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BOSTON, November 5.

WHILE we credibly informed that his late royal highness the duke of Cumberland made a will previous to his late German expedition; and, when his highness was under some dangerous operations last year at Newmarket, on account of the breaking out of the old wound which he received at the battle of Lieutingen, a long codicil was annexed, in which, it is said, provision was made for all his royal highness's domestic.

When the melancholy news of the duke of Cumberland's death reached Windsor Town, it was received with the utmost concern by all ranks of people, especially by the labourers on his royal highness's works which were cut, they had lost their ground labourer. It is said that, when a certain experienced workman lately oblique to the Duke, that he could very well do without such a number of workmen, who cost him a prodigious sum, his royal highness replied, But can these poor people do without me? An answer worthy the benevolent heart that gave utterance to it.

Nov. 8. The last instance of a demie in the royal family, in the same degree of kindred to the crown as his late royal highness the duke of Cumberland, was the bishop of Osnaburg, uncle to King George II, which was taken as a precedent for a court mourning only on the present occasion. But no sooner were proper representations made to his Majesty, that the desire of his subjects was to express their common regard to his royal highness's memory by a like token, and that great numbers in trade had already deeply interested themselves on the occasion, than orders were graciously issued out for a GENERAL MOURNING:—A mark of consideration and gratitude that will undoubtedly be remembered to his Majesty's lasting honour.

We are well assured, that the gentlemen who opened the body of his late royal highness the Duke of Cumberland, found in the right ventricle of the brain a coagulation of extravasated blood, about the bigness of a pigeon's egg. All the other parts were found good, except an ossification of the membrane that divides the lobes of the head. His highness had been afflicted with an hydrocele in the scrotum, from which a quart of water had been taken.

The disorder which ended the life of one of the best of princes, was that called the Somnolency.

It is said that his late royal highness the duke of Cumberland had formed a plan, a little before his death, for founding and endowing a military hospital near Windsor, for the succour and maintenance of those brave soldiers, who had served under him in his campaigns in Germany and the battle of Culloden.

BOSTON, DECEMBER 19. 75.

Yesterday his Excellency the Governor, with the Advice of the Council, was pleased to give a PROCLAMATION, the Substance of which is as follows: Viz.

WHEREAS his Excellency General GAGE has transmitted to me a copy of a Declaration made and recorded in the Superior Court of the Province of Louisiana, delivered by Mrs. Denoyer widow of Mr. Denoyer, on the 22d Day of October 1755, setting forth, That her late Husband the Sieur Anthony Denoyer, took on board his Sloop at Samana, two Englishmen, being Part of the Crew of an English Schooner, consisting of seven Men, that had been cast away at Ipar-Point, about 50 League distant from Samana, in order to land them at the mouth, in his Way to Capt. Prayors:—That one of the said Men went by the Name of Capt. John (perhaps Jones, or some such Name); though it is possible John was only the Captain's Christian Name, and the other by that of Young.—That her said Husband, on or about the 4th of September last, parted with two French Servants, in Dependence upon the Assistance of the said two Englishmen in navigating his Vessel.—That there were then on board her said Husband's Sloop, herself and two Children, one a Boy about 7 Years old, the other a sucking Child, and his Negroe Woman named Catharine.—That having anchored at a Place named the Gg Gry, a League above Pern Plaza, they went to sleep; but between 1 and 4 in the Morning they heard a violent Blow on her Husband's Bed, supposing to her's, which Blow seemed to her like the noise of an Axe, which was followed by a Groan which she knew to be her Husband's: The Englishman called John then rushed on her Bed, holding an Axe, and forbidding her to move, after which he gave her Husband two more Blows and killed him; they threw him overboard the next Morning, and floated, as they said, for New-York.—They then demanded her Keys, to search for Money, but found none.—They after this offered to put her in the Canoe with her two Children and Negroe Woman, and that Young should go along with them to set them safe to the Cape.—This unhappy situation she accepted of the proposal, went into the Canoe except Young, with a

a Hog, with a Tea-Kettle and a Jug holding six Quarts of Water, she waited eagerly for her going to Prance, but Young, instead of coming, cut the Painter, and left them to the Utmost Sight of Land, and then the Sloop leered from the Jug of Water, over, let the first Night, and so in the Canoe for 6 Days without knowing where, and on the 7th descried a Sail, which proved to be John Guyon Master, who had sailed from Pern Plaza the 1st of September last, bound for New-Orleans; saw the Canoe; the Sloop bore down and took them, being then about ten Leagues distant from the Land, & Guatanam on the Island of Cuba.—He said the Capt. John, or Jones, had the left Joint of the arm, his Left Hand wanting, and the middle Finger cut off; he had light Hair, a round Face, and a fine Complexion, is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high. English Measure. Young a long thin and fair Face, is very lean, and about 5 Feet high English Measure.

His Excellency thereupon, with the Advice of his Majesty's Council, issued a Proclamation, requiring all Persons, and carefully dearing that all other his Majesty's good Subjects, would use their utmost Endeavours to discover and apprehend the said John, alias Jones, and the said Young, that Justice may be done on such atrocious Murderers as they are represented to be.

Wilmington, February 2nd, 1761.

For KINGSTON, in JAMAICA,
The Schooner Charming Mary,

JOSEPH ENGLISH, Master.

WILL sail as soon as permitted—For Passage to said English. Threng of Accommodation for Passengers.—Two good Hous'd Negroe Women to be sold, and two Fellows. For Particulars enquire at

Any Letters for the above Port, may be left at hand of Mr. Rogers's Tavern, where they will be received.

ALSO, To be sold, A new Seven-Inch CABLE.

J. 1 m. 10 d. in the Snow MARY, Captain COX, L. 17TH, and the Ship CÆSAR, Captain HUME, Glasgow; and TO BE SOLD

By WILLIAM WATKIN,

At his STORE in WILMINGTON.

VERY good Cabin'd at 15. & 6 d per yard acommodating 10 persons. Bedding, bedding, bed ticks, th eads of all sorts, pillow cases, and other old lawn, plain figure'd and striped, gauze, gauze, a, ron, handkerchiefs, and ruffles, water-new-fallen, white flax, blue and tanby flax, silk durant valancour and set peters, latin hats cloaks and bonnets, fustians, 2-lin nose cloes, linsseys, Scotch plaid and plaid, rags, men's waistcoats and pumps, coarse shes, gettum's next tailles, fadue cloths &c. An allotment of very handsome paper hangings, one set of maps, choice hyson green and bohea tea, a few cals of cordage, a few pair of double and single jack screws, iron pots, trying pans and divers tools, an allotment hair cauls, ribbons, &c, for peruke-makers.—Rum sugar, fat molasses, and various other GOODS before imported.

TO be sold for ready Money, or to

Month's Credit: A valuable Set of Black-Smith's and Gun Smith's Tools: They are now set up in a good Shop, and convenient Place for Custom, on the Rich Lands of New-River: A Workman will meet with the greatest Encouragement to carry on the Smith's Business, in said Place. The Terms may be known by applying to LEWIS WILLIAMS, Esq; or Joseph Figurs, Black Smith, in Ocklow-County.

[Jan. 29 1761.]

Wilmington, January 15th, 1761.
TO BE SOLD, or LET,

THE House and Lot now occupied by Robert Wails, a little below Mr. Purvisance's Tar-House: The House is new and well built, 36 Feet by 24, not quite bricked in the Inside, fronting Frost street, running down to the Water, where may be built a very commodious Wharf, with a very small Expence; the Lot is 66 Feet front.—For further Particulars, enquire of said Wails, or the Printer.

SOLD; or takes out of the House of John Rogers by mistake; A blue Drabb Cloth Cloak, with a double Cape, a Button on the Neck, and a Tape Loop for the same: with six blind Holes on each Side of the Hand behind.—If it has been taken by mistake, 'tis hoped that it will be immediately return'd: If stolen, Three Pounds Reward will be given for securing the Cloak and Thief; or 40s. for the Cloak only [Jan. 23d. 1761.] JOHN ROGERS