

into foreign Countries for his Division: and as to us Flemings of Brabant, we have no other Fears about us, than that this Sovereign of ours should not, in the Heat of his *Careless* and setting of *Maidenheads*, meet with to *brutal Gallantry*, which might lead him to fit in the Kingdom of *Pluto*, on the Right-Hand of the *Marquês de Fevelon*, his *Emballador*."

London, July 29. Letters from Genoa, dated a few Days before the sailing of the *Ugge*, take Notice, that not only all the Shops were shut up, the Tradesmen being employ'd in the Defence of the Intrenchments, but that the Clergy had also formed two Battalions, one of 600, and the other of 800 men.

The King of Spain has lately made several Promotions in his Army and Fleet. In the latter, particularly, 9 captains of Frigates have been advanced to the command of men of war, and 11 Lieutenants of men of war have been made captains of frigates.

The Hessian troops which joined the Prince of Waldeck in his late March, amount to 3100 Men, exclusive of their Artillery.

The Design of the French, in making such Efforts against Fort Rover, is thought to be to keep the Troops in the Lines employ'd there, and prevent their defending other Posts, where their Assistance may be equally necessary.

All the Deserters from the French Camp before Bergen-op-Zoom agree, that Count Lowendahl would have been absolutely incapable of continuing the Siege of that Place, if the Body of Troops under the Count de St. Germain had not opportunely arrived to reinforce him.

The Allied Army is in Readiness to repass the Maese, as soon as the French shall draw off from the Neighbourhood of that River, in order to attend the Motions of M. Saxe, which probably may bring on another Action.

Private Letters assure us, that his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland watches very narrowly the Motions of the French Army, and will continually make Detachments for the Defence of Bergen op Zoom, as Count Saxe shall detach Troops for reducing that Place.

THE UNDECIDED CASE.

DICK join'd in nuptial Conjugation
With Susan, whom he long had sought:
But four Months after Cultivation,
The Fruit of Nine, Sue kindly brought.
Dick scolded: She was in a Swoon:
About their Case the Neighbours varied:
Some urg'd that Susan came too soon;
Others---that Dick too late was married.

PHILADELPHIA, October 1.

By Letters from *Antigua* there is Advice, that one of our Men of War has taken a *French Privateer* off of *Barbados* and carried her into *Antigua*: That Capt. *Burchill*, in His Majesty's Ship *Lyme*, has had an Engagement with Don *Pedro* to Windward of *Antigua*, in which the received a great deal of Damage, and Capt. *Burchill* was wounded in three different Places.

We hear from the *Capes*, that the *Snow Happy Return*, Capt. *Scott*, from *Londonderry* for this Place with Servants, ran upon the *Hen* and *Chicken* Shoal, where she beat to Pieces, and about Fifty of the People were drown'd.

ANNAPOLIS,

Last Thursday Morning died in *Queen-Anne's* County, after a long and lingering Indisposition, which he bore with great Patience and Resignation, the Honourable Col. JAMES HOLLYDAY, Naval-Officer of the Port of *Oxford*, Treasurer of the Eastern Shore, and one of his Lordship's Honourable Council. He has left the Character of a worthy Gentleman and good Christian.

Yesterday Morning dyed at his House at *West-River*, and is much lamented by all that knew him, Mr. JOHN GALLOWAY, Merchant, having left behind him the Character of a fair Dealer, and an honest Man.

Capt. *Ogle*, in the *Snow Thomas*, arrived here Yesterday. He came out from *S Shields*, in the North of *England*, the Second of *September*, with Seven Ships bound to this Province, viz. Capt. *Nathaniel Chew*, and Capt. *Sadler*, for *Patuxent*; Capt. *Page* for *Potomack*; Capt. *Gibson* for *West-River*; Capt. *Judd*, and Capt. *Brown*, for *Patuxent*, and one other Ship. He brings the agreeable News of the safe Arrival of our Fleet which sail'd from the *Capes* the 15th of *June* past.

Capt. *James Hall*, with *Palaces*, is safe arriv'd at *Philadelphia*.

Yesterday sail'd for *London*, from *London-Town*, the Ship *Bridg-Town*, Capt. *Barrett*, with 441 Hogheads of *Tobacco* on board, having been but 22 or 29 Days taking it in.

Custom House, ANNAPOLIS, Entered, since *September 30*.
Ship *Edinburgh*, James *Ruffell*, from *Boston*,
Schooner *Swallow*, William *Paris*, from *Antigua*,
Ship *Marshall*, John *Fearon*, from *London*,
Snow *Thomas*, Edward *Ogle*, from *London*,

Cleared for Departure,
Sloop *Bohemia* Batchelor, John *Smith*, for *Virginia*,
Sloop *Charming Betty*, John *Fisher*, for *Virginia*,
Sloop *Humming Bird*, John *West*, for *Virginia*,
Ship *Bridg-Town*, James *Barrett*, for *London*,
Snow *Amity*, Henry *Young*, for *Biddeford*.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

JUST Imported by the Subscriber, variety of coarse and fine *Irish* Linens, *Osnabrigs*, *Checks*, *Manchester* Wares and *Thread*s, *Broad Cloths*, *Kerseys*, *Half Thicks*, *Fizes*, *Bays*, *striped Flane's*, and *Wells* Cottons, *Nails* and *Iron Ware* of all sorts, &c. Also a quantity of fine *Salt*. All to be Sold at reasonable Rates in Wholesale or Retail.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Subscriber on open Accounts are desired to call and pay their Balances, or give Notes for the same, on or before the first Day of *January* next, to save further Trouble to

JAMES DICK.

TO BE SOLD by the Subscriber, on board his Ship the *Marshall*, lying at *London Town*,

CHOICE OLIVES in Cases, fine *Florence Oyl*, fine *Downshire Kersey*, *Table Linen*, *Osnabrigs*, *Earthen Wares*, and sundry other sorts of Goods, at reasonable Rates, for Paper Money or Sterling.

JOHN FEARON.

LOST, during the last FAIR, a Woman's Side Saddle, without any Covering, the Seat Buck-skin almost new. A Horse strayed away with it on his Back, but was taken up without it.

Whoever finds and brings it to the Subscriber, shall have Ten shillings Reward.

JAMES BARNES.

TO BE SOLD, by the Subscriber, at his Shop in *Annapolis*, TOBACCO Manufactured, by a very good Tobacconist lately arrived from *Scotland*; Cut and Dried, *Shag*, *Pig-Tail*; and *Snuff*, very little, if any thing, inferior to the best *Scotch Snuff*. Any Persons may be supplied with what Quantities they think fit, and at very reasonable Rates.

JOHN INCH.

RAN away on the 12th of this Instant, *October*, from the Subscriber of *Annapolis*, a Servant Man named *John Flack*, alias *Evans*, a short, sprightly, crafty, sly, smooth-tongued Fellow; is much given to *Liquor*, and when drunk very Impudent. He has run away, and been advertised several Times before this. Is much mark'd with *Gun-Powder*, having the representation of our first Parents sitting under a Tree, on his right Breat; four large Dots under his Right Eye; three Letters, J, O, H, N, on one Hand, and F, L, A, C, K, on the other; beside many other Marks on his Body and Arms.

Whoever takes up the said *Flack*, and brings him to the Subscriber in *Annapolis*, shall have Fifty shillings Reward.

WILLIAM TURNBULL.

ANDREW BUCHANAN, Wig-maker and Barber, keeps his Shop right over against the Sign of the *Indian King* in *Annapolis*, where any Gentlemen may be furnish'd with all sorts of Wiggs made in the best and newest Fashions: And those Gentlemen who shall be pleas'd to favour him with their Custom for Shaving, may depend on being duly attended, with good Razors, by

Their humble Servant,

ANDREW BUCHANAN.

N. B. There is likewise an Evening School kept at the same Place by the Subscriber, who Teaches Writing, and Arithmetic, from Six o'Clock 'til Nine.

JAMES BROWN.