

lains then returned to the Wigwam, and one of m presented his Gun at the Indian Woman, o, calling out for Mercy, caught hold of the Gun, and endeavoured to wrench it out of the Murderer's Hands; upon which Conolly with his knuckled down the Woman, and cut her Head into Pieces, Chisney at the same time firing a Piece of Balls into her Stomach. They next proceeded to murder the Children; one of them, Girl about eleven Years old, was much bruised out the Head, stabbed in the Shoulders, and her Right-hand almost cut off at the Wrist. The other two being Twins, about 12 Months, were cut and gashed in a frightful Manner; and the Murderers reported they had killed them all, but did not stop to scalp them, being afraid the Neighbourhood would be raised upon them by the Indian Man, who had made his Escape as aforesaid. We are informed the Children, being under the Care of the Surgeons, are like to do well. We hear a special Court of Oyer and Terminer will be held at the Court-house, in the County of Somerset, on Tuesday, the Sixth of July, for the Trial of John Conolly for the said Murder.

Letter from St. Eustatia, dated May 29, 1756. "I this Day spoke to the Captain of a Vessel that come to Anchor in 35 Days from Portsmouth, who assures me, That the Admirals Hawke and Jostyn had fallen in with the French Fleet of Men of War and Transport Ships of Cape Finisterre, and taken three of the Men of War, and run three more on Shore, besides a Number of Transports: That two of the French Men of War were arrived at Plymouth, and the other hourly expected; and that two of the Transports he saw going up the River. This News we think may be relied on, as it is just now confirmed by a Vessel arrived at St. Kitts. Two of the Men of War taken are of 64 Guns, and the other of 70. I am, &c.

PHILADELPHIA, July 1. Since our last a Number of Officers, Sergeants and Drummers, belonging to the Royal American Regiment, arrived here from New-York. They have begun recruiting for said Regiment, and meet with great Success.

Extract of a Letter from St. Christophers, June 3. "We have just received the agreeable News, that Admiral Hawke fell in with the Breit Fleet, with a Number of Transports under their Convoy, bound, it is imagined, to North-America, and has taken three Ships of the Line, run two or three ashore, blocked up the rest in a small Harbour near Breit, and sent an Exprez to England for some Fireships. 'Tis hoped he will give a good Account of them all. This Account we have from England, Ireland, and Holland."

In another Letter from St. Christophers it is said, that Fifty English Sailors that belonged to the Warwick Man of War, and were confined in Goal at Martinico, had made their Escape from thence, and cut a Sloop out of the Harbour, in which they arrived safe in that Island.

We have Advice, that on Saturday last nine Indians came to the Hole, on Swatara, in Lancaster County, and killed and scalped four People, and shot two Horses, and that a Party of Men went out in Pursuit of them, but to no Purpose.

ANNAPOLIS, July 8.

Extract of a Letter from London, May 6, 1756. By Yesterday's Mail there was Advice, That on the 29th ult. arrived an Exprez at Versailles, from the Duke de Richlieu, giving an Account, that the French Fleet from Toulon, commanded by the Marquis Galissoniere, arrived at Minorca the 18th, and the same Day landed the Troops at Cindadella, about 30 Miles from Port-Mabon. 'Tis said the Enemy have 16 or 18000 Forces landed there.

—There are four Regiments under Governor Blakeney at Port-Mabon, and six Men of War in the Harbour, where there is a Chain a-cross. —Edgcombe who commands the Ships, writes, that he will sink them, if the Enemy should be able to force the Harbour. —The Fortifications at Port-Mabon are reckoned to be as good as any in Europe.

—Admiral Byng was off Capt. Ortugal the 13th, he carried one Regiment from hence, and is to take in another at Gibraltar. —If the Winds were favourable the Admiral might be at Port-Mabon the 21st or 22d, his Force is about equal to the Enemy's, and if join'd by Edgcombe will be superior. —There are about 900 Men at Gravesend, some of which are embark'd, and 500 at Glasgow, who will sail soon for New-York.

