

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 4000 TICKETS, at 15/6 each, 1204 of which are to be fortunate, viz:

Prizes.	Value.	Amount.
1	of 100 £.	100 £.
2	of 75	are 150
4	of 50	are 200
8	of 25	are 200
12	of 15	are 180
20	of 10	are 200
30	of 5	are 150
125	of 2	are 250
1000	of 1:2:6	are 712 6
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 l. is to be applied, tending to the Public Good and Service of the Community, as well without as within this City; the best Expedient that could be fallen on at this Time for raising that Sum, being a LOTTERY, and the Scheme thereof calculated so much to the Advantage of the Adventurers (there not being Two Blanks and a Half to a Prize, and the Deduction on the whole not 15 per Cent.) Nothing more need be said for its Recommendation: And it is not doubted but the Tickets will soon be all Sold, as near One Thousand of them are already engaged.

When the Tickets are dispos'd of, the Drawing is 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 Burdley, Nicholas Maccabbin, James Dick, Walter Dulany, John Raitt, William Roberts, Lancelot Jacques, William Reynolds, Jonas Green, Henry Woodward, James Johnson, John Clapham, and Bennett Chew, are to give Bond and be 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, to 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.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Westfall Ridge*, living near *Kittokton Mountain* in *Frederick County*, taken up as a Stray, a middle-fiz'd Black Gelding, with a small Star in his Face, has several Saddle Spots, his near hind Foot white, and is branded on the off Thigh with something like this W.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THE Two following Tracts of LAND, lying in *Calvert County*: The one called *Hard Travel*, at the Head of *Battle-Creek*, near the Church, containing about Four Hundred Acres, extremely well wooded and timbered: The other called *Harwood*, lying at the Head of *Battle-Creek*, containing Five Hundred Acres. Time will be allowed for Payments, upon giving Bond.

To be Sold to the Highest Bidder, on Wednesday the Twelfth of April next, at QUEEN-ANNE, on Patuxent River, or, if it should rain that Day, the next fair Day after.

A CHOICE Parcel of SEAVES, belonging to *Thomas Bladen*, Esq; removed from his Plantation in *Baltimore County*, amongst which are Six Men, the oldest not exceeding 36 Years. The Sale to begin at XII o'Clock, and continue till all are Sold.

ANNAPOLIS. Printed by JONAS GREEN, Post-Master, at his Office in *Charles-Street*; by whom all Persons may be supplied with this GAZETTE, at 12 s. 6 d. per Year. ADVERTISEMENTS of a moderate Length are taken in and inserted for Five Shillings the first Week, and One Shilling each Week after the First.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Joseph Walker*, in *Prince-George's County*, taken up as Strays, a Bay Horse, branded on the near Buttock with O, appears to be about 4 Years old; and a Sorrel Colt, neither branded nor dock'd, appears to be about 2 Years old.

The Owner or Owners may have them again, on proving their Property, and paying Charges.

March 2, 1758.

STRAYED or Stolen, about 6 Weeks ago, from the Plantation of the Reverend Mr. *John MacPheron*, at *New-Port*, in *Charles County*, a small Light Bay Mare, has a small Star in her Forehead, a ridge Mane not lately trimm'd, branded on the near Buttock F X P or something like it.

Whoever brings her to the Plantation of Mr. *Robert Gill*, senior, at *New-Port*, shall have TEN SHILLINGS Reward.

RAN away on the 25th Day of July, 1756, from the Subscriber, living at the Mouth of *Conococheague*, a Mulatto Servant Man, and a White Servant Woman.

The Mulatto's Name is *Isaac Cromwell*, about 45 Years of Age, 5 Feet 9 or 10 Inches high, well-set, can talk Dutch as well as English, and pretends, where ever he comes, to be married to the White Servant Woman, by whom he has had one Daughter named *Susanna*, about 5 or 6 Years old, which they took with them when they went away.

The Woman's Name is *Anna Green*, an English Woman, about 40 Years of Age, is of a middle Stature, but pretty thick, she is marked with the Small-Pox, has dark colour'd Hair, and commonly walks with her Hands on her Hips. She acknowledges the said Mulatto to be her Husband, and went with him about 6 Years ago into the *Jerseys*.

