

# The MARYLAND GAZETTE.

[XXI<sup>st</sup> Year.]

THURSDAY, June 26, 1766.

[N<sup>o</sup>. 1085.]

**BALTIMORE-TOWN, June 7, 1766.**  
**R**AN away from the Ship *Essex*, John Carrington, Commander, Two Sailors, viz. Joseph Mallett, a stout, sturdy Fellow, of a swarthy Complexion, long Visage, and a sharp Hook Nose. And, John Kelly, about 5 Feet 2 Inches high, and of a black swarthy Complexion. They took with them the Yawl, clean scraped, with a white Bottom, her Stern painted blue, and Quarters flourish'd with white, had a new Spritfail and Forefail, a Mizzen mast, and Out-rigged red.  
 Whoever takes up the said Sailors, and brings them to the said Ship, lying in *Patasco* River, shall receive a Reward of FIVE POUNDS for the Men and Yawl, and reasonable Charges, paid by (3<sup>rd</sup>) JOHN CURLING.

**TO BE SOLD by private Sale, by the Subscriber, living on the Premises,**  
**A** LOT of GROUND, situated in the Addition to *Baltimore Town*, near Mr. *Erasmus Shipper's*, it has two Fronts, the one 112 Feet, the other 80; there is an extraordinary well built two Story House 28 Feet Front, with an Addition of a One Story Brick Building of 20 Feet front, a good Kitchen, Stable, and every other Convenience, suitable for either a Public or Private House: And, as I intend to leave the Country by the last Day of August, desire all Persons Indebted, either by Bond, Note, or Book Debt, to come and Pay their respective Balances; and all Persons having any Demands, to bring in their Accounts at they may be paid, by JAMES VINTERS.  
 N. B. A very good BILLIARD TABLE to be sold.

**T**HERE is at the Plantation of *John Campbell*, at the Fork of *Lingans* in *Frederick County*, taken up as a Stray, a small Black Gelding, with a small white Speck in his Forehead, and another under his left Eye, branded on the rump shoulder and Thigh, but with what imperceptible has some Saddle Spots.  
 The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

**JUST IMPORTED in the Sally, Capt. Buchanan, from LONDON, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Stores at Upper-Mariborough, Pig-Point, and Queen-Anne, on Parliament, and at George-Town on Patowmack,**  
**G**REAT Variety of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, at the most reasonable Rates, for Bills of Exchange, Cash, Tobacco, Wheat, and other Country Produce.  
 STEPHEN WEST.  
 All Persons Indebted above a Year are desired to Pay.

**JUST IMPORTED**  
 the Planter, Richard Carr, from London, and to be Sold by the Subscriber, in Upper-Mariborough, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco,  
**G**REAT Variety of EAST-INDIA and EUROPEAN GOODS, suitable to all Affairs of the Year.  
 (3<sup>rd</sup>) FRANK LEE.

**E**FT with me, last Week, by Mr. *Joh* Ridgely, Chief Mate of the Ship *Lord Baltimore*, Capt. *James Mitchell*, from *London*, A BOX, mark'd I H, N<sup>o</sup>. 1, directed [For *Joh* Ridgely] which he desired me to keep until the owner himself came for it. It contains a Watch, and some Wearing Apparel, sent him by his Brother. The Owner is requested to call for, and receive it from J. GREEN.

**St. Mary's County, May 10, 1766.**  
**R**AN away last Night from the Subscriber, a Convict Servant Boy, named *Samuel Mattox*, about 16 Years of Age, sandy Complexion, a brown Look, short light colour'd Hair, has been a Drummer in the Army, and is a very great Villain: Had on when he went away, a blue *Edinburgh* Cap, short Copper colour'd Kersey Jacket, Cotton Breeches, Osnabrig wide Trowsers, and Shoes and Stockings, with large Brafs Buckles likewise took with him, a Pair of Blankets, and a large Woollen Rugg.  
 Whoever secures the said Servant, so that the owner may get him again, shall receive FORTY DOLLARS Reward.  
 (4<sup>th</sup>) VERNON HISS.

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Abstract from the VOTES of the HOUSE of COMMONS. April 22, 1766.

**T**HE House was moved, that the Proceedings of the House of the 14th Day of Feb. 1764, in Relation to the Question proposed, that a general Warrant for apprehending and seizing the Authors, Printers and Publishers of a seditious Libel, together with their Papers, is not warranted by Law; and also in Relation to the Discharge of the Complaint against Robert Wood, Esq; Philip Carteret Webb, Esq; Members of this House, John Mooney, Robert Blackmore, and James Watson, for a Breach of Privilege of this House, might be read.  
 And the same was read accordingly.

The House was also moved, that the Proceedings of the House of the 17th Day of the said Month, when the House resumed the adjourned Debate upon the said Question, that a general Warrant for apprehending and seizing the Authors, Printers and Publishers of a seditious Libel, together with their Papers, is not warranted by Law, might be read.  
 And the same was read accordingly.

The House was also moved, that the Proceedings of the House of the 29th Day of January, 1765, in Relation to the Question proposed, that a general Warrant for apprehending the Authors, Printers and Publishers of a Libel, together with their Papers, is not warranted by Law, and is an high Violation of the Liberty of the Subject, might be read.  
 And the same being read accordingly;

A Motion was made, and a Question being proposed, that a general Warrant to apprehend the Author, Printer or Publisher of a Libel, is illegal; and if executed on the Person of a Member of this House, is also a Breach of the Privilege of this House.  
 And the previous Question being put, that that Question be now put, it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the main Question being put, Resolved, That a general Warrant for apprehending the Author, Printer or Publisher of a Libel, is illegal; and if executed on the Person of a Member of this House, is a Breach of the Privilege of this House.  
 A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, that the seizing or taking away the Papers of the Author, Printer or Publisher of a Libel, or supposed Author, Printer or Publisher of a Libel, is illegal; and that such seizing or taking away the Papers of a Member of this House, is a Breach of the Privilege of this House.

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**L O N D O N, April 19.**  
**T**HERE is a handsome Medal struck and distributed, about the Size of a Crown Piece, on which is the Head of Mr. Pitt with his Name, and for the Reverse the following Inscription: *The Man who, having saved the Parent, pleaded with Success for her Children.*  
 From a Town in the West, we hear that Public Thanks have been returned in the Parish Church, for the Alteration of the Cyder Bill.

It is said, that Commissions have been sent over to North-America, since the Repeal of the Stamp-Act, for building 4000 Tuns of Shipping, for the Use of the Merchants of this City.  
 April 22. Saturday Evening arrived a Messenger from Falmouth, who came in the Lisbon Packet, and brought an Account, that the Admiral Stevens Packet was arrived there from India, with the News of Lord Clive's Arrival at Bengal, in the Kent Indiaman, Capt. Mills, in Company with the *Asia*, Capt. Inglis; that the *Grenville*, Capt. Jenner, was arrived at Fort St. George; and that one of the Company's Ships homeward-bound, was put into Batavia, in great Distress, supposed to be the Admiral Pocock, which has been a missing Ship, and on which Insurance of 50 per Cent has been given.

The East-India Company have received Advice, that Lord Clive, on his Arrival at Bengal, found every Thing in great Confusion, occasioned by the Death of the Nabob; but, through his Lordship's Influence, the Nabob's Son was placed on the Throne: That soon after a Peace, greatly to the Advantage of the Company, was concluded; and that every Thing being quite settled, his Lordship would soon embark for England, his Presence being no longer required there.

The News from the East-Indies is, in general, as important as can be conceived. The Consequences to the Company will be more than Two Millions Sterling per Annum, besides the greatest Friendship being established. Very lucrative Offers were made to Lord Clive, but refused; and

the Great Mogul has conferred on him the Title of first Omar of the Empire, which is the greatest Honour that can be conferred there.  
*Extract of a private Letter from a Gentleman at Calcutta, dated September 30, 1765.*  
 "Were it in my Power to inform you circum-

stantially of the very advantageous Peace Lord Clive has just concluded, it would needs prove acceptable to you, but in that Particular I am under a Necessity of referring you to the public Accounts, as little or nothing relative thereto will transpire till the Packet sails; however, I may tell you, it is the general Opinion here, that all his Lordship's former Services are but Trifles, when compared with those he has rendered the Company within these few Months; and that he has, to the Admiration of Europeans, as well as the People of the Country, refused many Importunities to become the richest Man in the World."

We hear that in the approaching Discussion of general Warrants, a Motion will be made by a patriotic Commoner, to set aside the Legality of Verdicts founded on presumptive, not positive Evidence, in all succeeding Prosecutions on the Part of the Crown.

It is said that the Court of Spain has sent two General Officers into Switzerland, to engage 13,000 of their Troops into the Spanish Service immediately.

Letters from Spain, by this Day's Holland Mail, mention their having received Advice of an Insurrection in Mexico, of which they had not yet all the Particulars. It was only known that the Vice-Roy had saved himself by Flight, and it was believed had taken Refuge in some Convent. This Event (say the Letters from Madrid) will be the more unfortunate, as it may retard for a Twelvemonth the Return of the Flota, which was expected in the Course of the present Year.

April 24. The Great Mogul has made Lord Clive a Present of a Diamond, said to be worth 100,000 l.

Lord Clive, amongst other Advantages, has received a Resignation or Grant of the whole Territory of Bengal, to the East-India Company, upon only paying some small annual Stipends to the Great Mogul, and to the Nabob. This Grant, it is computed, will be of the Value of two Millions per Annum to the Company.

*Extract of a Letter from Bengal, dated September 28, 1765.*

"Lord Clive being arrived at Bengal, directly joined the Army at Eliabad, and in two Months returned to Bengal, having completed his Wishes without a single Blow. He has established Peace throughout the Provinces, and reduced the whole Country under the Jurisdiction of the East-India Company, so that they are now the sole Masters of that immense Territory. They are to collect all the Revenues of the Kingdom, and to appoint all the public Officers, &c. His Lordship is busy in fixing Barracks in every Part, where it is necessary, to keep the Natives in Subjection; he has settled an annual Salary, of fifty Lack, upon the Nabob, and about that Sum (as it is reported) upon the King of Mogul; the Company receive the Remainder of the Revenues, amounting to between two and three Millions yearly.

*Extract of a Letter from Calcutta, Bengal, dated September 30.*

"Lord Clive has got a Million for the Company from Sujah Doulah. The Fortunes of all his Followers are made, and consequently his own once more affluent. We have Peace at present, though it is imagined the Army will not long be unemployed."

Yesterday the Merchants' trading to North-America gave an Entertainment at Drapers Hall, at which a greater Number of the Nobility and Members of Parliament attended, than have honoured the City with their Presence for many Years past.

A Letter from Senegal mentions, that a large Pettisenger, full of Pyrates, in attempting to board a New-England Ship in the River, was sunk by the Shot of a Four-pounder, and most of the Villains perished.

April 26. Letters from Holland mention, that the Spaniards have withdrawn their Regular

Troops from the Neighbourhood of Gibraltar, and have supplied their Places with Provincial Militia.

There are said to be upwards of Two Hundred Thousand Pounds Sterling Value, in Jewels, on board the Admiral Stephens, lately put into Lisbon, from Bengal.

April 29. Since the News of Lord Clive's Success reached Holland, very large Commissions have been received here from Amsterdam, for the Purchase of Property in the East-India Company's Funds.

By some Letters received with the last Advices from Bengal we are informed, that the annual Sum of Two Millions of Money Sterl. will be granted to the Hon. the East India Company, in Consequence of which a large Body of standing Forces are to be continually kept up, in order to protect the Nabob and his Dominions in those Parts.

We are likewise informed that the Right Hon. Lord Clive will receive 50,000 l. per Annum, for the Services lately done by his Lordship, to the Hon. East India Company and his Country, in the East Indies.

It is said that with the Dignity of First Omar of the Empire of Indoitan, with which the Great Mogul had invested Lord Clive, his Excellency was also presented with a Gold Chain enriched with Jewels, to the Value of Twenty-five Thousand Pounds.

Saturday last George Grenville, Esq; gave a grand Entertainment at his House in Bolton-street, at which were present his Grace the Duke of Bedford, Lord Temple, Mr. Pitt, and many other Personages of Distinction.

**N E W - Y O R K, June 16.**  
*Extract of a Letter from Detroit, April 30, 1766.*

"The Communication has been so long shut up here on all Sides, that we have had very little News from any, indeed, the most interesting are among ourselves: Three young Poutewatamis of St. Joseph, one of which is a Chief's Son, came here in the Month of February last, and kill'd and scalped two of the Soldiers belonging to this Garrison, who were on Command at the River Rouge, about a League below the Fort; the same Night Col. Campbell sent out Capt. Morris and sundry other Officers, with about a Hundred Men in quest of the Murderers; who, notwithstanding their Ranging the Woods several Days, returned without making any certain Discoveries of the Enemy; a few Days after we were informed of the Murderers by some Indians belonging to the other Nations; and Trade was immediately prohibited with the Poutewatamis; in Consequence of which, several of their principal Men came to this Settlement, and by Means of one of the Inhabitants, desired to be admitted to speak with the Commandant, who sent them for Answer, "That they should neither have that, nor the "Privilege of Trade, before they delivered up the "Murderers;" soon afterwards he was informed, that there was another Party of them come and encamped near the River Rouge, and sent out Lieut. Stewart, with about Forty Men, to endeavour to surprize them in the Night; he took Prisoners, two Men and one Woman, belonging to the Poutewatamis of this Place (who are of the same Nation, but a different Tribe) but the Band belonging to St. Joseph, who were encamped a little higher, had an advanced Centinel, who discovered the Party, and alarmed them, by which Means they made their Escape; the Prisoners say the principal Murderers were with this Party; 'tis said there is a large Party of them skulking about here at present: These Rascals served us just such a Trick last Year, and they will do so next, if they are not punished for this; not only they, but all the different Nations around being so tamely acquitted for the inhuman Barbarities they committed in the Year 1763, &c. talk now of killing an Englishman as they would of killing a Deer, and would take away the Life of the former, with less Deliberation than that of the latter; be assured that they are all much disaffected, and talk very ill, not in Hearing; but amongst the French, who find themselves sufficiently interested, to communicate to us whatever Discoveries they can make of their bad Designs."