

Extraordinary from his Britannick Majesty, expressed their Concern thereat, and declared very explicitly to his Excellency, that, on the Part of their Court, there was not the least Ground for any such Apprehensions, as the Catholic King had, at no Time, been more intent upon cultivating a good Correspondence with England, than in the present Conjuncture; and, at the same Time, informed the Earl of Bristol, that Orders had been sent to Monsieur Manso, Governor of San Roque, to reprimand such of the Inhabitants under his Jurisdiction, as had encouraged the illegal Protection given to the French Privateer Row-Boats, under the Cannon of a Spanish Fort.

Nuremberg, Sept. 22. Count Goertz, the French Minister, demanded the 11th, of the Circle of Franconia, two Millions of Rations to be delivered into their Magazines on the Mayn and on the Upper Rhine; one Half the 30th of November, the Remainder by the 31st of January, 1762.

Hague, October 6. By the latest Accounts received here from the Army in Hesse, which are of the 26th of September, Prince Ferdinand's Head Quarters were at Wilhelmstahl near Cassel. The Detachments, which the Hereditary Prince had sent along the Fulda and the Lahne, to destroy the Enemy's Magazines, have obliged Marshal Broglie to send a considerable Body of Troops to reinforce Lieutenant General de Stainville, who encamps under the Cannon of Cassel, at which Place the Marshal himself was arrived, whilst the rest of his Army was encamped between Gottingen and the Werra.

The French, after committing great Excesses in the Principality of East Friesland, had provoked the Peasants to rise in Arms against them, which had obliged the first Corps to abandon the Country. They are, however, since returned in greater Numbers, and have put a Garrison of 800 Men into Embden. A Detachment of the French Light Troops has likewise entred Osnabrugge, where they have demanded the most heavy and exorbitant Contributions.

The Russians are certainly marched to Posen; and since they separated from General Laudohn, his Prussian Majesty has levelled the Intrenchments about his Camp; from which it is imagined, that he intends to remove soon from thence.

St. James's, October 9.

The Right Honorable William Pitt having resigned the Seals into the King's Hands, His Majesty was this Day pleased to appoint the Earl of Egremont, to be one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State. And, in Consideration of the great and important Services of the said Mr. Pitt, His Majesty has been graciously pleased to direct, That a Warrant be prepared for granting to the Lady Hester Pitt, his Wife, a Barony of Great Britain, by the Name, Stile, and Title, of Baroness of Chatham, to herself, and of Baron of Chatham to her Heirs Male; And also to confer upon the said William Pitt, Esq; an Annuity of Three Thousand Pounds Sterling, during his own Life, and that of Lady Hester Pitt, and their Son John Pitt, Esq;.

St. James's, October 9.

This Day Earl Temple, Keeper of the King's Privy Seal, resigned the said Seal into His Majesty's Hands.

St. James's, October 10.

The King has been pleased, by His Royal Sign Manual, bearing Date the 7th Day of this Instant October, to order, That the Three Forms of Prayer and Service, made for the 5th of November, the 30th of January, and the 29th of May, as also a Form of Prayer for the 25th of October, (being the same as was appointed for the Inauguration of His late Majesty, with only such Alterations as have been directed by Order of Council, in relation to the Prayers for the Royal Family) be used, Yearly, on the said Days, in all Cathedral and Collegiate Churches and Chapels; in all Chapels of Colleges and Halls, within both the Universities; in the Colleges of Eaton and Winchester;

and, in all Parish Churches and Chapels, within that Part of His Majesty's Kingdom of Great Britain called England, The Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick upon Tweed.

St. James's, October 10.

The King has been pleased to grant unto Shute Barrington, Clerk, Master of Arts, the Place and Dignity of a Canon of the Cathedral Church of Christ, in the University of Oxford; The same being vacant by the Decease of Doctor Paul Forrester, late one of the Canons of the said Cathedral Church.

Dublin, September 23.

Yesterday being the Day appointed for their Majesties Coronation, the Great Guns were fired at the Phoenix Park, and answered by Volleys from the Regiments on Duty, which were drawn out in the Royal Square at the Barracks. At Noon their Excellencies the Lords Justices met at the Castle, and received the Compliments of the Nobility and other Persons of Distinction, who all wore Blue and White Cockades, when Athlone Pursuivant, in the Absence of the King of Arms, proclaimed aloud His Majesty's Style and Coronation in Latin, French, and English. After which, their Excellencies, attended with a Guard of Battle-Axes, and a Squadron of Horse, and accompanied by a great Number of the Nobility and Gentry, in their Coaches and Six, the Horses being decorated with Ribbons, made a Tour round St. Stephen's Green. In the Evening, the Regiment of Horse, and three Regiments of Foot, accompanied by the Royal Irish Regiment of Artillery, with a Train of Artillery, marched under the Command of Major General Montagu to St. Stephen's Green, where they were drawn up. And grand Fireworks were played off in three Courses, and between each Course, upon Signals made by Rockets, a Round of Twenty one Guns was fired at the Salute-Battery in the Park, which was answered by the Artillery in the Green, and afterwards by a Running Fire of the Regiments, the Whole making a most pleasing *Feu de Joye*. On the Return of the Troops to the Barracks, several Hogheads of Porter were distributed among them. His Majesty's Castle, the Parliament-House, the College, the Custom-house, the Barracks, Essex Bridge, the Steeples, and all the publick Buildings, as well as private Houses, were grandly illuminated. A Play was given by their Excellencies for the Entertainment of the Ladies; and the Night concluded with ringing of Bells, and the greatest Demonstrations of Joy.

General Post Office, April 12, 1760.

Publick Notice is hereby given, That, for the Time to come, no Person whatsoever will be permitted to pass from England, in any of the King's Packet Boats, stationed at Harwich or Dover, without first obtaining a Passport from one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

All Persons, intending to return to England in the said Packet-Boats, are in like Manner to produce a Passport from His Majesty's Minister at the Hague, or from His Majesty's Consul or Vice-Consul at Flushing, before they can be received on Board.

*By Command of the Post master General,
Henry Potts, Secretary.*

Admiralty-Office, September 18, 1761.

Notice is hereby given, that in Pursuance of the Directions of an Act of Parliament passed in the 32d Year of His late Majesty's Reign, entitled, an Act for the Encouragement of Seamen, and the more speedy and effectual Manning His Majesty's Navy, and for the prevention of Piracies and Robberies by Crews of private Ships of War, a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Goal Delivery for the Tryal of Offences committed on the High Seas within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Friday the 30th of October next, at Justice-Hall in the Old Bailey, London, at Eight of the Clock in the Morning.

Ph. Stephens.