

the East Indies to be settled by  
and the French.  
or Satisfaction to be made to  
taken by the English during the

atters, some may possibly be ad-  
and some decided by the Sword.  
from the Hague, dated Sept. 1.  
our Advices from Paris it still  
ed, that a Chamber, from which  
Appeal, will in a very short Time  
the King to try criminal Causes;  
will sit for the first Time about the  
month. From this and some other  
very evident that the Recall of the  
a very great Distance, notwith-  
ent Prayers daily poured out by  
s speedy Return. The same Ad-  
the French Ministry appear uncon-  
ed that frequent Councils are held,  
inisters for foreign Affairs seem to  
full, but Mr. Rouille, Secretary  
Affairs of the Navy, appears not  
the Marine on a respective Foot-  
Argenson, Minister at War, has  
is Zeal to put the Land Forces in

h Majesty has published an Or-  
encouraging and improving Ma-  
nel and Iron, by which their Com-  
ted from the small Duties after the  
considerable Privileges granted to  
ther Natives or Foreigners; and  
of Iron out of the Kingdom pro-  
of Confiscation

m Berlin advise that the Leather  
tely set up near that City, im-  
nd already supplies them with Lea-  
as good, and much cheaper, than  
o bring from England. The erect-  
at City is still talked of.

from Strasbourg, that M. de Vol-  
for a Fortnight at the Black Bour-  
own, where he is visited by several  
particularly Dr. Grevall, who ad-  
n. His Niece had left him, and  
be gone to Paris. These Advices  
s to labour very hard, his Secreta-  
Person being every Day at Work.  
y make no long Stay at Strasbourg,  
at Notice has been given him, that  
rt do not desire he should advance  
Kingdom."

atter from Amsterdam, dated Sep-  
tember 4.

nothing new in relation to the Par-  
rance. The Court is still unde-  
to act. In a Word, the Clergy  
to tremble. Besides the Ministry,  
the Devotees, persuade themselves  
ire the Firmness of the Exiles; and  
er in their Hands, give themselves  
out the vain Murmurs of the Peo-  
nean Time every thing remains in  
y Families languish in Distress, war-  
liament resume its Functions, and  
auses, on the gaining of which de-  
Hopes. Since the Grand Chamber  
atoise, it is computed that upwards  
bitants have left the Capital. This  
vailable at the late Fair of St. Lau-  
the People fold so few of their  
ey did not wait for the End of the  
hem up and be gone. Every one ex-  
long will Things remain on this  
oleant Convulsion would be more ef-  
tedious and mortal Lethargy. Bu-  
y Reflections have no Consequences.  
ald differ in nothing for the French  
ary III. if they had not Magistrates  
at, courageous, and zealous for the  
We should see that infernal Monster  
g them, that detestable Fanatic,  
agger in her Hand rushed upon the  
he horrible Remembrance of it  
shudder.

ditions of the Treaty between the  
n and the Duke of Modena are dis-  
rtion as they are fulfilled. We find  
ans on their March to take Possession  
of Mirandola, Reggio, and Massa-  
Treaty, of whose true Contents we  
ant, continues equally to perplex the  
n, and the Courts of France and  
ver expected it."

ago Mr. Bryan O'Farrel, aged Se-  
arried to Mrs. Catharine Joy, aged  
their Courtship lasted fourteen Years,  
they lived together in one Room,  
om had fourteen Children and  
at Supper.

