e, ace, which was shook from

different Parts of the Coune hitherto heard, we learn, or the Earthquake on Thef-as extended 70 Miles E. 80 y comparing them together, of the Time it did here, but it was so severe, nor of its mage than throwing down --- From other Parts of the rmed, that several Eruptions orth, which cast up Quantities olour; and of Springs drying ening near the Places in their

o, we hear, many Chimnies re thrown down, and much And fome Veriets in the Bay s very calm, were so agreed, not keep on their Legs and he Vessels in our Harbour. -- A Sea, about 17 Leagues from mediately after the Shock, obome up to the Surface of the. ers. About three Quarters of imazing Shock, there was a ar Perions imagine they have

came in Capt. Burnam, who ad from Cadiz last Week, we the above Shock 70 Leagues paff 4, but concluded they or got upon a Bar, but on found they could not of Water, and continued igtill Morning; when, to, they faw a vast Number of they faw a valt Number of is small, floating on the Water oncluded it could be nothing , and were informed it was fo, into the Harbour.

out 40 Minutes, after Eight in re alarmed with another Shock fomething Superior to that he great Shock last Tuesday

er 20. Amidst the numerous of the late amizing Concussion Morning of the 18th of this be deemed impertment to pubs of it, as they are observable Dwelling-House of Mr. Joseph vn. The Chimney above the was intirely demolished, tho fractured into fmall Parts, and parated from the Sides of the irreparably fhattered. About firm Cellar Wall burft from its nd another confiderable Part and. This tremendous Shock tal to this Habitation, was und by those seven Eruptions cone Surface of the Barth, which liscerned, and still remain abunone of them is within 20 fe, and the whole 7 within the few Rods. The Orifice of the

Inches by 3, and the reft are of From these have issued large r, and (according to the lowest Cart Loads of a firange fort of lible as flour, and of a white

last Vessel from Halifax, that in taken and lent in there, were cuffs; delign'd as was impos'd order to confine our unhappy, ld chance to fall into the Hands

of chance to fall into the riands iges.

OR K, December 1.

In Governor, the Honourable Efg; our Lieutenant Governor, Thomas Pownall, Efg; Lieutenant Horimantherford, Efgrs. Members of his for this Province; as, also Col. for this Province; as also Col. Sinclair, and several other Genre from Albany, on board Capt. annon on Fort-George.

m Gothen, which arrived here informs, That the Friday informs, That the Friday Ministale (a Place distant from Gomen about 20 or 30 Miles) and gave out, that the French and In-dians had actually leftsone Half or two Thirds of that Place in Athes, and had murdered fome and captivated others of the Inhabitants. The following Letter from Gothen, dated November 28th, wrote by a Gentleman, frams to confirm the melancholly Intelligence. At I have just Time to tell you we are all in alarm, by News from Minifink, and Fire and Flames appears to be our Lot.—A Party is gone out against the Indians:

I can say no more; but the poor Women and Children coming in make a deplorable Sight,

PHILADELPHIA, December 4 Extract of a Letter from Easton, in Northampton County, dated the 27th ult. relating to the Casting off the Meravian Settlement at Gnaden

"The Affair of Gnadenhutten is really very affecting; while the People were at Supper the about twelve in Number, as some say that had the good Fortune to escape, were about the House, and in a very rude Manner demanded Admittance, which the People were very un-willing to allow them; however at length a Lad rose from the Table and opened the Door, and immediately an Indian fired into the House, which lightly grazed along the Lad's Chin, and killed one of the Persons at the Table, whereupon a most fad and lamentable Cry was heard all over the House: One Woman ran out of Doors, and they forced her back; some attempted to run up Stairs, but were torn down again; in short they killed five in the House, who were all burnt and confumed in the Flames. One Man that got out of the House was shot in the Back, and had also three or four Blows in his Body by a Tomahawk, him they also scalped. The Lad that first opened the Door got up Stairs to the second Story, and as he was looking out of the Window an Indian fired at him, which grazed along the Side of his Pace, but did not do him much Damage; as soon as the Lad perceived that the Indians were gone to another Part of the House he jumped out of the Window, and faved himself; by Flight; the Dwel-ling-house, Meeting-house, and all their Out-houses were burnt to Ashes, with all the Grain and Hay, the Horses, and more than forty Head of fat Cattle for the Use of the Brethren at Bethlehem and their other Settlements."

Col. John Anderson, who was on his March towards Gnadenhutten with some of the New-Jersey Militia, and a Company from the Irish Settlemen would in all Probability have prevented this fad Event, had not he been informed that a Body of 500 Indians had actually attacked it when he had got within fix Miles of it; and being then about Ten a Clock at Night, he judged it improper to advance against so large a Body at that Hour, and therefore retreated back to the Gap of the Mouneain, to secure that Pasa till he should obtain further Intelligence.

