

By letters from Louisburg, dated the 7th instant, we are informed, that the British soldiers in garrison there were busy in preparing to leave the place, and expected to embark on board the French transports in three or four days time.

The same day Capt. Foster arrived here in ten days from Chebucta, by whom we are inform'd, that the people there are plentifully supplied with fresh provisions by the French inhabitants, and that they go on briskly in clearing the land, and preparing of frames for houses. — That governor Mascarine, and other gentlemen from Annapolis, were arrived at Chebucta; and that Capt. Rous in the Albany, and Capt. Pearse in the Boston, were gone to St. John's, to disturb the French in the settlements they are making there.

William Massarve, master of the sloop Success, is lately arrived at the port of Piscataqua from Antigua, with a considerable quantity of flour lately purchased there.

Price current in Boston, in the Time of the late Drought.

Hay 4 l per hundred; and some ask it yet.
Green Pease from 12 s. to 18 s. per peck.
String Beans from 10 s. to 15 s. the half peck.
Squashes from 7 s. to 10 s. per dozen.
Four small Turnips in the bunch for 1 s. 2 d.
Three very small Onions for 1 s.
Cucumbers from 1 s. to 1 s. 6 d. apiece.

Milk still continues 2 s. a quart, and Butter 8 s. a pound.

It is the opinion of many judicious persons, that people in the towns near Boston have made a greater profit of the fruits they brought to sell, than if the earth had yielded a full increase: So that it is no breach of charity to suppose, that while many of them fasted and prayed for rain, their hearts were going after their covetousness. It is certain, that the Drought, which was a more judgment of heaven on the land, they made an excuse and cloak to cover their abominable extortion.

ANNAPOLIS.

Last Week died the Rev. Mr. Carlisle, Rector of a Parish in Baltimore County.

Yesterday the Printer hereof deliver'd to the High Sheriff of this County, directed, On his Lordship's Service, all the *Laws made last Session, for each of the Gentlemen of his Lordship's Council, the Representatives, Provincial and County Magistrates, and for each County Court, as directed by Act of Assembly: Likewise a Copy for each Vestry in the Province, which they may have at the respective County Clerks Offices; except the Vestries of this County, who may have them, for calling or sending for, from*
Jonas Green.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBERS,

For the Benefit of the Heirs of Capt. Christopher Grindall, deceased, by Way of Public Vendue, on Friday the 22d Day of September next, at the Plantation of the said Grindall (formerly belonging to Nicholas Haile), in Baltimore County, the following Tracts of Land; viz.

Hosker's Farm, containing 160 Acres, with very good Improvements thereon, and the Crop now on the Ground; together with the Plantation Utensils, Cattle, Horses, and Hogs: Also two Negro Men, two Negro Women, and four Children.

Haile's Forest, containing 100 Acres:

Taylor's Discovery, containing 80 Acres:

Smallwood, containing 50 Acres: All lying in Baltimore County, with good Improvements on each Tract.

The next Day, the 23d of September, will be SOLD, at the House of William Rogers, in Baltimore Town,

A Sortable Parcel of European Goods, to the Amount of about 200 l. Sterling; which may be view'd, and the Invoice, at the House of James Slemaker, near Patapsco Ferry, where they now are.

All for ready Money, either Currency or Sterling; or for good Bills of Exchange; by

GEORGE ATKINSON, } Executors.
JAMES SLEMAKER, }

N. B. Three other Tracts of Land, lying at Ants-Eatam,

Stolen, or given out by Mistake, from the Subscriber's Shop in Annapolis, some Time ago, two Silver Watches: One of them is a sizeable Watch, the Maker's Name on the Inside, *Jeseph Smith, Bristol*; the Number supposed to be 205, but not certain; the Ballance work'd in a Steel Hand, fix'd in the Cock, which was Silver. The other is a large old-fashioned Watch, the Maker's Name *Jesua Cobham, Dublin*.

If any Gentleman is possessed of either of the said Watches through Mistake, they are requested to return them; or if stolen, whoever will bring them, or either of them, to the Subscriber, shall have Four Pounds Reward for the first-mentioned Watch, and Forty Shillings for the other. JOHN INCH.

To be SOLD, or LET, in Partnership or Otherwise,

A Good Brewhouse, situated in the City of Annapolis, with most Conveniencies for carrying on the Business of Brewing, Making, and Distilling; together with one or two Acres of Ground adjoining thereto. For further Particulars, enquire of PATRICK CREAGH.

LOST by the Subscriber, within a Month past, but not miss'd 'til lately, a Silver Watch, with a Silver Chain, the Maker's Name *John Clark, London*; the Number forgot. Whoever will bring the said Watch to the Subscriber, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward. PATRICK CREAGH.

Westmoreland County, Virginia, August 17, 1749.

RAN away from the subscriber, on Monday last, a Convict Servant Man named *Thomas Wincey*, a middle-sized Fellow, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, of a swarthy Complexion, has had a Piece cut out of one Side of the End of his Nose, very remarkable, which he says was done by the Kick of a Horse; he professes Farming, was imported lately in the *Litchfield*, Capt. *Johnson*, and came from *Marajone* Goal, in the County of *Kent*, in *England*: His Dress, when he went off, was a brown cloth Coat with a small Cape, a Pair of sailor's Trowsers, a brown Wig, a check'd Shirt, and dark colour'd Worsted Stockings.

The above-mentioned Servant took with him a Mulatto Slave, named *James*, a well set Fellow, 21 Years old, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, and is very apt to stutter when closely examined, having a stoppage in his Speech; he has on his Back a large white Scar: His Dress was a Dowlas Shirt, and a brown Linnen Coat and Breeches: He has been us'd to drive a Chariot for several Years.

I have been inform'd by their Confederates, since they went off, that they intend for *Pennsylvania*, and from thence to *New-England*; unless they can in their Way get a Passage in some Vessel to *Great Britain*, where the Mulatto pretends to have an Uncle, who escaped from his Master in this Colony near 20 Years ago, and is said to keep a Coffee-House in *London*.

Whoever apprehends the said Runaways, and secures them so that they may be had again, if taken in *Maryland* or *Pennsylvania*, shall have TEN POUNDS STERLING Reward, besides what the Law allows, or FIVE POUNDS for either of them; and if taken in any Government to the Northward of *Maryland* and *Pennsylvania*, the Reward shall be TWENTY POUNDS STERLING for both, or TEN POUNDS STERLING for either; which shall be paid on Demand by WM. FITZHUGH.

JUST IMPORTED,

And to be SOLD at the Sign of the Ship, in South-East Street, Annapolis, by ELIZABETH MARRIOTT, for Ready Money, or Bills of Exchange.

Bear-skins, druggets, kerseys, half thicks, Welch cotton, German serge, camblets, shallons, worsted damask, flozeutes, sterrets, callimancoes, tammies, fine tandums, Irish linnen fine and coarse, sheeving linnen, fustians, Manchester checks, linnen and cotton checks, strip'd cottons, coarse and fine callimancoes, silk and cotton handkerchiefs, women's short-cloaks, fans, cambricks fine and coarse, osnabrigs and hempen roll, thread of all sorts, sewing silk, tape and bobbin, needles and pins, callimancoe shoes, men and women's thread and worsted stockings, hoop petticoats, shoemakers thread, buttons and mohair, bindings silk and worsted, ribbons and gartering, playing cards, ink powder, paper, school books, case knives and forks, pocket knives and forks, penknives and scissars, buckles and buttons of all sorts, ivory combs, tinibles, men and women's caps, Castile