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London, February 9. N. S.

THE Preparations are continued on this side for the ensuing Campaign; and the Marquis de Frontero is sent for from Valentia to serve under the Duke de Cadaval, to whom the King has given the chief Command of his Forces. Several Transports belonging to the Fleet under the Command of Sir Cloudesly Shovell, which were put back hither by contrary Winds, sailed out of our River this Day for the Streights. The Marquis de Montandre, who lately came from England on board an English Man of War, and has had some Conferences with the Ministers here, upon the Measures to be taken for carrying on the War the next Summer, is also sailed for Valentia, to concert Matters with the Earl of Gallway, and is shortly to return hither. By Letters from Gibraltar we have an Account, That Capt. Cony, Commander of the Romney Frigate, did lately with great Bravery bring out of Malaga Road a French Privateer of 16 Guns, which had on Board 29 Brass Guns, lately fished up, that belonged to Monsieur Puc's Ship the Magnanimous, which was forced ashore, and destroyed near Marbella about a Year ago; four other French Men of War, which were in her Company, being at the same time either taken or destroyed by a Squadron of English and Dutch Men of War, under the Command of Sir John Leake. This Privateer lying close haw'd to the Mole, Capt. Cony went in under French Colours, and being come up very near to her, got his Boats out ready, and Mann'd: In the mean time the Governor sent aboard him, believing him French, to welcome him, and to tell him he supposed he knew not the Road, for he was in Danger where he lay. The Captain having every thing prepared, hoisted up his English Colours, and fired a Broadside into the Privateer; the Guns from the Place immediately fired upon him, but he continued his Fire upon the Ship till her Crew quitted her, and then his Boats seized her, cut her Cables, and so he carried her off with little or no Loss, and has brought her into Gibraltar. Two other of our Frigates chased a French Man of War, called the Content, which, without making any Defence, ran ashore at Cape de Gatt, where the Commander and his Crew quitted and burnt her: She carried 60 Guns, and was reckoned the best Sailer they had. Our Men of War have taken a French Frigate of 42 Guns, called the Mercury, and brought her into Gibraltar: The French Captain and eight of his Men were killed in the Engagement.

Heilbrun, February 4. The Deputies of the Circles of the Upper and Lower Rhine, Suabia and Franconia, met here the first Instant, and intend to continue their Sessions till the 10th; by which time they hope to have finish'd the Matters before them concerning the Measures to be taken for the more speedy providing their Quota of Men, Money, Artillery, Ammunition, and other Necessaries, towards a vigorous Prosecution of the War the next Summer. General Dopff, who lately came from the Hague, with Instructions from the States General to Negotiate with the Ministers of the Imperial Court, and with several Princes and States of the Empire, in order to persuade them to quicken their Preparations for the next Campaign, has been here,

and having conferred with the Deputies above-mentioned, is gone forward on his Journey to Vienna.

Frankfort, Feb. 6. The Diet of the Circle of the Upper Rhine, which has sat here several Days, is adjourned for some time. General Gronsvelt went from hence the 4th Instant for Vienna, in order to be present at a great Council of War which is shortly to be held there. The French making early Preparations in Alsace, a Reinforcement of 500 Saxons marched lately to Landau; and a considerable Quantity of Ammunition has been sent thither from hence. Orders have also been given for reinforcing in like manner the Garrison of Philipsbourg, and supplying the Magazines there with Provisions and Ammunition; and the Officers belonging to those two Garrisons that are here, are ordered to repair forthwith to their respective Commands. Levies are making with all possible Diligence and Application for Recruiting and Augmenting the Troops of the Neighbouring Circles, in order to bring them into the Field early in the Spring.

Cologne, Feb. 8. The Count de Rechteren, Governor of Traerbach, is lately gone from thence to the Hague, to receive his Powers and Instructions from the States General, who have appointed him to Negotiate some Matters at the Court of Vienna; and with several Princes of the Empire, which relate to a vigorous carrying on of the War the next Campaign. They write from Traerbach, That a strong Detachment of that Garrison was marched from thence upon some Expedition towards Metz and Verdun.

Falmouth, Feb. 3. Yesterday was forced in here by contrary Winds the Young Katherine, a Dutch Transport. This day sailed to Cruise the Young Samuel, a Privateer of Flushing; as did likewise, the Prince Packet-Boat, Captain Chanhall Commander, for Lisbon, and two Dutch Doggers bound for Bourdeaux.

Plymouth, February 4. This Day sailed hence Her Majesty's Ships the Suffolk and Bristol, and two Dutch Men of War, and under their Convoy about 50 Sail of Merchant Ships, some bound for London, and the rest for Holland.

Bristol, February 5. This Day came in here the Dragon, George Hart Commander, from Zant; as did also four Virginia Merchant-men from Milford.

Yarmouth, February 5. Yesterday sailed out of our Road Her Majesty's Ship the Dunwich, and under her Convoy divers laden Colliers and Coasters, bound to the Southward.

