

N E W - Y O R K, November 3.

At the Supreme Court of this Province, which ended on Saturday last, the following Persons were convicted, viz.—Elizabeth Dent, for picking the Pocket of Mr. Jeremiah Brower, in the Market, of a Pocket Book, with £.3 12s. Elizabeth Floyd, for stealing Wearing Apparel, both sentenced to be hanged.

William Herring, (alias Johnston) on 3 Indictments for Theft. Richard Hutchins, for Theft, and Thomas Mason, a Lad about 18 Years of Age, for stealing a £.5. Bill; all three branded in the Hand and discharged.

John Dominy, for attempting a Rape on a Child of 8 Years of Age, sentenced to be whipp'd at the Carts Tail round the City 3 Times, and to receive 39 Lashes each Time, and to be 3 Months imprisoned; the 1st of these Wippings he received on Monday last, the 2nd is to be on Saturday next, and the 3d that Day Week.

Elizabeth Young, and Thomas Jones, for Felony, were acquitted; John Davis, whose Time of Imprisonment was expired, gave Security and was discharged.

On Tuesday the 3d Instant, about Eleven o'Clock at Night, a Number of Soldiers, said to belong to the 46th Regiment, entered into the House of Casper Hart, a Cartman, of this City; a very honest inoffensive Man, and without the least Provocation, on the poor Man's Side, cut and wounded him in a terrible Manner, and dragged him into the Street, so that it is next to a Miracle he was not murder'd; not contented with using him in this Manner, they went to his Stable, and there hamstringed his Horse, the only Means he had for his Subsistence; on which the Guard was sent for, they immediately came and made search for the Person accused, and on entering a House suspected of harbouring Soldiers, there found the Soldier, whose Clothes were stain'd with the Blood from the Wounds of the poor Man, he was immediately confined, and from the Endeavours of the Officers of the Army to assist the Magistrates, it is not doubted but he will receive condign Punishment.

By particular Desire of the Magistratus of this City, the Inhabitants are hereby reminded of a Law now in force, (to be inserted at length in our next) which will be strictly put in Execution, and is in Substance as follows.—That any Person who shall in this City, give or sell any Kind of strong Liquors to any private Sentinel therein, between setting and rising of the Sun; or shall suffer or permit any such Sentinel to drink any Kind of strong Liquors in his, her or their House, or other Possession, the Person so offending shall for every Offence forfeit and pay the Sum of 40s. Current Money of New-York, to be recovered with Cost of Prosecution before any Magistrate of the City, upon a Proof of any one credible Witness, one Half to the Informer, the other to the Poor of the City. And in Case the Offender shall not have sufficient Effects to satisfy the said Forfeitures, then he she or they shall be committed to Gaol, there to remain, without Bail or Mainprize during 31 Days, unless the said Forfeiture and Cost be sooner paid and satisfied.

Last Wednesday came on before the Supreme Court of Judicature for this Province, a Cause in which Mr. Thomas White, of this City Merchant, was Plaintiff, and Capt. John Brown, of his Majesty's Ship Hawke, Defendant; for the Seizure of a Ship and Cargo in December 1763; when after a Hearing of seventeen Hours, the Jury brought a Verdict for the Plaintiff, with £.4046 Damages, and Costs of Suit.

We have the Pleasure to inform our Readers from good Authority, that his Excellency Sir HENRY MOORE, our Governor, has received Instructions from Home, to give his Assent to the Bills that may be passed and presented to him by the General Assembly of this Province, for the Emission of Paper Currency, or Money Bills of Credit.

We hear the General Assembly of this Province, are to meet this Day.

Thursday last the new Episcopal Chapel, in this City, called St. Paul's, and esteemed one of the most elegant Edifices on the Continent, was opened, and dedicated to Almighty God. The Concourse of People of all Ranks and Denominations, (who attended on the Occasion) was very great.

At 10 o'Clock, the Council, Clergy, Church-Wardens, and Vestry of Trinity Church, the Mayor and Corporation of the City, waited on

his Excellency Sir Henry Moore, our Governor, at Fort George: From thence they went in Procession to the Chapel, in the following Order, viz.

I. The Mayor, Aldermen, and other Members of the City Corporation, preceded by the Charity Children of Trinity Church.

II. The Clergy.

III. The Governor's Council.

IV. Their Excellencies, Sir HENRY MOORE, and General GAGE.

V. The Church Wardens and Vestry.

After Divine Service, which was adapted to this particular Occasion, an excellent Sermon was preached by the Revd. Doctor Samuel Auchmuty, Rector of Trinity Church. His Text was taken from Exod. iii. 5. *And he said, draw not nigh hither: Put off thy Shoes from off thy Feet, for the Place whereon thou standest is Holy Ground.*

A suitable Band of Music, vocal and instrumental, was introduced. Several Pieces of Church Music and Psalms, were sung and played by them in Concert, at the usual Intervals; and the judicious Execution contributed much to heighten the Solemnity.

The Whole was conducted with the greatest Decorum. The decent Behaviour of the Audience, consisting of many Thousands of People, their Devotion during Divine Service, and fixed Attention to the Sermon, did Honour to themselves and to the Preacher.

With Captain Lawrence came Passengers Major James's Lady, and her Neice; Doctor Moffat, of Rhode-Island; Mr. Walker, Collector for Newcastle on Delaware; Mr. Bander, and several others.

Captain Johnson, in 20 Days from Antigua, informs us, That on the 3d ult. was taken up at Sea, and brought to that Island, by one of their Pilots a large black Sloop without any living Creature on board; she had new Sails made by Christopher Dyckinck, in New-York, four Ports in each Side, 4 Cabbin Windows, with 4 Pains of Glass in each, her Cabbin painted of a Cedar colour, her Starboard Shrowds cut away and several cuts in her Mast with her Lumber Port open: She had a new Cable, Hoops and Lumber, and Ducks on her Deck; also several Barrels of Flour in her Hold, some of which were marked H. M. the Brand F. M. and others marked A. M. 'Twas imagined she took Fire at Sea, as her Caboose was burnt, and deserted perhaps too soon by her Crew.

Captain Webb, on his Passage from the Bay for this Port, on the 2d Day of last Month, in Lat. 23, 24, off the North Side of Cuba, was struck by Lightning, which killed one of his Men, (an Italian) on the Deck, and shattered his Main and Mizzen Top Masts all to Pieces.

Captain O'Brien has brought over about 100 Recruits for the different Regiments now in America.

The *Cornelia*, Hervy, from this Port from Amsterdam, passed the Downs in 25 Days from hence.

Thursday last sailed for London, the Ship *Britannia*, Captain Jefferies, with whom went Passengers, Captain Montresour, Captain Standish, with his Lady and Mother; Captains Mitchelson, Skene, and Wilcocks.

A R R I V A L S at

Cork. Brown, from Philadelphia. At Bristol, Clack from ditto. Chambers, from New-York. At Philadelphia, Chandler, and Marshal, from London, Doran, from Dublin, Davidson, from Rotterdam, Taylor and Egan, from Belfast: at New-York, besides those in the Custom-House Entries, Drummond, from West-Indies, Smith and another Ship from London, Shand, from Newcastle, Hamilton, from Honduras.

Capt. Quill, in a Sloop of this Port, was to sail 12 Days after Capt. Hamilton.

Capt. Shand, about a Fortnight past in a Gale of Wind, was wash'd overboard with four of his Men, himself and one Man only escaped out of the five.

In the Packet came Passenger Mr. Fred. De Peyster, Son to the Treasurer of this Colony.

From New-Haven our Advices are, that William Samuel Johnson, L.L.D. is appointed Agent for that Colony to Great-Britain, and is expected to sail for London in December next.

☞ Advertisements and domestic Intelligence coming in late, and after the first Side of the Sheet was printed off, obliged us to take out a great Part of what we had prepared for this Paper, for which we must beg the Readers Patience till our next, tho' the English Papers contain nothing remarkably interesting.