

sent Major Harvey into the Fort, with a List of the
taken, recommending it to the Commanding Officer
before more Blood was shed, and while he had
Power to restrain the Indians. The Commanding
to be certain of such a Defeat, (sent an Officer of his
the Prisoners; they were shewn to him; and, in short,
apitulation was finished about Ten at Night of the 24th,
which the Garrison surrendered, with the Honour of
e came away, to the Number of 607 private Men, ex-
e Officers and their Ladies, and those taken in the
in. We expect them here To-morrow, on their Way
ew-York.

The following is the Declaration of Christopher Hopkins,
Mariner, taken at Boston, July 28, 1759.
That he left Ferriland in Newfoundland, the 14th Instant,
arrived here the 27th in the Evening: That the Day be-
fore a Snow arrived from Dartmouth, belonging to Mr.
Sworth, who came Passenger in her: That several of the
signed the Declaration, that they had received Advice at Dart-
mouth that a large Fleet had sailed from Bristol, consisting of
Sail of the Line, besides Frigates, and about an Hundred
sloops: That some People were of Opinion they were bound
to land, others to America: That three English Cruisers had
d, in order to know what Course they steered, but he know-
ing of any English Squadron sailing. The said Hopkins
said, that he met with very bad Weather on his Passage;
upon the Declaration's asking what Passage he had, he re-
s, near eight Weeks. Signed CHRISTOPHER HOPKINS.

The Snow Hibernia, Captain Troy, bound to Dublin
in this Port, was taken on her Passage, and ran down
1000 l. Sterling.
The Windsor, Captain Clark, designed here from Liver-
pool, is taken by the French.
We have Advice from Barbados, that a Negro Fellow, on
20th of June, received Sentence of Death there, for at-
tempting to set Fire to Bridgetown. He was hanged, his
cut off, and stuck on a Pole; his Body dragged through
Town, and then burnt.

The Prisoners of a Flag of Truce, lately arrived at that
and from Martinico, give an Account of 75 Vessels being
ried in there in a little Time; which seems very extraor-
ary, considering the large English Fleet we have in these
Parts.

ANNAPOLIS, August 16.
Last Monday we had Rejoicings here, with Firing of Guns,
on the great and good News (contained in this Gazette)
the Success of his Majesty's Armies, against Niagara,
and Crown-Point; Events of the utmost Con-
quence to his Majesty's American Colonies, and which must
every true British Subject with a real Joy. And we have
anguine Hopes, that in a short Time we shall be favoured
th some further Accounts, of the same Sort; from Quebec.
By a Letter from Virginia, we hear, that a Ship lately
rived there, with a large Cargo of Goods, was accidentally
own up, with all the People on board; but we have not
the Particulars.

There lately happen'd in Calvert County, a Thunder Gust,
with large Hail, which has done considerable Damage to the
rops on many Plantations.

Friday last, Capt. Coffin, in the Brig Anson, arrived here
om Barbados in 23 Days: By him we learn, that Commo-
ore Moor was still in a Harbour at St. Christophers. M.
tempor, it was said, was sail'd to convoy a Fleet from Mar-
tinico.

JUST ARRIVED in Patowmack River from
AFRICA,

THE Ship TRUE BLUE, Captain WILLIAM
RICE, with a Cargo of Three Hundred
and Fifty choice healthy Gold Coast SLAVES:
The Sale of which will begin at Nanjettay, on
Monday the Twentieth Day of August, where due
Attendance will be given, and continue till all are
sold.
JOHN CHAMPE & Company.

JUST ARRIVED from GAMBIA, in the
VENUS,

A CHOICE Cargo of SLAVES: The Sale
to begin at the Naval-Office near Cedar-
Point, opposite to Ho's Ferry, on Monday the
Twentieth Day of August, by

TAYLOR and RITCHIE.
N. B. The above Ship will take Tobacco on
Liberty of Consignment to Liverpool, at Eight
Pounds per Ton. She is a Letter of Marque, has
Sixteen Guns, and Men answerable. A. L. 1759.

To be SOLD by the Commissioners of the Paper-
Currency, at PUBLIC VENDUE, at the
House of Mr. William Reynolds, in Annapolis,
on the Third Tuesday of the next Provincial Court,
at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon,

THREE LOTS, with a Brick Dwelling-
House standing thereon, on the South West
Side of Scotts-Street, in that Part of the said City
called the New-Town, late the Estate of William
Cumming, Esq; deceased, for Current Paper Money.