Extract of a Letter from Madeira, May 28, 1756. "The French have landed Eighteen Thousand Men on the Island of Minorca, and have with them four Months Provision. Four English Men of War in the Harbour got out, and failed directly

for Gibraltar, on which Admiral Byng with the Fleet under his Command, and two Regiments on board, failed directly for Port-Mabon; but it is apprehended here, that the Place will be obliged to surrender to so great a Force, tho' by Sea it is generally thought to be impregnable. This Advice is brought hither by a Ship from Cadix. We are informed that the French have granted Letters of Reprizal."

We have the following Account from the Westward, in a Letter from Col. Cresap, of the first Instant, viz. "Yesterday about 11 o'Clock as myself and 13 more Men (10 of which were Red-Caps, and 3 Pedlars, which last and one of the Red-Caps were without Arms), were on our Way down, two of the *Astcrafts* were driving some Cattle, when we got as far as the End of the Fence below the Saw-Mill, the Cattle stopp'd and would not go forward, by which the Men, who were before following one another, got all standing together, and while they were in that Posture were fired on by a Party of Indians, who kill'd at the first Fire Abraham Johnston, Jacob Astcraft, and James Lowry a Pedlar, and Daniel Astcraft is missing and cannot be found. Two of the Men who were behind in the Road, fired and kill'd one of the Indians on the Spot; another says he fired at 3 Indians who stood together, with 11 Swan-Shot in his Gun, at which Place there appeared much Blood. By the Beds which the Indians had made behind 2 or 3 old Trees, among thick Bushes, near the Road, there appear'd to have been about 15 or 16. As soon as those two Men had fired, they run back along the Road, with two others who had not fired, about 200 Yards, where they all four stopp'd behind Trees, and those who fired first loaded their Guns again, by which Time an Indian came running along the Road towards them, and one of the four fired at him, and I believe kill'd him, for they saw him lie kicking, and made the best of their Way off. As to my own Part, I and one Spencer, stood in the Road near the Indians, during the Fire, and finding every Man of our Company fled, we follow'd four of our Party that were riding up a Hill, and call'd to them to stop, but they had none of them Guns if they had stopp'd; Spencer, and myself then made the best of our Way home; where we found several of the Party return'd, who had inform'd that we were certainly kill'd. I immediately muster'd up about 20 Men, and went to the Place of Action, where we found 2 Indians lying dead, together with the 3 Men before mentioned; we scalp'd the Indians, and found several Things belonging to them, such as Wampum, Silver Wrist-Bands, Ear-Rings, &c. a French Gun, together with our own Mens Guns. Our Dead we brought home. When I left the Fort, I gave the strictest Orders to the Party I left behind, not to stir from it, notwithstanding which three of them went to a Tan-Yard, at some Distance from it, and the Indians, who are supposed to have seen us go back to the Place of Action, crept up, shot a Boy, and scalped him, not a Quarter of an Hour before we came back with the dead Bodies, which was about Sun-set. The same Party, or another of about the same Number, was discovered the Day before over the River. There were about 50 or 60 Indians appeared at Cox's Fort, on Pattison's Creek, on Sunday last; and on Monday Morning there was a Man killed at the Place where Edward Wyatt lived, which is about a Mile from the upper End of the Flats, and 4 Miles from Fort-Cumberland, and a Boy either killed or taken Prisoner. There was a Party of about 30 Men sent out the Day following, who buried the Man, and found both his and the Boy's Hats and Guns; but nothing of the Boy."

CUSTOM-HOUSE, ANNAPOLIS, Entered, Snow Fox, John Easton, from Africa.

Cleared for Departure, Brig Lark, William Heyer, for New-York; Sloop Lena, Jonathan Lawrence, for New-York.

JOHN MOALE, INTENDING for England this Fall, desires all Persons indebted to him and Mr. Charles Coxall, to make speedy Payment; otherwise they may expect to be dealt with as the Law directs: Those who have any just Claims on them, are desired to bring in their Accounts, which shall be duly paid. They have on Hand about Four Hundred Pounds prime Cost of European and India GOODS, at their Store in Baltimore-Town, which they will sell very cheap by wholesale, for Bills of Exchange, Paper-Money, Gold, or good Tobacco, and a reasonable Time given for Payment.

