

Letters from Chatham mention, that Orders are received at that Yard, to take his Majesty's Ship Monmouth, of 64 Guns, to Pieces, being judged unfit for further Service. This Ship was esteemed the best Saier in the whole Navy, had a principal Share in the Actions fought by the Admirals Anson and Hawke, against the French in the Bay of Biscay, when commanded by that brave Officer, the late Admiral Harrison, in the War preceding the last; was in the late War in several Actions, commanded by the Captains Gardiner and Harvey, the former of whom was killed on board, when engaged singly with the Foudroyant of 80 Guns. She never gave Chase to any Ship she did not come up with.

June 11. Letters received at Constantinople from Cairo advise, That on the 3d of March last, being the second Feast of the Bairam, the Day on which all the Beys and other Officers of the City repair to the Castle, to compliment Hamsey Pacha, Governor of Egypt, about 60 Persons, most of whom belonged to Grandees, who have been some Time in Exile, having formed a Design of assassinating several of the Beys now in Post, got into the Pacha's Hall of Audience, disguised, and well armed: But the Emir Hatch, or Conductor of the Mecca Caravan, having observed among them some suspicious Movements, he signified the same to the other Beys; one of whom, on his taking Leave of the Pacha, received a Pistol-Shot, which tore away Part of his Jaw. On this all the Beys had recourse to their Sabres, fought their Way through, and destroyed the Conspirators. One Bey remained dead on the Spot, others were dangerously wounded, as were also several Principal Officers. After this bloody Scene, wherein many Lives were lost, the Government ordered the Pacha to be deposed, which was done the same Day; and those of his Officers who were suspected to have favoured this Plot, were banished. The Janissary Aga has ordered many of the Grandees of Cairo, who were discovered to be Accomplices therein, to be punished.

Last Week, at a Christening at Widaker, near Whitehaven, of the 21st Child of Mr. Wright, by the same Woman, the Company came from 21 Parishes, and the Entertainment consisted of 21 Pieces of Beef, 21 Legs of Mutton and Lamb, 21 Gallons of Brandy, Three Times 21 Gallons of strong Ale, Three Times 21 Fowls roasted and boiled, 21 Pies, besides several Hams, a great Number of Puddings, &c. &c.

June 18. In the Vienna Gazette, the Portrait of the late Empress-Consort, is drawn in the following Terms: "Meek, pious, compassionate, affable, obliging. She was never known to swerve a Moment from the Principles which those united Qualities had deeply engraved in her Heart. Those who had the Honour to be attached to her, had in her a Mistress whom they served more through Inclination than Duty. The Poor always found in her a Mother ready to relieve their Distresses, and the World constantly beheld in her an Example of Virtue. She has endured, with a Courage and Resignation, worthy of the Greatness of her Soul and of her Piety, the terrible Malady which has brought her to the Tomb; and, during the whole Course of it, has given Proofs, equally admirable and moving, of that heroic Tranquillity, which Religion only can inspire.

ANNAPOLIS, SEPTEMBER 10. Yesterday arrived here, in 10 Weeks Passage from LONDON, the Ship SWAN, commanded by Capt. JEREMIAH BANNING; with whom came Passengers, Mr. CHARLES WALLACE, Merchant, of this Place, and Mr. CHARLES DIGGES, Merchant in Patowmack.

The following Declaration, signed BENNETT SEEDERS, occasioned by a Piece inserted in this GAZETTE of the 20th of August last, we insert literally, as it came to Hand, not being impowered to deviate from the Original.

TO THE PRINTER OF THE MARYLAND GAZETTE.

IT being lately asserted in your Paper on one Side, and denied on the other, that Mrs. BLAKE's Family got their late Disorder (of which Fourteen of about Sixty in Family, died) from a Convict Ship, and at last it is fix'd on Me, as having been the Means of so much Calamity, by purchasing a Servant from the Ship. For the Sake of Truth, and that the PUBLIC may not be farther imposed on in this Matter, I request the Favour of you to publish the following Declaration in your next GAZETTE.

I BENNETT SEEDERS, of Kent-Island, declare, and am ready to make Oath, if called on, That I bought a Convict Servant Man, from a Ship, at Annapolis, some Time about the First of November last, and carried him home to my Family, and there he now remains in perfect Health, and has not, to my Knowledge, had one Day's Sickness; and, am sure he never has lost one Day's Work by Sickness since I bought him, nor has one of my Family, except myself, been sick since I bought him, unless with the Flux, which my Wife was ill of, and some others of my Family, when I bought him, and she died with it about Three or Four Days after I carried him home, and the Rest of my Family all recovered, being almost well before the Servant came home.