Mr. Browne's famous Arabian Mare died last  
Sunday. She took the Strangles last April at the  
Carragh, and for want of proper Application in  
Time, she pined away with the running at the  
Nose, a Distemper called the Glanders. She was  
carefully dissected, and upon a very strict Exami-  
nation, it was discovered that the whole Seat of  
her Disorder lay in her Head, all the rest of her  
noble Parts having been quite sound; wherefore it  
is recommended to the Public, to use proper  
Nose drenches in all such Cases, as soon as any  
Beast begins to run at the Nose, in order to clear  
those Parts before an Abscess is formed, whence is-  
sues a sharp Humour that corrodes the Parts and  
renders the Creature at length incurable. The last  
Matter issuing from the Mare, was vulgarly called the  
Mourning of the Chine, was found to proceed  
from the Brain. In the Dissection this Mare was  
found to differ in her Anatomy from other Mares  
more than could be imagined in any Creature of  
the same Species; and showed an extraordinary  
Perfection. The Death of this Mare is a general  
Loss to the Kingdom, as she derived her Pedigree  
and Excellence from no Country but Morocco a-  
lane, which is deemed to have the best Kind of  
Horses in the World for Racing.

A Letter from a Gentleman of the County of  
Donegall, to a Member of Parliament in the City  
of Dublin, on the dangerous Practice of drinking  
Spirituos Liquors.

S I R,

"Your known Zeal for the Interest of Religion,  
and Service of your Country, encourages me to ad-  
dress myself to you at this Time, to request you will  
use your Endeavours, and, if possible, think of some  
Scheme before the approaching Session of Parliament,  
to put a Stop to the dreadful Harack made by the  
Use of Spirituous Liquors in too many Parts of this  
Kingdom. In our Country it is come to that Pass,  
that a Constable dare not in some Districts, execute  
a Warrant. At the Fair of Drumquin, last June,  
a Justice of the Peace ordered the Constable to seize  
a Man for making a Riot, and in return for it, was  
himself insulted in a most outrageous Manner; and  
the Constable, on the Way to Omagh Gaol, was  
murdered by the Parishioners. The like happened a  
Fortnight ago, to the Constable of Maner Cun-  
ningham, near Rapbo, who for doing his Duty was  
battered his Head with Stones. At the Fair of  
Farnacary near Sligo, the Whiskey sellers fell on  
the Exciseman to murder him, to prevent which, a  
Magistrate, and another Gentleman, both of Note  
in their Country, interposed, but were so abused that  
they were left for dead on the spot, and have been  
these two Months past in a miserable Condition. I  
could mention a hundred Facts as riotous and de-  
testable as these; but these are enough to show, that  
unless something be immediately done to remove the  
Cause of these Mischiefs, there will quickly be an  
end of all Order and Government. In a Church last  
Sunday, not far from Strabane, an unhappy Man,  
under the Power of Whiskey, came staggering into  
the Congregation, and died in the midst of Divine  
Service. The Protestant Dissenters were formerly  
remarkable for Piety and Zeal for Religion; but  
since the increase of Spirituous Liquors this is vanish-  
ed. Our Manufactures also will be lost; for how  
can Industry and Drunkenness subsist together? And  
the few who would strive to earn their Bread by  
siber industry, are starved by the Drunkards, who  
consume that Grain by Spirituous Liquors, which  
would afford Plenty of Bread to the honest and di-  
ligent. Three hundred thousand Pounds have gone  
out of Ireland this Year to buy Bread, the Poor in  
this Part of the World almost starving by the Dear-  
ness of Provisions; and yet never was known more  
Drunkenness. Must not this speedy end in our  
Ruin? I need not mention the amazing Harack  
made of the Lives of our People; scarce a Day pas-  
ses, in which we do not bear some shocking Accounts.  
These are grown so familiar, that Men are not af-  
fected with them, nor is it possible to cure the com-  
mon People, unless the Temptation is removed out of  
their Way. I knew a Family of seven Protestants,  
one of them died of drinking Whiskey, the other six  
went next Day to Letterkenney to buy Whiskey for  
his Funeral; they sat down on the Hill over the  
Town to taste it, and there drank to such a Degree,  
that one of them died on the Spot. The remaining  
five went next Day for more Whiskey, to give Ho-  
nour to the Burial of their second Brother, and sat  
down to drink in the same Field, where they drank  
to such Excess, that they all lay drunk in the Field  
the whole Night after. You see, Sir, the Con-  
sequences of this pernicious Practice of drinking Spi-  
rits, of which I take the Liberty to inform you, that  
some Means may be thought of, to put a Stop to it,  
or otherwise it will end in the Destruction of many  
of his Majesty's Subjects, be a great Prejudice to all

our Manufactures, and will be attended with many  
other Evils and Dangers too obvious to mention. I  
am, Sir, yours, &c.

