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the Governor of his Majesty's other Colonies, to  
repel this unjust Invasion of his Dominion, in  
which we doubt not your Concurrence and Assis-  
tance.  
We return your our Thanks for the Assurance  
you are pleased to give us of your Readiness now,  
and at all Times, to join with us, in passing such  
Laws as shall be judg'd necessary for the better  
Government of the People of these Counties; and  
we shall carefully avoid proposing any, but such as  
appear to us to be consistent with the Duty we owe  
to his Majesty, and our honourable Proprietaries,  
and the Happiness of our Constituents.  
BENJAMIN CHEW, Speaker.

**A MESSAGE from the Governor to the Assembly.**

GENTLEMEN,  
SINCE speaking to you at the Opening of the  
Sessions, I have received a Letter from Sir  
Thomas Robinson, one of his Majesty's Principal  
Secretaries of State, signifying to me his Majesty's  
express Commands, that I should not only act with  
Vigour, in Defence of the Governments under my  
Care, but should assist his Majesty's other Colonies  
to repel any hostile Attempts made against them.  
This Letter I now lay before you, and hope, when  
you have maturely considered the Nature and Im-  
portance of the Service recommended to me, you  
will, as becomes dutiful Subjects to the best of  
Kings, and careful Guardians of your Country's  
Safety, exert yourselves upon the present Occasion,  
and enable me to testify my Duty to his Majesty,  
and Love to this Country, by acting up to the  
Royal Expectations, so warmly expressed in the  
Secretary of State's Letter.

ROBERT HUNTER MORRIS.  
New-Castle, OB. 28, 1754.

On these Messages the House voted the Sum of  
One Thousand Pounds, for his Majesty's Use, and a  
Bill was passed, laying a Duty of Three Pence per  
Gallon on retailed Liquors, for the Term of Five  
Years, as a Fund to sink the said Money.

December 5.  
ExtraB from the Boston Gazette, November 12.  
The Rev. Mr. WHITEFIELD preached on  
Tuesday Afternoon at the New North; Wednesday  
Morning, Sun-rise, at the South; and Afternoon  
at New-North, his Farewel Sermon there; and  
Thursday Morning, Break of Day, his Farewel  
to the Town at the South.  
" Though ten Houses of public Worship here  
were offered him, yet the Reason of his preaching  
lately at the South and New North only, was be-  
cause those two are the most capacious; at each End  
of the Town, holding near Six Thousand People  
when filled, as they continually were; near thirty  
crowding into some single Pews, and so's greater  
Number accommodated.

" All Sorts and Denominations, Low, Middle  
and High, the less, and the most Polite, abundantly  
shew'd the Pleasure they took, both in his publick  
Performances and personal Conversation; wherein  
the sweet and lively Christian with the free and pleas-  
ant Gentleman so agreeably combin'd, as greatly  
to recommend true Religion to every Company.  
The Ship he came in last from London to Georgia  
calling at Lisbon, he had a most affecting View of  
the wretched Slavery of the Lusty to the Popish  
Priests, &c. and mentioning some Instances, he  
thence frequently took Occasion in our publick As-  
semblies—to raise our Aversion to Popery and a  
Popish Pretender, to shew our exceeding Happiness  
in the Reign of King GEORGE, and the Succes-  
sion of his Protestant Family to the British  
Throne; and to fire us with Zeal for the same; for  
which, he most joyfully praised God, and most fer-  
vently pray'd;—and also to warn us against the  
French Encroachments in North America, and spirit  
us up to oppose them with the most heroic Vigour.  
His going about for such Ends, 'tis thought, would  
have a greater Influence to set the People against a  
Popish Government, than all the Books and Pam-  
phlets since the Revolution: Our Congregations  
were very attentive and much affected; the Pious  
were greatly enlivened; and the longer he said,  
the more the Number increased, the more the Pre-  
judices of many among us died away, and the more  
he grew in the Esteem and Love of the People,  
who filled the Churches an Hour before the Time  
of his coming, for fear they should not be able to  
get in. The Thursday Morning when he was to  
come at Seven, and give his Farewel, many got  
into the Church between Three and Four, and sent  
for him between Four and Five; when he was ob-  
liged to get in at the Window next the Pulpit, and  
begin before Break of Day. And as great Num-  
bers are praising God for his coming, a very weep-  
ing Assembly there was at parting. The Afternoon

