

June 10. It is whispered at the West End of the Town, that Two experienced naval Officers, who signalized themselves last War, have been applied to, to resign their former Posts.

June 12. Her Royal Highness the Princess Dowager of Wales embarked at Dover on Saturday Morning at Eleven o'Clock, arrived at Calis at Four o'Clock the same Day in perfect Health, and at Seven o'Clock her Royal Highness set out from thence for Brussels.

The Remonstrance from the County of Surrey will certainly be presented to his Majesty at St. James's Tomorrow.

An Evening Paper of last Night says, it is but a short Time since Lord Harcourt returned from Paris; and every Thing with that Court was supposed to be tolerably well; but it is certain that his Lordship has suddenly disappeared within these Three Days. It is given out, indeed, that it is not known whether he is gone; but a Correspondent has assured us, that he is certainly gone incog. to Paris, in consequence of an Express which arrived from thence last Thursday.

A Correspondent asserts, it is far from being fully authenticated, that the Spaniards have not availed themselves of Port-Egmont by Surprise. It is certain, that on the Publication of this important Article of Intelligence in our daily Papers, Prince Massareno immediately waited on Lord Weymouth, his Majesty's principal Secretary of State for the Southern Department, and had a long Conference with his Lordship, although it had been remarked, that Prince Massareno, before that Day, had not been seen at Lord Weymouth's Office for upwards of Three Months before this critical Affair happened; and says, that after the Conference between Lord Weymouth and Prince Massareno was over, an English Courier extraordinary was instantly dispatched to Madrid for a further Enclaircissement into this momentous Article of Intelligence. And it is imagined, that Prince Massareno is permitted to go at large upon his Parole of Honour, 'til the Messenger extraordinary shall return from the Court of Madrid.

A private Letter from Paris says, that an Account has been received there from the Island of Bourbon, that the Nabob of Audernee was at the Head of a numerous Army, and in full March for the English Settlements at Madras, in order to lay Siege to that important Place.

Saturday Mr. Alderman Trecothick was married to Miss Nancy Meredith, of Cheiter.

B O S T O N, July 30.

On Wednesday the 25th, the General Assembly of Massachusetts Bay met at Cambridge, when Governor Hutchinson, in his Speech, informed them, that it being his Majesty's express Orders, that the General Assembly should be held in the Town of Cambridge, he (the Governor) had no Power to convene them elsewhere; also, that his Majesty's Attorney and Solicitor General had declared their Opinion, that there was nothing in the Charter or Province Law, that could in the least restrain his Majesty in the Exercise of his Prerogative, to adjourn the Assembly to Cambridge, or any other Place in the Government; and that he could do Business with them in no other Place but Cambridge, so long as his Orders continued as they were; and therefore he earnestly exhorted them to recede from their former Resolution, and proceed to Business in Cambridge; and that if they still refused, they would give their Enemies an Advantage, which they would not fail to improve to their Prejudice, and would put it out of the Power of their Friends to serve them.

There was as full a Meeting of the Trade, on Tuesday last, at Faneuil-Hall, as ever was known, to take into Consideration the Reports relative to the Defection of New-York, and what Measures were necessary to be pursued for reshipping the Goods which had been stored, as being imported contrary to the Merchants Agreement.—At this Meeting a Letter was read from Four Persons in New York, viz. Isaac Low, Henry Remsen, jun. Thomas Walton, and John Harris Cruger, informing, that a Majority of the Inhabitants of New-York were for an Importation of Goods, and that many Orders have actually been forwarded; but as this Intelligence was not sufficiently authenticated, as the said Four Persons had not even declared themselves to be authorized to give this Information, either by the standing Committee or any other Body, said Letter was regarded as designed to impose upon this and the other American Colonies, and to induce them to break through the most salutary Plan of Non-importation, upon which the Security of our invaluable Rights and Privileges so much depend.—It was therefore voted unanimously, that the said Letter, in just Indignation, Abhorrence, and Detestation, be forthwith torn into Pieces, and thrown to the Winds, as unworthy of the least Notice; which Sentence was accordingly executed.

Upon a Motion made, the Question was put, Whether it is the Mind of this Body, stedfastly and religiously to adhere to the Non-importation Agreement; whereupon it was resolved, that this Body, after full Debate, cannot see any Reason, that the said Agreement should in the least Degree be abated; but on the contrary, that the Salvation of this Continent depends upon a steady and firm Adherence thereto, and that we will steadily and firmly adhere to and maintain the same, against all Opposition and every Discouragement whatever.—It was then moved, that a Letter be wrote to the standing Committee of New-York, exhorting them to use their Influence, that such Orders as may have been forwarded by their Merchants for Goods, may be demanded, and that the Non-importation Agreement be again come into by those who had violated.—There never was greater Unanimity or discovered for the general Interest of America at this Meeting, which stands adjourned to next, 3 o'Clock, p. m.

almost all those Merchants who have had Goods stored, have already given Orders for their immediately trucked to the Vessel provided for purpose.

