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Cadiz, Nov. 2. N. S.

Vice-Admiral Aylmer, with the Squadron of Men of War under his Command, arrived here the 25th of the last Month, and found in this Port the Poole, the Betty, and Centurion. On the 30th past we had a very great Storm, which blew down a Wall that was building for the Security of the South-West Part of this City, and had cost much Labour and Expence. A French Merchant-ship, and divers other Vessels, drove from their Anchors, and were stranded, and above 200 Seamen lost; But none of the English Men of War or Merchant-men received any Damage. The Spanish Flota, which came last from the West-Indies, have not yet begun to unlade; The King of Spain's Officers have taken out of them a considerable Sum of Money for the Indulto which is demanded of the Merchants, who thinking themselves over-charged, have sent Deputies to the Court to represent this Matter to the King, and in the mean time delay bringing their Effects ashore.

Madrid, Nov. 12. The 6th of this Month, being his Catholick Majesty's Birth-day, he was Complimented by the Foreign Ministers, and other Persons of Quality, who had the Satisfaction to see him perfectly recovered of his late Indisposition, his Health being at present much better than it has been for these several years. There was an Opera, and other Entertainments at Court; and in the Evening the Inhabitants here took this Opportunity to give all possible Demonstrations of their Joy for the King's Recovery. Count Altamira, Ambassador from this Crown to the Pope, being lately dead, Orders have been sent to Cardinal Guidici to take care of the Affairs of this Crown at the Court of Rome, till some other Person be appointed to succeed in that Embassy. Count Tarasconi, Envoy from the Duke of Parma, has had his Audience of Leave of the King and Queen, and is preparing for his Journey home; Count Baldini remaining at this Court in his stead with the Character of Resident. Some new Levies are making here, to recruit the Forces that are quartered in the Dutchy of Milan, and to reinforce the Garrison of Ceuta; The Letters from this last Place give an Account, That on the first of October the Moors made an Attack on the Retrenchments which the Spaniards have lately built at some distance from the Town, and at first made themselves Masters of that Post; but a Company of Granadiers being sent to the Relief of our Men, they beat back the Enemy, killing divers, and taking some Prisoners.

Corinna, Nov. 25. On the 21st Instant came into this Port the Loyalty of Biddiford, Richard Woodland Commander, in 23 days from Newfoundland. Yesterday arrived here the Spanish Expedition Pacquer-boat in 4 days from Falmouth, which will sail again with the first fair Wind. Our Letters from Vego of the 14th Instant give

an Account, That Thirty five Sail of English Merchant Ships from Newfoundland, under Convoy of His Majesty's Ship the Bedford Galley, had put into that Port, and the greatest part of them sailed afterwards for O-Porto and other Ports.

Dantzick, Nov. 15. General Brandt having put a Garrison into the Town of Elbing, according to the Articles agreed on and signed the 11th of this Month by him and the Magistrates of that Place, expects the Elector of Brandenburg's Orders to send back the rest of his Forces to their Quarters, the Weather growing so cold, that it's impossible for them to continue much longer encamped. We expect by our next Letters from Warfaw, to hear what Resolution the Senate, who were to meet on the 12th Instant on the occasion of this Enterprize of the Elector of Brandenburg, have taken thereupon. The King, who was returned from Lemberg to advise with them in this Matter, intended on the 19th to begin his Journey to Lithuania, to settle the Affairs of that Dutchy, which continue in as great Disorder as ever. The Forces which are to have their Winter Quarters in that Province, are marching thither with all possible Diligence, which makes the Discontented Party very uneasy. A General Diet is summoned to meet at Warfaw in January next, in which 'tis hoped such Measures will be taken, as may quiet the Affairs of that Kingdom.

Vicna, Nov. 15. We expect by our next Letters from the Congress in Hungary to receive an Account, that a good Progress has been made in the Treaty of Peace, to which the several Parties concerned seem to be very well inclined. Great Preparations are making here for the Marriage of the King of the Romans with the Princess of Hanover, which will be Celebrated about the time of the next Carnival. The Elector Palatine is arrived here from Francfort, and intends to be present at this Solemnity. The Forces in Hungary are all marching into their Winter Quarters; and the new Forts on the River Theyse are almost finished, which will be a great Security to that Frontier. Some Advices from Hungary say, that the Grand Visier is returned towards Adrianople, having left sufficient Power with the Turkish Ambassadors at the Treaty to finish that Work.

