

not to anchor there, but immediately to pro-
ceed to St. Anne's, to assist a Bomb and several
squadrons to reduce that Fort, and drive away
the Enemy; on our Arrival we manned all our
Guns, and armed our Men, and immediately join'd
the Forces, and burnt and destroyed several
Plantations: In the Interim, the People who
were on the Ship, took off 22 Hogheads of
Sugar and 6 Negroes: But about an Hour be-
fore Sun-set the Troops, after having executed
their Design, reembarked; and our People going
on shore into the Country, met with a Booty of 300
Hogheads, and between 5 and 6000 Loaves of
white Sugar, (thought it all their own) but the
Brand-Mark not being taken off, and the
Company finding all the Troops gone, they, to the
number of 200, fell upon our People, and dis-
abled them of their imagined Booty: They
never, faced the Enemy for some Time, lost one
Man, and six taken Prisoners, also 11 Small-Arms,
3 Pair of Pistols; the rest, with some Difficul-
ty, got to their Boats. The next Day the Captain
made a Truce to the Spot where our People had en-
camped, and told them that he had eight Prisoners
on board, and that if any of his Men, whom they
had taken, were hurt or ill used, he would hang
any French Man he had on board at the Yard-
arm; on which they sent all our Men back, and
returned theirs also. We then proceeded to
Saint Peter, and the Captain acquainted General
Barrington of the Circumstances of our Expediti-
on, who seemed very well pleased with his Beha-
viour and Conduct, and dismissed him with a great
many Thanks for his Services: We then went and
drove down at English Harbour, called at St. Kitt's,
and left our Sugar there, and are now cruising off
St. Lucia, where the Enemy are daily sending their
Sloops. And since the Letter was dated we have
taken a small Sloop loaded with Sugar: And at
our Return from Guadaloupe to Antigua, General
Thomas, with some others, not unmindful of Cap-
tain Troup's Services for the general Good, made
him a Present of a handsome large Silver Bowl,
up and Salver.

PHILADELPHIA, May 24.
Extract of a Letter from Antigua, April 23.
"The Commanders of our Expedition have al-
ready had an Answer to their Express sent home
by Captain Tyrrell; but we have not yet heard
with Certainty what Reinforcement is promised;
no I have seen one Letter from a Person of good
intelligence in England, which says that Captain
Tyrrell will have six Capital Ships."
Extract of another Letter from Antigua, May 1.
"I can now, with great Pleasure, congratulate
you on the Surrender of Guadaloupe and Grand-
Terre, &c. an Acquisition, beyond all Dispute, as
valuable as any that has been made during the War,
and for which we are greatly indebted to the good
Conduct of Commodore Moore, and General Bar-
rington. We have not as yet any authentic Ac-
count of the Terms of Capitulation. By the Time
Matters can be well settled at Guadaloupe, we hope
for a strong Reinforcement, and that Commodore
Moore will be able to keep M. Bompar from get-
ting out. Let this be done, and I make no Doubt
of giving you Joy on a Conquest as glorious to
Britain, and as fatal to the French, as the Loss of
Louisburg was to them."

Captain Miller, from St. Christopher's, informs,
that a Vessel had come in before he sailed, the
Master of which declared, that he saw Bompar's
Fleet off the Island of Aves.

Extract of a Letter from Captain Rieby, of the Brig
Grace, of this Port, dated off Cape-May on Mon-
day last.

