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Madrid, December 23, N. S.

FOUR Days since the Chevalier Eon his Catholick Majesty's Director for the Affiento of Negroes, arrived here from London: He has had an Audience of their Catholick Majesties Letters from Galicia relate, that on the 7th Instant the Ship San Carlos, commanded by Captain Mark Forest, an Irishman, failed from the Corunna for Cadiz, as also the San Fernando from Vigo, the last having taken in 300 Seamen raised in that Country, for Cadiz. These two Men of War are the same that failed from St. Andero in November last for the West-Indies, but were forced back by bad Weather. There are Advices from Biscay, that two Men of War of 80 Guns each are ready to be launched in a Port near St. Andero. Letters from Barcelona of the 14th Instant relate, that two Companies of Gunners with their Officers have been ordered from thence for Malaga, as also 25000 Cannon Balls, which were actually imbarking.

LENT Preachers appointed to Preach before His Majesty, for the Year 1726-7.

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| Feb. | 15 Ash-Wednesday, | Dean of the Chapel, Lord Bishop of London. |
| | 17 Friday, | Dean of St. Paul's, Dr. Hare. |
| | 19 Sunday, | Lord Bishop of St. Asaph. |
| | 22 Wednesday, | Dr. Hayley. |
| | 24 Friday, | Dean of Winchester Dr. Trimmell. |
| March | 26 Sunday, | Lord Bishop of Oxford. |
| | 1 Wednesday, | Dr. Mayo. |
| | 3 Friday, | Dean of Durham, Dr. Montague. |
| | 5 Sunday, | Lord Bishop of Chichester. |
| | 8 Wednesday, | Dr. Pearce. |
| | 10 Friday, | Dean of Peterborough, Dr. Lockier. |
| | 12 Sunday, | Lord Bishop of Bristol. |
| | 15 Wednesday, | Dr. Carter. |
| | 17 Friday, | Dean of Litchfield, Dr. Walmisy. |

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| | 19 Sunday, | Lord Bishop of Landaffe. |
| | 22 Wednesday, | Dr. Thistlewaite. |
| | 24 Friday, | Dean of Canterbury, Dr. Stanhope. |
| | 26 Palm-Sunday, | Ld. Archbp. of Canterbury. |
| | 29 Wednesday, | Dr. Terry. |
| | 31 Good-Friday, | Dean of Westminster, Ld. Bishop of Rochester. |
| April | 2 Easter-Day, | Lord Almoner, Lord Archbishop of York. |
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LENT Preachers appointed to Preach at His Majesty's Chapel at Whitehall, on Wednesdays and Fridays for the Year 1726-7.

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| Feb. | 15 Ash-Wednesday, | Dean of Rochester, Dr. Clagett. |
| | 17 Friday, | Dr. Foulkes. |
| | 22 Wednesday, | Mr. Greenwood. |
| | 24 Friday, | Dr. Marshall. |
| March | 1 Wednesday, | Mr. Booth. |
| | 3 Friday, | Dr. Lovell. |
| | 8 Wednesday, | Mr. Hargraves. |
| | 10 Friday, | Dr. Hoadley. |
| | 15 Wednesday, | Mr. Croxall. |
| | 17 Friday, | Dr. Naylor. |
| | 22 Wednesday, | Mr. Knipe. |
| | 24 Friday, | Dr. Waterland. |
| | 29 Wednesday, | Mr. Burrell. |
| | 31 Good-Friday, | Dean of Norwich, Dr. Cole. |
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War. Office, Dec. 22, 1726.

Whereas the General Officers of the Army to whom the Examination of the Reduced Officers of the Land-Forces and Marines upon Half Pay in Great-Britain was referred by His Majesty, have in their Report to Him, among other Things, proposed the following Rules, viz.

" That every Reduced Officer on Half-Pay
 " in Great Britain, shall for the future write to
 " the Secretary at War for the Time being,
 " twice every Year, viz. in the Months of Ja-
 " nuary and July, declaring he is the same Offi-
 " cer who was approved of in the last Exami-
 " nation, and no otherwise provided than by
 " His Majesty's Half Pay; which Letter must be
 " signed

[Price Two Pence.]



“ signed by the said Officer, mentioning there-
 “ in the Regiment to which he did belong.
 “ And also, that no Reduced Officer on
 “ the British Establishment of Half-Pay shall
 “ presume for the future to go out of any of
 “ His Majesty's Dominions into foreign Coun-
 “ tries without a particular Leave of Absence.

*These are therefore by His Majesty's special Com-
 mand, to direct and require all Persons concerned here-
 in, to conform themselves to the said Rules, as they
 shall answer the same at their Peril.*

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African-House, Jan. 5, 1726-7.

