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Petersbourg, January 30, O.S.

HE Order for the March of the Russian Auxiliaries for the Low Countries was sent on the 28th Instant.

Naples, Jan. 30, N. S. The King has given Liberty for 200,000 Tumolis of Corn's being exported out of this Kingdom, 100,000 whereof to the French, and the other to the Allied Army in the State of Genoa. His Majesty has appointed the Prince of Arragon, the Duke of Miranda, and the Prince of Stigliano, for the Superintendency of his Houshold, in the room of a Committee he had before established for that Purpose, but has now abolished. On the 7th M. Marulle, the Maltese Ambassador, attended by many Knights of that Order, had a publick Audience of their Majesties, to compliment them, on the Part of the Grand Master, upon the Birth of the young Prince of Calabria; he was received at Court with the same Formalities as the Ambassadors of crowned Heads, and presented to their Majesties the Knights of Malta who attended him on that Occasion. The Ceremony of Christening the young Prince is put off to the 4th of February. On the 25th, M. del Rio, the Intendant General of the King's Forces, set out on a Tour to the respective Places of Cantoonment of our Troops, with express Orders to see that all the Regiments are compleat. On the 27th died Mr. Hunter, a British Merchant in this City. The same Day their Majesties returned hither in perfect Health from Persano, where they had been taking the Diversion of Hunting for a Fortnight.

Rome, Feb. 3. N.S. The new Venetian Ambassador is preparing his Equipage with the utmost Expedition, his publick Entry into this City being fixed for the 11th Instant. The King of Portugal has made several considerable Presents, and settled 600 Crowns per Annum during Life, upon M. Levizzani, who carried the Cap to the

new Cardinal d'Avalaya at Lisbon.

Florence, Feb. 6. Last Week died, after five Days Illness, Marquis Rinuccini. He was Member of the Council of Regency, and Secretary at War, and had formerly been in England, and at most of the principal Courts in Europe. On the 24th past-returned hither the Cabinet Courier, which the Regency had difpatched to the Duke de Richelieu, the French

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General at Genoa, with Complaints of the Irregularities that had been committed by a Party of French Soldiers, in seizing of Cattle and Flour at the Village of Rossano, in the great Duke of Tuscany's Dominions in the Lunigiana; and two Days after a Courier, dispatched by the said Duke de Richelieu, passed by this City for Rome

and Naples.

Hague, March 1, N.S. The Council of. State presented last Saturday to the States General, a Petition for the Sum of Six Millions Five Hundred Thousand Florins, for the extraordinary Charges of the ensuing Campaign. The Prince of Orange received this Morning Advice of the Death of Lieutenant General Matha, and immediately disposed of his Regis ment of Dragoons in Favour of General Trips. By our Advices from Petersbourg, the Russian Auxiliaries are supposed to have entered Poland above a Fortnight ago.

Whitehall, Feb. 23.

The King has been pleased to grant unto Richard Wilmot, Doctor in Divinity, the Place and Dignity of a Prebendary of the free Chapel of St. George in the Castle of Windsor, void by the Resignation of John Fountayne, Clerk, Master of Arts, late Prebendary thereof.

The King has been pleased to grant unto Roger Townshend, Esq; the Office of Receiver-General and Cashier of his Majesty's Customs, Subsidies, and other Duties, in the Room of

John Eckersall, Esq;

The King has been pleased to grant unto John Eckersall, Esq; the Office of Register-General of all trading Ships belonging to Great-Britain, in the room of Thomas Boothby Skrymsher, Efq;

The King has been pleased to grant unto Jeremiah Dyson, Esq; the Office of Under Clerk of the Parliaments, to attend upon the Commons of Great-Britain in Parliament assembled, upon the Surrender of Nicholas Hardinge, Efq;

Whitehall, February 20, 1747-8. It baving been represented to his Majesty, That on Sunday the 3d Day of January last, in the Evening, a sudden Fire broke out in the Town of Winstow in the County of Bucks, but by the most timely Assistance was extinguished without doing any considerable Day mage; And that on the Friday following, being the 8th of January last, in the Evening, another Fire broke

broke out on the same Spot of Ground with that of the Sunday preceding, which burnt with very great Violence for several Hours, and in that Time consumed Barns, Stables, Backhouses, &c. to a very great Amount, and reduced several Families to very great Extremity. And as there is, from several concurrent Circumstances, the highest Probability to suffect that the said Town was set on Fire by some malicious and evil disposed People; his Majesty, for the better Discovery, and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in the said Crime, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so as he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

BEDFORD.

