber'd, pleasantly situated upon a main Road, about 7 Miles from Baltimore Town, proper for farming and mowing, with new Improvements thereon; viz. framed Tobacco Houses, and Dwelling House, besides a good Mill Dam and Race, Apple Orchard, &c.

One Tract of very good Land, containing 308 Acres, pleasantly situated upon a main Road, within 10 Miles of Baltimore Town, with good Improvements thereon; viz. Dwelling Houses, Tobacco Houses, Orchard, &c.

One Tract containing 60 Acres, lying upon Patasco River, 7 Miles from Baltimore Town; 30 Acres whereof is under a good Fence.

One Tract of Lease Land, containing 150 Acres, paying 45  $\text{\pounds}$  Sterling per Annum; proper for farming and making Tobacco, with a good Orchard, Meadow, Tobacco House, Dwelling House, &c.

One Tract of Land, containing 150 Acres of his Lordship's Reserve, lying on Deer Creek upon a main Road 16 Miles from Joppa; paying a yearly Rent of 15  $\text{\pounds}$  Sterling; 75 Acres of said Tract being under a new Fence, with sundry new Improvements; viz. a framed Dwelling-House, 40 by 22, with Brick Gables: The Rooms well floored, wainscotted, plastered, &c. Chimneys below and above; as likewise a good Kitchen, Stable, Hen House, Pigeon House, Orchard, &c.

Any Person or Persons inclinable to purchase, may be satisfied about the Titles, by applying to Mr. Charles Ridgely, or the said Subscriber, living near Baltimore Town.

James Richard.

March 29, 1752.

**ANY Person or Persons; or Workmen**, that will, and are capable of undertaking and repairing of the Brick Church in Christ Church Parish, Calvert County, are desired to meet at the Church of said Parish the first Tuesday in May next, when the Vestry of said Parish will give their Attendance: Likewise, that they bring in their Bill as near as possible for the following Repairs; viz. A new Roof intire to the Church, which is eighty Feet long, and forty Feet wide, three Girders across the main Body, two Porches of Brick sixteen Feet by twelve.

Signed per Order,

John Gray, Register.

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**To be Sold by Public Vendue,**

On *Wednesday the 20th Day of May, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Jonas Green, in Annapolis, the following Parcels of Land, &c. belonging to Mr. John Lomas, he intending for London, this Shipping: viz.*

**ONE** Half a Plantation situate over against the South River Inspection House, where the Ships lie to load, about 7 Miles from Annapolis, adjoining to Mr. Thomas Worthington and Capt. Charles Griffith's Plantations.

One Dwelling Houle and Lot in Annapolis, over against the Dwelling House of Edmund Jennings, Esquire. And,

One Moiety of a Lot not built upon, opposite to Capt. Bullen's in Annapolis.

Also, for a Term of Years, A good well built Brick Store-House, where Mr. West now keeps Store, with a convenient Stable.

**TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC VENDUE,**

On *Monday the 25th Day of May, at the late Dwelling Plantation of Col. EDWARD SPRIGG, deceased, in Prince George's County, pursuant to his Will,*

**THE** said Plantation, containing 502 Acres of very good Land, whereon there is a good Dwelling House, Out Houses, and a very good Orchard.

Also, Another Plantation, not far from the other, containing 283 Acres, a good Part of which is very fine Meadow Land, commonly known by the Name of *Lot's Quarter*.

Both which Plantations are near at an equal Distance from *Upper Marlborough, Bladensburg, and Queen Anne's.*

And, On the 29th Day of May, will be Sold by Public Vendue, at the House of Mr. Joseph Chaplin, in Frederick County,

About 800 Acres of very fine Land, Part of a Tract of Land called *Addition to Piles's Delight*, situate near the Plantation of the said Joseph Chaplin.

*Mary Sprigg, Executrix.*

*Anne Arundel County, April 17, 1752.*

**I** AM desired by a Gentleman in Virginia, to make a strict Enquiry for one William Nichols, who came into this Province under the Circumstance of a Transport, for the Term of Seven Years; and was sold to one William Keeley, living on the Garrison Ridge, in Baltimore County: This is to inform the said Nichols if he is living, and will apply to the Subscriber. That he may be informed of a considerable Legacy left him in England. Any Gentleman that can give any Information of him to me, their Information will be thankfully received by

*Charles Homewood.*

**JOHN DE ALE, Weaver, in**

*Anne Arundel County, designing with his Wife and Family, to go for Scotland very soon, gives this public Notice thereof, that all Persons who have any Claims on him may bring them in, that they may be paid: And all who have had any Dealings with him, and are indebted to him, are desired to make speedy Payment, or they may expect to be dealt with according to Law.*

*John Deale.*

**Conformable to LAW,**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of James Rays, at Rock Creek, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a small Dark Iron Grey Horse, branded

on the near Buttock thus T C dock'd, and his Face of a whitish Colour

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

**Conformable to LAW,**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Mr. John Darnall, in Frederick County, taken up by William Darnall as a Stray, a middle sized Grey Mare, with a 2 Year old Iron Grey Horse Colt, and has a Star in his Forehead.

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

**Conformable to LAW,**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Mrs. [unclear] on the Eastern Branch of [unclear] taken up as a Stray, a small Black Horse, branded on the near Buttock thus W T: has a black crown his Face, a bob Tail, and many Saddle Spots on his Back.

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

**Conformable to LAW,**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That

there is in the Possession of John Elliott, near Queen Anne, in Anne Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a small Black Horse, with a Star in his Forehead, a Snip on his Nose, one white Foot, and branded on the near Buttock H.

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

**THE** Subscriber being determined for London this Summer, desires all

Persons who are indebted to him, immediately to settle their respective Accounts, to prevent Trouble.

*2 Daniel Wolfenholme.*

He has a large Assortment of Goods to be disposed of, by Wholesale, for Cash, Bills of Exchange or Tobacco; and reasonable Credit given.

**THOSE** Purchasers at Mr. Hunt's

Sale, on the 5th of March last, who Bid in Current Money, are requested to pay off their respective Debts immediately, either to Mr. Vachel Denton, or Mr. Lancelot Jacques, and thereby prevent themselves Trouble. And those who bought last Fall are also desired immediately to make Payment.

*Cecil County, April 9, 1752.*

**R**AN away last Night, from the

Subscriber, a Convict Servant Man, named Jacob Parrott, a West Country Man, aged about 23 Years, of a fair Complexion, short, but well-set, and very saucy. He took with him a new Felt Hat, (and perhaps an old Leather Cap) a good Duffel Coat, with large white Metal Buttons, a good ash coloured Kerley Coat, with a black Cape, and carved white Metal Buttons, a brown Holland Jacket without Sleeves, double breasted, with yellow wash'd Buttons, a Pair of half worn Buff Breeches, a Pair of white Cotton Stockings, a Pair of grey Yarn Hose lately footed, a Pair of new Pumps, a Pair of old Shoes, a Pair of large Pewter Buckles, with Brass Anchors and Tongues, a Dowlas and white Linnen Shirt. He is supposed to make for Annapolis, or intends to cross the Bay for Baltimore County. All Masters of Vessels are warn'd at their Peril, not to carry him off. He has been a Footman in England; and being a dextrous Fellow, may pretend to be a Coachman, Gardener, Sawyer, Shoemaker, &c. He took with him a Brown Horse, Bridle and Saddle; but probably will exchange the Horse for some other.

Whoever secures the said Servant, so that he and the Cloaths may be had again, shall have Twenty Shillings more than the Law allows, paid by

*2 Hugh Jones.*

**STRAYED** the latter End of

March last, from the Plantation of Mrs. Sarah Beatie, late of Prince George's County, deceased, a Dark Bay Gelding, about 14 Hands and a half high, about 5 Years old, a natural Pacer, branded on the off Buttock T, one of his hind Feet white, his Footlocks lately trimm'd.