Hambourg, Nov. 20. The Conferences between Count d'Eck the Emperor's Minister, and the Commissioners from the several Princes Directors of the Circle of Lower-Saxony, for adjusting the Pretensions of the Dukes of Mecklenbourg-Swerin and Strelitz, who both lay Claim, to the Succession of the late Duke of Mecklenbourg-Guxraw, are continued with so good Success, that in all appearance this Business will be soon Adjusted; after which, the said Commissioners intend to proceed upon the Execution of the Commission they have received from the Emperor, for enquiring into the Disorders of this City. And in the mean time they have caused an Order from his

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Imperial Majesty to be printed and published here, which is directed to the Burghers, who are blamed for their former Neglect of the Emperor's Commission to the Princes Directors of the Circle of Lower-Saxony, and their Disrespect to their own Senate, and required to have hereafter more Regard for both. But the Senate and Burghers being equally unwilling that this Commission, which they look upon as an Infringement of their Rights and Privileges, should be complied with, or their Domestick Quarrels be laid open to the Neighbouring States, have resolved to accommodate Matters between themselves, in order to which the Burghers met yesterday, and chose Deputies to confer with such Persons as the Senate shall appoint; They also approved of the Resolution which the Senate have taken, to send on this occasion Deputies to each of the Princes Directors of the Circle of Lower-Saxony, and particularly to the Elector of Brandenburg.

Paris, Nov. 26. N. S. The Court continues at Versailles. Monsieur Meyercroone, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Denmark, has had an Audience of the King, in which he notified the Death of Prince Christian, Son to the Prince Royal of Denmark; whereupon this Court is gone into Mourning for 3 weeks. The Duke d'Elbeuf Governor of Picardy and Artois, and Monsieur Bignon Intendant of those Provinces, are gone to Arras to be present at the Assembly of the States of the Province of Artois, which are shortly to meet there. The States of the Province of Languedoc are to meet at Narbonne on the 20th Instant; in order to which, the Cardinal de Bonzi Arch-Bishop of Narbonne, and as such, President of that Assembly, is gone thither. The Office of Introdutor of Ambassadors, vacant by the Death of Monsieur de Bonnevil, is given to the Chevalier de Bretevil. The Count d'Estrees is shortly expected here from Thoulon. They write from Brest, that two Ships are lading there in order to sail for the Coast of Guinea.

Falmouth, Nov. 21. The Sr. George of London Captain George Purvas Master, sailed from this Port the 19th Instant, being bound home with Tobacco from Virginia. Yesterday came in here the Spanish Expedition Pacquet-boat with one Mail from the Groyne, having been 3 days in his Passage hither. This day sailed the Alexander and the Pewterers-hall, both laden with Tin for London; and the Spanish Alliance Pacquet-boat with one Mail for the Groyne.

Bristol, Nov. 23. On the 20th Instant came in here the Corke Galley of Corke, and the Amity of this Port, Nathaniel Webb Master, both from the Barbadoes; As did likewise this day, the Sufanna of this Port from Jamaica, and the Martin Galley, Silus Wooten Commander, from Malaga.

Comes, November 23. The Dorothy of Exmouth, John de Linn Master, and the John of Bristol, Thomas Evens Master, both bound home from Hambourgh, are come into this Road; as did likewise yesterday the Commadore of the Dutch outward-bound St. Tubes Fleet, with several of the Ships under his Convoy from Spithead.

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

The Court of Directors of the Bank of England, do hereby give Notice to all Persons who are possid of Bank-Notes at 6 per Cent. Interest, dated in the Month of June, 1697. That they do bring in such Notes, and receive their Money on or at any time before the 15th day of February next, or else exchange them for Bank sealed Bills at 2 Pence a Day Interest, payable at demand: For that after the said 15th day of Fe-

bruary next, Interest is to cease on the said Bank-Notes. And the said Court do further give Notice, That Mr. Robert Hedges, one of their Cashiers, being chosen into the Service of the English-East-India Company, and ready to depart for the East-Indies, Mr. Joseph Newell is appointed One of the Three Cashiers, who are empowered by the said Court to Sign Notes for the Governor and Company of the Bank of England.

Advertisements.

These are to give notice, That Wednesday every week there is and will be a great Wheat-Market at Chichester in Suffex, where is Convenience of Grinding, and Carriage by Sea or Land to London at very reasonable Rates.

Lost out of a Gentleman's Pocket the 26th Instant, a Bank-Note No 100, dated the 22d of October last, for 100 l. payable to Tho. Hall Esq; or Bearer. If offered in Payment, pray stop it, and give notice to Mr. Richard Hoare, Goldsmith, at the Golden-Bottle in Fleet-street, and you shall have two Guineas Reward.