And as a farther Encouragement, I do bereby promise a Reward of Ien Guineas to any Person or Persons who shall make Discovery as aforesaid of his, her or their Accomplice or Accomplices, so that he, she or they be convicted thereof.

Ri. Lowndes.

Whitehall, Febtuary 20, 1747-8.

Whereas on Monday the 1st Instant, between the Hours of Six and Eight in the Evening, the Exeter Waggon was robbed on Turnham Green in the County of Middlesex, of a Box, containing Writings, and Title Deeds of Lands in Wareham in the County of Dorset, by two Men on Foot, and three on Horseback: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Robbery, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so as they, or any of them, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

BEDFORD.

And as a farther Encouragement, a Reward of Fifty Pounds will be paid to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, upon Conviction of the Offender or Offenders, by Henry Drax, Esq; at his House in Pall Mall.

H. Drax.

Navy-Office, Feb. 11, 1747.
The Principal Officers and Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy give Notice, that they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are desirous to sell and import the Stores under-mentioned sor his Majesty's Service, between Nine and Ten of the Clock each Morning, on the Days expressed against the same, that they may

Attend with their Proposals at those Times, wix.

Iron, Wednesday March the 2d, 1747.

Dantzick Plank and Prussia Deals, Friday the 4th.

Norway Goods, Wednesday the 9th.

Hemp, Friday the 11th.

East Country Tar, Wednesday the 16th.

Riga Masts, Friday the 18th.

Notice is bereby given to the Officers and Ship's Company-of his Majesty's Ship the Port Mahon, that the Bounty Money for the Flying Hare French Privateer Cutter, taken the 8th of July 1747, will be paid on Saturday next, the 27th Instant, from the Hour of Three to Six, at the Sun Tavern, Fish-streethill, near the Monument; and such Shares as are not then demanded, will be paid at the same Place the sirst Saturday in every Month for three Years.

Stamp-Office, Feb. 22, 1747.

The Commissioners for managing his Majesty's Stamp Duties do bevely give Notice, that there is in their Office a Quantity of damaged and useless Parchment, Paper, and Printed Blanks, to be disposed of to the best Advantage of the Revenue under their Care, which are intended to be sold by Weight; wherefore any Person who is willing to purchase and pay ready Money for the same, is desired to send his Proposals in Writing, sealed up and directed to the said Commissioners, on or before the 25th Day of this Month. And every such Person may in the mean Time, on applying to the Warehouse-keeper, have Liberty (during Office Hours) to view the said Parchment, Paper, and Printed Blanks.

East India House, Feb. 18, 1747.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do bereby give Notice, that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut up on Thursday the 10th of March next at Two of the Clock.

That a Quarterly General Court will be bolden at their House in Leadenhall street, on Wednesday the 23d of the said Month, at Eleven in the Forenoon.

That the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered at the said House on

Thursday the 24th of the said Month,

That a General Court will be holden at the said House on Wednesday the 6th of April next, for the Election of Twenty-four Directors of the said Company for the Year ensuing, which will continue from Nine in the Morning till Six in the Asternoon of the same Day, after which Time no Lists will be taken in. And that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be opened on Thursday the 7th of the said Month of April.

The Court of Assistants of the Russia Company give Notice, that the Annual General Court of the said Company will be held at Salters-hall, Cannon-street, on Tuesday the First Day of March next, at Ien o'Clock in the Forenoon, for the Election of a Governor, Consult, Assistants, and other Officers for the Year ensuing.

