wearied endeavours of Governor Cerliton to

Jenkins, who left Quebec the 21st of July that the Canadians feem to be well pleated proceedings of the colonies, and he likeric they had received letters from the congres e very agreeable to them Ship broad was seen cut, wheat fix shillings feeling for ix or feven transports were loading with prof. Boston; the inhabitants were very eneight rehensive of a scarcity. Wheat bread time ing per pound. The garrifon in a poor ing , as there were not more than twenty five rede Governor Carleton has taken the greate e cannon from the forts to mount water tteries at st. John's. By the best informaath not above 5 or 600 men with him; and ad committed 3 or 400 Canadians to jalin take up arms against the colonies: the only ar there was the Gaspee brig: A transport him loaded with provisions for General Gage tons burthen. He saw a letter som a ler. he regulars at : t. John's, to his wife in Que. ein he informed her, that he had not he this fortnight past, being so busy in build g batteries to go and retake the forts from

es r from York-Town in Pennsylvania, that the s of that town had formed a pattalion of miconfifting of 500, to be ready to march on ency. I hey have 3400 able bedied men at the county. Public arms, &c are pe fast as possible.

fday lait the following was published in hrough this city:

Oyster Ponds, 27th Aug. 1776, wour of the 11th instant came duty to hang ld have failed for Haerlem, without loss d I not received the following important intelom Gen. Washington, viz.

23, 1775 .--- Yesterday I received advice from at a number of fransports have sailed on a se. dition, for fresh provisions: as they may pur. ne course, only advancing further, we think point, on Long-island, a very probable placed ing; I have therefore thought belt to give rlieft intelligence; but I do not mean to contract to that place; you sil extend your views as far as the mitchef my y extended." Thus far the intelligence, I er inform you, that the King Fisher, lat y, went up the Sound, with several smal connoitring the north fide of the island; and there followed past this place two top-fall ich I apprehend to be transports, as the gnal guns when they went through the Race, nerefore recommend it to the provincial coneep a good guard upon Queen's county, as I heir defign is to get flock from Huntington, ck, or Flushing; and as we hope to secure k upon this part of the island, we may exofton fleet will proceed further up Sound.

DAVID WOOSTER. B. LIVINGSTON, Efq; Prefident, &c.

ILADELPHÍA.

of a letter from Providence, dated August 22. forry to inform you, that the communicaeen Philadelphia and Newport is cut off... by the captain of a man of war taking our &c .--- At this place we are all in confusion: re three men of war now in fight, and the ich alarmed :---they are beating to arms .-d the men of war will not be able to but cannot come near enough for that purpose, ter-side is well fortified."

a letter from Charlestown, South-Caroling,

dated August 20, 1775.

thing here is suspended but warlike prepat is faid that there are scarce 200 men in enrolled .--- The country is unanimous .--giments of foot are every day training, and plete .-- About a week ago a small sloop own boarded a fnow from England, in Au-, and carried off between twe ve and foutnd pounds of powder, mostly belonging to She had been fent privately with thirty rewell armed, by our committee, in order to the vessel on the coast, but was disappointed, er too late, for there were forty thousand ded, with four brass field pieces, the day beoop boarded her. There were twelve fol-om Augustine to affist and defend the snow, ir people gave ten guineas for helping them te powder, and being so modest as not to nan of war was in fight, but fortunately few hours our people stayed. We spiked w's guns, and then went off triumpham, tacked by three boats full of armed men. thin a hundred and fifty yards, it being but that moment a fresh gale sprang up. brought their booty safe to Beaufort, 2 coast, about 70 miles 6. W. of this piace. rted they were purfued by the armed vefugustine; to which place, on hearing of puncil of safety dispatched sisteen artiller een grenadiers, by water, and a company vincials, to Beaufort, to assist the country efence of the acquisition. We are putting a posture of defence, and are all determined hatever troops may come here. Vefferday is hanged and burnt, for intended fe-

