

MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the latest Advices foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, February 11, 1762.

RELIGION, the crowning Excellence of intelligent Nature, claims the Approbation...

Table with columns: Prizes, Dollars, and Dollars. Lists prize amounts and quantities.

CONDITIONS. The Lottery shall be drawn in Baltimore-Town as soon as the Tickets are distributed...

WHEREAS the Act of Assembly of this Province, made and passed in 1733, for making current Ninety Thousand Pounds...

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To the PUBLIC.

THE Opening of the River Patowmack, and making it passable for Small-Craft, from Fort Cumberland at Will's-Creek...

The whole Land Carriage from Alexandria, or George-Town, to Pittsburgh, will then be short of 90 Miles; whereas the Pennsylvanians...

That an Affair of such general Utility may be carried into Execution, it is proposed to solicit the Public for their Contributions...

Col. George Mercer and Col. Thomas Prather are appointed Treasurers, to whom all Sums subscribed are to be made payable...

As it will be necessary for the Managers frequently to meet, to consult of the properest Methods of applying the Money raised...

The Managers and Gentlemen who are so obliging as to take in Subscriptions, are to receive the Sums subscribed, and pay them to the Treasurers...

Some Skillful Gentlemen have agreed to view the Great-Falls in the Spring, and if they should Report the opening or passing of them practicable...

shall be appropriated to that Purpose; but if this should be found too great an Undertaking...

The Amount of the Money paid the Treasurer, the Sums expended, and the Progress made in the Works...

February 4, 1762.



From a late WESTMINSTER JOURNAL.

By Thomas Touchit, Esq;

I WILL not Answer for the Truth, though I may for the Application, of the following Story. Early in the Season, when Cherries were extremely scarce...

France is at present pregnant with Distress of every Kind; she comes to our Stall to know the Price of Peace. Guadalupe and North-America, says the Proprietor...

But that which was Whim or Avarice in the Fruit-man, is necessary and unavoidable in the Minister; because we have been at an additional Expence in continuing the War since the Negotiations for Peace were set on foot...

No Man ever drew his Sword in War with

more Willingness than I would draw my Pen for Peace: But Peace is tranquilla libertas, it is Liberty with tranquillity; can there be Tranquillity when we have Reason to apprehend every Motion...

Yes, we may have a Treaty; but let us have none, rather than one that the French are to execute. Let us have a Treaty that will execute itself; such a Treaty is now in our Power to make...

That I may explain myself as to a Treaty that can execute itself, I need only to observe, that, as long as we keep what we have acquired, we leave nothing to the Honour or Discretion of an Enemy...

This Nation has too often trusted to France for the Execution of Treaties. The Execution of that of Nimeguen was left to her. Did she perform it? No. She basely eluded it. Did she execute the Treaty of Ryswick? No. She concluded it only to obtain a Breathing Time...

Upon the whole, a Peace between us and France is no other than a Breathing-Time from Hostilities, and her repeated Perfidies have intailed upon us the Curse of obliging us still to keep Arms in our Hands...

THO. TOUCHIT.

