

et Goods, Part of the Cargo of the *Entrepreneur*, Dutch Frenchman, sent in here some Time since the *Spy* Privateer of this Port.

*Woodstock*, in *Oxfordshire*, Nov. 25. Yesterday a Corps of his Grace the Duke of Marlborough's brought thro' this Place with great Pomp, and the same Evening intred in the Family Vault in the Chapel of Blenheim Palace.

St. J. O. H. N. (in *Antigua*) December 30. Thursday last the Privateer Ship *Britannia*, Capt. M'Pherson, brought in a Dutch Schooner.

January 31. Yesterday a Court was held at the Court-House in this Town, for the Trial of Treason, Felonies, &c. when William Pickles, a Subject of his Majesty the King of Great-Britain, late Master of the Sloop *Three Friends*, belonging to *Eustatia*, was sentenced to be executed on Monday the 29th Instant, for aiding and comforting his Majesty's Enemies.

PORTSMOUTH (in *New Hampshire*) Jan. 26. Capt. Oram failed from Bristol the 22d of November; the next Day he met with a very hard Gale of Wind from S. to S. W. and on Saturday got into Kinsale Harbour. In this Gale of Wind nine Sail of Vessels were cast away on the coast of Ireland, and mostly lost; among which was a Snow bound to New-York, having twenty Hands on board, Master and fourteen of which were drowned, besides a Woman and two Children, there being a Family on board.

A few Days ago Captain Josiah Beale arrived at York from *Louisburg*: Some Time after he came to he put into a Cove near the Bay of Fundy where lay a small Schooner in order to get some Water, which having procured, the next Day the late, with a Boy belonging to the Schooner, went on Shore a Gunning; soon after the Firing of some Guns were heard, and then 15 Indians, with the Boy Prisoner (the Mate being killed) were seen coming down to the Water Side, where having got, they demanded one of the Vessels, but being refused, nine Indians came off in two Canoes and a Boat, and attacked the Vessels; the Boat in which was the Boy with three Indians, came under Capt. Beale's Stern, who, with Small-Arms, and some Ballast Stones, killed two of them, and then hauled the Boat along Side, and wounded the other Indian, who, having struck his Hatchet into the Boy's Head, jump'd into the Water, and a large Dog on board Capt. Beale, immediately jump'd after him, seized him by the Neck, and soon dispatched him. The Indians (four being killed) then withdrew. A Man on board the Schooner was shot through the Head; the Boy who was struck with the Hatchet, was taken out of the Boat alive, but died soon after.

BOSTON, January 29. Friday last we had a very severe Storm of Wind and Snow, and it is said several Vessels have been cast away, but as yet we have received no Accounts that can be depended upon.

PHILADELPHIA, February 15. Captain Cobour, of this Port, came home Prisoner with Captain Budden from *St. Christophers*. He was taken on his Passage to *Antigua* by a French Privateer Brig, of 14 Guns, and carried to *Guadaloupe*. The same Vessel had before taken a Sloop from *Madeira*, bound to *Antigua*, and two other Vessels. He informs us, that they have 47 Privateers belonging to *Guadaloupe*, among which are five Brigantines of good Force; and that they were fitting out a Ship, that would mount at least 20 Guns: That a Number of Prizes were lying there; the Prisoners all sent off; and as he was but one Day with the Enemy, could not be particular as to the Vessels, where they belonged to, only that there were several Guiney Men, and some New-England Men, among them. The French expected to be attacked by the English, and were hard at Work on their Fortifications.

Extract of a Letter from *St. Kitt's*, January 8. "We Yesterday received the News from *Antigua*, of the Arrival of our Fleet destined for the French Islands to the Windward. It is said the Fleet consists of 30 Men of War (of which 11 are of the Line) and 50 Transports, with 8000 Soldiers."

On Tuesday last Capt. Brown arrived here from *Barbados*, but last from *Anguilla*, and advised that when he was at the last mentioned Place, he was sold by a Person of Credit, that Capt. M'Pherson, in the *Britannia* Privateer, belonging here, had taken two very valuable Prizes, a Schooner and Sloop, bound to *St. Eustatia* from *Martinico*; that their Cargoes were chiefly Sugar and Indigo; but were said to have some other rich Effects on board. The Person that gave this Account was on board the Prizes; they were going to *St. Christophers*.

ANNAPOLIS, February 11. Monday last the Honourable the Judge of the Court of Vice-Admiralty within this Province, called his Court for the Trial of the *Sloop Resolute*, lately brought into *Patuxent* by Captain Francis Lowndes in the Ship *Baltimore*; and next Day adjourn'd to the 5th of March.

Sunday Evening last, Mrs. ALANANDA, S. M. M. M. Merchant, of *Upper-Martinborough*, was married to Miss MARGARET LAM (youngest Daughter of the late Honourable PHILIP LAM, Esq.) a young Lady endow'd with every Qualification to render the Conjugal State happy.

