

ANNAPOLIS.

is just arrived, we have a certain Body of 3000 French, with 18 Cannon, commanded by Capt. Contrecoeur, our new Fort on Monongahela, and the Fort of Trent's Company (being summoned by the French Officer, surrender the Fort, having only 30 Cannon, to defend it. in the Forenoon, a good Dwelling, Corn House, with 100 Barrels of other Out Houses, belonging to Mr. ... of Queen Anne's County, were Fire. The Fire begun in the Kitchen (wooden Chimney), and was occasioned by some Spavings under the Pot, in the Corner, to which the Fire self, and the most of the Family being to such a Head, that those at home ... from a Gentleman in Philadelphia, that the Assembly of that Province ... for the Treaty to be held at ... and made a short Adjournment ... in order to consult their Constituents ... to the Sum to be given toward ... some of the Gentlemen being for 10,000, and others for 5,000.

LONDON directly,

The good Ship HANBURY, JAMES CREAUGH, Commander; A new Vessel, built at Annapolis, staunch, strong, and well fitted, and now lying in the Ferry Branch of Patuxent River,

LOAD TOBACCO on

to be consign'd to any of the ... without Exception, on the follow- ... At Five Pounds Sterling per Ton, if brought to the Ship's Side; or at ... per Ton, if fetch'd from any ... at the Ship's Charge. No doubt but this Vessel will be early ... having near one Third of her ... for her. or Passage apply as follows, viz. ... in Annapolis, ... at Elk Ridge Landing, ... in Baltimore Town, ... on board the said Vessel. ... as Owner of the above named ... leave to observe to all the Gentlemen ... Messieurs John Hanbury and Company, ... was intended for their Service, and ... an extraordinary Expectation to get her ... to have loaded last Fall, but could ... he hopes, nevertheless, that the Good- ... Vessel, her being the Built of this ... Lowness of the Freight (a Consider- ... much regarded now Tobacco is so low) ... tainty of her being an early Vessel, ... them, and other Gentlemen Shippers ... agents, to give her the Preference of ... which shall be gratefully acknow-

Notice is hereby given to the

stantants of Anne Arundel County, That ... of the County Tax has this Year ... Money) they are requested to pay off ... the Teath of June (the time affix'd ... Tobacco, that the Subscriber may be ... ay the Officers and Clergy in the li- ... their respective Demands. Constant ... my Office is given every Wednesday ... to settle with all such Gentlemen as ... ed to call on Their humble Servant, Nathan Hammond, Sheriff of Anne Arundel County.

Conformable to LAW,

Notice is hereby given, That ... is at the Plantation of Samuel Banks, ... rge's County, taken up as a Stray, a ... horse, branded on the off Buttock with ... small Star in his Forehead, some Sad- ... his Back, and his near hind Foot ... er may have him again, on proving his ... d paying Charges.

Elk-Ridge, April 30, 1754.

JUST IMPORTED,

to be SOLD, by the Subscribers, at their Store, on Elk-Ridge Landing, late in the Occupation of Mr. ROWLAND CARNAN, deceased;

A CHOICE Assortment of European and East India GOODS, Rum, Sugar, Melasses, Pitch, Tar, Turpentine, Tallow, Bees and Myrtle Wax; for Cash, Bills of Exchange, short Credit, Tobacco, Wheat, Corn, Pork, Beef, Pease, or Oats. Those Gentlemen who were so kind as to indulge Mr. Rowland Carnan with the Preference of their Favours, may depend on the same just and equitable Treatment, from Their most humble and obliged Servants, Chamier and Carnan.

WHEREAS little or no Regard

has hitherto been paid to our Advertisements, summoning all Persons indebted to the Estate of Mr. CHARLES CARNAN, of London, Merchant, to come and settle their respective Debts: These are therefore to acquaint them, that unless they pay forthwith, they will be sued without further Notice at June Court; and that no Person may plead Ignorance of this our Resolution, printed Advertisements will be stuck up at all public Places; and as we are very desirous to make such Payments as easy as possible, Tobacco shipped on board the Hanbury, Capt. Creagh, and consign'd to us, shall, for the Amount of its Nett Proceeds, be allowed a good and sufficient Payment, and be esteemed an Obligation conferred on Their very humble Servants, Chamier and Carnan.

Attorneys in Fact to the Trustees to the Estate of Mr. CHARLES CARNAN.

