

JUST PUBLISHED,  
(And to be SOLD at the PRINTING-OFFICE)  
**THE MARYLAND ALMANACK** for  
the Year 1759.

THERE is in the Possession of *Thomas Casbolt*, in *Baltimore County*, taken up as a Stray, an old middle-fiz'd Grey Horse, has one Glass Eye, and a Slit in his Ear.  
The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Hillary Lyles*, in *Prince-George's County*, taken up as a Stray, a small Black Mare, unbroke; she has a small Star in her Forehead, and is branded imperfectly on the near Buttock.  
The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Ignatius Doyne*, in *Charles County*, taken up as a Stray, a middle-fiz'd Dark Bay Gelding, branded on the near Thigh HP (join'd in one) and on the Shoulder P, he trots and gallops well, has a bob Tail, and is about 5 Years old.  
The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

JACOB LUSBY,  
(Who keeps FERRY at South River, where his late Father lived)

HEREBY gives Notice, That he now keeps TAVERN, where all Gentlemen Travellers and Others may depend on meeting with good Accommodations, and kind Usage, from  
Their humble Servant,  
JACOB LUSBY.

WHEREAS little or no Regard hath been paid to my Advertisement in several Weeks Gazettes, relating to the Debts due to the Estate of my late Husband *John Raitt*; I once more give this friendly Notice to all whom it may concern, that unless they come and settle their respective Accounts by the Tenth of *January*, they may depend on being sued to *March* Court next without Exception.  
ANNE RAITT, Administratrix.  
N. B. Rum, Sugar, Salt, and Melasses, retail'd at my Store.

STRAYED from the Subscriber's Plantation, in *Prince-George's County*, Four Steers, 4 or 5 Years old, branded on the Buttocks B T, but not distinct; they may be also marked in the Ears.  
Strayed from the same Place, a Heifer branded on the Horns S O.  
Whoever will give Information, so as that the said Cattle may be got again, shall receive Ten Shillings Reward for each.  
B. TASKER, junior.

Upper-Marlborough, December 4, 1758.  
STOLEN from the Subscriber on Friday Night last, Two large Silver Table Spoons, Twelve Tea Spoons, One Pap Spoon (the Handle of it is a Marrow Spoon) and a Cream-Por, quite plain, and not very large. One of the Table Spoons is mark'd with M T, and the other (and Eight of

the Tea Spoons) mark'd B E, and Four of the Tea Spoons are mark'd M A. There was Stolen at the same Time a Tea Strainer, which has no Mark.  
If they should be offered to Sale, it is desired they may be stopped. And whoever will secure them, so that they may be had again, shall have a Pistole Reward; and for the Discovery of the Thief, One Pistole more.  
BENJAMIN BROOKES.

On Monday the 21st Day of May next, the Subscribers will sell to the Highest Bidder, at the House of Mr. William Brown, at London-Town,

ABOUT 350 Acres of LAND, lying very near London-Town, the Land being Part of the Estate of Mr. William Peale, late of said Town, deceased. For Title, enquire of the Subscribers.  
JAMES MONAT,  
JAMES DICK, } Executors.  
JAMES NICHOLSON;

TO BE SOLD,  
SEVERAL valuable Tracts of LAND, lying in the lower Part of *Frederick County*, well Water'd, Timber'd, and plenty of good Meadow Ground; for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or heavy Tobacco. For further Particulars enquire of  
HENRY WRIGHT CRABB.

To be SOLD, or LET by the YEAR,  
AN exceeding good BILLIARD-TABLE, the Cloth quite new, with a Set of Candlesticks and Wires; as likewise several Balls and Tacks. For Particulars, enquire of Mrs. *Caroline Jennings* in *Annapolis*.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, living near North River, in Gloucester County, Virginia,



A SHIP now on the Stocks, measuring about two hundred and sixty Tons, and may be launched in two Months: Her Framing and Plank are very good and well seasoned, and she is not inferior in Beauty to any Vessel built in this Colony. Any Person who shall incline to purchase the said Ship may have her completely finished, with all Masts, Yards, &c. for Fifty-eight Shillings Sterling per Ton; the Money or Bills to be paid at our General Court in April next.  
MORDECAI BOOTH.

JAMES BISSET, Attorney at Law, takes this Method of Thanking the Public for their favourable Reception of his Proposals, for Publishing his ABRIDGMENT of the LAWS of MARYLAND. And begs of the Gentlemen who were so good as to exert themselves in procuring Subscriptions, that they would be pleased to send in their Subscription Papers to *William Rind*, in *Annapolis*, by the 2d of *February* next, as then (having got enough of Subscriptions to enable him to go on with the Work) he proposes to send his Copy to be Printed.  
As the List of the Subscribers is to be prefixed to the Copy, he asks the Favour of those who have the Subscription Papers, that they would distinguish the Gentlemen who have subscribed, by their Titles or Callings, and the County they live in.

Whoever have not as yet subscribed, and chuse to have their Names in the List, let them subscribe before the 2d of *February*, or send a Note of their Names to the said *William Rind*.  
N. B. The Reason of delaying the Printing so long, is, that, to make his Abridgment the more compleat, he is to include in it what Acts may be past this ensuing Session of Assembly.  
JAMES BISSET.

STRAYED away the 23d of *October* last, from Mr. *Reynold's* in *Annapolis*, a Bright Bay Horse, about 13 Hands high, has a Switch Tail, a Lump on his upper Lip as large as a Mufket-Ball, one of his fore Legs has been cut with Spangles, he trots and gallops, and is branded on the near Buttock G F.  
Whoever brings the said Horse to Mr. *Reynold's*, or to Mr. *Lowndes's* at *Bladensburg*, shall receive a Reward of Ten Shillings.  
BASIL WHEELER.

