

MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1769.

To be sold, by the Subscriber, at Public Auction, on Wednesday and Thursday of this November Court, at the House of Jacob Myers, in Baltimore-Town, NEAR Two Hundred very valuable LOTS, on Philpot's Point, and sundry valuable Plantations in Baltimore Forest, Part of the Estate of Brian Philpot, deceased, and sold to pay off the Creditors of said Deceased's Estate. As it is not probable that the whole can be disposed of at that Time, the Sale of what shall remain unsold, will be continued as aforesaid on the Wednesday and Thursday of every succeeding Assize and County Courts, 'till the whole are sold. Attendance will be given at the before-mentioned Time and Place, by the Subscriber, who is duly authorized by Mrs. Mary Philpot, Executrix of said Estate, to manage the Business and settle the Accounts thereof.

(12w) JAMES KELSO.

Those Gentlemen who have bought Lots at the former Sales, are once more requested to call for their Deeds..

LEGHORN, July 27. LETTERS from Corsica advise, that a Canon of Evagno, in the Pieve of Vico, had attacked, with 200 Men, 2 Piquets belonging to the French, and killed 59 Men; that the Government, notwithstanding this Insult, in order to maintain the Tranquility of the Island, had offered to pardon that Ecclesiastic, if he would return to his Obedience, which he refused.

KALISCH, Aug. 4. The Tartars, already weary of the War, have separated from the Turkish Army, in order to return to their own Country.

WARSAW, Aug. 17. To free the Town of Choczim, the Grand Visir detached from his Army Two Corps, one of Forty, the other Thirty Thousand Men—The first of these Two Corps did not think proper to wait the Arrival of the Russians, who were commanded by the Generals Stoffeln, Bruce, and Prokofowki; the other was repulsed, a first Time on the 29th of July, and a second Time on the 1st of this Month. At the same Time 2000 Spahis (Turkish Horse) attempted a Sally, but met with such Resistance from 15 Squadrons of Russian Cuirassiers, that they were forced to re-enter the Town. At the Departure of the Post, a Report prevailed, that Choczim had opened its Gates to the Russians, and that Potocki, with a Number of Confederates, had surrendered themselves Prisoners of War.

BRESCIA, Aug. 20. A most dreadful Accident happened here the Day before Yesterday: The Lightning fell upon a Tower, in which were several Thousand Pounds Weight of Gunpowder, and blew it up into the Air with a horrible Explosion. Eight Palaces, and 97 other Houses, have been entirely destroyed by it, and more than 1800 Persons buried in the Ruins. About 300 have been dug out alive, but all more or less hurt. The rest were found crushed to Pieces. We cannot, as yet, form any just Estimate of the Loss occasioned by this melancholy Accident; but, according to Appearance, it cannot be less than 300,000 Venetian Ducats.

PARIS, Aug. 21. It is pretended, that the English have offered to restore Canada, if the King of France will give up their Possessions in India, and prohibit all Commerce to their Subjects in those Parts.

RAN away last Night, from the Paluxent Iron Works, the Two following Convict Servant Men, viz. JOHN HILL an Englishman, about Thirty, or Thirty-five, Years of Age, dark Complexion, and wears his own short black Hair; he is about Five Feet Nine or Ten Inches high: Had on, when he went away, an Osnabrig Shirt, Crocus Trowsers, old Cotton Jacket, old Felt Hat, and old Shoes.

JOHN SMITH, a Gypsy, about Twenty-five Years of Age, Five Feet Nine or Ten Inches high, of a very dark Complexion, and is cloth'd in the same Manner as Hill. Whoever takes up the said Servants, shall receive on delivering them, if taken Twenty Miles from home, Thirty Shillings, and if Fifty Miles or out of the Province, Fifty Shillings for each (including what the Law allows) paid by

(2f) THOS. SAML. & JOHN SNOWDEN.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in Annapolis, an indentured Servant, named JOHN BURRAGE, by Trade a Clock and Watch-maker, born in the West of England, about Five Feet Eleven Inches high, of a dark Complexion, mark'd much with the Small-Pox, and has short black Hair: Had on, and took with him, a Drab Colour Surtout Coat, cut short, Check Shirt, striped Linnen Trowsers, Casser Hat, and Country made Shoes. Whoever secures the said Servant, and delivers him to the Subscriber, shall have Five Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

FRANCES KNAPP.

WILLIAM WHETCROFT, Goldsmith and Jeweller in West-Street, Annapolis.

