

A SUPPLEMENT to the Maryland GAZETTE, of last Week.

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Annapolis, October 17, 1765.

To the Printer of the Virginia Gazette.
S I R,

THE evident Intention of undetering your Northern Brethren, as you term it, in your Paper of August the 30th last, being to intimate, that the People of Virginia are not so well disposed to assert their just and constitutional Rights, as it has been truly represented they are, and which Intention has been dilated to you by the abject Sons of Slavery; it is expected that you will retract the injurious Censure that Paragraph of your Paper was meant to convey, by publishing this in your next Gazette; which is the best Attonement you can make for so unjust and dishonourable an Imputation. And this you may regard, as proceeding from no false Intelligencer; but, from a Person better acquainted with the Actions and Intentions of the People of Virginia, than a resident Printer in Williamsburg, can be; or, than the servile Dictator, of the above mentioned Paragraph, seems to be. I am, &c.

To Mr. Jonas Green, Printer, at Annapolis.
VIRGINIA, October 5, 1765.

S I R,

THE above Address was sent some Time ago to the Printer at Williamsburg, but as it has not yet appeared in his Paper, we may reasonably conclude it will not be inserted there; and it being well known, that we are in this Colony deprived of that great Support of FREEDOM, THE LIBERTY OF THE PRESS, as the only one we have here, is totally engrossed for the vile Purpose of ministerial Craft: I must therefore apply to you (who have always appeared to be a bold and honest Assertor of the Cause of Liberty) to give it a Place in your next Paper; in which you will singularly oblige, Numbers here, and particularly him, who is, *Your real Friend,*
and most humble Servant,
A VIRGINIAN.

The Writer of the following Letter ought sooner to have been obliged with a Publication, but so many Pieces on another very interesting Subject coming to Hand, has till now kept it out.

Mr. GREEN,

AS the present Method of Subsisting the Poor in this Province, and the shameful Treatment they too often meet with, from those who receive their Pensions, have long been Matter of just Complaint, I presume to offer to the Public, by Way of your GAZETTE, the following unconnected Hints towards erecting an Alms-House, Hospital, or Work-House in each County; in Hopes they will be improved by abler Hands.— To which I have added an Estimate of the Charge of erecting an Hospital in this County, and of maintaining the Pensioners afterwards, which perhaps may be of some Service to Gentlemen in other Counties, in making their Estimations. I am, *Your very humble Servant,*
A WELL-WISHER TO MARYLAND.
Baltimore County, July 20, 1765.

Rust, I propose that a small Tract of Land be bought near to the principal Town in each County, (if the Land is partly improved and hath on it some Meadow, or Ground that will make Meadow so much the better,) that Buildings be erected on those Lands to contain the Poor of each County, and Bedding, Provisions, working Tools, Stock, and all other Necessaries be provided at the

respective Counties Expence.—The Buildings may be called Alms-Houses, Hospitals, or Work-Houses; and will be better on Plantations than in Towns, for the Conveniency of Fire Wood, keeping Cows for Milk, raising Poultry, Garden Truck, Flax for Spinning, &c. &c.

When the Buildings are ready, and Necessaries provided, all Pensioners (except those who are married and actually keep House together) be placed in said Hospitals, and those that are able made to Work according to their Ability.

That a Doctor be employed to attend each Hospital, and find Medicines for the Pensioners, at a certain Sum per Year.

That an Overseer and House-Keeper be employed to reside at each Hospital to keep the Pensioners in Order, receive in, and deliver out their Provision, Clothing, Materials for them to work on, and to keep just Accounts of the Expence of the Hospital, and the Profits of the Pensioners Work, &c.

That one or more Justices have Power to order any sick or poor Person into the Hospital, during their Sickness or Inability to provide for themselves, and when such sick or poor Person (or any other Pensioner) becomes able to repay the County their Expence by Labour or otherwise; it's reasonable they should do it.—Quere, would it not be better to commit Runaways, Idle, disorderly Persons, and those guilty of small Offences to the Hospitals (instead of the Prisons) there to be made Work during their Stay.

That the Justices of the Counties be impowered to buy the Lands, build the Hospitals, and provide all Necessaries, appoint the Doctor, Overseer, House-Keeper, &c. and determine who shall be admitted as standing Pensioners, and who not. That they likewise have Power to appoint a few of their Number (or some other Person or Persons) for one Year at a Time, to contract for Provisions, Necessaries, &c. to superintend the Hospital, settle the Accounts thereof, &c.

