

Britannick Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary, having represented to the Court this Proceeding, as contrary to the established Practice of this Port; his Portuguele Majesty has been pleased to send Orders to the Fort of Bellem, not to permit any Spanish Ship to go out after an English one, till Twenty four Hours are expired. Letters of the 4th Instant from Faro advise, that by a Tartan which came in there that Day the British Consul had received an Account, that the Prince Frederick and Yarmouth Men of War, with the Transports under their Convoy, had spoke with Sir Charles Vager's Squadron which lay off Cadiz the 1st Instant, and then proceeded with a fair Wind for Gibraltar.

*Cassel, May 10.* On the 16th Instant Brigadier Sutton had the Honour to accompany the Landgrave to review four Battalions of Foot, viz. one of Grenadiers, one of Guards, one of the King of Sweden, and one of Rau, which were drawn out for that Purpose on a Plain near this Town; they were all new clothed, well armed, and accoutred, and made a very fine Appearance. The same Day his most serene Highness was pleased to make a Promotion of General Officers.

*St. James's, May 20.*

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint William Stanhope, Esq; late His Majesty's Ambassadour Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at the Court of Madrid, to be Vice-Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household, in the Room of the Right Honourable Thomas Coke, Esq; deceased.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Compton, Esq; to be His Majesty's Consul-General in the Dominions of Portugal; and also to be His Majesty's Agent and Consul-General in the Islands of Maderas; in the Room of Thomas Burnet, Esq;

*A General Quarterly Court of the Governours of the Bounty of Queen Anne, for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy, will be held on Monday the 5th of June 1727, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the New Building adjoining to the Banqueting-House at Whitehall.*

*The Court of Directors of the Equivalent Company give Notice, That the General Court of the said Company which was held at their House in Freeman's Court in Cornhill, London, on Wednesday the 17th Instant, is adjourn'd till Wednesday the 31st Instant, at Eleven a Clock in the Forenoon; when it will be again held at the same Place.*

*African-House, May 18, 1727.*

*The Court of Assistants of the Royal African Company of England give Notice, that on Saturday the 24th Day of June next, Attendance will be given at the said Company's House in London, from Ten a-Clock in the Morning to Three in the Afternoon, to pay the said Company's Bonds, with all Interest due on them to that Day; and that from and after the said 24th Day of June next all Interest will cease on all and every of the said Company's Bonds.*

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

*Trustees Office, Broad street, London,  
May 17, 1727.*

*In pursuance of an Act of Parliament made in the last Session for enlarging the Times for hearing and determining Claims by the Trustees for raising Money upon the Estates of the late Directors of the South-Sea Company and others, and for empowering the said Trustees to dismiss Claims for want of Prosecution, and for several other Purposes in the said Act expressed; Notice is hereby given, that the said Trustees will inquire into the Claims which are made by the Persons hereafter mentioned, on the Estate of Robert Knight, Esq; late Cashier of the said Company, on the respective Days herein set forth, at the publick Office of the said Trustees, at Nine in the Forenoon, viz. On Tuesday the 30th of this Month, the Claims of Benjamin Braund, Thomas Penrose, Henry Lee, John Billwood. Wednesday the 31st of the same Month, the Claims of John Patient, Viscount Huddleston, Thomas Darby, George Collingwood. Friday the 2d of June next, the Claims of Thomas Wheeler, John Weaver, Adam Holt, Catherine Coles, Tuesday the 6th of the same Month, the Claims of Edward Saunders, John Gibbons, Thomas Oldfield, Richard Holt. Wednesday the 7th of the same Month, the Claims of Thomas Croft and Mary Croft, Samuel Baily, Samuel Overy, James Beadle. Friday the 9th of the same Month, the Claims of William Cheselden, Francis Hyde, Thomas Johnson, William Kendrick. Tuesday the 13th of the same Month, the Claims of Thomas Pulteney, William Holton, Thomas Stayner, John Croft's. Wednesday the 14th of the same Month, the Claims of Edward Poulter, John Nisb. Friday the 16th of the same Month, the Claims of Jasper Blythman, Margaret Manning, Elizabeth Clifford, Elizabeth Smith.*

*The Committee for Letting the City's Lands in the Account of the Chamberlain of the City of London give Notice, That they intend to Let by Lease the Place or Office of one of the Ten Corn-Meeters of this City, vacant by the Death of Mr. John Sawyer. And that the said Committee will sit in the Council Chamber of the Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the 31st of this Instant May, at Four a-Clock in the Afternoon, to receive Proposals for the same; of which more particular Information may be had at the Comptroller's Office in the Guildhall aforesaid.*

*A General Meeting of Trustees for the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surrey and Sussex, is appointed to be held on Thursday the first Day of June next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Town-Hall in the Borough of Southwark, in order to borrow Money, pursuant to the Direction of an Act of Parliament made in the Tenth Year of the Reign of His Majesty, in order to borrow Money for repairing the Roads from the Stones-End in Southwark, to Croydon, Kingston, and Surton, and from Kingston to Burton Common in the County of Surrey, and to choose Trustees in the Room of those deceased and others refusing to act.*

#### *Advertisements.*

**W**HEREAS HENRY FISHER, committed on a violent Suspicion for the Murder of Widdrington Darby, Gent. and ROGER JOHNSON, committed for Felony and other Crimes, broke out of His Majesty's Goal of Newgate last Night, between the Hours of Nine and Ten o' Clock, the said FISHER is a middle-sized thin spare Man, of a fair Complexion, some Pockholes in his Face, about 23 Years of Age, went off in a black Waistcoat and a fair bob Wigg. The said JOHNSON is a well-set Man, of a fair Complexion, middle Stature, about 33 Years of Age, in a black Suit of Cloaths, and a very fair bob Wigg. Whoever shall take or cause to be taken the said FISHER, shall receive the Sum of One Hundred Pounds, and for the said JOHNSON the Sum of Fifty Pounds, to be immediately paid by the Keeper of His Majesty's Goal of Newgate upon their being brought to the said Goal.

*May 18, 1727.*

*Thomas Allen.*

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