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Copenhagen, December 27.

M. Scheffedt, Secretary of State to the King of Denmark has by his Order informed the Lords Polwarth and Glenorchy, his Britannick Majesty's Ministers at this Court, That M. Bassewitz and Helsen the Duke of Holstein's Ministers have declared to the Danish Minister at Vienna, that the Duke their Master is ready to take Possession of the Dutchy of Holstein, which the King of Denmark has promised to restore: And that his Danish Majesty has thereupon given Orders for the restoring of the said Dutchy to that Duke, as soon as his Commissaries shall come to take Possession of it.

Hague, Dec. 31. The Commissioners of the several Admiralties were here some Days ago, to confer with the Deputies of the States General, upon a Project they have had under Consideration for some Time, to alienate and farm for three Years half of the Duties of their Custom-Houses, and take stricter Measures than formerly for the Collecting of the said Duties, which are proposed to be lessened, but better managed. The Design is like to take Effect; but it is feared there will be some Difficulties in the Execution of it; for the Magistrates are always for favouring the Merchants in the Point of the Duties of the Customs. Yesterday the Marquis Beretti Landi, Ambassadour of the King of Spain, took Leave in form of the States, having for that Purpose desired a Conference with their Deputies, to whom he gave great Assurances of the King his Master's good Intentions to this Republick. He proposes to set out in a few Days for Valenciennes; and after some Stay there to proceed to Cambray: Whither Count Windischgratz, the Emperour's Penipotentiary, will likewise be going in a little Time. The Council of State presented to the States General on the 28th Instant, an Estimate of the Military Expences necessary for the ensuing Year; to be sent to the respective Provinces; which is said to be the same as that for the last Year. 'Tis advised from Bruffels, that Mr. Law was gone from thence to Cologoe, in his Way to Rome.

Paris, Jan. 4. On the 1st Instant in the Evening the King, accompanied by the Duke of Bourbon, went to the Church of the Jesuites, to assist at the Service which was celebrated there by that Society. The Marschal de Vil-Jeroy was confined that Day by the Gout. The General Assembly of the India Company which was held at the Bank on the 2d Instant lasted above five Hours, by Reason of the several Debates which arose with Relation to the Interests of that Company. The chief Resolutions taken that Day were, that the Duke Regent be continued Governour of the Com-

pany, and the Duke of Bourbon declared Vice-Governour. Eight honorary Directors were appointed, viz. the Prince of Vendome, the Dukes of Gramont, d'Antin, and de Chaulnes, the Marschal d'Estrees, the Marquesses de Mezier and de Lasse, and M. Landivisian. Eight other Persons well skilled in Commerce are joined with them, in order to give their Opinion when they shall be consulted by them. The Company resigns the General Farms, the General Receipts, and the Profits of the Mint; and the King takes upon him the Annuities of the Town-House, the Annuity-Actions, the Annuities for Lives, and the Provincial Annuities. The Farm of the Tobacco remains to the Company for 15 Years; and they are to be exempt from the half of the Customs of Importation and Exportation. His Majesty promises them never to establish any other Company. Another Assembly is appointed to be held on the 9th Instant, when they will proceed to the Choice of new Directors; and a Committee is to sit twice a Week to receive and report the Representations and Memorials of the Proprietors of the Actions. The King has appointed M. Trudaine, de Machault, and Fesnant, Counsellours of State, his Commissaries, to take Care of his Interests in Matters relating to the India Company. The Receivers General of the Finances are re-established upon the Foot they were formerly. It is said that they are to advance 40 Millions, one half in ready Money, and the other in Notes under their Hands payable at certain Terms, which they may reimburse themselves in a limited time. The Cardinal de Polignac being returned from his Abbey of Anchin was introduced to the King on the 2d Instant. The Departure of the Cardinal de Rohan for Rome is put off for some time. The Chancellour and the Archbishop of Cambray did not come to the Sorbonne on the 2d Instant as was expected, and nothing material passed that Day in the Assembly of that Faculty.

