

The MARYLAND GAZETTE.

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THURSDAY, May 21, 1767.

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ANNAPOLIS, March 15, 1767.

RAN away from on board a small Schooner, lying in *Pocomoke River*, a white Convict Servant, belonging to the Subscriber, goes by the Name of *Charles Bener*, is of a dark Complexion, wears his own Hair, a little pitted with the Small-Pox, a short well set Fellow, has lost one of the Fingers of his right Hand, is between 30 and 40 Years of Age; had on when he went away, a white Fearnought Jacket, a Red ditto, a blue great Coat, a Pair of thick Yarn Stockings, Country made Shoes, but no Buckles.

Whoever takes up said Servant, and secures him, so as the Owner may have him again, shall have FIFTY SHILLINGS Reward, and all reasonable Charges paid by

6 X NATHANIEL ADAMS.

N. B. He is a Baker by Trade.

THE COMMISSIONERS appointed by Lord BALTIMORE, give Notice, That on Monday the First of June next, they will attend at the House of *Jonathan Rawlings*, near *West-River*, and proceed to the SALE of his LORDSHIP'S MANOR of *Anne-Arundel*. The Authority of the Commissioners, and the Terms of Sale, may be known by applying to the Subscriber, at his House in *Annapolis*.

Signed per Order,

JOHN CLAPHAM.

February 4, 1767.

THE Subscriber having laid out a Point of Land adjoining to *Baltimore-Town*, and *Fell's Point*, into about 270 Lots, will LEASE, or SELL the same, as may best suit the Purchasers. They stand high, pleasant and healthy; the Soil is good for Gardens, and fine Well Water may be had. *Jones's Falls* run round the Land, so that Flats and Boats may come very convenient to the greatest Part of the Lots. The Public Road to *Fell's Point* leads through the Land: All Lots taken within Twelve Months, shall go at 6d. Sterling per Foot Ground Rent, for 99 Years, renewable for ever, or he will Sell them out and out, for a Principal equal to the Interest; a Plan of the Lots may be seen at his House, near the Lower-Bridge Foot.

BRIAN PHILPOT.

N. B. Any Person taking a Lot, and Building a good House, not less than 25 by 16 Feet, within Two Years, shall have Three Years Rent free, from the Date of the Lease.

LOST, in ANNAPOLIS, on Saturday the 28th of February, A small POCKET-BOOK, with several Papers therein, of little Value to any Person but the Owner; there is, in particular, about 12 l. *Virginia Currency*, supposed to be Counterfeits, one 3 l. Bill, indorsed, *D. McCaughey, Ges. Davis, Temb Francis*, and *Jess Relfe*; a 20 s. Bill, *Alexr. Lawton*.

Whoever may have found the said Pocket-Book, and will bring it to the Subscriber, with the Papers therein contained, shall have Thirty Shillings Currency, paid by

S. MIDDLETON.

Piscataway, Dec. 6, 1766.

WHEREAS *William, Mary, and Francis Herringham*, the Children of *William Herringham*, late of *Greenwich*, in the County of *Kent*, did, about 25 Years ago, leave *England*, and go to some Part of the *West-Indies*, and, as it is believed, afterwards go to some of the Northern Colonies in *America*: This is therefore to give Notice to them, if the said *William, Mary, and Francis Herringham*, or the Survivor or Survivors of them, be living, or to their Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, if dead, that by applying by Letter, or otherwise, to the Subscriber at *Piscataway*, in *Prince-George's County, Maryland*, they will hear of something greatly to their Advantage: Or, if any Person can give Information where any of the said Persons, if living, now reside, or if dead, when and where they died, and where buried; such Person shall be genteely rewarded for their Trouble, by applying as above, to

WM. RUSSELL.

CONSTANTINOPLE, January 15.

THE 7th Inst. a little before Midnight, a Turkish Man of War of 64 Guns, lying at Anchor in the Harbour near *Topana*, ready to sail, with another of the same Force, for the *Archipelago*, was set on Fire by a Pan of Coals being put in a Room by some of the People to warm them, who fell asleep. The Fire had made such a Progress while they slept, that the People despairing to extinguish it, and fearing it should be communicated to the other Ship, cut the Cables. The Wind blowing fresh, drove her to a Key called *Capani*, where she set Fire to five Saics (large Vessels that trade to the *Black-Sea*) two of which were laden with Corn. They were all pushed from the Shore, and separated in the Harbour. One of them immediately set Fire to three other Saics, which lay at another Key; two of them were drove to a Place called *Giubali*, and set Fire to the Houses on the *Constantinople Side* of the Harbour, Eighty of which were entirely consumed. Several of the Vessels went along Shore on this Side, and set Fire to a Kiosk of the Grand Signior's, which was soon reduced to Ashes. Had it not been for the Dexterity of the Slaves of the *Bagnio*, who sunk one of the Vessels while she was on Fire, and driving near Eighteen Men of War, which lay moored together before the Arsenal, the most of them must inevitably have been consumed. The Grand Signior, the Grand Vizir, and all the great Officers of the Porte, were upon the Water, giving their Orders. The human Mind cannot picture to itself a more striking and horrid Scene, than to see, at the same Time, nine large floating Fires, in the middle of the Night, with two great Fires on each Side of the Water, which threatened Destruction to the whole City. The Grand Signior, who is blessed with an Heart of Charity and Benevolence, has given Orders to make up the Losses of the unhappy Sufferers by Water. The same Night the Sultana was delivered of a Prince, which was made known on Saturday, by the Firing of the Guns from the *Seraglio* and the Arsenal, which continued Morning, Noon, and Evening.

