

1782.

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20. The Grand Turk American privateer of 12 guns taken by the Vulture sloop of 14, off Charlestown, South Carolina.
 - The French had taken, sunk, and destroyed above 50 English victuallers for Madras.---*Brussels Gazette*.
21. Skirmish at Dorchester, near Charlestown, South Carolina.
22. The British fleet arrive at Trincomale to refit.
23. L'Auctionnaire French ship, armed *en flute*, of 64 guns, taken by the Latona and Queen, off Scilly.
 - Three frigates and seven transports from Brest arrive at Boston, New England.
24. The Active-Roebeck cutter privateer of 18 guns sent into the Downs by the Crocodile frigate, and Scourge and Helena sloops.
25. Le Barnardine French lugger of 14 guns taken by the Latona frigate of 38, off Scilly.
 - Le Marquis de Caltrics French privateer of 22 guns taken by the Prudente of 36, off Cape Clear.
 - The Republic of Holland decline making a separate peace with Great Britain.
 - The Dutch Forts Mouree with 20 guns, Cormantyne 32, Apam 22, Berricoe 18, and Acra 32, taken by Capt. Shirley of the Leander frigate, and Alligator sloop, who also destroyed L'Officieuse, a French store-ship, worth 30,000*l.* off Senegal.
29. Admiral Rodney, with his fleet and prizes, arrive at Jamaica.---Compte de Grasse prisoner.

M A Y.

1. In the Lords, on the bill for disqualifying Contractors from a seat in the Commons, contents 70, non-contents 45.
2. His Majesty's plan of reform and regulation in the civil establishment, and for paying off the civil-list debt, laid before Parliament.
3. Motion for rescinding the resolution of Feb. 17, 1769, rendering John Wilkes, Esq. incapable of a seat in the House of Commons, carried by 115 to 47.
5. Sir Guy Carleton, Commander in Chief, arrived at New York, who opens a pacific correspondence with Gen. Washington on the 7th, but Congress refuse to grant a passport of negotiation on the 14th.

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