

...Lafhes each: Yesterday seven of the con-
...ned, were carried to the Gallows, where six
...re executed, the other reprieved. The other
...t were sent the same Day to Schenectady, and
...all to swing this Day, unless the General out
...his Clemency will relieve them."

...stract of a Letter from Ofwego, dated May 17.

"I arrived here three Days ago, after a tedious
...ne, occasioned by the large Train I was with,
...isting of 200 Whale-Boats, and 200 Battoes,
...which are here now safe, with their Cargoes,
...cepting two Whale-Boats, and two Battoes, that
...re lost at the Falls, twelve Miles from hence,
...d four Men drowned in them. On my Arrival
...heard, that a few Days before, a Party of In-
...ans came on some Ship Carpenters cutting Tim-
...r not 300 Yards from the Town, and before a
...rty could be turned out, killed and carried off
...twelve: They were pursued by the Party, but
...ey could not get Sight of them: Our People
...und one killed, which they scalped, and threw
...s Body into the River, besides several Blankets
...ot thro' Knives, Muskets, &c. by which it is
...ought some more of the Enemy have been killed.
...out 8 o'Clock this Day, we heard a firing up
...e River, which we took to be an Attack on one
...lieutenant Blair, who went up this Morning to
...e Reefs, with 24 Men, two Miles off, for a
...uard to the Battoes at that Place; upon which
...umbers of People, with a few Mohawks, ran
...om the Town that Way. The Firing still con-
...ued; and soon after a Man came in with an In-
...ian Scalp, and brought Word, that Blair's Party
...was attacked by a Party of French and Indians,
...himself and one Soldier killed; upon which up-
...wards of 500 Battoe Men were sent different Ways
...to the Woods. We soon further heard, that a
...rave Mohawk, who went out on the Alarm, with
...ome Battoe Men, was killed by a French Indian,
...fter he (the French Indian) had received a Wound
...n his Thigh, the Mohawk attempting to take him
...alive, and by that Means he lost his Life; but a
...Battoe Man that stood next to him soon dispatched
...the French Indian, and scalped him; another they
...found dead, which they scalped also; two more
...they are certain are killed, as they saw them drawn
...off. Lieutenant Blair, tho' a young Gentleman,
...not more than 18 or 19, behaved like a brave Sol-
...dier; for being wounded the first Fire, he begged
...his Men to TREE ALL, and fight on, for he was
...a dead Man, and that they might soon expect
...Assistance; soon after he received another Ball in
...his Throat, when he immediately fell. The Ser-
...jeant, with the Men, bravely maintained their
...Ground, till they were relieved by Numbers, on
...whose Approach the Enemy soon made off, and
...the Woods being now green, our People stood no
...Chance in following them. Another Soldier is
...mortally wounded, one slightly, and a Ship-Car-
...penter, who went out without any Fire-Arms some
...Time after the Attack, was shot in the Leg, the
...Bone not hurt. Our People have brought in se-
...veral Blankets, Knives, small Arms, &c. by which
...we hope they have had a warm Reception. They
...had not Time to scalp our Dead. Lieut. Blair,
...the Mohawk, and Soldier, were interred this Af-
...ternoon, with all the Honours of War.

We are busy getting the Vessels here ready for
...the Lake, and hope to be out in eight Days. As
...yet little is done to the new Ones, and will not,
...till we are reinforced, that we may have a strong
...Guard to cover our Men in the Woods. At the
...Falls (12 Miles from hence) a good stockaded
...Fort is building, to defend that Pass. Plenty of
...fresh Beef and Fish, the latter of which, in three
...Hawls of a Seine, filled a Battoe, so hope soon to
...have a very healthy Garrison."

General Johnson set out from the Flats the 19th
...Instant for Onondaga, distant from the Flats 60
...Miles, there to hold, 'tis said, the most important
...Treaty with the Indians that has been held for
...some Years past, as on the Success of it, 'tis like-
...wise thought, the future Friendship of all the In-
...dian Tribes will, in a great Measure, principally
...depend: That the General before he left the Flats
...spoke with some Indians there who told him, that
...Numbers of the French and Indians were daily
...gathering together at Ofwegatchi, with an Intent
...to attack some Place thereabouts.

The famous Rogers, of Fort William Henry,
...has made another Tour near the French Encamp-
...ments at Crown-Point, and upon his Return gave
...out, that he had unwarily marched with his Party
...so near the Point, as to get between a Body of the
...Enemy, who were erecting a Battery at a few
...Miles Distance from the Fort, and the Point itself;
...that himself and Men were obliged to separate; and
...that he afterwards hovered about Crown-Point,

where he says he could spy the French busily em-
...ployed in every Thing belonging to Fortification
...Work, and supplying the Place with Provisions
...from Canada; and that he returned to get a larger
...Party to go back with him, in order to cut off those
...erecting the Battery, which he says, he is sure of
...accomplishing.

