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*Genoa, September 22.*

ON the 18th came to an Anchor in this Port four French Gallies, under the Command of the Chevalier de Langeron, which 'tis said are to proceed to Leghorne as soon as the Weather will permit; and they are extraordinarily manned, having double the Number of Marines usual; 'tis not known what the Design of their Voyage is, but 'tis said they are to be followed by 4 other Gallies. 'Tis advised from Tripoli, that Admiral Baker with a Squadron of 5 British Men of War arrived there on the 13th of July, and had renewed the Peace in the Name of the King of Great-Britain, including His Majesty's Subjects on the Island of Minorca.

*Stockholm, Aug. 7.* On Sunday the 5th Instant an Express arrived here from Oregrunds, a small Sea-Port about 30 Leagues to the Northward of this Place, with an Account that on Friday last about 10 a Clock at Night, 6 or 7 small Muscovite Gallies came unperceived into that Road from Aland, and landed immediately about 150 Men, who seized about 20 Men of the Town, and after an Hour's stay retired, without doing any other Injury to the Inhabitants, who are most of them Fishermen, and serve for Pilots in the Bothnick Gulph; from which 'tis apprehended, that the Design of the Muscovites in carrying off those People, is to make use of them as Pilots in their intended Descent from Finland. This Attempt causes a great Consternation all along the Coast, so that many Families have already abandoned their Dwellings, and are removing up into the Country. Upon this News General Taube, who commands the Army in these Parts, dispatched an Express to the King, to desire that the Regiments of Infantry of Upland, Helsingland and Buckler's, which his Majesty lately directed to march from the Northward to Schonen, and are now advanced into this Neighbourhood, might be left here. All the Finnish Troops which retired out of that Duchy about two Years ago, and have since been quartered in Helsingland, and are yet computed at about 2000 Horse and 2500 Foot, came last Week into Upland the Province adjoining to this City, so that all the three Provinces on this side the Bothnick Gulph, as far as the Town of Gafle, are now entirely destitute of Troops. There is yet no Camp formed in this Neighbourhood for the Defence of this City; nor hath the King hitherto declared what Regiments shall continue hereabouts. But if the three abovenamed pursue their March to Schonen, there will then be remaining in these Parts only about 1200 Horse and 2500 Foot, besides the Finlanders. The Letters from Schonen say, that by the Middle of this Month the Army in that Province will amount to 10000 Horse and 8000 Foot, besides the Garrison; and there are still on the march thither about 4000 Foot and 1500 Horse. By the Advances from Capricrona the Swedish Fleet is taking in 6 Weeks Provisions more; and 'tis said it will put to Sea again by the Middle of this Month; though its Strength is still only 16 Ships of the Line, and 4 Frigates.

*Copenhagen, Oct. 3.* The Preparations for the intended Descent on Schonen having been protracted several Weeks beyond the Time proposed when that Project was first formed and agreed on; by which Means not only the Season is too far advanced, but the Swedes have drawn together a considerable Army in Schonen, secured all the Posts, and removed all the Forrage and Provisions from the open Country into the strong Towns; and there not being sufficient Magazines provided here, for supplying such a Number of Forces in an Enemy's Country and in the Winter, as were designed, and necessarily must have been transported from hence; it has been resolved after mature Deliberation, to defer that Enterprize to a more proper Season. In the mean while the Muscovite Troops are all embarked here, in order to be carried to Winter Quarters; but in what Parts they are all to be disposed, is not yet intirely settled. Frequent Conferences are held between the Danish and Russian Ministers. Sir John Norris with the British and Dutch Squadrons, will in a little Time go up the Baltick, to secure the Return of the Trade. The Czar has intimated that he designs to go to Holland, proposing to have an Interview with the King of Great-Britain in his Way thither.