ALL Persons indebted to the

Estate of Mr. ROWLAND CARNAN, late of this Province, who was unfortunately lost on his Voyage to England, are hereby required to come and pay their respective Debts forthwith, otherwise they will be sued at June Court without further Notice, as this Administration must be settled before September next; and, any Persons having any Claim or Demand on the said Estate are desired to send in their Accounts proved, that the same may be discharged, by D. Chamier, } Executors. J. Carnan, }

THE Subscriber intending for

England some Time near the Close of the Year, requests the Favour of all Persons having any Demands on him, contracted during his Residence in this Province, would send in their Accounts, that the same may be discharged before his Departure. D. Chamier.

RAN away on the 25th of April

last, from a Mine Bank, belonging to Alexander Lawson and Company, in Anne Arundel County, near Elk Ridge Landing, a Convict Servant Fellow, who came in the Country last Year in Capt. James Dobbins: He is an Englishman, about 6 Feet high, and of a black Complexion. Had on two Cotton Jackets, the under one without Sleeves, a Pair of Cotton Breeches, an Osnabrigs Shirt, a Felt Hat, a white Linnen Cap, a Silk Handkerchief, white Yarn Stockings, and Country made Shoes.

A Negro Fellow belonging to the said Company went away with him, who is acquainted with the back Roads, and is supposed to be conducting him that Way: He is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, pretty aged, and speaks good English. Had on a Cotton Jacket and Breeches, an Osnabrigs Shirt, an old Felt Hat, a white Linnen Cap, white Yarn Stockings, and Country made Shoes. They took with them a Drugget Coat of a light Colour, lined with Shalloon, and trimm'd with yellow Metal Buttons.

Whoever apprehends the said two Fellows, and secures them in any Goal, so that the Subscriber may have them again, shall have, if taken within the Province, Two Pistoles Reward for each; and if taken out of the Province, Four Pistoles Reward for each, and reasonable Charges, if brought to Alexander Lawson.

March 21, 1754.

WHEREAS I Thomas Watts,

of St. Mary's County, in the Province of Maryland, received a Letter from Alexander White, dated September the 9th, 1753; and the said Letter not coming to my Hand, until the 20th of March following, this is therefore to acquaint the said Alexander White, that I will in no wise molest him, nor shall any other Person for me if he will come to me, or send me Word where he is that I may come to him, in order that he may make good to me the Contents of the said Letter, which I received from him, bearing Date as above. I Thomas Watts.

RAN away on the 5th of March

last, from the Subscriber, living at the Mouth of Patuxent River, a Convict Servant Woman, named Mary Burton, aged 36 Years, has a long Visage, a long sharp Nose, and is of a swarthy Complexion. Had on a Cotton Jacket and Petticoat, an Osnabrigs Shift, a whitish colour'd Cloth Cloak, Yarn Stockings, and Country made Shoes. She had on when she went away an Iron Collar, but it is probable she has got it off. Whoever takes up the said Servant Woman, and brings her to her Master, shall have Three Pounds Reward, besides what the Law allows, and reasonable Charges, paid by John Hughes.

Conformable to LAW, NOTICE is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Etisha Hall, in Cecil County, near the Mouth of Obovora, taken up as a Stray, a Sorrel Horse, about 14 Hands high, with a large white Mane and Tail, he has a bald Face and is pretty much Saddle mark'd, but not branded. The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges. J. A. Dwyer.

Conformable to LAW, NOTICE is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Benjamin Yiddball, near the Head Severn, a Sorrel Horse, pretty well advanced in Years, has a mealy Nose, his Forehead grey, about 12 or 13 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock, as well as can now be judg'd, with an H. The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Ship BETSEY, Capt. JOHN WHITE, from LONDON, and to be sold by the Subscriber at his Store in ANNAPOLIS, where Mr. Stephen West lately kept Store, and at LONDON TOWN, GREAT Variety of European and East India GOODS; also Cordage of all Sizes, Cables, Anchors, Sail Duck, and Ship Chandlery, best Crown Glass 8 by 10, Weston and Arnold's Scotch Snuff, &c. at very reasonable Rates, by Wholesale or Retail. James Dick.

