

Infant Don Louis of Spala has...
 the usual Sum of 1000...
 Cardinal Vicar has order'd...
 Small-pox, which continues...
 Poll, who retir'd to Valmontone...
 d'Estab, Minister and Secretary...
 augmentation of 4000 Men in the...
 whereby it will be on the same...
 at the End of the last War...
 there is also a Project on the...
 the Swiss and Irish Regiments...
 and Dragoons. The last...
 by the Marquis de la Ensenada...
 the Savings arising from it to...
 of the Marine; but the present...
 and Fonds sufficient for the...
 and the Land Forces. At a...
 the Affairs of England, the...
 would not depart in the...
 Sovereignty, concerning...
 and the Cutting of Logwood...
 in the...: But at the same...
 'd of some Proposals made...
 modification of the...
 at-Britain in America, relative...
 the Nation's Ships, and the...
 keeping the Guarda Costas...
 o. The Ministers of the...
 Conference lately at...
 were read, and resolv'd...
 and the Empre's Queen, setting...
 Grievances which their...
 labour under in Austria, the...
 gary, and the Dutchies of...
 and praying to have them...
 have been sent to Vienna, and...
 they will produce the...
 ters from Madrid to Genoa...
 re not likely to turn out...
 de la Ensenada as has been...
 at the King of Spain has...
 of 3000 Pistoles; 3000...
 lin de Hordegnana; and one...
 Marquis de la Ensenada's...
 which touched at Portmahone...
 the 28th of last Month, the...
 ports, that at his Departure...
 ard that two Spanish...
 ecks, having met with...
 upon the Coast of Catalonia...
 after an obstinate Fight, took...
 two more, and oblig'd the...
 which they were glad to do...
 Night.

to the Pump, Night and Day, and try to make
 the Coast of Holland. The Water in the Hold...
 created every Moment, which oblig'd them to hoist
 and the Long Boat and Small Boat, without having
 Time to save their Provisions and Chabbi. They
 had not been fifteen Minutes in this Situation when
 the Vessel went to the Bottom. The Small Boat did
 not long survive, for a Sea directly sunk her, and
 six Men perished. The Long Boat hoisted a small
 Bit of Sail, and providentially they got on Board a
 Dutch Vessel, who carried them safe to Rotterdam.
 Last Monday Thirty-one Days Stoppage was
 issued out of the Forces in Minorca, Gibraltar, and
 Nova-Scotia, from the 25th of October, to the 24th
 of December, 1754. both inclusive.

KINGSTON, in Jamaica, December 7.
 Extract of a private Letter from a Gentleman in
 Liverpool, to his Friend in this Town, dated Sep-
 tember 28, 1754.
 I WROTE in my former, that grand Prepa-
 rations were making for opening our Exchange.
 The Ceremony was perform'd on Monday; On
 this Occasion there was a most magnificent Ball, at
 which no less than 342 Ladies were present, who
 made a most brilliant Appearance. The next Day
 we had a Concert; the succeeding Day a Ball, the
 following Day a Concert; and last Night a very
 grand Ball was given by our Mayor, Mr. Coobie,
 which concluded our Rejoicings. Every Morning
 there were public Breakfasts at the Expence of Mr.
 Ellis Conliffe, and Miss Clayton; and every Day
 Boat-Racing on the River for the Diversion of
 Strangers. The whole of this long Festival has
 been conducted with the utmost Elegancy and
 Order, far exceeding every Thing that has yet
 appeared in these Parts.

This sumptuous Edifice is erected at the Expence
 of the Corporation, being about 110 Feet in Front,
 and about 106 Feet deep. The main Walk takes
 in all the Front, and is about 28 Feet wide within
 the Columns; being six Feet wider than the Walks
 in the Royal Exchange. The great Stair-case is
 spacious, and consists of three flights of Stone
 Steps; on the Upper Landing you face the Town
 Hall, which is a noble Room, 56 Feet long, and
 28 Feet wide, and the same in Height. Through
 the Hall leads you to the Council Room, and to
 the Right from thence, you enter the Ball Room,
 which, with Carding and Tea Rooms, were all
 built to accommodate the Ladies. To the Right
 of the great Stair-case, leads you into the Mayor's
 Court and Town-Clerk Office, which are very
 commodious.

The Height of the Building, from the Surface
 to the Top of the Battlement, is about 54 Feet;
 over the Front you have a noble Copola, which
 from the Ground rises 137 Feet, and commands a
 fine Prospect of the Sea. The whole Building,
 both within Side and out, is highly and elegantly
 finish'd: The work is the Situation, as you have
 no where a direct View of it, and the Straitness of
 the Ground much prejudices the original Design
 the Building was intended in.

