another thro' the Skirts of his Coat: He endeavoured to load again, but they came running towards him, which obliged him to throw away his Gun, and make for the Fort, but they cut him off from that, so he then took immediately down to the Inhabitants, and, after a twelve Hours Chace, he got clear of them. How many People they have killed, I have not yet learnt.

From Shippensburgh we have Advice, that the young Woman, who was lately made Prisoner at the Mouth of Aughwick, made her Escape the next Evening after she was taken: That on Sunday, the Third Instant, the Indians killed one William Crow, about 15 Miles from Shippensburgh, and carried off his Wife and four Children, Prisoners: That as a Boy was milking a Cow, about a Mile from said Crow's, he saw an Indian crawling towards him, upon which he went into the House, took a Gun, and fired at him, about 80 Yards Distance, which made the Fellow stagger, when another immediately came up, and helped the wounded One off: And that this Party of Indians was said to consist of twelve.

Extract of a Letter from Fort Pitt, June 1, 1764.

The Corporal and four Men, who went with the last Returns to Ligonier, are not yet returned, and I am in some Pain about them, as the Savages begin now to discover themselves round the Skirts of the Woods.——On the 27th of May, in the Morning, a Soldier of the 42d Regiment was fired at, as he was standing Centry, upon the Point of Grant's Hill; this Centry was detached from a Corporal's Guard, which was out that Morning to cover the Ploughs at Work in Captain Philipt's Field; tho' the Centry was mortally wounded, he made his Escape, but died in about Two Hours after he came into the Fort.——That Party of Indians (Nine in Number) remained yelping on the Point of the Hill, till the Picquet was more than Half-way up to them, and then they ran off into the Woods, and the Picquet returned into the Fort.——At Night, between the Hours of Nine and Ten, the whole Garrison heard fourteen Death Halloo's on the other Side of the Allegheny River.——On the 28th, in the Morning, two Indians were seen upon the Point of Grant's Hill; and in the Afternoon of the same Day, five of the Enemy were seen by the Picquet in the Face of the Encampment Hill.——On the 29th a Shot was heard towards the Two Mile Run, not far from the Road leading to Ligonier.——The 30th, in the Afternoon, two Indians were again seen upon the Point of Grant's Hill, just above the Ligonier Road; and late in the Evening, two Horses, with Bells, and some Indians with them, were seen on the opposite Side of the Allegheny.——All these Circumstances put together, make me imagine that the Savages are assembling to infest the Communication, though, I believe, not in such Numbers as to dare to molest the Troops coming up against them.——The Commanding Officers at Ligonier and Bedford, have had Notice of the above.——We are very easy here, not imagining it in the Power of all the Savages to molest us.

Our Advices from Carlisle, of the Fourth Instant are, That a Man was found dead and scalped, in the Road between Loudoun and Shippen's Town: That at Bedford one Man had been killed, and another carried off: That at Fort Littleton one Man was wounded: And that the Roads were much infested by the Enemy.

Extract of a Letter from Fort Cumberland, June 5.

On the 26th ult. a large Body of Indians fell on a Party of White People, working in a Field near Fort Dinwiddie, in Augusta County, Virginia, when they killed Fifteen, and wounded and took Sixteen more; they then attacked the Fort, and fired six Hours successively on it, but could not prevail.——This Day I received an Express from Col. Stephens, who informs me, that on the Fourth Instant Captain Nimrod Ashby, and a Man of the Virginia Volunteers, were taken Prisoners on the South Branch of Patowmack.——The same Day a Negro Fellow, belonging to one Lynch, was taken as he was driving a Waggon; the Horses were killed, and the Waggon broke to Pieces.——Also, at the same time, a Man, his Wife, and Child, were carried off from Cedar-Creek, within ten Miles of Winchester; and it is supposed, by the great Number of Tracks discovered that there must be three or four large Bodies of the Enemy now down among us; the Inhabitants are chiefly gone away, or going.

Extract of a Letter from Virginia, June 4.

"The Situation of our Frontiers is truly distressing.——The Indians killing and captivating daily.——About eight Days past, upwards of forty Persons were killed at the Pastures, on the Frontiers of Augusta County.——We were hopeful our Troubles were in some Measure over; but, to our Surprize, the Indians came on Friday last, about seven Miles from me, and took one Day's Wife, and four Children. Next Morning, about Sun-rise, four Families going to a Fort with Horses loaded, the Indians Way-laid them, and killed and captivated 21, whose Names were Lloyd, and his Family, Clonper, Jones, Thomas, &c. This Morning, about Two o'Clock, I was informed that about Sunset Yesterday, six Families were cut off near the Narrow Passage. Two Companies of Men are gone after the Enemy, to re-take the Captives, if possible, of which there are as yet no Accounts."

