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Moscow, March 7.

THEY have actually begun to make Preparations for the Return of the Court to Petersbourg in the Month of May next. Last Saturday a Council was held at the Palace, at which her Imperial Majesty assisted; and the same Evening a Courier was dispatched for Petersbourg, with Orders for the Admiralty to cause all the Men of War and Frigats in that Port, as also those in the Port of Cronstadt, to be equipped with all Diligence, in order to form a Squadron which is to cruize this Summer in the Baltick, as they did last Year. The Court has likewise sent Orders for a considerable Body of irregular Troops in the Ukraine, to march forthwith towards the Frontiers of Lithuania, where several Regiments of regular Troops are ordered to assemble. These Precautions, 'tis said, are taken in Consequence of the Preparations that have been for some Time making by a certain Power, on the Frontiers of the Dutchy of Courland, where Provisions, Warlike Stores, pontoons, and a considerable Train of Artillery are got together, but with what View, no one can as yet form any real Judgment. The Merchants of this City have, in Consideration of the Emperess's abolishing the Custom-houses in the interior Parts of the Empire, made the Great Duke and Great Dutches a Present of 30,000 Rubles. They have likewise agreed to present the Senator Count Schuwalow, by whose Interest they in a great Measure obtained that Abolition, with the Sum of 20,000 Rubles, one Half of which is to be laid out in a magnificent Cross of the Order of St. Andrew, and the other to be paid him in Specie.

Naples, March 12. Last Week a Courier arrived here from Versailles, and a grand Council has since been held at Caserta, to consider of his Dispatches, but nothing of Consequence transpires. The Archiepiscopal Palace in this City is fitting up for the Reception of our new Archbishop, who is expected here towards the End of the Month. They are buying up, not only in this City and its Neighbourhood, but likewise in several other Parts of the Kingdom, great Quantities of Corn for the Use of the Spaniards, who are in want of that Commodity. Almost all our armed Vessels and Gallies are now cruizing in the Seas of the Romagnia, and all along the Coast, but we do not as yet hear of their having taken any Prize. The

King has appointed M. Antinori, Bishop of Lanciano, to be Archbishop of Matera, and he is preparing to set out in order to take Possession of that Benefice.

Rome, March 16. Last Saturday a long Conference was held at Cardinal Valenti's, Secretary of State, to consider of proper Measures to revive the Commerce of the Ecclesiastical State, which has declined very much for some Time past. On Wednesday Cardinal Mellini, Minister Plenipotentiary from the Emperess Queen of Hungary, had an Audience of the Pope, on the Subject of some Dispatches he received from Vienna. The Frigate that the Government bought lately at Leghorn, is sent to Malta, to be armed and equipped, after which she is ordered to cruize in the Seas of the Romagnia, against the Barbary Pyrates. 'Tis said the Duties on Tobacco are going to be taken off, and that a Scheme is preparing for making good the Deficiency by a Kind of Capitation Tax. The Reason that is given for this Alteration is, the great Trouble and Expence the Government is at to prevent the Smugling of Tobacco, which is carried to such a Height, that the Finances have suffered very much of late on that Account.

Madrid, March 25. His Catholick Majesty, who was last Week a good deal indisposed with a Cold, is now perfectly recovered. On the 11th of this Month an Express arrived from Lisbon, with an Account, that the Dragon Man of War, after having several Times been in Danger of being lost, had at length been obliged, by contrary Winds, to put into that Port. Upon the Receipt of this News, Orders were sent from hence for her to proceed to Cadiz with the utmost Expedition, under the Convoy of two Men of War, which were immediately dispatched to Lisbon for that Purpose. It is said, that this Ship brings above seven Millions of Dollars in Specie. Last Week a new Man of War, called the Aquilon, was launched at Ferrol.

Hague, April 9. The States of Holland and Westfrizeland, who opened their Assembly last Thursday, have this Day renewed their Deliberations. The Deputies of the several Colleges of the Admiralty continue also to deliberate on the Affairs of their Department. A Deputation from the Province of Utrecht is arrived here, in order to execute a private Commission, and they have already had an Audience, for that Purpose, of her Royal Highness the Princess Governante.



Governante. This Morning Prince William of Hesse Philipsthal took the usual Oaths, before the Council of State, to qualify himself for the Post of Major of the Regiment of Horse of Birkenfeld, and Captain in the said Regiment. M. Thilenus, Secretary of the Chamber of Accounts of this Province, died here Yesterday Morning. We hear from Ter Veere, that M. Huyssen, Counsellor of the Magistracy, and ancient Burgomaster of that Town, died there a few Days ago. They write from Tournay, that the Regiment of General Lillers marched from thence on Thursday last for Ypres, from whence the Regiment of Baden is to march on the 24th Instant for Maestricht, where it is to stay in Garrison.