Whoever brings him to either of her Executors, Mr. Thomas Marshall, junior, or Mr. John Lamar, junior, shall receive Twenty Shillings Reward.

**Conformable to LAW,**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That

there is at the dwelling Plantation of Mr. Robert Lloyd, on the Head of Y River, taken up as a Stray, a middle sized Sorrel Mare, with a Star in her Forehead, several Saddle Spots on her Back, and shod before.

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

**Conformable to LAW,**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Capt. Henry Butler, in Prince George's County, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Horse, with a Switch Tail, 13 Hands high, paces slow, supposed to be old, branded on the near Shoulder I, but no other Marks that can be perceived.

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

**Conformable to LAW,**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Mr. Nathaniel Rumney, near Patapsco, in Anne Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a middle sized bluish Horse, branded on the near Shoulder with a Heart, has a flaxen Mane and Tail, a natural Pacer, and shod before.

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

**Conformable to LAW,**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of George Scott, in Anne Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Mare, branded on the near Buttock with something like an O, has a black Streak on her Back, and her Mane hanging on the near Side.

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

**THE** Publishing all the Laws

of this Province now in Force, in one complete Body, being a Work agreed on by every one to be much wanted and very necessary, is now proposed to be done with all possible Care and Dispatch: In Case they should not be revised by the approaching General Assembly, the Printer hereof designs to send Proposals for Subscriptions into every County in the Province (except this County where he lives) to be lodged with the County Clerks; and if a sufficient Number of Subscribers can be found to defray the Expence, which is not in the least doubted, the Work will be gone about very quickly, and finished as soon as possible, with an accurate and correct Table prefix'd. As it is uncertain how many Sheets, in a large handsome Folio and good Letter, it will make, the exact Price cannot yet be ascertain'd; but the Subscribers shall have the Whole, neatly Bound and Letter'd on the Back, at Three Pence per Sheet; to pay Twenty Shillings in Part at the Time of subscribing, and the Remainder at the Delivery of the Book. If Thirty Subscribers in each County shall offer, it will be gone about in the Fall, and the Books ready to deliver to the Subscribers next Year. In this Work it is proposed to insert the Titles only of all such Laws as are Repealed and Obsolete, as well as some of those made on Special Occasions, such as some Parochial Laws of a private Nature, Prisoner's Acts of Relief, &c. and the Whole divided into Chapters and Sections: In doing which, the best Help and Advice will be had.

**To be Sold by Auction,**

At *Queen Anne Town, in Prince George's County, on Tuesday the 12th Day of May,*

**THE** LIBRARY of the late Reverend Mr. Henderson, consisting of a great many new Books of Divinity, &c. &c.

**THOMAS RIMMER, Pilot,**

**LIVING** at the House of William Elton, in Annapolis, undertakes to Pilot Ships of any Burthen, either up or down the Bay, or into any River. And any Gentlemen who shall think fit to employ him, may depend on the Care and Judgment of

*Their humble Servant,*

*Thomas Rimmer.*

**Wanting a PLACE,**

**ONE** who can wait at a Gentleman's Table; Take Care of, and curry his Horses; Clean Knives, Boots and Shoes; Lay a Table; Shave, and dress Wigs; Carry a Lantern, and Talk French; Is as honest as the Times will admit, and as sober as can be.

Any Gentleman wanting such a Person, either in Town or Country, may enquire of the Printer hereof.



To be Sold by Public Vendue,  
On Friday the 8th Day of May next, being the  
second Day of the Fair, at Baltimore Town, by  
the Executrix of Col. William Hammond, de-  
ceased.

3 ABOUT thirteen hundred A-  
cres of Land, near Soldier's Delight, in Bal-  
timore County; whereon are two Plantations, well  
improved. Also, about four hundred and fifty Acres  
of Land, near Newfoundland, in said County; a  
Plantation well improved, and about seventy Acres  
of good Meadow, well cleaned and in Fence. Any  
Persons inclinable to buy, may apply to Mr. John  
Gill, near Newfoundland, or Mr. Nicholas Orrick,  
near Soldier's Delight, who will shew said Land.  
The Sale to be at Baltimore Town, and to begin  
at 12 o'Clock.

Also, to be Sold at Annapolis, the  
second Day of May Fair next,  
at the House of Mr. Soumaien,

A PARCEL of likely young  
NEGROES, for Bills of Exchange, Gold,  
or Paper Currency. The Sale to begin, at Eleven  
o'Clock.

Sarah Hammond.

3 WHEREAS several Lots, ta-  
ken up in Charles-Town, Maryland, in the  
Year 1746, are likely to become forfeited, by not  
being built upon as the Law directs: This is there-  
fore to give Notice, That the Commissioners for  
said Town will there meet, on the 10th Day of  
May next, in Order, as well to renew such of the  
said Lots as shall then be so forfeited, as to dispose  
of several other Lots in said Town, now vacant;  
wherein the first Takers up, if they appear, shall  
have the Preference, otherwise they will be granted  
to others.

Signed by Order of the Commissioners aforesaid,  
Matthias Bordley, Register.

3 JOHN SENHOUSE,  
HEREBY gives Notice, That  
he now carries on the Business of Carrying;  
as also the Business of Shoemaking, in all its  
Branches, such as turn'd up Shoes, turn'd Pumps,  
and double channell'd Pumps, double channell'd  
Boots, Slippers, Clogs, &c. in the completest  
and best Manner, at reasonable Rates; where all  
Gentlemen and others, may depend upon their  
being faithfully served, by  
Their humble Servant,

John Senhouse.

Annapolis, April 9.

3 THE Subscriber intending by  
one of the earliest Ships for London, requests  
all Persons who have any Demands on him to bring  
in their Accounts, and they shall be paid: And  
those who are indebted to him, are desired to settle,  
pay off, or give Security, which will prevent Trou-  
ble to them, and oblige  
Their humble Servant,

William Lock Weems.

N. B. Attendance will be given duly on Wed-  
nesdays and Saturdays, at my Store and Dwelling  
House, for that Purpose.

W. L. W.

To be Rented, or Sold,

3 A VERY good Dwelling House,  
with a good Cellar, Kitchen, Stable, and  
Meat House, all in good Repair, situate in Prince  
George's Street, near the Prison, in Annapolis; and  
there is also a good Garden to it, already planted.  
Enquire of Mr. Joseph Ewitt, living next Door  
of the said House, or of

John Ewitt.

Conformable to LAW,  
NOTICE is hereby given, That  
whereas the Plantation of John Welsh, in  
Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray, a small  
Bay Mare, now in said Plantation, has a small Star in her  
Forehead, and a Swallow Tail.  
The Owner may have her again, on proving his  
Property, and paying Charges.

RAN away from the Subscribers,  
living in Anne Arundel County, on the 30th  
of March last, the two following Servants; viz.

Francis Ferrill, about 50 Years of Age, an Irish-  
man, speaks broken English, has had the Small  
Pox, about 5 Feet to Inches high, is a down  
looking Fellow, and a very great Rogue, is of a  
sandy Complexion, reddish coloured Hair cut short:  
He pretends to be a great Scholar, writes a mid-  
dling good Hand, and is supposed to have forged  
a Discharge. Had on when he went away, a grey  
Farnothing Jacket and Breeches, a light coloured  
Jacket patched very much, an old Osnabrigs Shirt,  
a Pair of light coloured Stockings, black Leather  
Shoes lately soled, an old Felt Hat, and Worsted Cap.

