

press queen of Hungary, the kings of Spain and Sarlinia, the duke of Modena, and the republic of Genoa, have acceded, and the ratifications thereof have been since exchanged; in conformity therunto we have thought fit hereby to command, That the same be published throughout all our dominions: And we do declare to all our loving subjects, our will and pleasure, That the said treaty of peace and friendship be observed inviolably, as well by sea as land, in all places whatsoever; strictly charging and commanding all our loving subjects to take notice hereof, and to conform themselves thereto accordingly.

Given at our court at *St. James's*, the first day of *February*, 1748 9, in the 22d year of our reign.

GOD Save the KING.

Feb. 14. We are well inform'd that the grand fire works in the green park will be play'd off on Friday the 21st of April next, and not before.

And the public may be assured, that the great uneasiness which appears almost over the whole nation, on the thoughts of Gibraltar's being to be given up to the Spaniards, is really without any manner of Foundation.

It is reported that a certain foreigner, who had a considerable hand in the direction of the fire works in the *G-n-P-k*, is gone off with about 5000 l.

We are informed, that the lords of the admiralty have given orders for 18 ships of the line to be got ready early in the spring, which 'tis said are designed to go up the Baltick.

BOSTON, April 24.

aturday last arrived here Capt. Stevens, in about 3 weeks from Louisbourg; in whom came 17 families, belonging to the two regiments there, being about 50 or 60 men, women and children.

NEW-YORK, May 1.

We just now hear, that the snow Irene, Capt. Garrison, is arrived at Sandy-hook, from London, with upwards of 100 passengers on board, of the Moravian brethren.

Friday last arrived here Capt. Barnes in 10 days from Cape-Breton; in whom is come upwards of 80 persons, men, women, and children, late belonging to the two American regiments polled there, which regiments are broke, and all the men discharged. They are daily shipping off for these parts, and the people remaining were every moment in expectation of orders for the entire evacuation of that place.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

To be SOLD by Public Vendue,

On Thursday the 20th of June ensuing, by the Subscriber, on Pocomoke River, in Accomack County in Virginia,

THE Hull of a new SNOW, Burthen about 150 Tons: She is 56 Feet and 8 Inches Keel, 22 Feet and 5 Inches main Beam, and 10 Feet 4 Inches Depth of Hold.

SARAH WISEL.

JUST IMPORTED,

And to be SOLD by the Subscribers at Lower Marlborough;

CHOICE SALT, for Sterling, Paper Currency, or Tobacco, by Wholesale at One Shilling Sterling per Bushel, and by Retail at Two Shillings and Six Pence-Currency.

THOMAS DAVISON;
SKINNER, and IRELAND.

To be SOLD by Public Vendue, by the Subscriber, living in Calvert County, on Tuesday the 30th Day of May,

THREE Plantations, lying on Patuxent River, in Calvert County.

One of which contains 440 or 450 Acres, whereon is a large Dwelling-house, Store house, Milk-house, Meat-house, Corn-house, Hen-house, Turkey and Goose house, Still house, two working Shops, a Stable, Necessary house, two Negro Quarters, three framed large new Tobacco-houses, and one old one, and a large Orchard.

One other containing about 200 Acres, with a good Dwelling-house, Kitchen, Milk house, Corn-house, and Stables: one 50 Foot Tobacco-house, a Negro Quarter, a Water Mill, and two good Orchards.

The Fencing of both which Plantations is in good Repair: The other contains about 70 or 80 Acres, and has a good Orchard.

Any Person inclinable to purchase Part, or the Whole may

NOTICE is hereby given to the Curious,
THAT at the House where *Mr. Walter Dulany* lately lived, in *Annapolis*, will be exhibited from Day to Day (the Weather being fair) for the space of a Fortnight, a Course of Experiments on the newly discovered ELECTRICAL FIRE; containing not only those that have been made and published in *Europe*, but a Number of new ones lately made in *Philadelphia*; by which several of the principal Properties of this wonderful Fire are demonstrated; *viz.*

That it is a real Element, intimately united with all other Matter, from whence it is collected by the Tube, or Sphere, and not created by the Friction.

That tho' it will fire inflammable Bodies, itself has no sensible Heat.

That it doth not, like common Matter, take up any perceptible Time in passing thro' great Portions of Space.

That Bodies replete with this Fire strongly attract such as have less of it, and repel such as have an equal Quantity.

That it will live in Water, a River not being sufficient to quench the smallest Spark of it.

That contrary to other Matter, it is more strongly attracted by slender sharp Points, than by solid blunt Bodies, &c. &c.

Among other curious Particulars, will be shewn, a Representation of the Sensitive Plant.

A small Globe revolving round a larger, as the Earth does round the Sun.

A Representation of the seven Planets, shewing a probable Cause of their keeping at a Distance.

An artificial Spider, animated by Electrical Fire, acting like a live one, and endeavouring to catch a Fly.

A Leaf of the most weighty of Metals, suspended in the Air, as is said of Mahomet's Tomb.

A Perpetual shower of Sand, which rises again as fast as it falls.

Various Representations of LIGHTNING, the Cause and Effects of which will be explained by a more probable Hypothesis than has hitherto appeared; and some useful Instructions given how to avoid the Danger of it.

The Force of the Electrical Spark; making a fair hole thro' a Quire of Paper.

Small Animals killed by it instantaneously.

Spirits kindled by Fire darting from a Lady's Eyes (without a Metaphor).

Spirits of Wine also kindled by a Spark after it has passed thro' ten Foot of Water. Also by Fire issuing out of a cold Egg.

An extinguished Candle lighted again by a Flame issuing out of cold Iron.

An Electrical Mine Sprung.

The amazing Force and Swiftmess of the Electrical Fire in passing thro' a Number of Bodies at the same Instant.

A Piece of Money drawn out of a Persons Mouth in spite of his Teeth, yet without touching it; or offering him the least Violence.

The Salute repol'd by the Ladies Fire.

Eight musical Bells rung by an electrified Phial. Also by an electrified Picture.

A Battery of eleven Guns discharged by Fire issuing out of a Mans Finger.

In order that different Companies may not interfere with, and incommode each other, Tickets will be given out for each Exhibition, expressing the Time, &c.

The Price of a Ticket, to admit a Gentleman and a Lady, Seven Shillings and six pence; a single Person Five Shillings.

The first Exhibition will be on Monday the 18th Instant if the Weather be fair, and Tickets may be had at the Dwelling House of *Mr. John Linnal*, in *Annapolis*.

Any Gentlemen proposing a new Experiment may have it try'd at a vacant Time; and the Reasons, as far as hitherto known, of every Operation, will be given at Leisure to curious Enquirers, by

Their humble Servant,
THE OPERATOR.

JUST IMPORTED,
By the Subscriber, in the Ship *Betsy*, Capt. *JAMES HALL*, from London,

A Variety of European and East India Goods; and to be sold at very reasonable Rates; for Current Money, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco lying in any Inspecting House in the Western Shore.

Imported