ANNAPOLIS, June 17.

Friday last arrived here, after a Passage of ten
...Weeks, the Ship *Betsy*, Capt. *Richard Fitzherbert*,
...from *Bristol*, with about thirteen Indented Servants.

Yesterday arrived here, from *London*, but last
...from *Terbay*, the Ship *Sally-Brown*, Capt. *John*
...*Brown*, in a Passage of seven Weeks. He informs
...us, that General *Abercrombie*, with two Regiments
...of the Troops designed for *America* (who all em-
...barked with the greatest Cheerfulness and Alacrity)
...sailed the tenth of *April*, for *New-York*, under
...Convoy of Admiral *West*: And, that Lord *Lou-*
...*don*, with more Troops, was to sail soon after him.

By an Express which came to Town Yesterday,
...from *New-York*, we hear, that General *Webb*, and
...Major *Rutberford*, came Passengers in the Packet-
...Boat, which arrived there the seventh Instant, and
...that the General set off the next Day for *Albany*,
...to take the Command of his Majesty's Forces, un-
...til Lord *Loudon* shall arrive. We also learn, that
...his Majesty has been pleased to settle on Sir *Wil-*
...*liam Johnson* a Pension of 600 *l.* a Year: And
...that most of the fifty Foreign Officers, who are
...appointed to raise Men in *Pennsylvania* and this
...Province, for Lord *Loudon*'s Regiment, agreeable
...to a late Act of Parliament, embarked with the
...two Regiments that sailed the tenth of *April*, and
...are daily expected at *New-York*.

By a Gentleman who is just returned from the
...*North-Mountain*, we are informed, that his Excel-
...lency our Governor was in Health there the 14th
...Instant; that the Men raised for that Service have
...begun a Fort, near the Plantation on which one
...*Johnson* lately dwelt; and, that his Excellency will
...be obliged to give Orders for drafting sixty or
...seventy Men from the Militia, for the Protection
...of the Frontiers, agreeable to that Clause of an Act
...of Assembly lately made in this Province, which
...was printed in our Gazette, N^o. 577.

The Captains *White* and *Rawlings* left *London*,
...for this Place, some Time before Capt. *Brown*;
...and the Captains *Carroll* and *Richardson* were to
...sail in a short Time after him.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, ANNAPOLIS, Enter'd,
...Sloop *Swan*, James *Hanrick*, from *Philadelphia*;
...Brig *Lark*, William *Hyer*, from *St. Augustine*;
...Sloop *Lena*, Jonathan *Lawrence*, from *St. Augustine*;
...Ship *Betsy*, *Richard Fitzherbert*, from *Bristol*;
...Ship *Sally-Brown*, *John Brown*, from *London*;
...Sloop *Sally*, *Sweetnam Burn*, from *Philadelphia*.
...Cleared for Departure,
...Brig *Nancy*, *Robert Bryce*, for *Antigua*;
...Brig *Philip* and *James*, *James Cole*, for *Barbados*;
...Sloop *Charming-Polly*, *John Seagar*, for *Philadelphia*.

Cecil County, June 14, 1756.

ALL Persons that have any Demands against
...the Estate of Mr. *Benjamin Pearce*, late of
...this County, deceased, are hereby desired to bring
...them in, that they may be adjusted: And those
...who are indebted to the said Estate, are desired to
...make speedy Payment, or they may expect Trou-
...ble from *HUGH JONES*, } Executors.
...HENRY WARD PEARCE, }

COMMITTED to the Custody of the Sher-
...riff of *Anne-Arundel County*, on Suspicion
...of being a Runaway, one *John Scougle*; but he
...says his true Name is *John Hutchinson*, and that he
...belongs to one *William Quarell*, of *Calvert County*.
...His Master is desired to come and take him
...away, on proving his Property, paying the Fees,
...and the Charge of this Advertisement.
...JOHN RAITT.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living on
...the Bay Side in *Talbot County*, on the 7th
...this Instant *June*, a Servant Man, named *Ed-*
...*ward Bradford*, about 50 Years of Age, of a swar-
...thy Complexion, has an Impediment in his Speech,
...he is of a low Stature, very hump-back'd, and
...has small Legs. He had on an Osnabrigs Shirt,
...a Manx Cloth Jacket, and a white Country Cloth
...Waistcoat, wide Trowsers, brown Yarn Stockings,
...Country-made Shoes, a Felt Hat, and a grey Wig
...or Worsted Cap. He is a Bricklayer and Plaister-
...er by Trade, and has got his Tools with him,
...and will very likely enquire for Work as he tra-
...vels along. Whoever takes up the said Servant,
...and secures him so that his Master may get him
...again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and rea-
...sonable Charges. BENJAMIN KEMP.