Deale, February 7. The 2d Instant at Night Twenty three French Men came out of Calais in an English Fishing Smack they had taken, and the 4th in the Morning came to an Anchor in the Downes, between Walmar Castle and King's-Down, with intent to carry off at Night one or two of our Ships that lay in the Downes; as they should find an Opportunity; but being discovered by a Fishing Boat belonging to King's-Down, which gave Notice to Walmar Castle, the Castle fired upon them, whereupon they slipt their Anchor; but the firing having alarmed the Men of War in the Downes, they Mann'd out their Boats and Pinnaces to take this Smack; and the Ruby's Pinnace and Long-Boat coming up with her, she struck; and

the French Men being brought Prisoners hither, were sent away the next morning to Dover Castle. Her Majesty's Ship the Feversham sailed the 5th from the Downes towards the River. The same Day came into the Downes the Union and the London, both from Legborne. Her Majesty's Ships the Lynn and Deal-Cattle sailed this Morning for Holland. Last Night came into the Downes Her Majesty's Ships the Suffolk and Bristol from Plymouth, having under their Convoy about 40 homeward bound Merchant-men, which are all failed for the River.

Sheriffs appointed for
Essex, John Olmsius Esq;
Somerset, William Gore, of Barrow, Esq;

There are Two Mails due from Holland.

Whereas a Bill of Exchange for 300 l. Sterling, dated at Amsterdam the 19th of Nov. 1706. drawn by George and Isaac Clifford upon Sir Henry Furnese Kt. was lately Stolen out of the said Sir Henry Furnese's House, and his Name to the said Bill counterfeited, as also that of Thomas Dyke and Company, the Indorser of the said Bill; which on the 11th of Jan. last was exchanged at the Bank of England for two Bank Notes, one for 200 l. N^o 16. payable to Captain Ric. Ruda, and the other for 100 l. N^o 17. payable to John Davies; and on the 14th of January the said Bill of 200 l. was again exchanged at the Mine-Adventure Office for 100 l. in Money, and 100 l. in their Notes. Her Majesty, for the better Discovery of the Offenders, is pleased to promise Her most Gracious Pardon for the said Crime to any Person concerned therein, who shall discover his or her Accomplices, so as they or any of them may be Convicted of the same.

SUNDERLAND.

And as a further Encouragement, the said Sir Henry Furnese does hereby promise a Reward of 30 Guineas to any Person whatsoever making such Discovery as aforesaid.

Whereas the House of John Tarry, Distiller, near Shadwell Dock, has lately been twice Robbed, viz. on the 13th of November and 23d of January last: Her Majesty, for the better Discovery of the Offenders, is pleased to promise Her most Gracious Pardon for the said Crime to any Person concerned therein, who shall Discover his Accomplices, so as they or any of them may be Convicted of the same.

SUNDERLAND.

And as a further Encouragement, the said John Tarry does hereby promise a Reward of 16 Guineas to any Person whatsoever making such Discovery as aforesaid.

Whereas Henry Bishop, Servant to the Royal African Company, did on the 6th of this Instant February absent himself, and clandestinely and fraudulently dispose of, or hath taken away with him, several Books of Acccompts, Bonds, Bills of Exchange, &c. belonging to the said Company; whereas all Persons are hereby desired to take Notice, not to discount, pay, or take in Payment, any of the said Bills of Exchange. And all Persons who have in their Custody, or are entitled to any of the Company's Specie Bonds, are desired forthwith to bring those Bonds to the African-House to be Number'd, in order to prevent and discover any fraudulent Sale of the said Bonds. And whoever shall Discover and Apprehend the said Henry Bishop, so as he may be brought to Justice, shall receive from the said Company One hundred Pound Reward. He is a tall lusty Man, pale Visaged, wears a dark brown Periwig, hath a down look, and a little disfigured with the Small-Pox.

A Parcel of French Wines, most Clavets, out of the Ship Pearle, some time since Condemn'd as Prize, lying in the Port of London, will be expos'd to Sale by the Candle, at Lloyd's Coffee-house in Lombard-street, on Wednesday the 19th Instant, at 3 after Noon. Inventories will be deliver'd out 6 Days before at Wyllie's Coffee-house near the Custom-house, and at the Place of Sale; and Attendance given for viewing the Wines 3 Days before Sale.

Advertisements.

Proposals for Reprinting the first, and for Printing a second, Volume of Dr. Harris's Lexicon Technicum; or, An Universal English Dictionary of Arts and Sciences, explaining not only the Terms of Art, but the Arts themselves, are as follow: Each Volume will contain about 200 Sheets, with several Hundreds of Cuts. The Price to Subscribers is 25 s. each Volume in Quires, 10 s. for each to be paid down, the rest on Delivery: Those that procure 6, shall have a 7th Gratis: Those that have had the first Volume, may have the second abone: A few will be Printed on large Paper: Those that Subscribe, shall have their Names, &c. printed before the Work, as Encouragers thereof. The Book is now actually in the Press, and will be Printed with all speed. Proposals at large may be had, and Subscriptions taken in, by the Undertakers, D. Brown, T. Goodwin, J. Walthoe, S. Newborough, J. Nicholson, B. Tooke, D. Midwinter, F. Coggan, and by Dr. Harris the Author.
 Just published, Two Sermons; one upon the Thanksgiving Day, at Richmond in Surry, on Tuesday the 31st of Dec. 1706. the other upon St. Peter's Day, at St. Mary's Church in Oxford. By

Thomas Wise, B. D. Fellow of Exeter College, and Chaplain to His Grace the Duke of Cornwall. Printed for Andrew Bell at the Cross Keys and Bible in Cornhill.

