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## SEPTEMBER.

- 3. Action between Adm. Sir E. Hughes and M. de Suffrein, off Trincamale.---Second action on the 13th.
- 4. The Hebé frigate of 40 guns, M. de Vigny, taken by the Rainbow, Capt. Trollope, of 44, off Morlaix.
- 5. Six regiments of fencibles raifing in Ireland.
- Admiral Sir Richard Bickerton's fquadron arrive at Bombay, with 4260 troops.
- The Hector of 74 guns beats off two French frigates, L'Aigle and La Gloire.
- 6. Sir James Lowther, it is faid, offered a man of war of 74 guns, completely manned, rigged, victualled, and fitted for action, for the public fervice.
- 7. Adm. Lord Rodney, with part of his fleet, arrive at Kinfale from Jamaica, which ifland they left Aug. 5.
- 8. The advanced works of the Spaniards deftroyed by the artillery of Gibraltar. Next day the batteries and naval force of the enemy cannonade, without effect.
- and 12. Letters of recrimination pass between Sir Guy Carleton and Gen. Washington.
- 11. The grand channel fleet of 34 line and 1 fifty, 8 frigates, and 3 fire-fhips, under Adms. Lord Howe; Hood, Milbanke, Sir R. Hughes, and Com. Hotham, fail from Portfmouth for the relief of Gibraítar, having the Eaft and Weft Indiamen under convoy.
- 12. Thirty-eight fail of the combined fleet entered Gibraltar Bay, and anchored off Algezira.
- The Sophia of 22 guns, from Bayonne to Philadelphia, taken by the Warwick of 50, off the Delaware.
- 13. The Spaniards and French, in their grand attack upon Gibraltar, are defeated, having ten battering thips, with 212 brafs cannon and 2000 feamen, &c. blown up, funk, or deftroyed.---344 men were faved by the garrifon, and upwards of 2000 efcaped.
- The naval magazine at Mufquito Point, Jamaica, with 300 barrels of gunpowder, blew up.
- 14. Adm. Pigot's fleet in the West-Indies had taken or deftroyed twenty-two of the enemics ships and vessels fince July 15.
- 15. L'Aigle French frigate of 40 guns, Comte La Touche, taken in the Delaware by the Warwick, &c. Com. Elphinston.---From the frigate feveral French officers of diffunction efcaped in boats, with money, &c.

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