

And if any Person after *March 31, 1750*, for Discharge of any Contract or Bargain, accounts, receives, takes or pays any of the said Coins at any higher Rate, he forfeits *£. 50.*

But no Person is restrained thereby, from accounting, receiving, taking or paying those Coins to discharge any Debt, Contract or Bargain made before *March 31, 1750*, at these Rates, viz. — For any Debt made before said 31st of March, and understood to be payable in Old Tenor Bills, in such Proportion higher than the above Rates as *45* is to *65* — And for any Debt contracted before said 31st of March and understood to be payable in Middle Tenor or New Tenor Bills, in such Proportion higher than the above Rates as *113* is to *65*.

#### A N N A P O L I S.

We are inform'd, that the Gult which we had here on Tuesday last Week, was much more violent in several other Parts of the Province, particularly in *Baltimore County*; at *North Point* it tore away almost every thing in it's way, above 90 Apple Trees in one Orchard were intirely destroy'd, five Houses, (out of seven) blown down, and the Things which were in them blown into the Bay, not a Fowl left, and scarce a Timber-Tree escap'd it's almost irresistible Force; but we do not hear of any Person kill'd. A Sloop belonging to Capt. *Trover*, being then at Anchor in *Patuxco*, was turn'd bottom upwards, and her Mast stuck 8 Feet in the Mud, but the People happily sav'd: The violence of this Hurricane or Whirlwind, reach'd about half a Mile in Width, and has done vast Damage in other Places.

Yesterday Capt. *James Hall*, in the Ship *Betsy*, arrived from *London*, at *London-Town*, after a Passage of near seven Weeks. We have not yet got any of his late Papers. He brings word of the safe Arrival of Capt. *Coolidge*: No News of Capt. *Bensley*, who is supposed to be lost: Capt. *Isaac Johns* was to sail immediately after him for *South-River*, being clear'd at the Custom House before he came away; and Capt. *Biggs* (for *Patuxco*) was to sail by the 16th of *April*.

#### A D V E R T I S E M E N T S.

*Baltimore County, May 8, 1750.*

RAN away from the Subscribers, the 6th of this Instant, Two Convict Servant Men, viz. *John Strong*, a tall slender young Fellow, swarthy Complexion, black Hair; wears a worried Cap, old grey Fear-nothing Breeches and Jacket, Negro Shoes, two brown Osnabrigs Suits.

*Thomas Lightfoot*, about 30 Years of Age, a slender thin visag'd Fellow, sandy Beard, and long Head of Hair much of the same colour; wears an old blue Linnen Frock, a Damask Jacket without sleeves, an old white Shirt, old Hat, light Plush Breeches, and old shoes. He has lost the first Joint of one of his Fingers.

N. B. It is supposed they have stolen other Cloaths. Whoever takes up and secures the said Servants, so that they may be had again, shall have Forty Shillings Current Money Reward for each, besides what the Law allows, paid by us

ZACARIAH MACKUBIN,  
RICHARD MACKUBIN.

CHOICE good JELLY SOAP, by the Case, or in small Quantities, to be Sold cheap, by

GEORGE DOWNEY.

ANY Person, who wants Public Tobacco, in any of the Counties, except *Prince-George's* and *Frederick*, may be supplied, by applying to the Subscriber; who sells the Tobacco, belonging to the Honourable *Benjamin Young, Esq;*  
CHARLES CARROLL.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in *Westmoreland County*; a Servant man named *Edmund Cryer*, an Englishman, born at *Leeds* in *Yorkshire*, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, a thin Visage and pale Complexion, his Hair cut off, and his Apparel unknown. He is a Shoemaker by Trade, and carried his Tools with him: He was seen crossing the River from *Boyd's Hole* to *Maryland*, about three Days after his Elopement: He has been about Four Years in the Country, and this is the third Attempt he has made to get off.

Whoever apprehends the said Servant, so that he may be convey'd safe home, shall have Two Pistoles Reward.

