

The MARYLAND GAZETTE²⁰³

[XXth Year.]

THURSDAY, September 20, 1764.

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PETERSBOURG, June 12.

THE Treaty concluded here between the Empress of Russia and the King of Prussia, on the 11th of April, is in Substance as follows:

By Article 1 and 2. A Treaty of defensive Alliance, and a mutual Guaranty are agreed to, after reserving the Liberty of concluding other Treaties not contrary to the present.

3-9. In Case of a foreign Attack, 10,000 Infantry, and 2000 Cavalry are promised 3 Months after the first Requisition, to be continued till a Cessation of Hostilities. If these are not sufficient, Means to be concerted to employ additional Forces. The Troops to be paid and furnished with Ammunition by the Party assisting: Provisions and Quarters to be furnished by the assisted. The Troops to receive Orders from their own General; and to have their own Religion and Laws.

10. No Peace, &c. to be concluded without mutual Consent.

11. In Case of War on the Part of the assisting Party, it shall be exempted from furnishing its Quota, or shall be at Liberty to withdraw its Forces, after two Months Notice.

12. A free Commerce between the two States.

13, 14. The Treaty to be in force eight Years, and renewable before the Expiration, according to Circumstances. Ratifications to be exchanged in six Weeks.

By a secret Article it is engaged to maintain Poland in its Right of a free Election, and to prevent all hereditary Succession.

LONDON, June 19.

Col. John Henry Christian de Stumpel is just come from Germany with his Officers: His Majesty granted him, the 10th of February last, 20,000 Acres of Land in the Province of Acadia and of New Scotland, between the two Rivers of St. John and of St. Croix, any where it will be most agreeable to him to settle a Colony, and to build a City for Commerce, which shall be called by the Colonel's Name, Stumpelburgh, and which he will fill with Artificers and Traders, whom he has brought with him.

June 23. It is said that Mr. Wilkes has purchased a handsome House and Gardens at Paris, as intending to reside there the Remainder of his Life.

It is said a large Box of oriental Diamonds, valued at about 100,000 l. makes Part of the Cargo of the rich Prize the Sanissima Trinidad, lately arrived from the East-Indies.

L'Amphion, a French Man of War of 50 Guns, and the Frigate Licorne of 30 Guns, sailed from Brest the 11th Inst. to protect the French Fishery on the Banks of Newfoundland.

It is said that some fresh Instructions will be speedily sent to the Commanders of our Vessels in the West-India Stations, in Consequence of some Complaints made here.

It is also said, that there remains a Point of Controversy still to be settled between us and the French, which is that of adjusting the Sum to be paid for maintaining the French Prisoners during their Confinement here, and which the French have deferred settling till they are informed whether their Stages are to be allowed to be left at Newfoundland after the Fishing Season is over, or whether they are to be removed.

We have good Authority to assure our Readers, that the Spanish Ambassador, as far as he can consistently do it, till he hears from the King his Master, condemns and disavows the Proceedings of the Spanish Governor in Respect to our Settlers at the Bay of Honduras: And we can also affirm that Dispatches on this Head have been sent to our Ambassador at Madrid; as well as Remonstrances to the Earl of Hertford at Paris, in Consequence of France being Guaranty for the Spaniards true Obedience of the late Treaty.

June 26. On Saturday 2 large Brass Mortars, mounted on Iron Beds, together with a large Quantity of military Stores, were shipped at the Tower for the Grenadoes.

Yesterday the Right Hon. William Pitt was at Court, where he continued some time; and afterwards set out for Hayes.

Last Monday, Mr. Arnold, Watchmaker, in Devereux Court, Temple Bar, waited upon his Majesty with a curious Repeating Watch, set in a Ring, which was made by his Majesty's Command: Mr. Arnold had the Honour of being introduced to their Majesties, the Princess Dowager of Wales, and the Prince of Mecklenburgh, who were all graciously pleased to show their Approbation to so excellent a Piece of Mechanism.

The Particulars of this curious Repeating Watch, are as follow:

The Movement complete is 2 D^{ns}. 2 G^{ns}. and 1th of a Grain.

Great Wheel and Fuzee, 2 G^{ns}. & 1th.

Second Wheel and Pinion, 1th of a Grain.

Barrel and Main Spring, 3 1/2 Grains.

Third Wheel and Pinion, 1th of a Grain.

Fourth Wheel and Pinion, 1/10th Part of a Grain.

Cylinder Wheel and Pinion, 1/10th Part of a Grain.

Balance, Pendulum, Cylinder, Spring and Collet, 3/4th of a Grain.

The Pendulum Spring, 1/10th Part of a Grain.

The Chain, 1/2 of a Grain.

Barrel and Main Spring, 1 1/2 of a Grain.

Great Wheel and Rochet, 1 Grain.