That about a Fortnight after I brought my Servant home, I went to my Brother JOHN SEE-

DER's, at the Head of Wye, in perfect Health, to see him and my Mother, when there was a white Woman sick there, whose Husband was a Servant to my Brother; she came there sick to see her Husband, and stay'd all Night at my Brother's, and, about Five or Six Weeks after that, I went again to my Brother's, to help him build a House, when I found Three or Four of my Brother's Family sick, and the white Woman still sick, and my Brother told me, he thought it was the long Fever the white Woman had had, and that his Family had taken it from her; I went from thence to my Mother's, who lived near, and stay'd Two Days, and the building of the House was put off by my Brother a Fortnight longer, I went home to my Family, well myself, and all my Family well: At the Fortnight's End, I returned to my Brother's again, to help him build the House, when I still found those of his Family sick that were sick before, amongst which was a Negro Woman that was Wife to a Negro Man of Mrs. BLAKE's, but that Wench recovered, and is alive and well now. I went to work in building the House, (which was but a small logged Smoke-House) and worked about Four Days with my Brother, and a Negro, and had got the Logs up, and were putting up the Rafters, when I was taken with an Ague, and went to Bed; and, after the Ague a Fever came on, and a Pain in my right Side. I sent next Day for the Doctor; when he came, he said I had a bastard Plurisy, bled me, and gave me a Vomit, and I lay ill above Ten or Twelve Days, before my Fever left me; and the Pain in my Side, and Soreness, continued some Weeks afterwards, before I was able to ride home. When I got home, I found all my Family well, and so they have continued ever since: That both myself and my Brother thought my Disorder different from that his Family had; that my Brother's Family all got well again, but an old Negro Wench, that had been paid Labour several Years, and was supposed to be upwards of Seventy Years old.

QUEEN'S-TOWN, BENNETT SEEDERS. Aug. 26, 1767.

ANNAPOLIS, September 9, 1767. Pursuant to the Directions of the Last Will and Testament of EDMUND KEY, Esq; Deceased, the following Tracts of Land will be Sold to the Highest Bidder, at PUBLIC VENDUE, at the COFFEE-HOUSE, ANNAPOLIS, on Wednesday the 21st of October next, precisely at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon, viz.

PARADISE; containing Three Hundred and Thirty-five Acres. GOOD HOPE, containing Three Hundred Acres. And FRIENDSHIP, containing Two Hundred and Six Acres. These Three Tracts almost join one another; one of them binds upon Patowmack; and all of them lie betwixt Great Conococheague and Little Conococheague Rivers. They will be sold for Ready Cash, or Six Months Credit will be given on proper Security. U. SCOTT, Executor.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, at the Plantation of Mr. JOSEPH HILL, deceased,

A Quantity of INDIAN CORN, at 3s. per Bushel. JONATHAN SANDS.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, at FAUQUIER Court-House, on Wednesday the 30th Inst. by Virtue of a Decree of the said Court,

A VALUABLE TRACT of LAND, on Goose-Creek, about 12 Miles from the said Court-House, well Wooded and Watered, and good either for Farming or Planting: Also 125 Acres of LAND, on which Mr. GEORGE LAMKIN: now lives, being on the main Road that leads from Falmouth to Winchester, about Mid-way betwixt the Two Places, and is very convenient for an Inn: There will also be sold the same Day, a choice Parcel of SLAVES, consisting of Men, Women, and Children, amongst which are Two Women that Spin well, and understand the Management of Flax, also a good Blacksmith.

Any Person inclinable to purchase, may be shewn the Lands, by applying to Mr. LAMKIN; who has likewise for Sale, contiguous to the largest Tract, 150 Acres, through which runs a good Stream for a Grist-Mill, and on which he has lately erected one. DANIEL JENIFER.

ELK-RIDGE, September 8, 1767.

LOST the 3d of July last, at Annapolis, a SILVER WATCH, made by THOMAS HARBUTT, LONDON, No. 8260, with a Silver twisted Chain, a redish Stone Seal, set in Silver. I have good Reason to suspect a certain B—S—, who was in my Company, and went with me to Baltimore-Town, and Jeppa; but his chief Place of Residence is at, or near Piscataway, where he has got some Land in Prince-George's County: He is a young Man about 20 Years of Age, pretty tall and slender. Whoever brings the said Watch to the Subscriber, or to Mr. Thomas Wells, in Prince-George's County, shall have a Reward of Six DOLLARS, and if Stole, and the Thief brought to Justice, Five POUNDS, paid by JOSEPH RYAN. N. B. If offered to Sale, stop it and the Party.