JUST PUBLISHED, And it be SOLD at the PRINTING-OFFICE, THE VOTES and PROCEEDINGS of the CONVENTION in October last: And of the SESSION of ASSEMBLY in November. N. B. The Copies for the Counties, Councils, and Representatives, were this Day delivered to the Sheriff of *Anne-Arundel County*, directed On his Lordship's Service.

February 20, 1759. WHEREAS Charles Hemwood, of *Anne-Arundel County*, Gentleman, on the 27th Day of May, 1756, for the Consideration of £. 1000 Current Money, did, by Deed of Mortgage, make over and convey unto me the Subscriber, his Dwelling Plantation, and all other his Lands contiguous or adjoining thereto, together with the Reversion of all the Lands allotted by the late Chancellor to his Mother, Mrs. Anne Goovans, for her Dower in his deceased Father's Lands: And whereas the Subscriber, on the 28th Day of July, 1756, on Credit of the aforesaid Mortgage, did pay unto *Lancelot Jacques*, Merchant, a further Sum of £. 409 8 8, for the proper Bond Debts of the said *Charles Hemwood*, and also to other Persons, likewise on the Credit of the said Mortgage, to the Amount of a further Sum of £. 44 10r. 6d. in the Whole to the Amount of £. 1453 19r. 2d. Principal Current Money which said Sum of £. 1453 19r. 2d. Principal Current Money and Interest is still due and unpaid (except the Sum of £. 25 17 8 in Part of Interest): The End and Design therefore of this Advertisement is to give Public Notice to all Persons, who may be inclined to take up the said Mortgage, and pay the Money due thereon, that there is the aforesaid Sum of £. 1453 19r. 2d. Principal Money, now due on the said Mortgage, besides Interest, except the small Sum paid in Part of Interest, as is already mentioned.

JOHN BRICE.

February 22, 1759. COMMITTED this Day to *Anne-Arundel County Goal*, as a Runaway, a Negro Man who calls himself *Charles*, and says he belongs to Miss *Cochran*, in *Calvert County*. His Mistress may have him again, on proving her Property, and paying Charges.

UPPER SCOTT, Sheriff.

TAKEN up by *John Leman*, at the Mouth of *Farle Creek* in *Kent County*, a small Clinch-Work Boat, about 10 Feet by the Keel, has been painted Red; has Rudder Irons, but no Rudder. The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *James Telfan*, in *Queen-Anne's County*, taken up as a Stray, a white Horse about 10 Years old, of a middling size, without any Brand or Flesh Mark, only a white List down one of his hind Feet. Has a hanging Mane, and Swift Tail. The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Piscataway, February 13, 1759. THE Subscriber intending for *BREITAIN* soon, hereby gives Notice to all Persons who have Accounts unsettled, for Dealings they have had with him at *Piscataway*, on Account of Messieurs *John Glasford* and Company, to come and settle the same by Bond, Bill, or Note, without Delay; otherwise they may expect Trouble without Respect of Persons. He hopes that every one who can, will discharge their Debts to the said Company before he leaves the Country, and those who cannot, will have Time given them upon proper Application: He hereby farther acquaints the Public, that the said Messieurs *John Glasford* and Company's Store at *Piscataway*, will be continued with the usual good Assortment of GOODS, to be sold for Money or Tobacco.

JAMES MARSHALL.

INSPECTORS, who are not yet supplied with BOOKS and NOTES for the present Year, may have of all Sorts, what Quantities they want, from Their humble Servants, JONAS GREEN.

DESERVED the 6th of this Instant February, from Lieutenant *James Stevenson's* Recruiting Party, of his Majesty's 47th Regiment of Foot, one *Richard Colter*, enlisted at *Baltimore Town*, born in *Charles County, Maryland*, five Feet ten Inches high, about twenty five Years of Age, of a dark Complexion, and wears his own Hair. Had on when he went away, a red Surtout Coat, with gilt Buttons, inlaid with Steel, a white Flannel Waistcoat, and a Pair of black Cloth Breeches. Whoever brings the said Deserter to Lieutenant *Stevenson* at *Baltimore Town*, or secures him in any Goal within the Province, shall have Twenty Shillings Sterling Reward, paid by JAMES STEVENSON.

February 10, 1759. RAN away on the 5th Instant, from the Subscribers living in *Baltimore Town*, Four Convict Servants, viz. *Peter Strong*, a Carpenter, born in *Ireland*, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, is pitted with the Small-Pox, and has fore Eyes. *Robert Jones*, a Sailor, of a fair Complexion, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high; he is a well-set Man, talks full, and something in the Country Dialect, and his Eyes appear to be a little sore. *William Andrews*, an old Man, talks very smooth, and walks a good deal bent, about 5 Feet 4 Inches high, and of a dark Complexion. *Thomas Day*, a Black-Smith, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a dark Complexion, pitted with the Small-Pox, and was born in *Bristol*. They carried with them sundry Wearing Apparel, which they will change as it suits their Convenience.