*A General Court of the Royal African Company of
 England, is to be held at their House in Leadenhall-
 Street, on Tuesday the 17th Instant, at Two in the Af-
 ternoon, to declare the Choice of Governour, Sub-Gov-
 ernour, and Deputy-Governour for the Year ensuing;
 the Votes to be brought in between Nine and Twelve in
 the Forenoon of the same Day: And another General
 Court on Wednesday the 18th Instant, at Six in the
 Evening, to declare the Choice of 24 Assistants for the
 Year ensuing; the Votes to be brought in between Nine
 in the Forenoon, and Two in the Afternoon the same
 Day.*

By Order of the Court of Assistants,
 Fra. Lynn.

Trustees-Office, South-Sea-House, Dec. 16, 1726.

*The Trustees appointed by Act of Parliament for Sale
 of the Estates of the late Directors of the South-Sea Com-
 pany and others, give Notice, That they intend to ex-
 pose to Sale by Cont or Auction, to the best Bidder, in
 the Hall of the South-Sea-House, on Wednesday the 25th
 Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Fore-
 noon, the several Estates following, viz. A Freehold
 House in Rose-street, Covent Garden, and a House in
 Broad-street, in the City of London, late the Estates of
 William Astill, Esq; (one of the said late Directors.)
 A Copyhold Estate at Market-Deeping, in the County of
 Lincoln, late the Estate of James Edmondson, Esq; (one
 of the said late Directors.) A Freehold Estate at Whelp-
 ly-Hill, in the County of Bucks, and a Freehold Estate
 at Stratton-Barnard, in the County of Wilts, late the
 Estates of Francis Hawes, Esq; (one of the said late Di-
 rectors.) A Moiety of three Freehold Houses near Ald-
 gate, in the City of London, late the Estate of Richard
 Hulditch, Esq; (one of the said late Directors.) A
 Leasehold House in Switkin's-lane, in the City of Lon-
 don, late the Estate of Mr. Robert Knight, late Cashire
 of the said Company. An Estate at Abloads Court, in
 the County of Gloucester, late the Estate of Mr. Robert
 Surman, late Deputy Cashire of the said Company.
 Particulars of the said Estates may be had at the Trustees
 said Office.*

Advertisements.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of
 Chancery, by Saturday the 14th of January Instant,
 several Mannors, Parks, Farms, and Woodlands of
 Chatham, Cliffe, Finstury, Cuxton, East-Chalke, Shoine, and

Gravesend, &c. with the Mansion-House, Out-houses, Gar-
 dens, Orchards, Parks and Woods, late the Estate of Sir
 Joseph Williamson, Kt. deceased, with their Appurtenances,
 in the County of Kent, before Francis Elde, Esq; one of the
 Masters of the said Court, at the said Master's Chambers in Sy-
 mond's-Inn in Chancery-lane, London, where Particulars may
 be had. Note, Summons are taken out to attend Mr. Elde on
 Tuesday next, at 11 a-Clock in the Forenoon.

WHEREAS a Parcel of Cheese, containing about Three
 Hundred Pounds Weight, or thereabouts, was, in or
 about March last, ordered by William Ashby, then Ware-
 house-keeper at Bank-key in Lancashire, to be left with
 Mr George Jones of Liverpool, with whom the same now
 remains; and he receiving no Orders, or Advice from Ashby
 or any other Person what to do with the same; and the said
 Cheese, by continuing so long in his Warehouse going much
 to decay, will in a short Time be of no Value: Notice is
 hereby given, that the Owner may Claim and have the same,
 or otherwise the said Mr. Jones thinks fit to have the same
 appraised and sold for the Benefit of the Owner thereof, 30
 Days after this Notice.

THE Trustees for the Creditors of Tabitha Keld, late
 of the City of York, Milliner, do hereby give No-
 tice, that they will make a second Dividend of the said Ta-
 bitha Keld's Estate and Effects among the Creditors on
 the 28th Day of this Instant January, at the House of Mr.
 Dandy, Attorney, in Aldermanbury, London.

ALL Persons that have pledged any Goods at John God-
 dard's, in Eagle-street, at the back Door of the Vice
 Tavern, Holbourn, that have lain above 14 Months, as Plate,
 Rings, wearing Apparel, Pictures, or other Goods, are to fetch
 them away by the first Day of February, or they will be
 disposed of by me
 John Goddard.

