

# MARYLAND GAZETTE.

T H U R S D A Y, A U G U S T 27, 1767.

### P A R M A, M A Y .

**I**T seems as if the Heads of all the Jesuits in the World were turned. Those of Milan have just established a new Congregation, whose Statutes bind the Members to the Prefect, or Tutor, by the most sacred Oaths; and it is expressly said therein, that they are to be governed entirely by the Decisions of the Prefect in all religious Affairs; because before he pronounces, the said Prefect is to retire and consult with God, who will declare his Mind to him. The Banner of this Congregation has been consecrated by the Archbishop of Milan in the Principal Church, and every Thing passed publicly; but as soon as the Statutes appeared in Print, they were condemned and seized. The Count de Firmian, Administrator of the Milanese, has put a Seal upon the Prefect's Papers, and has wrote to the Court of Venice about this Affair.

*Frankfort, May 24.* His Highness the Reigning Prince of Hohenlohe Kircheberg, was, during Divine Service, at the Cathedral of Anspach, whilst the Sermon was preaching on this Text, "Remember, Man, thy latter End," seized with a Paralytic Fit, and died instantly.

*Paris, May 22.* A Woman of Morlaix was brought to Bed in February last, of a Daughter, who had Two Necks and Two Heads, and lived to receive Baptism. She was opened, after her Death, when they found in her Two Hearts.

*Edinburgh, May 25.* There is now living in a Village near Lead-Hills, about Thirty-three Miles from this City, a Man, named John Taylor, aged 130 Years. He was born in England, bred to the Business of a Miner, in which Capacity he worked there some Years before he came to Scotland, and has a Discharge to show from the Earl of Lauderdale, when the Scots Mint was given up at the Union. He lately walked Two English Miles from his House, to be present at the Christening of his Grand-Child; and, after spending some Time in Merriment on the Occasion, returned home the same Evening, without any Assistance.

### L O N D O N .

*Extract of a Letter from Paris, May 15.*

"The Marquis de Courtenvaux, Captain of the King's Swiss Guard, and Honorary Member of the Royal Academy of Sciences, has fitted out a Frigate at Havre, on board which he is to embark immediately, to go and sail along the Coasts of Holland, the Northern Coasts of Germany, and perhaps those of England. The principal Object of his Voyage is to make Trial of some Clocks and Instruments, designed to facilitate the Determination of the Longitudes by Sea, and particularly the Watch of the *Sieur le Roi*, and the Megameter, or Grand Measure, of the *Sieur Charnieres*. The *Sieur Pengre*, regular Canon, and late Librarian of S. Genevieve, and the *Sieur Messier*, Astronomer of the Marine, will accompany the Marquis, who set out on the 14th for Havre."

[This Letter mentions to us what the French are pleased to call the principal Object of the Marquis de Courtenvaux's Voyage; but perhaps it might be worth Enquiry, how far these pretended Astronomical Observations of theirs may be made with a political View. At least Surveys of the Coasts of England, by so subtle a People, our natural Enemies, are Circumstances which afford Room for a good deal of Suspicion.]

*June 1.* His Majesty has appointed—Hort, Esq; to be Consul General at Lisbon, in the room of Sir Henry Frankland, Bart.

*June 3.* We are credibly informed, that the present Minister from the Emperor of Morocco having received a great Affront, has demanded Satisfaction from this Court, to punish the Offender, that it may serve for an Example to others, who may be unacquainted with their Prerogative.

Monday, as an over-drove Ox ran into Guildhall, a Gentleman, passing by, asked what was the Matter? To which a droll Fellow, among the Crowd, replied, that an Ox was just gone into Guildhall, in a great Passion, to complain to the Lord-Mayor of the Inhumanity of the Drivers.

