

Disappointment of the Merchants who are concerned in it. At the same time that the Orders for dividing this Money came down from Madrid, there was also published very secret Excommunications against any Person that should conceal any Effects belonging to the English or Dutch, or any others that were Enemies to the Spaniards, of France or Spain. Yet notwithstanding all the Arrives that Court has used, employing as well the Spiritual as the Civil Authority to enforce these Effects, we do not hear of one Man that has betrayed his Trust, or discovered the Value of a Farthing belonging to any Stranger. One of the three Ships which have been so long expected from the West Indies is at last arrived at Cadix; but the Commander can give no Account of the other two, which it is supposed have been obliged to put into some Port of Brazil. The Money and Goods which came in this Ship are brought on shore, and put into a Warehouse in the same manner as is used with those which come in the Fleets or Gallies, the Merchants having only one Key of the Warehouse, which is looked upon as a great Security, seeing that these Ships are fitted out by private Persons, with a License from the Court, which they provide with a good Sum of Money; and therefore the Goods they bring home ought to be of the first Quality of the Merchants, who have taken so much care that the Duke of Aragon's Design is to furnish the Money for his own use, to supply his private occasions. It is said, he has kept his Resolution of coming down to the Promises, and the Duke of Enria's Palace is preparing for him at Seville, as the Duke of Enria's Palace is preparing for him at Seville. The Duke of Enria's Palace is preparing for him at Seville. The Duke of Enria's Palace is preparing for him at Seville.

Plains, March 5. The 2d Instant came in here 8 Merchant Ships laden with Corn for Lisbon. Yesterday came in Her Majesty's Ships the *Mermaid* and *Brigantier*, and under their Convoy two Spanish Ships from Jamaica, but left them behind laden with Hides, Tallow and Iron, and a Dutch Merchant Ship called the *Peace of Zeeland*, bound hence from Portugal, the Master whereof gives an Account, that he left Lisbon the 24th of the last Month; and that Sir George Rake, with the *Princess* in his Command, having on board the King of Spain, came in there the same day. Yesterday came in also the *May* and the *Leban*, portward bound from *Macao*, two Dutch Doggers, and a Buss from *Dablis*; and this day came in the *Experiment* Packet-Boat in 27 days from *Lisbon*, and the *Sonnet* from *Spain*.

Chapel, March 6. Three Regiments of Colonel Gage's Regiment of Horse, and two of His Majesty's General Regts. Dragoon, arrived here the 4th Instant upon *Island*.

Town, March 6. About 50 Saile of Light Colliers came into our Road the 3d Instant in the evening; as did at the same time Her Majesty's Ship the *Redoubt* Prize, with about 40 Saile of Colliers under their Convoy, who sailed hence the next day for *Spain*; as did also the Light Colliers for *Newcastle*, and yesterday came into our Road several Light Colliers, bound to *Newcastle*. Her Majesty's Ships the *Greyhound* and *Northampton* came into our Road this day, with about 120 Saile of laden Colliers under their Convoy from *Newcastle*, and then bound for the River of *Tamese*.

Cape, March 6. The 3d Instant Captain *Seymour*, Commander of a *Garage* Privateer, brought in here two French Prizes laden with Wine and Brandy, which he took out of a Fleet of about 30 Saile, under Convoy of two Spanish Brigs and a Dogger. The next came in the *Queen* Prize of *Zaire*, in Nine Days from *Spain*; the Master reports that the day before he came away, one of Her Majesty's Ships arrived there, with several Merchant Ships under her Convoy, who came in Company with Her Majesty's Fleet, under the Command of Sir George Rake. Captain *Townsend*, in the *Severn* Privateer, has taken a Brigantine of *Spain*, which he took from the *French*; and a Spanish Fluy which came from *Barbadoes*.

March, March 7. One of our Packet-Boats of 14 Guns, commanded by Captain *Berleigh*, is come in here from *Island*, who had on board the Letters of Friday last, and in his Passage met with a French Privateer of 18 Guns, fought him a hours, and being in the utmost Danger of being taken, threw the Mast overboard, so prevent its falling into the hands of the Enemy: However he happily got off, but with very great Damage in his Masts and Rigging.

By the Principal Commissioners for Prizes:
ON Thursday the 5th Instant will be executed by publick Sale by the Comd. the *Sakers* Hall in St. Sepulchre's Lane, London, the remaining Goods left on board the *Ship* from *Port St. Antonio* and *Port St. Elizabeth*, together with Goods taken out of the *Dutch* *Ketch*, Page 5, in the Report directed printed and dispersed, and from the *Spanish* and *Dutch* *Ordnance* will be put up again.

By the Receiver-General for Prizes:
[Whom the Ships the *Eagle* and *St. Antony* of *Bayona*, taken by Her Majesty's Ship the *Comet*, have been Committed to, and their Next Proceeds being sent to the Receiver-General for Prizes and hereby give Notice, That

on Thursday the 5th day of March Instant, at the Office for Payment of Prizes, in the Little Piazza's Court-Garden, he will then pay, or cause to be paid to the said Capt. Berleigh, the proportion of each of them, according to the Direction in Her Majesty's most Gracious Decree for the Encouragement of Her Majesty's Wars.

