

To be SOLD, or LET by the YEAR,
 An exceeding good BILLIARD TABLE,
 the Cloth quite new, with a Set of Cushions
 and Wires; as likewise several Balls and
 Sticks. For Particulars, enquire of Mrs. Cobbe,
 Yeoman in Annapolis.

JAMES BISSET, Attorney at Law, takes
 this Method of Thanking the Public for their
 valuable Reception of his Proposals, for Pub-
 lishing his ABRIDGMENT of the LAWS of
 MARYLAND. And begs of the Gentlemen
 who were so good as to exert themselves in pay-
 ing Subscriptions, that they would be pleased
 to send in their Subscription Papers to William
 Rind, in Annapolis, by the 2d of February next,
 then (having got enough of Subscriptions) to
 enable him to go on with the Work, he proposed
 to send his Copy to be Printed.

As the List of the Subscribers is to be printed
 the Copy, he asks the Favour of those who have
 Subscription Papers, that they would distin-
 guish the Gentlemen who have subscribed, by
 their Titles or Callings, and the County they live
 in. Whoever have not as yet subscribed, and chuse
 to have their Names in the List, let them subscribe
 before the 2d of February, or send a Note of their
 Names to the said William Rind.

JAMES BISSET.

A SCHEME
 OF A
LOTTERY,

For Raising the SUM of FOUR HUNDRED and
 THIRTY-FIVE POUNDS, for further Securing
 the DOCK in ANNAPOLIS, and other Public
 Uses within the said City; to consist of 1000
 TICKETS, at 15s each, 1204 of which are
 to be fortunate, viz.

Prizes.	Value.	is	Amount.
1 of 100	£.	are	100
4 of 75		are	300
8 of 50		are	400
16 of 25		are	400
32 of 15		are	480
64 of 10		are	640
128 of 5		are	640
256 of 3		are	768
1000 of 1216		are	1216
1 first Drawn, not otherwise a Prize			6
1 last Drawn, Ditto,			4

1204 Prizes, Amounting to 2565
 2796 Blanks, Sum raised £ 435 for above Uses

4000 Tickets at 15s. each, make 3000 £.

THE Uses to which the above Sum of 435 £.
 is to be applied, tending to the Public Good
 Service of the Community, as well without as
 within this City, the best Expedient that could be
 thought on at this Time for raising that Sum, being
 a LOTTERY, and the Scheme thereof calculated
 much to the Advantage of the Adventurers
 who are not being Two Blanks and a Half to a Prize,
 and the Deduction on the whole not 13 per Cent.
 nothing more need be said for its Recommendation:
 And it is not doubted but the Tickets will
 be all Sold, as near One Thousand of them
 are already engaged.

When the Tickets are dispos'd of, the Drawing
 to begin immediately, in the Court-House in
 Annapolis, in the Presence of Five of the Managers
 at least, and as many of the Adventurers as shall
 think proper to attend.

The Managers, viz. Messieurs John Brice,
 Stephen Berdley, Nicholas Macrabbin, James Dick-
 alster Dulany, William Roberts, Lancaster Jernegan,
 William Reynolds, James Green, Henry Woodward,
 James Johnson, John Clapham, and Bennett Clarke,
 to give Bond and lie upon Oath for the faithful
 discharge of their Trust.

A List of the PRIZES to be published in the
 Maryland GAZETTE; and Paid off, without any
 deduction, as soon as the Drawing is finish'd:
 and those not demanded in Six Months afterwards,
 shall be deemed as generously given to the Public
 for the Uses above-mentioned.

The whole to be conducted, as near as may be,
 in the same Manner as State Lotteries in England:
 Tickets to be had of any of the Managers.
 N. B. Fourteen Days Notice, at least, will be
 given in the GAZETTE, of the Time of Drawing.