Thursday last the House of Representatives unanimously came into a Resolution, there being upwards of Seventy Members present, to abide by their Resolu-

tion in the last Session; viz. "That it is by no Means expedient to proceed to Business, while the General Assembly is thus constrained to hold the Session out of the Town House in Bolton." And on the same Day they appointed a Committee to prepare a Message to his Honour the Lieutenant Governor, acquainting him with this Determination.

By a Vessel from St. John's, Newfoundland, we have Advice of the Arrival of his Excellency, Commodore Byron, in his Majesty's Ship Antelope, the 18th ult. in 31 Days from England; also the Hon. Lieutenant Governor Gorham, who came Passenger, and proceeded from thence to his Government of Plantatia.

August 2. Last Week arrived at Marblehead Captain Glover from Gibraltar, in Six Weeks Passage: There was at Gibraltar a Danish Fleet, consisting of Four Ships of the Line, Three Frigates, and Three Bombs; they were bound to Algier, to demand Satisfaction for some Captures and Injults on the Danish Subjects: A very large Number of English Merchant Vessels were at Gibraltar, who were obliged to wait 'til the said Fleet was supplied with Water: They had put into Cadiz, but were refused Supplies.

Extract of a Letter from Gibraltar, dated June 3.

"This Day arrived in this Bay a Fleet of Danish Men of War, to the Amount of Ten Sail, which are going to take Algier from the Algerines; for these People have made a great slaughter amongst the Danish Merchant Ships."

Another Letter from Gibraltar of the same Date mentions, Light Sail of Danish Men of War and Two Bomb Ketches arriving there, and that it was expected that the Turks will declare War with all Christian Nations except the English; for the Russians gain Ground of the Turks daily: That the Turks put to Death in April last 18000 Greeks, on Account of some of the Greeks in another Place rebelling and turning to the Russians.

ANNAPOLIS, August 23. TO THE PRINTER.

August 10, 1770.

The COMMITTEE of INSPECTION, together with a Number of the most respectable Inhabitants of Talbot County, taking into Consideration the late insidious Dejection of a prevailing Faction in New-York, from their own engagements, respecting the Non-importation of Goods from Great Britain, and from the common Cause of America, do, in order to testify and publish to the World their Detestation and Abhorrence of so selfish and base a Procedure, enter into the following Resolves:

I. Resolved, THAT the Non-importation Agreement is a Measure well calculated to prevent Luxury, to promote Industry, and to procure a Redress of American Grievances; and that a firm and steady Adherence to it will, in all Probability, produce these salutary Effects.

II. Resolved, That the partial Repeal of the American Revenue Act is rather a Banter on our Understanding, or a Trap to ensnare us, than an Argument to induce us to depart from the Non-importing Scheme.

III. Resolved, That an Acquiescence in the Act retaining the Duty on Tea, would be a tacit Acknowledgment of the Right of Parliament to tax the People of America, and would probably terminate in the absolute Slavery of these Colonies.

IV. Resolved, That to pursue and to promote the Happiness of the Community, by making our own private Interest give way to the publick Advantage, is noble and honourable, and the Duty of every Friend and Lover of his Country.

V. Resolved, That the Conduct of a prevailing Faction in New-York, who, from a low and pitiful View of their own particular Interest, have violated their Engagements to their Country, Engagements entered into with Deliberation and Unanimity, is scandalous, fordid, and infamous, as being manifestly founded in a vicious Selfishness, and tending to weaken the Union of the Colonies, to wound the publick Character of America, to dishearten its Friends, and to strengthen the Hands of a corrupt and oppressive Ministry, the Enemy that threatens to make us lick the Dust of their Feet.

VI. Resolved, That, as a Proof of our Detestation and Abhorrence of the Step lately taken by that prevailing Faction, we will renounce and break off all commercial Connexion, Correspondence, Dealings, and Intercourse, with the Province of New-York, until they shall either retract their Error, or the Act retaining the Duty on Tea be repealed.—And we do, most earnestly, invite, implore, and obtest, all the Friends of their Country and of Liberty, by all that is valuable and dear to them, to continue firm in their Adherence to the Non-importation Agreement, to break off and desist from all commercial Communication and Intercourse with the People of New-York, and to stand determined to mark all false Brethren, and particularly the wretched Authors of the present vile Defection, with Contempt and Disgrace; that they may be branded as the Betrayers of their Country, be despised of the People, and become an Hissing among the Nations!

JOHN GORDON, Chairman.

Annapolis, August 22, 1770.

JUST ARRIVED, From BRISTOL, the Snow MARY and ANNE, RICHARD FITZHERBERT, Master.