THIS is to give Notice, That any Persons
wanting fine FLOUR, fit for any Mar-
ket, may be supplied at Setb's Mill, two Miles
from Queen's-Town (which is very convenient ei-
ther to Chester River, or T River, where it will
be delivered) with any Quantity of the best Flour,
at the most reasonable Price, as the Mill does no
other Work. Any Persons applying, may depend
on being well served, by
N. B. He has also good Middlings.

BY Virtue of a *Fieri Facias* to me directed,
agreeable to an Act of Assembly of this Pro-
vince, made at February Sessions, 1755, entitled,
*An Act directing the Commissioners of the Paper Cur-
rency Office, speedily to call in the Interest due on
Bonds, and other Securities; and all Monies due on
Funds payable into said Office, there will be exposed
to Public Sale; to the Highest Bidder, on Saturday
the Ninth Day of September next, a Tract of
Land called Garter Lott, containing Two Hun-
dred Acres, lying in Frederick County, on a Branch
called the Watery Branch of Rock-Creek, about 12
Miles from Bladenburg; and about the same Di-
stance from George-Town, Rock-Creek; whereon is
an exceeding good Framed Tobacco-House, 40
Feet by 22, a small Dwelling-House, with some
small Out Houses; taken in Execution as the Land
and Tenement of Basil Beckwith; for the Use of
the Commissioners; or Trustees for Emitting Bills
of Credit, established by Act of Assembly. The
Sale to be on the Premises, at Two o'Clock in
the Afternoon. JAMES DICKSON, Sheriff
of Frederick County.*

To be SOLD by the Subscriber at LEONARD-
TOWN, in St. Mary's County, on Tuesday the
28th of August, for Sterling Money or Currency,

TWO LOTS OF GROUND in the above-
mentioned Town, on which is a House 26
Feet by 32, situate extremely well for either a
Store or Tavern. GERARD BRISCOE.

THESE are to give Notice to all Gentlemen,
Ladies and Others, that have Occasion to
travel the Road from the Southward, on the
Eastern Shore of Maryland, That the Subscriber
has again opened her own House in Frederick-
Town, at Sassafras Ferry, for a Tavern; where
she hopes her Friends will be pleased to continue
their Favours, and they may depend on genteel
Entertainment, and good Usage, from
Their humble Servant,
SARAH FLYNN.

ABOUT the Fourth of June last, the Subscri-
ber, by Order of the Honourable Col. Byrd,
purchased two Convict Servants, and sent them
up from Alexandria towards Winchester, and since
have not been heard of.

The one is named Edward, alias Barnaby Burny,
an Englishman, about 5 Feet 9 Inches high, is a
slender Man, his Hair tied behind, and has been
a Soldier, and is about 25 Years of Age. He had
on when he went away, a Soldier's Jacket trimmed
with white Lace, and a Pair of blue Breeches.

The other named Martin Wright, an Irishman,
about 40 Years of Age, a lusty well made Fellow,
about 5 Feet 9 Inches high, pitted with the Small-
Pox. Had on when he went away, a dark col-
oured Fustian Frock, Cloth Waistcoat, a Pair of
Leather Breeches, and a White Wig.

Whoever takes up the said Runaways, and
brings them to me in Alexandria, or the Com-
manding Officer of the Virginia Troops at Win-
chester, shall have Two Pistoles Reward for each,
and reasonable Travelling Charges, to be paid by
JOHN CARLYLE.

August 10, 1759.
RAN away last Night from the Subscriber at
the Elk-Ridge Furnace, the following Convict
Servant Men, viz.

Thomas Akott, an Englishman, near 6 Feet high,
and Thickness proportionable, brown complexion-
ed, much marked with the Small-Pox, and speaks
the broad West Country Dialect. He had on and
carried with him, an old-Felt Hat cocked up with
Thread, a Worsted Cap, an old light coloured
Pea Jacket, which he wore on board the Ship, a
new Osnabrigs Shirt, short Osnabrigs Breeches,
and old Trowsers of the same, a Pair of brown
middling good ribb'd Hose, a Pair of new Country
made Shoes, and large Brass Buckles.

James Hunt, also an Englishman, much of the
same Height with the former, but slimmer made,
about 20 Years of Age, brown Complexion, and
speaks Stauffling thro' his Nose. He had on and
carried with him a new Felt Hat, an old Worsted
Cap, a Check Shirt, the Chequer small and dull,
an old Cotton Jacket, a Pair of old Osnabrigs
Breeches and Trowsers, and a Pair of new coarse
Country made Shoes.

