

Diligence and influence over the Indians does prevent it, we'll be at Loggerheads with them in a few Days."

*Extract of a Letter from Niagara, August 2.*

"We are here, attending the Congress Day after Day, with about 1300 Indians of different Nations, some of whom have come 600 Miles. They have concluded a peace with Sir William Johnson, except the Delawares and Shawanase, whom we have, near a month, waited for, as they are to bring their Prisoners, in order to be delivered up. We expect to set off for Detroit in a few days, having every thing ready for that Purpose."

Another Account of Indian Affairs.

Our Advices from Above, relating to Sir WILLIAM JOHNSTON, his Expedition to Niagara, are of several dates, equally of good Authority: They affirm, That there are upwards of 2000 Indians of different Tribes attending the Treaty, some to join and proceed with the Army, some with Peltry expecting Trade to be opened, and others to treat of Peace, some of whom it is said came the Distance of 600 Miles; That Sir WILLIAM having made Peace with all the Nations of Indians that were there, on the 6th of August left Niagara, and on the 7th returned safe to FORT ONTARIO. That by this Peace the Delawares are to give up two of their principal People, for the Performance of which three Seneca Chiefs are now Hostages at Fort Ontario. And,—That Col Bradstreet, with his Army, left Niagara the 6th of August, on his Way to Detroit.



NEWBERN, Sept. 14.

On Wednesday last, a Person came to this Town from the Northward, who appeared in the Character of a Recruiting Officer, and said he belonged to the 17th Regiment, and was going to the Governor with Dispatches; but in the Virginia Gazette, of the 24th of August, an Advertisement appears, dated the 9th of August from Philadelphia, wherein one Michael Isaac, alias Michael Isaac Jones, is said to have defrauded one John Bullman of 56 Dozen of Stockings, and also cheated others, and was absconded, and a Reward of Ten Pounds offered to apprehend him; also in said Gazette, another Advertisement appears, wherein a Person exactly answering the Description there given of said Jones, is said to have been at Williamsburg, and defrauded several Persons there, and

was absconded: As the Person above mentioned exactly answers the Description of said Jones, and has refused to shew any Public Packets or Letters with which he pretended to be charged, or to give any satisfactory Account of himself, he has been apprehended and committed to the Goal of this County, where he now lies.

We hear from Halifax, that at the Superior Court there now sitting, no less than Sixteen Criminals are in that Goal, to take their Tryals this Court, mostly for Horsestealing; seven or eight of them had been tryed when our Account came away, and had been convicted, and 'twas supposed the rest would be found guilty. Tis said Horsestealing is become such a Practice in the back Parts of the Province, that it is with Difficulty a Person can keep a good Horse.

At a Common-Council held at the Court-house in Newbern, the Third Day of September, in the Fourth Year of the Reign of his Majesty GEORGE the Third, King of Great Britain, &c. and in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Four, before the Worshipful THOMAS HASLEN, Esq; Mayor of the said Borough, RICHARD FENNER, Esq; Recorder, SAMUEL CORNELL, RICHARD COGDELL, JOHN CLITHERALL, and THOMAS SITGREAVES, Esquires, Aldermen, and the major Part of the Common-Council of the said Borough, being then and there present.

*An ACT, for Establishing Markets in the Borough of Newbern, and for regulating the same.*

WHEREAS divers Inconveniencies do daily happen, as well to the Inhabitants of the said Borough, as to the Country People who bring Provisions to sell therein, for want of a settled known Place for the vending and buying thereof; in as much as they who bring Provisions to the said Town, are generally obliged to hawk the same about in order to look for a Purchaser, whilst many of the said Inhabitants are distressed for want thereof: And whereas his Majesty GEORGE II, of happy Memory, late King of Great Britain, and so forth, did, by his Royal CHARTER of Incorporation, bearing Date the Thirty First Day of May, in the Thirty Third Year of his Reign, amongst other Things, grant unto the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common Council of the said Borough, full Power and Authority to hold Two Markets Weekly within the said Borough, viz. on every Wednesday and every Saturday.

Therefore,