"This serves to advise you of my safe Arrival
here this Day at Noon, in Company with the Snow
Charming Rachel, of Bourdeaux, late Capt. John
Tanays, but now commanded by Thomas Webster.
I left Bristol the 21st of March; and on Wednes-
day, the 4th of April, being about 100 Leagues
to the Westward of Cape-Charles, a large Ship to
Windward gave me Chace about Two in the Af-
ternoon, and at Six was within Gun Shot, hoisted
French Colours, and fired his Bow Chace. We
then began to play four Guns upon him from our
Stern. At Half past Seven he ran close up along
our Starboard Side, and gave us his whole Broad-
side of Great Guns, with a vast Number of Small-
Arms from his Tops and Quarter-Deck. We re-
turned the Fire, and engaged him very warmly
for five Glasses. He then being to Leeward of us,
bore away to sea, as I imagine. We were much
shattered in both Sails and Rigging, but got them
repaired as quick as possible, and kept close to
the Wind, and I could see he did so too, endea-
vouring to get up with us. I took the Opportuni-
ty of a Squall to go on the other Tack, with an

Intent to lose him, which had the desired Effect;
but next Day the Wind coming to the N. W. I put
about, and stood to the Southward, and at Ten in
the Morning saw a Sail upon the Weather Bow,
which I judged to be the same Ship; so tacked di-
rectly, and stood from her; but she crowded all
the Sails she could after us, and some of our stud-
ding Sail Booms giving Way, at Seven at Night
she came up with us, when we began a second
Engagement, within Pistol Shot of each other,
which continued very smartly for six Glasses;
when, I believe, some principal Officer was kil-
led on board the Ship, a great Noise being heard
among them. He then bore away before the Wind,
with his Sails all flying about, his Yards shot a-
way, and I believe he was in a very bad Condi-
tion, otherwise he would not have bore away, be-
ing of far superior Force to the Grace. I could
not count his Guns exactly, but am sure he had
not less than 22, nor more than 26. All his Shot,
found on board us, are Nine-pounders; one of
which came in a little above the Water's Edge,
and went through my Chest. I had eight Men
wounded at the lower Deck Guns, the Man at the
Helm, and two more upon Deck, and was left a
meer Wreck; the Hull very much shattered; the
Foremast shot half through; the main Rigging
and Sails all shot away; some of our lower Deck
Ports, one of our Pumps, and Bulk-Head knocked
to Pieces; in short, both Masts, and Boom, are
gone. The Day after I fell in with the English
Fleet from South-Carolina, who supplied me with
a Fifth for the Foremast, and several other Ne-
cessaries. I then proceeded on, and on the 12th
of April came up with the Snow, and took her,
without any Resistance; she is between Two and
Three Hundred Tons Burthen, loaded with Dry
Goods, Wine, Brandy, Flour, Pork and other
Commodities, for Quebec, manned with 23 Men
and Boys, the Doctor of which has been of great
Service to the wounded Men, having no Doctor of
my own, and some of their Wounds very bad;
but, thank God, they are now all in a fair Way
of Recovery, and most of them able to do Duty."

Extract of a Letter from Antigua, dated May 3.

"I have the Pleasure to congratulate you and
every Well-wisher of England, on the Addition of
Guadaloupe to its Dominions, by the Surrender of
that Island to General Barrington. They had a
Cessation for 8 Days to deliver up all their Arms,
&c. which was completed Yesterday. They are
to take the Oaths to his Majesty and thereby save
their Property, but are to pay no more Duties for
their Produce than they did to France, which is
inferior to what the English Planters pay, but this
last Article I dare say will be altered. They deli-
vered up Hostages to the General for the punctual
Performance of the Articles of Capitulation, and it
was very lucky they did, not having agreed to the
Terms above five Hours, before 500 Men were
landed from Martinico, by several French Private-
ers; upon which General Barrington sent im-
mediate Notice to the French Governor, that un-
less they directly reembarked, he would put both
his Hostages, and every Frenchman that was Pri-
soner, to Death: This Message had its Effect;
they immediately reembarked, and we are now in
quiet Possession of the Place. But as all Pleasure
has an Alloy, so has this good News, by the Ac-
count we have received of M. Bompar with 9 Sail
of the Line and 4 Frigates escaping from Martini-
co, while Commodore Moore with 12 Sail of the
Line and 6 Frigates lay in Prince Rupert's Bay."

ANNAPOLIS, May 31.