To be SOLD by public Vendue, for Sterling or Currency, at the House of Mr. James Cary, in Baltimore-Town, on Saturday the 31st of this Instant July, at Four o'Clock precisely.



A STRONG SLOOP, almost new and extremely well found, fit for the Sea or Bay Service, will carry about 2000 Bushels of Grain, or 50 Hog-heads of Tobacco: An Inventory of her Tackle, &c. may at any Time be seen before the Sale, and the Sloop view'd, on applying to WILLIAM GOVANE, or CHRISTOPHER CARNAN.

N. B. Long Time of Payment will be allowed, on giving Security, if required.

Patowmack, Rock-Creek, July 3, 1756. NOTICE is hereby given to all Persons inclinable to purchase any Lots in George-Town, that have not been improved by the first Buyers, agreeable to Law, that the Commissioners are to meet in the said Town, on the first Wednesday in August next, in order to dispose of all such Lots.

COMMITTED to the Custody of the Sheriff of Calvert County, a Man and a Woman, by the Names of John and Sarah Simmonds, on Suspicion of being Runaways: They say they are married; that their true Names are John and Sarah Richards; that he belongs to Bartholomew Earlington, at Groves-Neck in Cecil County, and she to Joseph Redgrave of the said County.

Their Masters may have them, on paying the Fees and the Charge of this Advertisement, by applying to CHARLES GRAHAME, Sheriff.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, as he intends to leave the Country.

A LIGHT well made CHAIR, with two likely, strong, well-try'd HORSES, either for Chair or Saddle, and good Harness for one Horse.

The Subscriber may be heard of at Annapolis, till the 10th of this Instant July; from the 10th to the 17th at Belhaven; from the 17th to the 24th at Port-Tobacco, Newport and Benedict; afterwards at Upper-Marlborough, and Annapolis, till he departs the Province. JULIUS CÆSAR PARKE.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in Prince-George's County, about the 10th of June last, a Mulatto Man, named Cyrus; he is a very short, well-set, bow-leg'd Fellow, wears long Hair for one of his Colour, if not cut off since he went away; his Dress I can't describe, because I have Reason to believe he has stole Cloaths since he ran away; he was brought up in Pennsylvania, and underitands Farming. Whoever brings him to the Subscriber, shall have Twenty Shillings more than the Law allows, paid by THOMAS GANTT, junior.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscriber, in Baltimore County, on the 13th of June last, two Servant Men, viz.

James Murphey, a lusty Fellow, of a sandy Complexion, about 34 Years of Age, was born in this County, and pretends to understand Farming. Had on when he went away, an old Felt Hat, old Linsey Jacket, Osnabrigs Shirt, Tow Trowsers, and old Shoes. He took a Woman with him, he calls his Wife, whose Name is Phebe; but, as she is big with Child, 'tis probable he may leave her by the Way.

Thomas Warner, a Convict, he pretends to be a Gardener by Trade, is a slim Fellow, about 5 Feet 9 Inches high, of a swarthy Complexion. Had on and with him, an old Felt Hat, a greyish colour'd full'd Jacket, a coarse Holland Shirt, Sailor's Trowsers, a Pair of white Ticken Breeches, Worsted Stockings, and old Shoes.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, and brings them to their Master, shall have TEN POUNDS Reward, or FIVE POUNDS for either of them, and reasonable Charges: JOHN WILLMOTT.

THERE is in the Possession of Thomas Morgan (at a Plantation of B. T. B. Worthington's), at Elk-Ridge, taken up as a Stray, a small black Horse, which paces slow, branded on the near Buttock and Shoulder with a large Blotch, something like this, and has a few white Hairs about his Nose.

