

the 23d of August, when he was in Martineco, saw 43 Sail of Merchantmen which had drove  
ore, in a violent Hurricane, most of which stove  
Pieces, and are lost. Their Provisions were  
ty plenty there; and that 15 Sail of Vessels from  
ferent Parts had been taken and carried in there  
the Privateers within the Space of a Month.  
Yesterday the Privateer Ship King of Prussia, of  
Carriage Guns and 130 Men, Moses Benner,  
Comander, fall'd on a Cruize against his  
jefty's Enemies.  
Return'd to this Place on Saturday Evening  
pt. Hallowell whom his Excellency Governor  
WALL sent to Halifax with Dispatches that  
me from England in the Packet for his Ex-  
lency General AMHERST. We hear that the  
meral got to Halifax on Tuesday the 7th Instant,  
d Captain Hallowell on the 9th; his Excellency  
y be expected every Day at this Place. We  
hear he has made Choice of the Massachusetts  
o' Sloop to return in, and that the Governor  
ordered her to attend the General's Com-  
ands.  
Last Saturday Evening arrived here his Majesty's  
p Nightingale, Capt. Campbell, of 20 Guns, in  
Days from Halifax: She is to proceed to New-  
rk, with such Transports as belong there.  
N E W - Y O R K, November 27.  
Tuesday last the Captains Dean and Crew ar-  
ed here from Monto Christo: They inform,  
t about the 28th of October last, the Royal  
fter Privateer, Captain Dale, of 16 Guns, and  
o Men, belonging to this Port, fell in with  
ee large French Ships, bound from Canada to  
Cape, whom she so warmly engaged as at  
gth to be obliged to sheer off, being greatly  
ntered in her upper Works, and considerably  
unded between Wind and Water: She was in  
ht, during the Engagement, of the Penguin  
n of War, the Prince Ferdinand, Privateer,  
pt. Murray, and the Oliver Cromwell, Capt.  
coll, both of this Place, who could not get to  
Assistance. The next Day the King of Prussia  
ivateer, Capt. Donaldson, was obliged to en-  
re them very smart for some Time, when he  
k two in Sight of the aforesaid Vessels, and  
third struck to Capt. Murray. The Penguin  
carried them all to South-Carolina, to be con-  
nued.  
Since our last General Abercrombie came to  
wn from Albany.  
On Saturday the 11th Instant, the Snow Ves-  
e, of Rhode-Island, Capt. Hymers, arrived  
rom Madeira. In Lat. 31, Long. 65, a  
ge French Privateer Sloop, mounted with 14  
ns, and manned with 89 Men, Monf. La Forge,  
mmander, from Port-au-Prince, ordered him on  
rd. After depriving him of his best Anchor  
ables, some Sails and Rigging, and the most  
uable Part of his Cargo, consented to a Ransom.  
is Privateer, before Capt. Hymers's Misfortune,  
in Possession of a Snow bound to Boston,  
ose Cargo consisted of Salt, which she sent to  
t-au-Prince; likewise a Snow from Glasgow,  
South-Carolina, in Ballast, which was ransom-

