

The MARYLAND GAZETTE.

[XXII^d Year.]

THURSDAY, January 1, 1767.

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LET, to the LOWEST BIDDER, *Thursday the Fifth Day of January next, if not, the next following Day, at the Falls Church, in Fairfax County, Virginia,*

THE BUILDING OF TWO BRICK CHURCHES, One at the Place where the Falls Church stands, the other in the Town of Alexandria, to contain 2400 Square Feet each. Walls to be of such a Height and Strength, as to admit of Galleries.

Persons inclining to undertake the same, are to meet at the said Church, with their Plans for the Vestry to determine upon. The Churchwardens will be enabled this Evening, to advance to the Undertaker of each Church, 2000^l or upwards, to carry on the Work, on giving Bond, with Security.

WILLIAM ADAMS, } Churchwardens.
JOHN DALTON, }

SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, *according to the Last Will and Testament of John Moore Deceased, on Thursday the first Day of January next, upon the Premises, or London Bills of Exchange, Sterling or current Money,*

TRACT of LAND, adjoining to the Town of Nottingham, in Prince-George's County, called *Brames Pasture*, containing 220 Acres, whereon is a new Dwelling-House, 28 by 20 Feet, finished in a very neat and convenient Manner; a new Kitchen, 20 by 16 Feet, (under which is a small Stone-Cellar) and a Stable. A Half the Tract is a fine hard Marsh, which is easily improved to very great Advantage. The other Part is very level, and of a rich Soil. The Situation is convenient for either a Merchant Tavern-keeper.

Time will be given for Payment, on giving Bond, with Security, if required.
WILLIAM BEANES, Executor.

TO BE CHARTERED

Barbadoes, or any of the West-India Islands.

THE BRIG HANNAH and NANCY, 129 Tons Burthen, now lying in *Falcons River*, at *Selby's Landing*. For Terms apply to the Captain, on board, or the Subscriber, at *Port-Bacco*.—She is now ready to take in a Cargo.
THO. CONTER.

JUST IMPORTED,

the Hannah and Nancy, Capt. Carcaud, from London, and to be sold by the Subscribers, at their Store, at *Pig-Point*, on *Patuxent River*, for *Cash*, or *Bills of Exchange*.

A QUANTITY of Sail-Duck, Sewing and Roping-Twine, *Chester and Gloucester* Cheese, and Single Refined Sugar, with many other Articles, too tedious to mention.
STEWART and NORRIS.

to be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBERS, at the Store lately kept by Mr. Zachariah Hood, in Annapolis, for *Cash*, *Wheat*, or *Indian Corn*, at the lowest Rate.

WINE, Brandy, Rum, Sugar, Molasses, Tea, Coffee, Chocolate, Pepper, All-Spice, Raisins, Figs, Currants, Almonds, Soap, Candles, *Venus's Snuff*, Powder and Shot, Nails, Butter, Cheese, Window Glass, and all kinds of Spices, with many small Articles, too tedious to mention; besides an Assortment of Dry Goods, among which is a Choice Pile of *Bath Beaver Coating*.
THO. WILLIAMS, and Co.

ANNAPOLIS, Dec. 3, 1766.

All Persons having any legal Claims against the Estate of JOHN BATES, Esq; late of this City, Deceased, are requested to bring them in, that they may be Paid: And all those who are indebted to the same, are desired to come and settle their respective Debts with
SARAH BRICK, Executrix.

NOTICE is hereby given, That *Talbot County* SCHOOL will be Vacant on the First of January 1767. Any Person qualified according to Law, to be Master of a County School, and well recommended, may find Encouragement, by applying to the Visitors of said School.

in Charles-Street: Where all Advertisements of a moderate and long Ones in Proportion.

VENICE, September 19.

THE Regency of Tripoli has given Salt to the Value of 10,000 Sequins, and other Goods to the Amount of 4000, and refitted the Ships belonging to the Squadron which we sent there, by Way of Indemnification for the Damage which their Corsairs did our Subjects. They saluted our Squadron with 27 Guns when it entered the Port of Tripoli, and the Senator Nany, who commanded it, was treated with great Honour by the Bey. This Squadron will leave Tripoli the 22d Instant, in Order to return hither.

The Senate has rewarded the Commander Nany, by creating him a Knight of the Golden Star; and our Consul at Tripoli with a Present of 1000 Sequins, besides a Pension of 100 Sequins per Annum, for his Behaviour upon this Occasion.

Paris, Sept. 27. Since the unfortunate Expedition of Larache, an Exchange of the Prisoners which fell into the Hands of the King of Morocco has been Negotiating, and we were in Hopes was almost brought to a happy Conclusion; but we have lately received Advice, that the Barbarian King will not listen to any reasonable Proposition, that he expects to have all our Prisoners redeemed at once, and demands a Ransom of 18,000 Livres for each of them.

September 29. Last Thursday, the King was present at a wild-Boar Hunt in Compeign Wood, and was going to fire on one of those Animals; but the Piece missed; and the Boar attacked the Horse which his Majesty rode on, and wounded him on the Flank. The Horse kept on his Feet, and happily the King received no Hurt.

Mexico, May 30. The Situation of the Inhabitants of the neighbouring Garrison of Ajaccio is become very critical. A Ballad was lately composed, and sang in the Streets there, in Honour of Liberty and our Country. The Genoese Commissary considering this as an Insult, had it strictly prohibited; in Consequence of which a Mob ensued, and a Man of the Name of Cappono, has been Hanged. Reports have been spread, as if the Citizens of Ajaccio had conspired against the French Garrison; to which they have always shown the most respectful Attention. The greatest Diffidence and Jealousy prevails among the Citizens of Ajaccio, many of whom, and those of the first Rank, have retired to this Place, where they can live in greater Security and Freedom.

Copenhagen, Oct. 4. On the 1st Instant the Marriage Ceremony between their Royal Highnesses the Prince of Sweden, and the Princess Sophia Magdalena of Denmark, was Celebrated by Proxy, in the Chapel Royal of Christianburg, in Copenhagen. Prince Frederick of Denmark was Proxy upon this Occasion.

A Collection of Entertainments has since been given by the Court, and the Ministers of the Council. The Swedish Ambassador is to have the Honour of presenting one to the Royal Family Tomorrow: He is to accompany the Princess to Helsholm, on Wednesday, the 7th Instant.

Retz, Oct. 2. There is much Talk here of a triple Alliance which is on the tapis between Great-Britain, Russia, and a third Power; and it is added that three other Powers will be invited to accede thereto. This triple Alliance will probably induce two powerful States to enter into a still closer League.

LONDON.

Sept. 24. In the Ship Peter, Capt. Christopher Smith, from New-York, arrived lately one Mrs. Wilson, aged upwards of 104 Years. She was remarkably cheerful and hearty on the Voyage, excepting for a few Days that she had a slight Fever. Having no Surgeon on board, the Mate of the Ship bled her, and she got quite well again. She has her Memory perfect, diverted the Captain and Passengers with old Stories, and her own History. She is a Native of Northumberland, where she was married, had three Children at one Birth, who were all married in one Day by one Parson, are all alive now in that County, with upwards of Twenty Children. Her Husband being in the Army, was ordered to North-America, where she went with him. When he died she fixed her Residence at

New-York, where she supported herself by letting Lodgings for Fifty-one Years. She praises the Climate so much that she has bespoke a Passage out with the same Captain next Spring, being extremely thankful to him and his Mate for their care of her on her Voyage, and during her indisposition. She assures him of a good Passage when she is on board, having been always lucky. Her Broad to England was to see her Children and Grandchildren, and to save Time, went out of the Peter in a small Boat, and went up the Side of a large light House, but no Person assisting her.

Yesterday Evening, at Half an Hour past seven o'Clock, her Royal Highness Princess Matilda, was married at the Chapel Royal, at St. James's; his Royal Highness the Duke of York was Proxy for the King of Denmark, and the Ceremony was performed by his Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury.

This Morning at a Quarter past Six her Majesty the Queen of Denmark, set out from Carlton House, Pall-mall, for Harwich, accompanied by his Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester, the Right Hon. Lady Mary Boothby, and Count de Bothmar, her Majesty's Vice Chamberlain, and a Train of Three Coaches, escorted by Parties of the Light Horse, Horse Grenadiers, and Life Guards, and a numerous Train of Domestics and Attendants.

Extract of a Letter from Leghorn, July 15.

It has been rumoured here, that the Corsicans have of late been building a Number of flat-bottomed Boats, with Intention to make a Descent upon Genoa with a Body of 30,000 Men, and by one bold Stroke revenge the Severities which they have so long suffered from their old Oppressors.

For these several Weeks past Expresses have been continually coming and going between Genoa and Paris, as it is said that the Court of France, displeas'd on many Accounts with the Genoese Senate, has threaten'd to recall the Troops now stationed in the Garrisons of Genoa. If that should take Place, it is said that the Genoese are determin'd to throw themselves into the Arms of a certain Northern Potentate, who wants only a Pretext to get a Footing in Italy; and has of late while he appeared as if in a profound Slumber, been meditating a Project which the hardiest Politicians will be astonish'd at. In short, Whispers are passing across the Continent, as if such Designs were on the Carpet as have not been thought of since the Days of the Goths.

By Letters in Yesterday's French Mail from Cadix and Madrid, we have undoubted Accounts, that the Ransom of the Manilla was happily settled between that Court and ours; in Consequence of which, an Express was sent to Vera Cruz, ordering the Flota to sail for Europe; which had been detain'd by order of the Spanish Court, some little Time before, inasmuch that the Express met the Flota, after being at Sea three Days, and return'd to Vera-Cruz, and unload'd the Treasure, until further Orders.

