

Our last Week's GAZETTE contain'd a few Articles relating to the Behaviour of the brave People in North Carolina; to which the following ought to be added.

WILMINGTON, February 26, 1766.

ON Wednesday the 19th, they proceeded to Brunswick, where their Numbers were soon increased to upwards of a Thousand, and had Intelligence of several Hundreds more on their March to join them. On their Arrival at Brunswick, in Order to remove all Apprehensions on the Part of his Excellency the Governor, the following Letter was delivered to him, by two Gentlemen sent for that Purpose, viz.

S I R,

"The Inhabitants, dissatisfied with the particular Restriction, laid on the Trade of this River only, have determined to march to Brunswick, in Hopes of obtaining, in a peaceable Manner, a Redress of their Grievances from the commanding Officer of his Majesty's Ships, and have compelled us to conduct them: We therefore think it our Duty to acquaint your Excellency, that we are fully determined to protect from Insult your Person and Property; and that if it will be agreeable to your Excellency, a Guard of Gentlemen shall be immediately detached for that Purpose."

We have the Honour to be, with the greatest Respect, SIR, your Excellency's most obedient humble Servants.

Feb. 19. 1766.

To his Excellency Col. WILL. TRYON, Governor and Commander in Chief of North Carolina.

On Thursday the 20th, a Conference was held with the commanding Officer of his Majesty's Ships, and the Collector, and in the Afternoon Matters were happily accommodated, and a Promise obtained, that the Port should for the future be freed from the particular Restrictions heretofore laid on it, at least until the Arrival of the Surveyor General of the Customs, and that Vessels should be Entered and Cleared as usual.

On Friday the 21st, a Party of Men was sent for the Collector, Naval Officer, and Comptroller of the Customs; the Collector and Naval Officer were brought, and Information was received, that the Comptroller was at the Governor's; upon which a Gentleman was dispatched to demand his Attendance, which he refused to comply with, and the People being informed that he was detained by the Governor, a Letter was then sent, to request that his Excellency would be pleased to let him attend: They received for Answer, that the Comptroller was employed by his Excellency on Dispatches for his Majesty's Service, and that any Gentleman who had Business with him, might see him at the Governor's House.

A Party was then immediately dispatched to fetch him, and marched directly to the Governor's: They halted near the House, by Order; and a Gentleman was once more sent to the Comptroller, to desire he would not put the People to the disagreeable Necessity of entering his Excellency's House, with a Promise that if he would come out, no Injury should be offered his Person, which he at last complied with. The Party then joined the main Body, and marched immediately into the Town, drew up in a large Circle, placing the Custom-House Officers in the Centre, where they all made Oath that they would not, directly, or indirectly, by themselves, or any other Person employed under them, sign or execute, in their several and respective Offices, any Stamped Papers, until the Stamp-Act should be accepted of by the Province. All the Clerks of the Courts, Lawyers, &c. present, were sworn to the same Effect.

The People then immediately dispersed, in order to repair to their several Places of Abode.

It is well worthy of Observation, that few Instances can be produced, of such a Number of Men being together so long, and behaving so well; not the least Noise or Disturbance, nor any Person seen disguised with Liquor, during the whole Time of their stay at Brunswick, neither was there any Injury offered to any Person, but the whole Affair conducted with Decency and Spirit, worthy the Imitation of all the SONS OF LIBERTY throughout the Continent.

In Consequence of Matters being accommodated, with Regard to opening the Port, the Sloops Dobbs, Ruby, and Ratiene, under Seizure, for want of Stamped Papers, were delivered up to the Masters and Owners, and arrived at this Town, on Friday the 21st Instant.

PHILADELPHIA, April 10.

A Letter from Cape May, dated April 7, 1766.

"I am persuaded the following Lines will relate Distress and Sadness to you: However, I am bound to rehearse and to tell you, that on the 6th Day of this Instant, on Hereford Bar, which is about 4 Leagues N. E. of the Pitch of the Cape of Cape May, the poor unfortunate Snow Nancy, Capt. Carr, from Bristol, was, by a violent Gale of Wind at E. N. E. forced on Shore and is become a forlorn Wreck, which proved a watry Coffin to all, except four Persons, who only escaped out of a Crew of 27 in Number, the Captain and Mate are of the drowned, and some others of Note and Distinction; many of their dead Bodies are drifted on Shore, and some Goods also."

"Humanity would teach me to exert myself, and use the utmost of my Care, which I propose to do without any other Licence 'till I receive further Orders, or see some of you; by all Means let some interested Person or Persons come down immediately on Sight hereto, with the Bearer; the Dead I shall keep till the Bearer returns, and not suffer to be crammed in the Sand. I saw them, poor Hearts, in the Height of their Distress, where Wind and Sea had no Pity, but could do no more than regret and sympathize with my fellow Mortals, while overwhelm'd with Calamities in the raging Waves."

Yesterday arrived Captain Whitmarsh, from Boston, who informs us, that at 4 o'Clock P. M. on Sunday last, he saw a Ship or Snow ashore on Turtle Gut Bar, 7 Miles East of Cape May; her Mast and Bow-sprit were gone, and nothing but her Ensign St. ff. with a Waiff in the Ensign, as a Signal of Distress, was standing; he could see the Surf break over her, but the Weather being thick, and the Wind blowing hard, he could not venture near enough to learn further Particulars: To the Leeward of the Wreck, at the same Time, he saw floating a great Quantity of pipe and hog-head Staves, a Windfor Chair, and a Trunk, supposed to have come from her. About two Miles from the above Vessel, he saw a small Vessel, Bottom upwards, which he took to be a Pilot Boat.

We suppose the above Vessel to be the Snow Nancy, Captain Carr.

ANNAPOLIS, April 17.

We have not received any later News from London, than that brought by Capt. Brooke into *Parliament*, mentioned in our last, of the RESOLVE of the House of Commons on the 7th of February last, to Repeal the STAMP-ACT; nor have we since met with the least Reason to Doubt the Truth of that Account. [It was on the 7th of February, 1765, when the

RESOLVES passed that House for Laying on that —, —, —, and unconsitutional TAX!]

Capt. Maynard, from London, who was spoke with on the 7th of March, about 80 Leagues to the Eastward of Bermuda, and who it was fear'd was lost, is arrived in *Patowmack*, with the Loss of his Mizzen-mast.

The COMET mentioned in last Week's GAZETTE, which made it's Appearance in the Evenings of the 8th and 9th, at about N. W. by W. and which was observed by many in most Parts of the Province, has not since been seen; nor do we find any Account of it in the Northern Papers. The Five Evenings preceding the 8th it was Cloudy here, and likewise on the 10th and 11th.

NOW in the PRESS, and next Week will be PUBLISHED (if possible) to be SOLD at the PRINTING-OFFICE, Ten or Eleven Sheets, on a small Letter, [Price 3/9.]

THE RIGHT to the TONNAGE, the DUTY OF TWELVE PENCE PER HOGSHEAD ON ALL EXPORTED TOBACCO, and the FINES AND FORFEITURES in the Province of MARYLAND, STATED; in a LETTER from a Gentleman in Annapolis to his Friend in the Country.

THE Subscriber, near the Head of Severn, has a fine JACK ASS, 4 Years old, that will Cover MARES this Season at TWENTY SHILLINGS each; such Mares as do not prove with Foal shall have the next season gratis. Good Pasturage for the Mares.

(3rd) / ALEXANDER WARFIELD.

The well known HORSE RANTER,

WILL Cover MARES this SEASON, at Marlborough, in Stafford County, Virginia, at Forty Shillings the Leap. Four Pounds for the Season, and Eight Pounds to Insure a Colt, Virginia Currency. The Mares will have good Pasturage for Three Months, if left so long, but must be sent for at the Expiration of that Time. There can be no Occasion to give his Pedigree, which was done in the Virginia Gazette, in 1763 and 1764, as his Colts in Virginia and Maryland are a much better Recommendation. It will be to no Purpose to send any Mare to him without the Money, as none will be received on any other Terms by

(6th) / ANDREW MONROE.

Mr. Meek keeps a FERRY at Maryland Point, in Charles County, from whence, those who have no better Opportunity, may have their Mares landed at Marlborough. Dollars will be received at Six Shillings and Three-pence. J. Meek

ANNAPOLIS, April 17, 1766.

THE Trustees of Mr. Reginald Grabame, End themselves under the Necessity of Postponing, for a short Time, the Settlement of a Dividend, which was Advertis'd to have been paid to the several Creditors during the Sitting of the Provincial Court, on Account of many of the Claimants having neglected to send their Accounts duly authenticated, and without which they cannot be entitled to a Proportion of Mr. Grabame's Estate. The Trustees, therefore, being desirous that every Person who has given Notice of their Willingness to accept of a Dividend, and whose Claims may appear indisputable, should not be excluded, once more give Notice, that if such Creditors still continue remiss, and omit sending to the Subscriber, before the 10th Day of May next, their Claims will be rejected, as it will be using every other Creditor very ill, to protract Payment to them on Account of the Negligence of others.

/ X JOHN CLAPHAM, for the Trustees.

FIFTEEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscribers, in *Sassafras Neck*, Cecil County, on the 9th of this Inst. April, Three English Convict Servant Men, viz.

John Sandals, born in *Sbrofshire*, about 28 or 30 Years of Age, a very stout, likely fellow, of a fallow Complexion, with short brown Hair, and several large Cuts in his Head: He wears a very light coloured Country Cloth Coat, with Metal Buttons, striped Swanskin Vest, with Lapels, much worn, old Buckskin Breeches, Country Linen Shirt, Castor Hat little worn, Yarn Stockings, and Country Shoes, with large cast Brs Buckles.

John Heckaday, born in *Devonshire*, about 40 Years of Age, a low squat Fellow, fair Complexion'd, with short sandy Hair, and is almost Bald: He wears an old Snuff coloured fine Cloth Coat, bound round the Edges and Button Holes with Worsted Binding of a lighter Colour, and old cut and raised Velvet Vest, a light coloured Country Cloth Pea Jacket, old Leather Breeches, Country Linen Shirt, old ribb'd Worsted Hose, Country Shoes, with large plain Silver Buckles, and a good Felt Hat. He has with him an old green *Ricer's* Almanack, an old Twine Purse, and a Silver Stock-Buckle.