The other named John Naites, is also an Irish-  
man, aged about 18 Years, speaks good English,  
is of a fair Complexion, smooth Face, and some-  
what freckled. Had on when he went away, a  
Cotton Jacket and Breeches dyed with Sumac, the  
Breeches lately mended on the Knees, with white  
Cotton, a Check Shirt, an Osnabrigs Shirt, dark  
Yarn Stockings, Country flat Shoes, an old Castor  
Hat, and Holland Cap; but as he had an old Wig  
of a brown Colour, probably he may wear it.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, and secures  
them, so that their Masters may have them again,  
shall have Fifty Shillings Current Money for each,  
if taken in Maryland; and Five Pounds for each,  
if taken in any other Province; and if any Person  
will bring them to their Masters shall have reason-  
able Charges, beside the Reward abovementioned,  
paid by

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
Neal Clark,  
John Welsh.

Kent County, March 25, 1752.

4 WHEREAS I am confined  
in this County Goal, for a great Number  
of Debts, which my Confinement renders me in-  
tirely unable to discharge, as it incapacitates me to  
collect many Debts due to me; and whereas I  
have offered my Creditors by public Advertisements,  
to deliver up my Books and Effects, into the Hands  
of Trustees for the Use of my Creditors, which is  
all in my Power to do; yet some of them have  
refused to accept these reasonable Terms. Now I  
give this public Notice, that I intend to apply to  
the next General Assembly for such Relief, as has  
heretofore been granted to others in my Circum-  
stances.

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Thomas Barkley.

3 STOLEN from the Subscriber,  
on the 12th of March last, at Night, A large  
Black Horse, 5 Years old, paces middling well,  
has a Star in his Forehead, a Snip on his Nose, is  
branded on the near Hip Bone thus  and has a  
ridge Mane: The said Horse was stolen by a Man  
who had on a white Coat, blue Stockings, and  
black curled Hair or Wig. Whoever will bring  
the said Man and Horse to the Subscriber, living  
near Bladenburg, shall have Three Pounds Re-  
ward: Or any Person, that will either secure or  
bring the said Horse to the Subscriber, shall have  
Twenty Shillings Reward, paid by

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William Pickett.

5 TO BE SOLD,  
A TRACT of Land, lying on  
Rock Creek, about four Miles above Mr.  
Daniel Carroll's, containing Five Hundred and  
Seventy Acres. For Title and Terms, apply to  
Hancock Leo.

Just Imported from Glasgow,  
In the Ship NEWAL, Capt. SMITH, by the Sub-  
scriber, and to be SOLD, at his Store in An-  
napolis.

A LARGE Assortment of Eu-  
ropean and East India GOODS, at rea-  
sonable Rates, by Wholesale or Retail, for Cur-  
rent Money, Sterling, or Bills of Exchange.

Robert Swan.

LIKEWISE,

The said Swan carries on the Business of Tan-  
ning and Currying of Leather, and Shoemaking,  
as usual: And is now furnished with exceeding  
good Tradesmen, for every Part of the said Busi-  
ness: And having also brought in a Sadler from  
Britain, all Persons may be furnished with any  
Thing in that Way, at reasonable Rates.

INSPECTORS, who are not  
yet supplied with Books and Notes for the  
present Year, may have of all Sorts, what Quanti-  
ties they want, Printed on choice Paper, from  
Their humble Servant,

Jonas Green.

THE Subscriber intending for  
London this Summer, requests all Persons  
indebted to him to come and make Payment, or  
settle their Accounts by Note, or Bond: And those  
who have any just Demands against him, are de-  
sired to come and receive Payment of the same.

James Wardrop.

STOLEN or strayed from the  
City of Annapolis, on the 28th of November  
last, from the Virginia Post Rider, a small Black  
Horse, branded on the near Buttock W, has some  
Saddle Spots on his Back, a Star in his Forehead,  
some grey Hairs in his Face, and is between 7 and  
8 Years old.

Whoever brings the said Horse to the Printer  
hereof, shall have Ten Shillings Reward, and no  
Questions asked.

February 19, 1752.

DR. CHARLES CARROLL, having  
made a Street Way, from the Head of Ni-  
cholson's Dock, opposite to the Market House in  
the City of Annapolis, from the End of Church  
Street at the Water Side, through his Lots, to Duke  
of Gloucester Street, for the reasonable Convenience  
of others, as well as his own, by the Name of

GREEN STREET;

This is to give Notice, that the said Carroll hath  
several very convenient Lots, fronting on both  
Sides of said Green Street, some fronting on that  
and Church Street, or the Cove, and others front-  
ing on Duke of Gloucester Street and said Green  
Street, very conveniently situated for good Air and  
Prospect, and Building or carrying on any Trade  
or Business; which Lots he will sell, or lease at  
very reasonable Rates, for Lives, or any Term of  
Years.

Any Persons inclinable to buy or lease, may ap-  
ply to said Carroll, at his House in Annapolis, and  
know further.

C. Carroll.

ON the 13th Day of May next,  
a Purse of FORTY POUNDS Cur-  
rency, to be run for, by any Horse, Mare, or  
Gelding, carrying nine Stone Weight, three Heats,  
each Heat to be once round the Poles on the Race  
Ground, near the City of Annapolis, and to be  
won by such Horse, &c. having the best of the  
said Heats: Such Horses, &c. are to be entered  
with Jonas Green two Days before the Race Day,  
and forty Shillings Currency to be paid at the En-  
trance, which with what further Addition can be  
made, is designed for a Race on the 14th Day  
of May.

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## MARYLAND AZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advice foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, April 30, 1752.

L T O N S, February 7.

**T**HE Distress under which the People of several Parts of this and the adjacent Provinces labour, has occasioned a Tumult at Arles, with an Intent to plunder the wealthiest Houses, and to set them on Fire in case of Opposition; but this Villainy was prevented by sending for some Detachments of Cavalry, and twenty of the Ringleders being secured are to be tried forthwith.

It is likely the same Scene would have been acted in several Towns of Languedoc and Gascony, had they not set the Necellous to work; particularly at Thoulouse they are employed in repairing and embellishing the Town house, and forming a long stately Avenue of Trees, whereby no less than 15000 Persons earn a Subsistence, their Wages being raised on account of the Dearness of Bread. A great Quantity of Grain has, by Order from the King, been distributed in several Parts to Farmers who wanted it to sow their Grounds.

*Naples, Feb. 7.* Two Men of War, four Gallies, and four Xebecs, are ordered to be got ready with all Expedition against the Corsairs; and there will be soon augmented, to form our Contingency in the grand Alliance for the utter Suppression of those Mischicants.

*Hanover, Feb. 8.* Upon Advice that the Prince of Hesse Cassel had been some time indisposed, Mr. Hugo, chief Physician to this Court set out Post for Cassel.

*Nancy, Feb. 10.* This Duchy, and the neighbouring Provinces are over-run with the Military, especially Horse. This is no political Step, but a Resource against the Scarcity in the Heart of the Kingdom.

*Hamburg, Feb. 18.* Our Magistracy has written to Mr. Forth, our Consul at Algiers, to notify to the Dey, that this City is under an utter Impossibility of complying with the Treaty lately enter'd into with the Regency of Algiers, it having drawn upon them the King of Spain's Resentment; and that it was their highest Interest to cultivate the Amity of such a powerful Monarch, and with whose Dominions they carried on a most advantageous Commerce. This Letter has been communicated to M. Ponio the Spanish Consul. Besides the Presents already lost, it is apprehended Mr. Forth will not be allowed to withdraw Scot-free.