We hear that the principal Citizens of Norwich, have set the laudable Example of trying an Expedient for avoiding Venality and Corruption at the Election of Members of Parliament, by subscribing the following Association: "Sensible of the great Depravity of Morals, and Licentiousness of Manners, brought upon us by Bribes at our Elections, and alarmed at the Thoughts of that Bondage which must inevitably be the Fruit of it, we, whose Names are under-written, not seeing the Necessity of submitting to a Nomination founded on the corrupt Principles of Bargain and Sale, and having no Point in view but to choose our Representatives with

Honour to themselves and the City, and to preserve our own Freedom and Independency, do hereby unite and associate in one friendly Society, binding ourselves to each other by our Word and Honour, and promising that we will not, on any Consideration whatever, either directly or indirectly, engage our Vote and Interest to any Candidates, or to any Person on their behalf, against the next general Election of Members to sit in Parliament, until the very Day of Election; and then each Man to vote as his Inclination may prompt him. And in the mean Time, we recommend to each other to keep a watchful Eye upon what passes, and to have frequent Conversation upon the Subject."

### B O S T O N , A u g u s t 10.

Last Thursday se'nnight Captain Hyslop arrived at Casco-Bay from London, which Place he left about the 7th of June; by whom we hear, that the Board of Commissioners of the Customs was actually established, to consist of 7, and a Salary of 500l. each; and the Secretary and Receiver General of the Board, 300l. each—That Lieut. Governor Hutchinson, and Mr. Secretary Oliver, would have been of the Board, but are provided for another Way, by Salaries to be paid them out of the Revenues raised on Duties on several Articles of Commerce, by which they, with all the Officers of the Crown, will be rendered independent of the People:—That the Chief Justice of the Superior Court was to have 500 l. and the Secretary 300 l. per Annum—That nothing would be attempted by way of internal Taxation of the Colonies.—And that the Address of the House of Commons to the King in Behalf of the Gentlemen who suffered in the Colonies during the late Troubles, praying for some Remcompence, or peculiar Marks of the Royal Favour to them, was graciously answered, by Assurances of his Majesty's Intention to reward them for their Attachment to Government.

We also hear that the Act of Compensation and Indemnity, lately passed here, was disallowed.

### P H I L A D E L P H I A , A u g u s t 20.

EXTRACTS from the VOTES of the HOUSE of COMMONS of GREAT-BRITAIN.

*Sabbati, 23 Die Maii, 1767.*

**M**R. Fuller (according to Order) reported from the Committee of the whole House, to whom it was referred to enquire further into the State and Condition of the *East-India* Company, the Resolutions which the Committee had directed him to report to the House; which he read in his Place, and afterwards delivered in at the Table, where the same were read, and are as followeth, *viz.*

**RESOLVED**, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that it would be for the mutual Benefit of the Public, and the *East-India* Company, that a Temporary Agreement be made, in regard to the Territorial Acquisitions and Revenues lately obtained in *India*.

**RESOLVED**, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that it is expedient, for the Purposes of the said Agreement, that it should continue for a Term, not exceeding Three Years, to commence from the First Day of *February*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-seven.

**RESOLVED**, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that the said Acquisitions and Revenues do remain in the Possession of the Company, during the Continuance of such Agreement; and that the Company do pay to the Public, annually, during the said Term, the Sum of Four Hundred Thousand Pounds, by Half-yearly Payments, each Payment to be made within Six Months after the same shall have become due.

**RESOLVED**, That it is the Opinion of this Committee, that it will be necessary and proper, for the better carrying on, and extending, the Trade of the said Company, that Provision be made, for granting a Drawback on Teas exported to *Ireland*, and the *British* Dominions in *America*; and for taking off the Inland Duty of One Shilling per Pound Weight on Black and Single Teas, consumed in *Great-Britain*; upon such Indemnification to be made by the Company to the Public, in respect to such Duty and Drawback, as is mentioned in the Petition of the said Company.

The three first Resolutions of the Committee, being read a second Time, were agreed to by the House, *Nemine Contradictente*.

The subsequent Resolution of the Committee, being read a second Time, was agreed to by the House.

**ORDERED**, That a Bill be brought in, pursuant to the Three first of the said Resolutions, and have been agreed to by the House; and that Mr. Fuller, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Thomas Townshend, junr. Mr. Onslow, Mr. Pryse Campbell, Mr. Attorney General, Mr. Solicitor General, Mr.

