

House of Lords. This having been a Case of great Expectation, and long contested, we have, to gratify our Readers, obtained an Extract of a Letter upon this Subject, wrote by a Gentleman of Distinction in London, to his Correspondent in this Town, which is as follows.

S I R, London, February 10, 1767. I SHOULD have acknowledged the Receipt of your Favours October 14 past sooner, but that my Time and Mind have been fully employed for Months past, in a Publick Affair, which most nearly concerned the Civil and Religious Interests of every Dissenter in England. By the Force of Truth, which is always an Overmatch for Cunning, and by the Grace of God, supporting at this Time, by his Providence, that glorious Cause, we found the whole House of Lords, as it were, born in a Day to countenance, and also to give Judgment as one Man, in Favour of the Dissenters, against that great Power the City of London, and all that Art we have contested with in the Sheriff's Cause for more than Fourteen Years; and even in this last signal Defeat, to use their own Expression, they died very hard. When the Council on both Sides had done, and the Judges who were summoned to attend had given their Opinions *seriatim* on a Point of Law which was started, my Lord Mansfield, in a most nervous and eloquent Speech, amongst other Things declared, That the Mode of religious Worship amongst Protestant Dissenters, was established by Law. And further, That according to his Apprehension, it would be Sin in a conscientious Dissenter to conform to the Church of England. He concluded, by moving the House, that the Judgment be affirmed, which the House agreed to immediately.

ANNAPOLIS, May 7. On Monday last, by the Violence of the Wind, the Baltimore Packet overfet off Horn-Point: The People, Three in Number, were happily saved by the Assistance of Mr. Middleton's Boat, which he sent out to their Relief.

ARRIVALS. In Patuxent; the Captains M'Dougal, Biggs, Maynard, Brooks, Robinson, and Lewis, all from London.—Capt. Hanrick is also arrived, and informs us, that the Captains Keity and Richard's, may be hourly expected.

ANNAPOLIS, May 7, 1767. ALL Persons having just Claims against the Estate of JONAS GREEN, late of this City, deceased, are desired to bring them in, that they may be adjusted; and, as there are a great Number of Debts due to the said Estate, as well as Accounts unsettled, I most earnestly Request all those who are indebted, immediately to settle with Mr. John Clapham, and pay off their Balances, that I may thereby be enabled to pay off the Claims, and compleat this Business without Loss of Time. A. C. GREEN, Administratrix.

JOHN WOLF, STAY-MAKER, near Lower-Marlborough, in Calvert County,

TAKES this Method of informing all Ladies and Others, That he has supplied himself with GOODS, (having been to Philadelphia, and purchased them in Person,) in order to make a Beginning in the abovementioned County, where he will supply Ladies and Others, with STAYS, made in as neat a Manner as may be had elsewhere. Ladies and Others in Annapolis, that shall be pleased to favour him with their Commands, may, with little or no Trouble, send by the Post, and receive their Stays weekly; and, may likewise depend on having their Work effectually done, by (6\*) JOHN WOLF.

TO be Run for, on Thursday next, the 14th Instant, at Oxford new Course, a Subscription Purse of TWENTY POUNDS; free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, not more than Half Blood, the best of three Heats, two Miles each; if rising 4 Years old this Grass, to carry 8 Stone, Saddle and Bridle included; if 5 Years old, 9 Stone 4 Pounds; 6 Years old and upwards, to carry 10 Stone.

All Horses, Mares, or Geldings, that Start, are to be Entered with Mr. Edward Bramwell, any Time before the Day of Running, and pay Entrance (if a Subscriber) One Pistole, all Others Five Dollars. Judges will be appointed, and the Horses, &c. to Start at III o'Clock. N. B. There will be a Poney Race next Day.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, on the Highest Bidder, on Monday the Eighth of June next, on the Premises, for Sterling, or Current Money,

A VERY Choice PLANTATION, whereon Capt. Peter Wood, late of Charles County, lived, lying within a Mile of New-Port, containing upwards of 300 Acres; whereon is a large Dwelling-house, with five Rooms and a large Passage on the lower Floor, and 3 Brick Chimnies, a Kitchen, Meat-house, Milk-house, Chaise-house, Corn-house, Tobacco-houses, and other necessary Out-houses. Six Months Credit will be given for one Half the Payment, on giving Bond and Security, if required. Any Person inclinable to purchase, may see the Land, by applying to the Subscriber, living near the Premises. The Title is indisputable. (72) 1/2 6/ JOHN HAWKINS.