WITH a Parcel of healthy Men and Women, Convicts and indentured Servants, which will be sold reasonably, for Cash, or good Bills of Exchange.

The said Snow will sail with all convenient Speed for Cape-Fear, in North-Carolina. For Freight or Passage, apply to the said Master on board, or to THOMAS WILLIAMS, and Co.

N. B. The above Snow has excellent Accommodations for Passengers.

ALL Persons having Claims on the Estate of Mr. Samuel Middleton, late of the City of Annapolis, deceased, are desired to bring in their Accounts, legally proved, that they may be settled; and all those who are any Ways indebted to the said Deceased's Estate, are requested to make speedy Payment, to ANNE MIDDLETON, Executrix.

N. B. I keep TAVERN and FERRY-BOATS, as usual, and shall be obliged to the Public for their Encouragement. A. M.

August 23, 1770.

THOMAS HEWITT, PERUKEMAKER, ANNAPOLIS.

HAVING lately imported an Assortment of the very best Hairs, and other Materials, for carrying on his Business, takes this Method to acquaint those Gentlemen who reside in the remote Parts of the Province, where they cannot be supplied with Wigs by Post, or other convenient Opportunities, that for the readier furnishing of them, when they come to Annapolis, he has now ready made, and intends to keep constantly by him, all Sorts of Wigs, made in the newest and most approved Fashions, from the Clergymens and Counsellors full Dress Wigs; down to the common cut Bob; also French Puffs; and all other Kinds of Dress Bag Wigs, Half Dress, and Scratch Cue Wigs, &c. &c. Gentlemen that please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Wigs well made, and of the best Hair; and all his ready made Work shall be as neatly and faithfully executed, as if each had been made for his best and most particular Customer.

To be sold by Publick Vendue, on Friday the 14th of September,

A TRACT of Land lying on Deer-Creek, containing 200 Acres, whereon is erected a very fine Mill, with Two Pair of Stones, fit for Country and Merchant Business, with Two Water-Wheels, and a large Stream, never-failing; lately the Property of Samuel Asmode, and commonly known by the Name of Millford; also a large commodious House, fit for that Purpose, with a good Dwelling-House, Kitchen and Out-Houses necessary, a good Garden, and a very fine Orchard, with about One Hundred, or more Trees. One other Tract of Land, containing Two Hundred Acres, lying about Two Miles from said Mill, pleasantly situated on the great Road, leading from Bay-River to York-Town; about 40 Acres of which is cleared, and tolerable good Improvements on it. For further Particulars, apply to the Subscribers, living near said Mills. ABRAHAM WHITAKER, THOMAS BRIARLEY.

Port-Tobacco, August 17, 1770.

NEGROROSE. Just imported in the Snow Peggy, Captain William Sharp, from Africa.

A PARCEL of choice healthy SLAVES, consisting of Men, Women, and Children; One Half thereof to be sold by the Subscribers, on Monday the 27th Instant, at George-Town, on Patowmack River; and the other Half at Nottingham, on Patuxent River, on the same Day, at which Places the Sale to continue 'til all sold, for Sterling Cash, or good Bills of Exchange, payable in London, at the current Exchange to be agreed on at the Time of Sale.

(w2) BARNES & RIDGATE.

Virginia, August 13, 1770.

SLAVE. To be sold, for ready Money, to the highest Bidder, on Monday the 17th of September, at Alexandria, being Fairfax Court Day.

SEVENTEEN valuable SLAVES, consisting of Men, Women, Boys, and Girls; among the Number are Three valuable Forgemens, a Sawyer, a Collier, a Blacksmith, a Carpenter, a Miller and Baker. There will be sold, at the same Time and Place, a Tract of Land, lying on Primm's Run, near the Falls of Patowmack, containing about Four Hundred Acres, settled with Four Tenements, Two of which are well improved with Buildings: There is also a good deal of Meadow Ground on the Run, which binds on the same for Two Miles, well watered and timbered. The above Slaves, and Land, are Part of the Estate of John Ballantine, and sold to satisfy a Debt due to the Subscriber.

(w3) HECTOR ROSS.

Anne-Arundel County, August 3, 1770.

WHEREAS I find, by Experience, that it is not in my Power to discharge what Claims there are against me, and as several of my Creditors are very impatient, and others commencing Suits at Law against me, which involves me in much Trouble and Expence, I do hereby give this publick Notice to all my Creditors, that I shall petition to the next General Assembly of this Province, to release me from the Sheriff of Anne-Arundel County, whose Custody I am now in.

SAMUEL SMITH.

STRAYED or STOLEN from the Subscriber, a bright bay HORSE, four Years old, and near Fifteen Hands high, has a Star in his Forehead, and a Snip from his left Nostril to his Mouth. Five Shillings Reward will be given, if brought to JOHN CLAPHAM.

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