RAN away from the Subscribers,

living on Kent Island, the 17th of this Instant April, the three following Servants, viz. Thomas Parker, an Englishman, aged about 40 Years, is about 5 Feet 11 Inches high, well set, of a dark Complexion, and has lost one Joint of his little Finger. Had on a Country Cloth Jacket and Breeches, an Osnabrigs Shirt, an old Hat bound round the Edges with Linnen, a dark Kersey Great Coat, and a Pair of old Shoes and Stockings. Walter Wilcox, an Englishman, of a middle Stature, and about 30 Years old. Had on a Country Cloth Jacket and Breeches, an Osnabrigs Shirt, an old Hat, Yarn Stockings, and old Shoes with a Slit in one of them. Elin McClean, a Scotchwoman, aged about 40 Years. Had on a Country Cloth Jacket and Petticoat; but has neither Stockings nor Shoes.

Whoever takes up the said Servant Men, and secures them so that their Masters may have them again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward for each, besides what the Law allows; and if brought home reasonable Charges for them, and the Woman. Joseph Tolson, Isaac Winchester.

Fredericksburg, April 16, 1754.

RAN away from the Subscribers,

the two following Irish Servant Men, viz. Nicholas Fixueling, a Taylor by Trade, has much of the Brogue, aged about 20 Years, about 5 Feet 9 Inches high, and has a smooth Face. Had on a dark coloured Cloth Jacket with Brass Buttons, a Pair of black Cloth Breeches with Brass Buttons, and a round brown bob Wig. James Murphy, a Taylor by Trade, aged about 30 Years, about 5 Feet 9 Inches high, pitted with the Small Pox, and is of a swarthy Complexion. Had on a light colour'd Camblet Coat, a Pair of black Stocking Breeches, a Check Shirt, a round bob Wig, a Felt Hat, and a Pair of new Pumps. They have taken a black Velvet Jacket lined with white Silk, and foundry other Wearing Apparel: They have also taken Horses, Saddles, and Bridles, belonging to some Gentlemen in Town; particularly a large Grey Horse, belonging to Dr. John Jutberland.

Whoever brings the said Runaways to their Master, or secures them so that he may have them again, shall have FOUR PISTOLES Reward, besides what the Law allows. George Long.

N. B. It is likely they have forged Passes.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

On Wednesday the 12th of June next, at the House of Charles Wallace, in Annapolis,

THE following Tracts of Land, and Lots of Ground, belonging to the Estate of William Peale, deceased, viz.

Duwall's Range, containing 300 Acres, lying in Anne Arundel County, near the great Falls of Patuxent River, on both Sides of a Branch called Hankeff's Branch.

Symson's Steves, containing 153 Acres, lying in Anne Arundel County, near Huntington.

Batchelor's Choice, containing 100 Acres, lying in Anne Arundel County, on the South Side of the main Falls of Patuxent River.

Joseph's Favour, containing 200 Acres, lying in Baltimore County, on the West Side of the great Falls of Gunpowder River, and on the North Side of a Run called The Beaver Dam Run.

Two Lots of Ground lying in that Part of Annapolis called the New Town, being N. Q. and L, on the last of which there is a Wooden House, with two Brick Chimneys. For Sterling or Current Money, by James Mouat, James Dick, James Nicholson, Executors.

April 12, 1754.

DESERTED from the Virginia Regiment,

the following Men, viz. John and Jacob Bills, two New England Men, about 25 Years of Age, and each 6 Feet 4 Inches high; one of them squints, and the other lisps, or has a Defect in his Speech. They had both Thunder and Lightning Jackets; one had red, and the other Leather Breeches. They took their Arms with them, having Virginia, 1750, engraved on the Barrels. Thomas Locker, born in Maryland, 26 Years old, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, of a pale Complexion, with dark Hair, is well made, and active. He had on a red Coat turn'd up with blue, and Leather Breeches: He carried away his Arms, mark'd as the others.

William Turner, a Shoemaker, of a very ill Aspect, thick Lips, large Teeth, 30 Years old, 5 Feet 2 Inches high, and is slender. He had on a red Coat, and Leather Breeches. John Wilson, a Shoemaker, of a dark Complexion, has dark Hair, 26 Years old, well made, and likely, and 5 Feet 7 Inches high. He had on a red Coat, and Leather Breeches. John M'Intosh, a Carpenter, of a fair Complexion, light Hair, 26 Years old, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, pretty well made, and dress'd as the others.

James Gain, a Shoemaker, born in Ireland, 45 Years old, 6 Feet high, well set, much freckled, is bald, his Beard red. He was seen in Company with one Elizabeth M'Abey, who lived in Stafford County, Virginia. Whoever will apprehend any of the said Deserters, and deliver them to me at Alexandria, shall have for each of the three first named THREE PISTOLES, and TWO PISTOLES for each of the others, paid by Josua Fry.