St. James's, April 11.

This Day M. de Rosenkrantz, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Denmark, had a private Audience of Leave of his Majesty; to which he was introduced, in the Absence of the Earl of Holderness, one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, by the Earl of Hyndford, Lord of the Bedchamber in Waiting, and conducted by Sir Clement-Cottrell Dormer, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, April 13.

The King has been pleased to grant unto George Onflow, of Imber Court in the County of Surry, Esq; the Office of Out-Ranger of his Majesty's Forest of Windsor, void by the Death of the Right Hon. Peter Lord King.

The King has been pleased to grant unto John Buller, Esq; the Office of Comptroller of his Majesty's Mint and Mints within the Tower of London, and elsewhere in England, in the Room and Place of the Right Hon. Henry Lord Aylmer, of the Kingdom of Ireland.

Whitehall, April 4, 1754.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That on Tuesday the 26th of March last, about Four o'Clock in the Morning, a Barn, with a great deal of Corn, and Hay-Ricks, belonging to Thomas Field, at Hindon, in the County of Wilts, were, wilfully and maliciously, set on Fire, and burnt down to the Ground: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice, the Persons concerned in setting the said Barn and Hay-Ricks on Fire, is, hereby, pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his Accomplice, or Accomplices, therein, (except the Person who actually set the said Barn and Hay-Ricks on Fire) so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLDERNESSE.

And, as a further Encouragement, the said Thomas Field does, hereby, promise a Reward of Twenty Pounds to any Person, making such Discovery, as aforesaid, to be paid, by him, upon the Conviction of one or more of the Criminals.

Thomas Field.

Whitehall, April 6, 1754.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That a Paper was dropt, near the House of the Reverend Mr. Charles Liddell, at Wakehurst, in the County of Suffex, containing Threats of Mischief, such as Fire to his Buildings, and Murther to himself and his Servants: His Majesty, for the better discovering, and bringing to Justice, the Persons therein concerned, is hereby pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to

any one of the Offenders, (except the Person who actually wrote the said Paper) who shall discover his Accomplice, or Accomplices, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

T. ROBINSON.

And, as a farther Encouragement, the said Mr. Liddell does hereby promise a Reward of Thirty Pounds to any Person, that shall make such Discovery, to be paid on the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders.

Charles Liddell.

General Post-Office, April 13, 1754.

Publick Notice is hereby given, That a Mail for Corunna, including the Letters to Oporto, will, for the Future, be made up, and forwarded, from this Office, every Tuesday; and that all such Letters, for Oporto, as are intended to pass by the Way of Lisbon, must be marked accordingly, otherwise they will, in Course, be forwarded by the Corunna Mail.

By Command of the Postmaster-General,
Geo. Shelvocke, Secretary

General Post Office, March 2, 1754.

Whereas the Post Boy, bringing the Kent Mail to this Office, upon Thursday the 28th of February last, was, between the Hours of Eight and Nine of the Clock in the Evening, attacked and robbed, at a Place called Snipps Hill, about a Mile beyond Sittingborn, by three Footpads, one of whom fired a Pistol, seized the Horse which carried the Mail, beat the said Post Boy cruelly, and cut the Mail from the Horse and carried it away.

Two of the Persons who committed this Robbery described as short-Men, dressed like Sailors; and the other a tall Man in a red Coat.

This is therefore to give Notice, That whoever shall apprehend and convict, the Persons, or any of them who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Person or Persons, whether Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof do, or shall make Discovery, whereby any one, or more of the Persons, who committed the same, may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer, or Discoverers will, upon Conviction of any one, or more of the said Robbers, be intitled to the same Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Post-Master-General,
Geo. Shelvocke, Secretary,

N. B. This Mail was afterwards found and brought safe to the Office.

Navy-Office, April 13, 1754.

The Right Hon. the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having appointed Money for paying Half Pay to Sea Officers, from the 30th of June 1753, to the 31st of December following, according to his Majesty's Establishment on that Behalf;

These are to give Notice, that the said Payment will begin to be made at the Treasurer of the Navy's Office in Broad Street, on Monday the 29th Instant, at Eight of the Clock in the Morning, and continued the following Day, beginning at the same Hour. That all Persons may then and there attend to receive what may become payable unto them, and not only bring with them the Affidavit required touching their not having enjoyed the Benefit of any publick Employment, either at Sea or on Shore, during the Time they are to be paid the said Half Pay, but also produce Certificate that they have subscribed to the Test, and taken the Oaths required by Act of Parliament to his present Majesty. And in Case any of the said Sea Officers shall not be able to attend themselves to receive their Money, but employ Attorneys for that Purpose, that the said Attorneys may produce the like Certificates and Affidavits from the Persons they are employed by.