HAVING purchased the Servants lately belonging to Mr. Knapp with all the Materials for carrying on the Watch and Clock-making Business hereby informs the Public, that he repairs all sorts of Clocks and Watches, in the best and most approved Manner; and as he has a complete Apparatus for cutting Wheels with more Expedition and Exactness than usual, they may depend on having their Work done in the most careful Manner, and on better Terms than heretofore.

He also carries on the Goldsmiths and Jewellers Business in the most extensive Manner, as he has imported a great Variety of Materials, and has extreme good Workmen for the executing the above Branches. Those Ladies and Gentlemen who please to favour him with their Custom, may depend that the utmost Exertion of his Abilities to merit their Esteem, shall be his whole Study and greatest Ambition.

N. B. He has a great Variety of ready made Work by him, which he will sell at the most reasonable Rates.

He gives the best Prices for old Gold, Silver and Silver-Lace. (2f)

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

Baltimore-Town, September 16, 1769.

BROKE Jail last Night about Eleven o'Clock, the following Prisoners, viz. JACOB, a Negro, a short thick Fellow, about 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high; he was formerly the Property of Mr. Benjamin Welsh, of Anne-Arundel County, and sold to a certain Hugh Scott, of York County, in Pennsylvania; he is remarkable for having both his Ears cleft, and is supposed to be harboured some where about Mr. Welsh's Plantations.

WILLIAM WOODMAN, about 5 Feet 10 or 11 Inches high; he is a down looking Fellow, and had on an old Osnabrig Shirt and Trowsers.

Whoever secures and brings back said Prisoners, shall have Ten Pounds for both, or Five Pounds for each, paid by DANIEL CHAMIER, Sheriff of Baltimore County.

M. GREEN, at the PRINTING-2s. 6d. a Year; ADVERTISEMENTS, h Week's Continuance. Long Ones ady Printed, most kinds of BLANKS, al Sorts, with their proper BONDS er of PRINTING-WORK performed

LONDON, August 24. George Wood, the Person mentioned in Yesterday's Paper as charged with Murder and Piracy on board the Black Prince, arrived at London from New-York, in the Ship Dutcheff of Gordon, with Martin Cow, William Bolton, and James Appleton, 3 of his barbarous Companions; and as they are all well known upon the River and so. Reward is offered for each, it is hoped they will soon be taken, that their horrid Offence may be punished as it deserves.

It having been represented to the King, that about Eight Months ago the Ship Black Prince, William Hawkins, Master, belonging to Mr. John Fowler and others, Merchants in Bristol, bound to Old Calabar on the Coast of Africa, having on board about 44 Persons, Boys included; that about Two Months after they left Bristol, being within a Week's sail from the Coast, about 30 of the Crew (most of whom are described in the List) mutinied, and bound the Captain and Chief Mate, and put them, together with the Second and Third Mates, the Boatswain, Cooper, One Foremast Man, and the Cabin Boy, and some Necessaries and Provisions, into the Ship's Boat, and sent them off; after which they changed the Name of the Black Prince to that of the Liberty, and painted her Head black; then sailed for the Brazils, and coming to Sierra, they sold Part of her Cargo; at which Place, while Part of the Crew were ashore, those on board cut the Cable, and after firing several Shot into the Town, gave Chase to a Schooner, which however escaped from them; that soon after this, they tried the Cook, Allen McCoy, by a pretended Court Martial, condemned and hanged him; and afterwards put into Crab Island, where seeing a Sail to Leeward, they chased her, but the People quitting their Vessel, and chased her, but the People quitting their Vessel, and chased her, but the People quitting their Vessel, and chased her...

We are informed a Petition will be moved for by the Freeholders of the County of Lincoln at the Races, which begin the 4th of September.

Aug. 25. An Evening Paper of last Night says, " It is the received Opinion of some political Connoisseurs, that on Saturday last the finishing Hand was put to a Change in the Administration.

We hear, in Case the Committee of the Bill of Rights, at the next Meeting at the London Tavern, should expel S— V—, Esq; as not being longer worthy to continue a Member of that Honourable Society, that he intends to move the Court of King's Bench the First Day of next Term, for a Mandamus against them, to shew by what Authority they exert their Right of expelling him.

By Advice lately received from various Correspondents in different Parts of Europe, we are informed,

that the Harvest in Norway, Denmark, Sweden, Poland, Prussia, and other Northern Parts of Europe, turn out very bad; but that there is the greatest Plenty of Corn in Italy, Sicily, and other Parts of the Mediterranean, ever known.

Aug. 26. On Thursday last Sir John Lindsay received his Commission of Commander in Chief of the Squadron destined for India; and Yesterday he kissed his Majesty's Hand, on Occasion of the above Promotion.

