to be facrificed to the malite of t ftration: stration erefore, attached to you by the notice d fellow-citizens, to entreat you, in the

To be parsicularly attentive to your our regard the interests of this country. r to you our fervices, to be exerced at every thing a freeman ought to hold ay think molt expedient, in the defence and constitutional liberty, and will most countred every danger and difficulty in is countrymen. May beaven gran ju ather of your country, and a friend to free.

onour was pleafed to return the following Answer.

on you have expressed for me demands of returns of gratitude. of seel very piness resulting from the kind attention sllow-citizens to my fecurity and we fin flow citizens to my factor as a line from re-flons for my present safety arise from re-hope have to foundation. Such uning roccedings would bring on the author entment and indignation of everybonet if thall endeayour to refere and expressed on this occasion, and shall ately missortine, that can attend he if conduct should give you any realon to

A POLTS June St. of the committee of observation for ge's county, at the house of Richard iscataway, on Monday the 10th day of were present 13 members.

om the committee at Baltimore, of the appears, that a brig, called the cally, mafter, from Billol, having 400 on board, imported lines the first of Fe. ved there lately, configued to Dr. John at part of the faid falt was put on beard afts, supposed to be intended for sale in vers in this province; and that one, took part of faid falt; and it appear. mittee, from the information of Mellin, jun. George Fraser Hawkins, and He. , that they had, on on about the 15th haied, of one Thomas Bailey, 2 parcel fuspected to be part of the above; the as Bailey appears, and being informed eclares his concern that he should have ly led into a step that he now finds to ig; and that, to shew the sincerity of tion, voluntarily confents and requells, d as above be destroyed, on which he l claim against the persons to whom he ime, and requests: the determination of e postponed as he can furnish evidence provedis innocence; on which it is day fortnight; -- Mr. Carnes, Mr. Ir. Kichard Dent, Mr. Edward Edelen, Diggs any two of them, are ap. re falt destroyed.

of the committee of observation, for 's county, at the house of Mr. Richard scataway, on Saturday the 27th day of ere present 19 members

omas Bailey failing to appear, according reference, with the evidence proposed the committee proceeded to confider ft him; and as it appeared, from the declaration, that he was informed at ore he landed the aforesaid salt, that falt which arrived at Baltimore, connn Stephenson, was declared to be ille-and ordered to be destroyed—they do faid Thomas Bailey has committed a f the continental affociation, by felling imported in the Sally, captain Most.

e being informed, that Mr. John
away, had killed a lamb, contrary to
e provincial convention, held at Annber laft, Mess. Luke Marbury end ere sent to inform him, that the comimmediate attendance. Mr. Baynes ing informed as above, acknowledged i a lamb, and conceived that he had ted the continental affociation, which here to, and thought it superior to nvention, which, he conceived, was carry the refolves of the continental cution.

at the faid Mr. Baynes, in killing the violated the refolie of the provincial fuch measures may be of mischievous ending to create a difregard to public ed for preferving the liberties of

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by order of the committee, JOSIAS BEALL, chairman.

Charles county, June 3, 1375-N being made to some of the mem-nmittee for this county, on Monday That certain persons had imported, felling, goods in a daring and direct ntinental affociation. A meeting of is immediately called, and but few when a very full and respectable at the court-house, in Port-Tohacco, into this affair; and it was clearly proved, that a certain John Baille, e a pallenger in the thip Lady Marliam Noble, from Scotland, had y goods with him, which appeared, f Baillie and Patrick Graham, living to have been put on board and he confent or knowledge of the capwore that capt. Noble knew of his

ard the fhip when he arrived in ano appeared, that Baille, when he wisciance on board the flip in Scotland, knew of he continental afficiation, and that Patrick Graham, he continental affociation, and that Patrick Graham, no ferres manner, did affift and aid him in taking no ferres manner, did affift and aid him in taking no ferres manner, did affift and aid him in taking no from into his house, secretly, sell part, thereof, or his own and Baillie, interest, to several people in his county, without letting them know the circum-hace under which they were imported. Whereupon haces under which they were imported. Whereupon he committee Resouved, That the faid John Baillie, and Patrick Graham, for their, infamous conduct, and by to be publicly known and held up as foes to the and Patrick Granam, for their, intamous conduct, bught to be publicly known and held up as foes to the rights of British America, and universally confermed as the enemies of American liberty; and that every perfon ought henceforth to break off dealings with the faid John Baillie and Patrick Graham. And as he faid John Daime and Fairlek Granam. And as he ship which brought the goods had failed, and there being no topportunity of shipping and sending them back to Britain, the committee surther RESOLVED, hat such of the goods as are unfold, or can be collectd from the purchasers, shall be stored with and kept mr. Zephaniah Turner, until, and twelve months by Mr. Zepnanian 1 urner, until, and twelve months liter, a general importation is agreed on by the continental congress. And that, where any of the goods which may have been so fold cannot be collected, the laid Graham shall deposit the amount of the fales thereof in eash, to be kept, with the goods stored, the whole at the risque of the owners.