Extract of a Letter from Fort Loudoun, June 5, 1764.

"Last Week several Indian Tracks were seen in the Woods betwixt this Place and Juniata. Some few of the Inhabitants, who had gone to their Plantations on that Creek, to sow Corn, were attacked by a Party of Indians; one of whom was killed, but on the others returning the Fire, the Indians went off; they carried a Woman with them, that they had taken the Evening before.—On the First of this Month a Man at Mr. Armstrong's Plantation, about Half a Mile from this Fort, who went in the Morning to take Care of his Cattle, was fired on, and shot thro' the Arm, but did not see those who fired on him.——Next Day, about six Miles below this Post, a Man was killed and scalped, his Wife, and four small Children, carried off.——Parties followed their Tracks to the Mountain, but there lost them.——This Day, about Eleven o'Clock, one of the Inhabitants came to inform me, that about four Miles down the Creek, that passes thro' this Place, three Families were cut off, and their Habitations burnt.——I immediately sent an Officer with a strong Party, along with a Number of the Inhabitants, armed, to endeavour coming up with the Indians, or to make Discoveries. He is just returned, and acquaints me, that three Families, consisting of 13 Persons, were killed, their Houses burnt down, and that several of the dead Bodies were found in the Ruins, almost burnt to Ashes, which he buried; he afterwards made a large Circuit in the Woods, without discovering any Track of the Enemy; but found a few Things that belonged to the Killed, which the Indians had taken away. Some of the Inhabitants are still in Pursuit, but am afraid there is little Probability of Success, as the Tracks were very indistinct.——One Lad escaped; he says the Indian Party was about Twenty; that they fired several Shot after him; and that he saw his Father and Mother knocked down with Tomahawks, before he ran off. These Alarms have intimidated the Inhabitants extremely; they are returning from their Plantations in Crowds to this, and every other little Post in the Neighbourhood, in the utmost Distress. I shall do every thing in my Power to support them, and alleviate their Misery."

Several Persons were likewise made Prisoners.

Extract of a Letter from Carlisle, June 9.

"Twice this Week have I had Occasion to write of the sundry Depredations committed in this County; the last, near Loudoun, was a heavy and bloody Stroke.——The Enemy, being closely pursued, killed their Prisoners on the Flight, to the Number of Six or Seven, then scattered, as usual, and made their Escape.——You will readily guess at the present Situation of our miserable and unhappy People, and the piercing Applications I must endure from every Quarter, crying for Help."

ANNAPOLIS, *June* 21.

A Death Warrant is gone down to *Calvert* County, for the Execution of Three Negroes, lately condemned for Poisoning their Master, Mr. *William Hamilton Smith*, whose Death we mention'd about a Month ago.

There came in from *England*, in the *Munificence*, Capt. *Grundill*, into *Patuxent*, a Steerage Passenger, one *Richard*, or *Richardson*, or some such Name, who imported a large Quantity of Counterfeit *New-Jersey* Six Shilling, and Three Shilling Bills. This silly Blockhead almost as soon as he Landed, was very lavish with his Paper Money, which first caused him to be suspected; tho' it is said his Roguery is but very badly executed. He is in Jail in *Calvert* County.

A few Days ago, a valuable Negro Man in *Queen-Anne's* County, Fishing in a Canoe, and being Fuddled, fell overboard, and was Drowned.

Sundry People having lately come to Town with Paper Currency of this Province, in order to exchange it at the Office for Bills of Exchange; it may not be amiss to inform the Public, That the Commissioners are not, by Act of Assembly, to exchange the Currency till after the 29th Day of *September* next.

THE Subscribers being impower'd to contract for the Repairing of the Publick Buildings in the City of ANNAPOLIS, desire any Person inclinable to undertake the same, to apply to any of us for a particular Information of the Work to be done, that he may be able to deliver in his Proposals, by the First Day of *July* next.

D. DULANY,
JOHN RIDOUT,
WALTER DULANY,
GEORGE STEUART,
B. T. B. WORTHINGTON.

To the Public.

IF JOSEPH WALTON be Living, and will apply to J. GREEN, Printer, he will hear of something worth enquiring for: If he be Dead, and any Body will give an Account of the Time, Place, &c. they shall have either a LIQUID or a PECUNIARY Reward, as they shall chuse. The best Information we can give relating to this Mr. *Walton*, which indeed is but a blind one, is, the Words of a Letter from *London*, dated about two Years ago, as follows, "*Joseph Walton* on the "10th of *November* 1742, was living with, or "well known to, one Mr. *William Denton*, who "lived on the South-side near *Toppain*, *Baltimore* "County, *Maryland*. This Mr. *Walton* has not "been heard of for near Twenty Years."