#### TO BE SOLD.

PART of a good Stone-House, very fit for a Store, situated near *Bladenburg*; the same will be sold very reasonably. Any Person inclinable to purchase, by applying to the Subscriber in *Annapolis*, or at the said House, may be inform'd of the Terms of Sale.  
CATHARINE PRITCHARD.

*Charles County, April 28, 1750.*

STOLEN or Strayed out of *Mt. John Winter's* Pasture, at *Newport*, on Thursday the 26th Inst. a light Roan colour'd Horse, about 14 Hands high, 9 Years old, paces well, and very easy, has a black Mane and Tail, his hind Footlocks much gall'd with Spansels, has a hanging Mane, but some of it on the wrong Side; he has no Shoes, and his Brand unknown. He lately belong'd to Capt. *John Clark*, of *St Mary's County*.

Whoever will bring the said Horse to Capt. *Robert Chesley*, or to Mr. *William Horner*, Merchant in *Leonard's Town*, shall have Twenty Shillings of the Currency where taken: Or, if brought to Mr. *James Campbell*, Merchant, at *Newport*, Capt. *Charles Thomas* at *Nanjemoy*, or the Subscriber in *Charles County*, Forty Shillings of the Currency where taken.

DANIEL OF ST. THOMAS JENIFER.

N. B. The above Horse was bought in *Pamunky Neck*, *Charles County*.

#### FIVE PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on the 21st of *April* last, *John Maxfield*, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, lanky and well set, by Trade a Shoemaker, and understands Gardening; he bath in his Gate, has large swell'd Legs, and was born (as he says) in *Yorkshire*; but when he speaks fast, has a small Impediment in his Speech, and talks more like an *Irishman*: He has on a light-colour'd Cloth Coat, an Elk Skin Jacket, Leather Breeches, and a Flaxen Wig. Whoever secures him, so as the Subscriber may have him again, shall have Five Pistoles Reward.

DAVID ROSS.

Note, He is a sly palavering Fellow, and, if not well secur'd, will endeavour to escape.

*Cecil County, May 7, 1750.*

RAN away last Night from the Subscriber (in Company with a Servant Lad of *Dr. Bradford's*), a short Convict Fellow, about 21 Years old, named *Jacob Parrot*, born in the West of *England*, as may be perceiv'd by his speech; he has been a Footman, and is full of Talk and awkward Cringes: He took with him a greyish Kersey Jacket with Brass Buttons, a reddish Serge ditto lined with Linnen, two Pair of Osnabrigs Petticoat Trowsers, two Osnabrigs Shirts, a Dowlast ditto, old Thread Stockings, a Pair of Shoes with Brass Buckles, and a new Felt Hat: He lately wore his own short lightish brown Hair, which he sometimes curls, but perhaps may have cut it off. He pretends to be a Barber, a Sawyer, and Shoemaker, and has lately cut his left Thumb with an Axe.

*Dr. Bradford's* Lad, named *James Jones*, was born in *Ireland*, aged about 16 or 17; and took with him an old black Cloth Coat, a white Kersey ditto, a strip'd Linsey Jacket, brown Breeches, Yarn Stockings, two Holland Shirts and two Caps of the Doctor's, two Dollars, some dry'd Beef and Bacon, and some Ram; his Hair lately cut off.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, or either of them (above ten Miles from home), so as their Masters may have them again, shall have Twenty Shillings for each, more than the Law allow, paid by me,  
HUGH JONES.

*May 9, 1750.*

RAN away early this Morning, from the Ship *Friendship*, *John Sedgwick* Commander, then lying off *Annapolis*, a Sailor named *William Morgan* about 30 Years of Age, a Native of *Wales*. He is a thin spare Man of a middling Stature and brown Complexion, much pitted with the Small Pox, wears his own Hair; and I think has lost one of his Teeth out of the lower Jaw.

He took the Ship's Yaul, and brought away his Chest and Bedding, and is suppos'd to be harbour'd in some House in Town.

Whoever secures the said *Morgan* so as he may be had again, shall have Thirty Shillings, paid by *JOHN SEDGWICK*.