a letter from New-York, August 24, 1775. 12 last night, being asseep at Mr. William ofe by the battery, I was awaked by the rember of small arms, fired in very quick orly hereupon succeeded the discharge of a ch feemed to me to have been charged with of the contents of a fecond I am uncertain, third I plainly heard a large ball, which lear my chamber. Having had some previon of the order for removing the ordnance

bres, &c. from the battery, I readily gueffed the cause the firing, got up and dreffed, and removed my things the ming, the end of Albany pier. Having done this a floop at the end of Albany pier. Having done this came leiturely back to Mr. Cobham's, and here again were alarmed with the firing of two more guns. On is I wal ed down to the battery that I might see what as going on, and having reached a convenient place full view of the ship, 1 fat down on the parapet, and ferred much motion in the several parts of her, and betweed much motion in the leveral parts of her, and as not deceived in my expectation that something very rmidable was to follow; for, in a few seconds the ring began, pretty flow at first, but quickly encreased as rapid a succession as is common in a feu de joye. The uns were I velled in so accurate a manner, that most of e flot took place but a little above the parapet. One Entern pounder came directly over my body as I lay of onder the parapet, and went through and through be fouth wing of the new barracks. The whole fire of he quarter-deck fu ceeded this, and really fent a shower f small shot over, which did no other damage than co-ering me with a little dirt. I cannot omit informing ou, that two balls, one a very large one, took place in be building i left. Mr. John Abeel had his bed shot rom under him and two or three chimnies are chanaged. everal heavy shot are this morning picked up in the

Extrast of a letter from New-York, August 28, 1775. " Thursday night we expected a repetition of Wedefday night's scene; women, children and goods were All quiet at night. Friday more expectaions, and more removals, the governor returned from he country, and went in person and took in writing a particular account of the damage done; our congress fired him a guard, but he faid he had fuch confihence in the affections of his fellow citizens, that he hou, ht any further fecurity unne effary, and declined the one. He called the council that afternoon. Saeurday, people continued to remove. The governor defired a conference with our congress, committee and military officers; it was gr nted, he made a speech to them, told them it made his heart bleed to meet on the road fo many people moving from the c ty with their effects; that they had all the power of the city in their hands, begged they would use it prudently; that vio-lent measures would only widen the breach, and cause the destruction of the city; we had got the cannon in our own power, and desired we would move them no farther; that if troops should come from Boston, we would hear of it time enough to move them, but declar upon his honour, he knew of none com-

Notwithstanding the cannonading, we got off 21 good 18 pounders, with carriages, empty cartridges, rammers, sponges, &c. &c. The captain of the man of war behaved like a rascal in attacking the town in the dead of the night, when it was unprepared for defence; however the people collected on the battery and behaved well; we killed, according to Vandeput's own account, one of his men in the barge; he killed none of ours---only wounded three; one loft the calf of his leg, the other two were fightly wounded, notwith-flanding grape-shot, swive-shot, 18 and 24 pounders were fired. I am told people are moving their goods this morning."

A N N A P O L I S, September 7.

On Saturday night last we had a most violent storm from the north-east, which for several hours blew a mere hurricane, with heavy rain; the water rose three feet perpendicular above the common tide; a great quantity of the copper on the state-house was torm up, and the market-house Blown down; the damage sultained in different parts of the province, we are told, is very confiderable.

August 29, 1775. THAI the public may be satisfied that my securities are fully exonerated, I entreat you will publish the Mr. Green, inclosed receipt in your Gazette, and oblige,

Sir, Your humble fervant, JAMES CHRISTIE, jun.

To Mr. Green, printer] Annapolis.

Maryland 4th September 1775. By order of the hon. Convention for the province of Maryland, and agreeable to their resolves bearing date the 7th and 8th of August, Received from James Christie, jun. by the hands of Mr. Robert Milligan, the sum of eight hundred and thirty-three pounds six shillings and eight pence current money, which at par is equal to the sum of five hundred pounds sterling money, that being the sum the said convention resolved that the said James Christie should deposit in my hands. In witness whereof I have figured this and five other receipts for the fame, all of the fame tenor and date.