KENT-ISLAND, *June* 13, 1764.

I TAKE this Method of acquainting the Public, That I have lowered my FERRY, to and from *Annapolis*, to the following Terms, to take Place from the Date of this Advertisement.

A single Man Five Shillings.
If more than one, 3 Shillings and 9 Pence each.
Horses at Seven Shillings and Six Pence each.
An open Chair Seven Shillings and Six Pence.
A topp'd Chaise Ten Shillings.
A Four Wheel'd Carriage Fifteen Shillings.

As I have good Boats, skilful Hands, and exceeding good Pasturage, I hope my Friends will still continue their Favours. My Ferry hath this Advantage attending it, that the Passengers are not confined to any Day, but may pass and repass any Day and Hour in the Week.

JAMES HUTCHINGS.

THE Subscribers, now Prisoners for Debt in a loathsome Jail, in *Baltimore* County, and not having wherewith to satisfy their Creditors, hereby give this Notice, that they intend to apply to the next Session of Assembly for an Act for their Releasement.

DARBY HERNLY,
JOHN HUGHS.

June 1764.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Monday the 9th Day of July *next, the Sundries following, belonging to the Estate of* Mr. Robert Swan, *Merchant, late of this City, Deceased,*

NEGROES, consisting of Men, Women and one Boy, all young; among whom is one Negro Fellow, by Trade a Currier; also Houshold Furniture, Dry Goods, two Saddle Horses, and Riding Chair, the Time of a white Servant Woman, who has about 4½ Years to serve. Likewise, Scantling for the Frame of a House 32 by 16 Feet, with about 3000 Feet of Featheredge Plank, all well season'd. The Sale will begin at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon, and Money, as passes Current, will be taken in pay. Those indebted to Mr. *Swan*, are desired to come and discharge the same, as they must not expect further Indulgence.

ROBERT COUDEN,
THOMAS RICHARDSON, } Executors.

Annapolis, June 20, 1764.

ABOUT Three Years ago, there was left with the Subscriber (which he received in *Virginia* from Capt. *Cuzzens*, in a Ship from Mr. *Anderson*) a Box of STATIONARY, mark'd R TE, N°. 4, [the TE join'd together in one] for one *Richard Ellsmore*. Enquiry has been diligently made; but no such Person can as yet be found. If the said *Ellsmore* be Living, and will apply for the said Box, or if he be Dead, his legal Representative; he or they may have the same, on producing a proper Title: But if no Body will apply, or no Intelligence be had about him, before Saturday the 28th Day of *July* next, they will then be Sold at Public Vendue, and the Purchase Money, after paying Charges, be reserved for him, his Heirs or Assigns, in the Hands of

SAMUEL MIDDLETON.

N. B. The Box contains Paper, some Pocket-Books, Ink-Powder, Blank Books, *&c. &c.*

Annapolis, 18th *June*, 1764.

WHEREAS it has been represented to his Excellency the Governor by *William Hick*, of the *Lancashire* Furnace, in *Baltimore* County, That on Sunday the 27th of *May* about 11 o'Clock at Night, the Coal House, with a large Quantity of Charcoals, was burnt down, and that there is the strongest Reasons to suspect that the same was wilfully set on Fire by some wicked malicious Person or Persons yet unknown. His Excellency, for the Discovery of such Villainy, and bringing to condign Punishment any of the Parties concern'd therein, doth hereby Promise his Lordship's Pardon to any one of them, who shall Discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices, in the said Fact, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

Signed per *Order*, J. ROSS, Cl. Con.

AND as a further Encouragement, the Subscriber doth Promise TWENTY POUNDS (*Pennsylvania* Currency) Reward, to any one who shall make a Discovery of any Person or Persons concerned in the above mentioned Villainy, so that he, she, or they, be brought to Justice, and convicted thereof.

WILLIAM HICK.

RIVINGTON *and* BROWN,

At the Corner of Market *and* Front Streets, *and opposite the* London Coffee-House, *have Imported in the* Friendship, *Capt.* Walker, *from* LONDON,

A GENERAL Collection of BOOKS and Stationary Wares, Hosiery, Boots and Shoes, Silk Umbrelloes, optical Machines, with Prospects finely coloured, Ladies and Gentlemens Pocket-Books of all Sorts and Prices, with or without Instruments, Pocket Prospect Glasses, best Compting-house Ivory Handle Penknives, *Barlow's*, 2 and 4 Blades Ditto, and Cutlery of most Sorts; neat Sword Belts and Hangers, shaving Equipage, Powder-Horns and Shot Bags; Guitars, Violins, *German* Flutes, Fifes, and a compleat Assortment of Musick for either of the above Instruments.

