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Lisbon, November 18.

THE Farmers of Tobacco have renewed their Contract with the King for three Years, on Condition of their paying to his Majesty the yearly Sum of two Millions and eighty Thousand Cruzades, besides the accustomed Duties. The King, in Imitation of the King of Spain, is determined to put his Marine on a respectable Footing, for which Purpose his Majesty has engaged two experienced English Shipbuilders, who have agreed to build 18 Men of War and Frigats in the Course of two Years, on Condition they have the Liberty of chusing such Ports as they shall think most convenient to build them in. The Court is still at Bellem, from whence their Majesties generally come once a Week to partake of the Winter Diversions that are carrying on in this City.

Leghorn, Nov. 30. The Masters of several Ships arrived here within this Week past assure us, that there are at present no Barbary Corsairs on our Coast. We learn by our last Letters from Corsica, that the Malecontents of that Island continue very mutinous, and seem on the Brink of committing Hostilities against such of the Inhabitants who take Part with the Genoese.

Rome, Dec. 2. Prince Esterhasi, late Ambassador from their Imperial Majesties to the King of the Two Sicilies, who arrived here from Naples on Friday last with his Spouse, was the next Day presented to the Pope, and received with great Marks of Distinction; he proposes to stay here about eight Days, and then to continue his Journey for Vienna. The Congregation de Propaganda Fide were lately informed by Letters from China, that the Emperor of that Country, having conceived more favourable Sentiments of the Christians settled in his Dominions than heretofore, had at length permitted the Missionaries to continue their Functions as before their late Persecution; which News is the more agreeable, as by some former Advices it was greatly feared those Missionaries

must have quitted that Country, and retired into Europe.

Turin, Dec. 3. The Beginning of last Week the Court came here from the Palace of the Venerie for the Winter. They go on very successfully in raising Men for the two Regiments of Foot with which the King has resolved to augment his Forces; and 'tis not doubted but those two Regiments will be completed by the Spring.

Cadiz, Dec. 4. His Britannick Majesty's Ship the Dolphin, Capt. How, sailed from hence on the 2d Instant; and the Lime, Capt. Proby, who arrived here the 23d past, proposes sailing for England in about three Weeks.

Naples, Dec. 5. The King set out on Friday last for Persano, a Hunting-Seat about 40 Miles distant from hence, where his Majesty proposes to continue till the 20th Instant. Prince Corfini, Nephew to Pope Clement XII. died here on the 30th of last Month, immensely rich. He was Counsellor of State to the King, and formerly Viceroy of Sicily. The Men of War, Galleys, and Shebecques are all return'd into Port, from their respective Cruizes, for the Winter.

Petersbourg, Dec. 5. Last Week a grand Conference was held at Count Bestucheff's, Great Chancellor of this Empire, at which General Baron Pretlack, Ambassador from their Imperial Majesties, assisted; as did also M. Funch, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Poland; 'tis said this Conference turned upon Affairs of great Consequence; which is the readier believed, as Couriers were, immediately after its breaking up, dispatched to Constantinople, Vienna, and Dresden. Her Imperial Majesty has appointed M. Sperat, Assessor of the College of Commerce of this City, to be Director of that of Archangel. M. de Malzhan, the Danish Envoy Extraordinary, has informed this Court, that the King his Master had nothing more in View, by ordering a Body of Troops to advance towards the Frontiers of Holstein, than meerly to hinder the cutting down of the Woods in those Parts by the common

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mon People, which he thinks himself in some Measure obliged to prevent, as eventual Successor to that Dutchy. The Empress has taken off the Prohibition of sending Corn out of this Empire, and allows it to be exported on the ancient Footing; which Liberty extends even to Livonia and the Dutchy of Courland.

Dantzick, Dec. 9. The Deputies who were sent to Warsaw, in order to lay before the King an Account of some new Differences that have lately arisen between the Magistrates of this City, and the third Order of Citizens, returned here a few Days ago, extremely satisfied with the Reception they met with from his Majesty. We are informed by our last Letters from Constantinople, that several Persons, who were employed in the Intrigues of the late Grand Vizier and High Treasurer, and who had largely partaken of the Riches they had amassed in those Employments, have been lately secured, and put to Death. The same Letters add, that a Grandson of Schach Hussein, who, since the late Troubles in Persia, had retired to Bagdad, being encouraged by several of the Persian Nobility, on Account of his being a Descendant of the late Sophys, is preparing to assert his Right to the Crown of that Kingdom; and 'tis thought, if he meets with any Encouragement from the Ottoman Porte, his Party will soon get the better of those of Schach Doub and Prince Heraclius of Georgia.