Test.

THO. HARWOOD, jun.

Treas. of Western shore. ROBERT MILLIGAN.

eus Tom. Hous E.

ENTERED.

Brig Mary, Robert Wallace, from Bristol. Snow Baltimore, James Clarke, from Bandon, Sloop John, William Chace, from Historica

CLEARED.

Ship Dulany, Thomas Jarrold, for Falmoutli. Snow Patowmack, Edward Weekes, for Dublin. Ship Duke of Leinster, Patrick North, for Cork. Ship Camden, Joseph Richardson, for London. Ship Eleanor, George Buchanan, for London. Ship Union, Robert Stonehouse, for London. **********************

Annapolis, August 31, 1775.

HE council of fafety defirous of forwarding the intention of the convention in promoting the manusacture of salt, salt-petre, gunpowder, and fire-arms, request any persons who are inclined to engage on liberal encouragement in the manufacture of firearms, or to erect a powder-mill in the neighbourheod of Baltimore-town, where it will be most beneficial, or falt, or falt-petre works, that they will fend their proposals in writing to Gabriel Duvall, clerk of the council of fafety, and they shall be attended to and speedily answered.

Chefter town, September 1, 1775.
To be rented to the highest bidder, that valuable seat of land called Holland's Lct, late the dwelling of Mr. Samuel Budd, laying near Swan creek, in Harford county, now in the tenure of Mr. Amos

THERE are between two and three hundred acres of cleared land op the ract, and a good crop of wheat will be put into the ground this scalen; sere-(a) valuable stores will be rented with the land. I have never feen this tract of land, but it is ekeemed by those who know it, to be some of the best in the province. I shall attend on the premises on the zeth day of October next, to receive applications, and enter into articles with fuch perfen as may offer the moth advantageous terms to,

THOMAS RINGGOLD.

To be fold by the subscriber in Annapolis, HREE hearty strong young country born negro fellows. Also a young country born negro wench and her ton, the wench has been brought up the house work by the subscriber, and is very complear, likewise a horse and cow; they are part of the estate of Mr. Reverdy Ghiselin, deceased, and sold to discharge his debts, and may be feen and agreed for, by

MARY GHISELIN, executix. As it is impossible in these calamitous times to collect the debts due to my deceated hunfband's essay and it will be very difficult to impost support snyfelf and family, I propose keeping a house to board general management of the support snyfelf and family. tlemen who at end courts or other public bufinels by the day; I will be careful to provide good accommodations, and shall be thankful to those who will favour me in this way. 5 "

August 30, 1775.

R AN away from the subscriber on the 28th is ft in ,
living near Queen Anne, in Prince George's county, an Engish ervan, man, by name James Holmes, about 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high, nit over 20 years old, is of a light eye, hair and complexion, his hair much trimmed has down look, with little to fay when spoken to; remarkable large legs, one of them has lately had a very bad fore, occasioned by a fever falling into it : had on and took with him, two ofnabrig there and troulers, an old pea jacket, and felt hat, have some reason to think he is trying to get on heard some thip, as he has been very inquisitive about those in Patuxent. Whoever takes up the said fervant, and delivers him to his master living as above, shall receive as a reward, 20 shillings if taken 20 miles from home, 30 shillings if 30 miles, 40 shillings if 40 miles, and 3 possible in auc of the province, besides what the law allows

N. B. All mafters of ships or other craft, are defired to guard against the above servant being taken and concealed on board their vessels by their people, as is fometimes done to the great prejudice of their master,
THOMAS BOYD.

