

hour after twelve, and, as soon as dead, was taken down and put into the chains prepared for him, and drawn up again, to the great satisfaction of thousands of Spectators that were present, who abhorr'd so shocking a crime.

*Worcester, August 2.* We are assured, from a person who was partly an eye witness of the calamity, that on the 14th of last month four people that were haymaking in a ground near Bampton in Oxfordshire, dropp'd down, through the excessive heat of the weather, three of whom died on the spot, and 'twas feared the other could not recover.

*Gloucester, August 7.* On Wednesday last the assizes ended here, when the two following persons received sentence of death, viz. Stephen Hook (removed by Habeas Corpus from Bristol), for stealing a gelding, the property of Edward Cripps of Cirencester; and Richard Price, for breaking open a coffer in the dwelling house of Mrs. Mary Smith, and taking thereout six guineas, &c. Six were cast for transportation for seven years; two were burnt in the hand; Richard Cull was tried for the murder of Thomas Roberts, and the jury brought in their verdict manslaughter; Abraham Leonard, Sarah his wife, and Thomas Richards, charged with robbing James Davis of upwards of 40 l. were discharged by proclamation, no bill being found.

Yesterday the gentleman from Warrington in Lancashire walk'd 50 miles in the Artillery Ground in 10 hours and 51 minutes, and vaulted over a horse at the end of every six miles, and twice at the conclusion. He had eleven hours to perform it in.

They write from Amsterdam, that two ships are arrived in the Texel from Greenland, with twelve whales, and four more ships with ten whales, caught in Davis's Straights.

They write from Copenhagen, that the king of Denmark has resolv'd to grant a toleration to all Portuguese Jews, who have a mind to come and settle in his dominions, to carry on trade; but no German Jews will be included in this grant.

We hear that two pair of large ventilators, under the direction of the ingenious Dr. Hales, are now placing on each other on the lower deck of the sheerness, a twenty gun ship at Deptford, which being worked by a small windmill, fixed on the upper deck, blow at the rate of about 7000 tuns of air in an hour into the closed hold, whence it is convey'd through the seams of the ceiling or lining of the hold, among the timbers, up to the top of the gun-wale, with intent thereby to preserve the timbers and planks from decaying.

*August 28.* Sunday morning, Stephen Theodore Janssen, Esq; set out from his house in St. Paul's Church Yard, for the city of Bristol; and we hear he is gone thither to consult with the merchants of that city about proper measures to be taken for building buffes for the White Herring Fishery.

*B O S T O N, November 13.*

On the 6th instant died the honourable Jonathan Law, Esq; governor of the colony of Connecticut.

### ANNAPOLIS.

We are inform'd from *Talbot County*, that a mad Dog there, near the Bay Side, has lately done considerable Damage. He bit one Mr. Kemp in the Wrist; but there is some hopes of his being cur'd. Four Hogs in a Penn, were all bit by him, and died Mad.

We hear from *Chester-Town*, that last Week died there Mr. Charles Peale, who was formerly Deputy Secretary of the General Post Office in London.

We have an Account, that a few Days ago, one *J. \_\_\_\_\_* in this County, as he was carrying home one of his Neighbour's Hogs, which he had kill'd with a design to make it his own, having tied the Feet together, and put it over his Neck, he went to rest himself by laying the Hog on a dead Tree, but laying it too far over, the String catch'd him by the Throat and choak'd him, and they were there found Dead; so they prov'd Executioners to each other.

Custom House, ANNAPOLIS, Entered since November 21.

Ship Chester, John Lorain, from Bristol;  
Sloop Eltham, John Wilson, from Virginia;  
Brigantine Unity, Joseph White, from Boston.

*Cleared for Departure.*

Snow Samuel and Sarah, John Birrill, for London;  
Ship Fanny and Betsy, Charles Hargrave, for London;  
Schooner Laurel, Patrick Burr, for Virginia;  
Sloop Eltham, John Wilson, for Virginia.

### ADVERTISEMENT S.

**R**AN away on the 4th of this Instant December, from the Snow Samuel and Sarah, now lying at Annapolis, John Birrill, Commander, Robert Sage, belonging to the said Snow: He is about 21 Years of Age, an Englishman, short Stature; and it is supposed he is gone to Baltimore Town, where his Father James Sage, Bricklayer, now lives.

Whoever takes up the said Sage, and brings him to the said Vessel, at Annapolis, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by JOHN BIRSTALL.

**R**AN away from Annapolis, on the 24th of November past, a Servant Man, named Benjamin Duncaster, but commonly goes by the Name of Chance, a Shoemaker by Trade: He is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, much Mark'd with the Small-Pox, and has lost a piece out of the right side of his Nose. He was sold for Prison Fees at last November Court, and Purchas'd by Mr. Robert Swan; he was formerly a Servant to Mr. William Roberts, in Annapolis, and to the Widow Roberts; near Upper-Marlborough, where he once broke Prison. He is supposed to be gone towards Port-Tobacco, where it is thought he is Harbour'd by a Woman. He had on a Pair of Check Trowsers and Shirt, a blue Jacket and a white Linnen Cap.

Whoever takes up the said Runaway, and delivers him either to Mr. Henry Wauchope, Merchant at Port-Tobacco, or the Subscriber at Annapolis, shall have Forty Shillings Rewards, besides what the Law allows, paid by

ROBERT COUDEN.

**W**HEREAS Mr. Robert Swan, of this City, Merchant, is now gone for Great-Britain; this is therefore to desire all Persons who have had any Dealings with him on Account of Mr. James Johnson, Merchant in Glasgow, to come, settle, and pay off the same, to the Subscriber hereof, living in Annapolis, which will save Trouble to themselves, and

JAMES JOHNSON, junior.

### L I K E W I S E

All Persons who are any Ways Indebted to said Mr. Swan, on Account of Tanning, &c. are desired to come and Discharge the same, to the subscriber, who carries on the Tanning Business, &c. as formerly.

ROBERT COUDEN.

### JUST IMPORTED,

In the Nancy, Capt. Lloyd, from London, and is to be sold by the Subscriber, at Reasonable Rates, at his Store in Annapolis,

**B**RITISH Sail Duck, from No. 1 to 7, Ship Chandlery of all sorts, Armoires from 1 to 5 Hundred; fine Callicoes, Chints, Superfine Mullins, Hummums, white Callicoes, Cambricks, Laces, Edgings, black Velvet, with a variety of other European and East India Goods

JAMES DICK.

Where may be had, Cordage of all sizes, of the London Town Manufacture, near as Cheap as can be Imported from London.

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Mr. Basil Dorsey, on Elk-Ridge, in Anne-Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a middle siz'd Dark Bay Stallion, a Bad Face, his Hind Feet white; and branded on the near Buttock W:

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

**I**N Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is in the Possession of Mr. Luke Marbury, in Prince Georges's County, taken up as a Stray, a Grey Horse, branded R M.

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

**T**URLINGTON's Balsam of Life, Stoughton's Bitters, Long London Pipes, by the Box or Gross, and Slops, to be sold very Cheap, by Samuel Middleton, at his House on the Dock in Annapolis.

**H**AVING lately received Letters from England of Importance, I hereby give Notice, that if I can settle my Affairs in the Country, between this and next Fall, I then purpose to sail for England.

NATHANAEL WHITAKER.