Stockholm, Dec. 11. The Queen has been very much indisposed for some Days past, but 'tis thought she is now much better, and in a fair Way of Recovery. General Count Lieven is returned here from his late Journey to the Courts of Berlin and Copenhagen, and on Monday last he was introduced to the King, and presented to his Majesty the Ensigns of the Order of the Black Eagle, which he brought as a Present from the King of Prussia. Last Thursday, being the Anniversary of their Majesties Coronation, Baron Hopken, President of the Royal Chancery, gave on that Occasion a grand Entertainment to the principal Nobility, Foreign Ministers, and other Persons of Distinction. The same Day the famous Banker Heising was brought here under a strong Escort from Hambourg; he was immediately committed to Prison, and Orders given for his being close confined, and strictly guarded.

Madrid, Dec. 11. Monday the 4th of this Month, being her Catholick Majesty's Birthday, the same was celebrated here with the usual Magnificence: In the Morning all Persons of Distinction were admitted to kiss their Majesties Hands. After which the principal Nobility, Foreign Ministers, and other Persons of Distinction, were invited to dine at the Marquis de la Ensenada's, where there was an elegant Entertainment for above 60 Persons;

and at Night the Opera of Dida was performed in the Theatre at the Buen Retiro. The Conde de Peralada, a Grandee of Spain of the First Class, was the same Day named Ambassador from this Court to that of Portugal, in the room of the Duke de Sotomayor, who, upon Account of the ill State of his Health, has been for some Time soliciting to be recalled.

Harlem, Dec. 23. Yesterday a Detachment of two hundred Men, drawn from the Dutch Regiment of Foot-Guards, arrived here from the Hague, in order to relieve two Companies of Swiss Guards who have been for some Time past in Garrison in this City; and that Afternoon the said two Companies of Swiss Guards marched from hence for the Hague.

Ostend, Dec. 23. The Beginning of this Week we had a violent Storm of Wind, by which several small Vessels were lost on our Coast; and the Sea rose so high, that a large Tract of Land was overflowed, but to our great Happiness all our Dikes kept firm.

Hague, Dec. 28. The State of War, for the Year ensuing, will be carried To-morrow to the Assembly of the States General, by the Council of State in a Body; and 'tis said her Royal Highness the Princess Governante will be present on that Occasion.

Whitehall, January 2.

The King has been pleased to order Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, for the Translation of the Right Reverend Father in God, Doctor Robert Downes, Bishop of Down and Connor, to the Bishoprick of Raphoe, vacant by the Death of Doctor Philip Twyden, late Bishop thereof.

The King has been pleased to order Letters Patent to be pass'd under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, for the Translation of the Right Reverend Father in God, Doctor Arthur Smyth, Bishop of Clonfert and Kilmacduagh, to the united Bishopricks of Down and Connor.

The King has been pleased to order Letters Patent to be pass'd under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, for the Promotion of William Carmichael, Doctor of Laws, to the united Bishopricks of Clonfert and Kilmacduagh.

Charitable Corporation, Jan. 2, 1753.

Notice is hereby given, That a General Court of the said Corporation will be held on Monday the 15th Day of January instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Shakespear's Head Tavern under the Great Piazza Covent Garden.

Advertisements.

IF any Person or Persons have any Demand on the Estate of Mrs. Margaret Hyde, late of Sackville Street, in the Parish of St. James Westminster, deceased, they are desired to send an Account thereof, on or before the 1st Day of February next, to Mr. Southouse, Attorney at Law, in Milk Street, London, in order to their receiving Satisfaction for the same.

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W Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against *James Denn*, late of the City of *Bristol*, Merchant and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 5th and 9th of *January* Instant, and on the 13th Day of *February* next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of *Edward Bourne*, Vintner, called the Exchange Tavern in *Corn Street* in the said City of *Bristol*, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same, but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to *Mr. Thomas Stokes*, Attorney at Law, in *Bristol* aforesaid.

W Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against *Francis Taylor*, late of *Bridgenorth* in the County of *Salop*, Grocer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th and 29th of *January* Instant, and on the 13th of *February* next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of *Edward Bourne*, called the

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T HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against *John Overall*, late of *Prestwich* in the County of *Lancaster*, Chapman, intend to meet on the 23d Day of *January* Instant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Old Coffee House in *Manchester* in the County of *Lancaster*, in order to make a second Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

T HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against *Robert Chennery*, of *King's Lynn* in the County of *Norfolk*, Merchant, intend to meet on the 24th of *January* Instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Guildhall in *King's Lynn* aforesaid, in order to make a final Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

W Hereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against *Robert Eyre*, of the Liberty of the Rolls, in the Parish of *St. Dunstan's* in the West in the County of *Middlesex*, Merchant, have certified to the Right Honourable *Philip Lord Hardwicke*, Baron of *Hardwicke*, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said *Robert Eyre* hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 23d of *January* Instant.

W Hereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against *John Coulson*, late of *Scarborough* in the County of *York*, Mariner, Dealer and Merchant, have certified to the Right Hon. *Philip Lord Hardwicke*, Baron of *Hardwicke*, Lord High Chancellor of Great-Britain, that the said *John Coulson* hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act passed in the fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 23d of *January* instant.

