
A History of Printing in Colonial Maryland

77. [LEWIS, RICHARD.]? March 1, 1731-2 | A | Rhapsody. | [Four lines quoted, "Tacitus, vel ut aliis placet Quintil. in Dialogo de Oratoribus."] [Annapolis: Printed by William Parks. 1732.]

Fol. 1 leaf, printed both sides, with head-piece, tail-piece and heading as above.

Leaf measures: 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches. Type page, p. [1], including head-piece: 277 x 170 mm.

Reflective poem, probably by Richard Lewis, see under 1728. The name of Parks does not appear either on this sheet or in Lewis's *Carmen Seculare* of this year, but circumstantial and typographical evidence render reasonably certain the attribution to Parks. *A Rhapsody* was reprinted in Parks's *Maryland Gazette* for Feb. 9, 1732/33. See foregoing narrative, Chapter Six, for a brief account of Richard Lewis.

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78. MARYLAND, PROVINCE OF. Laws of Maryland, | enacted | at a Session of Assembly, | begun and held at the City of | Annapolis, on Tuesday, the Ele- | venth Day of July, in the | Eighteenth Year of the Domi- | nion of the Right Honourable | Charles, Lord Baron of | Baltimore, Absolute Lord and | Proprietary of the Provinces | of Maryland and Avalon, &c. | Annoq; Domini 1732. | [Baltimore arms] By Authority. | Annapolis: | Printed and Sold by William Parks, and Edmund Hall, M,DCC,XXXII. | Price Two Shillings to those who bought the whole Body of Laws, | and Two Shillings and Six Pence to others. |

Sm. fol. [A]-M²; 24 leaves; pages [i-ii], 1-43, [44], should be, 1-[46], pp. 37 and 38 repeated; p. [i]: title; pp. 1-43 [45]: text, with session heading.

Leaf measures: 11 $\frac{1}{8}$ x 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches. Type page, p. 2: 243 x 137 mm.

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79. —The | Speech | of His Excellency | Samuel Ogle, | Governor and Commander in Chief, in and | over the Province of Maryland, to | both Houses of Assembly: at a Session, | begun and held at the City of Annapolis, | ou [*sic*] Tuesday, the Eleventh Day of July, in | the Eighteenth Year of the Dominion of | the Right Honourable Charles, Lord | Baron of Baltimore, Absolute Lord and | Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland | and Avalon, &c. Annoq; Dom' 1732. | [Baltimore arms] By Authority. | Annapolis: | Printed by William Parks and Edmund Hall. M,DCC,XXXII. |

Fol. No signatures or pagination; 4 leaves; p. [1]: title; pp. [3-4]: head-piece and heading, "The Speech of His Excellency", etc; pp. [5-6]: address of Upper House; pp. [7-8]: address of Lower House.

Leaf measures: 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches. Type page, p. A 2 recto, including head-piece: 246 x 136 mm.

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80. —Votes and Proceedings, | of the | Lower House of Assembly of the Province of | Maryland. | (July 11-Aug. 8, 1732). [Annapolis: Printed by William Parks and Edmund Hall. 1732.]

Fol. No signatures; pages 1-57, [58]: text, with heading as above and session heading of seven lines; Nos. 1 and 2: pp. 1-4; Nos. 3 and [4]: pp. 5-8; Nos. 5, 6 and 7: pp. 9-12, (p. 9, misprinted 5); Nos. 8 and 9: pp. 13-16; Nos. 10 and 11: pp. 17-20; Nos. 12 and 13: pp. 21-24; No. 14: pp. 25 and 26; No. 15: pp. 27-30; Nos. 16 and 17: pp. 31-34; No. 18: pp. 35-38; Nos. 19 and 20: pp. 39-42; Nos. 21, 22, 23, 24 and [25]: pp. 43-57.

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81. [The Maryland Gazette Reviv'd. Dec. 5-Dec. 26, 1732, Nos. 1-4. Annapolis: Printed by William Parks and Edmund Hall.]

No issues of this year have been located, but the issue of Feb. 2, 1732/33, has title and imprint as above and is No. 9. It is probable that with Edmund Hall as a partner, Parks found himself able to resume his Maryland newspaper. Sometime between Apr. 20 and Dec. 28, 1733, Nos. 19 and 51, Parks again became sole publisher. See under 1733.