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Escurial, October 18.

THERE are now some Hopes of Rain, of which there has scarcely been a Drop in this Part of the Country for these four Months past. The Scarcity of Water is severely felt at this Place, which is now so filled by the Court and its numerous Attendants; and if this Drought should continue, the Season will be unfavourable for sowing Corn.

Turin, October 27. The Marriage Ceremony of the Countess D'Artois was performed on Sunday last at Montcalier, and on Monday her Royal Highness set out for France, and is expected to arrive at Pont Beauvoisin on the 4th of next Month, where the Equipages of his most Christian Majesty are to meet her. Their Sardinian Majesties, the Prince of Piedmont, and the Duke of Chablais, accompanied her Royal Highness the first Day's Journey, and returned to Montcalier Yesterday. Her Royal Highness is attended by the Countess Favria and the Countess de la Villa, as Ladies of the Bedchamber; the Countess Duing and the Marquise Cinzan; the Count de la Frinité, as Steward of the household; the Chevalier Cinzan, Count Piofasco, and Count Fresia Radicati as Gentlemen of the Bedchamber; and the Abbé Solar as Chaplain. In Consequence of these Nuptials there was a Concert, and a very magnificent Ball at Stupaniggi. The Illuminations of the Palace were disposed so as to correspond with the Architecture; and the Road from Stupanis to Turin was illuminated, and decorated with several Triumphant Arches, the Whole making a most brilliant Appearance.

London, November 9.

Yesterday Frederick Bull, Esq; Lord Mayor Elect for the Year ensuing, was sworn at Guildhall; when the Chair, and other Emblems of Mayoralty, were surrendered to him in the accustomed Manner.

And this Day the new Lord Mayor, accompanied by the late Lord Mayor, several of the Aldermen, and the Sheriffs, in their Scarlet Gowns, went in their Coaches to the Water-side, the Sword and Mace being carried before them, and the City Officers attending, and from thence proceeded in the City Barge, attended by the Companies in their respective Barges, adorned with Streamers and Pendants, to Westminster; and having walked round the Hall, and solemnly saluted all the Courts, they went to the Exchequer Bar, and the new Lord Mayor did there take the Oaths appointed; and having recorded Warrants of Attorney in the proper Courts, returned by Water to Black Fryars, and from thence in Coaches, with the usual Solemnity, to Guildhall, where a magnificent Entertainment was provided; at which were present divers of the Nobility, and Lords of His Majesty's most Honorable Privy Council, and many other Persons of Quality and Distinction.

[Price Three-Pence.]

Dublin, October 26.

Saturday last, being the Anniversary of the Irish Rebellion in 1641, his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant proceeded in State to Christ-Church, attended by the House of Peers, Judges, &c. and escorted by a Squadron of Horse, where a most excellent Sermon was preached by the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Killaloe upon that Occasion; the Sword of State was carried to and from the Church by the Earl of Milltown. After his Excellency's Return to the Castle, the great Guns in His Majesty's Park the Phoenix were fired Three Rounds, and answered by Vollies from the Regiments at Garrison, which were drawn out in the Royal Square at the Barracks; and the Evening concluded with Bonfires, Illuminations, and all other Demonstrations of Joy: And

Yesterday, being the Anniversary of His Majesty's happy Accession to the Throne, in the Morning the Flag was displayed on Birmingham Tower; at Noon his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant received the Compliments of the Nobility and other Persons of Distinction; and the great Guns at the Salute Battery in His Majesty's Park the Phoenix were fired Three Rounds, and answered by Vollies from the Regiments in Garrison, which were drawn out in the Royal Square at the Barracks; in the Evening a Play was given by his Excellency for the Entertainment of the Ladies, and the Night concluded with Bonfires, Illuminations, and all other Demonstrations of Joy.

NOTICE is hereby given, That a General Meeting of the Lieutenancy of the County of Wilt is appointed to be held at the Vine Inn in the City of New Sarum in the said County, on Tuesday the 30th of November instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, for Executing the several Laws now in being relating to raising and training the Militia.

Turner, Clerk of the General Meetings.

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 Five in the Morning until Six in the Evening, for the Election of a Director of the said Company, in the Room of Henry C. Abbott 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