It is said, with great Appearance of Probability, that a Change in the Ministry will speedily take Place; that Lord C—m will again superintend the National Affairs; and, what is still more singular, will be united with some certain great Men, with whom it has been repeatedly asserted, he declared he never would have any Connection.

A Nobleman, who had lately a very unpopular Character, we are assured is every Day regaining the Place he once held in the Opinion of the Public, as it is well known he has used all his Influence with a certain Great Personage in Behalf of a Patriotic Gentleman, whose Punishment is generally thought to be much more severe than his Offences have deserved.

Aug. 29. General Paoli's Baggage, which has been for some Time expected, arrived last Week in the River; it came over in the Ship that brought Lord Exeter from Leghorn.

We are informed, that since the Arrival of an unpopular Nobleman from abroad, he has been repeatedly applied to, not only by several now in Power, but by others in the Opposition, on the present State of Affairs, and that he has absolutely declared his fixed Determination not to interfere, either directly or indirectly, in Matters relative to Government.

Aug. 31. This Day, precisely at Twelve o'Clock, the Court of Proprietors of the East-India Stock met. Sir George Colebrooke opened the Business by informing the Court, that last Night the Directors had received a Message from Mr. Wood, Secretary to Lord Weymouth, informing them, that Sir John Lindsay's Commission, in regard to the sole Command of his Majesty's Ships in the Gulph of Persia, has been signed and sealed, with this further Amendment, " that in case of Sir John's Death, the next Officer in Command should succeed to his Department."

We have the Pleasure to assure the Public, that there will most certainly be a Petition from the large and opulent County of York; notwithstanding all that has been said and attempted to the Contrary.

We hear that the Livery of London intend, on Michaelmas Day, to petition his Majesty for the Dissolution of the present Parliament.

Five Hundred Guinea were laid Yesterday to Four Hundred; that the Parliament will be dissolved before Christmas.

Yesterday the Earl of Egmont attended the Levee at St. James's, and had a Conference with his Majesty, from whence it is conjectured, that his Lordship will soon be appointed to some Post in the Administration.

A Correspondent says, the prodigious Increase of the French Navy is entirely alarming, and should instigate the Great to lay aside Contentions and Party Squabbles, and unite in taking Care of the most essential Interests and Security of the Nation, which Demand a powerful Navy ever well kept up, and ready to defeat the Attempts of our artful and natural Enemy.

BOSTON, November 6.

A Gentleman shewed us last Week a Pair of Silk Stockings that were manufactured here and wove by Mr. Etter, of German-Town: They appeared to be fine and very strong: Several other Pairs we hear are weaving of Silk made here.

By Letters from Gardinerston, alias Cobbsconte, on Kennebeck River, dated the 18th Ult. we learn, that on Tuesday the 17th, 4 Minutes before 12 o'Clock they had there a smart Shock of an Earthquake, which lasted a Minute: It was instantly followed with a violent Hurricane of Wind from the N. W. and by W. which continued all that Day: The next Day exactly at the same Hour and Minute, viz. 4 Minutes before 12 o'Clock there was another Shock harder than that of the preceding Day; it threw the Pewter off the Shelves, and the Ground appeared to move in Waves, and seem'd to come from N. W.

NEWPORT, November 6.

Last Monday in the Afternoon the Merchants and others, of this Town, met at the Court-House, and entered into a very spirited and constitutional, Agreement of Non-Importation, to continue from that Day, 'till the late Act imposing Duties on Paper, Glass, &c. shall be repealed. One Copy of this Agreement is signed by 47 of the principal Merchants and Traders in this Town, and we suppose other Copies have met with similar Success.

PHILADELPHIA,

Nov. 9. Captain Peele, from Lisbon, informs, that on the 25th of September, in Lat. 36, 34; Long. 15, 36, he fell in with Three Sallee Men of War, of 32 Guns each, who ordered him to hoist out his Boat, and come on board them, which he did, and after producing his Mediterranean Pass, they detained him Four Hours, and then ordered him to proceed on his Voyage. The next Morning he saw a Sail to Windward; which immediately bore down for him, and came up with him about Noon, when they fired a Gun, hoisted a

red Flag, and ordered him on board; that on his shewing his Pass, the Captain ordered him under a Guard of 18 Men, while they went on board his Brig, plundered his Cabin of his Stores and Necessaries; took away his Books and Instruments, Shirts, Wearing Apparel, and several Things of Value, struck his Mate several Times, and used all his People very ill, threatening to stab them if they did not open their Chests; that they might take what they pleased; that one of their Slaves told him, while he was on board, the Ship belonged to the Emperor of Morocco; that they had lately sailed from Novo Salkee on a Cruize, had taken several Spanish Ships, and plundered a great many others. They detained him 'till Evening, and then ordered him on board his own Vessel.