WILLIAM RIND, at the PRINTING-
 Office, may be supplied with this GA-
 ZETTE Length are taken in and inserted
 in Proportion for long Advertis-

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MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, February 1, 1759.

BAUTZEN, October 17.

THE 13th Infant Marshal Daun gave
 private Orders to the several Colo-
 nels and Commanders of Regiments,
 to march immediately after the Beat-
 ing the Retreat, directing them their
 respective Distances. They marched accordingly,
 leaving a Man at each Tent, with Drummers here
 and there to beat as usual, in order to persuade the
 Enemy that the Army was quiet in its Camp,
 with Orders however to strike the Tents as soon
 as ever they heard their Cannonading at Day-
 break. As a farther Precaution to conceal their
 March, several small Detachments were likewise
 ordered into the Woods on the Side of each Wing
 to hack and make a Noise, which had also a
 very good Effect. After these Dispositions, we
 attacked the Enemy the 14th at Break of Day,
 forced their Entrenchments, and gained a com-
 plete Victory.

Paris, Oct. 17. As the English are getting ready
 another formidable Armament to avenge the Blood
 of their Countrymen that were slain in the Affair of
 St. Cas, and we know not against what Part of
 our Coasts they intend to level their Revenge, we
 are putting ourselves every where in a good Posture
 of Defence; but more particularly at St. Malo's,
 as we are afraid the Enemy have a Design upon
 that Port.

Brest, Oct. 2. The Squadron fitting out here
 consists of the Hector and Courageux, of 74 Guns
 each; the Sage and the Valiant, the Protege, and
 the Achilles, of 64 Guns; the Amphion of 50, the
 Zephir Frigate of 34, the Sirene, the Fleur de lys,
 and the Sauvage of 30; and it is expected it will
 be joined by two more Ships of the Line. This
 Squadron, which will soon be ready to sail, is to
 be commanded by M. de Roquefeuille, and is
 thought to be designed for our American Islands.
 As it is imagined our Men of War that are at Que-
 bec will not winter there, we expect News of them
 very soon.

LONDON, October 5.
 The following Letter was lately received by Lord
 TEMPLE.

My Lord,
 I was a Lieutenant when General Stanhope
 took Minorca; for which he was made a Lord.
 I was a Lieutenant when General Blakeney lost
 Minorca; and for which he was made a Lord.
 I am a Lieutenant still. Yours, &c.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman at Lisbon, to a
 Merchant in London.

"His Majesty was set upon the 4th Instant [Sep-
 tember] late at Night, by five People masked and
 armed with Blunderbusses, as he was returning in a
 Chaise from a Visit, with one Servant in the
 Chaise, a Driver, and a Servant behind. It is
 said all the Assaultants fired at the Chaise, killed
 the Man behind, wounded the Driver dangerously,
 and killed the Beast under him; that one of the
 Balls passed through his Majesty's Arm, and three
 slugs lodged in his Back, and that the Servant in
 the Chaise was wounded in several Parts of his
 Body. His Majesty has ever since been confined
 to his Room; and nobody but the prime Minister,
 the Confessor, Surgeons, and one or two particular
 Servants, are permitted to go near him. The
 Queen, by an Edict, is appointed Regent during
 his Indisposition. It is said the Night after this
 happened a well-dressed Lady was found with her
 throat cut, and in several Places her Face man-
 gled, buried in a Dunghill, at a little Distance
 from the Place where his Majesty was assaulted."

Extract of a Letter from Dartmouth, dated October 29.

Yesterday came in here the Mary Pink, Capt.
 Joseph French, from South-Carolina, who sailed
 with the Fleet. He gives an Account, that a
 French Man of War, of 60 Guns, and a Frigate,
 which came from Quebec with 5 Sail more, but
 the Company, fell in with our Carolina Fleet,

and took the Winchelsea, and several others. Capt.
 Frenchransomed for 1500l. He says she gave
 Chase to the Blandford, but believes did not take
 her. Those that would not ransom, she burnt."
 Extract of a Letter from Portsmouth, November 5.
 Thursday Evening arrived his Majesty's Ship
 Somerset, from Bristol Channel, with the Carnar-
 von Indiaman, homeward bound, retaken from
 the French by Admiral Boscawen.

