

plaints made against the Times, our Readers may see their Happiness in this Respect, a Respect to highly essential to the Peace, good Ordering, and Welfare of the Nation.

MAGDEBOURG, September 19.
THE Russian Fleet have again begun to bombard Colberg; and General Romanzow cannonaded the Duke of Wurtemberg in his Camp from the 4th to the 9th, but with very little Effect.

Letters from Glogau confirm the Account of the Baggage of the Russian Army having repassed the Oder; but add, that Marshal Butterlin continued with his Forces about Parchwitz, in Silesia.

Frankfort, Sept. 20. The Difficulty and Expence that attend transporting Forage from Alsace, have determined the French Court to draw no more from thence; but to oblige several of the Electors, Princes and States of the Empire, to furnish it at Twenty Sois French Money per Ration, though it costs near double that Price.

The Electorate of Mentz has been taxed at One Million Five Hundred Thousand Rations; the Palatinate at Two Millions; the Electorate of Triers at One Million Four Hundred Thousand; the Landgrave of Hesse Darmstadt at Six Hundred Thousand; some other States, Counts, &c. at One Million; by which Means it is hoped that Marshal Broglie's Army, where Forage was very scarce, will be furnished with Six Millions Five Hundred Thousand Rations.

Hamburg, Sept. 22. We have Advice from Pomerania, that Lieutenant General Werner having been informed, that a Detachment of recovered Men, with three Squadrons of Hussars, were on their March from Stettin to reinforce the Prince of Wurtemberg before Colberg, he left his Intrenchments, with the greatest Part of his Cavalry, in order to facilitate their Junction; on which Occasion there had been a smart Engagement between him and a Body of Russians near Treptow Wood, when the Regiment of Wurtemberg had been put into Disorder; that the Affair was not however of so great Consequence as to prevent the further Progress of the Armies of the Prussians, though General Werner himself, in endeavouring to rally the said Regiment, had been made Prisoner. On the other Side, Lieutenant Colonel Witgenstein, with about 100 Men, had fallen into the Hands of the Prussians.

Hague, Sept. 25. The last Letters from the Allied Army mention, that the Hereditary Prince was arrived at Warbourg, with the greatest Part of his Corps; upon which Prince Ferdinand had ordered the whole Army to march, the 17th at Midnight, in order to cross the Dymel, and operate a Diversion in Hesse. In the mean while, the Country where the French Army is at present, suffers greatly by the Exactions it is exposed to; since the Enemy, not contented with raising heavy Contributions, carries off every Thing which can be removed, leaving nothing for the Subsistence of the Inhabitants. Upon the above Motion made by Prince Ferdinand, General Freytag had taken Post at Halle.

Lisbon, Sept. 2. M. du Gue Lambert, late Commander of the Couragieux, died of his Wounds the 25th of last Month, and was attended, at his Burial, by the English and French Officers.

L O N D O N.

Sept. 19. Sunday the Purser of the Latham Indian came to the India House with Advice of the Arrival of the following Ships on Saturday Morning off Beachy-Head, viz. the Suffolk, Lewen; Valentine, Fernell; Pocock, Debuke; and Oxford, Webber, jun. from China; Onslow, Hinde; and Latham, Moffett, from Coast and Bay. The above Ships sailed for the Downs.

Monf. Lally, the French General, is on board the Onslow.

France has already lost all her Settlements in Asia; has only two small Islands more in Africa, Mauritius and Bourbon, which may be easily taken in a few Days; and Martinico, and Part of St. Domingo, in America; for Louisiana may be reckoned in our Hands, as it requires only a Detachment of 2000 Men to take Possession of that vast Country, being incapable of any Resistance.

The French Finances are exhausted, her Navy destroyed, Commerce annihilated, and Glory diminished.

By a Letter from Belleisle we are informed, that they have been so plentifully supplied with Cattle from Ireland, that they begin to breed their own Stock; that all the necessary Repairs and Regula-

tions for the Conveniency of the Inhabitants were established, and most of the old Inhabitants had taken the Oaths to the Government of Great-Britain.

When their Majesties and the Procession on Tuesday last, had advanced to that Part of Parliament-street which fronts to Westminster-bridge, the whole Cavalcade stopped for some Time, in order to view the Populace, who from the Center Arch downwards, with loud Acclamations of Joy, Hats waving in the Air, &c. perhaps exhibited as fine an Appearance as ever was seen in England.

When their Majesties turned the Corner of King-street, they seemed struck with Surprise at the splendid Appearance which the Ladies and Gentlemen made in the large Scaffold in St. Margaret's Church-yard, and turning themselves towards them in the most amiable Manner imaginable, were answered by such a universal Overflowing of Joy and dutiful Respect, as neither Tongue can utter, or Pen describe.