A General Meeting of the Trustees for Repairing and Amending the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surry and Suffex, is appointed to be held at the Fox and Hounds Inn in Croydon, on Saturday the 27th Day of April 1754, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to chuse Trustees in the Place of such as are dead, removed, or refuse to act; and to appoint Toll Collectors; and for dispatch of other Business relating to the Trust.
 Stevenfon Gourney, Clerk.

Hertford, April 10, 1754.

Notice is hereby given, That a General Meeting of the Trustees for the River L E E, will be held at the Bull Inn at Hoddesdon in Hertfordshire, by Adjournment, on Monday the 29th Day of this Instant April, at Ten in the Morning.

Bos. Toller, Clerk to the Trustees.

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PURsuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time for Uriah Stann, of the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Coffceman, a Bankrupt, to make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for 28 Days, to be computed from the 20th Day of this Instant April; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners, in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 18th Day of May next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination, and the Creditors may then and there prove their Debts, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

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TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Carey-street, Chancery-Lane, A Freehold Messuage or Tenement, with the Appurtenances, in Rumford in the County of Essex, and also a Cellar lying under the same, in the Tenure and Occupation of Mr. John Frost, Surgeon. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Office.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Elizabeth Holworthy, late of Ellsworth in the County of Cambridge, Widow, deceased; and also the Creditors of Matthew Holworthy her late Husband, heretofore of Hackney in the County of Middlesex, Esq; also deceased, are, on or before the 14th Day of June next, to come in and prove their respective Debts, and claim their Legacies, before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof, they will peremptorily be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the Court of Chancery at Durham, the Creditors of John Hodshon and Reed Hodshon, late of Witton upon Wear in the County of Durham, Gentlemen, deceased, whose Names are mentioned in a Schedule to a certain Deed dated the 7th of December 1728, or their Representatives, are to come in and prove their Debts, which they claim under the said Deed, before the Register of the said Court, or his Deputy, and to pay their proportionable Share of the Expence of carrying on the said Suit, on or before the 1st Day of August next, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

ALL Persons who have any Demands upon Edward Weight, of Loughborough in the County of Leicester, Mercer, are desired forthwith to send an Account thereof to Mr. John Davys, of Loughborough aforesaid, in order that they may receive so much thereof as his Effects will amount to. And all Persons who are indebted to the said Edward Weight, are desired immediately to pay their respective Debts to the said Mr. Davys, (who has a proper Authority to receive the same) otherwise they will be sued without further Notice.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Abel Atkinson, of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, Merchant, Grocer, and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Wednesday the 8th Day of May next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Jane Poolethwait, known by the Sign of Pontack in Water-street in Liverpool aforesaid, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing one or more Suits in Law or Equity, as shall be thought necessary for Recovery of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, or otherwise compounding or agreeing any Matters relating thereto, and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors of John Baker the Elder, or Stephen Baker, late of Bristol, Merchants, deceased, are required forthwith to apply to Mess. John Thompson and William Hare, of the same City, Merchants, in order to receive Payment of their Debts.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Samuel Greene, now or late of the Strand in the County of Middlesex, 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 22d and 26th Days of this Instant April, and on the 25th Day of May next, at Four 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 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. Dod, Attorney, in Threadneedle-street, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Henry Vale, of the City of Norwich, Carpenter 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 23d and 30th Days of this Instant April, and on the 25th Day of May next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of Thomas Wasey, the King's Arms Inn in the Parish of St. Michael at Plea in the said City of Norwich, 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. James Barnham, Attorney, in Norwich.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thurlow Tient, of the Parish of St. Mary Magdalen Bermondsey, in the County of Surry, Baker, Dealer and Chapman, did meet on the 9th Day of April Instant, pursuant to Notice in the London Gazette, at Guildhall, London, in order to chuse an Assignee or Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, but at the Request of the Creditors then present, the said Choice is adjourn'd till the 19th Day of April Instant, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and chuse an Assignee or Assignees.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Grubb, of the Parish of Saint Clements Danes in the County of Middlesex, Victualler, intend to meet on the 8th Day of May next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove 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 John Gifford and George Alexander, late of London, Merchants and Partners, intend to meet on the 9th Day of May next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Fifth Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to 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 Swaine, of Lud Lane, London, Warehouseman, Factor and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Philip Earl of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Joseph Swaine 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 4th of May next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Williams, of Finny Street, London, Haberdasher, have certified to the Right Hon. Philip Earl of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Williams 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 4th of May next.