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Constantinople, September 17.

BY Letters from Aleppo we are informed, that the Plague had carried off two hundred and fifty thousand of the Inhabitants of Bagdat, and one hundred and forty thousand at Busfora; that the People of Orfa are again in Arms, and have driven out of the Town the Mutelem in the Absence of the Pacha, who is at Hama.

St. Pierrebourg, October 5. On Sunday last, the Anniversary of her Imperial Majesty's Coronation, she was pleased to testify to his Excellency Count Panin the just Sense she entertained of the Manner in which he had acquired himself of the Trust hitherto committed to him of Governor of the Great Duke, by bestowing on him an Estate for Ever, of the yearly Value of 30,000 Roubles, giving him also a Pension of 30,000 Roubles, besides an Appointment of 14,000 Roubles, as Chief of the Department of Foreign Affairs; to which was added the Choice of any House in Peterfbourg to be purchased for him, with 100,000 Roubles to furnish it; 50,000 Roubles for a Service of Plate, the Equipage and Celiar of the Court for a Twelvemonth. At the same Time all the Officers of the Great Duke's Household were dismissed with Pensions of 2,000 Roubles, and a Present of 6,000 Roubles each. His Imperial Highness is to be served for the Future by the Officers of the Empress's Household.

Her Imperial Majesty was likewise pleased to raise Count Zachar Czernichew to the Rank of Field-Marshal, and to give him a Starosty in White Russia, of the yearly Value of between fifteen and Twenty Thousand Roubles.

Count Woronzow, formerly Minister in England, was made President of the College of Commerce; and several other Promotions took Place.

Munich, October 17. A severe Edict has just been published against Duels, which are strictly prohibited under Pain of Death; and this is extended to Seconds and other Assitants.

St. James's, October 30.

The King has been pleased to grant unto Richard Crabb, of London, Esq; and Henry Crabb, his only Son, and to their Issue, His Royal Licence and Authority to assume the Name of Boulton, in Compliance with the Will of Richard Boulton, late of the Parish of St. Olave Hart-Street in the City of London, Esq; deceased; and also to order, that this His Majesty's Concession and Declaration be registered in His College of Arms.

Navy-Office, October 26, 1773.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on Wednesday the 3d Day of next Month, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to let One or Two Ships that have been built for, and employed in the Service of the East-India Company, and may in a short Time be put into good Condition to carry Stores, Passengers, and Baggage, to Bengal, and there to be discharged: The Tenders, to mention the Time when the

[Price Three-Pence.]

Ships were built; and Certificates to be produced from the Builders, at whose Yards they have at any Time been repaired since their Building. Farther Particulars of the Conditions may be seen at this Office.

[Navy-Office, October 19, 1773.

THE Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having appointed Money for 9th of next Month, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning, viz To Captains and their Attorneys, and other Officers appearing themselves, on the Monday; and to Attorneys of Lieutenants, Masters and Surgeons, on the Tuesday, (after which the List will be recalled once a Month) that all Persons may then and there attend to receive paying Half-Pay to Sea Officers; from the 1st Day of January to the 30th of June, 1773, according to His Majesty's Establishment in that Behalf; These are to give Notice, that the said Payments will begin to be made at the Office of the Treasurer of the Navy in Broad-Street, on Monday and Tuesday the 8th and what may become payable unto them, and not only bring with them the Affidavit required touching their not having enjoyed the Benefit of any Publick Employment, either at Sea or on Shore, during the Time they are to be paid their Half-Pay; but also produce Certificates that they have subscribed to the Test, and taken the Oath required by Act of Parliament to His present Majesty; and in Case any of the said Sea Officers shall not be able to attend themselves to receive their Money, but employ Attorneys for that Purpose, that the said Attorneys may produce the like Certificates and Affidavits from the Persons they are employed by.

East-India House, October 29, 1773.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, in Consequence of a Resolution of a General Court held the 27th Instant, do hereby Notice,

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 10th of November next, from Nine in the Morning until Six in the Evening, for the Election of a Director of the said Company, in the Room of Henry Crabb Boulton, Esq; deceased.

And the said Court do further give Notice, that in pursuance of an Act passed in the last Session of Parliament, no Person will be entitled to vote at the said Election who shall not have been possessed in his or her own Right of £1000 Stock, from the 1st Instant, except in the Cases provided for in the said Act; That all Persons possessed in like Manner of £3000 Stock, will be entitled to give two Votes; That all Persons possessed in like Manner of £6000 Stock will be entitled to give three Votes; And that all Persons possessed in like Manner of £10000 Stock, or more, will be entitled to give four Votes at the said Election; and that no Persons, in any Circumstance, are qualified to vote, unless for Stock standing in their own Names.

Admiralty-Office, September 17, 1773.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Session of Oyer and Terminer, and Goal Delivery; for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Wednesday