TAKEN up by the Subscriber, living at
...the Plantation where *Thomas Jany* former-
...ly lived, on *Patuxent River*, in *St. Mary's County*,
...a Fifteen Hoghead FLAT; she had neither
...Rudder, Painter, Oars, or any Rigging whatso-
...ever; she is much eat by the Worms, and her
...Timbers much decayed. The Owner may have
...her again, on paying Charges, by applying to
...ABRAHAM NEVISON.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Joseph Bur-*
...*gess*, near *Rogue's Harbour*, in *Anne-Arundel*
...County, taken up as a Stray, a Sorrel Horse,
...about 15 Hands high, branded with something on
...the near Shoulder, but with what cannot be dis-
...cerned, and has a Star in his Forehead.

The Owner may have him again, on proving
...his Property, and paying Charges. 17th 25. 6d.

JUST PUBLISHED,

(In Pursuance of an Order of the Honourable the
...Lower House of Assembly, for the Perusal of their
...Constituents),

And to be Sold by the Printer hereof, [Price 1 s. 6d.]

THE MILITIA BILL.

To be Sold on the 8th of July next, at public Sale, for
...Bills of Exchange, Sterling Cash, or Paper Currency,

PART of a Tract of Land, whereon the Sub-
...scriber now lives, lying in the Forks of *Pa-*
...*taxent*, containing 194 Acres, situated very plea-
...santly, whereon is a good Dwelling-House, Kitch-
...en, Meat-House, Corn-House, Quarter, Stable,
...Tobacco-House, and several other Out-Houses, a
...Garden and Yard paved in, a fine Apple-Orchard
...and Peach-Orchard; and likewise, a Tan-Yard,
...House and Mill, in good Order.

2 THOMAS DAVIS.

RAN away from the Subscriber on Sunday
...Night last, being the 6th of *June*, a Convict
...Servant Man, named *John Anderson*, a Brickmaker
...by Trade, about five Feet ten Inches high, speaks
...very broad *English*, wears his own Hair, was born
...in *Leicestershire*, and is double jointed: He had on
...and with him, a Fearnothing Jacket, with black
...Horn Buttons, an Osnabrigs Frock, with Buttons
...of the same, a striped Flannel Jacket, three Osnabrigs
...Shirts, two Pair of Trowsers, a Pair of
...Shoes, several Pair of Worsted Stockings, and a
...Pair of white Metal Buckles: He likewise carried
...with him one of his Bed Blankets.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and delivers
...him at *Annapolis*, shall have a Reward of Four
...Pistoles, and reasonable Charges, paid by
...2 BENEDICT CALVERT.

Annapolis, June 9, 1756.

RAN away from the Subscriber's Plantation,
...on the North Side of *Severn*, a Convict Ser-
...vant named *Joseph Whitmore*, a Farmer, aged
...about 30 Years. He is about 5 Feet and a half
...high, and very well-set, of a fresh Complexion,
...down Look, and speaks slow, and in the West
...Country Dialect. When he went away, he had
...on his Hair, which was of a dark Colour, but
...probably may have cut it off. He had on and
...with him, a grey Fearnought Pea Jacket, a Cloth
...Jacket patch'd, Country-made Shoes and Stock-
...ings, two Pair of Hempen Roll Trowsers, two
...Osnabrigs Shirts, and other Cloaths. Whoever
...apprehends the said Servant, and delivers him to
...me in *Annapolis*, shall have Two Pistoles, if taken
...in *Maryland*; and if taken in *Virginia* or *Pennsyl-*
...*vania*, Four Pistoles, and reasonable Charges.

RAN away likewise, and supposed to be gone
...with the above-mentioned *Whitmore*, an In-
...dented Servant Man named *Henry Fossitt*, by
...Trade a Joiner, he is a short Fellow, and has a
...stoop in his Shoulders, is much wrinkled in his
...Forehead and has a sheepish Look. He had on a
...Pair of Buck-skin Breeches, a Check Shirt, Coun-
...try made Shoes and Stockings, a blue Fearnought
...Pea Jacket, and an old light colour'd Wig.

Whoever apprehends and delivers him to me in
...*Annapolis*, shall have Two Pistoles Reward, and
...reasonable Charges. WALTER DULANY.
...N. B. They are supposed to be gone towards
...Baltimore County. 2

Annapolis, June 10, 1756.

THE Subscriber being apprehensive that his
...Wife may run him in Debt; this is, there-
...fore, to forewarn all Persons from trusting her on
...his Account, for he will pay no Debts of her con-
...tracting from the Date hereof.