Cooper, Mr. Jenkinson, and Mr. Dyson, do prepare and bring in the same.

**ORDERED**, That the Fourth of the said Resolutions be referred to the Consideration of the Committee of the whole House, to whom it is referred to consider further of Ways and Means for raising the Supply granted to His Majesty.

*Martii, 26 Die Maii, 1767.*

An ingrossed Bill to continue several Laws therein mentioned, relating to the clandestine Running of uncustomed Goods, and preventing Frauds relating to the Customs; to prevent the clandestine Running of Goods, and the Danger of Infection thereby; to the granting Liberty to carry Rice from His Majesty's Provinces of *Carolina* and *Georgia*, in *America*, directly to any Part of *Europe*, Southward of *Cape-Finisterre*, in Ships built and navigated according to Law; and to the prohibiting the Importation of Books re-printed abroad, and first composed, written, and printed, in *Great-Britain*, was read the Third Time.

**RESOLVED**, That the Bill do pass.

**ORDERED**, That Mr. Fuller do carry the Bill to the Lords; and desire their Concurrence.

The Lord *Barrington* presented to the House (according to Order) a Bill for further continuing an Act, of the last Sessions of Parliament, entitled, *An Act to amend, and render more effectual, in His Majesty's Dominions in America, an Act passed in this present Session of Parliament, entitled, An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion, and for the better Payment of the Army, and their Quarters*; and the same was received, and read the first Time, and ordered to be read a second Time.

*Mercurii, 27 Die Maii, 1767.*

Mr. Solicitor General presented to the House (according to Order) a Bill for restraining and prohibiting the Governor, Council, and House of Representatives, of the Province of *New-York*, from passing or assenting to any Act of Assembly, for any other Purpose, until Provision shall have been made by said Assembly for furnishing the King's Troops with all the Necessaries required by Law; and the same was received, and read the first Time, and ordered to be read a second Time.

*Luna, 1 Die Junii, 1767.*

A Bill for restraining and prohibiting the Governor, Council and House of Representatives, of the Province of *New-York*, from passing or assenting to any Act of Assembly for any other Purpose, until Provision shall have been made by said Assembly for furnishing the King's Troops with all the Necessaries required by Law, was read a second Time, and committed to a Committee of the whole House.

**RESOLVED**, That this House will, To-morrow Morning, resolve itself into a Committee of the whole House, upon the said Bill.

*Martii, 2 Die Junii, 1767.*

**RESOLVED**, That upon the Exportation from this Kingdom of Coffee and Cocoa Nuts, of the Growth or Produce of the *British* Colonies, or Plantations in *America*, as Merchandize, a Drawback be allowed, of the Duties of Customs, payable upon the Importation thereof.

**RESOLVED**, That a Subsidy of Six-pence in the Pound, according to the Value specified in the Book of Rates, referred to by an Act made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of King *Charles* the Second, be laid upon the Exportation from this Kingdom, of such Rice as shall have been imported Duty free, by virtue of an Act made in this Session of Parliament.

**RESOLVED**, That the said Duty on Rice be reserved in the Exchequer, for the Disposition of Parliament.

**RESOLVED**, That the Drawbacks payable on China Earthen Ware, exported to *America*, be discontinued.

**RESOLVED**, That a Duty of Four Shillings and Eight-pence, Sterling Money, per Hundred Weight, Avoirdupois, be laid upon all Crown, Plate, Flint, and White Glass, imported into the *British* Colonies and Plantations in *America*.

**RESOLVED**, That a Duty of One Shilling and Two-pence, Sterling Money, per Hundred Weight, Avoirdupois, be laid upon all Green Glass, imported into the said Colonies and Plantations.

**RESOLVED**, That such Duties as shall be equal to a Moiety of the Duties granted by two Acts of Parliament, made in the Tenth and Twelfth Years of the Reign of her Majesty *Queen Anne*, and now payable in Pursuance thereof, or of any subsequent Act of Parliament, upon Paper Paste-Boards, Mill-Boards, and Scale-Boards respectively, be laid upon Paper Paste-Boards, Mill-Boards, and Scale-Boards, imported into the said Colonies and Plantations.