*Hanover, Oct. 6.* The King designs to set out for Goor on the 10th Instant; which Day is also fixed for the Departure of the Queen of Prussia to return to Berlin. The freshest Letters from Warsaw, which are of the 25th of September, do not bring any thing certain as to Peace or War in that Kingdom: The Confederates had again sent Deputies to the King, and the Conferences were to be renewed on the 26th; but at the same Time General Bosen with 6000 Saxons was marching with all Expedition, in order to attack M. Gniadowski at Thorn. Mr. Whitworth sets out on the 12th Instant to return to the Court of Berlin.

*Brussels, Oct. 5.* The 1st Instant being the Emperor's Birth-day, the same was celebrated here with the usual Ceremonies, and by a triple Discharge of the Cannon and small Arms of the Garrison both at Noon and at Night: In the Absence of Count Kinigslegg the Imperial Minister, who has been for some Days past in the Country, Count Vehlen, Commander in chief of the Troops, attended by a great Number of Officers, assisted at the solemn Service performed in the Cathedral Church on that Occasion. One of the Marquess de Prié's Secretaries arrived here Yesterday: He brought his Imperial Majesty's Instructions to Count Kinigslegg for his Embassy to the Court of France; and his Excellency's Equipage is preparing, in order to his setting out immediately after the Marquess de Prié's Arrival at this Place. Letters from Ghent advise, that two of the Deputies of Flanders set out from that Place on the 2d Instant for the Hague, viz. M. Triest d'Aughem, first Secretary of that Town, and M. Cordonnier one of the Pensionaries of Bruges: 'Tis said that Baron Pottelsberg de Boulancy is deputed in behalf of the Clergy; but his Imperial Majesty's Letter to the States of Flanders, authorizing them to send only two Deputies to the Hague,

Hague, to instruct his Minister in their pretended Grievances, 'tis thought the Baron will not be admitted to go thither on that Occasion. The Lord Cadogan who had been detained here some Days by a Strain in his Ankle, of which he is not yet perfectly recovered, set out Yesterday Morning from hence for the Hague.

*Hague, Oct. 9.* On the 3d Instant arrived here the Marquess de Prié, who in his Passage through Boile-duc was entertained by Count Tilly General of the Troops of this State and Governour of that Place. On the 5th, the Marquess de Beretti Landi, Ambassadour of Spain, arrived here. On the 6th arrived the Lord Cadogan, Ambassadour Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the King of Great-Britain: And as the Bishop of Antwerp and the other Deputies of Flanders and Brabant are come hither, 'tis presumed the Conferences will soon be opened, for adjusting amicably the Difficulties which have hitherto prevented the Execution of some Articles of the Treaty of Barrier. The same Day the Lord Cadogan came hither, he notified his Arrival to M. Burmania, President for the Week of the Assembly of the States-General, who on the 7th made his Lordship a Visit and complimented him on the Part of their High Mightinesses. That Day likewise his Lordship received Visits from the Marquess de Prié, Baron Heems, and the other Ministers residing here. The same Day M. Burmania went to compliment the Marquess de Beretti Landi, in the Name of the States, on his Arrival here. M. Geldermalsen and Baron Swartsembourg are returned from Flanders, whither they went, by a Deputation from the States to view the Magazines and Fortifications of that Frontier; and have made their Report to the Council of State. The States of the Province of Holland are to assemble on the 14th of this Month. 'Tis said an Assembly of Persons deputed extraordinarily by the States of each Province, will be held on the 15th Instant.

Admiralty-Office, October 4, 1716.