ROUSBY-HALL, September 7, 1767. ON the last Day of this Month will be ready for Business, a complete FULLING-MILL, near the Mouth of Patuxent River; where all Persons who have Occasion, may have their Work done in the best Manner, and on the most reasonable Terms. Cloth and Orders will be received at this Place, and the Business executed with all possible Dispatch. PLATER & FITZHUGH.

IMPORTED, in the Brigantine BOLTON, August 25, 1767. Captain THOMAS BACON, from Whitehaven, in June last, a Box, marked W G, No. 2. Capt. BACON gave no Bill of Lading for it, nor does he know who put it on board. There are in the said Box, Irish Linens, Checked Handkerchiefs, Ribbands, Pins, Gartering, Thread, Cotton Shapes, and sundry other Things. On the Property being proved, and Charges paid, it will be delivered to the Owner, by the Subscriber, at Alexandria. HARRY PIPER.

SIX POUNDS REWARD. STOLEN, on Thursday Night, the 30th of July last, from the Subscriber's Plantation, near Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, a Sorrel HORSE, about 13 Hands high, and about 16 Years old, is very fat, paces, trots, and gallops, has been constantly used to the Draught, branded on the near Shoulder thus, G C.

Also a Sorrel MARE, about 15 Hands high, trots and gallops, is about Five Years old, has no Brand, one of her hind Feet white, has a small Lump on her Breast, much resembling a Masket Ball, her off Shoulder is a little rubbed with the Traces, is very fat: Neither of them had Shoes on when stolen.

Whoever takes up said Horse, Mare, and Thieves, shall have a Reward of Six POUNDS, or THREE POUNDS for the Horse and Mare above, with reasonable Charges, paid by JACOB KETCHINTONER.

Prince-George's County, Sept. 7, 1767. STOLEN out of the Subscriber's Pasture, on Monday Night, the 31st of August last, a large light coloured grey Horse, near 15 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock B. He has a Ridge Mane and Bob Tail, paces, trots, and gallops, and has been used to draw in a Chaise.

Whoever brings him to the Subscriber, shall have FOUR DOLLARS Reward, and FIVE POUNDS for the Thief, if he be Convicted, paid by BENJAMIN HALL, Son of Francis.

THERE is at the Plantation of Charles Carroll, jun. in Prince-George's County, taken up as a Stray, a bay HORSE, about 15 Hands high, has not any perceivable Brand; there are several white Saddle Spots on his Back, and a few white Hairs in his Forehead, and appears to be about 12 Years old.

The Owner may have him again, on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of John Cammings, in Baltimore County, in the Fork of Gunpowder, taken up as a Stray, a middle sized bay Mare, neither branded nor Ear-mark'd, and has a good Bell and Collar.

THE Subscriber is authorized by the Legatees of the late Captain ALEXANDER BEALL, to sell One Eighth Part of a Tract of Land, called KINCOLE, containing 246 and 1-4th ACRES. He has also in his own Possession, the like Quantity of the said Tract, adjoining to the above-mentioned, which he will sell together, or separate from it. This Land lies in Frederick County, in the Province of Maryland, about Eighteen Miles of good Road above Frederick-Town. It is convenient to several Iron-Works, of a good Soil, has great Plenty of Timber, has a Plantation upon it, with several excellent Springs, and a Stream running through it, on which is a Mill at a small Distance. Time will be given for the Payment of one Half of the Purchase-Money, properly secured. The Bills of Credit of this Province, or current Money of Pennsylvania, taken in Payment. If it is not sold at Private Sale, it will be put up to Sale to the highest Bidder, at the House of Mr. ARTHUR CHARLTON, in Frederick-Town, on Wednesday Afternoon in next November Court Week.

Such Persons as chuse to purchase at Private Sale, may have an Opportunity of so doing, at the Assize, Frederick County Adjourn'd Court, or at any other Time, before the Day of Sale, on applying to the Subscriber, at his House, on Rock-Creek, about 8 Miles above George-Town. ANDREW HEUGH.

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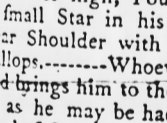
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