Whitehall, Dec. 31, 1720.

The Person who wrote a Letter the 29th Instant subscribed B. J. to the Right Honourable Mr. Secretary Craggs, is desired to come to Mr. Secretary any Morning at his Office at the Cockpit Whitehall.

The Lords and others Commissioners for the Affairs of the Royal Hospital near Chelsea hereby give Notice, that all the Out-Pensioners belonging to the said Hospital residing in London, and within 20 Miles thereof, are required to make their personal Appearance before the 29th of March next, at the Secretary's Office in the said Hospital, where Attendance will be given Tuesdays and Wednesdays only, in order to take their said Appearance; and that all such Out-Pensioners who are at a further Distance, do forthwith apply themselves to the next Justice of the Peace where they reside, and make Oath of their being Pensioners of the said Hospital, mentioning the Regiment they did belong to, whether they were wounded or disabled, the present Place of their abode, and



and that they are no otherwise provided for by the Government, to the Intent the Commissioners for the said Hospital may be satisfied that such Persons are the same as passed their Examination; which Affidavits are to be sent directed to the Right Honourable Robert Walpole, Esq; Paymaster-General at the Horse-Guards, London, that on their Appearance, and return of such Affidavits, the Warrant for Payment of the said Old-Pensioners will be made out to the 25th of December Instant, but that no one will be entered on the Pay-Books, or entituled to the said Pension, but such as make their Appearance, or send Affidavits, as before directed; that the like Method will be observed within two Months after the 24th of June next, and so to continue after every half Year following.

By Order,
Kingsmill Eyre, Secr.

South-Sea-House, Dec. 30, 1720.

The Court of Directors of the South-Sea Company give Notice, that on Monday the 2d of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, a General Court of the said Company will be held at Merchant-Taylors-Hall in Threadneedle-street, London, to consider of a Proposal for Ingraffing a Part of their Capital Stack into the Bank and East-India Companies.

East-India House, Dec. 28, 1720.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies do hereby give Notice, that their General Court holden this Day have adjourned themselves to Tuesday the 3d of January next, and have appointed them to meet at Ten in the Forenoon, about special Affairs.

Advertisements.

THE Creditors of John Kayner, late of East-Drayton, in the County of Nottingham, Esq; deceased, are, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, and of a subsequent Order bearing Date the 10th Instant, to prove their Debts before Richard Godfrey, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-Lane, by the 23d of January next, or, in Default thereof, they are to be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

TO be sold, an Estate for two good Lives, consisting of a Messuage, Barns, stables, and other Outhouses; and also of three Yard Land and half in Whatcott, in the County of Warwick, and now let to a substantial Tenant at the Yearly Rent of 35 l. And also two Messuages and one Yard Land or Free-Land in the same Town and Fields, of the yearly Value of 12 l. or thereabouts: Enquire of Mr. Mordecai Hepper, Attorney, at Walton, in the said County of Warwick; Mr. Joseph Hunt, Attorney, at Shippton upon Stower, in the County of Worcester; or of Mr. Tho. Davis, at Whatcott aforesaid.

WHEREAS on the 10th of this Instant December, was brought to the Catherine-wheel and George without Bishopgate, by a young Man unknown, a black Mare, about 13 Hands two Inches high, full aged; the Person who came with her said he came from Hamstead, and would call for her on Sunday or Monday following, but has not since been heard of: If the Person that owns the said Mare does not come or send for her, paying her Charges, to William Willis, at the Catherine-wheel and George aforesaid, within seven Days after the Date hereof, she shall be disposed of. Dec. 31, 1720.