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

THERE is at the Plantation of John Rest, Esq; near the Head of Severn River, taken up as Strays, two large Steers, their Ears cropt and slit, one of them red, with white Spots, the other red, with brindle Spots.

The Owners may have them again, on proving their Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Alexander Warfield, near the Head of Severn River, taken up as a Stray, a black Mare, about 13 Hands high, without any Brand that can be perceived, she has a sprig Tail, and some Saddle-Spots on her Back, and has been gaulded with drawing.

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

THERE is at the Plantation of Mr. Thomas Spurrier, on Elk-Ridge, in Anne-Arundel County, taken up as a Stray, a pale Chestnut colour'd Mare, about 8 Years old, and 14 Hands high, long Mane and Tail, branded on the near Buttock with B, and something very blindly before it, paces slowly, has some large Saddle-Spots, and is very low before.

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

JUST IMPORTED, In the BETSEY, Capt. JOHN WHITE, from LONDON, and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Stores in ANNAPOLIS and LONDON-TOWN, at reasonable Rates, for ready Money, or short Credit.

SCARLET, blue, black, and Cloth colour'd Broad-Cloths, German Serges, Druggets, Yorkshire Cloths, Half-Thicks, Bearskins, Fearnoughts, emboss'd and white Flannels and Serges, Welsh Cottons, Horsemens Coats, Pea Jackets, and other Slop Wares; short Cloaks, Camblets, Shalloons of all Colours, Callimancoes, Serge de Nisne, Duroys and Sagathies; Tammies, check'd Barley Corns, and other Stuffs, Norwich and Hat-band Crapes, Allopeens, Bombazeen, India Damasks, Tassaties, plain and strip'd Persians; Variety of India Chintz and printed Callicoos, Mullins, white Callicoos, white India Dimothies, Table-Cloths, and Napkining, Irish Linens, and Sheeting of all Kinds, Scots Hollands, Russia Diaper and Twilings, Check Linens and Chiloes, strip'd Cottons, fine Jeans and dyed Fustians, Petticoat Dimothies, Bed-Ticks, strip'd Duffels, Blankets and Rugs of all Sorts, Pipes, Corks, Sisters, Variety of China, Glass, Earthen, and Stone Ware, Brimstone, Rofin, and Allom, exceeding good Green and Bohea Tea, Loaf Sugar, Florence Oil, Nails, Axes, and other Iron Ware, Tin, Pewter, and Brafsery Ware, Hats, Shoes, and Stockings, Pepper, and other Spices, Salt Petre, Fig-Blue, Starch, and Indico, light Carbines, fitted with Bayonets, Slings and Cartouch-Boxes, Gunpowder, Lead, and all Sorts of Shot, Gun-Flints, Wesson's Snuff, Ship-Chandlery, Cables, and all other Sorts of Running and Standing Rigging, Anchors, Sail-Twine, deep Sea and other Lines, Barbados Rum, and Muscovado Sugar, with great Variety of Goods, not particularly mentioned. JAMES DICK.

JUST IMPORTED, In the BETSEY, Capt. JOHN WHITE, from LONDON, and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Store near the Dock in Annapolis, at reasonable Rates, wholesale or retail, for Current Money, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco.

GREAT Variety of European and East-India GOODS, suitable to the SEASON. JOHN RAITT.

THE Subscriber having set up a TANNERY in Annapolis, and provided it with every Necessary for carrying on the Business, and likewise procured a Tanner from England, who understands it perfectly well, proposes to take in Hides to Tan, at Five Shillings per Hide, and Calf-Skins at Two Shillings and Six Pence per Skin: As he has so much lessened the Price, he hopes to have the Preference. Those Gentlemen who are disposed to employ him in that Way, may depend on his Care, and having their Leather in a reasonable Time. He likewise gives ready Money for Hides or Skins.

BOOTS and SHOES are made and sold in the usual Manner, at his Shop in South-East-Street.

Likewise to be Sold, Mens, Womens, and Childrens LASTS; Womens Shoe-Heels; Masheen, and Courtman's Black-Ball for Shoemaker's Use. THOMAS HYDE.

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