Edward Thompson, (belonging to *Henry Well Pearce*) born in *Sbrofshire*, about 30 Years of Age, upwards of 6 Feet high, short black Hair, some Scars in his Head, and stoops a little in his shoulders: He had on a Country Cloth short brown Coat and Breeches, with Metal Buttons, spotted Flannel Jacket, old Whitney Surtout Coat, brown Yarn Stockings, half-worn Shoes, square Brs Buckles, Olinabrig Shirt, and an old fine Hat.

They have some Money with them, and have also taken a Servant's blue close-bodied Coat, of fine Cloth, some fine Shirts, a Silk and Linen Handkerchief, Stockings, and other Things, so that it's probable they may vary their Dress. They all ran away last Year, but not together, were brought home at considerable Expence, and were fottgiven on Promises of Amendment. As they have now gone off without the least Cause of Complaint, have lived extremely well, and have behaved with the greatest Ingratitude, it is hoped every Person will, as far as it lies in their Power, hinder their getting off.

Whoever secures them in any Jail, so that they are had again, shall receive a Reward of FIVE POUNDS Pennsylvania Currency for each, and if brought home reasonable Charges, paid by

(11) / MICHAEL BARLE, HENRY W. PEARCE.

TO BE SOLD

AT THE

MARLBOROUGH BREWERY,

STRONG BEER and PORTER, at Eight Pence, and ALE at a Shilling a Gallon Virginia Currency, in Case, equal in Goodness any that can be imported from any Part of the World: As nothing but the genuine best Malt and Hops will be used, without any Mixture or Substitute whatsoever; which if the many Trades of Brewing published in *Great-Britain*, did mention to be frequently used there, the Experience of those who have Drank those Liquors imported from thence, would point out to be a Case, from their pernicious Effects.

The severe Treatment we have lately received from our Mother-Country, would, I should think, be sufficient to recommend my Undertaking (I should not be able to come up to the English Standard, which I don't question constantly to do) Yet, as I am satisfied, that the Goodness of every Commodity is it's best Recommendation, I principally rely upon that for my success; and my own Interest, having expended near Eight Thousand Pounds, to bring my Brewery to it's present State, is the best Security I can give the Public to assure them of the best Usage, without which, such an Undertaking cannot be supported with Credit.

The Casks to be paid for at the Rate of Five Shillings for Barrels. Five Shillings for those between Forty and Fifty Gallons, and a Penny for the Gallon for all above Fifty Gallons; but they are returned in good Order and Sweet, having been well Scalded as soon as emptied, the Price of them shall be returned or discounted.

Any Person who sends Bottles and Corks, may have them carefully filled and corked with Beer or Porter, at Six Shillings, or with Ale at Five Shillings the Dozen. I expect in a little Time to have a constant Supply of Bottles and Corks, and if I meet the Encouragement I hope for, dropping up a Glass-House for making Bottles, to provide proper Vessels to deliver to such Customers as favour me with their Orders, such as quors as they direct, at the several Landings, I desire, being determined to give them all the satisfaction in the Power of

(3rd) Their most Humble Servant, J. MERCER, April 7, 1766.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDU On Tuesday the 13th of May next, at XI o'Clock before Noon, on the PREMISES,

A COMMODIOUS BRICK-HOUSE, with a paved Garden, in West-Street, near Town-Gate, in Annapolis.

(3rd) / JOHN GORDON, Administrator of Robert Gardes.

ANNAPOLIS, April 14, 1766.

WHEREAS it has been represented to his Excellency the Governor, that on Sunday Evening the 30th of March last, the Store of *Thomas Erving*, in *Baltimore-Town*, was opened by a false Key, and stolen out of it, Pieces of *Pennsylvania* Paper Money, to the Amount of about £. 70 Currency, by Persons unknown: His Excellency, for the better Discovery and bringing to Justice the Persons who Committed the Robbery, doth Promise his Lordship's Pardon to any one of them (the Principal only excepted) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices in the said Fact, so that he, she, or they, may be Apprehended and Convicted thereof.

Signed by Order,

UPTON SCOTT, Cl. C.

AND as a further Encouragement, the Subscriber doth Promise a Reward of Ten Pounds, to any one who shall make a Discovery of any Person or Persons concerned in the above-mentioned Robbery, so that he, she, or they, may be brought to Justice and Convicted thereof.

THOMAS ERVING

There is one JOHN CHEW, by Trade Barber, who lived in *Baltimore-Town*, that I should think himself the Morning after the Robbery who is supposed to be concerned in the said Robbery: He is a Man of about 35 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, wears a Grey Surtout Coat, Blue Coat, Black Jacket and Blue Breeches, and a Black Cut Wig; I am told he has formerly been known by the Name of *John Erving*, and is supposed to have two Wives now living, who went towards *George-Town*, in *Cecil County*.

(11) ANNAPOLIS, Thursday Evening a Vessel is arrived in *Delaware* from *Ireland*, and a great Struggle.