WHEREAS Edward Evans at the Golden Ball against Cold-Street, in Long-Acre, in the Parish of St. Martins in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Pawn-Broker, being resolved to leave off his said Trade; all Persons who have any Plate, Watches, Rings, Jewels, Clothes, Linnen, or other Goods whatsoever, in pledge with him, are hereby desired to fetch away the same, by or before the 2d of February next, or they will be sold.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against George Matters, late of Packington, in the County of Warwick, Cheats-Factor, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 6th, 10th, and 30th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Ann Noble, late of Canterbury in the County of Kent, Widow and Vintner, and she being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender herself to the Commissioners on the 5th, 12th, and 30th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or Effects of hers in their Hands, are desired to give Notice to Mr. Greenway, at his Chambers in Thavies-Inn, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Ezekiel Sherman, of Colchester, in the County of Essex, Union-Draper and Grocer, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 17th, 24th, and 30th of January next, at Nine in the Forenoon, at the House of Joseph Rich, commonly called the Old Tavern, in Colchester; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

Samuel Jones, and Joseph Wood, both of Whitty, in the County of York, Gentlemen, being chuse Assignees of the Estate and Effects of Francis Waynman, Robert Waynman, and Ann Waynman, all of Whitty aforesaid, Merchants and Partners, Bankrupts: All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, or that have any Goods or Effects of theirs in their Hands, are forthwith to pay and deliver the same to the said Assignees, or they will be immediately sued.

M^r Messieurs David Fotheringham, of London, Merchant, Simon Warner, of Rotherhithe, Merchant, and Richard Bridgman, of Cheapside, being chuse Assignees of the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Bond, and Mathew Dove, of Lombard-street, London, Goldsmiths and Bankers and Partners: All Persons that are indebted to the said Bankrupts, or that have any Goods or Effects of theirs in their Hands, are forthwith to pay and deliver the same to the said Assignees, or they will be sued by Mr. Ashley Newton, Attorney, in Abchurch Lane, London.

THE Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Samuel Wilkins, of the Parish of St. Andrew's Holbourne, in the County of Middlesex, Silk-weaver, having made an Assignment of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects to Mr. William Selwin, of Peter-Nolter-Row, and Mr. William Wyat, of Fish-pool, London, Silkmen: All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are forthwith to pay and deliver the same to the said Assignees, or they will be sued.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Jonathan James, late of London, Mercer, intend to meet on the 14th of January next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a second Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and 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 the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Butler, late of Guilford, in the County of Surry, Mercer, intend to meet on the 17th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where his Creditors may come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHEREAS Sir Julius Beck, Bar. of London, Merchant, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 16th of January next, at Nine in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHEREAS John Forde, of London, Vintner, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 16th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHEREAS Thomas Harrison, of the City of York, Mercer, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 16th of January next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners to a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Barten Holyday, of the Parish of St. Mary White-Chapel, in the County of Middlesex, Silk-Throwster, have certified to the Right Honourable Thomas Lord Barker, Baron of Macclesfield, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Barten Holyday 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 20th of January next.

William Jones, late of the Town of Mohmmouth, Victualler; Prisoner in the Goal for the said County; being inserted in a List delivered in upon Oath by the Keeper of the said Prison, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace held for the said Town and County; and having petitioned one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said Town and County, and his Warrant signed thereupon, directed to the Keeper of the said Prison, (together with a Writing importing Notice thereof to all the said Prisoner's Creditors) to bring him to the next General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the said Town and County, to be discharged, pursuant to an Act lately passed for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, &c. and he conforming himself in all things as the Act directs, his respective Creditors are to take Notice thereof.

Charles Willons, late of Ormeskirk, in Lancashire, Carpenter, Prisoner in the Goal for the Borough and Corporation of Liverpool; being inserted in a List delivered in upon Oath by the Keeper of the said Prison, at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace held for the said Borough; and having petitioned one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said Borough, and his Warrant signed thereupon, directed to the Keeper of the said Prison, (together with a Writing importing Notice thereof to all the said Prisoner's Creditors) to bring him to the next General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held by Adjournment, in and for the said Borough on the 9th of February next; to be discharged, pursuant to an Act lately passed for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, &c. and he conforming himself in all things as the Act directs, his respective Creditors are to take Notice thereof.