

**B R I S T O L**, May 15.  
 Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in London, to his Friend in this City, dated May 13.  
 "A Person came Post this Morning from Paris, and arrived at the Duke of N...le's; he left that Place on Saturday, in order to bring an Account of an Express which had just arrived from the Duke de Richelieu to the King of France; wherein that General desires the King to send him more Men, for unless he doth, he cannot go on with the reduction of Minorca. That Commodore Edgcombe's Sailors had erected a Battery of 40 Pieces of Cannon, and entrenched themselves before the Castle of St. Philips, and that they fired like Devils; (which was the Expression Richelieu's Letter) and had killed a Lieu enant-General, and 1200 Men; and that he could not dislodge them."

**P H I L A D E L P H I A**, July 8.  
 Extract of a Letter from Bristol, May 15, 1756.  
 "Our Member, Mr. Nugent, has wrote a public Letter this Day to our Merchants to prepare for Letters of Marque; or that the Government will grant them to any that apply for them next Week."  
 From Bethlehem we learn, that some friendly Indians have lately arrived there from Diaoga, and advise, that some Hundreds of our Enemy Indians, of different Nations, and about the Allegany Mountains, are gone to hold a Council, and form themselves into a Body, in order to come down and harass this and the neighbouring Provinces; and that a Number of disaffected Indians from Diaoga were gone to join them.

**A N N A P O L I S**, July 15.  
 Copy of a Letter from Virginia, dated July 9, 1756.

"On Sunday the 27th of June at Sun-rise, the Indians took a Negro belonging to one Collings (at Fort Peircall, commanded by Capt. William Baylis, and garrisoned by the Prince-William Militia), and immediately gave the War Whoop: Captain Baylis took 28 Men out, which was all he could spare from the Fort, and formed them in two Indian Files, commanded the first Division himself, with an advanced Guard and Flankers, gave the Command of the second Division to a Lieutenant, with these Orders, that as soon as he began the Fire, that he the said Lieutenant should open his Men to the right and left, and surround the Indian Fire, and distress the Flanks and Rear: Then Capt. Baylis marched on with great Precaution, to prevent being drawn into an Ambuscade, when a Gun was fired by the Indians in or near their Center, posted behind a long Bank and many lying Trees; Capt. Baylis discovered their Design, and altered the Position of his Men, and extended them to the right and left as far as the Number would admit, to prevent being flanked; the Indians discovering he had disappointed them, immediately fired upon him and his Men; upon which the Lieutenant, with the second Division, ran off. Capt. Baylis ordered the Men in the first Division to Tree and squat, and not fire until they were sure of doing Execution, which they punctually obeyed: Capt. Baylis ordered the Lieutenant and his Men to halt, which the Men obeyed, and it's thought would have returned, but they say their Lieutenant ordered them otherwise; which the Indians, in some Measure, discovered, and immediately endeavoured to run in upon Capt. Baylis, and eleven or twelve Men, which were all he had with him, who fought bravely with their Captain, charged the Indians properly according to Orders, killed four of the Enemy dead on the Spot, and wounded several more. Capt. Baylis lost not one of his Men, had only three wounded, and in spite of all the Indians could do, he brought off his Men by a regular Retreat from Tree to Tree, and often facing about, which actually prevented the Indians from rushing in upon so small a Number, which stood by their Captain bravely, against the Power of 60 or 70 of the Enemy. The same Day Capt. Baylis went out again after the Enemy, discovered where the Indians had fell, and where great Quantities of Blood had spouted out of each Side of them, and dragged about 30 or 40 Yards, and then carried away, wrapt up in their Match-Coats, to prevent being track'd by the Blood; one of which he found securely hid, wrapt up in the same Manner, and scalpt him; he was a very large Fellow, upwards of 6 Feet, had on a Holland Shirt, and many Trinkets of Silver, and Beeds of Wampum, was observed to be very active in the Action, and supposed by his Air of Command to be an Officer: There were in this Action several Men with very white Thighs, and looked clearer in Paint than the Indians, and supposed to be Frenchmen. It is supposed the rest of the Indians will be found in a Day or two, if not carried too far, or sunk in Water.  
 Capt. Henry Carroll, in the Ship Concord, is arrived in Patuxent from London, and informs us, That the Helians were arrived and landed at Southampton, the Day before he left Portsmouth, which was the 20th of May last.  
 We hear from Fort-Cumberland, That as a small Party were going from thence, they were met with

by a Party of Indians, who were returning from the Frontiers of Pennsylvania with Plunder, who fired on our Men and killed five of them.

**JUST IMPORTED,**  
 In the Ship **CONCORD**, Capt. **CARROLL**, and will be exposed to Sale, in a few Days, at my Store in **BALTIMORE-TOWN**,

**VARIETY OF EUROPEAN AND EAST-INDIA GOODS**, by Wholesale or Retail.  
 I last Fall advertised my Intentions to depart this Province, and the Uncertainty of my ever returning; and I must once more intreat all Persons indebted to make speedy Payment, to prevent Trouble.

I purchase and give ready Money for any Quantity of Bees-Wax, Beaver, Fox, Raccoon, Otter, Mink, and Musk-Rat Skins, provided they are kill'd in Season. **JOHN STEVENSON.**

**N. B.** Any Quantity of Flax-Seed purchased, as usual, provided it be well cleaned, and not thresh'd out on an Earthen Floor, or damaged.