"The Winchelsea of 20 Guns, taken by the
 French some Weeks ago, and retaken by two
 English Privateers, arrived at Spithead the same
 Day under Jury Masts, and sailed into the Har-
 bour.

"The same Day several of the Virginia Fleet
 arrived at Spithead. They met with bad Wea-
 ther, many of them are damaged, and some mis-
 sing."

St. JOHN'S, in Antigua, November 18.

We have Advice, by Way of St. Eustatia, that
 the French Squadron which was lately attacked by
 his Majesty's Ship Buckingham, Capt. Tyrrell,
 have been met with, attempting to get into the
 Granades; which, it was thought, they would not
 be able to effect. The Florissant was in Tow of
 the two Frigates, with 7 Feet Water in her Hold,
 and all her Guns and Stores taken out.—This
 gives us some Hopes, that, by a vigorous and active
 Pursuit, these Ships may still be found out, and either
 taken or destroyed.—Every additional Circumstance
 we hear, relative to the Buckingham's Engagement,
 adds more and more, to the Honour acquired by Capt.
 Tyrrell, and those brave Men who fought under him:

—Posterity will hardly believe, that the Bucking-
 ham, of 65 Guns, when greatly short of her Comple-
 ment of Men, attacked and defeated the Florissant of
 74 Guns, and upwards of 700 Men, assisted by one
 Ship of 38 Guns, and another of 28, both fully
 manned: At least, it will be said, "Pity it was that
 so much Gallantry should not have been properly
 supported; and not in any Degree have fallen a
 Sacrifice to so great a Disproportion of Strength."

Last Wednesday Evening the Privateer Ship Bri-
 tannia, Capt. M'Pherson, brought in a Schooner,
 which he took on her Passage from St. Eustatia to
 Guadaloupe.

The Privateers Lyon and Juno, belonging to
 this Place, have taken a Schooner, richly laden,
 from St. Domingo to St. Eustatia, and carried her
 into Anguilla.

Nov. 25. On Thursday Afternoon his Majesty's
 Ship Buckingham, came to an Anchor in St. John's
 Road. About 5 o' Clock Capt. Tyrrell came a-
 shore in his Barge, attended by Captain Troy, and
 several other Gentlemen: As he passed up the Har-
 bour he was saluted by every Vessel that had Gun,
 and by Guns placed upon several of the Wharffs
 for that Purpose. A great Concourse of People
 attended the Place where he landed, and in Huz-
 zas proclaimed their Approbation of his Conduct
 in the late Engagement between the Buckingham
 and 3 French Men of War. The Streets he went
 thro' were lined with People; and never could Men
 testify a greater Sense of Gratitude and Thankful-
 ness for an Action which will be ever memorable
 in the British Annals.

Capt. M'Pherson lately took two French Privateers
 off Barbuda; one of which he sent to Phila-
 delphia and the other to St. Kitt's. He has also
 taken a Spow laden with Salt, belonging to Mont-
 serrat, said to have been purchased with the neat
 Proceeds of the Free-mason Privateer, which was
 some Time ago sold to the Enemy, ready fitted.
 Two Days before Capt. M'Pherson came in, he fell
 in with a Brigantine and two other large French
 Privateers off Barbuda; two of which he decoyed
 pretty near, but being impatient to lay hold of his
 Enemies, he tacked and began to chase a little too
 soon, and presently after a sudden Gust of Wind
 carried away two of his Topmasts, which gave the
 Enemy an Opportunity of getting off, after receiv-
 ing a good many Shot.

CHARLES-TOWN, in South-Carolina, December 11.

