

THE Subscriber having been a long Time confined in *Somerset County Goal*, and not wherewith to satisfy his Creditors, hereby Notice, That he intends to apply to the next *General Assembly* for an Act for his Relief.
ABRAHAM DEAN.

HERE is at the Plantation of *John Hardes*, junr. at the Head of *Captain John's Branch*, *Frederick County*, taken up as a *Stray*, a small Horse, he has some *Saddle Spots*, and is led on the near *Buttock* with something like *Y.*
The Owner may have him again, on proving Property and paying Charges.

WILLIAM WILLETT, PEWTERER, LIVING about two Miles from *Upper-Marlborough*, on the *Bladenburg Road*, New Old Pewter at 9 d. per Pound, or will receive one half good new Pewter for any Quantity old, and to be cast in whatever Form the Employer pleases, either flat or foup Dishes, or flat up Plates.

B. He will wait on any Employer within or 30 Miles, to receive their old, or return new Pewter. And they may depend on be faithfully and honestly dealt by, by
Their humble Servant,
WILLIAM WILLETT.

WANTS a Place, either in a School or in a Gentleman's Family, a young Man well skilled for teaching Grammar and Arithmetic: which one may be heard of by enquiring of the Editor of this Paper.

SWEET, SWEET, SWEET.

PETER WILSON, in ANNAPOLIS, HAVING with great Application and Industry, acquir'd the curious Art of cleansing sweeping Chimnies, in the neatest Manner, hereby gives Notice, that he is willing to wait any Gentlemen at their own Houses, for the performance of his Business. And they may depend on his Care and Skill.

TO BE SOLD,

Sterling Money, good Bills of Exchange, Gold, Silver, or Paper Currency,

THE following Tracts and Parcels of Land, viz.

<i>Rover's Content,</i>	466	} Acres.
<i>Part of The Inclosure,</i>	89	
<i>Part of Goodluck,</i>	445	
<i>Fife,</i>	78	
<i>Beall's Chabnce,</i>	290	
<i>Falber's Gift,</i>	183	
<i>Bread and Cheese Hall,</i>	91	} Acres.
<i>Copper,</i>	113	
<i>Part of Laybill,</i>	649	
<i>Beall's Reserve,</i>	380	
<i>Drumeldry,</i>	225	

The Four last mentioned lie in *Beall's Neck*, in *Frederick County*, not above twelve Miles from *Bladenburg*, being a choice Parcel of fine Wood-land.

Also 450 Acres of Land, being Part of a Tract called *Allison's Park*, lying likewise in *Frederick County*, on or near a Branch, called and known, by the Name of *Captain John's Branch*.

Any Person inclinable to purchase Part of the first mentioned seven Tracts, lying in *Prince George's County*, may have the Quantity desired, provided be taken so as not to incommode the remaining part, to render it unserviceable, or prejudice the title thereof; and likewise, any Part of the several tracts, in *Frederick County*, in like Manner.

The Title and Terms may be known, by applying to the Subscriber, or to *Josias Beall*, junior, living on *Ackokick*, near *Piscataway*, in *Prince-George's County*. JOHN BEALL, junior.

N. B. Time will be given for the Payment of part, on good Security, if required.

at his Office in *Charles-street*; 12 s. 6 d. per Year. ADVERTISE-ments the first Week, and One Shilling

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THE

MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, January 29, 1756.

By Capt. Lee, who is arrived in Patuxent, in a Passage of six Weeks, from London, we have The West-India and America Monthly Packet of Intelligence, from which we have extracted the following Advices, viz.

LONDON, November 14.

YESTERDAY his Majesty went to the House of Peers, and having sent for the House of Commons, made the following most gracious SPEECH:

My Lords, and Gentlemen,
THE present critical Conjunction of Affairs, and my constant Inclination to have the Advice and Assistance of my Parliament on all important Occasions, have made me desirous to meet you here as early as possible.-----Since your last Session, I have taken such Measures as might be most conducive to the Protection of our Possessions in America, and to the regaining of such Parts thereof, as had been encroached upon, or invaded, in Violation of the Peace, and contrary to the Faith of the most solemn Treaties.-----For this Purpose, the Maritime Force of this Kingdom has been got ready with the utmost Application and Expedition, and been principally employed; some Land Forces have been sent from hence to North-America; and all proper Encouragement has been given to the several Colonies there, to exert themselves in their own Defence, and in the Maintenance of the Rights and Possessions of Great-Britain.-----With a sincere Desire to preserve my People from the Calamities of War, as well as to prevent, in the Midst of these Troubles, a general War from being lighted up in Europe, I have been always ready to accept reasonable and honourable Terms of Accommodation; but none such have hitherto been proposed on the Part of France. I have also confined my Views and Operations to hinder France from making new Encroachments, or supporting those already made; to exert our Right to a Satisfaction for Hostilities committed in a Time of profound Peace; and to disappoint such Designs, as, from various Appearances and Preparations, there is Reason to think, have been formed against my Kingdoms and Dominions.-----By these Methods, I have pursued the Plan which I formerly pointed out to you, and for which I had the Satisfaction to receive the strongest Assurances of your vigorous Support.-----What other Power can object to Proceedings so absolutely necessary to our own Defence and Security? My good Brother, the King of Spain, sees with Concern these Differences; and the Part which he generously takes in the common Welfare of Europe, makes him earnestly wish the Preservation of the public Tranquillity. He has also given Assurances, that he will continue in the same pacific Sentiments.-----In pursuing these great Ends, I make no Doubt of the vigorous and cheerful Support of my Parliament; and that, whilst I am engaged in this just and national Cause, the affectionate Assurances which they gave me the last Session will be effectually made good. In Consequence thereof, I have greatly increased my naval Armaments; augmented my Land Forces in such a Manner as might be the least burthensome; and have concluded a Treaty with the Empress of Russia, and another with the Landgrave of Hesse-Cassel, which shall be laid before you.

Both Houses have voted Addresses to his Majesty.

vices before mentioned will require large Supplies. I ask only such as shall be requisite for the effectual carrying on of those Measures, which shall be necessary to support what has been begun, according to your Inclination, for the Security of my Kingdoms and Dominions, and for the Purposes which have been already mentioned to you. Whatever you grant, shall, with the strictest Economy, be applied to those Uses only for which it shall be given.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,
I rely upon your Duty and good Affections, which I have so often experienced. There never was a Situation in which my Honour, and the essential Interests of Great-Britain, called more strongly for your Zeal, Unanimity, and Dispatch.

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LONDON, October 24.

WE hear that one Battalion of the Guards will go to Essex, another to Kent, and the third to Cornwall.

On Wednesday the Court Martial ended at Portsmouth on Lord Harry Powlet, Captain of the *Barfleur* Man of War, for leaving his Station without Leave of Admiral Hawke, when his Lordship was honourably acquitted.

October 25. Private Letters from Dresden advise, that since Count Fleming's return to that City from Hanover, it is confidently reported that he concluded a new Treaty very advantageous for the Court of Saxony, in Virtue of which Great-Britain takes into her Pay a new Body of Saxon Troops, besides those which have been in her Pay ever since the Year 1750.

According to Letters from Madrid, the King and his Ministers remain firm in their Resolution to take no Part in the Quarrel between France and Great-Britain. The Duke de Duras is still scattering Fire and Flames, and gives out that he waits with Impatience for the Return of the Courier he sent to Versailles to demand his Recall, which every one knows was granted before he asked it. It is said a Camp will soon be formed at Blackheath. Yesterday thirty Pieces of Cannon were drawn out of the Tower, in order to be sent to the Sea-Coast. A great Number of Horses are hired to draw a Train of Artillery from Woolwich at a short Notice.

By Order of the Post-Master General, Packet-Boats are established at Falmouth, for carrying on a regular Monthly Correspondence to his Majesty's Islands in the West-Indies; and also to and from the several Colonies on the Continent of North-America. Some Ships are taken up to carry Provisions and Stores to Philadelphia, New-York, &c. Letters from Vienna advise, that the Imperial Ministers in all the Courts of Europe will have Orders very speedily to make an explicit Declaration of their Imperial Majesties Intentions, in regard to the Disputes between the Courts of London and Versailles.

October 28. We hear that a strong Iron Boom is making at Deptford, to be laid across the Medway for the Defence of Chatham Yard.