October 24, 1758.  
STRAY'D from Mr. *John Doncastle's*, at *Port-Tobacco*, about Eight Days ago, a middle-fiz'd Dark colour'd Horse, has a bob Tail, a motly Star in his Forehead, and branded on the near Buttock with the Letters I H.  
Whoever brings the said Horse to the Subscriber, shall be paid for his Trouble, and reasonable Charges bore.  
DANIEL OF ST. THOMAS, JUNIOR.

TO BE SOLD,  
FOUR Hundred and Seventy-Three Acres of good LAND, Part of a Tract of Land called *WILSON'S DELAY*, lying a few Miles below the Ferry over *Manocass*, in *Frederick County*. For Title and Terms, apply to Mr. *Robert Lamar*, near *Manocass*, or the Subscriber.  
DANIEL CARROLL.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, at Severn-Ferry, for Ready Money only,  
CHOICE MADEIRA WINE, at Twelve Shillings per Gallon. JOHN CLAPHAM.

To be SOLD to the HIGHEST BIDDER, at CHESTER-TOWN, Kent County, for Bills of Exchange or Paper Currency, on Tuesday the 20th of MARCH next, being the first Day of Court,

A MESSUAGE or TENEMENT, called TOWN-SIDE, commodiously situated in the said County, on *Chester River*, for the Grain Trade of both *Kent* and *Queen-Anne's*, being about 20 Miles from *Duck-Creek* on *Delaware*, 8 Miles South from *George-Town*, 10 Miles above *Chester-Town*, and 7 Miles from the Head of the River. The Tenement consists of a good Dwelling-House with a Cellar, a good Brick Store-House with a Cellar, Kitchen, Grainary, and other Out-Houses, with a good paled Garden, and about 18 Acres of excellent Pasture under good Fence. The Landing is a Quay or Wharf, where a Vessel of 2000 Bushels Burthen may come and load.  
The Premises may be viewed at any Time before the Sale, on applying to Mr. *John Eckles* in the Neighbourhood.  
By a special Power on Record from the late *Foster Cunliffe*, and Sons, Esquires.  
H. CALLISTER.

A 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.	is	Amount.
1 of 100	£.	are	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	1: 2: 6	are	1125
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 Use.

4000 Tickets at 15/6 each, make 3000 £.  
THE Uses to which the above Sum of 435 £. 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 Bria, Stephen Berdrey, Nicholas Maricabbin, James Ditch, Walter Dalary, William Roberts, Laurens Jacox, William Reynolds, Jonas Green, Henry Woodcock, James Johnson, John Clapham, and Bennett Chen*, 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.

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BASSETTERE, in St. CHRIS.  
The Particulars of the Engagement of the Ship the *BUCKINGHAM*, by the Command, and three French Dutch Trade from St. Es. Leeward of *Montserrat*, the

ON Thursday, the 2<sup>d</sup> of the Evening, we went to the Road, Antigua. Montserrat W. had 2 Sail; gave Chace that proved to be the other her Comfort. At Nine o'clock we were joined by the *Wesel*. At Nine Leagues, saw 3 Sail, bearing W. ward, made all the Sail we could standing to the Southward. Mchace. At 2 discovered a French 38, and another of 28 Guns. At 3, the *Wesel* being a Head, gave chase to a Ship to Windward, which the 74 Gun Ship, and on which we made her Signal to keep close under our Stern. At 4 of 74 Guns, fired her Stern-Chace returning till we got nearer to briskly. At 4, the largest Frigate and gave us her Broadside, which immediately cleared off. We steered on the *Flourissant*, and she received with several Fires from Capt. *Tyrell*, finding he could not make a General Engagement, gave order a Yaw, which brought her Broadside to a smart Fire of great Guns, which was briskly returned by her; and the Frigate hauled her Wind, and came raked us.  
Several Broadfides being exchanged, we returned within the Fire, which we returned with small Arms from the Tops, Powder silenced her. At which Time Jack struck at her Ensign Starboard (during the Engagement) from her Mizen-top-mast-head. Half past 6 she fired, only 2 Guns, and our Fire of great Guns and others after 6, she fell on board us between our Main and Mizen-mast, and our Main-yard; we cut that Position, and it was obtruded on the Poop with the Mizen on the Gang-way, that there the Poop or Quarter-Deck to fire they were in, their Men in the Grenades without lighting they were picked up after the Engagement, and prevented our boarding ready. But the Officers at that practicable, called all the Hands with Round and Grape, and Round brought out Broadfide to be Yard's. Volley of small Arms Gang-boards, were also poured that every shot must take Place being driven from their Quarters in Manner of Help, and gave us Dofe. The Wind then sprang and brought her Stern to us, and fall, hoisted all the Sail the covered by the Night.  
Our Condition was as follows: way; all our Braces and Bows and torn to Pieces; our Mast being damaged; and having no were rendered incapable of taking the 38 Gun Frigate, when raked us fore and aft.  
We had the Misfortune to be by having three Fingers taken of several Contusions on his Head; 7 Hands; of the Marines; and were also wounded by the Gun first Lieutenant, who behaved very Englishman, and a brave 7 Men killed; and had 46 wounded.  
There was neither an Officer like a true British, and his fine and Bravery. But we can of the French; they loaded us with each of our Men.

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