THE Vestry of Prince-George's Parish hereby gives Notice, That they intend to Petition the next General Assembly, for an Act empowering the Justices of Frederick and Prince-George's Counties, to levy on the Taxables of said Parish, a Sum sufficient to build a Brick Church, in the same Place where the old Church now stands, and for the Repairing Rock-Creek Chapel. Signed per Order, 1/2 5/ SIMON NICHOLLS, Register.

RAN away the 17th of April last, from the Subscriber's Plantation in Gunpowder Forest, Baltimore County, a Convict Servant Lad, named Edward Tyler, about 17 Years of Age: Had on a white Kersey Jacket, Ofnabrigs Shirt, Cotton Breeches, old blue Stockings, Negro Shoes, nailed in the Soles, and Felt Hat; was born in the West of England, and speaks in that Dialect. Whoever takes up and brings home the said Servant, if out of the County, shall have Three Pounds Reward, paid by (72) 1/2 8/ GEORGE RISTEAU.

ANNAPOLIS RACES.

ON Tuesday the 19th Instant, will be Run for, near this City, A PURSE of FIFTY PISTOLES, free for any Horse, (Selin excepted) Mare, or Gelding, the best of Three Heats, 4 Miles each Heat, if rising 4 Years old next Grass; every Horse, &c. to carry 8 Stone (Bridle and Saddle included), if 5 Years old, 8 Stone and 10 Pounds; if Six, 9 Stone and 6 Pounds; and if Aged, 10 Stone.

On the Day following to be Run for, upon the same Conditions, a PURSE of THIRTY PISTOLES, the winning Horse the preceding Day excepted.

Every Person that Runs a Horse, Mare, or Gelding, for the former Purse, shall Enter the same with WILLIAM GREEN, on the Saturday preceding the Race; and, for the latter Purse, on the Tuesday, with whom he shall leave satisfactory Vouchers of his or her Age, and at the same Time, if a Subscriber to the Races, his Subscription having been made before the First of March, shall pay One Pistole Entrance; if not a Subscriber, as above, shall pay Two Pistoles Entrance; and for every Horse, Mare, or Gelding, in which any Inhabitant of Annapolis had any kind of Property on the First of March last, and who has not subscribed to these Races, Four Pistoles Entrance shall be paid. The Entrance Money for each Day to be the same.

The Time of Starting will be between One and Three o'Clock in the Afternoon. Judges will be appointed to determine all Disputes which may arise. 3

Upper-Marlborough, April 20, 1767. To be LET for a Term of YEARS,

THE DWELLING-HOUSE where the Subscriber now lives, which has every desirable Conveniency for a Private Family, or a Person wanting to carry on the Tavern-keeping Business: Likewise a very good Meadow adjoining the Town, capable of making 20,000 wt. of Hay, yearly. For further Particulars enquire of (71) 2 JOHN SCOTT.

OTHELLO,

IS kept at Bial's Neck, on the North Side of Robert's Creek, near Annapolis, and will Cover this Season, at FOUR GUINEAS, and a DOLLAR for the Groom. (71) 3 ROBERT GAY. N. B. There is good Pasturage for the Mares.