Capt. GEORGE DENT, in the chair.

Published by order of the committee,

JOHN GWINN, clerk.

At a meeting of the committee for Charles county, in Port-Tobacco, June 10, 1775.

SUNDRY letters were laid before this committee, telating to John Baillie's bringing goods into the country, in the thip, Lady Margaret, wherein it appears to this committee, that capt. William Noble had made application to two Gentlemen of the committee, nade application to two Gentlemen of the commit-in St. Mary's county, and one gentleman of the commit-tee in Charles county, informing the at the faid Baillie had brought fome goods in the mp without his (Noble's) knowledge, and requested those gentlemen to (Noble's) knowledge, and requested those gentlemen to enquire into the matter. I his committee are therefore of opinion, that Capt. William Noble acted as he ought to have done, and acquit him of any design or intention of violating the resolutions of the continental

Signed, by order, GWINN, Clerk.

At a meeting of a great majority of the committee of Worcester county, at the courthouse, at Snowhill jown, on Wednesday the 7th of June, 1775.

BENTON HARRIS, Eig; in the chair.

I. RESOLVED unanimously, That we owe persect duty and allegiance to his majesty king George the Third, rightful king of Great-Britain, &c. that we are actuated by the most loyal and fince attachment to his person, the most servent zear for the support of his crown and dignity, and that, when constitutionally required, we are ready to expend our lives and fortunes in his service.

II. RESOLVED unanimously, That we feel ourfelves bound by the strongest ties of love and affection to our fellow-subjects in the mother country, and that we in a ardently wish for a speedy, cordial, and permanent reconciliation and union with them ; but we do further resolve, that we will, to the atmost of our power, oppose the detested ministerial plan for enslaving us; à plan calculated to divest us of every privilege which can render life valuable or desirable; that weare incontestably entitled to all the rights and liberties of Englishmen; that, as we received them from our glorious ancestors without soot or plemish, we are determined to transmit them

pure and unfullied to our posterity.

III. Resolved unanimously, That we will, from time to time, as often as shall be found necellary, contribute chearfully for the lupport and relief of our distressed brethren in the province of Massachusetts-Bay, now actually experiencing the fullest extent of ministerial vengeance and tyranny, and groaning under the horrors of war; in the defence of their and our common rights and liberties.

THE following letter from Mr. Dixon Quinton, an inhabitant of this county, relative to a quantity of falt imported contrary to the resolves of the continental congress, being produced and 1 1 4 4 3 5 6 6 6 7 read, viz.

"L have bought farty bushels of Liverpool falt, at 28. per bushel; and light have occasion of ady you may have it as I be the he Please to write me a line whether you will take any or no, that I may dispose of it to other people.

June 15 1775. "DIXON QUINTON."
To Mr. James Houston, this."

Likewise Mr/Thomas Lambden, an inhabitant of this county, and cryer of the faid county court, being called before the committee, and full proof being made, that he had declared all those who took up arms, or exercised agreeable Annapolis, to a belt; and that, in converta-tion relative to a quantity of falt being thrown into the water by the Baltimore committee, the faid Thomas Lambden had declared, "that the

would not be easy until some of them were hanged up?" and further that, in conversation relative to a report that the thips and troops were about to be recalled from Boston, the said Thomas Lambden had declared, "that he should be very forry they should be withdrawn, until the Bostonians were fully humbled. It is therefore unanimously Resolven, That we hold the
faid Dixon Quinton, and Thomas Lambden, to
be enemies to their country; that we are determined immediately to break off all dealings, and intercourse with them, and with every person who shall have any connexion with them, or either of them, and do recommend to every attorney of this province, not to bring or profecute any action at law, nor to appear or plead for them, or

committee were a parcel ofdamn'd raicals, and

on as shall be satisfactory to a majority of this RESOLVED, That these proceedings be immediarely printed in the MARYLAND GAZETTE. A true copy from the minutes, Test, ROBERT DENNIS, Clerk.

either of them, on any trial, until they shallo

make such proper acknowledgments, and shew

fuch genuine marks of repentance and reformati-

At a meeting of the committee of observation for Anne-Arundel county and city of Anapolis, on the 14th day of June, 1775, in the laid city,

Mr. CHARLES WALLACE, chairman.