THE Annual Feast of the SONS of the CLERGY, will be held at Merchant-Taylors-Hall on Tuesday the 6th of December next, and a Sermon preached at the Cathedral Church of St. Paul. Tickets may be had at Mr. Forster's at the Blue-Boar in Ludgate-street, Mr. Goffe's at the Thatch'd-house Tavern near Whitehall, Mr. Brathwayt's a Stationer near the New-Exchange in the Strand; Mr. How's a Tobaccoist at the Corner of Shoe-lane, and Mr. Thornton's a Millener at the Inner-Temple-Gate, in Fleet-street; Mr. Cade's a Boidies-seller against Creek-Church in Leadenhall-street, Mr. Darle's at the Dial in Westminster-hall, and at Blackwell-hall Coffee-house in Basinghall-street.

THE Annual Feast for the County Palatine and City of Chester, will be held at Haberdashers-hall in Maiden-lane, on Thursday the 8th of December next. Tickets may be had at Mr. Cha. Lowndes's at the Golden-Lion in the Pall-mall, Mr. Rigby's at the Roe-Buck in Suffolk-street, Mr. Benner's at the Bear-Tavern in the Strand, Mr. Gamull's over-against Fetter-lane end in Fleet-street, Mr. George Shaw's in Fullers-Rents near Gray's-Inn, Mr. Holbrocks at the Civer-Cat in the Poultry, Mr. Roberts's at the White-Hart in Gracechurch-street, Mr. Withers's at the Branch of Venison and Horse-shoe within Bishopsgate, and at Lloyd's Coffee-house in Lombard-street.

Several Essays in Political Arithmetick: By Sir William Petty, late Fellow of the Royal Society. Printed for R. Clavell at the Peacock, and H. Mortlock at the Phoenix, in St. Paul's Church-yard.

At the upper end of Brownlow-street in Holborn, between Red-Lion-Street and Grays-Inn, will be exposed to Sale this present Monday several rich and ordinary Beds, with all other sorts of Household-Goods; a Gentleman having left off House-keeping: The Sale to continue till all are sold.

Whereas many of Sir Robert Vyner's Creditors for great Sums of Money have subscribed to certain Articles of Agreement; such other Creditors who have not subscribed the same, are desired forthwith to come and subscribe, or send sufficient Authority for so doing, to Mr. John Huggins's Attorney in Grocers-Alley in the Poultry, London, in order to their and all other of the said Creditors speedy satisfaction.

Lost the 25th Instant, between the Royal-Exchange and Temple-Bar, a Turkey-Leather Pocket-Cafe with Gold streaks, with one Bill for 25 l. another 20 l. a third 12 l. a fourth 50 l. under the Hands of Mr. Frame and Gould, payable to Joseph Wray; with several other Bills and Bonds, and a Malt-Ticket. Whoever brings them to Mr. Frame and Gould at the 3 Anchors in Lombard-street, shall have 4 Guineas Reward.

Whereas on the 23d Instant, 5 Malt-Tickets, No. 9291, 9292, 9293, 9294, 9295, were taken from Dr. Blow at his House in the Broad-Sanctuary in Westminster, by a middle-sized fair-complexion'd Man, with a white bob Wig, a mark in his Face, and a light-coloured Suit: All Persons are desired to stop them, and the Person, if offered to Sale or in Payment, and give notice to the said Dr. Blow, and they shall have 5 l. Reward, and Charges.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against Richard Boycott, late of Gracechurch-street, London, Linnen-Draper; All Persons that owe him any Moneys, or have any Effects of his in their Hands, are not to pay or deliver the same to any but to Mr. Tho. Collins of Cornhill, London, Assignee; to whom all Persons are to pay their Contribution-money on or before the 20th of December next, otherwise they will be excluded the Dividend that will that Day be made at 3 after Noon, at the Irish-Chamber in Guildhall, London.

Roke out of Bedford Gaol the 26th past, Eunis Macdonnel, a Scotch-man, aged about 30, middle sized, with brown lank Hair, formerly a Soldier; John Shaw, a Carlisle-man, aged about 23, middle sized, brown lank Hair, brown Clothes, a broad Speech; Matthew Miller a tall thin Man, with dark curled Hair, pale Faced, and red Wastcoat, aged about 27; Francis Allen, aged about 23, a lussy Man, with brown lank Hair, brown Clothes; and Charles Dixon, a thick well-set Man, aged about 30, with a brown Coat, a Tickling Wastcoat, and dark-brown Hair. Whoever secures them, and gives notice to the Gaoler at Bedford, or to John Seales at the Swan with 2 Necks in St. John-street, London, shall be well Rewarded.