J O H N B O Y D, Having just receiv'd a large SUPPLY, has now to sell, at

BALTIMORE-TOWN,

DRUGS of all Kinds, carefully chosen. Chemical Medicines, faithfully prepared. Galenical Compositions, genuine, according to the London, and Edinburgh Dispensatories. Patent Medicines, from the original Warehouses. Dr. Hill's Medicines, so universally famed for curing Consumptions, Rheumatism, Gout, Stone and Gravel. Baron Schwannburg's Liquid Shell, an absolute Cure for the Wind Cholick, and all Kinds of Flatulences, proceeding from Acids, especially in young Children. Painters Colours of all Kinds. Painter's, and Tooth Brushes. Fuller's dying Stuffs. Grocery—as Raisins, Currants, Chocolate, Mustard, Vinegar, Oatmeal, Almonds, Nutmegs, &c. Fine Violet Rappee Snuff. Bottle and Vial Corks. Fresh Rob of Lemons. Medicine Chests, with clear and ample Directions. Shop Furniture of all Kinds. Surgeons Instruments from the most approved Workmen in London, with a Variety of other Articles. N. B. As I have already advertized the Dissolution of my late Partnership, I hope it is not again necessary to request all Persons who remain indebted to the Company, to pay their respective Balances to (2) JOHN BOYD.

To be SOLD for Cash, or Bills of Exchange,

TWO TRACTS of LAND, lying in Frederick County, viz. PEMBROKE, and THE RESERVE, on Mount Radnor, adjoining each other, containing 1306 ACRES, lying on the Draughts of Snowden's River, in the County aforesaid, well situate for raising Stock of all Sorts, and the Soil natural to fine Tobacco. For Title and Terms, apply to the Subscribers living in the lower Part of the said County. JAMES BROOKE, junr. ROGER, RICHARD, BASIL, and THOMAS } BROOKE.

April 29, 1767.

RAN away last Night from the Subscriber's Plantation, in the Fork of Gunpowder, in Baltimore County, Maryland, viz. Charles Campbell, a Convict, born in the West of England, and speaks in that Dialect, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, has sandy Hair, grey Eyes, a well set Fellow, has a very simple Look, and stutters: Had on when he went away, a light fulled Country Cloth Jacket, blue lappell'd under ditto, without Sleeves, old white Cotton Breeches much patched, Ofnabrigs Shirt, new Felt Hat, grey Yarn Stockings, and old Shoes.

Patrick Faby, an indented Irish Lad, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, very spare, has long brown Hair, grey Eyes, fair Complexion, and speaks very pert: Had on when he went away, a light fulled Country Cloth Jacket, a Snuff colour'd under ditto, old white Cotton Breeches much patched, Ofnabrigs Shirt, Felt Hat, white Yarn Stockings, and old Shoes with large broad headed Nails in the Heels. They had on Iron Collars, and have taken with them an old grey Cloth Coat, fac'd or lin'd with Shalloon, a striped Jacket patched, two Check, and one Ofnabrigs shirt.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, and secures them so that their Master gets them again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward for each, if taken out of the County Forty Shillings for each, if out of the Province, Three Pounds for each, and reasonable Charges if brought home, paid by (71) CHARLES RIDGELY, junr.

N. B. They have been in the Country about Six Months.

S E L I M,

WILL Cover MARES this SEASON, at TULIP-HILL, at Four Guineas a Mare, and Five Shillings the Groom; the Money to be paid before the Mares are taken away; and for Six Guineas a Foal will be ensured, or the Money received Returned: Good Pasturage, and particular Care will be taken of the Mares, by (71) JOHN CRARVOZ.

Five Pounds Reward.

RAN away from the Subscriber the 16th of last Month, a Convict Servant Man, named Joseph Green, alias Joseph Galt, but as he can write (and has got Pen, Ink, and Paper with him) it is not unlikely that he will forge a Pass, and go by some other Name, he was imported last November into Rappahannock River, in the Justice, Capt. Colin Somerville; he is a luffy well set Man, and seems to be about 35 Years of Age, and is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, of a fresh Complexion, marked with the Small-Pox, has very black Hair which he has lately cut short, and is very hairy on the Breast, his Eye-lids were red and inflamed with a Cold, when he went away.

