

SOLD cheap.

NEW COPPER
which holds about 90 Gallons
bound BUTTS holding
each. Enquire of the Printer

AS Madam Margate
deceased, by her last Will, did
bequeath Sterling to such of her
children as should be born, to be
divided equally; and in Case he should
die without issue, then to such of
his children as should be born, to be
divided equally; and as Mr. Bennett
to whom the said Money should
be paid, is unknown to me who of her
children she had, the most necessitous
Condition; I desire her said Relations
to be present, in the second Week of
the next Assembly, in order that I may
be able to do the Intent of the Testatrix.
Edward Lloyd.

HEMERY
OF A
TORY,

Sum of THREE HUNDRED PISTOLES,
for purchasing a TOWN CLOCK,
and securing the DOCK, in AN-

Value in Pistoles.	Total.
100 is	100
50 are	100
30 are	120
20 are	120
10 are	80
4 are	220
2 are	350
1 are	900
	5
	5
	2000

at Half a Pistole each, amount
to Pistoles, from which deduct 300,
and remain to pay off the Prizes, 2000

to begin on the 14th Day of September,
if sooner full, in the Court House,
the Presence of at least three of the
as many of the Adventurers as shall
attend; and continue Drawing 'til

Prizes to be published in the Mary-
soon as the Drawing is completed.
Adventurers may know the Fate of

to be paid to the Fortunate as soon
as his share is finished; and all Prizes not
distributed after Drawing, to be de-
termined for the above Purposes.

Persons appointed, are Benjamin Tasker,
Walter Dulany, and Edward
Dr. Alexander Hamilton, Messieurs
Lancelot Jacques, William Reynolds,
Beale Bordley, James Maccubbin,
and Jonas Green, who have given
Oath for the faithful Dis-
tribution.

to be conducted, as near as may be
convenient as the State Lotteries in Eng-

had of any of the Managers.

REAS there is a Va-
cant for a Master in Queen Anne's County
of England, and capable of teaching
Mathematics, Arithmetic, and good
writing to the Visitors of said School,
as much Encouragement as the Law
Schools will support them in.
per Order,
Nathan Wright, Reg.

OFFICE in Charles-street;
PUBLICATIONS of a moderate
Price per Week after for Con-

THE MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, August 23, 1753.

From the GENTLEMAN'S MAGAZINE, for April.

SIR,
I SEND you a Curiosity which you are desired
to lay up in your Museum, for the Entertain-
ment of Posterity.
I am, Sir, your humble Servant, J. D.

AT Burcott near Bromsgrove, Worces-
tershire, lives John Tallis, whose Man-
ner of Life is very extraordinary:—
He was born at Solihull in Warwick-
shire about the Year 1676. In the
Beginning of the Year 1724, being then about 48
Years of Age, he caused a Room to be prepared
for his Reception with such scrupulous Diligence
to prevent the Accession of fresh Air, that only
one Window was admitted, consisting but of four
Panes, and the Glass was directed to be more than
thrice as thick as common, from an Opinion that
by a Body so subtle as the Air, thin Glass might
be pervaded. To this Room he retired from the
World, but still regarding that Fluid which supplies
to all Animals the Breath of Life, as his mortal
Enemy, he thought some further Precaution ne-
cessary for his Defence. In the Year 1725 there-
fore he went to Bed, from which he has not since
risen; and as his Head in this Situation is chiefly
exposed, he has covered it with Swathings, Wrap-
pers, and Caps, that consist of near 100 Yards of
Flannel, and he is often as long and as busily em-
ployed in adjusting the several Strings by which
these innumerable Coverings are secured, as a Sailor
in righting his Tackle after a Storm: He has
Stoppers fitted to each Nostril; he usually holds
a Piece of Ivory in his Mouth, and a Piece of
Woollen Cloth is laid over his Face; his Shirts
are lined with Swanskin, and the Breast and Sides
are quilted.

When I beheld him, he open'd his Eyes and
stretch'd himself like a Bat that is just awaking
from a Sleep of six or seven Months; but, as he
awaked thirsty and disordered, he reached his Cup,
which was constantly placed near him with some
cooling Liquor, and having drank, he exhibited
his right Hand decorated with many Rings, which
he surveyed with great Appearance of Satisfaction
and Complacency; and entered into a Description
of Babel, the Nile, and Crocodiles. With Respect
to his religious Opinion he is a Quietist; and tho'
he is not useful, he is at least harmless. There
appears to be some Tincture of Avarice in his Dis-
position, and the dark Corner into which he has
retired from the more fashionable Vanities of Life
does not appear wholly to have excluded Affecta-
tion and Pride.

DUBLIN, May 18.
THE following surprizing Account from the
County of Wicklow, may be depended on
for Truth: On Saturday last when a Gentleman's
Family near Hermitage, arose in the Morning, they
found the House, to their great Surprise, standing
a Mile or more to the Northward, than it was the
Day before, without so much as a Chimney being
thrown down, or a Pane of Glass broken by the
Shock. Several of the neighbouring Houses un-
derwent the same Change, but without any Loss
or Damage.

LONDON.
May 3. Among the many Regulations intended
for the Island of Jamaica, there is one for the easier
Recovery of Debts, and speedier Trials at Law.
May 10. It is reported, that his Majesty will
visit his German Dominions next Spring, on Af-
fairs of great Importance.

We hear that the Parliament will sit 'til the
middle of June, and meet again in October; and
in March following be dissolved, when a Procla-
mation will be issued for choosing a new One.

May 12. Thursday was held a Board of Admi-
rality, when all the Lords were present, and we
hear that Orders were sent to Deptford, Woolwich

and Chatham to expedite the Ships upon the
Stocks, and employ an additional Number of
Hands for that Purpose.

May 15. A few Days ago a merry Incident
happen'd at an Inn at Hertford; some Persons
came thither, and desired the Landlord of the
House to get them a Hare, and dress it, let it cost
what it would; on which the Landlord replied,
It was out of his Power, the late Association ha-
ving prevented him from obliging his Friends or
Company with any such Favour; but the Com-
pany insisting on one at any Price, and he taking
them to be Gentlemen, accordingly got one, and
before it was dress'd, a Summons was sent by a
worthy Magistrate of that Town to come to him,
where he was acquainted that Oath had been ta-
ken, and Information given, that he was dressing a
Hare for some Persons, having come by it illegal-
ly; on which he was to forfeit Five Pounds. The
Landlord astonish'd at such a Demand, told the
Justice the Story, who advised him to pay the Pe-
nalty and bid him charge it in the Reckoning with
Dressing, &c. and if they refused Payment, his
Worship would oblige them: Which was accord-
ingly done, to the no small Mortification of the
Informers, and the great Disappointment to them
of dining on the Game on the Expence of the
Landlord, with Hopes of Money into the Bargain.

May 16. Some Letters from Paris say, that the
Clergy have got so much the Advantage of the
Parliament, that the King will, it's thought, exile
the Members of that Assembly.

Private Letters from Paris intimate, that the
Memorial lately delivered by the French Ambaf-
sador here, about the Ship Phoenix, is partly the
Occasion of suspending the Conferences between
the British and French Commissaries in that City;
and they insinuate, that when any Mistakes have
been made in Courts of Judicature, which cannot
be rectified without breaking through legal Forms,
the Crown ought to make good the Damage done
to the Parties aggrieved by such Mistake.

May 18. Yesterday Morning, Dr. Archibald
Cameron was carried from the Tower (attended by
several of the Wardens, and a Party of the Guard)
to the Court of King's Bench, and there arraigned
upon the Act of Attainder passed against him and
others, for being in the late Rebellion, and not
surrendering in due Time, and admitting himself
to be the identical Person, having nothing to say to
the contrary, Judgment was pronounced against him
by the Court; and his Execution was fixed as
Yesterday three Weeks. The Sentence is, to be
hanged, drawn, and quartered, and his Head to be
disposed of according to his Majesty's Pleasure.
The Court first intended his Execution to be next
Thursday fortnight; but he begged to be per-
mitted to see his Wife, who, with seven Children
(entirely dependant on him for Support) are now
at Lisle; upon which it was postponed a Week
longer.

May 22. Our Correspondent at Paris wants
Words to express the universal Amazement on the
King's banishing the whole Parliament of Paris;
and more especially at the Pains taken by the first
President, and the Members of the great Chamber,
to share in the Disgrace of their Brethren, and the
strong Appearance there is that the Parliament of
Rouen, and perhaps other Parliaments, will persist
in the like Measures.

May 23. Tuesday the Sheriffs, and a great
Number of Merchants of this City, attended at the
House of Commons about the Bill for naturalizing
the Jews.

According to private Letters, there are great
Commotions, not only in Paris, but in many other
Places, on Account of the Banishment of that Par-
liament.

Yesterday there was Advice, that the Swift,
Bonnell, from Madeira to London, had put into
Cascas near Lisbon, and that whilst the Master
and Crew were ashore, she was driven to Sea, with
a strong easterly Wind. There were only the Mate

and two Boys on board, when this Misfortune hap-
pened; and there was no Account of her a Week
after she drove to Sea.

The Companies of his Majesty's Ships Berwick
and Invincible, are ordered to be paid off at Port-
smouth.

This Day an Express arrived at the War Office
from Scotland, which brought an Account of the
Death of Lieutenant General Churchill, who com-
manded the Troops in that Kingdom.

May 24. Tuesday was held a Board of Admi-
rality, when all the Lords were present, when it
was tho't necessary to add to each of his Majesty's
Yards an additional Number of Shipwrights and
other Artificers, to expedite the building of the
Ships now on the Stocks, and to hasten the Repairs
of others destined for immediate Service.

The same Day their Lordships took into Consi-
deration the Losses sustained by the poor Seamen
of the Assurance Man of War, lately lost on the
Needles, and ordered them to be paid their Wa-
ges, forthwith at Portsmouth, and 20 s. each Man
extraordinary, and gave them three Months Li-
berty to visit their Friends.

An Express is arrived from Bristol, giving an
Account, that the Colliers had enter'd that City,
and had committed great Outrages an account of
the high Price of Corn, and demanding that no
more should be exported. When this Express came
away the City was in the greatest Confusion.

NEW BERN, (in North-Carolina,) June 2.

We hear from Bear-Inlet, that a Sloop be-
longing to Mr. Stephen Lee, of Onslow County,
was lately cast away on that Bar, as she was going
out, loaded with Pitch and Tar, she ran among the
Breakers, and bilged; most of the Cargo has been
saved.

June 16. Capt. Freeman, from New York,
informs us, That off Cape Hatteras, he met with
a Sloop from Bath Town, which had been over
the Bar but a few Days, but prov'd so very leaky,
that she could not proceed on her Voyage, and
was endeavouring to get in again; but when he
came up with her, she was full of Water, and the
People were taking to their Boat, which overset
with them just as they got into the Surf; but the
People were all sav'd. Captain Freeman brought
in some Rigging, and other Things, saved from
the said Sloop.

July 7. We hear from Eden House, the Seat
of our late Governor, that a few Days since the
said House was, by some Accident, entirely consu-
med by Fire.

BOSTON.

July 30. Last Wednesday Night, between 12
and 1 o'Clock, a Fire broke out in a Coopers
Shop on Broad-street, at the North End of
this Town which burnt with such Violence, that in
3 or 4 Hours Time (it being low Water) several
Tenements, Store-Houses, Shops, and other Build-
ings, about 30 in Number, were consumed, toge-
ther with large Quantities of Boards, Sashes, Maho-
gany, Cordage, Salt, and many other valuable Ar-
ticles. A Schooner lying near the Wharff, was en-
tirely destroyed, and a Sloop burnt down to the
Scupper-Holes. Several other Vessels received
much Damage in their Shrouds, Rigging, &c. and
very narrowly escaped being entirely destroy'd, as
did several Dwelling Houses in the Neighbourhood.
'Tis impossible to compute the Loss of the Sufferers,
but 'tis certainly very great, for there has not been
so terrible a Fire for upwards of Twenty Years,
tho' we have had several great ones within that
Time.

NEW-YORK.

July 30. We learn by the Captains Davis and
Waynman, who arrived here last Tuesday in 31
Days from the Bay of Honduras, that the Spanish
Privateer (or rather Pirate) Brig, taken and
brought in there some Time ago, by Capt. Sel-
geant, of Rhode Island, was, with the Consent of
the Captors, as well as the Byemen, set on Fire,
and burnt. We cannot hear of any Hostilities com-
mitted