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P R E S E N T,

The Queen's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

UPON reading this Day at the Board a Report from Mr. Attorney-General, upon the Petition of the Master, Wardens, and Assistants and Brethren of the Trinity-House of Deptford Strand, praying That an Order of Council made in 1665 may be renewed, for Exempting them from serving in the Militia (the Lieutenancies having of late Summoned them to serve in the Militia, and for refusing so to do have Fined some of them as Defaulters) which was taken into Consideration; and it appearing, by divers Charters granted by Her Majesty's Royal Predecessors, that for these Hundred Years and more they have been Exempted from serving in the Militia, or being Contributory thereunto, by reason the Petitioners with their Ships and Servants are at an Hour's warning to be commanded out to Sea for Defence of Her Majesty's Kingdoms; and also, in Cases of Necessity, are to serve in the Militia, provided they be thereunto required by Warrant from six of Her Majesty's Privy-Council, whereof the Lord High-Admiral to be one, as by their Charter more at large appears. Her Majesty thereupon, with the Advice of Her Privy-Council was pleased to Order, and it is hereby accordingly Ordered, That the said Master, Wardens, Assistants and Brethren of Trinity-House of Deptford Strand shall enjoy their ancient Privileges, and that they and every of them be Exempt and Freed from all manner of Duties and Services to be performed in the Militia, or any Tax to be paid thereunto, as to their Persons, their Offices, or any House or Houses belonging to their Offices (except they shall be thereunto commanded by Warrant from this Board) and from all Fines and Penalties to be imposed upon them or any of them for the same; whereof Her Majesty's Lieutenants and their Deputies, and all others whom it may concern, are required to take notice, and conform to this Signification.

Edward Southwell.

Venice, May 17. N. S. The Duke of Uzeda left Rome on the 5th Instant; as did the Cardinal del Giudice on the 11th following. They designed to embark on Board the Pope's Gallies at Civita Vecchia. General d'Auran, with a Battalion of Avignonesse Soldiers, are to be transported also in those Vessels to Marseilles. On Saturday last arrived here the Duke of Guastalla. The three Examiners of the Administration of the late Doge were chosen the same Day. His Effigies was carried on the Monday following with great Pomp to the Church of St. John and St. Paul, and placed in a magnificent Tomb erected for that purpose. The next Day the youngest Senator, and one of the chief of the Forty, went down from the Great Council to the Church of St. Mark, out of which they took a Boy to draw the Balls: The several Ballotings being ended, the forty one Electors are now to withdraw, and be locked up 'till they have chosen a Doge.

Vienna, May 18. N. S. We hear from Inspruck, that the King of Denmark was expected there on the 15th Instant. Count Lamberg, Governor of Upper Austria, is gone to Linz, there to wait on his Danish Majesty, in case he takes that Place in his way to Dresden. The Danish Troops in Hungary are all marching to the Island of Schut, where they are to be reviewed on the 21st of this Month by General Reventlau, who is to make a Report to his Danish Majesty at Dresden of the present Condition the Troops are in. They are computed to be about 3600 effective Men. The Investiture of the Bishoprick of Lubek was given some Days ago to the Duke of Holstein's

Minister residing at this Court. Count Kinski, Great Chancellor of Bohemia, since his return from Prague, has been added to the Members of the Secret Conference. The Hungarian Malecontents making frequent Excursions on this side the Danube, the Inhabitants about Oedenburg and Raab have been forced to agree with Count Esterhazy, the Hungarian General, to pay Contribution for a liberty to cultivate their Lands and Vineyards without Molestation.

Berne, May 18. N. S. The general Diet of the Cantons, which is called together to settle the Affair of Tockenburgh, is to meet on the twenty third Instant. The Princess Dowager of Conti hath lately written a Letter to this Canton, to acquaint them, that her late Husband having by Will bequeathed his Right and Pretensions to the Principality of Neuchâtel to his Son, she thought it necessary to send them a Copy of the said Will, as well to take away all Pretence to a Prescription, as, in hopes this Canton would continue to her Son the same Love and Affection which they bore to his Father.