*Rochelle, Feb. 15.* Several Europeans, distressed by the late dreadful Convulsions of Nature at St. Domingo, have determined to return to Europe. Hurricanes are not unfrequent there, but since the Discovery of Hispaniola no Earthquake of any Consequence has been felt there till now; the Course of Rivers has been turned, and the Valleys along which the two Parts of the Island traded with each other, are choked up by the falling in of the Mountains. The Damage on our Side is not less than three Millions, but that of the Spaniards much more.

The Achilles, from India, brings an Account that there had been an Earthquake at the Cape of Good Hope, by which besides other considerable Damages, a Church and several Houses had been overthrown.

*Dresden, Feb. 24.* The Substance of our Treaty with the Maritime Powers is, That the Subsidy is to commence from Michaelmas 1751, to be paid every six Months, two Thirds at London, and one Third at the Hague; That if during the Treaty either of the Maritime Powers shall be engaged in a War, the King of Poland shall not side with the opposite Party directly or indirectly; That if either of those Powers should be attacked, this Polish Majesty shall, upon Demand, send them a Body of 6000 Men, and even more, as can be agreed upon; That the Polish and British Ministers shall act in concert, relating to the salutary Measures for securing the Repose of the Empire, with which that of Europe in general is connected; That if his Polish Majesty be attacked in his Hereditary Domini-

ons, the Maritime Powers shall endeavour to procure him Satisfaction from the Aggressor; That this Treaty shall continue in Force four Years, and if the Contracting Parties are inclined to prolong or alter it, a new Negotiation shall be entered upon three Months before its Expiration.

The Vice Chancellor of the Crown is arrived here from Dantzick, and has reported to his Majesty the Sentence of the Commission appointed to determine the Contents of that City, by which the Magistracy is adjudged to make good to the Burghers the Sum of 368,000 Florins expended on this Account, enjoining further Moderation to the Magistracy and Tranquility to the Burghers, and to all Degrees an Oblivion of former Animositities. Besides the 368,000 Florins to be reimbursed, the Commission and Process has cost the Burghers no less than 623,480 Florins.

*Hague, Feb. 28.* We have Advice from Batavia, that our Forces have obtained two very considerable Advantages over the Rebels of Bantam, and that the Emperor of Java intervested himself for the Company to put an End to this War.

The Admiralty of Amsterdam have thought it advisable to order a Convoy for Ships bound to our West India Islands.

The Reduction of our Army is to be by incorporating of Battalions and Squadrons.

*Dusseldorp, Jan. 17.* According to the last Advice from Vienna, the Council of War has sent circular Letters to the Imperial Troops, enjoining them to be in Readiness to be reviewed by the Commissaries in the Month of April next, and the Officers are charged to have their respective Corps complete by that Time. They talk of forming several Camps in the Spring in Hungary, Bohemia, and other Parts of the Austrian Dominions.

*Berlin, Jan. 22.* The King has sent new Instructions to his Ministers at Vienna, and charged them in particular to renew their Solicitations in favour of the oppressed Protestants of Hungary. By the last Post from London we learn, that the English East India Company are labouring to prevent British Subjects being concerned in any foreign India Companies, notwithstanding which, if the Ships of the Embden Company touch at any of their Ports or Harbours in the East Indies, thro' Stress of Weather, or any other Accident, they must not refuse them friendly Assistance.

*Paris, Feb. 18.* By the late dreadful Hurricane and Earthquake at St. Domingo, the Towns of Port Royal and Leoganne are almost utterly ruined and destroyed.

All the Copies of the Encyclopædia are removed from the Booksellers Warehouses to the Bastille.

*Paris, Feb. 18.* On the 16th in the Morning the Dauphin came hither from Versailles to sprinkle Holywater on the Corpse of the late Madame Henrietta; but his Grief would not permit him to go through the Ceremony.

Mesdames Victoria, Sophia, and Louisa came in the Afternoon of the same Day, and performed that last Duty with the tenderest Concern; but Madame Adelaide had intreated the King to dispense with her Attendance, apprehending that she should certainly be overcome with Agony at such a melancholy Spectacle.

The Princes of the Blood accompanied the Dauphin, as the Princesses did the Mesdames; and according to Custom, the grand Master of the Ceremonies, preceded by the Heralds and King at Arms, attended on the Dauphin and Mesdames.

On the same Day the Nuncio and Sardinian Ambassador went, with great Solemnity to the Tuilleries; and whilst they prayed, the Clergy sung *de profundis*; after which the Nuncio and the Ambassador threw Holy water on the Corpse.

Yesterday the Archbishop and Chapter, the Parliament, several other Courts, and the Magistracy, repaired to the Thuilleries on the same Occasion.

The Princess's Heart was also carried with a very solemn Pomp to the Royal Abbey of Val de Grace,

where the Bishop of Meaux, her chief Chaplain, delivered it to the Abbess. To morrow is fixed for the Interment.

Prayers are said Night and Day near the Coffin, where four Bishops attend in the Day-time, together with the Ladies and chief Officers of her Court.

Four Doctors of the Sorbonne are appointed to examine the Encyclopædia, on whose Report depends the absolute Destiny of that Work, which has been received with such Esteem all over Europe.

*Vienna, Jan. 15.* Upon the Representations made to the Empress, that the Humour of planting Vineyards was increasing to such a Degree in the Archduchy of Austria, that in the midst of Plenty of Wine we are in Danger of wanting Bread, her Imperial Majesty has ordered the Vines to be grubbed up in certain Districts, where it will turn to better Account to sow Corn. They talk at Court of making several new Regulations for the better Government of this Capital. Among other Things, all Penthouses over Shops are to be pulled down, as they serve to darken them, and conceal the Defects in Goods. An Edict is likewise to be published, for restraining the Luxury of the Citizens in Dress, Household Furniture and Jewels; and as great Frauds are frequently committed by false Weights and scanty Measures, a kind of Commission or Quest is to be established for over seeing the same; which Questmen are not to walk about in State at set Times of the Year, in Gowns, or any particular Habit, to give the Alarm to the fraudulent Dealers, and so make them secrete their false Weights, but will come upon them unawares at any Hour of the Day, and any Time of the Year. We are likewise to have a new Law for the better preventing fraudulent Bankruptcies.

*Berwick, Nov. 15.* We hear that a Pink, a Blander, and a Brigantine, were all seen perishing on Sunday Morning off Dunstanborough, without any Possibility of Assistance; and that on Thursday last a small Sloop, laden with Bottles, from Newcastle to Leith, was cast away at Spittle, and one of the Crew lost.

*Newcastle, Jan. 8.* On Friday se'night, a hard Gale coming on at E. N. E. ten out of fourteen Sail of Ships, which came out of Whitby, were put on Shore near Sunderland. On Saturday, about Eleven a Clock in the Forenoon, came also ashore at the same Place, a Brig belonging to Hastings, as did on Sunday a Collier belonging to Scarborough.

The same Evening came ashore upon Hartley Rocks, a Brigantine about 90 Tons Burthen, laden with Oats. It is supposed all the Men perished, only one being yet found, who was lashed to the Mainmast. We cannot learn from whence she came, or where bound, only imagine she belongs to Scotland, there being wrote on the Head of the Mainmast, *David Duff, and Company, in North Leith*.

Last Week died, at Seafeld, near Whitehaven, in the County of Cumberland, Mr. Henry Townson, and Bridget his Wife, aged 100 Years each; who after living in conjugal Affection nigh 70 Years, and enjoying a perfect State of Health till almost the last, expired within a few Minutes of each other.

L O N D O N.

We are indebted to the Dutch Gazetteer for the following Intelligence, dated London, January 4, N. S.