Ha ford county, August, 1775. OMMITTED to my cuftody on fuspicion of being runaways, the two following persons, viz. Matthew Owing, a tailer, about 40 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, fwarthy complexion, black hair mixed with a little grey, and is a down looking fellow: had on when committed, a white flannel jacket with fleeves and cape to it, greafy leather breeches, good floes and yarn stockings. William Barrey, a spare fellow, about 25 years of age, dark complexion, black hair and black eyes; had on an old tagathy coat, striped gingham jacket, ferge breeches, old ship trousers, check shirt, and a sailor's cap, they both deny being servants. Their masters if any thay have, are desired to take them away, and pay charges to W 3
THOMAS MILLER, fieriff.

R AN away from the fubscriber, living in the lower part of Prince George's county, on the 12th day of July laft, a negro man, named Ireland, born in the West-Indies, about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, stender made, one of the fore teeth in his upper jaw beat out about 18 months ago, and now in the same place another one growing, on the right fide of his meck and immediately under his jaw, there is fome fears which he said was occasioned by some diffemper he had in that part, has had the small pox and a little pitted, a mild fair spoken man, not impertinent, but very drunken; had on and took away with him; an old kendal cotton jacket, one pain of petticoat trousers of rolls, one pair of old white sustain breeches, one new fairt of rolls, one old white fairt, and one Monmouth cap. Whoever secures the said negro, so that I can get him again, shall receive 20 shillings more than what is allowed by law.

All mafters of fhips, and other veffels, are forbid taking him off at their peril. JOHN BAPTIST BOSWELL.

To be fold on the premises, on Tuesday the a6th of September, agreeable to the last will of Henry Cam-den, late of Calvert county, deceased, for sterling,

er current money;
A VALUABLE tract of land, lying in Calvert A county, mear Lyon's creek, containing about 400 acres, the land lies level, suitable for corn, tobacco, or small grain; there are on said land, a good dwelling-house, 30 feet by 13, two rooms on a stoor, with two brick chimnies, three fire places compleatly finished, a kitchen, cora-hause, quarter, two 40 feet tobacco-houses, and other out-houses, with a good orchard; also a framed dwelling house 24 feet square, with a kitchen and stable square for a tavern or store, lying on the main road from Annapolis, to Lower-

Marlberough.

And on Thersday the 28th, will be sold two other trasts of land, lying in Prince George's county, within 6 miles of Nottingham, and a quarter of a mile of each other, containing 185 acres. The land is full of timber and rail fluff, very fuitable for tobacco, corn; or small grain, and remarkable for raising stock of all

All persons indebted to the estate of Henry Camden, are defired to make speedy payment, and all having claims against the estate, are desired to bring them in legally proved. w 6 JOSEPH CAMDEN, executor. N. B. The terms will be made known on the day

bottom and fider, with lockers in her Rern and 255. fides, lockers and ringbolts in her head and flern; she is built with a forecastie, and has a pine oars with fquare looms, with the following people on board, viz. Charles Fox, about 6 feet high, dark complexion, blue jacket, snuff coloured under ditto, with gray worsted stockings. George Fox, about 6 feet high, a well fet man, fair complexion, wears his own bair, has on an ofnabrig frock and trouters. Samuel Parthing, about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high; had on a check thirt very much mended, a light coloured jacket without fleeves, a par of canvals troulers, the other two names are not known. Whoever owns the above yaul, by applying to Mr. Hugh Cartwright, at Mr. Philips, on the mountains of Magotty, and paying expences, may have her again.

Annapolis, August 23, 1775. ANTED immediately, a number of hands who are acquainted in the different beanches of the manufacture of fire arms-good wages and encouragement will be given to fuch as have been used to work in any branch, according to their proficiency and industry, either by the piece or time.—As good lock-fmiths, or other near filers, will be foon handy in mas-king several parts of gun locks, que halfo I will give good encouragement.—There are many servants about the country who would be very useful in the ne-cessary bush is I am now engaging in; I should be glad to be informed of such, and wish to hire them, or purchase their times of service of their masters. or purchase their times of service of their masters. ISAAC HARRIS.