Dartmouth, May 22. Yesterday in the Afternoon came from the Westward about 100 Sail of Ships, being the Mast Ships from New-England, under Convoy of the Falmouth. The Arundel came in also with Coasters from Plymouth, who took off of the Stern a small Privateer, which lay there at Anchor as the Fleet came up. All these are gone to the Eastward. Her Majesty's Ships the Southampton and Lizzard, with several laden Colliers from Wales, are put into Torbay. The Crown, Saphir and Rye, with the Transports and Merchant Ships bound for the West-Indies, are still in Torbay.

Portsmouth, May 24. Yesterday arrived at Spithead her Majesty's Ships the Southampton, Lizzard, Falmouth, Arundel, and the Express Advice-Boat, with about forty Sail of Transports, Merchant-men and Coasters under their Convoy, from Plymouth; the Transports having two Regiments of Soldiers on Board. Admiral Baker, with his Squadron, continues at Spithead.

Admiralty-Office, May 24. Her Majesty's Ship the Falmouth, of 50 Guns, commanded by Capt. Walker Ryddell, in her Passage from New-England, with some Ships laden with Masts, and others under her Convoy, was, on the 18th of this Month, attacked by a French Ship of War of 60 Guns, about 24 Leagues from Scilly; and Capt. Ryddell perceiving that the Enemy did intend to Board him, he filled his Head-Sails, and laid her on Board under her Boltsprit, directly athwart her Hawse, and raked her fore and aft with his Cannon. The Enemy continued in this Posture about an Hour and a half, during which time he entered many Men, but they were repulsed; however, the number of Men on Board her being much greater than those in the Falmouth, it occasion'd various Turns, but at length he thought fit to retire, having first cut all the Land-Yards of the Falmouth's Fore and Mizzen Showds, believing it might prevent her following to rescue the Convoys which the Enemy stood after; notwithstanding which, Captain Ryddell did with such Diligence follow him, as enabled him to preserve them, and to bring them into Plymouth. In this Action the Falmouth had 13 Men killed, and 56 wounded; the Captain himself received a Wound in his Right Leg, and several other hurts, and the second Lieutenant, and Mr. Lawrence, one of the Volunteers, were shot through the Body. The Falmouth had on Board her 20000l. of New-England Money at the time of the Engagement.

The Right Honourable the Earl of Pembroke, Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, &c. doth hereby direct and require, That all the Men belonging to Her Majesty's Ship the Royal Anne Galley, building at Woolwich, do repair Aboard Her Majesty's Ship Orford at that Place, on Monday the 6th of June next, as they will answer the contrary at their Peril.

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Her Majesty's Ships the Restoration, Newarke and Burford at Chatham or Blackfakes, and the Rupert in Longreach or at the Nore, being forthwith ordered to Sea: the Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Pembroke and Montgomery, Etc. Lord High-Admiral of Great Britain and Ireland, Etc. is pleased to direct, That the Men belonging to the said Ships, which are absent from their Duty, do immediately repair Aboard them, otherwise they will be taken up and punished as Deserters. And the Lord High Admiral having ordered the Foremast Men belonging to Her Majesty's Ship the Cornwall, to be removed into the aforesaid Ship Newarke, to serve in her, and directed them to be paid their Wages before she sails from the Nore; his Lordship is pleased to direct, that the Men which are absent from the Cornwall, do immediately repair Aboard the Newarke, otherwise they will be also taken up and punished as Deserters.

By Order of the High Court of Admiralty.

This is to give Notice, That on Friday the 3d of June next, at 3 of the Clock in the Afternoon, will be exposed to Publick Sale at the King's Head in Dover, a Galliot Pink called the Dorothy, burthen about 90 Tuns, Holland-built, with her Tackle and Furniture, now lying in Dover Harbour, Inventories may be seen, and the Goods viewed, at Mr. Isaac Miter's, Merchant in Dover.

Notice is hereby given by the Agent to the Officers and Company belonging to Her Majesty's Ship Salisbury, Capt. Hofer Commander, that on Wednesday the 1st of June next, at Mr. William Young's House in the Broadstreet at Plymouth, they may receive their several Shares of the St. James Fish Prize, according to the Directions in Her Majesty's most Gracious Proclamation of the 20th of May, 1708. And that the Shares of such as shall not then be received, may, during the space of three Years, be every Wednesday morning received at the Place aforesaid.