"The Affair of the Restitution of, or Indemnification for, the Prizes illegally made by the Subjects of Spain and England, actually occupies the two Courts. The latter claims 100,000*l.* to indemnify the Owners of the Ships taken by the Spanish Privateers and Guarda de la Costas in America. But as the Court of Madrid claims the Conquestador Man of War, and some other Ships belonging to his Catholic Majesty's Subjects, which the English provisionally detain, the Government has sent proper Instructions to Mr. Keene, for terminating



minating this Affair as soon as possible, in order to terminate afterwar's the Treaty on the Tapis for the free Navigation of the English in the West Indies. — *This, to use a vulgar Phrase, is putting the Cart before the Horse; however, it is no Novelty, considering how Affairs have been managed these many Years; nor are our Ministers to be blamed for it: To speak impartially, we may allow they do all that now lies in their Power.*

"The Directors of the East-India Company (say the same Gazettes) have presented a Petition to the King, humbly praying his Majesty not to consent to the King of Prussia's Demand for admitting the Ships of the new Asiatic Company into our Ports and Harbours in the East Indies. At the same time they beseech his Majesty to take the most effectual Methods to hinder his Subjects from trading with, or engaging in the Service of the said Company, as it is forbidden by Acts of Parliament, and that the Law of Nations warrants such Prohibitions.

#### B O S T O N.

April 6. By a Vessel from Malaga, in Spain, we have Advice, that there had been very tempestuous Weather the last Winter, by which abundance of Vessels had suffered Damage: That in the Harbour of Cadiz only, no less than seventeen Vessels were lost, besides many others drove on Shore. That a Dutch Man of War was forced ashore near Ceuta, on the Barbary Shore, and all the Men made Slaves. And, that a Spanish Galeon coming into the Bay of Cadiz, with three Millions of Dollars on board, was cast away, and all the Men drowned.

#### A N N A P O L I S.

We have very frequently had in our American Gazettes, or News Papers, the Words *Well Peopling, Better Peopling, Recruits, &c.* Printed (in some Articles of News) either in *Italic* or *CAPITAL* Letters, as being *emphatical* or *significant* Words; but we shall now give our Readers an Extract of a late Letter, from a Gentleman in London to his Correspondent in this Province, which he may read ALL IN CAPITALS, as follows: "A BILL HAS PASSED THE HOUSE OF COMMONS, TO ALTER THE PUNISHMENT OF CONVICTS IN CERTAIN CASES, FROM TRANSPORTATION TO HARD LABOUR IN THE KING'S YARDS: THIS IS A SORT OF BREACH OF ENGLISH LIBERTY, TO MAKE PEOPLE WORK, WHO CAN LIVE BY STEALING."

On the 21st Instant at Night, a very good Dwelling-House, and sundry Out-Houses, about five Miles from Upper-Marlborough, belonging to *Benedict Calvert*, Esq; of this City, was burnt down to the Ground; and as there had not been any Fire in the House for some Months, it seems to have been done on Purpose by some very wicked Person. *Mr. Calvert* and his Lady were about going thither to pass the Summer Season, and had just furnish'd it for their Reception. The Fire had got to such a Head before it was discovered, that it was with great Difficulty any of the Furniture was saved, very few of the Servants being then at the Plantation, and the Overseer, with several of the Hands, gone a fishing.

Last Saturday Capt. *Henry Carroll*, in the Ship *Two Sisters*, from London, belonging to *Mr. Perkins*, arrived in *Patuxent*.

On Monday, arrived in the Eastern Branch of *Potomack*, the Ship *Sea Horse*, Capt. *John Tump*, from *Lisbon*, belonging to *Mr. Sylvanus Grove*.

This Morning came on before the honourable Judges of the Provincial Court, the Trial of *George Wilson*, alias *Newton* or *Jones*, who has been so often mentioned as being concerned in the Murder of Capt. *Smith*, about 15 Months ago in *St. Mary's* County, when he was found Guilty; and after so many Escapes, Prison breaking, &c. will undoubtedly be hang'd.

His Excellency our Governor has been ill at his House in Town for a long Time, and his Illness is now so much increased, that every one is concerned lest it should prove fatal. And this Day the General Assembly of this Province, which was to have met on the 12th of May, was prorogued to Tuesday the 2d Day of June next.

#### To be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the same Time and Place with *Mrs. Hammond's* Negroes, advertised on the last Page of this Paper.

ONE other likely Negro Man, about 26 Years of Age, 5 Feet 4 Inches high, who is a good Barber, and would suit in a House, or at a Plantation.

And a likely, strong, well grown Negro Fellow, about 27 Years of Age, who has been used to the Sea for about 3 Years; for Currency, Gold, or Bills of Exchange.

**CHOICE Good Genuine Bar-**  
— *Imported from that Island, to be SOLD by the Hoghead, by the Subscriber in Annapolis, for Current Money, or Bills of Exchange.*

*James Maccubbin.*

N. B. The said Rum being a Consignment, will be Sold cheap for ready Money, or short Credit.

**TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC VENDUE,**  
On Saturday the 9th Day of May, at Herring Creek, at the House of the Subscriber.

**A VERY good Bay SLOOP,**  
Burthen about 25 Tons, lately belonging to Capt. *John West*, deceased, with a Quantity of Tobacco, and a Parcel of good Cyder; all which, may be viewed at the Place aforesaid, by any Person or Persons inclinable to purchase, any Time before and on the Day of Sale.

*Eliza. West*, Administratrix.

And on the 12th Day of May at Noon, will be SOLD by Public Vendue, at the House of *Mr. William Wilkins* in Annapolis.

**A VERY good Dwelling-House**  
and Lot near the Town Gate, where *Mrs. Kelly* lately liv'd, and a good Title made to the Purchaser.

**STRAYED from Col. Tasker's**  
Vineyard near Annapolis, on the 26th Instant, a Bay Gelding, with a very little white in his Forehead, and a grey Lock in his Mane near his Shoulder, about 14 Hands high, 5 Years old this Grass, branded on the near Shoulder T, but not very plain. He was bred upon *Mr. Darnall's* Plantation in Frederick County, and it is supposed he has strayed that Way.

Whoever brings the said Gelding to Col. *Tasker*, at Annapolis, shall be paid a Pistole.

April 28, 1752.

**RAN away from the Subscriber,**  
living at Frederick Town, on *Sassafras* River, Maryland, on the 17th Instant, the two following Servant Men; viz.

*James Monk*, an Indented Servant, born in this Country, about thirty Years of Age, middle siz'd, of a swarthy Complexion, and pitted with the Small Pox; he is a well-set Fellow, much given to Liquor, and when so, a great Boxer and Wrestler; he is at all Times an abominable Liar and Villain. Being a stout Seaman, he has been often advanced to Officers Births, on board of good Ships, by those who did not know his real Character; but was, by his ill Behaviour, always in a short Time discharged, if he did not before that run away. I took him out of Goal under an Indenture, and have advanced for him Thirty odd Pounds; tho' he has been with me but since last Fall.

*Samuel Turner*, born in England, about twenty-one Years of Age, a little Body, and would sooner be taken for a lusty Boy than a Man; he is at all Times very waspish and quarrelsome, but when in Liquor (which is as often as he can get it) so much so, that he is generally whipp'd or kick'd by his Companions.

They took with them a large deck'd Schooner Boat, lately trimm'd and pay'd from light Water Mark with Tar and red Paint; she is square tuck'd, her Mainmast not so stout as her Foremast, a Scuttle forward, and a large Hatchway abaft her Mainmast, and a Pump rigg'd abaft that on the Larboard Side: She has a large Rife for a Cabin, and a sliding Door on her Roundhouse: Her Sails are old, but her Rigging mostly new, and she has a new Anchor and Cable: She is a wholesome Boat, and reckon'd a prime Sailer. They have on board some Pig Iron, which they always carry for Ballast; also a Compass, Hand Lead, Glasses, Colours, &c. and about 90 Bushels of Wheat, with a Set of Bags, which they took from the Place where they were to have their Load. They have nothing remarkable in their Habits (which are Seamen's), but that their Pea Jackets are of fine Lead colour'd Kersey, with wrought Horn Buttons, and lin'd with blue Pennsylvane.

