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From the Russian Camp at Petis Church, 20 Wersts beyond the Kymen, July 13, O. S.

THE Enemy continues retreating before us, and are got as far as Helfingfors. We are already almost thirty Miles from our own Frontiers, and in every Mile we meet with Defiles and Rivers, which are of such a Breadth and Rapidity, that we cannot finish our Bridges, (the Enemy burning all behind them) in less than three or four Days. It is impossible to draw our Provisions with us by Land, so we depend upon our Fleet for Bread; and as the Swedes have laid all waste where they have passed, it will be hardly possible to winter here. The Frost began last Year on the 18th of August, and after that Time there is no longer Foraging. The late Rains have already swelled these great Rivers, from whence we shall have new Difficulties.

Rome, August 4. This Court seems to be in the greatest Uneasiness with regard to the repeated Representations from the Romagna, on the Impossibility of supplying both Armies in that Country, especially as the Town Rimini has required of the Pope the necessary Instructions with regard to the Baggage deposited in that City by the Spaniards, who seem to insist upon the Security of that Town, should the Hussars attempt any Seizure. On the 1st Cardinal Borghese had a public Audience of the Pope, at which he presented a Diploma from the Emperor, and his Credentials as Conprotector of Germany. On the 2d died of a Pleurisie Baron Scarlatti, the late Envoy from the Emperor at this Court.

Florence, Aug. 7, N. S. The Spanish and Neapolitan Troops are very much fatigued by the constant Marches and Want

of Forage, which occasion great Desertion amongst them. Parties of 40 per Day arrive at Florence, besides those that take the Road of Bologna, &c. and enter into the Austrian Service. They are constantly harrassed by the Hussars, who often carry off part of their Baggage, &c.

Paris, Aug. 22, N. S. By Letters from the King of Sardinia's Camp at Cefenna, dated the 14th N. S, we are informed, that upon the Approach of the Allied Armies, the Spaniards had retired with the greatest Precipitation from Rimini to Fano; and that his Sardinian Majesty had since sent a large Detachment from his Army to reinforce the Troops which Guard the Frontier of his Country towards France,

From the Camp at Motbol before Prague, August 17, N. S.

On the 13th some Cannon were sent to General Bathiani, in order to enable him to dislodge the French from their Camp on that Side. Prince Charles went thither himself to make the necessary Dispositions. The 15th at Day break, we began to cannonade them in good earnest, and they thereupon began to dislodge from thence, and afterwards from the Islands near the Infirmary, where we fired with Carteridge Shot upon the French Hussars who had their Camp there. They sent their Baggage into the Town, and bore the Fire of our Artillery pretty well as long as it was Day, but withdrew entirely in the Night; and we found, the 16th in the Morning, that they had removed into the Town not only all that was good of their Horse, but likewise all their Infantry, which encamped in a Bottom in order to support their Entrenchments, all which they abandon'd to us, and are now encamp'd, the greatest Part of them in the Fosse, and upon the cover'd Way. The Deserters, who came over Yesterday and To-day assure us, that they suffer'd extremely by our Cannon.

Hague,

Hague, Aug. 24, N. S. By Letters from the Camp before Prague of the 17th of August it appears, that the French lost, by the Cannon of the Austrians, the Colonel of their Hussars named Berezini, with many more Officers of Distinction; and that the Austrians had began to batter in Breach one of the Bastions of the Town, so that they hop'd to be soon ready to make an Assault upon it, and to oblige the French to surrender.

Berlin, Aug. 19, N. S. His Prussian Majesty sets out To-morrow for Aix la Chapelle, by the way of Magdeburg, Wesel, Cleves, and Gueldre; he proposes to drink the Waters eight Days for an Indisposition in his Stomach, but his Majesty is to be back at Magdeburg by the 10th of next Month, to give the Investiture of some Lands to the Prince of Marsfeldt, from thence to return to Berlin for a few Days, after which he sets out for Silesia.

Viſtualling Office, August 11, 1742.

The Commissioners for Viſtualling his Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on Wednesday the 29th of September next, in the Forenoon, they will be ready to receive Proposals, and treat with such Persons as are inclinable to furnish Oxen and Hogs, at the Ports of London, Portsmouth, Plymouth and Dover, for the Service of his Majesty's Navy.

A Quarterly General Court of the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy, will be held at their Office in Dean's Yard, Westminster, on Monday the 5th Day of September next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon.

General Post Office, London, July 3, 1742.

Whereas divers Persons, thro' Ignorance or Carelessness, frequently put Letters into the General Post Offices, and the Receiving Houses both in Town and Country, directed on board of Ships, and to Foreign Parts, without paying at the same Time the Postage, as ought to be done; And whereas Letters and Packets are often put into the said Offices with Money and Rings inclosed, and in Fraud of his Majesty's Revenue, divers Persons presume to send Letters with false and counterfeit Franks; This is to acquaint the Publick, that no Letters under any of the Circumstances aforesaid have any Right by Law to be forwarded.

Note, That Letters going out of Great Britain (except to France, Holland, and Flanders) have by the ancient Usage of this Office paid the Foreign Postage, and are required by the Act of Parliament so to do, at

the Office in Great Britain where the same are first put in.

Note also, That if such Letters to Foreign Parts are put into any of the Country Offices, the Inland Postage of such Letters to London must also be paid on putting the same into such Office.

By Command of the Post Master General.

George Shelvocke, Secretary.

Advertisements.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree and a subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, dated June 1, 1742, before Anthony Allen, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Curſitor-street, London, on Saturday the 23d Day of October next, between Five and Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, The Manor and Farm of Wichampton, in the County of Dorset, being about 466 Acres, now lett to Mr. Daniel Blatchford, at 210l. a Year. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's House.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Robert Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, on Tuesday the 9th of November next, between Five and Seven in the Afternoon, together or in Parcels, Several Freehold and Leasehold Messuages, Lands and Premises in Wells, and in the Parishes of Glaston, East Harptree, Cuthbert, Brent, and Wookey, in the County of Somerset, late the Estate of Hodges Cook, deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be Lett to the best Bidder, on Wednesday next, the 18th Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Garraway's Coffee House in Exchange Alley, The Mines at Strontien in Scotland, clear of all Charges, except a sixth Dish to Sir Alexander Murray, Bart, or his Assignees. Particulars whereof may had at Mr. Montege's, in Little Winchester-street; at Garraway's Coffee House in Exchange Alley; and in Ironmonger Lane, of William Wigan.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Andrew Lavington, of the Parish of St. Leonard, in the County of Devon, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 31st of August Instant, and on the 2d and 28th of September next, at Three in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at the House of Katharine Fendall, Widow, called the Valiant Soldier without South Gate, in the County of the City of Exon, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the second Sitting to approve of the Assignees already appointed, or chuse new Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. William Williams in Exon.

TH E Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Leverſage, otherwise Liverſage, of Sandbach, in the County of Chester, Grocer, intend to meet on Monday the 27th of September next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the House of Thomas Johnson, known by the Sign of the King's Arms in Middlewich, in the said County of Chester, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And the Creditors of the said Bankrupt are then to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

In the Advertisement in the last Gazette, relating to the Creditors of Thomas Delahay the Elder, Esq; for Srewin, read Trewin.