It is said there never was at one Time, for a Century last past, so many People in London as there was on the Coronation Day.

They write from Turkey of the 27th ult. that the Plague had broke out at Adrianople.

In a Letter from Nevis we are informed, that that Island had been very sickly, owing, as was supposed, to the Want of Hurricanes and high Winds, which they usually have once a Season; but which they have not had to any Height for some Years.

In a Letter from the same Island, we are informed, that on the 25th of July a Negro was taken up, and committed to Prison, for being concerned in a Conspiracy for firing the Town, and massacring all the Whites in the Island. The Discovery was made by the Means of a White Servant, whom they had let into Part of their Secret, and who immediately communicated the Whole to the Governot, before the Conspiracy had got any Length. The Negroes on the Island amount at least to 9000; and the Number of Whites scarcely exceeds 500.

Though the French (says a Letter from Frankfurt of the 11th) have penetrated into Hanover, and raised Contributions, it is not imagined that they will make a Conquest of the whole, because that would cost them more than they could make of the Country, which is so bare of Inhabitants, and of Subsistence, that they have been obliged to employ all the French Prisoners and Deserters to till the Ground. However, it should seem, that the poor Fellows find their account in their Occupation, for many of them, who being exchanged had been sent back to the French Army, had taken the first Opportunity to desert, and to return to it.

Letters from the Hague by Yesterday's Mail advise, that the Prince of Conde had bombarded Hamelen in such an extraordinary Manner, that without speedy Succours, it must capitulate. [The Date of these Bombardments is not mentioned.]

The Inaction of the Armies in Silesia, must necessarily appear very extraordinary: But we are well informed, say the last Advices from Germany, that the King of Prussia is entrenched in such a Manner, that were the Number of the Russians and Austrians double of what it is, they could make no Impression on him; and that all the flattering Hopes which the Court of Vienna had conceived of this Campaign, may be considered as vanished into Smoke, unless the King of Prussia's Provisions can be cut off.

Some Letters by the last Mail advise, that Colberg continued to be bombarded with great Vivacity since the Junction of the Swedish and Russian Fleets; that the Bombs had considerably damaged the Place; and that if the Prince of Wurtemberg should not receive the Reinforcement he daily expected, the Place would be forced to surrender sooner than might be expected, as the Quantity of Provisions in it is less than it is commonly supposed to be, and it is scarce possible to throw in a fresh Supply.

Without Imputation of Superstition, we hope it may be observed as something very singular, the remarkable fine Day which shone on his Majesty's Coronation, so very contrary to all Expectation, not only from the Almanack Account, but from very accurate Observation of many very knowing and judicious Persons. But what still makes it more extraordinary is, that the Weather has ever since, as well as long before, been mostly cloudy and rainy. If this very favourable and remarkable Appearance just on that Day, may not be construed into any peculiar Token of Heaven's gracious smile on our most glorious Monarch, we flatter ourselves it will be deemed at least auspicious of continued Glory and Happiness to a united, loyal and brave People, who in such infinite Numbers had thereby the more agreeable Opportunity of proclaiming, with loudest Acclamations, their Joy on so happy an Occasion, and their sincere Love for so great and glorious a King, as well as for his highly meritorious Consort.

CHARLES-TOWN (South-Carolina) October 3.
The Brigantine Constant Catharine, Andrew Rash Master, from Philadelphia, bound for Barbados, which put in here on Monday last, met with a terrible Storm or Hurricane, on the 16th ult. in Lat. 24, and Long. 56, which did not cease till the 22d, when she was driven (chiefly under bare Poles) into Lat. 31. 55, and Long. 66. During this Storm the Vessel was at four different Times laid on her Beam-Ends, and in the most imminent Danger of being lost; most of her Sails and Rigging were shattered and torn in Pieces, and Capt. Rash was obliged to throw 8 fine Carriage and 5 Swivel Guns, with all his Water, and every Thing else upon Deck, over-board, but did not lose a Man.

On the 19th Capt. Rash saw a Vessel, which he supposed to have been a Brigantine, with only her Fore-mast and Bow-sprit standing, but could not discover one Person on board.

On Thursday the 8th Instant died, at Mar's Bluff in Craven County, the Hon. Edmund Atkin, Esq; his Majesty's Superintendent of Indian Affairs in the Southern Department of North-America.


ANNAPOLIS, December 17.

By a Vessel arrived here last Week from Barbados, we have Advice, of the 28th of October, That they were there, by Orders from England, raising Ten Companies, of Fifty Men each, to join those gone from New-York, and others expected from Home, in an Expedition against Martinico.

We find in a London Print of the 25th of September, that the St. George, Capt. Walters, from this Province, was then arrived in the Downs. He sailed from our Capes the Beginning of that Month, and cannot have been more than 21 or 22 Days on his Passage. The Wilson, Captain Johnson, from Patuxent, was arrived at London the 23d of September.