2 CHARLES BRYAN.

RAN away on Sunday Night, being the 6th
...of *June*, from the Subscribers, living in *An-*
...*napolis*, the two following Negroes (supposed to
...be gone away in Company with *Jahn Anderson*, a
...Brick-maker, for whom there is Four Pistoles Re-
...ward, and reasonable Charges), viz.

Jacob, a young well-made Fellow, he has got
...a Rupture, and a Sprain in the right Wrist, on
...which he wears a red Rag, he stutters in his Speech,
...and plays upon the Violin; and has been used to
...wait in the House. He had on a light Kersey
...Frock, a green Pennistons Waistcoat, and a Pair
...of Leather Breeches. He carried with him two
...white Shirts and one Osnabrigs Ditto, a Pair of
...new Shoes, a Pair of Silver Buckles, two Pair of
...Worsted and some Yarn Stockings.

Pompey, a young sturdy Fellow, has the Mark
...of a large Burn on his right Arm, and speaks
...very good *English*. He had on when he went away,
...a light colour'd Coat, a yellow Half-thick Jacket,
...with white Metal Buttons, red Cloth Breeches, and
...white Thread Stockings. He took with him sun-
...dry other Cloaths, so that it is probable he will
...change his Dress.

Whoever will bring the said Negroes to the
...Subscribers, shall have Four Pistoles Reward for
...both, or Two Pistoles for either, and reasonable
...Charges, paid by BENEDICT CALVERT,
...JOHN BULLEN.

June 4, 1756.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living on
...*Kent-Island*, in *Queen-Anne's County*, a Con-
...vict Servant Man, named *William Jefferies*, about
...30 Years of Age, a Shoemaker by Trade; he
...took no Tools with him, so that it is probable he
...will change his Name and Calling; he is about
...5 Feet 5 or 6 Inches high, a likely well-shaped
...Fellow, he has lost two of his upper Teeth, one
...on each Side his Jaw next to his double Teeth,
...he wears his own Hair, which is black, and curls.
...He had on a Broad-Cloth Coat, with flash Sleeves,
...which has on it some Spots of Wax, Tar, or
...Grease, and is about half-worn, a blue flowered
...Callico Jacket, a half-worn Felt Hat, a Pair of
...new wide Osnabrigs Trowsers, a Pair of light col-
...our'd Worsted Stockings, and a Pair of Coun-
...try-made Shoes. It is thought he has took with him
...an Indenture, with a Discharge from one *Thomas*
...*Cornish*, by which he may endeavour to pass, and
...a new Bible and two small Books, which have his
...Name wrote in them. Whoever takes up the said
...Servant, and secures him, so that his Master may
...have him again, shall have, if taken out of this
...County, Forty Shillings; if taken in the County,
...Twenty Shillings, besides what the Law allows,
...paid by JACOB CARTER.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near
...*Annapolis*, on the 5th of this Instant *June*,
...a Convict Servant Man, named *Thomas Poney*, but
...commonly known by the Name of *Tom Keech*,
...having been formerly a Hangman in this County;
...he is a middle-siz'd Fellow, stutters very much
...when he speaks hastily, has grey Eyes, and has a
...hanging Look. He had on and with him, two
...Osnabrigs Shirts, two Pair of Crocus Trowsers,
...an under white Cotton Jacket, a greyish Fear-
...nought Pea Jacket, trimm'd with black Mohair
...Buttons, set on the left Side, and the Sleeves differ
...in Colour from the Body, a Pair of Leggings
...made out of Country knit Stockings, a Pair of
...Country made Shoes, with a Cap on one of the
...Toes, and a Boy's coarse Felt Hat. Whoever
...takes up the said Servant, an' brings him to the
...Subscriber, shall have Ten Shillings Reward, be-
...sides what the Law allows.

THOMAS JOHN HAMMOND.

THE Subscriber intending to wind up his
...Affairs as soon as possible, hereby gives
...Notice to all Persons indebted to him, by Bond,
...&c. to discharge the same immediately, or to
...secure the Payment in a short Time. He has se-
...veral valuable Seats of Land, which, with his
...Houses and Lots in *Annapolis*, he is willing to sell.
...Any Person inclinable to purchase, may apply
...to him for the Terms of Sale.

CHARLES CARROLL.

To be Sold by the Subscriber, at his House near Not-
...tingham, in *Prince-George's County*, for Bills of
...Exchange, Sterling Cash, Current Money, or Tobacco,

A CHOICE Parcel of young SLAVES, 3
...chiefly Country born, consisting of Men,
...Women and Children. Also his Household Furni-
...ture, and Stock of Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, and Horses.
...Any Person inclinable to purchase, may apply
...to Mr. *Hancock Lee*, at *Nottingham*, or Mr. *Charles*
...*Grabame*, at *Lower-Marlborough*.

WILLIAM POTTS.