A Charge having been ade on oath, before the committee, that Thomas Chipchase, of this city, butcher, on the 23d day of May last, had killed several lambs, he was ordered to attend,—He appeared, and confessed the fact, alleging, in excuse, that he under, stood that there was no absolute prohibition by the continental congress, and that the statity of provisions at that time would plead for him, a hat he did was from a define of supplying the many strangers in was from a defire of supplying the many strangers in town. But as he had since been informed, that such. procedure was contrary to a resolve of the provincial; convention, he would take care to offend in that manner no more, and hoped the committee would forgive him. The fense of the committee being taken on the above, they declared it a breach of the resolve of the provincial convention, respecting the killing of lambs; but, all circumstances considered, they were of opinion he ought to be forgiven.
ORDERED, that these proceedings be published in the

Maryland Gazette. G. DUVALL, elerk.

TO THE PUBLIC.

REGARD to truth and reputation prompts me, to expose the falsehood and iniquity of a publication in Goddard's Maryland journal of the 24th of May. This account is formally ushered into the world under the supposed patronage of the respectable committee of Cacil county, and has been copied into other papers, to the northward. I declare, however, in the most solemen manner, that no fuch fummons, as is mentioned in the above publication, was ever ferved upon me; and I am at liberty to add, upon the authority of Messes I am at liberty to add, upon the authority of Messer John Veazey, jun. chairman, and John Veazey the 3d, acting clerk, that the proceedings of the committee respecting me, have not been faithfully published, and have neither their sanction nor consent: in short, the sather of the child, like the framer of the Quebec bill, cannot be found, although he has been deligently sought for; but his friends, it is hoped, will not delpair of his reformation, since he has the grace to hide his sace; indeed he blunders exceedingly in his present attempts, to rob me of my character, for he makes a attempts, to rob me of my character, for he makes a James Veazey, chairman, whereas there is no such man in the county, but I forgive him, and sincerely with him a better head, as well as a better heart. It is the lot of men, more worthy than me, to have enemics. I have mine, and they have been judustrious to make every one think as ill of me as they do themselves. For this laudable purpose, they take advantage of the distraction of the times, and would fain convince the world that I am an enemy to liberty. Now although I candidly own that my politics are not quite agreeable deeply principled against the assumed powers of the British parliament, to tax these colonies, and complain of, and have done as much to oppose their late acts, as to theirs, yet I many of those who make turbulence and clamour the test of patriotism. CHARLES GORDON:

Cæcil county, June 15, 1775. CUSTOM HOUSE

BNTERED: Brig John, John Mauger, Liverpool. Ship Union, Andrew Brysons; London, Schoonen Patsey, John Carpenter, Virginia: Brig Molly, James Campbel, Barbados. Sloop Swan, William Brown, Falmouth: Ship Friendship, William Frost; London.

CLEARED:

Sloop Friendship, John Middleton, Barbados:
Brig Elizabeth and Mary, Will. Ligh bourn, Barbados:
Ship Neptune, Robert Collings, Fatth.
Schooner Molly, Joseph Burlingame, Virginia.
Schooner Peggy, William Gosnold, Antigua.
Schooner Pattey, John Carpenter, Virginia. Ship Grace, James Lawson, London. Schooner Hannah, Joseph Towner, South-Carolina.

5005005050505050505050505050505050 On Monday the 19th of June, will be fold by public-vendue, at Mrs. Chilton's tavern, in Baltimore-

HE schooner Hetley, with all her rigging, sails, the school of the sail half and a fast sailing vo. 2). All her frame is mulberry, and the is to be scenar vir. Spear's wharf. Any person inclinable to purchate, may apply to ROBERT CHRISTIE, jun.

Hall on the second

A MSE SE R O V S TO N TAKES this method to inform his friends, and the public in general, that he carries on the turnery butinets in all its various branches likewise he makes all kinds of spinning-wheels and clock-reets, and all forts of bench and hand-forewal all orders tent to me at Mr. James Taylor's, ceachmaker, near the Towngate, thall be faithfully and punctually obeyed, and at the most reasonable rates, by their most obedient, and humble ferwart, i.w. JAMES ROYSTON.

Just imported, and to be fold by the subscriber, at his flores in Annapolis, and Baltimore,

ARBADOS and Grenada tum, fine old spirit, and

B ARBADOS and Grenada rum; fine old spirit, and Muscovado sugar, w WILLIAM POTTS. Told at public late, on saturday the and day, of A NEGRO girl about 21 years old he is fold by virtue of a deed in trust from William Carr, to STEPHEN STEWARD

O. be fold by the lubly ribers, a valuable teach of land, lying in Frederick county, about 16 miles from George town, containing 306 acres, about 100 acres cleared and under good fence ; poll-flion will beperson defirous to purchale, may fee the land by ap-

plying to Mr. Simon Nickolls, near the premiles.