Last Night arrived here, in 17 Days from Anti-
gua, the Schooner Nancy, Captain Henry Castle.
The Captain says, That there has been great Re-
joicings in the English West-India Islands, for the
Addition of Guadaloupe: That many of the French,
who refused the Oath of Allegiance (at Guada-
loupe) were sent over to Martinico: That above
500 French Prisoners, chiefly Sailors, had been
sent there from Antigua, and landed: That Com-
modore Moore was cruising off Martinico, and
they every Day expected he would be join'd by
Captain Tyrrell, from England; with 6 Sail of the
Line and 80 Transports, when it was supposed
they would attack the Island: And it was said that
Monsieur Bompar, with his Ships, was gone to
Cape Francois.

We have just now received, too well confirmed,
an Account, That one Day last Week, as Capt.
Buller, with a Party of 100 Men, was Guarding
15 Waggons of Provisions, to the Westward, he
was attacked by a considerable Body of French and
Indians, who killed or took 35 of the Party, and
all the Waggons.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,

On Tuesday the 13th of November next, at 10 o'clock
in the House of William Brown, in London-Town, the
following Tracts of LAND, belonging to the
Estate of William Peale, deceased.

ONE TRACT called *Symson's Stairs*, contain-
ing by Patent 153 Acres, lying near a Place
called *Huntington*.

ONE TRACT called *Batibolor's Choice*, contain-
ing 100 Acres, lying on the South Side of the main
Falls of *Patuxet*, and contiguous to a Tract of
Land, survey'd for *Jane Gray*, called *Maiden's
Bower*.

ONE TRACT called *Poplar Neck*, containing by
Patent 250 Acres.

ONE TRACT called *Mitchell's Chance*, containing
18½ Acres.

PART of a TRACT called *Paddington's Harbour*,
containing 100 Acres.

These 3 last Tracts lie contiguous to one
another, and near *London-Town*.

All Persons who have any Demands against the
said Estate, are desired to bring them in. And
any inclining to Purchase the above Lands, may
be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale, by
applying to

JAMES MOUAT,
JAMES DICK,
JAMES NICHOLSON, } Executors.

ALL Persons who have any Demands against
the Estate of *Stephen Pickering*, deceased, are
desired to give in an Account thereof to the Sub-
scriber, who will divide the Effects in his Hands
equally amongst the Creditors, whose Debts are
not yet satisfied, and of an equal Nature.

JAMES DICK, Executor.

To be SOLD at VENDUE to the Highest Bid-
der, for the Benefit of the Insurers, or those con-
cerned, on Saturday the 9th Day of June next, at
Bladenburg in Prince-George's County, 1759

SUNDRY DAMAGED GOODS, consist-
ing chiefly of Hempen Osnabrigs and Rolls, consi-
gned to me for Account of *John Glasford* and
Company, per the Brothers, *Allan Boyd*, Master,
from *London*.

RICHARD HENDERSON.

WHEREAS *Mary Hoffman*, Wife of the
Subscriber living at *Patuxet* Ferry, hath
Eloped, and may possibly run him in Debt: This
is therefore to forewarn all Persons of Trusting her
on his Account; for he will pay no Debt of her
Contracting after this 31st of May, 1759.

CASPER HOFFMAN.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Mr. John
Davidge*, on *South River*, taken up as a
Stray, a dark Bay Horse, with a black Mane, Tail
and Legs, no white about him, 13 Hands high,
branded on the near Shoulder with B.

He either swam a-cross the Bay, or *South River*,
as some People who were out Fishing for Drums,
saw him pass by, and land on *Thomas's Point*.

The Owner may have him again, on proving
his Property, and paying Charges. 1759

THERE is at the Plantation of *Josiah Phelps*,
in *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a
Stray, a very small Black Mare, with a Star in her
Forehead, she has not any perceivable Brand, and
is supposed to be about 4 Years old. She has with
her a Horse Colt, about a Week old.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his
Property, and paying Charges. 1759

THE Subscriber having been a long Time
confined in *Anne-Arundel* County Goal, for
Debt, and not having wherewith to pay his Cre-
ditors, hereby gives Notice, That he intends to
apply to the next General Assembly for an Act for
his Relief. JAMES DARBY.