Vienna, Jan. 4. In the Night between the first and second of this Month, a Quarrel arose among the Soldiers of *Lafcy's Regiment* and several of those of *Weid*, both in Garrison in this City. From Words they came to Blows, with so much Rage, that Eight were killed on the Spot, and about Thirty wounded.

Paris, Jan. 19. Our Troops in *Corfica* wait with Impatience for an Order to return home; the Efforts they have made to engage *Paoli*, and the other Chiefs of the *Corficans*, to return under the Dominion of the Republic of *Genoa*, having hitherto proved ineffectual.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

St. James's, Feb. 7. The following Address of the House of Delegates of the Province of *Maryland*, has been presented to his Majesty by *Charles Garth, Esq.* one of the Representatives in Parliament for the *Devides*, being introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Manchester*: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously. And he had the Honour to kiss His Majesty's Hand.

To the KING's most Excellent Majesty, The humble Address of the House of Delegates of the Province of *Maryland*.

"Most Gracious Sovereign, We, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Representatives of the Freemen of *Maryland*, in Assembly convened, beg Leave to approach the Throne, and, with all Humility, to express the lively Sense of Gratitude with which our Hearts are filled for the late signal Instance of your Majesty's paternal Regard and Attention to the Interests of your American Subjects, in giving your Royal Assent to the Repeal of the Stamp-Act.

As we were affected with the most alarming Apprehensions at the dreadful Prospect of sinking under the Impositions of an Act so pregnant with Oppression, so we enjoy the highest Satisfaction and Complacency, in finding ourselves delivered from such imminent Danger; nor can we forbear to ex-

press the grateful Feelings excited in our Breasts, at such a distinguishing Proof of your Majesty's, and your Parliament's Wisdom, Justice, and Moderation.

Convinced that the Welfare of your Majesty's Subjects of *America* is an Object of the most tender Consideration with your Majesty and your Parliament, we shall ever cultivate the firmest Union with our Mother Country, and contribute, by every dutiful Effort, to the Advancement of her Happiness, Glory, and Grandeur.

The endearing Relation of Parent and Children we most ardently wish may ever be preserved between *Great-Britain* and her Colonies; that a Reciprocation of Benefits may be the prevailing Policy between both; and that an indiscriminate Extension of constitutional Privileges to the whole *British Empire*, may ever be regarded as the firmest Basis of universal Felicity, and cement, into an indissoluble Union, the Hearts and Affections of all your Majesty's Subjects.

Permit us, most Gracious Sovereign, with Hearts animated by the warmest Sentiments of Duty and Loyalty, to assure your Majesty of our invincible Attachment to your sacred Person and Government; of our Readiness, upon all Occasions, to support, with our Lives and Fortunes, your Majesty, and the Protestant Succession in the August House of *Hanover*; and that it will ever be our most fervent Prayer to Heaven, that there may never be wanting a Prince of your illustrious Line to sway the *British Sceptre*, with that Spirit of Wisdom, Equity, and Moderation, so conspicuously and uniformly displayed by your Majesty, and your Royal Progenitors.

By Order of the House,

ROBERT LLOYD, Speaker.

Dec. 6, 1766.

LONDON, February 20.

We hear that the Affairs of the *East-India Company* with the *Mishiky* are (notwithstanding all contrary Reports) in the same unsettled Situation as ever; and that as yet no Man in the Kingdom, one very high Personage excepted, is acquainted with the Earl of *C...*'s Views on the Company.

Feb. 27. We hear that this Morning the Right Honourable the Earl of *Strathmore* will be married to *Miss Bowes*, of *Durham*, the greatest Heiress in Europe; her present Fortune is *One Million*, and 40,000 l. besides a large Jointure on the Death of her Mother, and a large Estate on the Demise of an Uncle.

Extract of a Letter from Rome, Jan 5.

It is talked here, that the King of *Spain* is taken up in carrying on a vigorous Process, not only against the *Jesuits*, but also against the *Jesuitical Court of Rome*; that he has assembled a Number of Divines, and other proper Persons, to consider whether he might not lawfully prohibit all Applications to *Rome* for Dispensations, &c. and appropriate the whole Management and Decision of such Matters, to his own Bishops: That this Question being determined in the Affirmative, he hath caused a Book to be written and printed in the *Spanish Language*, for a standing Proof and Defence of his Conduct on this Occasion; and being resolved to satisfy others, as well as his own People, of the solidity of those Reasons which have prevailed upon him to do this, he has ordered that Book to be translated into *Italian*, whereby it will become more Public to the World, and be read by those whom it may more particularly concern, and by the generality, at least, of the most Southern Parts of *Europe*.