We are also informed that the House of one Quick, on this Side the Mountain, has been fince burnt, but no Lives loft, the People having deferted it some Days before.

The following is the Substance of an Assidavit made by Moses Tatamy, an Indian Convert to the Christian Religion, who bears the Character of a sober, honest and conscientious Person, before Mr. Justice Anderson, of New-Jersey, to wit, That on or about the 22d of November last he was informed by Isaac Still, and some other Indians, That an Indian Lad, named Jemmey, came down from Queycake to the Forks of Delaware, where his Mother, and one Joe Peepy and Wife, and some other Indians, then refided, and gave them Notice that the Gap of the Mountain was then open, and world then open, and would remain so all the next Day, to give a free Passage for all the Indians in th Neighbourhood to return to their Friends at Nefkopecka; but that if they refused this Invitation, they would meet with the fame, nay worse Usage than the white People. That great Numbers of the Allegheny, Shawanese, Mohawks, Tuscarora's, and Delaware Indians, had divided themselves into Companies under their proper Officers, and were determined to desiroy the Back. Inhabitants of Penniylvania, particularly the Minisinka, Forks of Delaware, Tulpehocken and Swatarrow, all in one Day, and that the Moravian Settlement of Gnadenhatten would be first cut off. That the Indians of the above Nations were become fo numerous at Neskopecka, Wioming and Shamokin, shar they were not be counted, and that more were daily coming to them. That thereupon the Lad, Jemmy's Mother, his Father in Law Amos,

and Joe Peepy went with him to Nelkopeckel, but that two others came down into the thick inhabited. Parts of Pennsylvania, and that the Deponent, upon the Credit of the above Report, was reanoving his Family from the Forks to Treaton for

A N N A P O L I S. December 18.
We hear that the General Affembly of this Province are to meet here on the first Day of January

Sunday last a valuable Negro Fellow at Poplar Island, doing something with his Gun, and laving his Pocket full of Powder, by some Accident a Spark took it, and blow'd him up, taking off the Flest from his Thighs, and otherwise tore him to Pieces in a terrible Manner, and it's thought he cannot live.

Last Tuesday we had a very high Wind, and in the Afternoon on the coming up of the N. W. Wind, it met with the Southerly, and occasion'd a prodigious Whirlwind, which has blown downseveral Buildings, and snapp'd off some large Trees, as if they had been Twigs.

We have already received Accounts of the EARTHQUAKE, which happen'd on the Morning of November 18, it's extending about 800 Miles, In Beffon about 100 Chimneys were thereby level! d with the Roofs of the Houses, and about 12 or 1500 more shatter'd, and in Part thrown down. Doubtless various natural Causes may be affigned for these extraordinay Convulsions; but furely no one will question the Agency of the supreme Power, who maketh the Earth to tremble, and whose Voice shaketh the Wilderness.—If so inconsiderable a Circumstance as the falling of a Sparrow to the Ground, is not without the A Sparrow to the Ground, is not without the Notice of our heavenly Father, (as our bleffed Saylova has told us) it cannot be supposed, that such terrible Events, as the laying Waste large and populous Cities, which has been frequently occasion'd by Earthquakes, should happen, without his special Instance and Direction—I can never believe but that the bely God intends them as accular Taken, of his Anger. intends them as peculiar Tekens of his Anger; for the sure Word of Prophecy tells us, that the Earth Shook and trembled, and the Foundations of the Hills were moved because He WAS WROTH-To ascribe these powerful Operations wholly to second Causes, and totally to disregard the Hand of HIM on whom Nature and all her Laws depend, is very little, if any Thing, thort of the Folly of him who faith in his Heart there is no God .-- But no one can be at a Loss for the moral Cause of this Visitation .-- Tis Sin, and that only, that enkindles the Anger of Almighty GOD, and causes Him to march thre' a Land in

RAN away on the 30th of November past, from the Subscriber, living at Severn Ferry, a Servant Man, named John Prather, he is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, round shoulder'd, has black Hair and black Eyes, and speaks in the West Country Dialect. Had on when he went away a Country Cloth Jacket, an Osnabrigs Shirt and Trowsers, a Pair of Yarn Stockings, and an old Hat. He is about 18 or 20 Years of Age.

Indignation .---- To enumerate the particular

Vices that abound among us, would fill up more Room than a Sheet would contain."

Whoever takes up and secures the said Servant, so that he may be had again, shall have a Pistole Reward, if taken in this Province; if taken out of the Province, Two Pissoles, and, reasonable

Charges, paid by Ground PAGE.

N. B. He ran away with Three other Servants and is supposed to have gone by Water, as a flat bottom'd Boat belonging to Mr. Thornion, about 10 or 12 Feet long, has been missing ever since, It is suppos'd they are gone towards Virginia.