Whoever takes up and delivers to the Subscriber, as above, the said Servants, with the said Boat, Tackle, and Wheat, or so much thereof as may be sav'd, shall have SEVEN PISTOLES Reward, if taken in Maryland; if in Virginia, TEN PISTOLES; and if in Carolina, FIFTEEN PISTOLES; from

*Michael Earle.*

N. B. They have with them a Boy about 16, small grown, but as grand a Villain of his Size as lives.

**ANY Person, who can write a**  
good fair Running Hand (more especially if he has officiated any Time in a County Clerk's Office), and can comp well recommended for Honesty, Diligence, and Sobriety, may bear of Employment, with suitable Encouragement, by applying to the Printer hereof.

#### To be SOLD,

**THE three following Parcels of**  
Land, all lying in Frederick County, viz.  
350 Acres, being half of a valuable Tract called *Whitchaven*, near *Potomack* River, only 2 Miles from *George Town*, at the Mouth of *Rock* Creek; the Plantation in good Repair, and 2 Tobacco Houses on it.

200 Acres, being Part of a Tract called *Hermitage*, 10 Miles from *Bladenburg*, choice plantable Land; with a Dwelling House and two Tobacco Houses on it, the Plantation in good Repair, and now rented by *Mr. James Bull*.

300 Acres, being half of a valuable Tract called *Friendship*, lying on the *Horse Pen* Branch, above *Great Seneca*, 30 Miles from *George Town*.

Those who are inclinable to purchase, are desired to apply to *Mr. George Scott*, Attorney at Law near *Bladenburg*.

#### JUST IMPORTED,

In the *Snow* *Russell*, Capt. *JOHN WHITE*, from LONDON, and to be Sold by the Subscriber, living near *Queen Anne*.

**A SORTABLE Parcel of**  
European and East-India GOODS, consisting of Linnens and Woollens, Powder and Shot, Hoes and Axes, Cheese, &c. &c. for ready Money, Bills of Exchange, Gold, Paper Currency, or Tobacco, at the very lowest Rates.

*Jerom Williams.*

#### Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Mr. Samuel Galloway*, at *West River*, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Horse, branded on the off Buttock W S. The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

#### Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Casper Smith*, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Dark Bay Horse, with a Sprig Tail, a large Star in his Forehead, two white Feet, branded on the near Side with R, on the near Shoulder P, on the off Shoulder H with two Hearts joined together on the Top of it, and on the off Buttock I with a Heart on the Top of it.

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

#### Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *William Brall*, Senior, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Dark Bay Mare, about 13 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder I B, or I R, and paces a little.

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

#### Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That there is in the Possession of *Mr. John Adamson*, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a middle siz'd Grey Gelding, branded on the near Shoulder E, with some black Spots upon his Shoulders.

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

#### Conformable to LAW,

**NOTICE** is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Joseph Huber*, in Anne Arundel County, near *Elk Ridge*, taken up as a Stray, a small Dark Bay Mare, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock I H, has a small Star in her Forehead; and had on a Bell mark'd M I M I T: There also came with her, a Black Horse, about 2 Years old, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock W; which is supposed to be her Colt.

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

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**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is at the Plantation of Elizabeth Plummer, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Grey Mare, branded on the off Buttock T W, and is supposed to be branded on the near Shoulder also T W, has two Glaze Eyes, and about 13 Hands high.

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

Conformable to L A W,  
**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is at the Plantation of Benedict Calvert, Esq; in Prince George's County, near the Wood Yard, taken up as a Stray, a large light Sorrel Horse, has no Brand perceivable, a Blaze in his Face, and is dock'd.

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

**THIS** is to give Notice, That  
there is at the Plantation of George Matthews, in Frederick County, near Frederick Town, taken up as a Stray, a Black Steer, about 3 Years old, mark'd with a Crop in the near Ear, an Hole, and under Bit in the off Ear.

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

**THIS** is to give Notice, That  
there is at the Wood Yard Plantation of Capt. Williams, in Prince George's County, taken up as a Stray, a Cow, with two Crops and two Slits in her Ear.

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

**JUST IMPORTED,**  
In the Snow Russell, Capt. JOHN WHITE, from London, and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Store in London Town,

**VARIETY of European and East India GOODS,** at reasonable Rates, for ready Money, Bills of Exchange, Tobacco, or on very short Credit, the Subscriber intending soon for London: Therefore all Persons indebted to him are requested to make speedy Payment; or at least, to come and settle Accounts, and give Notes for their Ballances; otherwise they may expect to meet with Trouble.

James Dick.

**JUST IMPORTED,**  
In the Snow Russell, Capt. WHITE, from London, and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Store in ANNAPOLIS,

**A LARGE Assortment of European and East India GOODS:** Also, Sail Deck, both English and Russia of all Sorts; Anchors from half a hundred to six hundred Weight; Cordage and Cables of all Sizes; Ship Chandlery, &c. &c. &c. both by Wholesale and Retail, at the very lowest Rates, for ready Money, Bills of Exchange, Gold, Silver, or Tobacco.

Stephen West.

**JUST IMPORTED,**  
And to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Store in Lower Marlborough,

**A LARGE Assortment of London and East India GOODS,** for Tobacco, Current Money, Sterling, or Bills of Exchange: Also, Barbadoes Rum, and Muscovado Sugar.

John Moffatt.

**To be Sold by Public Vendue,**  
On Wednesday, the 20th Day of May, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Jonas Green, in Annapolis, the following Parcels of Land, &c. belonging to Mr. John Lomas; he intending for London, this Shipping; viz.

**ONE Half a Plantation** situate over against the South River Inspection House, where the Ships lie to load, about 7 Miles from Annapolis, adjoining to Mr. Thomas Worthington and Capt. Charles Griffith's Plantations.

One Dwelling House and Lot in Annapolis, over against the Dwelling House of Edmund Jennings, Esquire. And,

One Moiety of a Lot not built upon, opposite to Capt. Bullen's in Annapolis.

Also, for a Term of Years, A good well built Brick Store House, where Mr. West now keeps Store, with a convenient Stable.

March 29, 1752.  
**ANY** Person or Persons, or Workmen, that will, and are capable of undertaking and repairing of the Brick Church in Christ Church Parish, Calvert County, are desired to meet at the Church of said Parish the first Tuesday in May next, when the Vestry of said Parish will give their Attendance: Likewise, that they bring in their Bill as near as possible for the following Repairs; viz. A new Roof intire to the Church, which is eighty Feet long, and forty Feet wide, three Girders across the main Body, two Porches of Brick sixteen Feet by twelve.

Signed per Order,

John Gray, Register.

**TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC VENDUE,**  
On Monday the 25th Day of May, at the late Dwelling Plantation of Col. EDWARD SPRIGG, deceased, in Prince George's County, pursuant to his Will,

**THE** said Plantation, containing 502 Acres of very good Land, whereon there is a good Dwelling House, Out Houses, and a very good Orchard.

Also, Another Plantation, not far from the other, containing 283 Acres, a good Part of which is very fine Meadow Land, commonly known by the Name of Lot's Quarter.

Both which Plantations are near at an equal Distance from Upper Marlborough, Bladensburg, and Queen Anne.