The said Servants were some Time ago in *Baltimore County*, but I am informed they are now removed, and gone, as is supposed, either over the Bay, or else to the Northward.

Any Person securing the said Servants, so as the Subscriber may get them again, shall receive Five Pounds for both, or Fifty Shillings for either of them; or bringing them to the Subscriber, shall receive the aforesaid Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

THOMAS CRESAP.
If they should happen to be taken up, Notice is desired to be given to *Jonas Green*.

WHEREAS a yellow Slave, well-set, with short cut Hair, near 5 Feet high, about 24 Years old, by Name *Toby*, and is a Weaver by Trade, absconded from his Mistress on Sunday Morning the 12th of February Instant, and took with him all his Cloaths; viz. a Duroy Coat, a Country Cloth Waistcoat, a Country Cloth Pair of Breeches, a long Pair of Dime, and a Linen Cap; (the Coat and the Cap it is supposed he wears); he had a Pair of Brass Buckles in his Shoes, one of which is broke; he speaks good English, and is very smooth in his Speech; his Eyes much like an Indian's; his Lips very thick, and in his other Features much like a Negro. It is supposed he will make for the Eastern Shore, as he has before attempted it. Whoever takes up the said Slave, and brings him to the Subscriber, living upon *St. Clement's Bay*, in *St. Mary's County*, shall receive the Sum of Ten Shillings, over and above what the Law allows, if taken out of *St. Mary's County*.

THE Subscriber once more gives this public Notice, that those who are indebted to him on Account of the Store he lately kept here, at the House of Mr. *John Winter*, and do not immediately pay off their respective Balances, or secure them by Bond or otherwise, to the Satisfaction of Mr. *Andrew Buchanan*, who now keeps Store at the same Place, and has full Power to collect and receive those Debts, may depend on being sued, without Loss of Time or Respect of Persons.

Those who have any Demands against the said Concern, are likewise desired to bring in their Accounts directly, and apply to the said Mr. *Buchanan* for Payment.

NOTICE is hereby gives, that the Subscriber has received a Letter from Mr. *William Perkins*, Merchant in *London*, dated the 15th of November last, acquainting him, he had Chartered Two Ships, viz. the *Troy*, Capt. *Walton*, to Load in *Patuxent River*, and the *Troy*, Capt. *Wilkins*, to Load in *Patuxent River*; And those who favour him with their Tobacco by them, are to observe, that Insurance is made, which will be inserted in their Bills of Loading, not exceeding Six Pounds per Hoghead, clear of all Deductions. The Ships being now arrived, and lying in the Mouth of *Patuxent River*, will repair to their respective Moorings: the first fair Wind. I have in the above-mentioned Letter, Advice of the *Dutch*, Capt. *Maitland*, who Loaded in *Patuxent River* last Year, being founder'd at Sea on her Voyage to *London*, in a violent Gale of Wind; but the Captain and Ship's Company, with the Letters, were saved; and that every Shipper on board said Vessel will receive their Insurances, ordered, of which Mr. *Perkins* informs me he shall, by the first Opportunity, render them an Account.

HENRY CARROLL.

TO BE SOLD,

A VERY good SAILING BOAT, a prime Sailer, about 21 Feet Keel, 6 and 1/2 Beam, and 3 and 1/2 in the Hold; her Frame Mulberry, has a middling good Suit of Sails, Anchor and Cable, with other Materials, &c. Enquire of the Printer heretof.

TO BE SOLD,

By the SUBSCRIBER near *Severn-Ferry*, in ANNAPOLIS.

CHOICE SINGLE and DOUBLE REFINED SUGAR, RICE, SHIP BREAD, and fine old CANE SPIRIT, by Wholesale or Retail; as likewise BUTTER by the Firkin.

JOHN CLAPHAM.

STRAYED from *Lower-Marlborough* the second of January last, a Brown Horse, between 12 and 13 Hands high, about 5 Years old, paces slow, and trots and gallops, has a short Switch Tail, a small white Spot in his Forehead, is branded, but with what can't be remembered, and had a Pair of Shoes taken off just before he was lost. Whoever will bring the said Horse to the Printer heretof, or to the Subscriber, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward.