Second Wheel and Pinion, 7th Part of a Grain.

Third Wheel and Pinion, 8th Part of a Grain.

Fourth Wheel and Pinion, 9th Part of a Grain.

Fly Wheel and Pinion, 17th Part of a Grain.

Fly Pinion, 20th Part of a Grain.

Hour Hammer, 1/2 of a Grain.

Quarter Hammer, 1/2 of a Grain.

Rack, Chain and Pully, 1 Grain and 1/2.

Quarter and 1/2 Quarter Rack 3/4th of a Grain.

The Quarter and Half Quarter Snail and Cannon Pinion, 3/4th of a Grain.

The all or nothing Piece, 1/2 of a Grain.

Two Motion Wheels, 1 Grain.

Steel Dial Plate, with Gold Figures, 3 1/2 Grains.

The Hour Snail & Star, 1/2 of a Gⁿ. & 1/10th of a Gⁿ.

The Size of the Watch is something less than a Silver Two-pence; it contains One Hundred and Twenty different Parts, and all together weighs no more than 5 D^{ns}. 7 G^{ns}. and 1/10th.

June 28. Yesterday the Court of Common-Pleas was moved to increase Issues on the Return of the Distringas, issued at the Suit of Mr. Beardmore's Clerk against the Earl of Halifax, when the Court was pleased to order 500 l. Issues on the alias Distringas; it appearing, by Affidavit, that this Action has been commenced for near twelve Months, and no Appearance yet entered for the Defendant.

Monday Evening the 14 Journeyman Printers, who some Time since obtained a Verdict against the King's Messengers, for false Imprisonment, received their Money of Messieurs Carrington and Blackmore, two of the said Messengers, in Manner following; 13 of them who had 200 l. Costs and Damages, received 120 l. each, and one of them, who had 300 l. decreed him, received 170 l. and to pay their Attorney.

June 30. Yesterday Lord Baltimore's House, Park, &c. was sold; it was put up at 15,000 l. and knocked down at 23,900 l. to Mr. Masterman, Attorney, in Chancery-Lane; the real Purchaser is not as yet declared, tho' it is strongly rumoured that it is bought for one of the great Officers concerned in the Havannah Expedition. It is said Lord Baltimore refused 30,000 l. for it some Time since by private Contract.

July 2. Last Friday Morning died at Bath, RALPH ALLEN, Esq; universally lamented.

July 6. According to Advices from Spain, the Naval Forces of that Kingdom are equipping with the greatest Diligence in all their Ports, but these Preparations are said to be intended against the piratical States of Barbary.

NEW-YORK, September 20.

The white People mentioned in our last, that were delivered up to Sir William Johnson, at Niagara, arrived here last Monday, from Albany, and are now in a Room in the Barracks of this City. Benjamin Shepherd was taken the 4th of September last, at Wyoming, in Pennsylvania, by the famous Capt. BULL, now in our Goal, in Company with Daniel Baldwin, and Jane, his Wife, Abraham Baldwin, John and Daniel Howell, and one Isaac Halfeater. The Indians burnt Daniel Baldwin, and his Wife died of Hunger at the Jenaca Town last Winter; John Howell attempted to make his Escape, but was found dead in the Woods, having lost his Way; Daniel Howell got off; Abraham Baldwin was murdered, and Shepherd would have been murdered also, had not Capt. BULL persuaded the Indians to the contrary; however BULL, with his own Hands, gave him a severe whipping.

Shepherd says there are yet a great many Prisoners at the Indian Towns, among them a Daughter of one Emanuel Conkila, that lives near Delaware, who was taken the War before last.

PHILADELPHIA, September 23.

Camp at Loudon, August 29, 1764. A large Convoy of Waggon and Pack-horses march to-morrow, with the Remainder of the Army, under the Command of Colonel Boquet, excepting a Garrison left at this Post.

The 27th Instant an Express brought Letters from Presque Isle, giving an Account that the Indians had sued for Peace in their usual subject Manner. At the same time those Savages continue skulking on the Frontiers, and murder every defenceless Person they can catch in an unguarded Minute.

Yesterday we received the following Copy of a Letter, directed to the Commanding Officer at Fort Cumberland.

Winchester, August 22, 1764.

I have just now received certain Intelligence, by Thomas Smith, Baker, of this Town, and a Man of Veracity, who says, that about Twelve o'Clock this Day, he saw the Bodies of John Miller, and three others of his Family, lie dead, scalped and mangled, within a Mile of George Bowman's, and about Twelve Miles Distance from this Town. I am apprehensive that there are several small Parties of the Enemy near our Quarters, and by this Intelligence you may probably fall in with some of them in their Return. You will please to forward this, by Express, to the Commanding Officers of Hampshire, not omitting shewing it to the Commanders of the several Posts as they pass.