He is a Farmer, and says that he was born in Wiltshire, and speaks (somewhat) in the West Country Dialect; he has English Money with him, and also Paper Money; as he broke open an House about a Week before he ran away, where he got some.

He stole a Horse of a dark brown Colour, with mealy Hams, and a bob'd Tail, and roach'd Mane; on whose Breast and Forehead Tar had lately been applied, which was not quite worn off; and a Virginia made Portmanteau Saddle, with Iron Rings behind, and Brass Buttons before, to put Straps through, and an old Snaffle Bridle.

He had on, and with him, the following Cloths, viz. a blue napped Cotton Pea Jacket, with Cuffs to the Sleeves, and black Gimp Buttons on it, and open Pockets without Flaps. An old red Jacket without Sleeves, an old Newmarket blue Cloth Coat, a Pair of old greasy Leather Breeches, which seem'd to be too small for him, and a Pair of brown Sagathy Breeches, a Pair of very coarse Shoes (made by himself) on the back Seam of one of which, a bit of brown Leather hath been since sew'd; and a Pair of old English Shoes, one of which has a cut across the Insole, near to the Toe, a Pair of large white Metal or Pewter Buckles, one old fine check Shirt, and two Shirts made of brown Scotch Linen, a Pair of very coarse grey (English) Yarn Stockings, a Pair of old dark colour'd Virginia Stockings and a Pair of old black Silk ribbed Stockings, an old Hat worn very smooth, and greasy or tarred on the Crown, and a Hole burnt in the Brim of it, and a black String either Worsted or Silk for an Hatband; and he commonly wears a blue and white spotted Handkerchief or Hatband Crape over the Hatband to keep his Hat on, and sometimes the Crape or Handkerchief round his Neck.

Three Pounds Reward, if he is taken up in Virginia, or Five Pounds Reward if he is taken up in any other Colony, shall be paid to any Person, who will apprehend and secure him, so that he shall be delivered to

NICHOLAS FLOOD. All Masters of Vessels are cautioned not to receive him on board. 2 Virginia, April 2, 1767.

WEST-RIVER, April 20, 1767.

THE Subscriber, being appointed Receiver of the Lord Proprietary's Quit-Rents in the Counties of Anne-Arundel and Calvert, hereby gives Notice, That he will attend at the Room adjoining the House of Andrew Buchanan, at the West-End of the Parade in Annapolis, every Wednesday and Thursday during the Sitting of the Provincial Court, in order to receive what Rents may be due, and he would be sorry to find himself under the disagreeable Necessity of using compulsory Measures, with those who Neglect their Payments. 3 JOHN THOMAS.

ANNAPOLIS, April 20, 1767.

WHEREAS little Notice hath been taken of an Advertisement, in a former Gazette, requesting all those indebted to Messrs. Rivington and Brown, of Philadelphia, to make Payment to me: This is therefore once more earnestly to desire all Persons to whom this relates, to discharge their respective Accounts immediately. And 'tis hoped, that, as most of this Money is in the Hands of Gentlemen of Fortune and Integrity, they will not evade Compliance with this most reasonable Requisition, nor by longer Delay occasion the Trouble and Expence of future Publications of this Nature. (4\*) 3 THOMAS B. HODGKIN.

To be SOLD, or HIRED,

A Likely NEGRO Fellow, 20 Years of Age, this Country born, and has had the Small-Pox and Measles.

Port of Chester, March 17, 1767.

THE Subscriber being appointed Collector of his Majesty's Customs, for the District of Chester, in Maryland, gives Notice, to all Masters of Commanders of Vessels, trading to or from the said District, That they take Care to make proper Entries at the Custom-House, kept in Chester-Town, for that Purpose. Also all Merchants trading from the neighbouring Colonies, by land Carriage to the aforesaid Port, are to take Notice, that the Laws shall be strictly put in Execution against them, unless they are furnished with proper Cockets for Goods or Merchandize, they may have Occasion to convey, that such Goods or Merchandize were legally Imported there, and his Majesty's Duties paid. 6 WILLIAM GEDDIS.