They are supposed to be gone off in Company
with a Negro Man lately missing from the Furnace
aforesaid.

Whoever takes up and brings back said Servants
to the Subscriber at the Furnace aforesaid, shall
have Fifty Shillings Reward for each, or Five
Pounds for both; paid by JOHN KENT.

To be SOLD, by the Subscriber, for Bills of Ex-
change, Sterling Cash, or Current Money,

A TRACT of LAND, lying near Seneca in
Frederick County, containing 408 Acres, a
choice Place for raising Stock, and very good
Land for Grain or Tobacco; about 40 Acres of
which is clear'd, some Meadow clear'd, and a
great Plenty of Meadow Ground to clear, some
good Houses thereon, and a fine young Apple-
Orchard, and a Number of Cherry and Peach
Trees.

Any Person inclinable to purchase, may know
the Title and Terms, by applying to the Subscri-
ber living near the Place where Lawrence Owen
kept Tavern, in Frederick County.

1759. THOMAS DAVISS.

RAN away on the 9th Instant, from the Sub-
scriber living near Baltimore-Town, an Eng-
lish Convict Servant Man, named Samuel Coet,
about 25 Years old, 5 Feet 10 Inches high, of a
dark Complexion, has black Eyes, short brown
Hair, and is very much pitted with the Small-Pox.
Had on when he went away, an old Russia Drab
Frock, an old narrow brim'd Felt Hat bound
round with black Worsted Binding, an old Kersey
Jacket, a Pair of Tow Trowsers, two Country
Linen Shirts, a Pair of Yarn Stockings, and an
old Pair of sharp toed Shoes.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings
him home, shall have One Pistole if taken 10
Miles from home; Two Pistoles if taken 30 Miles
from home; and Three Pistoles if taken out of
the Province, beside what the Law allows, paid
by 1759. DAVID GOSSUCH.

THERE is at the Plantation of Joseph Wheat,
living on Rock-Creek in Frederick County,
taken up as a Stray, a Bright Bay Mare Colt, a-
bout 2 Years old; she has a small Star in her Face,
and paces naturally; but is neither dock'd nor
branded. 1759.

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

THERE is at the Plantation of John Carr,
in Frederick County, taken up as Strays,

A Black Gelding, branded on the near Shoulder
with an I. 1759.

And a Bay Gelding, with some white Hairs in
his Forehead, branded on the off Shoulder E, and
on the near Shoulder CW join'd in one.

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

THERE is at the Plantation of James Grimes,
at Elk-Ridge, taken up as a Stray, a Dark
Roan Horse, about 14 Hands high, a natural Pa-
cer, the End of his Tail is white, and he is brand-
ed on the near Buttock, but with what cannot be
discovered. He had on an old split Bell.

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

RAN away about the 25th of June, from the
Subscriber in Fairfax County, Virginia, a
likely Country-born Negro Boy, named Davy,
about 15 Years of Age, has a Scar near his left
Eye, speaks fluently, and is very ready in his Re-
plies. Had on an old blue Cotton Coat and Waist-
coat, and Leather Breeches. The Coat had plain
Brass Buttons, the Waistcoat Horn.

Whoever brings home the said Negro, or secures
him in any Goal, shall have Forty Shillings Re-
ward, besides reasonable Charges, paid by
2 G. W. FAIRFAX.

RAN away from the Ship *Beisy* (about the
24th or 25th of July) now lying in South
River, William Strachan, Master, one Thomas Gib-
son, Boatswain of the said Ship; he deserted a
Sloop he had Charge of with Goods to Bush River,
and is supposed to have gone to Philadelphia; he
is of a middle Stature, fair Complexion, wears a
Cap or Wig, and has a remarkable straddling in
his Walk, owing (I suppose) to the fashionable
Distemper. He had on and took with him, a
long blue Coat, green Shag Waistcoat, blue Bree-
ches, a black Silk Waistcoat with a Cherry col-
our'd Lining, and all his Seafaring Apparel and
Bedding. In the Protection he is called Thomas
Hughes, and may probably go by that Name: He
was born in London, served his Time in the Coal
Trade, and speaks in the North Country Dialect.

Whoever shall take up the said Runaway in this
Province, and convey him on board the said Ship,
shall have Six Pistoles Reward; and if taken in
Pennsylvania, and brought to the Ship, Eight Pis-
toles, paid by WILLIAM STRACHAN.

