

French keep almost continually firing on our People both from their Cannon and Mortars, but do little Damage. — That they had several times attempted to land, in order to attack the Island Battery; but were prevented by the Boisterousness of the Sea: However, that they intended to attack it on the 12th in the Evening. — That it was the general Opinion, that the Town could not hold out many Days longer. — That in a Day or two after our Men had taken the Grand Battery, the French sent 300 Men in Boats to retake it; but they were beat off by a Handful of our Men, and obliged to return into the Town. — That upon the Approach of the Manachetts Frigate within two Miles of the Island Battery, the French sunk and burnt several of their Ships. — And, that our People are continually firing upon the Town from the Grand Battery.

The only disagreeable Article of News we have, is, that some of our Men having imprudently strolled away from their Post, were surprized and taken by a Body of 300 Indians, and barbarously murdered after Quarter given.

NEW-YORK.

Extract from the Votes of the General Assembly of this Province, Dec. 1745, April 9, 1745.

Resolved, That there be allowed to the Government of the Manachetts Bay in New England, for and towards the Expedition undertaken by them against the French Settlements in North America, the Sum of 3000 £.

ANNAPOLIS.

We are informed by Letters of undoubted Credit, that Capt. Campbell, in the Snow Prince of Orange, bound to Maryland, with 250 Negroes, was taken some time last Summer.

That in England they expected every Post, to hear that the French had declared War against the Dutch.

The Ship which was bringing the Forces from England to Annapolis-Royal, is lost on the Berry-Head, and most of the Men perished.

The Account of Capt. Mackenzie's leaving the Maryland Fleet a few Days before he entered the Capes, as mentioned in our last, proves a Mistake: We had not that Account from the Captain, but from a Person who had been wrongly inform'd.

Two Letters signed PUBLICOLA, we have received; but they are too prolix, and the Subject has been too often handled, to find a Place in this Paper.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

**S**TOLEN or Strayed, on Friday-Night, the 24th of May last, out of the Old Fields near Annapolis, a large brown-bay Horse, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock, C D; has Shoes on behind; and is the Horse that Captain Wood rode till he sail'd for England.

Whoever brings the said Horse to the Subscriber at Annapolis, or informs where he is, so as he may be had again, shall receive a good Reward.

MARK GIBSON.

**Q**uilling-Work of all Kinds, performed at the Subscriber's Shop in Annapolis, in the best and neatest Manner, as cheap as in London; by a Person from England, brought up to the said Business.

SIMON DUFF.

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To be SOLD,

**B**Y the Subscriber, on the 28th of June next, at Upper Marlborough in Prince George's County, the following Tracts of Land; viz. One Tract called Joseph's Park, containing 310 Acres; one other Tract called The Dunghill, containing 530 Acres; also another Tract of Land called Ratsford's Island, containing 64 Acres; likewise another Tract called Knave's Ditch, lying on Rock Creek, containing 200 Acres; and one other Tract called The Widow's Mite, lying also on Rock-Creek containing 47 Acres.

The above Lands are all settled, and conveniently situated on Potomack River; with very good Improvements.

Any Persons who want to see the Titles, may apply to JAMES RUSSELL.

**R**UN away from the Subscribers, on the 29th of May last two Servant Men, one of them White, the other a Negro. The white Man had on when he went away, a blue Druggert Coat, a black Jacket, and a Pair of Osnabriggs Trowsers, and has one of his Hands wither'd. The Negro had on a Country-cloth Jacket and Breeches, and an old Felt Hat. He is about 21 Years of Age, and has a roguish Look.

Whoever secures the said Runaways, so that their Masters may have them again without further Charge, shall have some Sundrys Reward, besides what the Law allows.

John Carter, Ann's County. Jacob Carter.

Annapolis, May 24. 1745.

**T**HE Subscriber being Impowered by Robert Duncanson Esq; Surveyor-General of his Majesty's Customs, to Sell the following Tracts of Land, viz. Tavern-Hole 500 Acres, the Land 500 Acres, and two Thirds of the Fork containing 500 Acres in all, lying on Sassafras River; Provided ne. on Sassa Creek containing 300 Acres; which Lands did belong to Peregrine Brown, late of London, Merchant, deceased, and became the Right of the Crown for Money the said Brown owed.

Any Person inclining to Purchase the said Lands, or any of them, shall have any of them at a reasonable Price, in Sterling Money or Bills of Exchange, and for further Information may apply to D. DULANEY.

**T**HE Subscriber hereby informs all Gentlemen and others, who may have Occasion to pass over to Virginia, that there is a good Boat and Hands at the Post-Office at Narrows, on Potomack River; where they may depend on constant Attendance, by ROBERT DABE.

**A**T the Subscriber's Shop, at the Sign of the Top sail Sheet Block, near the Market-house in Annapolis, may be had all sorts of Blocks for Shipping, at reasonable Rates: All Gentlemen, Planters, and others, may also be supplied with suitable Blocks for Tobacco-Prizes. Likewise, at the same Place are made and sold Pumps for Shipping, and Wells, by THOMAS FLEMING.