They went by Water in a Ship's new Yawl, about 19 Feet Keel, has a Trunk in her with a Schooner's Jib, and a proper Boat's Mast. They also carried with them sundry mechanical Tools, such as Chizzels, Caulking Irons, Mallets, &c. Whoever secures them, or either of them, so that they may be had again, shall receive for each Forty Shillings Currency; and Three Pounds Currency for the Boat, paid by ALEXANDER STEWART, GEORGE FREEBAIN, MICHAEL DEPENDBOUGH.

N. B. *Robert Jones* and *William Andrews* have been a good deal by Water this last Summer, and 'tis thought they may go to *Choptank* on the *Baltimor Shore*, or some Part of *Virginia*.

TAKEN up by *John Taylor*, junr. of *Kent County*, at the Head of *Farle Creek*, on the 13th of *January* past, a small plain BOAT about 12 Feet Keel, with one Oar with some Paint on it. The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property and paying Charges.

THE MANAGERS of the ANNAPOLIS LOTTERY, notwithstanding the repeated Notice already given to Gentlemen in several Parts of the Province, to send in Accounts of the Money in their Hands (prevented as we presume by the Badness of the Season) not having yet received them all, are under a Necessity of postponing the Drawing for a few Weeks. This is therefore to give Notice, that they will *prospere* begin the Drawing on the First Thursday of the Provincial Court, being the 15th of *April* next. They have fix'd on that Time, as there will be many of the Adventurers then in Town on other Business.

PROPOSALS FOR PRINTING BY SUBSCRIPTION, A COMPLETE BODY OF THE LAWS OF MARYLAND, to the 25th of December, 1758. By the Reverend THOMAS BACON.

1. THE proposed Edition will contain all the ACTS of ASSEMBLY of this Province in Force or Use, to the Period aforesaid, printed in Folio on a good Paper, and a beautiful new Type. 2. The several Sessions will be distinguished by their proper Dates, Names of Governors, &c. The Titles of all the Acts inserted in their due Order, as recorded in the Secretary's Office, with References to the Records where they may be found; and an Account of their several Continuances, and Time of Expiration or Repeal of such as are expired or abrogated: The Sessions in each Year, to be divided into Chapters, and the Chap-

ters into Sections, with Numbers, for the easier Quotation of any Laws in Being.

3. Ample marginal Notes will be printed, with Reference to any subsequent Law, whereby a Paragraph may, in any Manner, be affected or altered: And an accurate Common Place, or short Alphabetical Abridgment, will be added, whereby the Whole relating to any one Article, may be easily seen, and turned to in the several Acts at large.

The Editor having laid the foregoing Schemes of the Work, together with a large Specimen, before the General Assembly, the same was referred to a Committee of the Honourable Lower House, who, upon Consideration thereof, and Examination of the Editor, were pleased to report, among other Matters relative thereto, "That the Publication of a Body of Laws of this Province, in the Manner proposed, would be of great and general Utility. That three Gentlemen be nominated and appointed by Law; who, with the Assistance of the Editor, and all his Abstracts and Papers, &c. shall inspect carefully the Records of the Laws, and consider what are in Force, or proper to be inserted, of any way taken Notice of in the said Body. And that the Editor's Proposal, to deliver Eighteen Copies of the said Body (for the Use of the several Courts, &c.) for £. 300 Currency, is reasonable; provided they be delivered within Eighteen Months from the Time the Original may receive the Approbation of the Gentlemen to be nominated as aforesaid," &c. with which Report the House was pleased to concur.

As the Work is very large, and will, on Computation, cost the Editor upwards of £. 1200 Current Money, in Paper, Printing and Binding; and as the Number of Subscriptions must determine the Number of Copies to be printed; It is proposed,

I. THAT the Price to Subscribers shall be Forty Shillings Current Money for each Copy: One Half to be paid down at the Time of Subscription, and the other Half upon the Delivery thereof, neatly Bound in Calf, and Lettered.

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III. THAT a very few Copies more than are subscribed for, will be printed; which remaining Copies will be sold at an advanced Price. So that Gentlemen who neglect subscribing, will not only pay more, but run the Risk of being unsupplied at any Price whatever.

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V. THAT the Subscription will be closed on the First Day of *May* next, that timely Orders may be given for the Importation of Paper and other Materials: Nor will any Money be drawn out of the Hands of the Gentlemen who receive Subscriptions, till such Orders are given. So that in Case of the Editor's Death, or other Accident, preventing the putting of the Work to Press, the Subscribers may have their Money returned, by the Gentlemen to whom they paid the same.

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