All Persons that have Claims in the Amicable Society for a perpetual Assurance Office in the Year 1708, are desired to receive the same at the said Office against St. Dunstan's Church in Fleetstreet.

Advertisements.

A Pleasant Farm, with a Brick House belonging to the same, with several Acres of Arable and Pasture Land, situate and being in Atherstone within two Miles of Stratford on Haven, in the County of Warwick, late the Estate of Mr. William Hurdis of London, Merchant, now in the Occupation of Mr. William Timbrell, living on the Spot, Let to him for 100 l. per Annum, for a Term of Years. These are therefore to give Notice, that if any Person is willing to be a Purchaser for the same, the Assignees under the Commission of Bankruptcy awarded against the said William Hurdis will be at the Swan-Inn in Stratford on Haven on the 6th of June next, in order to treat with any Person that will purchase the same: Any Person that will purchase the same, is referred to view the Premises.

T Thomas Sanderford, a young Boy, between 11 and 12 Years old, Rust Complexion, and his own Hair, having on an old Rust-coloured Druggist Coat, has been missing from Westminster School ever since Saturday last. If any Person can give notice where he is, to Mr. Durrell, a Woollen-draper, at the Golden-Angel over against Sinner-House in the Strand, he shall have five Guineas reward.

T HE Manor of Court at Weeke in the Parish of Snave in the County of Kent, and several Farms and Land lying in or near Canterbury, and several Freehold Lands lying in the several Parishes of Erith and Plumstead in the said County of Kent, within 10 Miles of London, late the Estate of Sir Robert Austen, Bart. deceased, is to be Sold by Decree of the High Court of Chancery, to the best Purchaser or Purchasers, to be allowed of by John Acler, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn in Chancery-lane; where Particulars may be had.

O N Thursday in Whitsonweek a Place of 10 Pounds value will be run for on Burrough-Hill near Daintree in the County of Northampton, by any Horse carrying 11 Stone weight, the best or three Hicats, the winning Horse to be Sold for 30 Pounds, and to be entered at the Wheat-sheaf in Daintree aforesaid, six Days before the Day of Running; and each Horse to pay one Guinea Entrance Money.

A Note under the Hand of Mr. Jos. Beachcroft for 300 l. payable to the Lady John Gou or Bearer, dated the 11th of April, 1709, was lost the same Day by a Servant in or near Chesepide, and the same taken up by a Stranger, as hath been signified by a Letter directed to Mr. Beachcroft, with an offer to deliver it for a Reward: Notice is hereby given, that if the said Note shall within 10 Days be left with Mr. Beachcroft, G. Esq; at the three Kings in Chesepide, the Person leaving it shall have a Guinea Reward, it being of no Value but to the Owner, payment being stop'd; and if the said Note be offered in Payment or Discount, it's desired it may be stop'd, and notice given to the aforesaid Mr. Beachcroft, and they shall receive a Guinea Reward.

A Great quantity of Norwich Stuffs of all sorts, which are very proper for Exportation, or for Shop-keepers, are to be disposed of very cheap, at Blinlows's-Inn in Lawrence-Lane, they being the Goods of a Person who has left off the Business.

L O S T the 20th Instant, a Note signed by Francis Bourkes for his M^r. Richard Adams, for 100 l. payable to Capt. Thomas Johnston or Bearer, dated April 2, 1709, or which is endorsed to Guineas on April 14, and on the 21st 10 Guineas more. If any such Note should be offered in Payment, Discount, or otherwise, you are desired to stop it, and give Notice to Mr. Richard Adams at the Black Horse in the Strand, and you shall have a Guinea Reward, Payment being stop'd.

D ROP on Sunday Morning last, between Crutcher-fryars Bars and Baskin-Church, crossing Tower-hill, a Diamond Buckle,

with a black Girdle to it: Whosoever will bring it to Mr. Jennings, a Toy-shop, at the Sign of the Angel the Corner of Milk-street, or a Chesepide, shall have 5 Guineas Reward.

W HEREAS in the Gazette of the 16th Instant, there was an Advertisement, that Sarah Tadmam of London, Milliner and Leatherfeller, would attend the Commissioners to finish her Examination on the 31st Instant, (but, by Mistake, the Hour and Place was omitted:) This is to give Notice, that it will be at 3 Afternoon, at Guildhall, London.