THOMAS JONES.

HORSES, to go on Expresses, or Journeys of any Distance, to be LET by the Subscriber in *Annapolis*, who will likewise furnish any Gentleman with a faithful and expeditious Messenger to go on Expresses.

N. B. The said *Pecker* intreats all Persons indebted to him to make speedy Payment, or to settle their Accounts by Notes, to prevent further Trouble.

He will either Buy, or Kill for Others in the neatest Manner, and at a cheap Rate, by good English BUTCHERS, any Parcels of Fat Cattle or Sheep.

JUST IMPORTED from BRISTOL, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber at his Store in UPPER-MARLBOROUGH and PIG-POINT.

A PARCEL of WELSH COTTONS, FRIZES, RUGS, and BLANKETS, and other WINTER GOODS; CROWN GLASS 8 by 10, and 11 by 9; NAILS and IRON WARE, QUART BOTTLES, &c. &c. &c.

STEPHEN WEST.

TO BE SOLD OR LET,

A TRACT of LAND, containing 280 Acres, 16 Acres of which is excellent fresh Water Meadow, with a good Orchard of young grafted Trees, lying on the Round-Bay near the *Vine-Tank*, on which there is a good Dwelling-House, Stable, Corn-House, &c. For Terms, and further Particulars, enquire of Mr. *Lancelot Jacques*, Merchant, in *Annapolis*.

MARY

Containing

RATISBON, December 7.

THE Minister of the King of Britain, Elector of Hanover, received Orders to represent Diet of the Empire, that his Master finds himself necessitated to break through the Convention with the Generals of the French Army following Reasons, viz.

1. Because the Court of France pretend to oblige the Hanoverian Troops not to assist her or any of her Allies, during the Continuance of the present War.

2. She demanded that the auxiliary Troops should be disbanded before they returned home.

3. That then it became necessary to proceed farther in the Convention, rather than confine Troops which were not Prisoners of War, to submit by laying down their Arms to the Conditions as if they had been so.

4. That his Britannic Majesty look'd on the pension of Arms as paving the Way for and as a Means to comprehend his Allies on Conditions which should be agreed on instead thereof the Court of France refused its helping Hand, and to treat of Peace with King, in Quality of Elector, that it might at Liberty to act arbitrarily in the electorates of his Britannic Majesty, as well of the Princes his Allies.

5. That this was the Design in making the Hostilities committed notwithstanding the Truce, by the Plunderings and Seizing the son of *Schartzfels* in the *Hartz*, as Prince of *Saxony*. How exact soever the Hanoverians were, in ing up the French Prisoners taken before the Convention, the French, who were obliged to the same Conditions, fail'd in the Performance of their Obligations, where they were not to enter, were forc'd to give in the Receipts. That the King's Majesty and those of the electoral Troops, were even in Places look'd upon as Neutral, the Country has been abus'd and plainly proving, that the Design was the King's electoral Dominions, and cause the Destruction of his Army, which had before endeavour'd at, by confining Troops to Quarters where they must be exposed to the Rigour of the Season, and in all Instances in Want of all Necessaries.

That for these Reasons his Britannic Majesty flatters himself that the States of the Empire acknowledge the Solidity and Rectitude of his Position, notwithstanding his present Situation, under the Necessity of having again to Arms, as the only Means to rescue his Subjects from the Oppressions they suffer, his Allies from the Vexations imposed upon them, and the Measures he is obliged to take, in order to support his exhausted Bounds of his Patience being exhausted, attended with that happy Success which has sweeten'd the lawful Views of yielding to the necessary Necessity he is at present under of again Recourse to his Arms.

A true Copy of a Letter from Monsieur de *Wick*, Commander in Chief of the Hanoverian Army.

SIR,
ALTHOUGH for some Days past I perceived the Hanoverian Motion, in order to form themselves into a new Army, I could not imagine the Object of the same was to break the Convention of *Alton* signed the 3th and 10th of September last, by his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland. The good Faith which I naturally