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*St. James's, October 15.*

**T**HE King has been pleased to confer the Honour of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath on the Honourable William Howe, Major-General of His Majesty's Forces, and General of His Majesty's Forces in North America.

*Constantinople, September 3.* On the 21st of last Month one of the Grand Seignor's Ladies was safely delivered of a Prince, who was immediately named Sultan Mehemet. This happy Event has given very great Satisfaction to the Grand Seignor and his Subjects. The Porte communicated the News in Form the same Day to all the Foreign Ministers; intimating that, as Illuminations would be ordered throughout the City for seven Nights, it was hoped the Foreign Ministers would not omit to demonstrate, as usual in such Cases, their Friendship, by ordering Illuminations; which Request has been complied with. The Illuminations began on the 26th past, and has been followed by three Nights Fire-Works on the Canal opposite to the Grand Seignor's Seraglio, which will finish Tomorrow Evening.

*Petersburg, September 20.* On Tuesday last the Empress, the Great Duke, and the Princess of Wirtemberg, came to Town in State from Zarco-Zelo. Their Arrival in the Suburbs was announced by the Cannon of the Admiralty, and the Streets to the Palace were filled with a great Concourse of People.

Yesterday the principal Nobility, and Foreign Ministers, had the Honour to be presented to the Princess in her Apartments at the Palace.

*Vienna, September 28.* The Empress Queen returned from Neustadt to Schonbrun on Sunday last in perfect Health. His Imperial Majesty, when he left the Camp at Brunn, went to Hollitch on the Frontiers of Hungary, from whence he is expected to return hither on the 1st of October.

His Serene Highness Duke Albert of Saxe-Teschen returned to this City late last Night from the Camp at Brunn, and is already set out with his Archdutchess for their Residence at Schlofshoff.

*Dresden, October 1.* On Saturday last the Elector and the Electoral Family returned from Pilmnitz to Dresden for the Winter.

*Berlin, October 1.* Her Prussian Majesty is now so well recovered from her late Indisposition, that Orders have been given to notify to the Nobility and Foreign Ministers, that there will be Court Tomorrow and Sunday next, as had been usual, at her Palace of Shoenhausen.

*Berlin, October 5.* The Prince and Princess of Wirtemberg returned here some Days ago from Memel, where they had been to accompany the Princess their Daughter on her Way to Petersburg.

**I**N Pursuance of the Directions of an Act passed in the Tenth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, "An Act to enable the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrants to make out new Writs for the Choice of Members to serve in Parliament, in the room of such Members as shall die during the Recess of Parliament;" I

do hereby give Notice, That the Death of Thomas More Molyneux, Esquire, late Member of Parliament for the Borough of Haslemere in the County of Surry, hath been certified to me in Writing, under the Hands of two Members of Parliament; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown, to make out a new Writ for the Electing of a Burgess to serve in this present Parliament for the said Borough of Haslemere, in the room of the said Thomas More Molyneux, deceased, at the End of Fourteen Days after the Insertion of this Notice in the Gazette. Dated the 13th Day of October, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-six.

FL<sup>r</sup>. NORTON, Speaker.

Custom-House, London, October 7, 1776.

FOR SALE,

*BY Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, &c. (in Pursuance of an Act of Parliament of the Third Year of His present Majesty) on Tuesday the 15th, Wednesday the 16th, and Thursday the 17th, of October, 1776, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoons of the said Days, will be put up to Sale in the Long Room in the Custom-House, London, the following Goods, which are allotted in small Quantities, for the better Accommodation of the several Dealers, as well as private Persons, who chuse to become Purchasers.*

For Exportation.

*Blois and Thread Bone Lace, and Muslin stitched with Thread.*

For Home Consumption.

*Muslin, Bamboo Fans, Pictures, Paper Prints, Wine, Sugar and other Grocery, Borax, Boats, Materials of Vessels, Composition Paste, Dried Herbs, Essence of Herbs, Purple, King's, and Rose Wood, Brandy, Rum, Geneva, Cordial and Hungary Water, Green and Bohea Tea, Raw and Roasted Coffee, Wool and Worsted Yarn, and sundry other Sorts of Goods as mentioned in the Catalogues.*

Clear of all Duties.

*The Boats and Materials of Vessels to be viewed at the Tobacco Ground near the Wet Dock, Rotherhithe; and all the other Goods at the King's Warehouse, Custom-House, London, on Friday the 11th, Saturday the 12th, and Monday the 14th, of October, from Nine to One in the Forenoons, and in the Mornings before the Sale; where Catalogues will be delivered.*

Westminster Fire-Office, Bedford-street, October 10, 1776.

**T**HE General Meeting appointed by the Deed of Settlement to be yearly in October for chusing Directors for the Year ensuing, and on other Affairs, will be held at this Office on Thursday next the 17th Instant, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon precisely.

Geo. Browne, Secretary.

Rye, October 9, 1776.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the next Meeting of the Commissioners for completing and keeping in Repair the Harbour of Rye in the County of Sussex, will be held at the Sluice House near Rye, on Friday the 25th Instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon.

John Jeakens, Treasurer.