Bristol, Sept. 8. On Saturday last ended the  
Sessions of Oyer and Terminer, held for this City  
before the Worshipful John Clements, Esq; and  
Sir Michael Foster, Knt. Recorder, and one of  
the Justices of his Majesty's Court of Common  
Pleas, when the following Prisoners received their  
Sentences.

Richard Arnold and William Crutchard, for com-  
mitting the detestable Crime of Sodomy, Death.

William Cottle, for attempting to commit the  
like Crime, to be fined 6s. 8d. to stand on the Pil-  
lory, and to be confined in Newgate 12 Months.

Eleanor Donnavar, for stealing a Silver Watch  
and two Guineas, the Property of William Owen,  
Transportation for 7 Years.

Jane Thomas, alias Williams, for wilfully kil-  
ling her own Male Child, by throwing it into a  
Boghous, acquitted.

H A L I F A X

November 3. Last Sunday, after his Excellency  
had attended Divine Service in the Forenoon, he  
embark'd on board his Majesty's Ship Torrington,  
in order to take his Passage for England; his Ex-  
cellency was attended from the Church by the  
Hon. his Majesty's Council and sundry other  
Gentlemen, when the Company belonging to the  
Train of Artillery were drawn up in a Line on the  
Parade, with their Officers in the Front, who paid  
his Excellency the proper Compliments as he  
march'd along: The Soldiers of the Three Re-  
giments, with their proper Officers in the Front,  
were drawn up in two Lines from the Parade to  
the Water Side, from whom a so his Excellency  
receiv'd the proper Compliments. The Cannon on  
the Parade were discharg'd when his Excellency  
set off from the Shore in the Barge, as were tri-  
de on board the Torrington upon his Excellency's ar-  
rival. The whole was conducted with a great deal  
of Decency and good Order, and made a very  
handsome Appearance. And on Thursday last the  
Torrington, with his Excellency on board, set sail  
for England with a fair Wind: She was saluted by  
the Discharge of the Cannon at George's Island.

We hear that the Hon. Lieut. Col. Lawrence,  
as President of the Council, has the chief Com-  
mand of his Government, during his Excellency's  
Absence.

ANNAPOLIS.

Within a few Days past, Four Women all in one  
Neighbourhood, and not far from Town, were De-  
livered with Ten Children, two of them with Three  
each, and the others with Twins.

We have a Report, but cannot affirm it for a  
Certainty, that there has lately been a terrible Sick-  
ness among the French near Ohio, of which the  
commanding Officer, and a great many of the Men  
died, and that the rest had mutinied and left the  
Place.

[We heartily wish our Customers, a happy  
and prosperous New Year.]

Custom House, Annapolis, Enter'd since Dec. 6.  
Sloop Hopewell, Samuel White, from R. Island;  
Ship Biddelford, John Cole, from Bristol;  
Sloop Deborah, Swenam Burn, from Boston;

Cleared for Departure,  
Brig Endeavour, James Mitchell, for Ireland;  
Brig Grove, Robert Wilson, for Madeira;  
Brig Nancy, William Strachan, for Madeira;  
Sloop Tryal, Thomas Currier, for N. Carolina;  
Spow Tyger, William Thomas, for Bristol.

TO BE SOLD,

For Money, Tobacco, Indian Corn, Wheat, Pork, or  
Lumber,

A GOOD SLOOP that will  
carry near 1000 Bushels of Grain: She is  
well found with Sails, Rigging, Anchors, Cables,  
and all other Materials.

Kinsley Johns,  
William Thornton.

N. B. Time for Payment will be given, on  
Security, if required.

To be Sold by the Subscriber,

GOOD West India Rum, Ma-  
cavado Sugar, Melasses, Coffee, Sash Glass,  
12 by 10, 11 by 9, 10 by 8, 6 by 4, and Diamond  
Glass, Linseed Oil, White Lead, and sundry dry  
Goods, for Cash, Pork, Beef, Corn, Wheat, Pease,  
Oats, or Parcels of good Tobacco.

Patrick Creagh.

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Conformable to LAW,  
NOTICE is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Daniel Clary,  
at Rock Creek in Frederick County, taken up as a  
Stray, a White Mare, about 13. Hards high,  
branded on the near Shoulder I with a Stroke a-  
cross the middle of it, and on the near Buttock  
something like a lion: Blotch, has a Switch Tail,  
a hanging Mane, and high Crest.

The Owner may have her again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Ship BIDDDEFORD, Capt. JOHN COLE, from  
BRISTOL, and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at  
his Store in ANNAPOLIS,

A LARGE Assortment of Eu-  
ropean and East India GOODS, Here-  
fordshire CYDER, Gloucester CHEESE, and  
Single Refined SUGAR at 1s. 6d. per Pound;  
also very good CLARET by the Dozen, or  
larger Quantities.

John Brice.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Ship BIDDDEFORD, Capt. JOHN COLE, from  
BRISTOL, and to be Sold by the Subscriber, at  
his new Store, near the Dock, in ANNAPOLIS,

A N Assortment of European and  
East India GOODS, at very reasonable  
Rates, for Paper Money, Gold, or Bills, of Ex-  
change: He also Sells, good Barbadoes RUM, at  
4s. 6d. per Gallon, SUGAR, at 8d. per Pound,  
and Sour ORANGES, at 2s. per Dozen.

John Raitt.

LOST about 7 Weeks ago, near

the Head of Severn, a black and white  
HOUND BITCH, of the deep mouthed Sou-  
thern Kind, her Tail cut. Whoever brings the  
said Hound to the Vineyard, or to Col. Taffer, at  
Annapolis, shall have Ten Shillings Reward.

STOLEN or Strayed from Mr.

Hepburn's Plantation, near Upper Marlborough,  
about the 21st of October last, a Dark Brown Na-  
tural Pacing Gelding, about 13 Hards high, had  
a hanging Mane, and Switch Tail, between 5 and  
6 Years old, and branded on the near Shoulder and  
Buttock A. Whoever brings the said Gelding to  
Mr. Hepburn, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward.

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THERE is at the abovementioned Plantation,  
a Stray Steer, of a Red Colour, about 3  
Years old, has a white Face, a Crop and an under  
Bit off the right Ear, and an under Bit off the left  
Ear.

The Owner may have him again, on proving  
his Property, and paying the Charge of this Ad-  
vertisement.

TO BE SOLD,

THE following Tracts of Land,  
lying in Frederick County, within 12 or 14  
Miles of Frederick Town, viz.

Part of the Resurvey of Fountain Low, 300 A-  
cres, lying near Major Ogle's, whereon is some ve-  
ry good Meadow Ground.

Locust Thicket, 190 Acres, lying on Mansckeff,  
with some valuable rich Bottoms. And,  
Turkey Thicket, 400 Acres, lying on Mansckeff,  
with rich Bottoms.

The Title is indisputable; for Terms apply to  
Nathanael Wickham, jun.

Conformable to LAW,

NOTICE is hereby given, That

there is at the Plantation of Thomas Atby  
junr. in Prince George's County, taken up as a  
Stray, a small Black Horse, about three Years old,  
branded on the near Shoulder xx, he has a Star in  
his Forehead, and unbroke.

The Owner may have him again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges.

COMMITTED some Time ago

to the Subscriber, Sheriff of Baltimore Coun-  
ty, as a Runaway, one Thomas Ellis, a Welchman;  
wears his own Hair, and had on an Iron Collar:  
He says he belongs to one Thomas Day, in Kent  
County, to whom Notice was sent, but no Answer  
received.

His Master may have him again, on Application,  
paying the Fees, and Charge of the Advertisement.

William Young.