

consist of 1000 Men each, to be commanded by Col. Frazer, Son of the late Lord Lovat, and Major Montgomery, Brother of the Earl of Egmont. No Lowlanders are to be received into these Regiments, but are to be raised from the following Clans, viz. the Campbell's, the Mackenzie's, the Frazer's, the Macdonald's, and the Grant's.

January 13. We hear that Orders will soon be given for several more Regiments to embark for America.

Admiral West, with ten Sail of the Line, besides Frigates, is now under Sail with a fair Wind, and is to take with him from Spithead, the Falkner, Falmouth and Windsor Men of War, and the Tarar Sloop.

The Royal George Privateer was chased into Lisbon by 4 French Men of War, which Admiral Hawke being informed of, dispatched 4 Men of War in Quest of them.

There are near 70 Sail of Transports taken up by the Government.

Admiral Coates will certainly sail by the 10th of February, and Jamaica, we hear, will be the general Rendezvous.

Admiral Hawke is arrived in the Channel.

A Lottery will be granted for the Service of the current Year, which is to consist of two Millions of Tickets, we hear, to be sold out at one Guinea each Ticket.

Jan. 18. An English Prisoner on board the Indiaman lately taken says, that there failed, about the same Time she did, from Canton, and other Parts of India, for France, 15 Sail, 12 of which are yet on their Passage, who it seems expect to be met and convoyed home by the Fleet that lately failed from Brest.

The Cargo of the French East-Indiaman, lately taken by the Dover Man of War, consists of Tea, China, Rhubarb, Silk, &c. amounting, in Value, as appears by the Bills of Lading, to 160,000 Sterling, exclusive of private Ventures, which are very considerable.

The Jupiter, a French Prize, from St. Domingo, is sent into Falmouth by the Defiance Privateer, Capt. Dyer; and also a Dutch Ship, from Rotterdam to Bourdeaux.

By a Letter from Mountsbay, we hear, that the Otter Sloop of War is put in there, and has taken the Tyger Privateer of Biddeford, and taken the French Privateer that took her; also a French Ship of War of 12 Guns, laden with Stores for Canada, on the King's Account; and a Snow from Nantz for Martinico.

Jan. 20. The Antigallican Privateer has taken a French East-Indiaman, after a very smart Engagement, in which the French Captain was killed, and several Men on both Sides. This Account, we hear, is brought from the Groyne by the Alban's Man of War. The Privateer did not engage, till she was near enough to fire her Small Arms into the Cabin Windows.

St. George, Portsmouth Harbour, Jan. 20. Yesterday Mr. B. came on board, and delivered a Paper, declaring he had no more Evidence to produce, but his Secretary; and would give the Court no farther Trouble; so that we may soon expect the Sentence.

Extract of a Letter from Jersey.
"The Revenge Privateer of this Place, Captain Charles Alexander, Commander, has taken and brought in here the St. Clude, a French Letter of Marque Ship, Burthen 150 Tons, with 6 Carriage Guns, and had 74 Soldiers and 25 Marines on board, besides 40 Women and Children, bound from Rochelle to Mississippi, loaded with Provisions and Ammunition for the King."

Jan. 22. We hear that an Express arrived this Morning at the Admiralty from Portsmouth, with Advice that the Court-Martial had capitally convicted Admiral Byng.

The Mermaid, from St. Domingo for Nantz, with 323 Hogheads of Sugar, 4327 lb. of Indico, and 15 Tons of Coffee, is taken by the Lion Privateer, who is arrived at Bristol; but she parted with her Prize last Friday Night, 15 Leagues to the Westward of Lundy.

The Isaac Privateer, of Liverpool, of 18 Guns, David Clotworthy Commander, has taken and carried into Kinsale, the Victory, of and from Havre, upwards of 300 Tons, John Chevalier Commander, bound to Porto Rico, in Hispaniola. Her Cargo consists of 600 Barrels of Gunpowder, and other Warlike Stores, and is computed worth 12,000 l.