Hunting-Ridge, Baltimore, August 1, 1759.
RAN away from the Subscriber, on the 31st
of July, Two Convict Servants, viz.

Richard Curman, he is about 40 Years of Age,
and wears his own Hair, born in the County of
Norfolk, a Weaver by Trade, and about 5 Feet 8
Inches high, a stout well made Fellow.

John Curman, Brother to Richard, is about 5
Feet 10 Inches high, has a down Look, and is
likewise a Weaver, wears a Cap, has a scald Head,
and is a stout able Fellow.

They took with them several Things, so that it
is impossible to describe their Dress.

They were imported in the Ship *St. George*,
now lying in the North-West-Branch of Patapsco.

Whoever brings the said Runaways to me, or
secures them so that they may be had again, shall
receive for each, if taken within the County, One
Pistole; if out of it, Two; and if out of the
Province, Three Pistoles, paid by
BENJAMIN YOUNG.

August 6, 1759.

RAN away Yesterday, from the Subscribers,
living near Squire Carroll's Manor, on Elk-
Ridge, a Convict Servant Man named Moses Dykes,
born in England, is a tall slim Man, about 6 Feet
high, has short brown Hair, a round Face, is a
well looking Fellow, speaks good English, bends
in his Knees, aged 20 Years. Had on a Cotton
Jacket, Osnabrigs Trowsers and Shirt, Country
Shoes, and Felt Hat. It is probable he may have
changed his Cloaths, as his Wife, who run away
with him from Lawrence Robinson, took a Suit of
light colour'd Broad-Cloth with Metal Buttons,
and a Suit of Linen Cloaths (the Coat lined) and
some Cash. She is a thick set short Woman, has
dark Hair, is marked with the Small-Pox, and
has a Cast with her Eye. Had on a striped Flan-
nel Jacket, a Crocus Petticoat, and old Shoes. It
is supposed she is dressed in Man's Apparel, as
they have taken the above Cloaths.

Whoever secures the said Servant Man, so that
he may be had again, shall have, if taken 20 Miles
from home, Twenty Shillings; if out of the Coun-
ty, Forty Shillings; and if out of the Province,
Three Pounds; and for the Woman, Twenty
Shillings, and reasonable Charges if brought home.
J. IRELAND,
LAWRENCE ROBINSON.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE,

On the first Wednesday in OCTOBER next,

A DISTILLERY, with it's Appurtenances,
in CHARLES-TOWN, MARYLAND, at the
Head of the fine Bay of Chesapeake, being on a
Quarter of a Lot of Land in the same Town, near
the Public Wharf. The Still-House is built of
Cedar 30½ by 26½ Feet clear: In it are two Stills
fix'd, the largest containing between 1400 and
1500 Gallons, and the other about 300 Gallons,
with Cooler and Worms, sixteen Cisterns, two
Returns, one Low-Wine Cistern, Pumps, &c.
Also a new Framed House 29½ by 19½ Feet, with
a Cellar under it, convenient to the Still-House.

Any one who is acquainted with the Country,
may see a great Opening for the carrying on a
very extensive and profitable Business through Che-
sapeake and it's many fine Rivers, from this only
Distillery in Maryland, if not also Virginia.

All Grain is there cheap, being usually from 6 d.
upwards cheaper in the Bushel than at Philadelphia.

Wood is there at 3 s. per Cord, and there is
a good Market for Flour, Lumber, and other
Commodities, for a West-India Trade, to be pur-
chased cheap.—The Country is in flourishing
Circumstances, and consumes great Quantities of
spirituous Liquors, which at all Times are sold at
a considerable Advance upon the Philadelphia Price.

As a further Encouragement to the Business of a
Distiller in Maryland more than till late has been
in 1756 an Excise of 4 d. per Gallon on Rum and
spirituous Liquors imported from other Provinces
is laid on the Retailer or Consumer; and in 1758
a further Duty is laid upon what shall be brought
from Pennsylvania and the Three Lower Counties
of 3 d. per Gallon, to be paid by the Importer,
which together make 7 Pence Duty per Gallon;
whereas there is only 2 d. per Gallon charged on
what is made and consumed in Maryland.

Also the Dwelling-House, Store-House, &c. of
the late Peacock Bigger, in the said Town, fitted
for a Tavern or Store-Keeper.

One Third of the Purchase Money to be paid
down at the Sale, and Time to be given for Pay-
ment of the Remainder upon Security given.

The Sale to be on the Premises.

JUST