WHEREAS the Commissioners in a Commission of Bank-
 rupt awarded against Daniel Peers, late of Great Cog-
 geshall, in the County of Essex, Bay-maker, have made a
 new Assignment of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects un-
 to Anthony Massey, of Chiswell-street, in the Parish of St.
 Giles Cripple-gate, in the County of Middlesex, Soap-maker,
 Ambrose Aity, of Watling-street, London, Tobaccoist, and
 Thomas Cooke, of Oldfish-street, London, Distiller, and the
 said Assignees have great Reason to believe that the said
 Daniel Peers did not upon his last and final Examination
 before the Commissioners, make a full and true Discovery of
 his Estate and Effects, but that he hath secreted and con-
 cealed great Part thereof; All Persons therefore that have
 any Monies, Goods, or Effects of the said Bankrupt's in their
 Hands, or can discover the same, are desired forthwith to
 give Notice thereof to the said Assignees, or to Mr. Raymond,
 Attorney, at Braintree, in the said County of Essex, and
 they shall, upon delivering the same, or Discovery thereof,
 receive from the said Assignees as a Reward, the Sum of 25 l.
 for every 100 l. and so proportionably for a greater or less
 Value: And the said Commissioners do hereby give No-
 tice, that they intend to meet at the Sign of the Chapel in
 Great Coggeshall aforesaid, on Thursday the 19th Day of
 this Instant January, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon,
 at which Time and Place they will be ready to receive any
 further Discoveries of the said Bankrupt's Estate that can be
 made, and to examine Witnesses for that purpose; and the
 Creditors who have not already proved their Debts and paid
 their Contribution-Money, may then do the same, and assent
 or dissent from the Allowance of the said Bankrupt's Certifi-
 cate: And the said Assignees do also give Notice, that they
 intend at the same Time to sell and dispose of the said Bank-
 rupt's Goods and Effects, seized under the said Commission.
 And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or who shall
 hereafter keep or conceal any Part of his Estate or Effects,
 will be sued by Mr. Mathews, Attorney, in Gutter-Lane,
 Cheap-side, London, unless they forthwith pay and deliver
 the same to the said Assignees.

Whereas

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Robert Spencer, of the Parish of St. James Clerkenwell, in the County of Middlesex, Millwright, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 9th and 19th Instant, and on the 6th of February 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 Effects of his in their Hands, are to give Notice to Mr. John Farmer, Attorney, in Cross-street, Hatton-Garden, Holbourn, London.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against Thomas Miller, of the Town of Northampton, in the County of Northampton, Innholder and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 17th and 18th Instant, and on the 6th of February next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Angel Inn in Towcester, in the County of Northampton aforesaid; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Joseph Holroide, late of Sowerby, within the Vicarage of Halifax, in the County of York, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 13th and 20th Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, and on the 6th of February 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 Effects of his in their Hands, are to give Notice to Mr. Jos. Hatfield, Attorney, at Founder's-Hall in Lothbury.

WHereas William Cole, late of Wallingford, in the County of Berks, Chapman, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 16th Instant, 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 object, if they think fit, against the Commissioners signing his Certificate in order for his Discharge. And on the said 16th Instant the Creditors are to come prepared to chuse an Assignee or Assignees in the Room of the Assignee already chosen, he refusing to act.

WHereas Lancelott Armstrong, of Curstors-Alley, near Chancery-lane, in the County of Middlesex, Taylor, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 16th Instant, 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 object, if they think fit, against the Commissioners signing his Certificate in order for his Discharge.

WHereas Charles Adams, of Puddledock-Hill, London, Joyner, hath surrendered himself, (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 19th Instant, 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

object, if they think fit, against the Commissioners signing his Certificate in order for his Discharge.

WHereas Timothy Sherman, of James-street, Covent-Garden, in the County of Middlesex, 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 Instant, 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 object, if they think fit, against the Commissioners signing his Certificate in order for his Discharge.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Godwin the younger, of Stow-Market, in the County of Suffolk, Bell-Founder, intend to meet on the 18th Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 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 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 Thomas Slaughtor, of St. Martin's Le Grand, in the County of Middlesex, Haberdashar, intend to meet on the 22d Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a 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 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 against Richard Gore and John Boys, having assigned their Effects to Samuel Scott, of New street near Letter-Lane, London, Button-maker, Joshua Hoyland, of Shetfield, in the County of York, Factor, and Richard Banner, of Birmingham, in the County of Warwick, Toy-maker: All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, are forthwith to pay the same to the said Mr. Scot, or Mr. William Marland, Hardwareman, in Cornhill, London, or they will be sued by Messrs. Brackstone and Morse, Attornies, in Watling-street, London.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Benjamin Smith, late of Foscutt, in the County of Bucks, Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellour of Great Britain, that the said Benjamin Smith 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 27th Instant.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Halle, of Calne, in the County of Wilts, Drugget-maker and Fuller, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellour of Great Britain, that the said William Halle 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 27th Instant.