ing, logged out his French Papers, and shewed  
them to Chatelean, who immediately removed  
Captain Horton's Men on board the Frigate, and  
gave *Klar* his Snow to proceed on his Voyage,  
which he endeavoured to do; but on the Day fol-  
lowing Captain Troup, in the Sturdy Beggar, of  
this Place, came a-crofs him, seized him Neck  
and Heels, and sent him in here.  
On Monday the 20th Instant the Frigate took  
the Sh. St. George, from Boston, bound hither  
with Cloathing, &c. but ransomed her for 200 l.  
Sterling. She also came up here on Saturday,  
and brought from on board the Frigate Mr. Bridges,  
Prize Master of the Snow just before mentioned,  
and several others of Captain Horton's Men.  
This Ship made the 23d Prize taken on this Coast,  
by Monsieur Chatelean:—The St. George spoke  
to the Sturdy Beggar, (who carries 20 Nine-poun-  
ders), about 4 Hours after she was ransomed,  
and informed Capt. Troup, that the Frigate could  
not then be above 15 Leagues distant, such a  
Course, when the Crew consisting of near 200  
stout resolute Men, gave three hearty Cheers, and  
Troup crowded all the Sail he could in Quest of  
her; and it is hoped he will come a-crofs her.  
When the St. George left the Frigate there were  
nine Ransomers on board her, and she had not  
above 50 odd Hands, but is very deep, as she  
loads herself out of the Prizes.  
It is said, that after Captain Anderson, of the  
St. George, had struck his Colours to the Frigate,  
the latter fired into him, killed one Woman, and  
shot off the Arm of another.  
The Sloop Oswego, Capt. Riven, belonging to  
this Port, was, on her Passage from South-Carolina  
to Bristol, taken by a French Letter of Marque  
Ship, and ransomed for 1000 l. Sterling.  
*Extract of a Letter from Albany, dated Nov. 12.*  
“On the 31st ult. Lieutenant Morris, of  
Major Rogers's Company, returned to Fort-Ed-  
ward from a long Scout; his Party consisted of 9  
Men besides himself; when they were Way-lay-  
ing opposite to Crown-Point, in plain View of the  
Fort, they saw two Boats coming along the Lake,  
in which were 36 Men; they suffered them to come  
within about 20 Yards of the Place where they  
lay, when they fired a Volley on them, upon which  
they all fell flat in the Boats, not returning a  
single Gun; after our People had fired 7 or 8  
Rounds a Piece on them, Lieutenant Morris and  
one of his Party stripp'd, in order to swim to the  
Boats, and bring them on Shore; but a Number  
of Boats setting off from the Fort in Pursuit of  
them, they quitted their Attempt, and made the  
best of their Way off. The Enemy pursued near  
a whole Day.  
“The Day before the Forces quitted the Half-  
Way-Brook, Lieutenant Tute of the Rangers, and  
7 Men, being hunting about half Way from thence  
to the Lake, Tute and another Man being alone,  
about half a Mile from the Road, discovered about  
20 Indians laying down in a Hollow, upon which  
they fired, whereupon the Indians fled, not daring  
to face them; they recovered one Gun and one  
Pack, and tracked them by their Blood 2 or 3  
Miles, but could not come up with them.”  
PHILADELPHIA, November 30.  
*Our last six hours had several imperfect Accounts  
of a Skirmish between a Party of our Army, and  
another of the French, near Loyalhanning, from  
which the best Account we can at present give, is  
as follows, viz.*  
“That on the 12th Instant, Col. Washington  
being out with a scouting Party, fell in with a  
Number of the Enemy, about three Miles from  
our Camp, whom he attacked, killed one, took  
three Prisoners, an Indian Man and Woman, and  
one Johnson, an Englishman (who, it is said, was  
carried off by the Indians some Time ago from  
Lancaster County) and obliged the rest to fly:  
That on hearing the firing at Loyalhanning, Col.  
Mercer, with a Party of Virginians, was sent out  
to the Assistance of Col. Washington, who, com-  
ing in Sight of our People in the Dusk of the  
Evening, and seeing them about a Fire the En-  
emy had been drove from, and the two Indians  
with them, imagined them to be French; and  
Colonel Washington being under the same Mistake,  
unhappily a few Shots were exchanged, by which a  
Lieutenant, and thirteen or fourteen Virginians,  
were killed: That Johnson being examined, was  
told, he had forfeited his Life by being found in  
Arms against his King and Country; and the only  
Way left to save it, and make Attonement, was,  
to give as full an Information of the Condition of  
Fort Duquesne, and of the Enemy, as he could;  
which being found to be true, his Life should be  
spared, and in Case of Success he should be well  
rewarded; but that if he should give any false In-