If the Lands thought most proper to place the Hospitals on, cannot be purchased; then to be valued by a Jury, and condemned; as Lands commonly have been for Towns.

An ESTIMATION of the Expence of Erecting an Hospital, &c. in Baltimore County.

For a small Tract of LAND, } (suppose 100 Acres,)	300 0 0
Buildings for the Pensioners,	1000 0 0
Beds, Bedding, Kitchen Utensils, Spinning Wheels, Tools, &c.	400 0 0
Ten Cows & Calves, and 3 Horses,	90 0 0
£. 1790 0 0	
The Charge of Maintaining the Pensioners in an Hospital the first Year.	
For a Doctor and Medicines,	60 0 0
An Overseer 50 l. a House-Keeper 20 l.	70 0 0
2 Men Servants 36 l. 2 Women	51 6 0
Ditto 15 l. (Quere if wanted)	15 0 0
Their Accommodations for one Year, (the Doctor excepted)	50 0 0
Provisions for 230 Pensioners, (being about the present Number in the County, great and small) at 4 l. each,	920 0 0
Cloathing for Ditto, at 30 s.	345 0 0
£. 1496 0 0	

Though the above Calculation is made for the whole Number of Pensioners, yet 'tis presumed upon establishing an Hospital we shall immediately get rid of all Impositions which I compute to be at least 1/3 Part of the present Pensioners, which will reduce the Articles of Provision and Cloathing, as above stated, (al-

Brought up £. 1496 00 0
Deduction for the whole Number to be provided, 314 5 0

If that should be the Case, the first Year's Expence will be but — — — £. 1182 15 0
After the first Year 'tis thought 1/2 the Provisions will be raised or earn'd, and 1/2 the Cloathing made or earn'd by the Labour of the Servants and Pensioners, which will reduce those Articles yearly, after the first Year, — — — 500 7 6

Then each Year's Expence will be but — — — £. 682 7 6
The Pensioners Expence, in the Year 1764, in this County, was upwards of 1586 l. (and still like to increase,) so that there will be a Saving to the County of about 900 l. per Annum, according to the above Estimation; which, I can satisfy any Gentleman, is made as near the Truth as possible; and, that many other Advantages to the Public, will arise by establishing Hospitals or Work-Houses in every County in this Province.

Westmoreland, September 24, 1765.
To the Hon^{ble} the Governor and Council of VIRGINIA.

THE very great Impropriety of Acting in an Office which at once requires the Discharge of Duties, utterly inconsistent with each other, makes it indispensably necessary to give your Honours this timely Information; that, after the First Day of November next, We the underwritten Magistrates of Westmoreland, find Ourselves compelled, by the strongest Motives of Honour and Virtue, to decline Acting in that Capacity; because, from that Period, the Act for establishing Stamps in America commences; which Act will impose on us a Necessity, in Consequence of the Judicial Oath we take, of Acting in Conformity to it's Directions, and, by doing so, to become Instrumental in the Destruction of Our Country's most essential Rights and Liberties.

[Signed by the JUSTICES.]

ON Tuesday the 24th Day of September, at Westminster, the Images of G—G—, and G—M—, were carried in a Cart to the Gallows, and were there publicly hanged with the Acclamations and Applause of a large Concourse of People, of all Ranks and Denominations. On the Breast of the former was inscribed, "I am G—G—, the infamous Projector of AMERICAN SLAVERY. In one Hand of the latter, he held "MONEY is my GOD." In the other Hand, "SLAVERY I LOVE." On his Breast, "I am G—M—, C— of the St—ps in Virginia.

On Wednesday the 25th of September was published, the last Words and dying Speech of G—M—, C— of the Stamps in Virginia, delivered to a crowded Audience of all Ranks and Degrees of People, assembled to see him, first Hanged and then Burnt, for Traitorously aiding and assisting in the Destruction of his Country's Liberty.