T HE Assignees of a Commission of Bankrupt against John Stone, late of Exon, Fuller, desire the said Stone's Creditors to meet about extraordinary Business at Cradling's Coffee house in the Close of Exon the 6th of June next, by two in the Afternoon; and at the same time to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay Contribution-money.

W HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against James Harcum, late of Bristol, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 2d, 4th and 25th of June next, at the Elephant Coffee-house in Bristol aforesaid, at 10 in the Forenoon; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove Debts, pay Contribution-money, and chuse an Assignee or Assignees.

W HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Mary Wroth and Susanna Nelson, Widows, late of London, Hair-Merchants and Copartners; this is to give Notice, that the Commissioners intend to meet on the 31st Instant, at 10 in the Forenoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London; at which Time and Place the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay Contribution-money.

W HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Peace, of the Strand in the County of Middlesex, Linen-draper, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 31st Instant, and the 7th and 25th of June next, at 9 in the Forenoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove Debts, pay Contribution-money, and chuse Assignees.

W HEREAS Jacob May, late of Spittle-Fields in the County of Middlesex, Dyer, hath surrendered himself to the Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt against him and Henry May, and been twice Examined, but the said Henry May hath not yet surrendered himself; this is to give Notice, that the said Jacob May will attend the Commissioners on the 2th of June next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; where the Creditors of the said Jacob May and Henry May may attend to prove Debts, pay Contribution-money, and assent or dissent from the Allowance of the said Jacob May's Certificate.

T HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Gardner, late of the Parish of Rodborough in the County of Gloucester, Clothier, intend to meet on the 8th of June next, at 10 in the Forenoon, at the Irish chamber in Guildhall, London; when and where all Creditors that have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same; and all Persons who are indebted to the said Bankrupt, or have any Effects of his in their Hands, are forthwith to pay and deliver the same to Mr. William Gardner of English-Bicknor in the said County of Gloucester (Assignee of the Commissioners) or such Person as he shall appoint, or they will be Sued.

W HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Edward Worson and Stephen Worson of Bovey-Tracey in the County of Devon, Clothiers, and they having surrendered themselves, and been twice examined; these are to give Notice, that they will attend the Commissioners on the 5th of June next, at two in the Afternoon, at the House of Nicholas Cove, being the Sign of the Blue-Anchor in Chudleigh in the said County of Devon, to finish their Examinations; when their Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-money, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of their Certificate.

W HEREAS Henry May of London, Dyer, hath surrendered himself, and been twice examined; this is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 10th of June next, at 4 in the Afternoon, at the Irish chamber in Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove Debts, pay Contribution-money, and assent to or dissent from the Signing of his Certificate.

W HEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Christopher Wighman, late of London, Hair-Merchant, have certified to the Rt. Hon. the Lord High-Chancellor of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conform'd himself according to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made against Bankrupts: these are to give Notice, That his Certificate will be confirm'd as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 22th of June next.

W HEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Robert Yare of London, Goldsmith, have certified to the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conform'd himself according to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made against Bankrupts: This is to give notice, that his Certificate will be confirm'd as the said Acts direct, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 12th of June next.

S LAY'd or Sol'd on Wednesday Morning the 18th Instant, out of the Paddock of John Newtham, Esq; at Chadhurst, near Edgworth, Warwickshire, a Sorrel Gelding, 9 years old, 14 hands 3 inches high, a Blaze down his Face, 4 white Legs half way up, and a thin Sprig Tail, does not Pace: Whoever gives notice, so that the Gelding be secured, to the aforesaid Mr. Newtham; or Mr. William Newtham at Manwaring's Coffee house against St. Dunstan's Church in Fleetstreet, London, shall have 2 Guineas Reward.

S TOL'n or Stray'd from John Richards of Torrington St. Clements, in the County of Norfolk, on Monday the 4th of April last, a black Mare, 15 hands high, with a white Range down her Face, with some white Hairs on the top of her Crown on the off side, hath two white Feet behind: Whoever gives Notice (so that she may be had again) to Mr. John Richards aforesaid; or to Mr. John Mitchell, at the Crown Coffee-house in West-Smithfield, London, shall have a Guinea Reward, and reasonable Charges.