

this Session to represent in a proper Light the ill Consequence resulting from a farther Permission to distil Rum in the Provinces of New-York, New-England, and the Jerseys, made from the Produce of the French Islands, in which the North-Americans are known to drive a large Trade, to the great Loss of the British West-India Planters.

It is now said Endeavours will be used this Session to impose certain Duties on the Produce of North-American Manufactures, by bringing in a Bill for that Purpose.

Jan. 28. We hear the future Practice of issuing Grants of Land in America, by military Tenures, will be entirely laid aside.

We are assured that a Patent for a Council and Assembly, for the Government of that Part of America called Nova-Scotia, is ordered to be made out and registered, and their meeting appointed to be held at Halifax, where Types and other Instruments for Printing will shortly be sent.

It will be debated, we hear, in a great Assembly, some Time next Month, whether it would not be expedient to purchase all the Proprietary Governments in America, and annex them to the Crown.

Feb. 5. It is said no less than fourteen new Manufactures have been lately established in North-America, by which it is computed Great-Britain is annually injured in a Sum little short of Half a Million Sterling.

Feb. 8. Advice was received on Saturday Morning, that the Hon. Mr. Pitt was much recovered of his late Fit of the Gout, and would be able to attend the Business of the House in a few Days.

We hear a Bill will soon be laid before the House for allowing the Establishment of certain Royal Mints for the Coin of Money in the American Provinces.

It is said the Act for calling in the Paper Currency in North-America will be repealed this Session, at the Instance of several of the most principal Merchants in the Colonies; the great Disadvantages resulting therefrom having of late been too conspicuous to be continued.

Feb. 9. The important Affair of reuniting a certain American Government to the Crown, we are told from good Authority, is now upon the Carpet.

Upwards of Forty eminent Counsellors are now retained on account of some very important American Concerns, intended speedily to be brought upon the Tapis.

We are informed the granting a Bounty on the future Importation of Logwood, the Growth of the British Colonies in America, has for some Time past been under Consideration.

We hear, no fewer than Thirty-seven Petitions on the Subject of Manufactures and Commerce, among them Fourteen from North-America, were on Tuesday laid before the Board of Trade.

An Estimate of the Quantities of Rum distilled at New-York, Boston, and Philadelphia, for two Years past, commonly distinguished by the Name of Northern Rum, has been received by the last Packet.

BOSTON, April 4.
It is said that the following Observation was made by a Member, on the Hardships of the abovementioned Resolves, viz. That where the Colonies stand on such high Pretensions of Independence on the supreme Legislative Authority of Great-Britain, there is no moderating any Thing.

We hear that at the Debate in the House of Commons, when the Resolves passed, not a Man spoke who did not declare his Opinion that America ought to be taxed; Nor would any one introduce a Petition which would impeach the Parliament's Right, even the most interested, and those who are of the Opposition, all refused to present such a Petition.

It is said there will be some Relief in Regard to the Lumber Trade, certainly in respect to Ireland, and it is thought to the Azores: Endeavours are making for the whole Restraint being taken off, which will ease the Trade of the Bond and Certificates.

PHILADELPHIA, April 18.
On Sunday last the Great Guns at our Fort were discovered to be all spiked up; and on looking at those at the Barracks, they were found to be served in the same Manner, which occasioned great Surprise and Uneasiness among the Inhabitants; but a Smith in Town has since owned that he made some of the Spikes, and informed of the Person whom he made them, who is now in Custody, and has been examined by the Chief Justice, his Sentences, or those of others, it is hoped, will soon be found out.

The Dove, Capt. Banning, from Maryland for London, put into Falmouth the 25th of Jan^r. last.

PROVIDENCE, (N. E.) April 6.
We hear that on Wednesday last a Vessel arrived at Boston in a short Passage from London, which brings some very interesting Accounts of Parliamentary Proceedings relative to North-America.—It is currently reported that the Stamp Duty is actually past, and that we are to suffer such other grievous Impositions, as will reduce us from the State of free Men to that of Vassals and Slaves.—But we hope this Report will prove premature, and that the Annihilation of the Liberties of a Million and a Half of loyal Subjects in North-America, will never eclipse the Reign of our Sovereign GEORGE the Third.

ANNAPOLIS, April 25.
The General Assembly of this Province is, by his Excellency in Council, Prorogued to Monday the 10th of June next.

Col. Benjamin Young, is Commissionated Clerk of St. Mary's County, in the Room of Capt. Key, Deceased.

Last Week Mr. John Brice, junior, was Commissionated Clerk of this County, in the Room of his Father, who Resign'd the Office.

[This City is not yet clear of the Small-Pox, tho' declining, it being in about 16 or 18 Families only: And the Doctors have cease'd Inoculating.]