P. S. Just now have received an Account of three more, taken from Slover's Town, and two others fired at by the Indians. As this Express sets off, another Man killed at Slover's Town, and three taken Prisoners.

A Letter from Carlisle, of the 29th ult. mentions their having received certain Advice there, of seven Persons being killed, near Winchester, on the 23d of that Month, by the Indians: That the Enemy had been lately seen in different Parts of Cumberland County; and that two of them are said to have appeared within a Mile of Carlisle on the 26th of last Month.

Another Letter from the same Place, of the Fourth Instant, advises, that the first Division of our Army was arrived safe at Pittsburgh; the Rear receiving a few random Shots from the Enemy near the Fort.

ANNAPOLIS, September 20.

Last Tuesday arrived here the Ship Nancy, Capt. James Thompson, from Rotterdam, (but last from Portsmouth) with 290 Palatines.

The General Assembly of this Province, now stands Prorogued to Tuesday the 2d Day of next Month; But we have good Authority to acquaint the Public, that they will not meet, Then, but that there will be a new General Election before the Meeting of a General Assembly.

William Hutchings takes this Method to acquaint the Public, that he intends to open an EVENING SCHOOL, at his School Room in Charles-Street, (for the Advantage of those whose Business or Circumstances will not admit of their coming to School in the Day,) on Monday Evening the 24th Instant, where he will Teach after the most approved Methods, Reading with Propriety, Writing in various Hands, Arithmetic, both Vulgar and Decimal, in all its Branches, Gauging and Mensuration, the Extraction of Square and Cube Roots, Biquadrate, &c. Those who please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on the full Exertion of his Abilities.

To be SOLD, or LEASED for 99 Years, renewable For Ever,

TWO Lots of Ground lying on Forest-Street in Baltimore-Town, to be laid off in small Parcels, as may suit the Purchasers or Lessees, on the most reasonable Terms. Also 1000 Acres of Land, about 8 Miles from Town, to be Leased for 21 Years, to be Parcelled out as may suit the Lessees, on which is a well-improved Plantation fitting for a Farmer, with a good Tanyard on it.

For Terms apply to CHARLES CROXALL, at his House on Patuxco River.

STRAYED or STOLEN from ANNAPOLIS, on Friday the 14th of this Instant, a likely dark Bay or Black Gelding, about 14 1/2 Hands high, well made, a natural Pacer, goes easy, but a little dull, has a small Blaze in his Face, and a small Snip on his Nose, has a ridge Main, the hanging Part lies on the near Side, his Tail has been lately scraped, has some few grey Hairs on his Flanks, which are not perceivable without being near him; he has lately been shod all round, but lost one of his fore Shoes before he was missed; he has no perceivable Brand, or other Mark, that can be remembered.

Whoever takes up the said Horse, and delivers him to the Subscriber, shall receive Twenty Shillings Reward, paid by

THOMAS HEDD.

Cecil County, August 10, 1764.

is Escape from the Subscriber, on the 11th of a certain Francis Potter, by Trade in England, and served his Time in which Place it is imagined he is He is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, and very much marked with the Small and took with him, a double Allowance of a brown Colour, a striped Linen Waistcoat, light coloured Cloth Worsted Stockings, a Pair of half with round Brass Buckles, an old and a Linen Cap. He is an imperious when in Liquor, which is as often as takes up the said Potter, and will de- Cecil County Jail, shall receive Five Pennsylvania Currency Reward, besides charges, paid by

RICHARD THOMAS, Sheriff.

REAS the Officers for the Parish of Margaret's Westminster, in the County del, find it expedient to erect a Church of Ease in the upper Part of the said the present old Chapel of Ease is on the Head of Curtis's Creek, the gone to Decay, and otherwise found small for the Congregation, constantly here on Divine Worship: Having a Key in Hand (saved from the Vacancy for, some Time after the Death of the incumbent, the Rev. Mr. Walter Calmer) so small to answer the Purpose. And under the Interest of the Inhabitants, which are in necessary Circumstances; encouraged by the Regard paid to Lotteral, less laudable in their Intention following: They have thought proper to Method (to avoid if possible an Asses- Way of Lottery, for Raising a Sum of red-and Twenty-five Pounds Current the Purpose abovementioned.

THE SCHEME:

Quantity	Pounds.	Amount.
of 75 is	75	£. 75
of 40 are	40	80
of 25 are	25	125
of 15 are	15	150
of 10 are	10	250
of 5 are	5	175
of 1 are	1	400

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Managers appointed are, Messieurs John
Joseph Jacobs, Elijah Robinson, Jacob
William Lux, Patrick Macgill, Henry
Henry Ridgely, John Burgess, and John
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Printing-Office in Annapolis.

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