And, On the 29th Day of May, will be Sold by Public Vendue, at the House of Mr. Joseph Chaplin, in Frederick County,

About 800 Acres of very fine Land, Part of a Tract of Land called Addition to Piles's Delight, situate near the Plantation of the said Joseph Chaplin.

Mary Sprigg, Executrix.

Anne Arundel County, April 17, 1752.

**I AM** desired by a Gentleman in Virginia, to make a strict Enquiry for one William Nichols, who came into this Province under the Circumstance of a Transport, for the Term of Seven Years; and was sold to one William Ketley, living on the Garrison Ridge, in Baltimore County: This is to inform the said Nichols if he is living, and will apply to the Subscriber, That he may be informed of a considerable legacy left him in England. Any Gentleman that can give any Information of him to me, their Information will be thankfully received by

Charles Homewood.

**JOHN DEALE**, Weaver, in Anne Arundel County, designing with his Wife and Family, to go for Scotland very soon, gives this public Notice thereof, that all Persons who have any Claims on him may bring them in, that they may be paid: And all who have had any Dealings with him, and are indebted to him, are desired to make speed, Payment, or they may expect to be dealt with according to Law.

John Deale.

Conformable to L A W,  
**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is at the Plantation of James Rays, at Rock Creek, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a small Dark Iron Grey Horse, branded

on the near Buttock thus T C dock'd, and his Face of a whitish Colour

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

Conformable to L A W,  
**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is at the Plantation of Mr. John Darnall, in Frederick County, taken up by William Darnall as a Stray, a middle-sized Grey Mare, with a 2 Year old Iron Grey Horse Colt, and has a Star in his Forehead.

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

Conformable to L A W,  
**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is in the Possession of John Elliott, near Queen Anne, in Anne Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a small Black Horse, with a Star in his Forehead, a Snip on his Nose, one white Foot, and branded on the near Buttock H.

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

Conformable to L A W,  
**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is at the Plantation of Mrs. Darnall, on the Eastern Branch of Potomack, taken up as a Stray, a small Black Horse, branded on the near Buttock thus W T: has a Blaze down his Face, a bcb Tail, and many Saddle Spots on his Back.

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

**THE** Subscriber being determined for London this Summer, desires all Persons who are indebted to him, immediately to settle their respective Accounts, to prevent Trouble.

Daniel Wolfenbolme.

He has a large Assortment of Goods to be disposed of, by Wholesale, for Cash, Bills of Exchange or Tobacco; and reasonable Credit given.

Cecil County, April 9, 1752.

**RAN** away last Night, from the Subscriber, a Convict Servant Man, named Jacob Parrett, a West Country Man, aged about 23 Years, of a fair Complexion, short, but well-set, and very saucy. He took with him a new Felt Hat, (and perhaps an old Leather Cap) a good Duffel Coat, with large white Metal Buttons, a good ash coloured Kerley Coat, with a black Cape, and carv'd white Metal Buttons, a brown Holland Jacket without Sleeves, double breasted, with yellow wash'd Buttons, a Pair of half worn Buff Breeches, a Pair of white Cotton Stockings, a Pair of grey Yarn Hose lately footed, a Pair of new Pumps, a Pair of old Shoes, a Pair of large Pewter Buckles, with Brass Anchors and Tongues, a Dowlax and white Linnen Shirt. He is supposed to make for Annapolis, or intends to cross the Bay for Baltimore County. All Masters of Vessels are warned at their Peril, not to carry him off. He has been a Footman in England; and being a dextrous Fellow, may pretend to be a Coachman, Gardener, Sawyer, Shoemaker, &c. He took with him a Brown Horse, Bridle and Saddle; but probably will exchange the Horse for some other.

Whoever secures the said Servant, so that he and the Cloaths may be had again, shall have Twenty Shillings more than the Law allows, paid by

Hugh Jones.

**STRAYED** the latter End of March last, from the Plantation of Mrs. Sarah Beatie, late of Prince George's County, deceased, a Dark Bay Gelding, about 14 Hands and a half high, about 3 Years old, a natural Pacer, branded on the off Buttock T, one of his hind Feet white, his Footlocks lately trimm'd.

Whoever brings him to either of her Executors, Mr. Thomas Marshall, junior, or Mr. John Lamar, junior, shall receive Twenty Shillings Reward.

Conformable to L A W,  
**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is at the dwelling Plantation of Mr. Robert Lloyd, on the Head of Y River, taken up as a Stray, a middle-sized Sorrel Mare, with a Star in her Forehead, several Saddle Spots on her Back, and shod before.

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

Conformable to L A W,  
**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is at the Plantation of Capt. Henry Butler, in Prince George's County, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Horse, with a Switch Tail, 13 Hands high, paces slow, supposed to be old, branded on the near Shoulder I, but no other Marks that can be perceived.

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

Conformable to L A W,  
**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is at the Plantation of Mr. Nathaniel Rumney, near Patapsco, in Anne Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a middle-sized bluish Horse, branded on the near Shoulder with a Heart, has a flaxen Mane and Tail, a natural Pacer, and shod before.

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

Conformable



Conformable to LAW,  
**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is at the Plantation of *George Scott*,  
in *Anne Arundel County*, taken up as a Stray, a  
small Bay Mare, branded on the near Buttock  
with something like an O, has a black Streak on  
her Back, and her Mane hanging on the near Side.  
The Owner may have her again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges.

**THE** Publishing all the LAWS  
of this Province now in Force, in one com-  
pleat Body, being a Work agreed on by every  
one to be much wanted and very necessary, is now  
proposed to be done with all possible Care and  
Dispatch: In Case they should not be revised by  
the approaching General Assembly, the Printer  
hereof designs to send Proposals for Subscriptions  
into every County in the Province (except this  
County where he lives) to be lodged with the  
County Clerks; and if a sufficient Number of  
Subscribers can be found to defray the Expence,  
which is not in the least doubted, the Work will  
be gone about very quickly, and finished as soon as  
possible, with an accurate and correct TABLE  
prefix'd. As it is uncertain how many Sheets, in  
a large handsome Folio and good Letter, it will  
make, the exact Price cannot yet be ascertain'd;  
but the Subscribers shall have the Whole, neatly  
Bound and Letter'd on the Back, at Three Pence  
per Sheet; to pay Twenty Shillings in Part  
at the Time of subscribing, and the Remainder at  
the Delivery of the Book. If Thirty Subscribers  
in each County shall offer, it will be gone about  
in the Fall, and the Books ready to deliver to the  
Subscribers next Year. In this Work it is propo-  
sed to insert the Titles only of all such Laws as  
are Repealed and Obsolete, as well as some of  
those made on Special Occasions, such as some  
Parochial Laws of a private Nature, Prisoner's  
Acts of Relief, &c. and the Whole divided into  
Chapters and Sections: In doing which, the best  
Help and Advice will be had.

To be Sold by Auction,  
At Queen-Anne Town, in Prince George's County,  
on Tuesday the 12th Day of May,

**THE** LIBRARY of the late  
Reverend Mr. Henderson, consisting of a  
great many new Books of Divinity, &c. &c.

**THOMAS RIMMER**, Pilot,  
**LIVING** at the House of Wil-  
liam Elton, in Annapolis, undertakes to Pilot  
Ships of any Burthen, either up or down the Bay,  
or into any River. And any Gentlemen who shall  
think fit to employ him, may depend on the Care  
and Judgment of

Their humble Servant,  
*Thomas Rimmer.*

To be Sold by Public Vendue,  
On Friday the 8th Day of May next, being the  
second Day of the Fair, at Baltimore Town, by  
the Executrix of Col. William Hammond, de-  
ceased,

**ABOUT** thirteen hundred A-  
cres of Land, near *Soldier's Delight*, in Bal-  
timore County; whereon are two Plantations, well  
improved. Also, about four hundred and fifty Acres  
of Land, near *Newfoundland*, in said County; a  
Plantation well improved, and about seventy Acres  
of good Meadow, well cleaned and in Fence. Any  
Persons inclinable to buy, may apply to Mr. *John*  
*Gill*, near *Newfoundland*, or Mr. *Nicholas Orrick*,  
near *Soldier's Delight*, who will shew said Land.  
The Sale to be at Baltimore Town, and to begin  
at 12 o'Clock.