WANTED,

A sober, honest LAD of creditable Parents, as an Apprentice. Enquire of Messrs. RIVINGTON and BROWN in *Philadelphia*.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, living in St. Mary's *County, for Sterling Money,*

A TRACT of Land containing Two Hundred and Seventy Acres, upon *Cuckold's-Creek*, near *Patuxent* River, whereon is a good Dwelling House, Kitchen, and other Out-Houses, and two good Apple-Orchards, the Plantation in good Repair. Likewise a Grist Mill, adjoining the said Plantation, which has a constant Stream.

For Title and Terms apply to *Robert Fenwick* on the Premises, or to RICHARD WIMSATT.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VEND
(and entered upon immediately) on Tuesda
17th Day of July *next,*

A TRACT of LAND, now in the Poss
of *George Matthews*, containing 307 A
more or less, situate on the main Falls of *Pat*
in *Baltimore* County, on the great Road le
from *Pipe-Creek* to *Baltimore-Town*, distant
the latter about Twenty Miles, and on the ni
Road thence from the greatest Part of *Fred*
Cumberland, and *York* Counties, on which
choice Merchant MILL, with two Pair of St
and two Bolting Cloths, Hoisting Gears, &
in good Order, a Dwelling House and Ba
considerable Quantity of cleared Land and
dow, and a great deal more may be made.

The Sale to begin at 10 o'Clock in the Mor
and an indisputable Title made to the Purch
by

WILLIAM BUCHA
BENJAMIN SWOPE
WILLIAM MOORE

George-Town, Frederick County, *June* 12, 17

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER
the highest Bidder, on Wednesday the 22d of Au
next, at the House of Mr. Arthur Charlto
Frederick-Town, *for Bills of Exchange, or*
rent Money,

A VALUABLE TRACT of LAND, ca
Belt's Buckle, containing 690 Acres, ly
about 30 Miles from *Frederick-Town*, contigu
to the Lands of *Michael Miller* and *George Co*
and near a Forge belonging to ——,
watered and wooded, and some Parts of it capa
of being made into good Meadow.

Any Persons inclinable to know the Title,
fore the Day of Sale, may be informed, by app
ing to

ROBERT PET

MR. *John Lake* of *Leonard-Town*, who rod
grey Horse of mine to *Annapolis* last We
exchanged him by Mistake upon the Journey
another grey Horse very like him, but somethi
larger, and Flea-bitten; I should be obliged to
Person who has my Horse, to let me know wh
I may send for him, and return the other;
Horse has had one Side of his Mane lately tri
med.

I have a large Quantity of Tar and Turpentin
and some few Barrels of Pork, to dispose of

June 11, 1764. THOMSON MASO

Baltimore County, *Joppa, June* 1

COMMITTED to the Jail of this County,
Runaways, the following, whose sever
Masters are desired to take them away, and pa
Charges, *viz.*

John Smith; his Master, who lives on *Ken*
Island, took him out of this Prison, on the 6th
June, and he was committed again on the 9th.

William Calle, says he is a Freeman, committe
on the 12th. He is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high
says he is a Weaver: Has a light colour'd Coa
coarse Shirt, old Leggings and Shoes.

And Three New Negroes. One calls himsel
James, is much mark'd about his Neck, and a
bout 5 Feet 10 Inches high. Another calls him
self *Harry*, is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high. Th
other calls himself *Pompey*, and is about 6 Fee
high.

JOHN TAYLOR, Jailor

Great-Pipe-Creek, Frederick County, *June* 19, 1764

WHEREAS *Esther Smyth*, Wife of the Sub
scriber, hath Eloped from him: This is
therefore to forewarn all Persons not to Trust her
on his Account, for he will not Pay any Debt o
her Contracting after the Date hereof.

MICHAEL SMYTH.

RAN away from Mr. *Joshua Edmondson*, living
at *Vienna*, in *Dorchester* County, a Negro
Fellow named *Glasgow*, the Property of Mr. *Tho*
mas Muir in *Glasgow*, and was left in Possession of
the Subscriber, in the County aforesaid, a thick
well made Fellow, about 40 Years of Age, about
5 Feet 8 Inches high, and speaks broken *English*:
Had on when he went away, a blue Kersey Jacket
and Breeches, Country made Shirt, Yarn Stock-
ings, old Shoes with Brass Buckles, a blue *Scotch*
Bonnet, and an old brown Cut Wig. He took
with him two very good Frize Jackets, and a
good brown Great Coat.

Whoever apprehends the said Fellow, or secures
him so that the Subscriber may have him again,
shall have Twenty Shillings Reward if taken out
of the County, and if in the County Ten Shillings,
paid by

CHARLES MUIR.