

Domestic Intelligence.

KINGSTON, (Jamaica) July 26.

THIS morning, between two and three o'clock, a large hulk, in the service of government, lying off Greenwich, which contained near *two thousand* barrels of gun powder, took fire, and blew up with a most terrible explosion. It seems that there were only a white man and two negroes on board, and that this alarming accident was occasioned by the carelessness of the latter, who left a fire in the cabin when they went to sleep. A little after midnight the white man awoke and found the vessel on fire; he instantly called the negroes to assist him in quenching the flames; but they suddenly jumped into the *only* boat along side, and left him and the vessel to their fate. In this dreadful dilemma the poor man got over the bow of the hulk and supported himself by the cable until the explosion took place, when he was thrown several yards into the air, and descended into the sea, without receiving the smallest hurt, except being slightly scorched; after swimming some little time, he providentially met with a canoe and got safe on shore. The concussion was so exceedingly violent, as to burst open many doors and windows in this town, and, we are told, the road to Greenwich is strewn with fragments of the shattered vessel. The substance of the above relation was taken from the man's mouth who escaped.

BOSTON, July 24.

Extract of a letter from Philadelphia, dated July 12.

"We are in momentary expectation of receiving the recommendation of Congress, to our legislature, respecting the appointment of ten electors to meet for the purpose of making choice of President, &c. No other persons are talked of among the knowing ones to execute the new government, than the great American Fabius, and his Excellency Governor Hancock. The former will undoubtedly be President-General—and as the latter will have the next highest number of votes, he will unquestionably be Vice-President. Mr. Adams will undoubtedly be Chief Justice of the Federal Judiciary. At the southward, the same sentiments prevail.

NEWPORT, (Rode-Island) July 17.

By the Dutch papers, brought in the late vessels from Amsterdam, it appears that the Prince of Orange and the aristocratic party, have effected a complete victory over the ancient constitution of that once free republic.

Star after star went out—and all is night.

So that while the goddess of liberty beholds on this side the Atlantic a splendid temple, dedicated to her name,

rise and flourish; on the other side she beholds an ancient one razed to the ground.

PHILADELPHIA, July 28.
Extract of a letter from New-York, July 28.

"I am sorry to inform you, that an affair happened on Saturday evening, after the news arrived of the adoption of the new constitution by this state. Mr. Greenleaf, an anti-federal printer, made some very absurd remarks on the procession, in particular on the potters, who were much offended. The news gave every body spirits, and about one or two o'clock a number went to his office, and took away his types and very much damaged his house. He fled, or I believe the *Potters* would have had *dominion* over his *clay*; whether it would have produced any *amendment* I cannot tell."

The adoption of the new federal constitution, by the convention of New-York, being the eleventh state, is a matter of the most transcendent joy, and honourable in the highest degree to the majority of that house. Part of that majority must have the greatest abilities to convince objectors so strenuous, and part of them must possess the most uncommon share of candour and patriotism, to listen with so much moderation to the arguments of federalism and their country.

BALTIMORE, August 5.

About the middle of last month, provisions were very low at St. Eustatius. Flour sold at six dollars a barrel—beef, eight dollars—pork, twelve dollars—Indian corn, half a dollar a bushel—hams, nine pence a pound.

A letter from Exuma, one of the Bahama islands, dated the 27th of June, mentions, that the SALT lately raked there, was remarkably fine, and that eighty thousand bushels then lay ready for exportation.

On Monday the 28th ult. Congress proceeded to fill up the blank for the place of holding the sessions of that honourable body, when the words "New-York" were inserted.