HERE is at the Plantation of Nichelan Beefon, on Cartir's Creek, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Mare, about 12 Hands high, has a small Star in her Forehead, brailded on the near Buttock W D hardly discernable, has a Switch Tail, a hanging Mane on the near Side, and has a little White on her Flanks.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges. I hav. Crange

THERE is at the Plantation of Archibald Orms, living near the Mouth of Rock-Creek, in Prince-George's County, taken up as a Stray, a Sorrel Mare, about 13 Hands high, has a Star in her Ferenead, and branded on the near Buttock

in her Fernhead, and pranted of the with Q and a Stroke a-crofs it.

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

R A N away from the Subferiber, living at Royal's Harbon, on the noth at November pass, one Richard Javes; who has gone by the Name of Richard Gernst, and Richard Gidder. It is a fusty well-made Man, walks wide, and limit he wears his own Hair, and has a Scar on one of his Checks! He had on an old Coat of a fad Colour, patch'd with blue Patch's with Fewrer Bustons; an Elk-Skin, Waistoons with Fewrer Bustons, a Pair of Leather Breaches with fine Meet tons, a Pair of Leather Breeches with flat Metal Buttons, two Pair of Trowfers, a Pair of blue Stockings, a Silver Watch without Key or Seal, the Maker's Name Themas Taylor, London, and a

Gold Ring mark'd M. C. Whoever fecures the faid Man, To shat he may be brought to Juffice, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, paid by ROBERT BUCKDAY N. B. He has a Note with him, certifying that he came into the Country a Free Man, fighed by William Lux.

TOLE on the 14th of this Instant at Night from the Door of the Subscriber, living at Rogue's Harbear, near the Head of Severn, a black Gelding about 13 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder with R, and on the near Buttock R. B, has a small Clip on the left Ear; is Hamdock'd; and had a Lock on his left Foot.

Whoever takes up the Thief and Horfe, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, or for the Horfe alone Ten Shillings, paid by
Rosert Bucklay.

TEN POUNDS REWARD. R AN away from the Subscribers, on Tuesday the 18th of November past, from on board the Ship Rose, Capt. Slads, then lying off Annapolis, the two following Servant Men,, (in a small Yaul, about 14 or 15 Feet Keel, her upper Streak is pridmed with red, and has two Sprit Sails), wix:

Thomas Emmait, belonging to Mr. Henry Wood-eward, living near Annapolis; ite is a Blackmith and Farrier by Trade, about 22 Years of Age, of a middle Stature, square shoulder'd, slow of Speech, and was born in *Torkfeire*. He had on a dark Bearskin Surtout Coat, a blue Jacket and a ftriped Flannel one under it, a Pair of white Cotton Breeches, Yarn Stockings, Negro Shoes, and

a black Wig.

Leighten Sabrey, belonging to Mr. Gamaliel Batiler, living in Annapolis; he is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, of a thin Vilage, aged 27 Years, wears his own Hair, which is black, and was born in Habad on a Pair of Ofnabrigs Petticoan England. He had on a Pair of Ofnabrigs Petticoat Trowfers, a spotted Flannel Jacket without Sleeves, a dark colour'd Kersey Coat, an Osnabriga Shirt, a Pair of Country made Shoes, and large Metal Buckles.

Whoever fecures the faid Servants, fo that their Masters may have them again, and will give No-tice thereof, shall have Tan Pounds Reward for both, or Pivs Pounds for either; and if brought home the fame Reward shall be paid, and reason-able Charges. H. WOODWARD, G. BUTLER.

COMMITTED to Baltimers County Goals on the 12th of November, a Negro Man who calls himself Sam; is a lufty well-set Fellow, and says he belongs to John Ganesson, Lancaster County.

Committed likewife, on the 16th, a Negro Fellow, who calls himfelf Dancas (or fome fuch. Name) fpeaks very bad English, faya his Master's Name is Wood; by what can be understood from him, it is supposed he has Wrought in a Mine Bank, and run away about Jame or July past.

Their Masters are defined to brown and past Their Masters are defired to come and pay

Charges, and take them away, CHARLES CHRISTIE, Sheriff of Baltimore County.

THERE is in the Possession of John Hynkus, Constable of the Town of Chefter, in the Province of Maryland, and ready to be delivered up to the Owners, the following Mares, wir.

An Iron-grey Mare, about 14 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock with fomething like UIE (all join'd in one Piece), is trimm'd, with a flanding Mane, and hath a Switch Tail-

A dark brown Mare, about 14 Hands high, branded on the off Buttock with N inverted is trimm'd, with a standing Mane and Bob Tail, a Star in her Forehead, and some white Spots on her Withers. These two were brought by Jahn Clarke, from the Barrens.

A bright Sorrel Mare, about 141 Hands high, a Blaze down her Face, is trimm'd, with a flanding Mane, and hath a Bob Tail. This was brought by Benjamin Jones, from the Palls of Menocaft.