The 2d Edition of the History of Infant-Baptism. In II Parts. The 1st, Being an Impartial Collection of all such Passages in the Writers of the four first Centuries as do make for or against it. The 2d, Containing several things that do help to illustrate the said History. By W. Wall, Vicar of Shoreham in Kent. Printed by R. Burrough at the Sun and Moon in Cornhill. For the Use of those who bought the First Edition, there will be Printed in Octavo all the material Additions of this Second Edition.

A Pair of very good black Coach-Mares, with Races in their Heads, to be sold. Enquire at Mr. Hught's, a Farrier, in George-Yard in Dean-Street, in Soho.

A Capital Messuage and Lands in the City of York, heretofore the Estate of George late Duke of Bucks, being by Decree of the High Court of Chancery to be Sold by John Niccocks Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, the said Master will, on the 1st of March next, allow of the best Bidder for the said Estate, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-Inn; where Particulars may in the mean time be had.

The Remainder of a Term of 99 Years, whereof about 70 are yet to come, of the Manor of Honyton in Devon, and Wood in the County of Somerset, are, by Decree of the High Court of Chancery, to be Sold to the best Purchaser, by Dr. Edisbury, one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn in Chancery-Lane, where Particulars may be had: And Sir Francis Northcott will also join in the Sale of the Inheritance of the same.

An Estate in Little Yarmouth near Yarmouth-Bridge, in the County of Suffolk, of about 260 l. per Annum, or upwards, most of a Marsh Lands, to be Sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Pitt Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court; where Particulars may be had.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against John Wiltington, late of Hull in the County of York, Grocer, intend to meet on Friday the 28th Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the Irish-Chamber in Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of his Estate; where all Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-Money, or they'll be excluded.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against Thomas Powell, late of London, Victualler, intend to meet on Thursday the 27th Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the Irish-Chamber in Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of his Estate, where all Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-Money, or they'll be excluded.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against John Pearce, late of the City of Hereford, Dealer in Timber, intend to meet on Friday the 21st Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Richard Coffee-house near Temple-Bar; where his Creditors, or some of them, are to appear to shew Cause why a Certificate should not be signed, and to prove their respective Debts, and pay their Contribution-Money.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against George Airey, late of Gateshead in the County of Durham, Merchant, intend to sit at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London, on Thursday the 27th Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon; where all Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-Money. And the Commissioners then intend to chuse Assignees.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against Edward Ryley, of Shoreditch, Clothworker; and he being declared a Bankrupt. These are to require him to surrender himself to the Commissioners, who will sit on the 11th and 18th Instant, and the 12th of March next, at 5 after Noon, at Godlington's Coffee-house in Mitre Court in Fleet-Street.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against John Farn of St. Giles's in the Fields, Middlesex, Cheesemonger, and he being declared a Bankrupt: These are to require him to surrender himself to the Commissioners, who will sit on the 14th and 21st Instant, and the 12th of March next, at 3 after Noon, at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London.

Whereas John Goodeve, of Much Waltham in the County of Essex, Maltster, hath surrendered himself, and been twice examined, the Commissioners intend to meet the 26th Instant, at 4 in the Afternoon, at Godlington's Coffee-house in Mitre Court, Fleet-Street, to finish his Examination; where his Creditors may attend, to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution money, and shew Cause why a Certificate should not be signed.

Whereas Samuel Harford, late of the County of Middlesex, Tiler, hath surrendered himself, (pursuant to Notice) and been examined, the Commissioners intend to meet the 26th Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; where his Creditors may attend, to shew Cause why a Certificate should not be signed.

Whereas the acting Commissioners against Peter Drewett, late of Darford in the County of Kent, Butcher, have certified to the Rt. Hon. the Lord Keeper, That he hath in all things conformed to the late Act: This is to give Notice, That his Certificate will be confirmed as the Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary by the 3d of March next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners against John Greevell, late of London, Confectioner, have certified to the Rt. Hon. the Lord Keeper, That he hath in all things conformed to the late Act: This is to give Notice, That his Certificate will be confirmed as the Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary by the 3d of March next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners against Daniel Narway, of Wapping, in Middlesex, Carpenter, have certified to the Rt. Hon. the Lord Keeper, That he hath in all things conformed to the late Act: This is to give Notice, That his Certificate will be confirmed as the Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary by the 3d of March next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners against John Highatt, of Brenton in Somersetshire, Cheesemonger, have certified to the Rt. Hon. the Lord Keeper, That he hath in all things conformed to the late Act: This is to give Notice, That his Certificate will be confirmed as the Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary by the 3d of March next.