Yesterday his Royal Highness Prince Henry, the King's youngest Brother, kiss'd his Majesty's Hand, on being created Duke of Cumberland. As did likewise

The Right Hon. the Earl of Northumberland, on being created Duke of Northumberland. It is said his Grace will also be appointed Groom of the Stole.

Yesterday Morning a Messenger arriv'd at St. James's, with the agreeable News that her Majesty the Queen of Denmark arriv'd at Harwich, in perfect Health, at 4 o'Clock on Thursday last. At present there are nine Princesses and Princesses Royal of the Crown of Great-Britain, and nine Descendants of our late most gracious Sovereign King George the Second and Queen Caroline. There has not been at one Time so numerous a Royal Issue of England since the Conquest, to the great Joy of all true Protestants.

It is said the Sum of 15,000^l per Annum, which the late Duke of Cumberland enjoy'd before the Rebellion, will be granted by Parliament on the present Debt.

Oct. 7. It is said the Earl of Devon was offer'd a Ducal Coronet, but at present declined it.

A Letter from Dublin, dated Sept. 27, says "It is with Pleasure we hear, that a very great Personage has declared, that for the future no Bishops or Bishops will be granted in England upon the Establishment of this Kingdom, either for Life or Years."

The petty Officers on board Admiral Cornish's Squadron at taking the Manilla, in his said, will share Six Hundred Dollars per Man when the Ransom is paid.

October 9. Letters from Madrid advise, that the Earthquake in the Island of Cuba (which lasted near seven Minutes) had entirely swallow'd up the Quarries of Free-Stone and Chalk-Pits in the Neighbourhood of St. Jago; the Inhabitants of which City all abandoned their Houses, and took Refuge in the open Fields, others in the Barracks erected in the great Squares of the City, in some of which the Host had been deposited. This Calamity happened on the 11th of June last, about Midnight; though there were not above Forty Lives lost, yet the Number of the Maimed and Wounded was far more considerable. The same Earthquake was pretty violent at Bayamo, a Port in that Island, and slight Shocks continued to be felt when the Accounts came away.

Letters from Bologna say, that the Differences between the Courts of Rome and Florence, on Account of certain Ecclesiastical Immunities, claim'd within Tuscany by the former, increase every Day; the Grand Duke being determin'd not to acknowledge them, and furthermore to establish in Tuscany and its Dependencies, a mixed Tribunal, like that of Naples.

They write from St. John's, Newfoundland, that Admiral Palfier had issued Orders for all French Ships, on departing the Coast, to remove their Stages, Fishing-Tackle, and Boats, from the Islands of St. Peter's and Miquelon, on Pain of being destroy'd, if found on Shore by any of his Majesty's Cruizers.

Oct. 11. We hear that his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland will have the first Troop of Horse Guards that shall become vacant.

The three following Articles are extract'd in one of this Morning's Papers:

"We have the great Pleasure of assuring our Readers, that the Queen's being brought to Bed of a Princess, was a Circumstance most fervently wish'd and pray'd for by their Majesties, and the whole Royal Family."

"A Northern young Potentate, when on the Eve of Marriage with an amiable Princess, wrote a Letter with his own Hand to his intended Royal Bride, in which, amongst other gallant Expressions, we have it strongly affirm'd to us, is the following: 'With a Crown you gain too a Heart, not I trust, unworthy your possessing; and though you lose a Parent and a Brother, you may be assured of meeting with all the Tenderness of both, and something yet beyond it, in the warm Affection of a Husband.'"

"It is confidently said, that the Public are very materially (it has been said almost solely) indebted to the Ardor and persuasive Eloquence of the Right Hon. Charles Townshend, for that timely Embargo which gives such general Satisfaction; and which, we are further inform'd, was chiefly drawn up by him."

Extract of a Letter from Genoa, dated Sept. 17. On the 11th of this Month, a Courier arriv'd here from Vienna, in four Days, with Dispatches for our Government. Letters from Madrid advise, that the Emperor of Morocco is negotiating a Treaty of Commerce and Friendship between his State and those of his Catholic Majesty.

These Letters also, that the Differences between England and Spain, on the Subject of the Manilla Ransom, are at length amicably terminated; that in Consequence thereof, the Court of Madrid will pay 70,000 Pieces, that is to say, 30,000 on the Arrival of the Spanish Fleet from the Indies, and 40,000 in two other Payments, at a stipulated Time.

An Express is also arriv'd at Madrid, dispatch'd from London by the Spanish Ambassador, with Advice that an English Man of War, lately arriv'd at London, sail'd into the Gulf of Florida, with the Spanish Fleet which is returning from the East-Indies to Cadix.