GENTLEMEN,

SINCERITY becomes a Man who is on the verge of Eternity, however Crafty, he may have been in the former Part of his Life. I hope, therefore, that I shall gain your Credit, when I assure you, that I now die convinced of the Equity of your Sentence, and the Propriety of my Punishment. For 'tis true, that with Parricidal Hands, I have endeavoured to taint Chains of Slavery on this my native Country, although,

JUST IMPORTED, and to be had by the Subscriber at Frederickburg in Virginia, a **ST. ALBION and THOMAS** all of the highest Blood, with **MERRY TOM**, a Bay Horse, bred by Mr. **Parson**, of Newcastle. He is 14 1/2 Hands high, and is no more than 7 Years old the first of May last. He was got by **Redoubt**, the Grand Dam by **Lucy**, a Son of **Crabbs**, his Grand Dam by **Son of Flying Childer**, his Great Grand Dam by **Old Partner**. In 1762 he won the 300 Guinea Sweep-States at Richmond; then 4 Years old, in 1763 he won £. 50. at Durham, and the Nobility and Gentlemans Subscription at Dover, for 5 Years old.

NANCY BYWELL, a Bay Mare, 15 Hands high, bred by Mr. **Hopper**, 4 Years old. She was got by Mr. **Francis's** famous **Matchem**, who was got by **Old Cade**, Son of the **Godolphin Arabian**, and bred by **Raxana**, Daughter of the **Bald Godolphin**, her Dam by **Galah**, Son of **Las**, her Grand Dam by **Red Rose**, Son of **old Tom**, her Great Grand Dam by the **Carwin's Old Spot**, her Great Grand Dam by **Hip**, her Great Grand Dam by **Dudward**, out of a **Latea Bai Mare**.

A Grey Mare, bred by Mr. **Hedgins**, of **Talcafer**, 4 Years old, and 14 1/2 Hands high. She was got by **Cabb**, Son of **Old Pat**, and the **Wicklock Gallows**, her Dam by **Terriford**, Son of the **Bolton Strling**, and **Young Cade's** Dam, her Grand Dam by **Second Brother to Saip**, her Great Grand Dam by **Megal**, Brother to **Babram**, her Great Great Grand Dam by **Sweep Stakes**, Son of the Dam of **Whistle Jacket**, her Great Great Grand Dam by **Bay Bolton**, and a Sister to **Shaver**, her Great Great Great Grand Dam by the **Carwin's Bay Barb**, her Great Great Great Grand Dam by **Carwin's Old Spot**, her Great Great Great Great Grand Dam by the **White Legged Lowther Barb**.

A Grey Filly 3 Years old, and 15 Hands high. She was got by **Spot**, Spot was got by **Partner**, out of a full Sister to **Old Sterling**, his Dam by **Crabbs**, his Grand Dam by **Dyer's Dimple**, his Great Grand Dam by **Wby Not**, out of a Royal Mare: Her Dam was got by **Carwin's**, her Grand Dam by **Old Traveller**, her Great Grand Dam by **Childer**, out of a natural **Barb Mare**.

(4) **HENRY MITCHELL.**
N. B. Any Gentleman that wants a Groom, may be Recommended to one by **H. M.**

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in **Talbot County**, on the 20th of August last, a Mulatto Slave, named **Charles**, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, well made for Strength, has a remarkable large Scar, quite over one Side of his Head, just above his Temples. Had on when he went away, a Claret colour'd Cloth Coat, half worn, with a standing up Cape, a blue Shalloon Jacket without Sleeves, faced with the same, Country made red Breeches, and Tow-Trowsers. He can play on the Violin, make Shoes, Weave, and do any Sort of Country Work.

Whoever takes up the said Mulatto Slave, and secures him in any Jail within this Province, shall have a Reward of Three Pounds; and if taken out of the Province Five Pounds, beside what the Law allows, paid by

(5) **WILLIAM MARTIN, Junr.**

TO BE SOLD,
A VERY good BUTCHER, that has about Two Years to serve. Enquire of Mr. **William Woodwards, senior**, in Annapolis.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, at PUBLIC VENDUE, for Ready Money or good Bills of Exchange, the 1st Day of November next, at XI o'Clock, on the Premises.

TWO LOTS OF GROUND in **Talbot County**, the Place called **Kings-Town**; with a good Dwelling House, Store House, and Inspecting House, with other convenient Out Houses, situated close by **Choptank River**, with a good Wharf, and has been an accustomed Place of Trade near 50 Years past.

Any Gentleman inclining to purchase the same, may see the Buildings, and Title, by applying to the Subscriber, who will be at the Spot every Monday, till the Time of Sale.

(6) **SAMUEL ROWMAN,**

Advertisements of a moderate after: And Long Ones in Proportion.