The last Accounts we have from M. Chateleau
 are, that he had deeply loaded his Vessel out of
 the Prizes, and had gone from the Capes of Dela-
 ware, about a Fortnight since, to the Southward;
 and that she had only 50 Hands on board. The
 great Success this Ship has met with in America,
 will probably induce other European French Pri-
 vateers, of like Force, to try their Fortunes in
 these Seas the ensuing Year; but it is to be hoped,
 that no Colony on this Continent, will then be
 unprovided with a good Province Vessel; and if
 not, that a sufficient Number of his Majesty's Ships
 will be properly stationed, and ordered to cruise
 upon, and not off, these Coasts, to prevent any
 Injuries the Trade might otherwise sustain from
 the hitherto uncurbed Insolence of the Monieurs.

A French 50 Gun Ship is said to have lately ar-
 rived at Cape-Francois, and to have carried in
 with her a New-York Privateer Snow of 14 Guns.

December 25. On Wednesday his Majesty's Ship
 Zephir, Capt. Greenwood, arrived here from
 Cape-Fear, to careen. They did not observe any
 Thing like an Enemy on our Coasts; and, from
 the best Accounts, we have no Reason to conclude
 that any of the Enemy's Privateers either are, or
 for some Time past have been nearer us, than
 Monsieur Chateleau, off the Capes of Delaware.

BOSTON, January 15.

Last Saturday Night Capt. John Malcom ar-
 rived here in 10 Days from Louifburg, who informs
 us, That the Day he came out he met his Majesty's
 Ship Arundel commanded by Capt. Martin, who
 desired of him a Pilot that was acquainted with the
 Harbour of Louifburg, which he put on board;
 Capt. Martin informed him he had a large Quan-
 tity of Money on board for the Pay of the Troops
 there.

Capt. Bartlet informs, That three Days after he
 left Bristol, off Ushant, he fell in with about 145
 Sail of English Men of War and Transports, stand-
 ing to the Southward. 'Tis supposed to be the
 Fleet bound to Martinico; as mentioned in our
 last by Captain M'Taggart.

NEW-YORK, January 15.

The Mary, a Flag of Truce, William Brown,
 Master, arrived here last Friday, in 20 Days Pas-
 sage from Port-au-Paix, in Hispaniola, which
 Place she left the 24th of December: By whom we
 learn, That it was currently reported there; that
 a French Frigate of 36 Guns, from the Cape, had
 put into Mont-Christo, and destroyed 13 or more
 English Vessels, then lying there.

Jan. 22. Monday last, on searching the House
 of James Wilson, of this City, Tavern-keeper,
 the Sum of 1800l. the Property of Captain Isaac
 Sears, was found concealed in a Hole in the Wall
 of said House; and Wilson being immediately ap-
 prehended; was carried before an Alderman, where
 he confessed that he robbed Captain Sears on the
 Night of the 9th Instant, without any Assistance.
 He was directly committed to Goal, and being
 brought into Court on Wednesday, pleaded Guilty,
 received Sentence of Death on Saturday, and is to
 be executed on Friday, the 9th of February next.

Friday Afternoon Major General Abercrombie
 embarked on board his Majesty's Ship Kennington,
 Maximilian Jacobs, Esq; Commander, and sails
 for England this Day.

PHILADELPHIA, January 11.

Extract of a Letter from Trinity, in Newfoundland,
 dated in October.

"On the 5th of August the Eagle, a French
 Man of War, of 60 Guns, was wrecked on a Rock
 going thro' the Streights of Belleisle for Quebec.
 The Vessel and Cargo intirely lost; but the People
 all saved, as they were within three Miles of an
 Island. She had only 32 Guns mounted, her
 lower Tier being in the Hold. She had some
 heavy Cannon, with Powder, &c. 5000 Stand
 of Small-Arms, Cloathing for the Soldiers, 1500
 Tierces of Pork, 700 Barrels of Flour. In the