Also, to be Sold at Annapolis, the  
second Day of May Fair, next,  
at the House of Mr. Soumaien,

**A** PARCEL of likely young  
NEGROES, for Bills of Exchange, Gold,  
or Paper Currency. The Sale to begin, at Eleven  
o'Clock.

*Sarah Hammond.*

Wanting a PLACE,  
**ONE** who can wait at a Gentle-  
man's Table; Take Care of, and carry his  
Horses; Clean Knives, Boots and Shoes; Lay a  
Table; Shave, and dress Wigs; Carry a Lanthorn,  
and Talk French; Is as honest as the Times will  
admit, and as sober as can be.  
Any Gentleman wanting such a Person, either  
in Town or Country, may enquire of the Printer  
hereof.

**WHEREAS** several Lots, ta-  
ken up in *Charles Town, Maryland*, in the  
Year 1749, are likely to become forfeited, by not  
being built upon as the Law directs: This is there-  
fore to give Notice, That the Commissioners for  
said Town will there meet, on the 10th Day of  
May next, in Order, as well to renew such of the  
said Lots as shall then be so forfeited, as to dispose  
of several other Lots in said Town, now vacant;  
wherein the first Takers up, if they appear, shall  
have the Preference, otherwise they will be granted  
to others.

Signed by Order of the Commissioners aforesaid,  
4 *Matthias Bordley*, Register.

**JOHN SENHOUSE**,  
**HEREBY** gives Notice, That  
he now carries on the Business of Currying,  
as also the Business of Shoemaking, in all its  
Branches, such as turn'd up Shoes, turn'd Pumps,  
and double channell'd Pumps, double channell'd  
Boots, Slippers, Clogs, &c. in the completest  
and best Manner, at reasonable Rates; where all  
Gentlemen and others, may depend upon their  
being faithfully served, by

Their humble Servant,

4 *John Senhouse.*  
Annapolis, April 9.

Prince George's County, April 8, 1752.  
**THE** Subscriber intending by  
one of the earliest Ships for London, requests  
all Persons who have any Demands on him to bring  
in their Accounts, and they shall be paid: And  
those who are indebted to him, are desired to settle,  
pay off, or give Security, which will prevent Trou-  
ble to them, and oblige

Their humble Servant,

4 *William Lock Weems.*  
N. B. Attendance will be given duly on Wed-  
nesdays and Saturdays, at my Store and Dwelling  
House, for that Purpose.

*W. L. W.*

To be Rented, or Sold,  
**A** VERY good Dwelling House,  
with a good Cellar, Kitchen, Stable, and  
Meat House, all in good Repair, situate in Prince  
George's Street, near the Prison, in Annapolis; and  
there is also a good Garden to it, already planted.  
Enquire of Mr. *Joseph Ewitt*, living next Door  
of the said House, or of

X 4 *John Ewitt.*

**STOLEN** from the Subscriber,  
on the 12th of March last, at Night, A large  
Black Horse, 5 Years old, paces middling well,  
has a Star in his Forehead, a Snip on his Nose, is  
branded on the near Hip Bone thus + and has a  
ridge Mane: The said Horse was stolen by a Man  
who had on a white Coat, blue Stockings, and  
black curled Hair or Wig. Whoever will bring  
the said Man and Horse to the Subscriber, living  
near *Bladenburg*, shall have Three Pounds Re-  
ward: Or any Person, that will either secure or  
bring the said Horse to the Subscriber, shall have  
Twenty Shillings Reward, paid by

5 *William Pickett.*

**TO BE SOLD,**  
**A** TRACT of Land, lying on  
*Rock Creek*, about four Miles above Mr.  
*Daniel Carroll's*, containing Five Hundred and  
Seventy Acres. For Title and Terms, apply to

X 6 *Hancock Lee.*

Kent County, March 23, 1752.  
**WHEREAS** I am confined  
in this County Goal, for a great Number  
of Debts, which my Confinement renders me in-  
tirely unable to discharge, as it incapacitates me to  
collect many Debts due to me; and whereas I  
have offered my Creditors by public Advertisement,  
to deliver up my Books and Effects, into the Hands  
of Trustees for the Use of my Creditors, which is  
all in my Power to do; yet some of them have  
refused to accept these reasonable Terms. Now I  
give this public Notice, that I intend to apply to  
the next General Assembly for such Relief, as has  
heretofore been granted to others in my Circum-  
stances.

*Thomas Barkley.*

**Just Imported from GLASGOW,**  
In the Ship *NEWAL*, Capt. SMITH, by the Sub-  
scriber, and to be SOLD, at his Store in An-  
napolis,

**A** LARGE Assortment of Eu-  
ropean and East India GOODS, at rea-  
sonable Rates, by Wholesale or Retail, for Cur-  
rent Money, Sterling, or Bills of Exchange.

*Robert Swan.*

**LIKEWISE,**  
The said *Swan* carries on the Business of Tan-  
ning and Currying of Leather, and Shoemaking,  
as usual: And is now furnished with exceeding  
good Tradesmen, for every Part of the said Busi-  
ness: And having also brought in a Saddle from  
Britain, all Persons may be furnished with any  
Thing in that Way, at reasonable Rates.

**INSPECTORS**, who are not  
yet supplied with Books and Notes for the  
present Year, may have of all Sorts, what Quanti-  
ties they want, Printed on choice Paper, from

Their humble Servants,

*Jonas Green.*

**THE** Subscriber intending for  
London this Summer, requests all Persons  
indebted to him to come and make Payment, or  
settle their Accounts by Note, or Bond: And those  
who have any just Demands against him, are de-  
sired to come and receive Payment of the same.

*James Wardrop.*

February 19, 1752.

**DR. CHARLES CARROLL** having  
made a Street Way, from the Head of *Ni-  
cholson's Dock*, opposite to the Market House in  
the City of Annapolis, from the End of Church  
Street at the Water Side, through his Lots, to Duke  
of Gloucester Street, for the reasonable Convenience  
of others, as well as his own, by the Name of

**GREEN STREET;**

This is to give Notice, that the said *Carroll* hath  
several very convenient Lots, fronting on both  
Sides of said Green Street, some fronting on that  
and Church Street, or the Cove, and others front-  
ing on Duke of Gloucester Street and said Green  
Street, very conveniently situated for good Air and  
Prospect, and Building or carrying on any Trade  
or Business; which Lots he will sell, or lease at  
very reasonable Rates, for Lives or any Term of  
Years.

Any Persons inclinable to buy or lease, may ap-  
ply to said *Carroll*, at his House in Annapolis, and  
know further.

*C. Carroll.*

**ON** the 13th Day of May next,  
a Purse of FORTY POUNDS Cur-  
rency, to be run for, by any Horse, Mare, or  
Gelding, carrying nine Stone Weight, three Heats,  
each Heat to be once round the Poles on the Race  
Ground, near the City of Annapolis, and to be  
won by such Horse, &c. having the best of the  
said Heats: Such Horses, &c. are to be entered  
with *Jonas Green* two Days before the Race Day,  
and forty Shillings Currency to be paid at the En-  
trance, which with what further Addition can be  
made, is designed for a Race on the 14th Day  
of May.

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