To be SOLD, on Terms to be agreed upon at the Day of Sale, at Mr. George Neavill's Ordinary, near the Premises, the 15th Day of September next, (pursuant to an Act of Assembly empowering the Executors of Col. Charles Carter, late of King George, to make Sale of such Part of his unentailed Lands as they shall find necessary for the Payment of his Debts)

**F**OURTEEN Thousand Acres of fine high and low Grounds, lying in the Counties of *Prince William* and *Fauquier*, on *Bread Run* and *Kett's Run*, to be laid off in Lots or otherwise, as may be agreed on: The Executors being at all Times ready to confer with any Persons inclinable to bargain for any of the said Lands before the Day of Sale. There are a great Number of remarkable fine Streams for Grist Mills running through the said Tract, which lies within 25 or 30 Miles of public Navigation, on *Parowmack* and *Rappahannock* Rivers.

LANDON CARTER, CHARLES CARTER.

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### T O B E S O L D .

**H**AMPTON FURNACE, in *Frederick* County, *Maryland*; together with upwards of 3000 Acres of Land, all of which is remarkably well Wooded. The Furnace, with Casting Bellows, and Bridge Houfes, are all built of Stone, and compleatly and substantially finished, with a good Grist-Mill Two Stories high, built also of Stone: They are situated upon a Branch of *Maryland* which never fails, nor can any of the Works be injured by the largest Floods: There is likewise finished, a large commodious Coal-Houfe, with all other convenient Houfes; also a very compleat Farm, within a Quarter of a Mile of the Furnace, upon which is above Fifty Acres of Meadow prepared, and Forty more may be easily cleared, all exceeding good, and in one Body.—There will also be Sold, the whole Stock of Negroes, Servants, Horses, Waggon, &c. belonging to the Works: There is Six Months Coal at the Furnace, and about Fourteen Hundred Cord of Wood cut ready for Coaling: There is about Five Hundred Tons of Ore at the Side of the Furnace, and about Four Hundred Tons more raised at the Bank. The Ore, of which there appears to be an inexhaustible Quantity, is extremely rich, and of a good Quality, and easily raised.—The Owners propose to sell immediately before they go in to Blast—Time will be allowed for Payment of the best Part of the Money, upon Bond and Security.—Any Person inclinable to purchase, may treat with *Normans Bruce*, who lives near, and will show the said Works.

BENEDICT CALVERT, EDWARD DIGGES, NORMAND BRUCE, WILLIAM DIGGES, junr. JAMES CANADY.

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To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, at Schoolfield, Pr. George's County, Maryland, on Tuesday the 25<sup>th</sup> of August, at X o'Clock in the Forenoon,

**S**UNDRY Horses, Mares, and Fillies, equal in Blood and Form to any in *America*; among them is a Mare Nine Years old, full Sister to Mr. *Galloway's Selim*; she suck'es a very beautiful Filly Foal, got by *Figure*, and is cover'd by the same Horse this Season: Also Two fine Fillies from the same Mare, one Three, the other Two Years old this Grass, both got by *Dove*: Likewise a Dove Colt Three Years old, from a Spark Mare 15 Hands high; a Dove Filly from a Spark Mare 14 Hands and upwards high; a Dove Filly cover'd by *Ranger*, all beautiful.—Time will be given for Payment, on giving Bond on Interest, with good Security.

The high bred Horse *RANGER* will be sold by private Bargain, before that Time, if a Purchaser offers; the Mares cover'd by him that proves with Foal, and those he may Cover before sold, to pay only Two GUINEAS, the Money shall be returned if the Mares do not bring live Foals; his Goodness can only now be known by his Offspring, Any Mare of 14 Hands high, or upwards, that ever won 20 Pounds, or that Value, at any one Time; and run no less than Two Mile Heats, shall be covered by *RANGER*, Gratis.

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THOMAS HAMILTON.

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