N. B. I want to hire a good file cutler.

JUSTUS SEABERT, Peruke-maker, and gentlemen and ladies hair dreffer, BEGS leave to inform those gentlemen and ladies that please to honour him with their commands, that he has taken the house formerly possessed by Mr. John Hepburn, upon Cornhil, where he carries on his faid trade in all its various branches, viz. curting of hair in the neatest manner, and making pe: uk-s; ladies hair rolls, curls, &c. after the newest taste, and in the genteelest fashion; and as he has had many years experience both at Paris and London, he doubts not but to give full fatisfaction to thofe that pleafe to employ him, and he hopes to meet with the fivour and approbation of the public, as he is determined to execute all orders in the neatest manner, upon the most reasonable terms, and with the strictest purctuals. tf

THE partnership of James Dick and Stewart being expired, all persons indibted to them, are re-Persons in lehted by open account; and who cannot conveniently pay, are defined to feitle by granting their bonds or notes for their feveral balances, füch a reasonable request, it is hoped will be complied with, that the subscribers may not be under the disagrecable necessity of making app ication to have suits brought. Confant attendance will be given at the store, by James Dick and Stewart.

The goods remaining in the late fore of James Di.k, and Stewart, will be fold on reasonable terms; wnolefale or retail by the subscribers. Also all serts of cordage manufactured at Newington repe-walk, likewise Madeira wine, by the pipe, hld. or quarter calk.

JAMES DICK.

FIFTEEN POUNDS REWARD. RAN away last night from the subscribers, living in Baltimore county, Maryland, near Mr. Robert Cumming's mile three convict servant men, viz. Thomas Akister, a Kokshireman, talks very broad, and slow spoken, about 5 feet 7 or 8 Inches high, pretty stout made, has a scar on his upper lip, and is pock-marked; took with him when he went away an old marked; took with him when he went away, an old felt hat, a small swanskin jacket with deeves, and a larger outfide ditto of brown fulled cloth, three ofnabrig fhirts, two pair of old troulers, one of roll the other ofnabrigs, and a pair of old shoes with strings.

Harper John Bumstead, an Englishman, quick spo-

ken, about g feet ir inches high, a flout boney man, of a fandy complexion, pock-marked, bread mouth, and thick lips; took with him when he went away, an old caftor hat, old furtout coat and red jacket, two thirts, one of white lines, the other of brewn, a pair of blue cloth breeches, feveral pair of old worfted fleckings, a pair of old shoes with nails in the heels, e mettle or pewter buckles.

Henry Cook, an Englifaman, about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, middling thin vifage, fmooth face; took with him when he went away, an old felt hat tarred and bound round the edge, one check and one ofnabrig shirt, a Russia linen frock much tarred, a pair of Rusia linen trousers much tarred, a pair coarse country linen ditto, and a pair of old shoes with large brass buckles. It is supposed they took with them two friped duffil blankets. It is probable they will change their cloaths, alter their names, and will forge passes, and may have gone off by water, Whoever takes up faid servants and secures them so as their masters may get them dealing that receive is taken up in this country. get them again; shall receive if taken up in this county, to thillings for each, if taken out of the county, and in the province, three pounds for each, and if out of the province, the above reward, and reasonable charges if brought home, paid by

BENJAMIN MERRYMAN,

IOHN ORRICK. THERE is at the plantation of Charles Lanidale, in Prince George's county, taken up as a firay, a dark bay horse, with a small star in his forehead, branded on the near thoulder with I W, two hind feet white, some white hairs on his near fore foet, and the root of his tail. The owner may have him again, on

proving property, and paying charges. 3 W 3 Baltimore county, August 18, 17754 To be feld at public wendue, on the noth day of No-

vember next, on the premiles THE late dwelling plantation of William Black, deceased, containing 224 acres of land with meadows, and good improvements thereon, lying within 10 miles of Baltimore-tewn; also all the fock of cattle, horfes, hogs, and fheep, houshold goods, &cc. ROBERT BLACK, executor.