On Monday Night last, which was very dark and rainy, a Man of this Town, who had too great a Liking to strong Drink, as he was going Home, fell down in the Street, where he was found Dead next Morning.

TO BE SOLD,



THE new SLOOP *Elizabeth*, now lying at Mr. Robert's Ship-Yard, with all her Apparel and Furniture, being an extraordinary fast Sailer, Launched last June, will carry upwards of Two Thousand Bushels of Grain. For further Particulars, enquire of the Subscriber in Annapolis. **ROBERT BRYCE.**

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, living near Upper-Marlborough, in Prince-George's County, on the Second Day of January next, for good Bills of Exchange,

A CHOICE Parcel of Country-born Slaves, consisting of Men, Women, Boys, and Girls, all young and healthy, chiefly between 10 and 20 Years of Age; among these Slaves there are Two Wenches about 16 or 17 Years of Age, who understand Spinning and Knitting, and a young Fellow of 20 Years of Age, a good Plowman and Cartman.

The Sale to be on a Plantation near Mr. William Beall's.

As the Subscriber will have Occasion to remit the Bills by the Sailing of the forward Ship, Time for Payment will be given to the Purchasers, 'til the Tenth of June next; after which Time, in Case of Failure, Interest will be expected, and Security, if required.

WILLIAM PARKER.

THERE is at the Plantation of Samuel Corrick, at Tom's-Creek in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Mare, with a small Star in her Forehead; but has not any perceivable Brand.

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

FOUND,

FOUND, in one of the Streets and left at the Printing-Office LANCETS. The Owner may have the Charge of this Advertisement Acknowledgment to the Finder.

THERE is at the Plantation of in Baltimore County, taken on the near Shoulder I H, has found on his Back, is shod before, paces on an old Bell tied with a Rope. A Bay Horse 3 Years old, about high, branded on the near Shoulder on the near Buttock something like the U and I join'd together. The Owner or Owners may have on proving Property, and paying Charges.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC V

Saturday the Second Day of January Gaffaway's House in ANNAPOLIS, ABOUT 800 Acres of Land lying or 5 Miles of Annapolis, made Tracts adjoining to each other, purchased by Mr. Woodward of his Sisters Mrs. Woodward, and of the late Col. T. of which Land is the late Governor's yard, about 20 Acres of very good land, a very large young Apple Orchard, many of the Trees being E. a very good Stone Dwelling House, and other curious as well as valuable.

Alfo, The Rent and Reversion on a Years, renewable forever, of the Ground Mr. James Chalmers's Dwelling House. The yearly Rent is 5 l. Sterling, Rent payable on Renewments.

ALL Persons who have Claims of Estate of Mr. Henry Woodward are desired to bring them in: And all debts, are requested to make Payment.

MARY WOODWARD.

Middlesex County, Urbanna, Nov

RAN away from the Subscriber, burg, the 14th of October last, a young Negro Fellow named *Abram* 10 years old, 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, brown Colour, his Father being a Mulatto on a new Kersey Coat and Waistcoat Buttons and red Mohair Button Hole new Buckskin Breeches, and has with him a new Bearskin Great Coat, an Indian Boots of the same Stuff. He wears a genteel Grey Mare, about 14½ Hands a bob Tail, shod round, and branded Buttock something like an Oval, with in it and part out. Whoever takes him the Mare, and sends him to me, at Urbanna, have Five Pounds Reward; and if taken the Colony, Ten Pounds.

RALPH WOODWARD.

STOLEN from Piscataway Town, of November last, a likely Bay Mare Saddle; the Mare is about 13½ Hands ed on the near Buttock thus R 2, has dle Spots, with one white Spot on the and paces naturally. She is supposed by one William Thomas, who has la Soldier, he is a small Fellow, wears a and red Jacket, but may change his L Whoever brings the said Mare and the Subscriber, living near Piscataway Two Pistoles for the Mare, and Half the Saddle, paid by

SAMUEL MIDDLETON M

RAN away from the Subscriber County, on the 20th of November Country born yellow Mulatto Fellow by Trade a Ship-Carpenter, a squat Fellow, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, his fore Teeth out. Had on when he a blue Duffel Great Coat, a blue Brocade and a blue Duffel Jacket, a Pair of w colour'd Breeches, a strip'd Linen Shirt Shoes and Stockings, and a new Felt Hat many other Cloaths, which it is supposed to be his.

Whoever takes up the said Fellow, him to Mr. James Campbell in Charles shall be paid a Pistole, if taken in the if in Prince-George's, Two Pistoles; or in Annapolis, Three Pistoles, beside what the and all reasonable Charges to be paid James Campbell, or the Subscriber.

JOHN CAMPBELL.