

LONDON, Oct. 22—23.

Convoy Duty.

Wednesday the following communication from the right Honorable the Chancellor of the Exchequer, was made to the Chairman of the Merchants Committee, on the subject of the convoy duty. The Attorney and Solicitor General are of opinion, that the Acts of 38 George III. Chap. 71, must be considered no longer in force; but as having expired on the signing of the Preliminaries of peace with the French Republic. The convoy duty will consequently no longer be demanded."

Letters received by the last mail from Lisbon state, that a contagious fever, attended with the same symptoms as that which proved so destructive at Cadiz about a year ago, had broken out at Medina Sidonia, about 20 miles S. E. of that city, and carried off from fifteen to twenty of the inhabitants daily. The Spanish Government, however, has taken the most prompt and efficacious means of checking its farther progress, by drawing a cordon of troops round the town of Medina, to prevent all communications with the other parts of the kingdom, and by ordering the immediate employment of the disinfected process so successfully practised in this country by M. Cruikshank, of Woolwich, and in France, by the celebrated Guyton de Morveau.

Wednesday several of our swiftest sailing vessels were dispatched from Portsmouth for the East and West Indies, the Mediterranean, Newfoundland, and the coast of Guinea, with official intelligence to the respective Governors and Commanders in Chief in those parts, of the signing of the Preliminaries of Peace. This measure, which appears to have been postponed for the purpose of enabling government to form a certain opinion with respect to the final restoration of tranquility, may be considered as a satisfactory proof that Ministers entertain no apprehensions of any obstacles arising to prevent the conclusion of the Definitive Treaty.

The Moniteur announces that France is reducing her marine. The crews of the ships of war are to be reduced to the peace establishment, and "the advanced guard," the light flotilla, destined to form a diversion in the invasion of England, from Boulogne and Dunkirk, is disarming.

Accounts from Copenhagen (Oct. 3) informs us, that Major-General De Wallensdorff, and Major Socbocker, were to sail immediately on board the Iris frigate, as De-

puties of the Danish Government, to take the necessary measures for regaining possession of the Danish Islands in the West-Indies.

Hamburg already begins to tremble for its commerce, which having been carried to such a height by the war, is likely to cease with its cause. During the period of the late contest, Hamburg has been the general intercourse between the North and the South: but Antwerp, much better situated, more commodious, and offering superior advantages, will soon dry up the source of this temporary wealth, and by attracting the traders, so long strangers to its ports, resume itself the pre-eminence which it formerly held, when it was the centre of the vast commerce between the Mediterranean and the Baltic.

J. RYAN,

HAS FOR SALE,

At his Printing-Office in Prince-William Street, the following Collection of BOOKS—*Viz.*

BAILEY's Dictionary, Perry's do. Walker's Geography, Hamilton's Arithmetic, Burn's Grammar, German Miscellany, Cardiphonia, or the Utterance of the Heart, 2 vols. Francomania, Jones's English System of Book-keeping, Millot's Ancient History, 2 vols. Cook's Voyages, 4 vols. with plates, Gilford's History of France from the earliest times till the death of Louis xvi. 4 vols. with plates, Nisi Prius, History of Tom Jones, 3 vols. Adventurer, 4 vols. Lounger, 3 vols. Rambler, 4 vols. Mystic Cottage, Rural Walks, Haunted Cavern, Nature and Art, Evelina, 2 vols. Moore's Journal, 2 vols. Picture of Italy, Life of Christ, with plates, Pleasure and Health, Valuable Secrets, Count Roderic's Castle, Trader's Assistant, Charlotte's Letters, Golden Treasury, Sacred Extracts, ditto Poems, Literary Miscellany, Anthony Ledgers 3 vols. Triumphs of Temper, Farmer's Letters, M'Ewen's Essays, Franklin's Works, Odiorno's Poems, Brown's Oration, White's Sermons, Fiske's ditto, M'Clures' ditto, Gospel of Nature, Watts on the Passions, Grey Cap, Ben-nitt's Strictures on Female Education, Boyle's Voyages, Hawkin's ditto, D'Arcy, a novel, Philosophical Dictionary, Rise and Progress, Spiritual Letters, Catechism of Health, Citizen of the World, Socrates out of his Seniles, Smith's Geography, Benjamin's Country Builder's Assistant, Poor Man's Help and Young Man's Guide, Art of Fariery, with plates, History of Philip Waldegrave, 2 vols. Polite Songster, New Lively Songster, Musical Banquet, and London Musical Museum.

CHILDREN'S BOOKS.

Children's Monitor, Noble Slaves, Pope's Essay on Man, Divine Songs, Farmer's Daughter, Universal Dream Dictionary, History of Fair Rosamond and Jane Shore, An account of the Pelaw Islands, Seven Sermons, Academy of Compliments, Seven Wise Masters and Mistresses of Rome, An Essay on the Church, Hieroglyphical Bible, A Journey to Jerusalem, Youth's Assistant, Christian Hymns and Spiritual Songs, A token for Children, Pamela, or virtue rewarded, Death of Cain, Death of Abel, Economy of Human Life, Mrs. Barbauld's Lessons, Child's own Battledore, Church Catechism, Life of Joseph, Devout Exercise of the Heart, Treaties upon the Covenant of Grace, Baron Trenck, History of North America, do. of South America, &c.

SCHOOL BOOKS.

Bibles, Testaments, Spelling Books and Dilworth's Assistant—with an assortment of Prints.

Lost or Stolen,

A Birch Built keel Boat, 16 Feet.—Whoever will return her, to either of the Subscribers, will be handsomely rewarded.