telligence, or not so full as he had it in his Power  
then to do, he would certainly be put to Death in  
an extraordinary Manner: That upon this Threat-  
ning and Promise *Johnson* said, that the Canadi-  
ans, who had been with Monsieur Vetry at Loyal-  
hanning, were all gone home; that the Ohio In-  
dians had also returned to their several Towns;  
that the Attempt made by Vetry at Loyalhanning,  
was only to make us apprehend their Strength at  
Fort Duquesne to be very great, whereas they were  
really very weak there; and added, that our Ar-  
my would certainly succeed: That the Indian Man  
being likewise separately examined, his Relation,  
we are told, agreed with that of Johnson's; and  
they both said the French were very scarce of Pro-  
visions, as well as weak in Men: That upon this  
Information, Col. Armstrong, with 1000 Men,  
and Part of the Train, was ordered to march the  
next Day, and the General designed to have fol-  
lowed the Day after, with the whole Army, but  
was necessarily detained till the 17th, when he  
certainly marched, and we hope is now in Posses-  
sion of Fort Duquesne.”  
We have the Pleasure to inform our Readers,  
that the Sickness and Desertion that was said to be  
in the Army, is not near so great as has been re-  
presented: That the General marched from Loyal-  
hanning 4300 effective Men, all well, and in good  
Spirits, besides Indians, and left a strong Garrison  
there, and at Ray's-Town, &c. And that there is  
the greatest Harmony among the Troops, who,  
we hear, love their Officers, and obey them cheer-  
fully.  
What seems to confirm the Truth of the Enemy  
being in Want of Provision is, that it is said Vetry,  
and his People, on their Return from Loyalhan-  
ning, were obliged to kill and eat several of our  
Horses, whose Skins and Bones were afterwards  
found by some of our Men.  
On the 17th Instant M. Chatelean, on our Coast,  
took Capt. Joyce, in a Snow, bound in here from  
Antigua, in Latitude 37, and ordered the Vessel  
to Augustine: Capt. Joyce made the 26th Prize  
he has taken, having got a Rhode-Islander, and a  
Vessel belonging to New-London, besides the Ship  
for New-York, above mentioned, since he took  
Capt. Gardner.  
*Copy of a Letter from Fort-Edward, Nov. 11.*  
“Late last Night Mr. Wolfe came here with a  
Flag of Truce, and an Exchange for Prisoners  
that were taken at Frontenac. There are 114  
Persons (including 25 Women) and 6 Officers,  
viz. Colonel Schuyler, Major Putman, Captain  
Martin, of the Train of Artillery, Mr. Shone, of  
the Inskilling Regiment, and two of the Jersey  
Officers, and Dr. Stukes. You never saw poor  
Creatures so happy as they are, praising their De-  
liverer BRADSTREET. They say, it was a  
most unlucky Thing that he did not go to Niagara,  
as there were only 15 Men at that Place, when he  
took Frontenac, they having sent all their Men to  
reinforce Fort Duquesne and Ticonderoga; and  
that they were in the greatest Confusion at Mont-  
real, throwing up Trenches, &c. expecting the  
whole English Army there.”  
ANNAPOLIS, December 7.  
We have Accounts, that Fort Duquesne is taken  
by our Forces; but cannot give them yet as certain  
Truths. It seems it was to be Invested the 22d  
of last Month; and some say it is Demolished.  
However, we must wait with Patience for a Con-  
firmation of the Affair.  
A Writ of Election is sent down to Worcester  
County, for the Choice of a Representative there  
in the Room of Major BENJAMIN HANDY, now  
Sheriff of that County.  
To be SOLD, or LET by the YEAR,  
AN exceeding good BILLIARD-TABLE,  
the Cloth quite new, with a Set of Candle-  
sticks and Wires; as likewise several Balls and  
Tacks. For Particulars, enquire of Mrs. Calbar-  
rine Jennings in Annapolis.  
COMMITTED to the Goal of Prince-George's  
County, on the 23d of November last, as a  
Runaway, a Negro Man named Toney, and says  
he belongs to Col. Presly Thornton of Virginia.  
His Owner may have him again, on proving his  
Property, and paying Charges.  
COLMOKE BEANS, Sheriff.  
LOST, or Misaid, about two Months ago,  
A light colour'd Drab GREAT COAT,  
mark'd with Thread or Silk on the Inside of the  
Collar W. D. Whoever will return it to the  
PRINTING OFFICES, shall be handsomely Re-  
warded.

