L.H. J. but the Priest was obliged to Christen her after, that the Father of the Liber No. 47 October 29 and Howe had always lived, and died, in the Protestant Religion; and further saith not.

October 26, 1753.

Thomas Reader.

Taken before me, Robert Jenckins Henry.

Sir

As your Negro, Richard, is in a very dangerous Condition, and desires my Assistance to prepare him for his last End, I desire the Favour of your Permission for me to visit him: Sir, I shall wait your Pleasure at Mr. Mills's.

Richard Ellis.

Excuse, Sir, the Paper.

James Warrick, of Saint Mary's County, Planter, aged sixty five Years, or thereabouts, being sworn on the holy Evangelists of almighty God, deposeth and faith, That his Wife, Elizabeth Warwick, who is a Papist, told him, That Gerrard Jordon, a Protestant, was married to the Widow Mildred Mahony, who was a Papist, and that on the Day of Marriage, before the Solemnization thereof, at a Popish Chapel, in the said County, Richard Ellis, a Jesuit, or Popish Priest, who officiated there, obliged the said Jordon to swear, on a Book which he kissed, that he should renounce all Religion but the Popish Religion, and that he should bring up all his Children in that Persuation, and that although the Predecessors of the said Jordon, known to the said Warwick, were Protestants; that he understands, and believes, that the said Jordon has never been at the Church of England, or held any Communion with that Church since, and goes constantly to Mass, as other Papists do.

Protestants, bought by the Papists, are perverted by the Jesuits, and Papists, in the said County; and believes, that for the most Part, there are three Papists for one Protestant in the Neighbourhood where he lives; and that within the Distance of ten Miles, there are three Popish Chapels, wherein their Worship is publicly performed; and further saith not.

October 26, 1753.

his James I Warwick. Mark.

Taken before me, Robert Jenckins Henry.

Robert Chesley, of Saint Mary's County, Gentleman, aged about forty Years, being sworn on the holy Evangelists of almighty God, deposeth, That some Time last March, he was at a Ball, in Company with Col. Fitzhugh, and sundry Others; in Conversation some Jokes happened between some Gentlemen of the Church of Rome, and said