

We are assured, that by the Regulations made at the Pay-Office, under the disinterested Management of the great Person at the Head of that Department, there is a Saving to the Public of above 5000 l. a Year. A glorious Proof that the Spirit of true Patriotism is as intimately connected with Eloquence in the British as in the Roman Cicero.

We hear that ten Men of War were Yesterday put into Commission.

*Dublin, June 21.* It is reported that a Camp will be speedily formed in Dunmore-Park near Kilkenny, and that Lord Forbes is gone to mark out the Ground for that Purpose.

*Extract of a Letter from London, June 24.*

People are now very impatient for News of our Fleet's Arrival at America, and consequently of knowing its Destination, and how it is to act, is a Secret our most sharp-sighted Politicians have not as yet found out. At present all that is known, is, that the Fleet has been met with several Times steering for North-America; that the French Fleet has likewise been met with steering the same Course; so that in a few Days the two Fleets must of Necessity meet. The Event of this Meeting is at present the universal Topic; and though many various Opinions are given, and every one lends in a Word on the Occasion, yet Nobody pretends to know the Orders given to Boscawen and Moflyn, or what will be their Behaviour when that happens.

*Part of a Letter from Louisburg to Rochelle, dated May 12.*

"From Quebec we find the apparent Necessity of Reinforcements increases every Day, it being expected some important Attack will be made by the English on that Side; for which Reason, till such Force arrives, as they now hourly expect to hear of, they fear proper Supplies cannot be forwarded up the River. A Party of Indians, not long since, extended their Rout from Crown-Point as far as Quebec, having engaged several Parties of Indians in their Way to our Interest, to which, they report also, the whole Country is in general inclined by the good Conduct of our Officers on that Part of the Continent, who have naturally a happy Faculty of binding any of the Chiefs they converse with to their Service. These Indians having met with several Particulars who took some Pains to reply to and controvert them in Favour of the English, they took the Opportunity effectually to prevent their Influence over any other of their Countrymen, by dispatching them privately, in a friendly Manner; and as for some others, who contended openly in their Favour, they scalp'd and pillag'd them: It is said some of this Party ventur'd as far as the Marquis, and some within Sight of Albany. In the Relation of their Successes, these Indians dwell with Pleasure on the particular Barbarities they have exercised. Mr. De L---, a Gentleman of great Humanity, but no Soldier, though a Captain, expressing his Dislike at such Methods of treating Enemies, the Leader of a Party took the Liberty to tell him, that he could not be an Enemy to the English, Indians, or any other Nation, if he disapproved of offending them in any Degree whatever. This Answer, with many others of the like Kind, serve to convince how necessary for our Interest it is, though we shudder at the Inhumanity of these Savages, to suffer the Indians to promote our Cause by such Methods, as themselves approve, otherwise we might possibly preach up Humanity for our Enemies to the Destruction of ourselves."

*June 21.* Private Letters from Paris inform us, that the Truce of three Months, agreed upon by the English and French India Companies in October last, has since been renewed for three Months more.

Yesterday it was reported that a Master of a Ship arrived in one of the out Ports, in his Passage met with a Salletine Corsair, the Commander of which assured him, the English had nothing to fear from the Salletines, and wish'd him a good Voyage; but added, he had a Commission to intercept Vessels from Genoa or elsewhere, which belonged to the Republic.

By the Essex, Capt. Jackson, from China, there is Advice, that the English and French Governors in the East-Indies have not only prolonged the Truce, but have also agreed upon certain Terms of Peace, which they will provisionally observe, till they hear from their respective Principals, to whom they have sent their Plan of Accommodation.

Six different Packets for the Ministry have arrived since Thursday last, two of which are from Virginia.

*July 2.* Yesterday Morning the Suffex, Capt.

Wilson, with Soldiers and Military Stores, failed from the River for Nova-Scotia.

*July 5.* Private Letters from Paris acquaint us, that their two East-India-Men, the Duke of Burgundy and the Duke of Orleans, are safely arrived at Port L'Orient, the former on the 8th, the latter on the 21st of the last Month, with the Sicur Duplex on board.

It is said by some Persons, who are conversant with very great Personages and Things, that Matters have taken such a Turn on the other Side of the Water, that nothing but a War can pave the Way to our Peace and Security.

*July 5.* They write from Turkey, that a Battle has been fought in Persia between a Party of 10,000 Men in the Interest of Mahomet-Kan, and another of Azad Kan's Troops, in which the former was totally routed. This bold Competitor for the Throne of Persia is however advancing towards Ispahan, having reduced Meched, and all the Towns and Cities in his Progress, either to take up Arms, or to supply him with their Treasures. Azad Kan has assembled an Army of 70,000 Men, with which he proposes to meet his Usurper on the Plains of Ispahan. In the mean while his detached Parties, generally consisting of 12 or 15,000 Men, are mostly victorious, and greatly annoy the advanced and levelling Parties of the Enemy; in-somuch, that a few more Successes of the like Kind may possibly determine him not to wait longer the Coming, but to advance and chastise the Insolence of this Competitor, who is employing the immense Riches he has so unjustly and wickedly obtained, to gratify his equally unjust Ambition of mounting the Throne of Persia.

Last Monday arrived a Mail from France, which brings nothing new, save only that the Accomplishes of Mandrin, as a Proof of their revenging the Death of their Chief, either hang or break alive upon the Wheel, all the Revenue Officers who fall into their Hands.

It is confirmed that the French Ambassador at the Court of Turin has received Orders to return home, as has the Sardinian Ambassador to leave Paris.

Last Wednesday a great Number of Recruits set out from the Parade for Portsmouth, for the Marine-Service.

*July 7.* Some People seem inclined to believe that his Royal Highness Prince Edward will go Abroad in the Navy, if the whole Fleet should have Orders to sail.

*July 8.* It is said Advice hath been received, that the French are marching 30,000 Men towards Flanders, but with what Design is not known.

According to Letters from Castell, a Negotiation is publicly talked of there for taking 8000 Hessians into the Pay of Great-Britain.

Private Letters from Paris inform us, that the French Court has sent a Memorial to all her Ambassadors and Residents at foreign Courts, complaining of the violent Conduct and ambitious Views of the English: But, till that Memorial appears in Print, tis presumed our Court will not think it worthy of a public Answer.

*July 9.* The following is the List of our fine Fleet at Spithead:

Ships,	Commanders,	Guns,	Men.
Prince,	Ld. Anson,	90	700
St. George,	Sir Edw. Hawke,	90	700
Buckingham,	Ad. West,	74	600
Royal George,	Martin,	100	1000
Barfleur,	Ld. Harry Pawlett,	90	700
Prince George,	Rodney,	90	700
Monmouth,	Harrison,	70	480
Trident,	Hon. G. Murray,	70	480
LANCASTER,	Hon. J. Hamilton,	74	600
Culloden,	Ward,	74	600
Nassau,	Cockburn,	70	480
Orford,	Stevens,	70	520
Captain,	Catford,	70	480
Ipswich,	Tyrell,	70	520
Eagle,	Hamar,	60	400
Weymouth,	Hanway,	60	400
Kingston,	Parry,	60	400
Medway,	Dennis,	60	400
Elizabeth,	Montague,	70	480
Pr. Frederick,	Porter,	70	480
York,	Piggot,	60	400
Warwick,	Shouldam,	60	400
Colchester,	Gardiner,	50	300
Newcastle,	Lloyd,	50	300
Reynolds,	Duffe,	50	300
Portland,	Beard,	50	300
Greenwich,	Rodham,	50	300
Winchester,	Lectrafs,	50	300
Woolwich,	Parker,	50	300
Romney,	Millbank,	40	250

Ambuscade,	Rowley,	36	250
Blanford,	Watkins,	20	140
Rye,		20	140
Albany,	Sloop,	12	110
Speedwell,		12	110
Savage,		12	110
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B O S T O N, September 8.

We hear from Rhode-Island that several Persons have been taken up and tried there (12 of which are now in Providence Goal and two in Rhode-Island, among whom are two of the Fair Sex) for counterfeiting a Number of Dollars and the 16 l. Bills of that Colony, four of which were found guilty of passing them, knowing them to be such, and received the following Sentences, To have both their Ears cut off, and be branded on each of their Cheeks with the Letter R; which Sentence we hear has been executed: They confessed that the noted Sullivan was the Engraver of the Plate; that they had struck of about 50000 l. old Tenor; but spoiled 10000 l. in Signing them; 1000 l. their Currency was offered to apprehend Sullivan; but he is not yet taken.

We hear from Brantry, that on Saturday last came ashore, up the River at that Place, a very large Sea-Turtle, alive, supposed to weigh near 800 lb. It was six Feet six Inches long, three Feet and ten Inches wide, three Feet thick, and nine Feet ten Inches round.

W I L L I A M S B U R G, September 19.

By an Express from Augusta we are assured, that about the last of August, 50 Indians, supposed to be Shanneese, appeared on Green Briar River in that County, and that they killed and captivated Fifteen People, burnt Eleven Houses, and drove off 500 Head of Cattle, Horses, &c. Several of the Inhabitants fled to a small Fort, they had built in the Neighbourhood for their Security, and were there blocked up by the Enemy Four Days. As soon as Capt. Lewis, who was then on Jackson's River, about 70 Miles off, had Intelligence of it, he marched with his Company to their Relief, but the Indians were gone off Two Days before he arrived.

Last Sunday the Nancy, Montgomery, from London, arrived at Hampton, with Arms and Cloathing for the Soldiers, and a large Quantity of Cash.

His Majesty's Ship Garland, Capt. Arbuthnot, is returned from a Cruise.

Hanover, Sept. 10, 1755.

S I R,

It is with Pleasure I am able to present you with the following News, in the present indolent, tho' dangerous Condition of our Country. As others may, probably, be animated to follow a good Example; I hope you will think it worthy of a Place in your Gazette.

Your humble Servant,  
John Todd.

ON Monday last in the Afternoon, marched from Samuel Winslow's in Louisa County, near the Court-House, for Augusta, to join our Forces there, an Independent Company of Volunteers, under the Command of Capt. Joseph Fox, consisting of Thirty odd in Number, and expected more to join them, on their Way to Augusta.

They are a Company of brisk active Men, in high Spirits, fir'd with military Courage, and warmed with Resentments against the Insults and Barbarities committed by the Enemy, on the Frontier Inhabitants, &c. greatly desirous of doing something glorious for their King and Country. They were well equip'd for War; having each a Musket, and a Case of Pistols, fixed to their Belts, and Weapons fit for a close Engagement with the Enemy.

At the Request of the Company, I preached to them a military Sermon, and they discovered much of the Temper and Behaviour of Christian Soldiers, engaged in the best of Causes.

When the military Fire, which the God of Nature has put into the Breasts of Virginians, shall be kindled into a proper Flame, under those Regulations that Christianity inspires, and the Cause of Liberty and Protestantism require, at present; it is to be hoped, our Country will emerge from her Distress, occasioned by the Insults of Rome, and its inhuman Accomplishes.

*Extract of a Letter from Norfolk, dated Sept. 15.*  
I have the Pleasure to inform you, that the Inhabitants of this Borough, have raised by Subscription a considerable Sum of Money, which is to be disposed of for the Good of the present Expedition; by allowing every able-bodied Man, who

who shall enlist, in the Service, under Col. W. Bounty, over and above The good Effects of what he has experienced; several have taken the Bounty.

A N N A P O

This Day his Excellency

Monday Evening last in Town, after a long Dr. CHARLES CARROLL, 40 Years a Resident in this City, after his coming to the Practice of Physic, with that aside, he applied Schemes of Trade and Commerce, and amassed a very considerable Estate, educated in his Mother's House, of the Church of Rome, the Errors of that Church, Subject and true Protestant, was chosen to represent the House of Assembly, in Pains or Application to try and his Constitution Death. He was a Gentleman of a liberal Breeding, courteous and will be handed down to Remembrance.

From Fort-Cumberland

ult. a Boy, who was carried off in a Waggon, was wounded by two Arrows, that were lay concealed near the Will's-Creek. The same day were sent on Duty from near the same Place a Party of Indians, who carried the one of the Soldiers has and notwithstanding he was by a Tomahawk in the

We have Accounts of several Places, down the River, are supposed to have been Gust of Wind, which Evening the 17th of September, Capt. Bryce, in the Barbados, who lost both his Eyes, in the violent tempest, and was forced to Vessel and Cargo.

Monday last being JOHN BRICE, Esq; was this City, (in the room of JENINGS, Esq; removed same Day chosen Mayor of the City.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, A Snow Nancy, James Re Brig Nancy, Robert Bry

Cleared for Snow Unity, James Hol Snow Baltimore, Robert Ship Severn, Jehoshapha

To be Sold by On Thursday the 23d of October in the Afternoon Richard Burdus now Money,

GREAT Variety of FURNITURE and Bedding, Chairs and

STRAYED or Stolen Friday the 26th of September a Light Bay Horse, black List between his large Ears; he is branded D E on the near Shoulder and gallops well.

Whoever brings him receive Ten Shillings Reward.

THERE is at the Present near Mount-Cross County, taken up as a Mare, about 12 Hands near Ear, and appears to be old; but is neither broke The Owner may have Property, and paying Ch