We hear that the Engagement between the Antigallican Privateer and the French East-Indiaman (which is supposed to be the Duke de Penthièvre) was

off Corunna, into which Port two other French Indiamen got safe; and that the English settled here, hearing a great Firing, got on a Hill, and saw the whole Engagement; during which the Port fired, but could not reach either of them, which makes it a legal Capture. 'Tis said the French lost their first and second Captains, and great many Men; also, that Capt. Foster was wounded in the Arm, and that he lost twelve Men. Capt. Foster landed forty of his Prisoners at Cape Finisterre. The St. Albans Man of War, Capt. Gordon, who brought the Account of the above Capture, left a St. Domingo Man which he had taken, under Convoy of the Antigallican Privateer.

Cork, January 3. Yesterday was brought into Cove by his Majesty's Ship Dover of 40 Guns, Capt. Christopher Hill, Commander, after an Engagement of two Hours, the Pondicherry of Port L'Orient, a French East-Indiaman, of 800 Tons Burthen, Homeward bound: It is thought she will turn out a Prize of between two and 300,000 l.

One of his Majesty's Ships of War is arrived at Kinsale; in her Passage she took and brought in there a French Privateer of 16 Guns, and 150 Men.

Cork, January 13. We hear that a French Privateer, and a homeward bound Martinico Ship, are taken and carried into Crookhaven.

CHARLES-TOWN, South-Carolina, December 30.

On Saturday last the Privateer Brig Pliny, Capt. Stoddard, brought in here a rich St. Domingo Ship, bound for Bourdeaux, of 200 Tons, laden with Indico, Coffee, Sugars, &c. which she took on the 23d ult. off Bermuda: She is called La Complaisance, Francis le Bran, Commander, had a Letter of Marque, and came out from Cape Francois in Company with 35 other-rich Ships, under Convoy of 4 Men of War, who were going home with them. Captain Stoddard fell in with 5 Sail of the Fleet, but as they all steered different Courses as soon as they saw the Privateer, no other fell to his Lot but the Complaisance.

NEW-YORK, March 7.
The following Relation was added to the French Account of the taking of Oswego, published at Paris by Order of the French King.

"The Indians of the Five Nations arrived just as we were preparing to lay Siege to Oswego, M. de Vaudreuil having invited them to come and see it. He detained them at Montreal during the Siege. They did not expect to see the Fort so soon taken and demolished. In all the Councils which M. de Vaudreuil held with them, he took Care to address himself to them in proper Terms. 'Oswego, which you gave to the English, said he to those Savages, is now ours by Right of Conquest; but I shall not invade your Country as the English do, and therefore I give it to you back again. On your Side, you must not suffer our Enemies to re-establish it, and must give me Notice if they aim at it. See how much our Behaviour differs from theirs: The English engage you to take up the Hatchet against me, who am your Father; but I do not excite you to take it up against them. All I desire of you is, to remain quiet, and not to interfere between us.'"

"The Indians of all the upper Part of the Country seem to rejoice at our taking Oswego, tho' this was the Place where they were supplied with Brandy, and several other Things, much cheaper than they have them from us. As the same Reasons may induce them from henceforward to go as far as Orange for the Sale of their Skins, it were to be wished, for the Advantage of our Colonies, that we could furnish them with Goods as cheap as the English."

"We hear from the Ohio, that the Indians in those Parts continue their Incursions into the Provinces of Pennsylvania, Maryland, and Virginia, with surprizing Success. They attack and take small Forts there; and have ravaged in those Provinces an Extent of Country near 100 Leagues in Length, and 50 in Depth. The Cherokees, or Flathead Indians, seem to carry on the War vigorously against the English. We learn from Carillon, that the Enemy, to the Amount of 10 or 11000 Men, commanded by Lord Loudoun, seem to have a Design to make themselves a Passage that Way, but by the taking of Oswego we are able to send all our Forces there, and oppose all their Enterprises."