DAVID CRAWFORD,
WILL DEAKINS, jun. To be fold at public auction, on the premiles, on

Monday the roth of July next, NE hundred acres of land more or less, adjoining Anne-Arundel manor, in Anne-Arundel county, being part of the tract called Turkey hill. The land is very good, a great part of it capable of being made into merdow, there are now fome improve-ments; the whole will be thewed to those who may be inclined to become purchasers, on application to-James Randal, who lives on the land. The sale will be in common currency, for ready mone, though to make it the more convenient to the purchaser, bills of exchange if defired, will be received in payment, at the then rate of exchange, by virtue of a deed in truft, from Thomas Crandell. STEPHEN STEWARD, KENZEY-JOHNS.

St. Leonard's creek, Calvers county, June 10, 1775. R AN away from the subscriber, on the 17th of May, a lusty country-born negro pan, called Benedict, about 32 years old, 6 feet high, dry talkative, has a fear on his upper lip, and longer wool than ufual: had on when he went away, a country cloth wailtcoat and breeches, and an iron coller. Whoever takes up. the faid negro, and delivers him to the fubscriber at St. Leonard's creek, Thomas Johnson, jun. at Annapolis, or James Johnson, receive eight dollars reward. THO. JOHNSON, Ien. polis, or James Johnson, in Frederick county, shall

R AN away from the fableriber, living in Frederick county, on the 15th of April last, an Irish fervant named Peter Kelly, but has changed his name to Petice Burn, and has a pass for that purpose; he is about 5 feet 8 inches high, has dark brown hair, and of a dark complexion, and down look, this apparant rel is a light coloured country cloth coar, i Holland thir, sofnabrigs ditto, blue yarn flockings with fhoes and buckles, a felt hat bound with black worfted binding, firiped linen trousers; also went with him a lusty negret woman named Rhoad, now goes by the name of Many Bannaker, her apparel a white humhums gown, her other cloathing such as is common for slaves. Whoever takes up faid servant and slave, and secures them, so that their master gets them again, shall if taken in this province, be intitled to again, mail it taken in this province, be intitled to 20 dollars reward, and if out, the fum of ten pounds, including what inclaw allows, paid by ABIDNIGO HYATT.

SIX POUNDS REWARD.

AN away from the subscriber, living near Bellair, on Patuxent, in Prince George's county, Maryland, a mu atto fellow called Tom, a shoemaker by trade; he is about one and twenty years old, 5 feet or so inches high, stoops naturally, he is fair, but has a remarkable beard when he lets it grows: he has the look of a rogue when tharply tooken to, and dif-covers a great deal of affurance and impudence in his conversation. he has always lived in the neigh-bourhood of Queen Thine's, the Governor's Bridge and Bellair, and been acquainted with the priests of this province, his conversation may easily discover him. It is likely as may call himself free, and have a forged pais under another name, or he may probably be concealed and kept at his trade in Annapolis, or in the neighbourhood of Bellair, on Patukent, where he lived, by some white people, who make too familiar with my flaves to my great prejudice, and whom I hereby forewarn from having any dealings with them, either in the shoemaking business, or in any other way, without my express confent. Whoever fecures the above fellow in jail, or brings him home to me, will be entitled to the above reward, from 6 w JOHN ASHTON

THREE FOUNDS REWARD.

RAN aw february in Cheffertown, february a negro
man named Walle, but he has changed that to George man named. Walle, but he has changed that to George fince he went away, and may probably change again to some other name; he is about 24 or 25 years of age, about 5 feet 8 or 10 inches high, and is remarkable for a thick tongue, and lifts when he speaks, he is pretty full faced, and very strong made; he had on when he went away, a kersey jacker, white kersey breeches striped black and white, negro shoes and tockings, of abrig hirt, and a caster hat bound with black hinding he was bought by Pollard Edmonson. black binding; he was bought by Pollard, Edmonson, out of Hugh Hopewell's jall. Whoever apprehenda the said negro, so that his master gets him again, shall receive the above reward, paid by EDWARD WORRELL

TAKAN up as a itray, by a nomas men, mail, itsing on the head of South river, in Anne-Arunde county, a black mare, about xa and a half hands high, had before, fraiding mane, switch tail, branded on the near buttoo at the rear buttoo at the rear buttoo at the rabout 8 years old, fuddle spot on the near has, there are indigitable. The sounce may have her stain, on proving property, and paying charges: