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Constantinople, February 21.

ON the 14th Instant, his Excellency John Porter, Esq; his Britannick Majesty's Ambassador to the Porte, had his Audience of the Vizir, by whom he was receiv'd with the greatest Marks of Distinction; and honour'd with the Sable Furr at parting. In Consequence of the Conclusion of the Persian Peace, the respective Ambassadors are to be exchanged the 10th of March on the Frontiers, and in two Months after the Persian Ambassador is expected here. The Cham of Tartary, who arrived here some Time ago, to make a Visit to the Grand Senior, is returned loaded with Presents. The Aga of the Janisaries has been removed, and made Pasha of Heydin, in Asia.

*From on board the Russell in Vado Bay,
March 13, O. S.*

ADmiral Medley, with the Squadron under his Command, came into this Bay upon the 10th Instant: As soon as they came to an Anchor, Information was brought to him, that some of the Enemies Transports of Troops had been discovered upon this Coast; thereupon the Admiral immediately weighed Anchor, and proceeded to Sea the same Night. The next Morning he was off Genoa, where meeting with Intelligence from the Cruizers, that those Embarkations were dispersed, and that some had fallen into our Hands, and others returned to the Westward, not being accompanied with any Naval Force, he again came to an Anchor here Yesterday. According to the Advices received this Day, his Majesty's Ships have taken nine Vessels with Troops of the Embarkation which departed from Toulon for the Relief of Genoa, five of which, with his Majesty's Ship the Revenge, are now arrived here; the Captain thereof reports, that the Antelope had taken three Transports, the Leopard three, and himself two, on the 8th and 9th Instant: That the Prisoners say, the Transports being upwards of Forty, sail'd from Toulon the 17th Instant, having only a Xebeque and a Frigate to escort them: That, on the 7th Instant the Wind blowing hard Easterly, when they were about the Distance of Cape dell Mell, they were separated. Upon the 10th Instant his Majesty's Ship the Feverham took one of the said Transports to the Eastward of Genoa, and that Ship, with the Seaford and Lowestoff, chased five others into Porto Fin and Porto Especia, as the Phoenix did the French Frigate into Genoa; the Weather prevented the Ships which were appointed to intercept this Embarkation from keeping their Stations, and thereby hinder'd their taking a greater Number: The exact Account of the Numbers

of Soldiers taken is not yet known, but they are all French Troops, and it is imagined will exceed 900 Men, exclusive of the Seamen belonging to the Vessels. We hear that six Sail of the said Transports have taken Shelter at Monaco, some at Antibes, and probably others may have reached Corfica, but the greatest Care will be taken to prevent their getting to Genoa, or any Part of the State of the Republick. By Advice from Capt. Weller, of his Majesty's Ship Roebuck, and Commander of the Vessels employed at the Islands of St. Marguerite and St. Honore on the Coast of Provence, on or about the 18th of last Month at Night, the Commanding Officer of his Majesty's Ships on that Station, observing some small Vessels upon the Plage of Cannes, sent a Barcolongo, commanded by Capt. Veale, and two Feluccas, to attempt to destroy them, in which they succeeded so well, that notwithstanding the Enemy brought down a great Body of Troops to the Sea Side to oppose our Design, and after a warm Fire on each Side, our Vessels brought off six of their small Craft, and damaged some others, without any Loss on our Side; the French, as was said, had one Captain and some Soldiers killed.

Upon the 22d of February, Captain Weller observing that the Enemy had again collected about five or six Settees, and a Number of small Vessels upon the Plage of Cannes, which appeared to be intended to land Troops upon the Island of St. Marguerite, in order to make an Attempt upon the Castle, to forward the Success of which, besides the Battery of nine or ten Pieces of Cannon erected against it on the opposite Shore, there was also a Bomb Battery of four Mortars, he judged proper to attempt to destroy the said Embarkation, and accordingly proceeded with his Majesty's Ship the Roebuck, the Barcolongo and two Feluccas, but on his approaching the Shore, the Enemy turned their Cannon to play upon them, which galled our Vessels greatly; thereupon he brought up against the said Batteries of the Enemy, and attacked them with great Vigour, and after a long Opposition he silenc'd them, and obliged the Enemy to retire. The Barcolongo having before this received considerable Damage in her Hull, was obliged to bear away, being in Danger of sinking, which was no small Disadvantage to the Undertaking, as being a small Vessel, which could conveniently get near the Shore, and do Execution upon the Plage of Cannes; however Captain Weller brought up as close as possible, and cannonaded them till Night came on, and then returned to anchor in his Station off the Islands. He apprehends that several of those Embarkations were demolish'd, but

but the particular Loss of the Enemy we do not yet know, tho' it is conjectur'd their Loss of Men may be very considerable, it having been observed from our Ships, that the Officers had the greatest Difficulty to keep their Men in the Batteries to stand so warm a Fire as was made upon them, from the Roebuck in particular, during this Action. On our Side, the Barcolongo had six Men wounded, and the Vessel was much shatter'd. The Roebuck received about 30 Shot in her Hull, and her Masts and Rigging were much wounded. Six Men were killed on board of her, and fourteen wounded. Captain Townshend, who commands his Majesty's Ships employed on the Coast of Provence, is order'd to extend his Cruize to the said Islands, and to give all the Assistance he can to the Governor of St. Marguerite. Count Schulembourg's Quarters are still at Novi, and he is to be supplied with some Cannon and Mortars from hence.

Ruffell, in Vado Bay, March 19. His Majesty's Ship Leopard is this Day arrived here, and brought in about 250 French Soldiers of the Prizes that Ship had before taken, which with others before put on Shore, will make about 750 Soldiers and Officers. We have Advice, that the Duke Fireship had taken off the Islands of Hieres another Transport, having on board about 150 French Soldiers, and it is supposed that Prize is carried to Villa Franca, where we hear those that could not reach this Place on Account of the bad Weather, are also arrived; but as we have no particular Account from the commanding Officers of those Prizes, we cannot send an exact State of the Number of Officers and Soldiers we have taken in the ten Transports, which to this Day we have certain Advice have fallen into our Hands; but we are assured the whole Number is about 1100, among which, we do not hear of any Officer above the Rank of a Captain or Adjutant. The Prisoners are all sent into Piedmont, where they are to remain as his Majesty's Prisoners of War, till they are ordered to be otherwise disposed of.

Hambourg, April 11. Captain Porter, in his Britannick Majesty's Ship the Flamborough, is safely arrived in the River with Eleven Sail of Merchant Ships under his Convoy.

Hague, April 14, N. S. The Earl of Sandwich returned hither Yesterday from Breda. We learn from Paris, that the First Division of French and Swiss Guards marched the 6th, that the Second was to follow the 8th, and the Third, the 13th Instant. The Horse Guards were not to be reviewed, but to set out the 15th. The Departure of the French King's Household was put off to the 26th Instant. There are Advices that the Hector, a very rich French Indiaman, is arrived at Teneriff, in her Way to France. We do not learn that the French have yet begun to encamp in Flanders. M. de Lowendahl is going to Ghent, it is said to review his Regiment. M. de Saxe is still at Brussels.

Victualling Office, April 2, 1747.

The Commissioners for Victualling his Majesty's Navy hereby give Notice, that there is in the Hands of the Treasurer of the Navy, Money to pay the Interest due on Victualling Bills registered between the 1st of January 1745. and the 30th of September 1746. that all Persons possessed of such Bills may at any Time carry them to the Treasurer's Office in Broad-street, and receive the Interest due thereon, and have the same writ off upon the Bills.

Whitehall, April 4, 1747.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that Samuel Cox was, on Tuesday the 10th of March last, robbed of the following Bank Notes, viz.

1.			
C N ^o 131	to Capt. John Myers,	300	dated 8 Oct. 1746.
C	205 Mr. John Butler,	100	1 Sept. 1746.
	69 Mr. Matthew Collet;	100	19 Sep. 1745, or 1746
B	85 James Colebrook, Esq;	100	8 Oct. 1746.
	252 Mess. Kruger and Co.	50	9 Aug. 1746.
	155 Mr. Matthew Collet,	50	23 Sept. 1746.
C	132 Mr. John David,	42	17 s. 6 d. 10 Oct. 1746.
	78 Mr. Matthew Collet,	20	14 June 1746.
	71 Ditto	56	19 Feb. 1746.
	72 Ditto	50	Ditto.
	73 Ditto	50	Ditto.
	74 Ditto	50	Ditto.
	75 Ditto	50	Ditto.
No C 59	to George Hall	50	31 Jan. 1743.

His Majesty is pleased, for the better Recovery of the same, to promise his most Gracious Pardon to the Person who committed the said Robbery, provided the said Bank Notes be delivered to the said Samuel Cox, the Owner of them, within a Month from the Date hereof.

CHESTERFIELD.

And whereas Part of the said Bank Notes were delivered Yesterday to the said Samuel Cox, he does hereby promise to the Person as aforesaid, the Sum of One Hundred Pounds, to be paid upon Delivery of the remaining Part of the said Bank Notes, by me
Samuel Cox.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship Ambuscade, who were on board at the Retaking the Anna Maria, that they will be paid their respective Shares for the Salvage of the said Ship, on board the Ambuscade at Plymouth, at her Return from the present Cruize. The Days of Recalls will be declared at the above Payment.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ships South Sea Castle and Sberness, who were on Board at the taking the St. Clair, that they will be paid their respective Shares of the Produce of the said Prize, at the Fountain Tavern in Plymouth, the 15th of April Instant: And Notice will be then given of the Day of Recalls in each Month for three Years.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of his Majesty's Ships Lark and Gloucester, that were on board the said Ships at the taking of the Le Forte de Nantz, that they may receive their Shares of the Produce of the Gold and Silver taken in the said Prize, at Will's Coffee-house Scotland Yard, Whitehall, on Monday the 27th Instant: And all such Shares as are not then demanded, will be paid at the same Place the first Tuesday in every Month for three Years to come.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of his Majesty's Ships Dorsetshire, Princessa, Ipswich, Kingston, Hind and Otter, who were present at the taking and making Prizes of the French Ships, Reputation, Bourbon, Minerva, Amitie, Happy Return, and Pucelle, off the Island of Martinico, that their respective Shares remaining due to them, will be paid at the Three Tuns in Crutched Fryers, on Thursday the 23d, and Friday the 24th, of April; and the Shares not then demanded, the last Thursday of every Month, for three Years afterwards, at Mess. Lascelles and Co Merchants, in Mincing Lane

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship the South Sea Castle, That the Salvage Money for the Rudlow will be paid at Mr. Hewshaw's Office on Tower Hill, on Wednesday the 29th Instant; and the Shares not then demanded, will be paid at the same Place on the first Tuesday of every Month for three Years after.

TO be sold peremptorily, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, with the Approbation of Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, by Christopher Cock, Auctioneer, at the Great Room over Exeter Change

Change in the Strand, in Parcels or Lots, to the best Bidders, on Wednesday the 29th Day of April Instant, between Ten of the Clock in the Morning and Four in the Afternoon, A large Quantity of Plate of John late Duke of Buckingham and Normandy, deceased, consisting of several Thousand Ounces of wrought and plain, silver and gilt Plate. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Chancery-lane.

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TO be sold peremptorily, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery Lane, to the best Bidder or Bidders, the first Day of Easter Term next, between the Hours of Five and Seven of the Clock in the Afternoon, A Messuage or Tenement with its Appurtenances, and divers Pieces or Parcels of Land, late the Estate of George Wattleton, Esq; deceased, situate lying and being at Hanslop in the County of Bucks, seven Miles from Northampton and three from Newport Pagnell, now lett to several Tenants at the yearly Rent of 50 l. 17s. 6d. or thereabouts. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be sold peremptorily, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Edwards, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-lane, on Friday the 8th Day of May next, between the Hours of Four and Six in the Afternoon, The capital Messuage or Mannor-house, call'd Burne, and a Farm and divers Lands containing 200 Acres and upwards of Lancashire Measure, in the Township of Thornton, in the Parish of Poulton, in the County of Lancaster, lett at 225 l. per Annum, being the Estate of John Benison, Clerk. Particulars to be had at the said Chambers.

TO be sold to the best Bidder, by the surviving Executors and Trustees of the Will of William Hayward, late of Tewkesbury, in the County of Gloucester, Mercer, deceased, The several Estates following, (to wit) A Messuage and Farm at Arle, in the Parish of Cheltenham, in the County of Gloucester, Part Fee-Simple, and Part Copyhold of Inheritance, of the yearly Value of 50 l. in the Occupation of Thomas Ballinger: Also the Fee-Simple of a large convenient Messuage, with a good Malt-house, Stable, and Garden, situate about the Middle of the High-Street in Tewkesbury aforesaid, very fit for a Gentleman, or a Dealer in Grain, of the yearly Value of 18 l. in the Occupation of Lawrence Pitman. And the Fee Simple of two other Messuages, lying together in the same Street, near the Tolsey, of the yearly Value of 25 l. one of them in the Occupation of Mr. Thomas Saunders, Mercer, the other of Mr. John Pitt, Hosier, chargeable with an Annuity of 14 l. per Ann. payable to a Gentlewoman of near 70 Years of Age for Life. For further Particulars enquire of Mr. Thomas Roberts, and Mr. John Cole, in Tewkesbury, Mr. John Morgan, Postmaster, in Hereford, and Mr. William Durham, of Willersey, the surviving Executors; or of Mr. Thomas Wills, in Cheltenham. The Sale to begin on Monday the 4th Day of May next, at the New-Inn in Tewkesbury aforesaid.

TO be sold to the best Bidder, together or in Parcels, on Saturday the 25th of April Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at the Union Coffee-house in the City of Norwich, by the Assignees under a Commission of Bankrupt issued against John Church, of Langley, in the County of Norfolk, Dealer and Jobber, The real Estates of the said Bankrupt, consisting of an Estate in Southwood in Norfolk, of Sixty Pounds per Annum. An Estate in Beighton in the said County, of Forty two Pounds per Annum. A Marsh in Wickhampton in the said County, of Sixteen Pounds per Annum. A Tenement and Land in North Burlingham, in the said County, of Four Pounds ten Shillings per Annum. Also to be sold, an Estate in Strumpshaw, in the said County, of Twenty Pounds per Annum. Particulars whereof may be had of Mr. William Springall of Strumpshaw, Mr. John Lens, or Mr. Jeremiah Berry of Norwich. And all Persons indebted to the Estate of the said Bankrupt, are desired forthwith to pay their respective Debts to the said Mr. Springall, Mr. Lens, or Mr. Berry, or they will be sued for the same without further Notice.

TO be sold, under a Commission of Bankruptcy against John Burrowes the Elder, late of Biffiter in Oxfordshire, Mer-

cer, on Thursday the 7th of May next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the King's Arms in Biffiter, for the said Bankrupt's Life; A Messuage and 150 Acres of Land in Imley, in the County of Northampton, lett to William Painter at 45 l. a Year. Also another Messuage, three Closets, and 40 Acres of Land in Imley, lett to William Walton at 15 l. a Year. Also the Inheritance of a Freehold Messuage and Shop in the Market-place in Biffiter, now in the Possession of John Burrowes the Younger. Enquire of Mr. Egerton at Biffiter, or of Mr. Adamson in Lincoln's Inn.

THE Bond Creditors of John Thomlinson, late of Hadstoe in the County of Norfolk, Esq; deceased, are desired to meet the Administrators of the said John Thomlinson, on Thursday the 9th of this Instant April, at the King's Arms Tavern in Lombard-street, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, and to bring an Account of their respective Demands, in order to be paid the same.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commission of Bankruptcy awarded against William Trotter and James Trotter, late of London, Merchants and Partners, are desired to meet the Assignees of their Estate and Effects on Monday the 13th Day of April Instant, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Crown and Rolls Tavern in Chancery Lane, in order to authorize the said Assignees to adjust, compound, or leave to Arbitration several Matters in Dispute relating to the said Bankrupt's Estate, and on other special Affairs.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against George Heath, of the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Brasier, Victualler, and Chapman, 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 16th and 28th of April Instant, and on the 19th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, 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 chuse 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 Croft, Attorney, in Longacre, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Harvest, of Chiswick, in the County of Middlesex, Brewer, 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 11th and 18th of April Instant, and on the 19th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, 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 chuse 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. Gascoigne, Attorney, in Clement's Inn.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Peter Quenovault, of Nicholas Lane, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 12th Day of May next, at Three o'Clock 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, 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 and issued forth against Samuel Phillips, of the Parish of St. Mary, White Chapel, in the County of Middlesex, Linnen Draper and Chapman, intend to meet on the 28th Day of this instant April, 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 not already proved their Debts, may come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Joseph Kemp, late of Blacks Fields, in the Parish of St. John Southwark, in the County of Surry, Marriner and Merchant, have certified to the Right Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Joseph Kemp 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 by Virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 28th of April Instant.