BOSTON.
 January 20. We have an Account of an odd
 Affair at Rehoboth, which happen'd a few Days
 ago, as related by some credible Persons, viz: That
 a Traveller, finely dress'd, put up at a Tavern in
 that Town, and was soon after taken sick; a Phy-
 sician was sent for, who told him his Case was dan-
 gerous, and he thought he would die; he said he
 tho't so too: The Inholder, upon his growing
 worse, enquir'd of him his Name, and from whence
 he came, but by no Means would he be persuaded to
 tell either, but desired to be buried honourably when
 he died; and said, that his Horse, Tackling, and
 what he had, would defray the Charge: About
 three Days after he died, having first burnt, or
 order'd to be burnt, all his Papers, upon examining
 his Bags, some Gold and Silver were found there-
 in. Various and uncertain are the Conjectures
 who this Man should be.

February 6. It is said, that the Person men-
 tioned in our Paper of the 20th of January past to
 have died without Discovering his Name, at Re-
 hoboth, was a Trader, about 74 Years of Age,
 named Joseph Gibson, and formerly belonged to
 Maryland.

By Letters from Halifax in Nova-Scotia, we have
 Advice, That they are building two new Batteries
 upon the Beach, one near the South Gate, and an-
 other at a Place called the Point, near the King's
 Wharff: That the Three Gun Battery at the South
 End is to be greatly enlarged and more Cannon ad-
 ded to it; that each of these Batteries are to have

Barracks, &c. to them, as in the new Battery on
 the other Side the Harbour, capable of containing
 some Hundreds of Men. Also, That Capt.
 Taggart lay ready for sailing Express for England,
 and only waited for Orders.

February 10. We have Advice, that six French
 Men of War are arriv'd at Gaspee, on the South
 Side of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, in Nova Scotia;
 where they are to Winter, and where great Store of
 Provisions, &c. are laid up for them. We likewise
 hear, that some French Men of War and Trans-
 ports land'd a great Number of Soldiers in the
 River Mississippi, a few Months ago. These great
 Preparations of the French, bode no good to our
 Northern Colonies.

Last Wednesday Night began a most violent
 Storm of Wind at S. E. (with Rain) which con-
 tinued most Part of the next Day, and as the Tide
 was very high, great Damage was done to the
 Wharffs and Shipping. The great Crane at the
 lower End of the long Wharff was broke down; as
 was the upper one on the South Side, and the lower
 One on that Side suffer'd much. To give a Detail
 of all the Damage done in this Town, would be
 almost endless.

We hear, that in the late Storm, a Brigantine
 inward bound from Oporto in Portugal, having put
 into Cape Ann, was drove on Shore from her
 Anchors, and bilged: That some Pieces of a Vessel
 are come ashore in Ipswich Bay, and that a Snow
 is ashore on the Back of Cape Cod.

From Portsmouth, in New-Hampshire, we hear,
 that on Thursday last, Eliphaz Dow was tried there
 for the Murder of Peter Clough of Hampton, on
 the 12th of December last, and found guilty.

We also hear, that several Persons have lately
 been taken up at Groton, on Suspicion of coun-
 terfeiting the Bills of Credit of the Province of
 New-Hampshire. One of the Gang is now in our
 Goal, for attempting to put off some of the said
 Counterfeits in this Town.

NEW-YORK, February 24.
 Wednesday last his Honour our Lieutenant Gov-
 ernor was pleas'd, in Council, to give his Assent
 to the Three following ACTS, viz.

An Act for raising a Supply of Forty Five Thou-
 sand Pounds, by a Tax on Estates real and personal,
 for putting this Colony into a proper Posture of De-
 fence, for furthering his Majesty's Designs against
 his Enemies in North-America, and other the Pur-
 poses therein mentioned; for emitting Bills of Credit
 for the like Sum, and for sinking and cancelling the
 said Bills in short Periods.

An Act for regulating the Militia of the Colony
 of New York. And,

An Act to restrain the sending of Provisions to
 Cape Breton, or any other French Port or Settle-
 ment on the Continent of North America, or Islands
 nigh or adjacent thereto.

And after the same were published in the usual
 Manner, his Honour recommended it to the Speak-
 er of the General Assembly, to adjourn the House
 to the second Tuesday in March next; and they
 were adjourn'd to the second Tuesday in March
 next accordingly.

ANNAPOLIS.
 Saturday Morning last his Excellency our Governor
 returned home from Alexandria.

We have now a certain Account of the Arrival
 in Virginia, of some of the Forces from Ireland.
 The Ship Fishburn, Capt. William Tipple, and the
 Ofgood, Capt. Crookshanks, with 100 Men each,
 beside Officers, arriv'd at Hampton on the 2d In-
 stant, and last Monday went into Potowmack, to
 land them at Alexandria. The Men are all well
 and hearty, and met with no Accident on the Voyage,
 except the Loss of one Man, who fell thro' between
 the Cross Tree and Gunwale of Capt. Tipple's Ship,
 and was drown'd.