Notice is hereby given to the Captain, Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship Sheerness, who were on Board at the taking of Le Jenne Conquerant, a French Privateer, that the several Shares of said Prize will begin to be paid on the sirst of March next, at the Sign of the Ship in Penzance, Cornwall, and to be continued the sirst Iuesday in every Month for three Years.

Advertisements.

O be peremptorily fold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Spicer. Esq: one of Court of Chancery, before William Spicer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, on Thursday the 10th Day of March next, between the Hours of Five and Six in the Afternoon, A well accustomed Inn, known by the Name of the India Arms, with Stables, Yards, Gardens, and all convenient? Outhouses thereunto belonging, lying in the Heast of the Town, and adjoining to the Market-place of Gosport, in the County of Southampton, in the Possession of Mr. John Callard; ' and three Messuages lying next the said Inn, in the several Poffessions of Mr. Collins, Mr. Butler, and Mr. Turner. And also a large Dwelling-house, with a Brew-house, Malt-house, two Store-houses, two Stables, and a neat Garden thereunto belonging, now in the Possession of Mr. Charles Child, a common Brewer, and formerly occupied by Henry Player, Esq; deceased. And also a Tenement in a Lane called Peachey's-lane in Gosport asoresaid, lett altegether at 134.1. a Year. Further Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London.

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at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Milk-street Coffee House in Milk-street, London, by the Assignces of John Hitch-tocks, of Chipping Norton, in the Gounty of Oxford, Mercer and Chapman, a Bankrupt, The Estate for Life of the said Bankrupt, with a contingent Remainder to him in Fee of and in a Freehold Messuage and Lands at Ratley in Warwickshire, lett at 281. To s. per Annum. For surther Particulars enquire of Mr. Southouse, Attorney in Milk-street, London.

Dursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, The Creditors of Hardwick Sewell, late of the Parish of Great Henney in the County of Essex, Esq; deceased, are peremptorily ito come in and prove their Debts before Anthony Allen, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Breame's Buildings near Chancery-lane, London, by the 24th Day of March next, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

London, Apothecary, deceased, are desired immediately to bring in an Account of their respective Debts to Johannah Woolley, his Widow and Executrix, of Cullum-street, as above; and all Persons indebted to the Estate of her late Husband, are forthwith to pay the same to his said Widow and Executrix, otherwise they will be sued without surther Notice.

THE Commissioners in a separate Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Joshua Willcocks, late of Aldermanbury, London, Merchant, a Bankrupt, intend to meet on Wednesday the 16th Day of March next, at Three of the Clock in the Asternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to divide out of the said Bankrupt's separate Estate amongst such of his separate Creditors who have received, or are intituled to receive the Dividend already made thereout, so much Money, as with what they have already received, or are intituled to receive, will make the said Dividend equal to the Dividend already made amongst the joint Creditors of James Huey and the said Joshua Willcocks, (against whom a joint Commission of Bankrupt bath been awarded) out of their joint Estate, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery. And at the same Time and Place such Persons who have only made Claims of Debts under

the said separate Commission, are to come prepared to give sufficient Proof thereof, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the Dividend then to be made, and of the Dividend already made of the separate Estate of the said Joshua Willcocks.

Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Robert Fletcher, of Lynn Regis, in the County of Norfolk, Dealer in Spirituous Liquors and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to furrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 5th and 15th of March next, and on the 5th of April following, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Estects; 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. George Crawford, Attorney, on St. Mary at Hill, London.

Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against David Sharp, of the City of Bristol, Mercer, Linnendraper, 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 11th and 12th of March next, and on the 5th of April following, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the House of Ann Barry, Widow, commonly called the Exchange Coffee-house situate in Corn-street in the said City of Bristol, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Estects; 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. Thomas Evans, Attorney, in Bristol.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awared and issued forth against John Bold, of the Hay-market, in the County of Middlesex, Victualler and Chapman, intend to meet on the 23d Day of March next, at Three of the Clock in the Asternoon, 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.

HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Sarah Merrett, late of the City of Bristol, Spinster and Chapwoman, intend to meet on the 16th of March next, at Three in the Asternoon, at the House of Mathew Mease, being the Nag's Head Tavern in Vine-street in the said City of Bristol, 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.