Sherburne, Jan. 12. A melancholy Affair happened last Tuesday Night in the Parish of *Lelant*, *Cornwall*, and is thus related: A young Man of the said Parish, a Tinner, some Time since enlisted himself a Soldier, and very lately (his Regiment then lying at *Plymouth*) he obtained a Furlough to go home and visit his Friends at *Lelant*; but to go home and visit his Friends at *Lelant*; but having tarried too long, took a Resolution not to return to his Company. However, a Part of the Regiment being at *Penzance*, received Information of the said Deserter, and accordingly the Informer with several Soldiers, went to his Father's House in the Night, and complained of being in great Want of a Light; when out of Good-Nature to supply him, he lighted a Candle, and gave Ad-

mittance into the House; no sooner was the Door opened, but they all rushed into the House, and immediately a Pistol was fired, and Murder cried. The Family, consisting of the Deserter, his Father, Mother and Brother, took to what Weapons they had; the Brother was cut down on the Spot; the Father and Mother are stabbed with a Bayonet in such a Manner, that it is thought they cannot recover. After the Death of his Brother, the Deserter fled out of the House at a back Window, naked, ran to a Tin-Mine, and went down to the Bottom by the Rope. When he came down, the Miners at work perceived that his Entrails were coming out, and immediately had him taken up and put to a House. It is thought that this Affair will be the Death of a whole Family, consisting of four Persons. But it is hoped that Justice will be executed on the Perpetrators.

March 3. On Friday a Motion was made to reduce the Land-Tax to 3 s. in the Pound, and carried by a Majority in Favour thereof.

It is said by the Knowing Ones, that the Bets are 206 to 188, that a great Earl will be obliged to resign.

They write from *Lisbon*, that the Prime Minister of *Portugal* continues to stand out against all the Remonstrances of the Honourable Mr. *Hay*, his Majesty's Envoy, for abolishing certain late erected Monopolies, extremely prejudicial to the *British Commerce* in that Kingdom.

March 7. It is now reported, that the Earl of *Bristol* will go Ambassador to *Portugal*, in the room of *William Henry Lyttleton, Esq.*; and that the Duke of *Northumberland* will be again appointed, Lord Lieutenant of *Ireland*.

According to some private Letters from *Genoa*, the Republic, wearied out with maintaining an expensive War against *Corfica*, had been induced to listen to certain Propositions from the Court of *Versailles*, which it was thought would terminate in the entire Cession of that Island to the *French King*.

It is said the following Alterations will speedily take Place in the Ministry: Lord *Barrington* to be Chancellor of the Exchequer, in the Room of *C. Townshend, Esq.* who resigns. *Hans Stanley, Esq.* Secretary of State, in the Room of Mr. *Conway*, who returns to the Army. *T. Townshend, Esq.* jun. to be Cofferer, in the Room of Mr. *Stabley*. *George Onslow, Esq.* to be Secretary of War, in the Room of Lord *Barrington*. *C. Townshend, Esq.* of *Yarmouth*, and *Rose Fuller, Esq.* to succeed Mr. *Onslow* and Mr. *T. Townshend* in the Treasury. And Lord *Lisburne* to succeed Mr. *C. Townshend* at the Admiralty. And that the Earl of *Bristol* will not go to *Ireland*.

It is said, in order to carry his Plan of Operations into Execution with the greater Effect, that the *E. C.* will be appointed First Lord of the Treasury. Others again say, that he will resign in a few Days.

The Misunderstanding between our Court and that of *Lisbon*, is far from being adjusted; and it is expected Mr. *Hay*, our Minister there, will speedily be recalled.

This Day the Right Hon. *Charles Townshend* resigned his Place of Chancellor of the Exchequer.

Lord *Barrington* and Lord *North*, are talked of to succeed the Right Hon. *Charles Townshend*, as Chancellor of the Exchequer.

Thursday there was a great Board of Admiralty, when it is said, several more Ships were put into Commission for immediate Service.

The settling the late Peace was a long while retarded, by the *French* refusing to pay the Money due to the *English* for the Maintenance of the *French Prisoners*, and the Peace was the most desirable Thing in *France*; yet the King obstinately refused the Payment of our Demands. The Duke de *Choiseul* (Prime Minister) tho' drove to his *plus ultra* to furnish Means to carry on the War, yet nevertheless could not prevail on his Majesty, till by a lucky Expedient he made him sensible he was at that present Time, and as long as he should delay the Peace, losing immense Sums of Money. "France, cries the Duke, will immediately see the happy Effects of it; our Manufactures (at present drooping) will once more flourish, our Ports will be crowded with *English Vessels* to take our Wars, and our Capital and Provinces will be over-

the PRINTING-OFFICE: Where all Year; and Advertisements of a moderate after: And long Ones in Proportion.