

Woodstock, Oct. 26. This day the Peace was proclaimed here by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common-Council, being accompanied by the Neighbouring Gentlemen; after the Ceremony was performed Mr. Mayor Entertained the Company and the Country that came in, and the Evening was spent with Bonfires, Illuminations, and other Demonstrations of the Corporation's Loyalty and good Affection to His Majesty and His Government.

Canterbury, Oct. 23. This day the Peace was proclaimed here; first at the Guildhall, the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Sheriff, and Common-Council-men being present in their Formalities, together with the Officers of the Militia, and other Gentlemen of the City, attended by the Constables, Sergeants of the Mace, and other City Officers, and afterwards at the Market-Place, and other usual places of the City, with Sound of Trumpets, Drums, and several Volleys; After which the Company returned to the Guildhall, where they were entertained by the Corporation. The night concluded with Bonfires, Illuminations, Fireworks, Ringing of Bells, and other public Demonstrations of Joy.

Hereford, October 26. Yesterday the Peace was proclaimed in this City: The Ceremony begun about Two in the Afternoon; All the City Companies, with their Drums and Streamers, marched in the Front, followed by the Trumpets, and then the Mayor, with about 400 Gentlemen on Horseback: The Coroner of the City read the Proclamation at the High-Cross and two other places; and being returned to the Tolsey, the Mayor gave the Gentry an Entertainment, and afterwards went with them to a great Bonfire at the High-Cross; The Troops quartered here gave several Volleys of small-Shot, which were answered by the discharge of all the Cannon from the Castle; and the Night ended with Bonfires, Fireworks, Illuminations, and other Marks of Joy, and great Demonstrations of Zeal and Loyalty.

Colchester, Oct. 28. Yesterday the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Assistants, and Common-Council in their Formalities, accompanied with several Deputy-Lieutenants of the County, and other Gentlemen, proclaimed the Peace before the Town-Hill and Dutch Bay Hall, being attended with Trumpets, Drums, and Town Musick, and were afterwards Entertained by the Mayor at the Town-Hall suitable to the Occasion, as were also several Hundreds of the Inhabitants at Publick-Houses: The day concluded with Bells Ringing, Bonfires, Fireworks, and Illuminations, with all other Demonstrations of Joy.

Newport in the Isle of Wight, October 29. Last night the Lord *Carr*, our Governor, arrived here, and this morning the Mayor and Aldermen were in their Formalities to Compliment him, and the Corporation of *Newtown* have chosen him their Mayor for the ensuing year.

London, Oct. 29. This day Sir *Humphry Edwin*, Elected Lord Mayor of this City for the year ensuing, went to *Westminster*, accompanied by the late Lord Mayor, Mr. Recorder, Aldermen, She-

riffs, and the several Companies in their Barges, and according to Custom was Sworn before the Barons of the Exchequer, and then returned in the usual manner to *Skimmers-Hall*, where a Noble Entertainment was provided, at which were the Lords of His Majesty's Privy-Council, the Judges, and other Persons of Quality.

There are Two Mails due from Holland, besides that of Friday last.

Advertisements.

Whereas some ill Persons have Printed Counterfeit Almanacks for the year 1698, to the Abuse of the Publick, and the great Wrong of the right Proprietors, they not being written by the Authors of the true ones, though under their Names; This is to give notice, that the Sheets and Bound Almanacks of the true form, will be published at Stationers-Hall on the 9th Instant, and the Stitch'd ones towards the end of this month at their usual Rates.

The History of WALES; comprehending the Lives and Succession of the Princes of Wales, from Cadwalader the last King, to Llewelyn the last Prince, of British Blood. With a short Account of the Affairs of Wales, under the Kings of England. Written originally in British, by Caradoc of Llancarvan, and formerly published in English by Dr. Powel. Now newly augmented and improved by W. Wynne, A. M. and Fellow of Jesus College, Oxon. Printed for the Author, and are to be sold by W. Clavel at the Peacock at the West-End of St. Pauls

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against James Dorrington, late of Hyde-Park Corner in Middlesex, Chapman, intend to meet on Monday the 15th Instant, at Ten o'clock, at the St. Albans Tavern in St. Albans-street by St. James's Square, and make a Dividend of the said Dorrington's Estate; and all those who have not proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-money, must then come prepared to do it, otherwise they will be excluded the said Dividend.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Thomas Palmer, Senior, late of Leicester, Chieftain, all Persons that owe any thing to the Estate of the said Palmer, or have any of his Effects in their hands, are to pay the same to Tho. Sheppard, Attorney, near the Marine Coffee house in Bichin-lane, London one of the Commissioners therein named.

Two third parts and more in Number and Value, of the Creditors of John Smith of London, Scrivener, having Executed a Deed of Composition for their Debts; All such Creditors who have not Executed the same, or settled their Accounts, are desired forthwith to do the same at the House of Richard Pope, Scrivener, in St. Nicholas-Lane, London, in order to their receiving Security for their Composition money, pursuant to such Agreement.

Lost or mislaid a Note for 175 l. in Exchequer Bills, drawn by Mr. Phineas Bowles on Mr. William Sheppard, Goldsmith, on the 27th past, payable to Tho. Marston or Bearer. Whoever brings the said Note to Mr. Bellamy's at the 3 Pigeons in Kingstreet near Guildhall, London, shall have 20 s. Reward.

Lost on the 22th past an Exchequer Note of 5 l. No 93730 dated the 17th of September. Whoever gives notice of it to Mr. Jackson at the Red Cow in Red Lyon Court in Longacre, shall have 10 s. Reward.

Stole from Mr. John Mill, Merchant, by Highwaymen, on Wednesday the 27th past, between 2 and 3 afternoon, upon the Road upon Fair Mile Bottom between Kingston and Cobham, a bright bay Mare mixed with some little Silver coloured Hair, black Mane, one Lock of it about the middle of her Neck, also a black Tail, above 14 hands high, without any spots, between 5 and 6 years old, a true Yorkshire galloping Breed; They also took a Pair of Leather Bags, in which was Moneys, Linnen, and Papers. Whoever secures the Mare, Bags, Papers, &c. and gives notice to Mr. Thomas Ridge at Portsmouth, or to Mrs. Kies at the Cross-Keys in Gracechurch street, London, shall have their Charges, and be well Rewarded.

One Mary Britton, aged about 22, fresh coloured, light brown Hair, thick Bodied, full Shouldered, all the Fingers of her Right Hand crooked, the 2 foremost grow together, her Left Hand not altogether so bad, went away from her father Tho. Britton in Leigh Parish near Rygate in Surry about a year since: If she will return to her Friends, she shall be kindly received; Or, whoever gives notice of her to her Father aforesaid, or to Mr. William Barnes at the Rose and Crown in the Butcher-Row the backside of St. Clements, shall have 10 s. Reward.

Lost on the 13th past from Nicholas Morris at Rowley Park Gate near Wakefield in Yorkshire, a grey Horse with a bob Tail, with a C in his near Shoulder, and hath been Drawn, comes about 14 hands high. Whoever secures the said Horse, and gives notice to Samuel Enos in Gartton Square without Whitechapel-Bar, London, or to the aforesaid Nicholas Morris, shall have Two Guineas Reward: