

furgeons in the American States, have of the method of procuring and preparing them in Great-Britain, and from the similarity of the practice of medicine and surgery in the two countries. The consumption of quack nostrums before the war was very great in the Southern Colonies, and formed no inconsiderable article of commerce.

#### STEEL in BARS.

At present this article, for all common uses, is made to good profit in the American States, but still a great deal of English and German steel is imported. Lately the steel denominated German is brought to great perfection in Great-Britain. It is made of Argon's iron, all of which is contracted for in Sweden by the English.

#### INDIAN TRADE.

Goods in general, for the Indian trade, can be had cheapest in Great-Britain, and are principally coarse woollens, cutlery, guns, gunpowder, beads, paints, gartering, ribbands, gorgets, bracelets, and other slight ornaments in silver, and different metals. The French formerly had this trade, but since the loss of Canada they have entirely disused it, and there would be some difficulty in reviving the several manufactures.