

1782.

A U G U S T.

11. Adm. Digby's squadron had made 24 captures on the coast of America since May 1.
13. A cartel, with 200 prisoners from England, arrive at Philadelphia.  
— M. de Vaudreuil's French fleet enter Boston harbour.
15. His Royal Highness Comte d'Artois enters the Spanish camp before Gibraltar, as a volunteer, as did also his Highness the Duc de Bourbon next day.
16. The Ramilies of 74 guns, and several of the homeward-bound Jamaica fleet, foundered on the banks of Newfoundland
20. The Thorn sloop of 16 guns retaken from the Americans by the *Arethusa* frigate of 44, off Boston.  
— Remonstrance of the Loyal Refugees at New York to Sir Guy Carleton, on the negotiation for a general peace, and craving protection.  
— A French fleet of two sail of the line, one armed *en flute*, two frigates, and six store-ships, sail from Brest for the East-Indies.  
— Treaty between the Republic of Holland and the United States of America signed, under the guarantee of France.
22. Conflagration in Constantinople that destroyed 28,000 houses, &c.
23. Cape-River Fort taken from the Spaniards by Captain Campbell; and, on the 30th, Lieut. Col. Despard took the Spanish garrison on Black river, Musquito shore.
24. David Tyrie executed at Portsmouth for high-treason.
26. The *Hector* of 74 guns beats off two French frigates.
27. Action near Chehaw-neck, South Carolina, in which Lieut. Col. Laurens of the Americans was killed.
29. The *Royal George*, Adm. Kempenfelt, of 100 guns, foundered off Portsmouth, and, out of 709 persons then on board, the brave Admiral and 405 were drowned.  
— Skirmish at Wathoo, St. John's, South Carolina.
31. Trincomale Fort, East-Indies, taken by M. de Suffrein.

S E P T E M B E R.

1. A volunteer corps of ten companies raising at Edinburgh on Lord Shelburne's plan.  
— The *Aigle* French ship of 22 guns taken by the Duc de Chartres of 16, after a well-managed action.

Action