**JUST IMPORTED,**  
 In the **PEGGY**, Capt. **BENJAMIN BELL**, and to be **SOLD** by the Subscriber, at his Shop in **BALTIMORE-TOWN**, wholesale or retail, on very reasonable Terms,

**A FRESH Assortment of MEDICINES AND PAINTS** of all Kinds. **WILLIAM LYON.**

**MARY BURDUS**,  
 Living near **GREEN-STREET**, in **ANNAPOLIS**,  
**TAKES** in young Gentlemen and Ladies to board, by the Year, at a reasonable Price; where they may depend on good Treatment and Accommodations.

**RAN** away from the **Elk-Ridge Iron-Works**, on Saturday the 10th of this Instant July, the following Convict Servant Men, viz.

**Samuel Snale**, a Labourer, he is a whitely looking Fellow: He had on when he went away, a dark colour'd Coat and Waistcoat, a brown Wig, a good Felt Hat, and an Onabrigs Shirt.

**John Bannel**, a Labourer, a thick, well-set Fellow, of a dark Complexion: When he went away he wore his own Hair, which was of a brown Colour and curled, a brown Cloth Jacket, which had a large Patch of Grease on the Shoulders, and a good Felt Hat. The above two Servants came into the Country in Capt. **Richardson**, this Year.

**William Price**, by Trade a Carpenter, a middle sized, well-set Fellow, is very round shouldered, stuffles in his Speech, having had a Hurt many Years ago: He had on when he went away, two light colour'd Jackets, one of which was without Sleeves. As one of the above Servants had a swelled Leg, it is supposed they will endeavour to go off by Water.

**N. B.** The above Servants also took with them, two white Shirts, a Pair of Onabrigs Petticoat-Trowsers, and two Pair of Hemen-Roll-Trowsers.

Whoever takes up the said Runaways, or either of them, and brings them, or either of them, to the Subscriber, at the said Works, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward for each, if taken within ten Miles of the said Works; and if above ten Miles, Two Shillings and Six Pence a Mile, for every Mile further, and reasonable travelling Expenses. **CALEB DORSEY.**

**T**HE Subscriber having been a long Time confined for Debt in **Queen-Anne's County** Goal, and not having wherewith to redeem their Bodies, hereby give Notice, That they design to apply to the next General Assembly for an Act for their Relief. **CHARLES MOONEY, THOMAS CLOAK, and ABSALOM JUMPE.**

**T**HERE is at the Plantation of Mrs. **Sarah Ramsay**, at the Head of **Severn River**, taken up as a Stray, a middle-siz'd Dark Bay Mare, branded on the near Buttock P I, has a large Saddle Spot on her Back, and had on a Woman's Leather Saddle.  
 The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

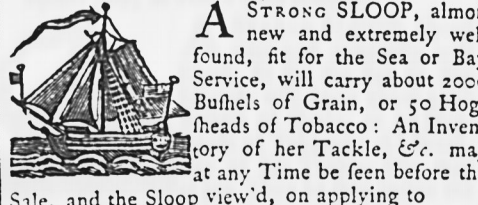
**T**HERE is at the Plantation of Dr. **George Stewart**, at **Turkey-Island**, in **Anne-Arundel County**, taken up as a Stray, an Iron-Grey Stallion, branded on the Buttock I M, and is about 12 Hands high.  
 The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property and paying Charges.

**T**HERE is at the Plantation of **Henry Wilson**, in **Frederick County**, taken up as a Stray, a small grey Horse, with a blind Brand on the near Thigh, three white Feet, his Mane and Tail are darker than any other Part of him, and he trots and gallops well.  
 The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges. **1756.**

**JOHN MOALE**,  
**I**NTENDING for **England** this Fall, desires all Persons indebted to him and Mr. **Charles Crossall**, 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 Hogsheads 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.**  
**N**OTICE 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.



**C**OMMITTED 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 Earington**, 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.

**R**AN 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 understands Farming. Whoever brings him to the Subscriber, shall have Twenty Shillings more than the Law allows, paid by **THOMAS GANTT, junior.**

**T**HERE is in the Possession of **Thomas Morgan** (at a Plantation of **B. T. B. Wortington'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.

**T**HERE 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.

**TEN POUNDS REWARD.**  
**R**AN 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, Onabrigs 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.**

**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,

**S**CARLET, blue, black, and Cloth colour'd Broad-Cloths, German Serges, Druggets, York-shire 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 Nisme, Du-roys and Sagathies; Tammies, check'd Barley Corns, and other Stuffs, Norwich and Hat-band Crapes, Allopeens, Bombazeen, India Damasks, Taffaties, plain and strip'd Persians; Variety of India Chintz and printed Calicoes, Mullins, white Calicoes, white India Dimothies, Table-Cloths, and Napkining, Irish Linens, and Sheeting of all Kinds, Scots Hollands, Russia Diaper and Twillings, Check Linens and Chilloes, strip'd Cottons, fine Jeans and dyed Fustians, Petticoat Dimothies, Bed-Ticks, strip'd Duffels, Blankets and Rugs of all Sorts, Pipes, Corks, Sifters, Variety of China, Glafs, 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 Brasery 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, &c. Gunpowder, Lead, and all Sorts of Shot, Gun-Flints, Weston'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,

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

**T**HE 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; Mafheen, and Courtman's Black-Ball for Shoemaker's Use. **THOMAS HYDE.**

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