STRAYED from the Subscriber's Plantation, in  
Prince-George's County, Four Steers, 4 or 5  
Years old, branded on the Buttocks B T, but  
not distinct; they may be also marked in the Ears.  
Strayed from the same Place, a Heifer branded  
on the Horns S O.  
Whoever will give Information, so as that the  
said Cattle may be got again, shall receive Ten  
Shillings Reward. B. TARKER, junior.

Upper-Marlborough, December 4, 1758.  
STOLEN from the Subscriber on Friday Night  
last, Two large Silver Table Spoons, Twelve  
Tea Spoons, One Pap Spoon (the Handle of it is  
a Marrow Spoon) and a Cream-Pot, quite plain,  
and not very large. One of the Table Spoons is  
mark'd with M T, and the other (and Eight of  
the Tea Spoons) mark'd B E, and Four of the  
Tea Spoons are mark'd M A. There was Stolen  
at the same Time a Tea Strainer, which has no  
Mark.  
If they should be offered to Sale, it is desired  
they may be stopped. And whoever will secure  
them, so that they may be had again, shall have  
a Pistole Reward; and for the Discovery of the  
Thief, One Pistole more.  
BENJAMIN BROOKES.

THERE is at the Plantation of Mr. Henry  
Watson, in Prince-George's County, taken  
up as a Stray, a Chestnut Sorrel Horse, about 12  
Hands high, 8 or 9 Years old, trots and gallops;  
and had on an old Bell, with a large Country-  
made Iron Buckle to the Strap.  
The Owner may have him again, on proving  
his Property, paying Charges, and applying to  
JOHN WATSON.

THERE is at the Plantation of George Johnson,  
on Susquebanna River, in Cecil County, taken  
up as a Stray, a Black Mare, branded on the  
near Shoulder I, and on the near Buttock H, she  
has a small Star in her Forehead, is shod before,  
and is about 10 or 12 Years old.  
The Owner may have her again, on proving his  
Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Benjamin  
Chew, near the Lower Ferry of Susqueban-  
na, taken up as Strays, Two Mares;  
One of them is a Strawberry Roan, with a small  
Star in her Forehead, a bob Tail, and branded  
on the near Buttock C. She had on a Bell.  
The other is a Bay, with a Star in her Forehead,  
a Switch Tail, branded on the near Buttock L E,  
and is a natural Pacer.  
The Owner or Owners may have them again,  
on proving Property, and paying Charges.

On MONDAY the Eleventh Day of December,  
will be Exposed to Sale, to the highest Bidder, at  
a Place called WYE-TOWN, in Talbot County,  
(where the Vessel now lies)

THE SCHOONER *Patience*, lately condemned  
as a lawful Prize at a Court of  
Vice-Admiralty, together with  
her Tackle, Apparel, and Furni-  
ture; as also the Cargo found  
on board her, consisting of  
Flour, Bacon, Sturgeon, But-  
ter, a new Seven Inch Cable, Onions, &c. The  
Sale to begin at XII o'Clock, and continue till V.  
ALEXANDER HAMILTON.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, living near North  
River, in Gloucester County, Virginia,  
A SHIP now on the Stocks,  
measuring about two hun-  
dred and sixty Tons, and may  
be launched in two Months:  
Her Framing and Plank are  
very good and well seasoned,  
and she is not inferior in Beauty  
to any Vessel built in this Co-  
lony. Any Person who shall incline to purchase  
the said Ship may have her completely finished,  
with all Masts, Yards, &c. for Fifty-eight Shil-  
lings Sterling per Ton; the Money or Bills to be  
paid at our General Court in April next.  
MORDECAI BOOTH.

PHILIP SYNG,  
BRASS-FOUNDER, from PHILADELPHIA,  
at his Shop opposite Mrs. M'Leod's, near the Town  
Gate in ANNAPOLIS,  
MAKES all Sorts of BRASS WORK, such  
as Boxes for Grist and Saw-Mills, Bells of  
all Sizes for Horses, Houses, Ships, &c. &c.