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THOMAS JENNINGS.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY

THOMAS CARLETON, Esq.
LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR
and COMMANDER IN CHIEF
of the Province of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.

THOMAS CARLETON.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of this Province stands prorogued to the second Tuesday of this instant, November; I have therefore thought fit, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Council, further to prorogue the said General Assembly, and the same is hereby prorogued to the Fourth Tuesday in January next ensuing, then to meet at Fredericton, for the dispatch of Business.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Fredericton, the Second day of November, in the Year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and One, and in the Forty-Second Year of His Majesty's Reign.

By His Excellency's Command,
JON. ODELL.

JUST RECEIVED,

From Dr. CHURCH's Dispensary,
And for Sale at JOHN RYAN's
Printing-Office,

A small Supply of Dr. Church's

COUGH DROPS,

(Price ONE DOLLAR.)

A Medicine unequalled by any in the world, for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Consumptions, &c.—A small bottle is sufficient to prove its virtue, and will be found a sovereign remedy in recent cases.—Also his PECTORAL PILLS, which are eminently useful when taken with the COUGH DROPS, for shortness of breath, &c. in Asthmatic and Consumptive cases, giving almost instant relief.—Price 2/6 per Box.

CORDIAL RESTORATIVE
BALSAM,

For nervous Disorders, Debility, Inward Weaknesses, &c.—Price one Dollar and a Half each Bottle.

ANTISCORBUTIC TINCTURE
For the Teeth, Breath, and Scurvy in the Gums, and the Tooth-Ache.—Price one Dollar each bottle.

ANTIBILIOUS PILLS,

For the cure of Bilious Fevers, &c. and all disorders of the Head, Stomach and Bowels.—Price 2/6 each box.

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For all diseases of the Eyes.—Price 2/6 each Box.

INFALLIBLE GERMAN CORN
PLASTER,

For the Cure of Corns.—Price 2/6.

VOLATILE TINCTURE.

An immediate Cure for the TOOTH

ACHE.—Price 2s. each Bottle.

CONCENTRATED ESSENCE OF
SCURVY-GRASS,

For the cure of Sea and Land Scurvy.—Price one Dollar each bottle.

VERMIFUGE LOZENGES

For destroying Worms in children and grown persons.—Price 2/6 each Box.

JUST RECEIVED,

(From Wm. Cobbett, London)

AND FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE,
A few copies of the

LETTERS OF SULPICIUS,

ON THE
NORTHERN CONFEDERACY.

WITH AN APPENDIX,
Containing the TREATY OF ARMED

NEUTRALITY,
Together with other Documents relative to the Subject.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any demands against the Estate of JOHN LEONARD, late of Queen's county, deceased, are requested to present the same duly attested, within Twelve Months from this date; And those indebted to the said Estate are desired to make immediate payment to

THOMAS LEONARD,
Administrator.

QUEEN'S COUNTY, New-Brunswick,
17th October, 1801.

Assize of Bread,

PUBLISHED December 22d, 1801.

The Sixpenny Wheaten Loaf 7 lbs. oz.
to weigh - - - - - 1 15 7
Ditto Rye - - - - - 2 10

And other Loaves in proportion,
WILLIAM CAMPBELL, Mayor

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any demands against the Estate of JOSHUA KNIGHT, late of Pennfield, in the County of Charlotte, deceased, are desired to render in their accounts: And those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to
JOSHUA KNIGHT,
Executor.
Pennfield, Dec. 1st, 1801.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of ABRAHAM VANDERBEAK, late of Fredericton, in the County of York, deceased, are desired to make immediate payment—and all persons having demands against the said Estate, to exhibit the same to
HANNAH VANDERBEAK,
Administatrix,
JOHN MURRAY BLISS,
Administrator.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any Legal demands against the Estate of LEWIS DEALERS of the City of Saint John, Merchant deceased, are requested to present them properly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof, to either of the Subscribers—And all those indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to
THOMAS LAWTON
OR
WILLIAM WHITLOCK,
Administrators to said Estate.
St. John, December 8th, 1801.

Corporation Lots.

TO be leased at Public Auction, on Thursday the 7th day of January next, at the hour of eleven o'clock at the City-Hall, those certain Lots situate in the Market Slip known by the No's. 10 and 11, on the North side; and No. 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17, on the South side of the same Slip. The plan and conditions of sale to be seen by applying to

THOS. JENNINGS, } Committee.
PETER BLAIR, }
St. John, 15th Dec. 1801.

Wanted Immediately,

IN the capacity of Lady's Maid, to a single Gentlewoman—A YOUNG WOMAN OF SUITABLE CHARACTER—To such a person the most LIBERAL wages will be given.
Inquire of the Printer.
December 19th, 1801.

CHRISTOPHER WATSON
AND SON,

BEG leave most respectfully to inform their Friends and the Public in general, that they intend driving two STAGES during the winter season, between this City and Fredericton, one of which will constantly set off every Monday and Thursday morning from this City, and the other on the same days from Fredericton—They will put up at Mrs. VANDERBEAK'S, Fredericton, and at their own House in this City—The fare, &c. will be as formerly. They embrace this opportunity to assure their Friends and those who may favor them with their commands, that they will use the greatest speed possible; pay every attention to passengers, will take the utmost care of whatever Packages may be intrusted to them and faithfully and punctually deliver them.

St. John, Dec. 12, 1801.

Bills of Exchange

ON the Right Honorable and Honorable Board of Ordnance and the Paymasters of the Royal Artillery, to the amount of £300 Sterling—To be disposed of at the Office of Ordnance.
St. John, Dec. 22d, 1801.