These two Ships left Cork after the middle of
 January, with the rest of the Fleet, under Convoy
 of two Men of War, but parted from them on
 the Passage: The whole Fleet consisted of thirteen
 Transports, and three Ordnance Store Ships, viz.

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|-------------------|-----------------|
| The Severn, | Capt. Rawlings, |
| Molly, | — Curling, |
| Anna, | — Nevin, |
| Hallifax, | — Terry, |
| Terrible; | — Wright, |
| Prince Frederick, | — Burton, |
| Fathe, | — Judd, |
| London, | — |
| Concord, | — Boynton, |
| Isabel and Maty, | — Hall, |
| Industry, | — Miller, |

And these two which are arriv'd.
 Ordnance Store Ships, the Newall, Capt. Mont-
 gomorie; the Whiting, Capt. Johnson; and the
 Nelly, Capt.

We every Hour expect to hear of the Arrival of
 the other Ships.

Last Week died, at her Plantation near South
 River, Mrs. SARAH HILL, Widow, aged 83 Years.
 This old Gentlewoman was one of the People called
 Quakers, and justly merited the Esteem of her Ac-
 quaintance. Her Twin Sister is yet living, and a
 hearty Woman.

Custom House, Annapolis, Enter'd last Feb. 26.
 Schooner Charles, Thomas Palmer, from Phils-
 delphia.

Cleared for Departure,
 Schooner Ellsabeth, Jonathan Cooke, for Salem;
 Brigantine York, William Mercier, for Madeira;
 Brigantine Philip and James, James French, for
 Barbadoes;
 Sloop Achsah, Thomas Hammond, for Barbadoes.

HAVING already sundry Times
 advertised in this Gazette, of which but little
 Notice has been taken; I find myself oblig'd
 more, to give public Notice, That all Persons on
 the Western Shore of Maryland indebted to BEN-
 JAMIN FRANKLIN, Esq; and Company, of Phila-
 delphia, are desired to make speedy Payment; and
 that Attendance will be given at Mr. Middleton's
 in Annapolis, the first Week in the Provincial Court
 in May next, to receive the same.
 William Young.

For Charles-Town, in So. Carolina,
 The SHIP
 FRIENDSHIP,
 JOHN RATTRAY,
 Master;
 Now lying in Severn River,
 and will sail in six Days at
 farthest. She has extraor-
 dinary Accommodations for Passengers. For Pas-
 sage agree with said Master.

To be SOLD, by the Subscriber, to
 the highest Bidder, on Monday the 7th Day of
 April, for good Bills of Exchange, Sterling, or
 Paper Money;

A VERY good Water-Mill, on the Head of
 South River, attended with a plentiful Stream
 of Water, is well situated for a Merchant Mill,
 and within nine Miles of the City of Annapolis; on
 the Land of said Mill there is a good new Dwelling-
 House, 21 Feet by 16, Plank Floor, and a good
 Stone Chimney to it, with two other convenient
 Houses.
 Jonathan Rawlings.

JONATHAN RAWLINGS,
 At the House lately kept by Anthony Smith, about
 seven Miles from London Town, on the Road
 leading to Calvert and St. Mary's Counties,
 KEEPS TAVERN, where
 all Gentlemen Travellers may be well ac-
 commodated, and meet with good Entertainment
 and Usage, from Their humble Servant,
 Jonathan Rawlings.

RAN away from the Subscriber,
 living on Keat Island, a Servant Man, named
 Thomas Johnson, about 24 Years of Age: Had on
 when he went away, a Felt Hat, a Cotton Cap,
 a Fearnothing Great Coat with Horn Buttons, a
 green Jacket, a Pair of green Everlasting Breeches,
 a Pair of old Sailor's Trowsers, a Pair of ribb'd
 Stockings, and Double Chanell'd Pumps, with Brass
 Buckles. It is supposed he went away with a Ser-
 vant Man named John Cameron, and that they are
 gone towards St. Mary's County.
 Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures
 him so that his Master may get him again, shall
 have Three Pistoles Reward, paid by
 Daniel Meconekin.

Conformable to LAW,
 NOTICE is hereby given, That
 there is at the Plantation of Joseph Laxar,
 living in Frederick County, on Fountain-Rock Marsh,
 near Conococheagus, taken up as a Stray, a small
 bright Bay Mare, a natural Pacer, branded on the
 near Side, thus WC, has several Saddle Spots, and
 is shod before.
 The Owner may have her again, on proving his
 Property, and paying Charges.

Conformable