*The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty having received a Letter by the Penny-Post signed J. H. concerning a Project for freshening the Sea-Water; Their Lordships do hereby give Notice, that if the Person who sent the said Letter will attend them any Morning at their Office, between the Hours of 10 and 2, they will be ready to receive, and give all fitting Encouragement to his Proposal.*

#### SUN FIRE OFFICE.

*This is to give Notice, That the Quarterly General Meeting of the said Company, will be held at their Office in Threadneedle-street, behind the Royal Exchange, London, on Monday the 15th Instant, at Nine of the Clock in the Morning. At which Time all Persons, who have sustained any Loss or Damage by Fire, and have made their Claims, are desired to attend, to receive their full Monies for the same.*

*At a General Court of the Shavers in the Beech-Oyl Company held at their House in Essex-street in the Strand, on the 3d of this Instant, it was unanimously resolved and agreed, that every Shaver do pay in 5s. upon each of his Shares, on or before the 1st of November next, into the Hands of Mr. Samuel Lane, the Company's Cashier, who will attend for that Purpose every Morning between the Hours of 9 and 12, at the Place above-mentioned.*

*The Committee for letting the City Lands in the Account of the Chamberlain of the City of London, give Notice, that they intend to Let by Lease two Tenements in Basinghall-street Postern, in the Possessions of Mr. Hannam and Mr. Barker, and one behind them in the Possession of Mr. Collet. A Tenement and Garden at the upper End of Gould's-Square in Crutched-Fryers, in the Possession of Mrs. Thornbury, and several Tenements in Chain-Alley adjoining. The first and eleventh Tenements in the Tentor-ground in Bunhill-fields. The fourth, fifth and sixth Tenements there, and the two Tenements there next the Common Hunk's, and a Piece of Ground at the South side of the said Tentor-ground. And five Tenements in Chiswell-street, in the Possessions of John Hunt, Widow Smith, William Morgan, Samuel Jackson and Thomas Hill: And that the said Committee will sit in the Council Chamber of the Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the 10th Instant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, to receive Proposals*

*for the Premises severally; of which more particular Information may be had at the Comptroller's Office in the Guildhall aforesaid.*

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**Whereas** a black and white Greyhound Bitch, with a Steel Collar, and a small brass Padlock, these Words round it, (Captain Percival of the Royal Regiment of Horse-Guards) was lost in Berwick-street, Soho, on Saturday the 15th of September last: Whoever has picked her up, leaving her at the Five Bell Tavern in the Strand, shall receive 10s. Reward, and no Questions asked.

**Whereas** a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Thomas Spackman, of London, Goldsmith, and he being declared a Bankrupt, the Commissioners intend to meet upon Friday the 12th of October Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts and pay their Contribution-Money: And all Persons that are indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are not to pay and deliver the same to any Person but such only as the Commissioners shall appoint; and are forthwith to give Notice thereof to Mr. Humphry Hetherington, Clerk of Goldsmiths-Hall, London.

**Whereas** a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Smith, late of St. Anne's Soho, in the County of Middlesex, Carpenter; and the Commissioners therein named having made an Assignment of the said Bankrupt's Estate to Mr. Wm. Seabrooke near Fleet-Bridge, London, Brick-layer; This is to give Notice to all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or other Effects of his in their Hands, that they forthwith pay and deliver the same to Mr. John Marsh, Attorney at Law, at Haberdashers-Hall, London, he being impow'ed to receive the same by the said Mr. Seabrooke, or they will be sued.

**THE** Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Elizabeth Jennings, of the Strand, in the County of Middlesex, Widow and Vintner, intend to meet on the 16th Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend, which will be forthwith made.

**THE** Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Paxton, of Round-Court in the Strand; in the County of Middlesex, Mercer, intend to meet on the 25th of October Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are then to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

**THE** Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against James Maude, late of Newbold, in the County of Lancaster, Merchant, intend to meet on the 23d of October Instant, at Nine in the Forenoon, at the Ram in Rasthale in the said County, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Distribution, the Deeds being then to be sealed.

**Whereas** the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Payne, of the City of London, Merchant, have certified to the Right Honourable William Lord Cowper, Baron of Wingham, Lord High-Chancellor of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conformed himself according to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; this is to give Notice, That his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 26th of October Instant.

**Whereas** the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Alexander Taylor, of Ashborne, in the County of Derby, Mailier, have certified to the Right Honourable William Lord Cowper, Baron of Wingham, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that he 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 his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 26th of October Instant.