STOLEN out of the Subscriber's Room, at
Upper-Marlborough, in the Night of the 19th
Instant, a small Silver Watch (the Maker's Name
and Number forgot) and a Pocket-Book contain-
ing sundry valuable Papers, and Fifteen Shillings
Pennsylvania Currency.

Whoever will bring the said Watch and Pocket-
Book to the Subscriber, shall receive a Reward of
Fifteen Shillings, and no Questions asked. Or,
whoever detects the Thief, so that he may be
brought to Justice, shall receive the same Reward,
from

WILLIAM MOODIE.

If the Watch is offered to be pawned or sold, it
is hoped it will be stopp'd.

THE Reverend *Thomas Bacon* hereby returns

his Thanks to the worthy Gentlemen who
have thought proper to encourage his Edition of
the LAWS of MARYLAND by their Sub-
scriptions: And as the Accounts already received
from his Correspondents in some Counties are very
favourable, he is now enabled to assure the Public,
that the Work will infallibly be Printed, with all
possible Expedition, and Orders given for Import-
ing the Paper and other Materials, as soon as the
Accounts of his friendly Correspondents in the
other Counties shall be received, in order to ascer-
tain the Number of Copies. The Subscription
will be kept open till the last Day of June, that
Gentlemen who have not as yet Subscribed may
avail themselves of it; as the few remaining Cop-
ies, after the Subscribers are supplied, will not
be sold but at an advanced Price. And he re-
quests his Friends, who have been pleased to take
the Trouble of receiving Subscriptions for him, to
send Lists of the Number and Names of their se-
veral Subscribers to the Printers hereof, by the
15th Day of July next, that no Delay to the Work
in general, or Disappointment to particulars, may
happen for Want of timely Information.

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Thomas Dawson, President of *William and Mary*
College, and *William Hunter*, Esq; at *Williams-*
burg, in *Virginia*.

RAN away from *Dumfries* on *Patowmack*
River, *Virginia*, in March last, a Mulatto
Man Slave, named *Dick* (tho' it is probable he
may now assume another) Country-born, about
35 Years of Age, a well-made slim Fellow, very
active, is much addicted to Liquor, and when
drunk, stammers in his Speech. Had on a good
dark Bearskin Frock-Coat, and Cotton Breeches;
but carried with him several other Cloaths. He
is by Trade a compleat Wheelwright, and so
much of a Smith, as to make the Nails, and shoe
those he makes. He is likewise a good Cooper,
Sawyer, and House-Carpenter, and has also been
employed in small Craft by Water. Mr. *Fox* of
Frederickburg, was formerly his Master, and as he
has lived in that Town, and other public Places,
most Part of his Life, has contracted a pretty ge-
neral Acquaintance, and may by that Means be
conveyed out of this Colony. He has been seen
on board several Vessels in *Rappahannock River*,
and on board of a Schooner bound to *New-York*;
but on being detected as a Runaway, he got clear,
by swimming on Shore from the Vessel in *Rappa-*
bannock. He has been outlawed, by which any
Person may lawfully kill him. I am informed he
goes by the Name of *Jack Simpson*, and has a
forg'd Pass, pretending he has served as a Mulatto
31 Years, agreeable to the Laws of this Colony.
It is hoped all Captains of Ships, or Commanders
of Craft, will be cautious how they entertain so
notorious a Villain; for when he is drunk, he will
steal any Thing.

Whoever apprehends him, so that he may be
secured in some Goal, and contrives me Notice of
it, shall receive Forty Shillings; and if brought to
me at *Dumfries*, a full Reward for their Trouble,
and all reasonable Charges.

ALLAN MACRAE.

WHEREAS