Saturday Night last returned here from a Cruise, the Privateer Schooner Charming Peggy, Richard Haddon, Commander, having taken as many Prizes during her Cruise as she could well man-

On the 23d of December last he took a fine large French Brig, as she was going from Mississippi to Cape Francois, there to be made a Cruizer of against the English.—Her Cargo was not of any great Value, being chiefly Lumber, and had four Carriage and four Swivel Guns, with 39 Men on board, called Le Felicite, Pierre Beaffo, Master.

On the 27th of January, off Cape Cruize, on the Island of Cuba, he seized a French Privateer called Le-Fortune, Monsieur Banard, Master, who but a few Days before had taken a Northern Brig, supposed to belong to Philadelphia, and two Sloops, one of which belonging to Middletown in Connecticut, J. Arnold, Master, Capt. Haddon retook off Savannah Le Mar, and which he ordered to Jamaica in Case of Separation.

On the 8th of February, with the Privateer Jolly Robin, James Canton, Commander, belonging to Bermudas, he took a Spanish Ship of 300 Tons, called the Guardaloupe, Don Philip de la Pedro, Master, carrying 20 Carriage Guns, and 32 Men. She made no Resistance, and first failed from St. Andro to Nantz, where she loaded, thence returned to St. Andro, took Passes, and proceeded on her Voyage; and was seized by the aforesaid Privateers, just entering Porto Prince, on Hispaniola. On the 9th, off the Platform, he spoke with the Greenwich and Jamaica Men of War, who informed him, they had been blown off their Stations by the hard North-Westers, and on their Cruise had taken a contraband trading Sloop just turn'd out of Cape Francois; the Captain of which informed them, that 20 Sail of Merchant Ships were failed for Old France, under no particular Convoy, a few Days before he left the Cape: And Capt. Haddon heard a great Number of Guns firing from 12 to 6 P. M. in Lat. 27, exactly in the cruising Place of no less than Ten Northern Privateers, most of whom were well known to be New-Yorkers, particularly the Captains Randle and Harris. On the 14th of February they spoke with the Dreadnought and Princess-Mary Men of War, who had 3 Days before drove on Shore, in the Bite of Leoganne, a Boston Brig, and Sloop, Prizes, together with the Privateer who took them; which latter they beat to Pieces, but the English Vessels they got off: Captain Jones, of the Squirrel Privateer of New-York, had a Broadside from the Dreadnought through Mistake, but it only cut his Rigging.

Capt. Haddon's Prize Brig, under Capt. Miller, arrived on Saturday; and the Spanish Ship came to the Hook the same Day.

March 14. Tuesday last came up the Spanish Ship mentioned in last Monday's Gazette to be taken by Captain Haddon, and to have arrived at the Hook. She is not as yet condemned.—In searching the Cabin, we hear, upwards of 500 French Crowns and Pistoles were found.

By a Letter from Albany, received since our last, we learn, that a Man was just arrived from the Seneca Country, where he saw several French Indians that were just come in there from Canada, with Presents, and a large Quantity of Powder and Ball, in order to distribute the same amongst all the Indians that were willing to take up the Hatchet against the English; that two English Prisoners were lately brought from Canada to the Seneca Country for Sale; and that several Indians had actually set out from thence, with a Design to captivate and murder the Inhabitants of this and the neighbouring Provinces.

PHILADELPHIA, March 17.
On Monday last Lord Loudoun arrived here from New-York, when the Guns of the Association Battery, and of some Vessels in the Harbour, were fired, and the Bells were rung.

ANNAPOLIS, March 24.
Next Monday the General Assembly of this Province is to meet here.

Last Thursday died in Baltimore County, in the Prime of Life, after a few Days Illness, CHARLES CHRISTIE, Esq; Sheriff of that County, whose Death is much Regretted by all his Acquaintance.