and Evening following, such Numbers came to  
him, that after conversing with many in his Cham-  
ber, he was obliged to come down, and give a  
suitable and affectionate Exhortation to them and  
the rest in general. Next Morning he set out for  
Cambridge, and the Southerly Parts of New  
England, and so thro' by Land for Virginia and  
Georgia."

**ANNAPOLIS.**  
A Petition having been given in to the Lower  
House of Assembly, last Week, by some Gentlemen of  
Charles County, against the Legality of their last  
Election and Return, the same, according to Order,  
was heard Yesterday, at the Bar of the House, when,  
after a full Hearing, it was determined in Favour  
of the sitting Members. Yeas 27, Nays 23.  
At the late Election in Calvert County, Two of  
the Electors got into a Fray, and one of them, in the  
Engagement, bit Part of the other's Nose off. It  
seems he once bore, on the other Side the Bay, bit  
off a Man's Ear; and at another Time almost bit  
off a Man's Finger. [Query, Whether this Fellow  
ought not to have all his Teeth drawn?]  
[We have not yet been able to find Room for  
the long Letter, signed A BUCKSKIN.]

**BENEFACTIONS received**

- in Virginia, by the Rev. THOMAS BACON,  
for Account of the CHARITY WORK-  
ING-SCHOOL in Talbot County, with
- 1754.
  - Oct. 28. From the Hon. Col. Fairfax, by  
the Hands of the Hon. and Rev. Mr. Com-  
missary Dawson, 2 Guineas.
  - Nov. 1. From the Hon. Robert Dinwiddie,  
Esq; Governor of Virginia, 10 Pistoles.
  - 1. On Account of a Concert of Music in the  
College Hall, 14l. 2s. 9d. Cur.
  - 2. From Ludwell Grymes, Esq; 1 Pistole.
  - 11. From the Hon. and Rev. Mr. Commissary  
Dawson, 5l. 00s. 0d. Cur.
  - 11. From Augustine Smith, of Gloucester County,  
Esq; by the Hands of Mr. Commissary, one  
Year's Subscription, 12l. 10s. 0d. Cur.
  - 12. From Dr. Gilmore, 1 Caroline.
  - 13. From the Hon. John Blair, Esq; Auditor-  
General, by the Hands of the Rev. Mrs. Gra-  
bam, being 3 Years Subscription to the 14th  
of July last, at 2 Guineas per Annum, 6 Guineas.
  - 19. From Col. Wilson Cary, at Hampton, 1 Caroline.
  - 19. From a Gentleman desiring to be unknown, 2 Pistoles.
  - 19. From Col. Hunter, 1 Caroline.
  - 20. From a Gentleman desiring to be unknown, 2 Pistoles.
  - 21. From Capt. Arbubust, of his Majesty's Ship  
the Garland, 1 Pistole.
  - 26. From a Gentleman desiring to be unknown, 1 Pistole.
  - Dec. 6. From Col. Francis Willis 3 Years Sub-  
scription, at 3 Pistoles per Annum, now ceased, 9 Pistoles.
  - 6. From Augustine Smith, Esq; a 2d Year's Sub-  
scription, 12l. 10s. 0d. Cur.
  - 13. From Mrs. Carter, 1 Pistole.
- For which, the pious and charitable Benefactors  
are requested to accept the Thanks of the Trustees  
and Managers.

**TO BE SOLD,**

**A Valuable Tract of Land, in**  
Dorchester County, on Nantuxet River, be-  
tween 1300 and 1500 Acres, a very convenient  
Place for Trade, Snips can come up to the Land-  
ings on the Land; remarkably fertile in all Kinds  
of Grain, well adapted for raising large Quantities  
of Sack, for getting Lumber and Myrtle Wax;  
very level, rich Land, and little used or cleared.  
Whoever is inclinable to purchase it, may know  
the Terms, and have an indisputable Title, from  
Philip Ludwell Lee, at Stratford, in Westmoreland  
County, near Potowmack River, in Virginia.

**WHEREAS** there is no free  
Ferry over Patapsco River, for the Inha-  
bitants of Baltimore County; it may be thought  
that there will but one Boat tend, which will be  
discouraging Strangers from coming to the said  
Ferry, and especially as it has already been report-  
ed by some ill-natured Persons, that it has been  
neglected: This is to certify, that the said Ferry  
will be well kept with two Boats, and four good  
Hands, and due Attendance given.  
J. Joshua Dorsey.

**Now lying in Gunpowder Street,**  
and to be Sold for Bills of Exchange, Sterling, or  
Current Money,



**THE SLOOP**  
Hester, with all her  
Tackle, Apparel, and Fur-  
niture; she is well fitted  
and sound, is 43 Feet Keel,  
and 17 Feet Beam, and is  
about 18 Months from the  
Stocks. An Inventory of  
the whole to be seen, and the Terms known, by  
applying to Mr. Anthony McCulloch, at Queen's-  
Town, or the Subscriber, at Toppa.  
17d. 10s. Charles Christie.

To be Sold by the Subscribers, near  
Baltimore-Town,  
**A PARCEL** of choice Gold-  
Coast SLAVES, Boys and Girls; like-  
wise a Parcel of good Barbados RUM, and PI-  
MENTO; for Bills of Exchange, Sterling Cash,  
Gold, Silver, or Paper Currency.  
Chamier and Carnan.

**RAN** away from the Subscriber,  
living in Queen-Anne's County, Kent Island,  
on the 3d of November last, a Servant Man, named  
John Griffith, born in Wilshire; about 18 or 20  
Years of Age, he is a middle sized, fresh, well-  
looking Fellow. Had on when he went away, a  
dark Bearskin Coat, and under it a grand Durel  
Coat, black Jacket, Sagathy Breeches, a Cor'on  
Check Shirt, a Linnen ditto, fine Worsted Stock-  
ings, double channel'd Boots, a grey Grizzel Wig,  
and a Castor Hat.  
Whoever brings the said Servant to the Sub-  
scriber, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, if  
taken in the County; if taken out of the County,  
Thirty Shillings; and if taken out of the Province,  
Forty Shillings; beside what the Law allows,  
paid by  
William Horn.

Conformable to LAW,  
**NOTICE** is hereby given, That  
there is at the Plantation of Isaac Brashear,  
in Prince George's County, taken up as a Stray,  
a Black Mare, about 13 Hands and a half high,  
branded on the near Shoulder with a W, with a  
Cross at the Top of it, is a natural Pacer, has a  
Star in her Forehead, and some small Saddle Spots,  
and had on a small Bell.  
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 John Conaway,  
in Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray, a Black  
Mare, not broke, dock'd, or branded.  
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 Charles Robinson,  
Ship-Carpenter, in Prince George's County, a Bay  
Mare, about 12 Hands high, branded on the near  
Buttock with the Letter W, and on the near Shoul-  
der with the Letter R.  
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 Thomas Welsh,  
in Prince George's County, taken up as a Stray,  
a Sorrel Horse, about 12 Hands high, branded on  
the off Buttock with a Heart, has a Blaze in his  
Face, and his two white Feet.  
The Owner may have him again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges.

**THERE** is at the Plantation  
of Dorcas Hill, on the North Side of Severn,  
taken up as a Stray, an old red and white Cow,  
with a Crop and an under Cut in the left Ear, and  
a Crop in the right Ear.  
The Owner may have her again, on proving his  
Property, and paying Charges.