On Sunday Se'nnight an Express arrived at Edinburgh, with Orders from the War-Office for the three following Regiments to march immediately for England, viz. Lord Charles Hay's, the Earl of Home's, and Lord Robert Manners's.

The *Constantia*, from St. Domingo, laden with Sugar, Coffee, and Indigo, taken by the *Rose* Man of War; the *James* and *Mary* from Newfoundland, for St. Maloes, taken by the *Gibraltar*; the *Swallow*, from Newfoundland for St. Maloes, taken by the *Experiment*; *Le-Jeune*, from New-

foundland, and *Dolphin*, from ditto, taken by the *Monmouth*; the *Dolphin*, from *Lalast*, taken by the *Shernefs*; *Le Jeune Amite*, from Newfoundland, taken by the *Eagle*; and *L'Aimable*, from Newfoundland, taken by the *Vanguard*, are sent into Plymouth.

The Captain Man of War hath sent into Portland a French Ship, from Newfoundland, for St. Maloes.

The Lords of the Admiralty have put the Royal Sovereign of 100 Guns into Commission, now lying at Blackstake, and given the Command to Capt. William Bays; and likewise the Intrepid Man of War at Chatham, and given the Command to Capt. James Young.

Sir Percy Brett, Knt. has received his Warrant from the Lords of the Admiralty, appointing him Commander of the Cambridge Man of War, of eighty Guns.

We hear from Chatham, that on Wednesday last the Royal Sovereign of 100 Guns, and the Princess Royal of ninety, went down the River; as did also the *Swifture*, of seventy-four Guns, the Hon. Augustus Keppel Commander.

A French Ship of 18 Guns and 180 Men, with some Stands of Arms, is sent into Portsmouth by the *Isis* Man of War; as are also by the *Swan*, viz. the *Dunkirk Merchant*, *Lanebos*, from *Leoganne* for *Dunkirk*, the *John Lewis*, *Vitel*, from Newfoundland for *Benique*, with 154 Men, and the *Adventure*, *Guimmore*, from Newfoundland for St. Maloes, with 125 Men. The three last are valued at upwards of 80000 l.

The King has been pleased to appoint Thomas Sherwin, Esq; first Clerk in the War-Office, to be Secretary to the Forces in North-Britain; and likewise to appoint Philip Baker, Esq; to be Barrack-Master and Surveyor of the Barracks in the Savoy.

October 30. The following Prizes are carried into Plymouth; the *Thetis*, for St. Maloes, from Newfoundland; the *Duke of Luxemburgh*, from Newfoundland for *Bourdeaux*, with Fish and Oil, taken by the *Monmouth*; the *Lenge Felix*, from St. Jent for St. Maloes, taken by the *Eagle*; the *Fidele*, from St. Domingo for *Bourdeaux*, taken by the *Ambuscade*, *Le Quic* Master; and the *Agillo*, from St. Domingo, for *Bourdeaux*.

His Grace the Duke of Marlborough will shortly be appointed Master of the Ordnance; which Place has not been filled since the Decease of the Duke of Montagu; and it is said, the Earl of Sandwich will succeed the Duke of Marlborough as Lord Privy Seal.

Yesterday the Lords of the Admiralty received Advice, that the Bedford Man of War was arrived at Portsmouth from Gibraltar, with the Trade under her Convoy.

October 31. The Lords of the Admiralty have put the *Newark* of 80 Guns into Commission, at Chatham, and given the Command to Capt. John Barker.

Lord Anson, Sir Percy Brett, and Commodore Saunders, set out this Week to view the Forts on the Southern Coast of England.

Advices from Plymouth assure us, that there are now no less than eighty-two French Prizes in that Harbour.

There is certain Advice from Boston in New-England, that on the 7th of September, upon the Approach of Genral JOHNSON, with the New-England Forces towards Crown-Point, near the Great Carrying-Place, he was vigorously attacked by 2000 French: Upon which our advanced Guard gave way, in order to bring the French and their Indians from their lurking Places behind Trees and Bushes, which had its Effect, and, by the intrepid Behaviour of these New-Englandmen, the French, after an obstinate Fight of near a whole Day, were intirely defeated, with the Loss of their Artillery and Baggage; their General in Chief