Last Monday Evening we had a Thunder-Gust, uncommon at this Season of the Year; and we hear the Lightning Kill'd a Cow and sundry Sheep, at Col. Young's Plantation North of Severn. We hear from Fort-Frederick, that last Thursday Night one of the Centries, near the Gate, was fired at by an Enemy, and the Ball struck one of the Bastions, and next Day they discovered the Track of Two who had gone a-crofs a small Run of Water near the Fort. This looks as if we might expect they will soon visit those Parts again.

There is a Ship, just arrived in the Bay, which is said to be Capt. Andrews, in 7 Weeks from Bristol; but we cannot learn that she has brought any late Papers, or any News.

JUST IMPORTED,
From LIVERPOOL, in the Ship MOLLY,
Captain CLEATER,

FINE WHITE SALT. To be Sold by the Quantity, for Bills of Exchange, at Fourteen Pence per Bushel; or for Two Shillings Currency, Ready Money; or allow for Wheat 3/6 per Bushel if delivered at Oxford.

H. CALLISTER.

WHEREAS I find it absolutely out of my Power to comply with the pressing Demands of some of my Creditors, without doing it to the Prejudice of Others of more Lenity and Forbearance, do therefore judge it most equitable to discharge my old Affairs on an Average, and for that Purpose am willing to give up (upon Oath) my Effects of every Kind, into such sufficient Hands as shall be approved of by my principal Creditors, to be by them converted into Cash, and paid away among my Creditors. All I desire, is, that so much be left in my Hands as any judicious disinterested Person shall judge barely sufficient to enable me, with Frugality and Industry, to support my Family. As I hope this Proposal will not be rejected by any of my Creditors, I request they will, as soon as possible, signify their Approbation by a few Lines, directed to me in Queen-Anne's County, Maryland, that Trustees may be appointed, and the Effects delivered up and disposed of without further Loss of Time.

WILLIAM DAMES.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Robert Freeland, of Calvert County, lately deceased, are hereby desired to make speedy Payment of their respective Debts: And all Persons who have any Claims against the said Estate are desired to bring in their Accounts that they may be adjusted by ROBERT FREELAND, Executor.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living on the North Side of Severn, on the 11th of February last, a Negro Man, named Tom, about 24 Years of Age, he is about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, slender made, and stutters a little. Had on when he went away, a Country Cloth Jacket and Breeches, an Osnabrigs Shirt, an old Beaver Hat, an old black Wig, white Yarn Stockings, and strong Country-made Shoes. It is supposed he is concealed at some of the Negro Quarters between the Head of Severn and Annapolis.

Whoever apprehends the said Negro, and brings him to the Subscriber, shall have a Pistole Reward, beside what the Law allows, paid by ELIJAH ROBOSON.

THERE is at the Plantation of Thomas Harris, in Frederick County, near the Mouth of Piney-Creek, taken up as a Stray, a middle-sized Dark Grey Mare, branded on both her Shoulders P D, she has a small Star in her Forehead, and paces and trots.

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

THERE is at the Plantation of Andrew Dew, living in Frederick County, near Frederick-Town, a Black Gelding, about 14 Hands high, branded on the near Side R C, has a Star in his Forehead, his near hind Foot is white, and has a white Spot on his Withers. He had on a small Bell mark'd with many Dots.

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

THERE is at the Plantation of John Brown, near the Head of Severn, two Steers, about 7 Years old, well grown, one a Dark Brindle, the other Pied, Red and White, mark'd with two Crops and two Swallow Forks.

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

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC VENDUE,
On Thursday the 7th Day of April, in Annapolis,

A SCHOONER, Four Years old, which will carry about 1900 Bushels of Grain. Inventories to be seen at Mr. Robert Swan's in Annapolis, Messrs. Chamier and Carman's at Baltimore-Town, or at Mr. David McCulloch's at Joppa.

Annapolis, March 17, 1757.

JOHN BENNETT has a large Number of PORK BARRELS to dispose of; and will let 'em go a great Penny-worth, if the whole, or a considerable Number, is taken together.