Captain Crawford, from Londonderry, on the 30th ult. in Long. 58, spoke a Brig from Lisbon for Bolton 7 Weeks out.

By Captain May, from Lisbon, we are informed, that a Fleet of 30 Sail of Russian Men of War, of the Line, joined by 10 Sail of Danish Men of War, were going from the Baltic up the Mediterranean, against the Algerines, who had declared War against the Danes. He further informs, that the above Account was brought to Lisbon by the Lieutenant of a Danish Man of War, and that they were all in the Sound on the 10th of August. On the 26th of September, Two Days after he left Lisbon, he fell in with 5 or 6 Sail of Algerines, One of them a Two Deck Ship, who fired several Shot and brought him too; after detaining him for some Time, Two Vessels hove in Sight, which they took to be English Frigates, when they suffered him to proceed on his Voyage, having first taken away some of his Compasses, and Instruments. At the Time he left them he saw Two Xebecs bring a Snow too, but does not know who she was. On the 24th of last Month, in Lat. 25, 25, Long. 62, 55, he saw a long Vessel, which he took to be a Xebec, under Jury Main and Mizzen-Masts, standing to the S. E. but being to Windward, he could not speak her; and on the 2d Instant, in Lat. 38, 5, Long. 72, he spoke a Schooner from St. Eutatia for Bolton, all well.

From Cork we learn, that the Charming Polly Capt. Henderson, who sailed from this Port, with a despatched Load of Malt, arrived there on the 29th of August, where she was at first refused Entrance by the Collector, he supposing the said Captain had run away with the Vessel and Cargo, 'till the Captain produced a Newspaper containing the Transactions of the united Inhabitants of this City relative to the said Malt; which Transactions have since been published there, and greatly approved of.

Last Week sailed the Brig Friends Goodwill, Capt. Spicer, for Hull, who carries back with him a large Quantity of Goods imported in said Brig, contrary to the Agreement of the Merchants and Traders of this City.

This Day sails for London the Ship Pennsylvania Packet, Capt. Falconer, with whom go Passengers, Mrs. Rachel Wilson, a public Friend, and Mr. Abel James, of this City, Merchant. Capt. Falconer carries with him a Quantity of Goods imported contrary to Agreement.

Nov. 13. On the 4th Inst. his Honour the Governor was pleased to appoint Andrew Allen, Esq; to the Office of Attorney-General of this Province, in the Room of Benjamin Chew, Esq; who resigned.

Extra of a Letter from Lisbon, dated Sept. 25, 1769.

" Having just now, on Change, learnt that this Court and the Emperor of Morocco have concluded Peace for a Year, we send this, after Capt. Fortin, to inform you thereof; fearing, as Barbary abounds in Wheat, Supplies from thence will reduce our Market to a low Ebb; which Occasions our countermanding your interesting us in Vessels Cargoes 'till further Advice—Requesting your communicating this unwelcome News to our Friends."

Nov. 16. We learn from Ferrol, that about the 16th of September, Accounts were received there, in the Spanish Magazine, and by Letters from England, that Mr. Pitt was again in Place, and with the King hourly; that it was said Orders were come down from Madrid, for all the Men of War to be hauled out of the Mole, into the Stream; which caused various Conjectures there; that Orders were also received, for the Captains and Officers of each Ship, and 40 Men, to be on board, as they gave out, the Men of War would have more Air in the Stream than in the Mole; that they were in great Expectation of a War, as it was said our Ambassador at Madrid had found out their secret Plan or Scheme, and was gone home to England; and that the Spanish Minister was put under Confinement, for letting him into the Secret; that it was publicly talked of there, that the Spanish Fleets at Cadix and Ferrol, were to be joined by a large French Fleet, in order to attack Ireland at the first breaking out of the War; and that the Spaniards rejoice at every Advantage the Turks gain over the Russians.

Saturday last the Brig Wolfe, Captain Potts, belonging to London (late commanded by Capt. Robinson, who died on the Passage, about 4 Weeks after they sailed) arrived here in 64 Days from Tennent's. On the 12th ult. in Lat. 38; 31, Long. 62; 30, Capt. Potts spoke a Schooner from Virginia, fo Antigua, 5 Days out; 15th in Lat. 30; 14, Long. 63 spoke a Ship, late commanded by Capt. Hubbard, bound to London, from York River, in Virginia, that had lost