The Court of Directors of the English Company Trading to the East-India Company, that a General Court of the said Company will be held at *St. James's Hall* on Tuesday the 12th Instant, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the same being a Quarterly Court: And a General Court of the General Society will be held at the same place on the same day, at 12 o'clock: That the Treasurer will be first in from the said Companies, and then the several Members; And the Warrants for One Quarter of a Year's Annuity and Interest, due on Lady-day, will be ready to be delivered on the 12th of April next: Also a General Court of the said Company will be held on Tuesday the 12th of April, from 9 to 12 before, and from 3 to 6 afterwards, for the Election of 22 Directors for the Year ensuing; and at the same time will be held a General Court of the said Company, for the Election of 24 Trustees; And on Tuesday the 20th of April, from 9 to 12 before, and from 3 to 6 afterwards, will be held a General Court of the said Company, for Election of 12 Managers, to be joined with 12 of the Old Company, for carrying on the said Trade. Lists of the Proprietors will be ready to be delivered on the 4th of April.

Advertisements.
A Sermon Preached before the Queen at St. James's, on Monday January 31. 1702. being the Anniversary of the Marriage of King Charles the First. By Thomas Sibthick, M.A. Rector of Thetford, Herefordshire. Published by Her Majesty's Especial Command. Printed for W. Rogers at the Sun against St. Dunstons Church in Fleetstreet.

A Sermon Preached before the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled, in the Abbey Church of Westminster, on Monday January 31. 1702. the Festival Day for the Martyrdom of King Charles the First. By George, Lord Bishop of St. Asaph. Printed for Walter Kennby at the Bishop's Head in St. Pauls Church-yard.

Proposals for Reprinting the History of the Bible on fine Royal Paper in large Folio, in the last impression, with the Additions of the Deuterists for the Apocrypha, with about 25 new Sculptures; and to the persons of each Book will be added the Contents of the Chapters. Price to Subscribers two Guineas, one down, a 7th part. Such as desire their Arms or Sculptures, may have them engraven, paying as in the Proposals. Subscriptions taken, and Proposals delivered, all Lady-day next, (when the Book will be put to the Press) by Mr. Proctor in Breadstreet, Mr. Sparke and Mr. Nicholson in Little Britain, Mr. Barnes in the Pall-mall, Mr. Brown without Temple Bar, Mr. Haver by the West-end of St. Pauls, Mr. Croach in Cornhill, and Mr. Moore on Tower-hill, who are appointed by Mr. Bloom, the Proprietor of the Copy, for the same, and by most Bookellers: At which time Goullion's Head will be ready for the Press.

A Mansion House, with Gardens walled in, Scullery and all conveniences, and fine Ground-Rooms, situate at Kensington, late the Estate of Mr. Francis Barry, are to be sold on the 10th Instant, at 10 in the Forenoon, by Deacons of the High Court of Chancery, together or in Part, to the best Proposer or Purchaser, to be approved of by Samuel Cook Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Chancery-Lane, whose Particulars may be had.

The Inheritance of a Farm called North-Darling, situate within a mile of the City of Exeter, consisting of 160 Acres of Meadow, Arable and Pasture Land, with a thriving Orchard belonging thereunto, is to be sold. Likewise the Inheritance of several Freehold Rents, being of the yearly Value of 88 l. 5 s. 2 d. 0 h. situate out of the Manors of *Postlebury*, *Chambers*, *West Postlebury* and *Postlebury*, in the Counties of *Dorset* and *Wilts*, are to be sold, together or in Part. Enquire of Mr. John Effingham at Mercuri-hall, London, or of Mr. William Matthews at his House in Exeter.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against Alexander Twyford of Lurganah-Crickwell, in the County of *Reekes*, Chapman, All Persons that owe Money to Miceys, or that have any Goods or other Effects of his in their hands, are to pay or deliver the same to any Person, but such only as the Commissioners shall appoint: But they are directed further to give notice thereof to Mr. William Tanner, of *Abington*, in the County of *Monmouth*, Merchant, to Mr. John Haden, of *Chamber* N^o 11, in *Lincoln*-Inn.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against Matthew Fry of the City of *London*, Merchant, All Persons that owe him any Money, or that have any Goods or other Effects of his in their hands, are to pay or deliver the same to any Person, but such only as the Commissioners shall appoint: And they are directed further to give notice thereof to Mr. William Grey of *Armsbury*, at *Law*, in the Old-Jury, *London*, one of the Commissioners.

On or within the 24th of February last, a *Particular Letter* Cate, and in it our Bank N^o 78, for 100 l. payable to *Messrs* *Ascher* Esq. or *Deacons*, 2 d. being ordered off the 24th of February. Another Bank N^o 79, for 20 l. payable to Mr. J. Bagnoll or *Deacons*, 2 d. being ordered off. A Note of *Messrs* *Rogers* and *John* Esq. for 20 l. 2 s. 4 d. payable to Mr. Tho. Hinton or *Deacons*. A Note of Mr. Henry Lamb, for 200 l. 2 s. 6 d. payable to Mr. Samuel Fox or *Deacons*, with several other Notes and Writings, of no effect to any but the *Deacons*, the Payment of the Notes being kept at the respective Places. Whoever brings the said Letters, Cate, Bills and Writings, to Mr. Haden and *Deacons*, Goldsmiths, at the *Peacock* in *Cornhill*, shall have 20 l. Reward.