Piscataway, April 20, 1765.
JUST Arrived in Patowmack, the Trial, Capt. Errington, with about One Hundred healthy MEN and WOMEN SERVANTS; among which are many Tradersmen, particularly Blacksmiths, Carpenters, Joiners, a Carver and Chair-maker, a Coachmaker and Wheelwright, Tailors, Shoemakers, Weavers, Gardeners, a Paper Stainer, a Tanner and Currier, and many Others; also Farmers, and such as understand Hemp and Flax. The Sale will begin at Cedar-Point, Patowmack River, on Wednesday the First Day of May, and be continued till the Saturday following. Reasonable Credit will be allowed, on giving Bond, with good Security, to
D 51/2. RUSSELL and HODGE.

The Trial is to Load in Patuxent River for Messrs. John Stewart and Campbell, Merchants in London.

S E L I M,
STANDS at Tulip-Hill this Season, and Covers Mares at Four Guineas, and Five Shillings the Groom: The Money to be paid at the Stable Door. Good Pasturage Gratis 'til the Mares refuse, and Notice given to the Owners; afterwards Five Shillings per Week for Pasturage.
(11) JOHN CLAVER.

D R I V E R,
BELONGING to the Subscriber, a proved good Horse, Three Fourths Blood, Covers this Season, as Money is scarce, for Twenty-five Shillings Currency; and those Mares that do not prove with Foal, shall be Covered next Year for Fifteen Shillings. As the Terms are so very reasonable, it is expected that those that bring Mares will at the same Time bring the Cash.
(11) ROBERT TYLER.

C H I L D E R S,
THE Horse I advertised last Year, is now in fine Order, and will Cover the ensuing Season at Four Dollars. Good Pasturage for Mares.
(11) GEORGE LEE.

Kent-Island, April 19, 1765.
AS it is published in the Philadelphia Paper, that the noted Horse DOVE, imported by Dr. Hamilton, is now Covering at Mr. Dames's, such Gentlemen on the Western Shore as incline sending Mares to him, may have them carefully brought over the Bay, sent up to the Horse, and returned at Annapolis when done with him, at Twelve Shillings and Six Pence each Mare. Particular Care shall be taken of them. Good Pasturage both at Mr. Dames's and my House.
(11) D 51/2. EMORY SUDLER.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.
BROKE out of Anne-Arundel County Jail, Richard Smith, about 5 Feet 4 Inches high, and wears his Hair; had on nothing more than an old Osnabrigs Shirt, and Cloth Breeches: He belongs to Mr. Maccliff on Elk-Ridge, where he is supposed to be.
Whoever takes up the said Runaway, and delivers him to the Subscriber, in Annapolis, shall receive the above Reward.
(11) JOSEPH GALLOWAY, Sheriff.

ROBERT PINKNEY, TAYLOR,
At JONATHAN PINKNEY'S CHURCH-STREET, ANNAPOLIS.

TAKES this Method to acquaint the Public, that he makes all Sorts of Mens' Cloaths in the newest Fashion: As also Ladies' Riding Habits in the greatest Taste. Those Gentlemen who are pleased to favour me with their Commands, may depend on having their Business as completely executed as by any of the Trade, having had Eight Years Practice as a Foreman to the most Eminent of the Business in London.

CHARLES BRYAN,
HAVING furnished himself with good Liquors, and every other Necessary, hereby gives Notice to the Public, That he has opened TAVERN in the House where Mr. Andrew Thompson lately kept Tavern, in Annapolis, where all Gentlemen Travellers, and Others, who will favour him with their Custom, may depend on the best Entertainment for Themselves and Horses.
N. B. He carries on the Shoemaker's Business, as usual.
(11) D 51/2.

COMMITTED to Anne-Arundel County Jail, on Suspicion of being a Runaway, John Stone, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, well made; had on a light Druggert Coat and Waistcoat, Buckskin Breeches, Yarn Hose, Country made Shoes, a dark Bob Wig, and coarse Castor Hat.
His Master is desir'd to pay Charges, and take him away. JOSEPH GALLOWAY, Sheriff.

RAN away from the Subscriber, a Negro Man named Jem, a likely lively young Fellow, about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, has a wild Look, and when spoke to appears surpris'd. He was formerly the Property of Mr. Robert Gordon, of the City of Annapolis, deceased, so that it is very likely he spends some Part of his Time among his Acquaintance in Town. Whoever takes up the said Fellow, and secures him, so that he may be had again, shall have Eight Dollars Reward.
(11) ROBERT TYLER.

RAN away from the Subscriber on Shrove Tuesday last, a tall, likely, strong, Country-born Negro Fellow, named Sango, aged 20 Years. He had on an old light colour'd Surtoat Coat much worn, and over that a dark striped Country Cloth Jacket, and Breeches of the same, dark colour'd Country knit Yarn Stockings, and Country made Shoes. Whoever will secure the said Fellow, if in the County, so that he may be had again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward. If out of the County, in any Jail, Forty Shillings, and if brought Home, reasonable Travelling Charges allowed.
(11) GEORGE LEE.

THERE is at the Plantation of Samuel Gray, near St. Leonard's-Creek-Town, in Calvert County, taken up as a Stray, a Dark Bay Mare, about 3 or 4 Years old, about 12 1/2 Hands high, is ham dock'd, and has a thick Mane.
The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges. D 51/2. X

THERE is in the Possession of Josiah Harper, in Frederick County, near Harper's Ferry, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Mare about 14 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder P, has a Star in her Forehead, and some Saddle Spots on her Back.
The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges. D 51/2. X

THERE is at the Plantation of Thomas Slater, living near Mr. Fielder Gault's Iron Works, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Black Mare about 13 Hands high, about 5 Years old, branded on the near Thigh I S, her near hind Foot is white, has a Star in her Forehead, and a Snip on her Nose.
The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges. D 51/2. X

THERE is at the Plantation of Joseph Goodwin, in the Barrens, on Gun-Powder-Falls, in Baltimore County, a Roan Mare, and a Colt 2 Years old that Sucks, the Mare branded L on the near Buttock, and the Colt on the near Shoulder thus I L.
The Owner may have them again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges. D 51/2. X

JOSEPH RATHELL,

WHO has Taught in the Country for Twelve Months with uncommon Success, being encouraged by several Gentlemen in Town, intends to open SCHOOL in the City of Annapolis, on the first Monday in May next, in the House formerly occupied by Mr. Lystleton, where he will Teach the following Branches, viz. READING, in which no Pains will be wanting to give Children a true Pronunciation and proper Delivery; WRITING, agreeable to an approved and familiar Method, by which he has made many Improvements in a short Time: And, ARITHMETIC, in a laconic and expeditious Manner, peculiarly adapted to fit Youth for mercantile Business. And as he is determined to confine himself to a much smaller Number of Pupils than are usually received in Schools, and to use all possible Diligence to promote their Improvement, as well in the above Branches, as in having a proper Regard to their Behaviour, he humbly hopes for the Encouragement of the Public, which, to deserve a Continuance of, shall be his constant Endeavour.

He will also attend a few young Ladies or Gentlemen at their Houses from XII to 1 o'Clock in the Forenoon, and from V to VI in the Afternoon. Those who are pleased to favour him with the Care of their Children, may depend on their being well treated in all Respects, and may be particularly informed of the Terms, &c. by enquiring at Mr. Knapp's, Watchmaker, in Town.
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JUST IMPORTED in the Ship JANE, Capt. COULSON, fr. m LONDON, and to be SOLD at my Store in BALTIMORE-TOWN,

VARIETY of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, Cheesbire and Gloucestershire Cheese, Pickles of all Kinds, &c. &c. &c. I have likewise for Sale, lately imported, a Quantity of very good Molasses in Hogheads and Tierces, Fyall and Teneriffe WINES in Quarter Casks, West-India RUM and Muscovado SUGARS in Hogheads and Barrels, fine Irish pickled and dried SALMON, to be disposed of on the most reasonable Terms, for ready Money, by
(6^r) JOHN STEVENSON.
N. B. Gold, Silver, or Paper Money, for Bills.

H E M P - S E E D,
JUST Imported from London, in the Jane, Capt. COULSON, is to be Sold at a Pistole a Bushel, Ready Money; and may be had of Mr. Benjamin Berry, at Upper-Marlborough, or of
(11) CHARLES DIOGES.

T O B E S O L D,
A LARGE SCHOONER FLAT, which will carry about 40 or 50 Hogheads of Tobacco, now lying in the Dock at Annapolis. Enquire of STEWART and RICHARDSON.
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CLISH, near ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
January 31, 1765.
To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, by the Subscriber, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of John Colvill, Gentleman; deceased, and pursuant to the said Will, on the 8th Day of May next ensuing, at the House of Mr. Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, Maryland, for Sterling Money, Bills of Exchange, or Current Money of Pennsylvania, Maryland, or Virginia, at the current Rates of Exchange,

A VERY valuable Tract of LAND called Merryland, containing 6300 Acres, being and lying in the said County of Frederick, along the lower Side of the Shenadoe Mountain, and the Banks of Patowmack River, within 12 or 13 Miles of the said Frederick-Town and Court-House, where great Trade and Business is carried on. It is very convenient for a Dutch Settlement, as many of those People live on the neighbouring Lands about it: Is well Wooded and Watered, and near to two large Iron-Works. It will be Sold all together, or in Parcels, as may best suit. A Year's Credit will be given for one Half of the Purchase Money (if desired) upon giving good Security, and paying Interest. A Plat of the said Tract will be left at the House of Mr. Charlton aforesaid, together with an authentick Copy of the Will of the said John Colvill.
THOMAS COLVILL.

N. B. The Subscriber will personally attend at Mr. Charlton's, about the Third Day of May, before the Sale, to produce the Patents and Papers necessary for the Satisfaction of any Person concern'd.
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