Capt. Robert Ross, who arrived here on Saturday last, in the Brig Keener, from St. Bartholomew's, after a passage of 15 days, informs, that on the 29th ult in lat. 35:30 N and long 71:30 W. he spoke Capt Woodward, in a Brig from the Bay of Honduras, bound for Bristol, (out fifteen days) who being very short of water, he supplied him with a puncheon, and left him steering for the port of his destination. The same day he spoke a sloop from St Martin's, bound for Virginia, who had taken 4 men out of the wreck of a sloop, after having been six days in the greatest distress. Capt. William Buckley, who commanded this sloop, and one of his seamen, were drowned. Capt. Ross, on his passage, caught a shark 17 feet long, and 7 feet 9 inches round, from the liver of which were extracted 23 gallons of oil.

HONESTUS shall appear next.

The PRINTING-OFFICE is removed to the house at present occupied by Major Kingsbury, nearly opposite the Market.

Marine List.

ARRIVALS since our last.
Brig Recovery, Tucker, Charleston.
— Nancy, Leach, Ditto.
— Mary, M'Iver, Montego-Bay.
Schooner New-Hope, Smart, Ditto.
— Charlotte, Stewart, Kingston.
CLEARED.
Brig Queen, Morrison, Greenock.
— Recovery, Tucker, Charleston.
Schooner Good-Hope, Luce, Boston.
— William, Swain, Charleston.
— Jack, Shackelford, Ditto
Sloop Industry, Dunn, New-York.
— Ann, Cotterel, Ditto.

PRICES CURRENT.

LUMBER, consisting of 3 scantling & remainder down to 1 of inch & 2 inches superficial measure.		70s. to 80s.
Red Oak (H. States) per M.		80s. to 90s.
White Oak do.		15s. to 16s.
R. O. bil. do.		20s. to 25s.
W. G. do.		80s. to 90s.
18 inch shingles,		14s. to 18s.
22 do do.		16s. to 20s.
Tar per bil.		12s. to 15s.
Turpentine per bil. of 320lb. gross,		14s. to 18s.
Pitch per bil.		15s. to 18s.
Tobacco per 100 lb.		6s.
Rice, per do.		4s. to 5s.
Black eye peas per bushel		1s. to 1s. 6d.
Bees' Wax per lb.		3s. to 3s. 6d.
Deer Skins in hair trim'd, per lb.		2s.
Lard Untim'd		1s. 6d.
Butter per lb.		1s. 6d.
Pork per bil. of 220lb. wt.		120 to 140s.
Tallow per lb.		14d. to 16d.
Beef per bil.		80 to 90s.
Corn per bushel		6 to 8s.
Otter Skins		24 to 30s.
Raccoon do.		1s. 6d. to 2s.
Brown Sugar		120 to 140s.
Ordinary per 100lb		10 to 12s.
Loaf sugar per lb.		2s. to 2s. 6d.
Rum	Jamaica p. gl. — West-Ind. — N. Eng. —	7s. to 8s. 6 to 7s. 6d. 3s. 6d. to 4s. 6d.
Melasses per gal.		2 to 2s. 6d.
Chocolate p. lb.		2 to 2s. 6d.
Iron per ton		100 to 110s.
Philad. Flour per bil. of 196lb.		90 to 100s.
Steel per lb.		18d.
Iron Hollow ware per ton		60 to 70s.
Fine salt per bushel		4s.
Do. by Retail		3s.
Coffee salt per bushel		4s.
Coffee per lb.		2s. 6d. to 3s. 6d.
Bohea tea		6 to 7s.
Green do.		20 to 25s.
N. England Cloth		1 to 1s. 6d.

ON THURSDAY LAST a Negro fellow

Twenty Pounds

REWARD

ON Thursday last a Negro fellow named TOM late the property of Colonel J. Leonard, murdered Mr. John Leonard, of Brunswick County, at the plantation of Mr. Arthur Howe. Tom is a small black fellow, about twenty-one years of age, stutters much in his speech, is a designing and will try to get out of the state if supposed he was wounded in the duel by a guard placed at Mr. S. Daniel's last Friday night. The above reward will be given to any person who apprehends him, by applying to Mr. Lewis M'Pherson, merchant, Wilmington, or the subscriber in Brunswick County.

JACOB LEONARD.

August 25, 1788.