

arises to a very considerable Sum; but lately the People of *Maryland* observing the Behaviour of the Clergy there, thought that a Tax of thirty Pounds *per* Poll was sufficient, and pass'd a Law accordingly, which Law was dissented to and annulled by their Proprietor here: Hence may other Plantations and People learn the Danger of bestowing inconsiderately unreasonable Revenues on the Church or Clergy. Where are any Instances to be found of Churchmens restoring to the People any Revenues or Possessions, tho' ever so unjustly acquired or obtained by them? The Exercise of a little ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, together with such heavy Taxes, will drain the Province of *Maryland* of their People, notwithstanding the Numbers of Convicts daily sent there; for who will chuse to stay under a Yoke or Bondage, when they can be free by removing only fifty or a hundred Miles into a Countrey not less eligible for Soil, Clime and Fruitfulness, and for the greatest Blessings Mankind can enjoy, preferable to any Spot, perhaps, on the whole Globe?

The Productions of this delightful Countrey, *viz.* *Pensilvania*, for Exportation, are chiefly Wheat, Flour, Bread, Barrel-Beef, Pork, Hams, Bacon, Cheese, Butter, Soap, Myrtle-Wax Candles, Starch, Hair-Powder, Apples, Cyder, Tann'd-Leather,