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*St. James's, March 7.*

**T**HIS Day Monsieur de Sande, Minister from his Highness the Duke of Mecklenburgh. (introduced by the Right Honourable Mr. Secretary Boyle, and Conducted by Sir Charles Cottrell, Master of the Ceremonies) had a private Audience of Her Majesty, to condolé the Death of his Royal Highness.

*Berne, March 6. N. S.* We hear that the Count de Luc, the French Ambassador, which was lately appointed by that Court to reside in Switzerland, is arrived at Soleurre, and, it is believed, he will immediately apply for the calling a general Dyet at Bixden. The Swiss Officers in the Service of France have hitherto found great Difficulties in raising Recruits, but they hope for greater Success for the future, by the good Offices of the new French Minister with the Roman Catholick Cantons. The Officers who belong to the Troops in the Pay of the States-General have levied great Numbers of Men, and will have their Companies very suddenly compleat. Count Trautmanndorf is very urgent with this Canton, as well as with that of Zurich, for an Answer to the Letter from his Imperial Majesty; but, it is thought, they will make no Reply till that Affair is debated in a Conference at Arau. The Cold and Frost are returned with such Severity, that the Rivers and many of the Lakes are frozen over. The Letters from Milan of the 26th of the last Month say, that the Confederate Fleet arrived at Naples on the 15th, and that, when those Advices were dispatched, they were taking on Board the Troops design'd for Barcelona.

*Berlin, March 9. N. S.* The King has put off his intended Journey to Carlsbadt till Autumn. The Grand Chamberlain (first Minister at this Court) has been very much indisposed, but is entirely recovered. Since the arrival of Count Lottum several Councils of War have been held, in which all things have been settled for the next Campaign, and the Augmentation of the King's Troops is regulatd after the manner proposd by his Grace the Duke of Marlborough. This Court has consented, that their Troops should Evacuate Mecklenburgh, and has given Orders for their quitting that Duchy, upon the Request of the Duke of Mecklenburgh. Letters from Wilda of the 24th of the last Month say, that Prince Sapiha has ordered his Army to Rendezvous near Schultz, with a design to go and reinforce King Stanislaus, who is on his March towards Volhinia. Advices from Minsk and other Places, continue to talk of the Victory which the Swedes obtained near Stadtziac; they add, that the Muscovites had endeavourd to cut off all Correspondence with Poland.

*Hague, March 15. N. S.* The States of Holland are again met together, in order to proceed in their Methods for raising new Funds, and make other Dispatches necessary for the Service of their Province. The Duke of Aremberg, the Count de Clermont and Count d'Urfell, who are all three Members of the Council of State at Brabant, are arrived here to confer with the States-General upon some Matters of Importance, relating to the Low-Countries. Monsieur Rouillé is lately come from France, and passd through Brussels on the 10th Instant; it is said, he is at present at Antwerp.

*From on Board the Assurance, Commanded by Captain Tollar, dated in Hamoze, March 3.* On Sunday last the Angléca and Sunderland lost Company with us, with

which went away some part of our Fleet. Yesterday Morning, about 5 a Clock, we saw 4 Sail standing after us, we steering away E. and by N. the Lizard bearing; then about N. N. E. 8 Leagues by Estimation; about 7 they came within random Shot, and then brought to; we then made a signal for the Hampshire and Assistance to draw into a Line, and another for the Merchant-ships to bear away, which they took no notice of: About 8 they bore down to us, having made a Signal for their Line, and then came within Musket-shot, and hoisted French Colours; the Comodore, which was a Ship of 70 Guns or upwards, came ranging along our Larboard side, and fell on Board us, so that we engaged Yard-Arm and Yard-Arm for almost the space of half an hour; during which he plied us so warmly with Small-shot, that he cut off most of our Marines and Seamen quartered upon Deck; after that put off and fell on Board again on our Lee side, first ranging on our Bow, and then on to our Quarter, upon whom we fired, with the utmost Vigour, our Upper deck and part of our Lower-deck Guns, that we obliged him to quit us again, standing away a-head of us towards the Merchant-ships; then the three other, of 40 and 50 Guns, came ranging along our side, firing several Broad-sides into us, after that bore away as the former. The Damage we received was very great, having our Ship's sides in a great many Places shot through and through, our Shrouds and Back-stays cut to pieces, as also our Main and False stay, which, if not timely seen, had occasioned the loss of our Mast. Our Fore-sail and Fore-top-sail was tore to pieces, our best Bower with their Shot cut away, one of the Flukes of the spare Anchor likewise shot off, and our small Bower by the Ship's boarding, us was drove through our Ship's Bow: We endeavourd with what dispatch we could to fix our Rigging, which took up some time, and bend a new Fore-sail and Fore-top-sail; after that we all bore down to secure what Merchant-ships we could, expecting likewise to engage the Enemy again, which they declined, standing away to cut off part of our Convoy, which might, if they had regarded our Signal, got in Shore, and been, we believe, secure. Some we brought in here, and, when engaged, saw others bear away for Falmouth, so we are not certain how many they took. The Dispatch lasted about two Hours, in the beginning of which our Captain was wounded upon Deck, whither he was carried in a Chair, having for almost four Months been so ill, as to be unable to go out of his Cabin. Our first Lieutenant was shot in the Leg, which he got dress'd, and returned to his Charge on the Deck. Our second was killed, as were also several of those French Officers that we brought with us from Ireland, and more of them wounded; We are not certain how many of our own Men were killed and wounded, not having been able to Muster the remainder, but believe our Loss has been very great, the Action having been so severe, and the sharpness of the whole having lain upon our Ship, which makes us believe the Hampshire and Assistance have not received any material Damage. Capt. Tudor, who commanded the Assistance, is dead of his Wounds.

*From the Assurance in Hamoze, March 4.* In our late Engagement this Ship had 25 Men killed, and 53 wounded, some of them mortally. In the Hampshire were 2 killed, 11 wounded; the Assistance 8 killed 21 wounded. The French Officers, who were on Board us, distinguished themselves with great Gallantry, among whom there was a Major killed. We have suffered very much in our Hull, Masts and Yards.

The Rt. Hon. Thomas Earl of Pembroke and Montgomery, &c. Lord High-Admiral of Great-Britain and Ireland, &c. is pleased to direct, that all Persons who have Applications to make for the Discharge of Men impressed to serve in Her Majesty's Fleet, which are on Board any Ships in the River Medway, and at the Nore, and at Spithead and Portsmouth, do forbear soliciting their Discharge at the Admiralty-Office, and make their Applications to the Flag-Officers at Portsmouth and Chatham, who have Directions to hear and relieve them accordingly.

London, March 8. This Day the Commissioners appointed for putting in Execution, within the said City and Liberties thereof, An Act for Recruiting Her Majesty's Land-Forces and Marines, for the Service of the Year 1749, did unanimously agree, That for the better Performance of this Her Majesty's Service, they will meet at Guildhall on every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at nine a Clock in the Forenoon, and three in the Afternoon, viz. the first of May next, unless Her Majesty shall be graciously pleased (before that time) to issue Her Royal Proclamation to suspend or stop the further Execution of the said Act; whereof all Persons concerned are desired to take notice.

The Governor and Company of Merchants of London Trading into the East-Indies, commonly known by the Name of the Old East-India Company, do hereby give notice, That the General Court of the said Company, which was holden the eighth of this Instant March, is adjourned to Monday the 14th of the said Month, at 10 a-Clock in the Forenoon.

If any Able-bodied Men are willing to serve her Majesty in the Train of Artillery Abroad, let them repair to Captain Silver, Master-Gunner of England, at his House in St. James's Park. They shall enter into present Pay at 7 s. a Week, and shall receive 40 s. Bounty Money, and be further Encouraged and Advanced as they shall deserve.

#### Advertisements.

A Manor within 10 Miles of London, of about 500 l. a Year, lying by a Navigable River, well Wooded, and Tenanted, with a large Manor-house, Barns, Stables, &c. is to be Sold. Enquire of William Collier, Esq; at his Chambers in Essex Court in the Temple, or his House three Doors above the Chapel in Hatton-Garden.

FOR publick Sale, on Thursday the 24th of March Instant, at Lloyd's Coffee-house in Lombardstreet, London, the following Goods, being Landed out of the Mary-Prize from Martinique, and now lying in the Port of Weymouth, Dorset, to be shew'd by Mr. Philip Taylor, Merchant, of the same Place, 8 Hogheads, 1 Barrel, and 100 Bags, more or less, of Cocoa Nuts, 1 small Barrel, about 50 pound, of Indigo. Note, the Buyers to pay the Duties, and 5 Guineas cash per Lot, at the time of Sale.

LOST on the 26th of February last from a Lady's Girdle between St. James's and the Play-house in Drury-Lane, a Gold Minute-Watch, in a plain Gold Case, the Maker's Name, Henry Maffy, with a Gold Chain, and a Gentleman's Picture, and two Lockets, one set round with Diamonds, the other with Rubies, and a Seal cut in a Garnet, with a Head and some other things hanging to it. If offered to be Sold, Pawn'd or Valued, Rap them, and give Notice to Sir Francis Child, in Fleetstreet, or Mr. Savage, at the Gloucester Tavern near St. James's, and you shall have Five Pounds Reward for the whole, or proportionable for any part.

NOTICE is hereby given, that pursuant to an Order of Her Majesty's High Court of Chancery, Thomas Gery, Esq; one of the Masters of the same Court, will proceed to let Leases of the Estate, commonly called Sir Thomas White's Lands, lying in and near the City of Coventry, whereof the former Leases are expired, unto the best Bidders, at his House in New-Court in Chancery-lane, on Thursday the 17th of this Instant March, at 4 a Clock in the Afternoon.

THE Manor of Newington near Amersbury in the County of Wilts, is to be Sold, consisting of a good Manor-House with all Conveniences for a Gentleman's Seat, with Court-Lees, and Court-Baron, and of about 600 Acres of Arable, Pasture, Meadow, and Down-Lands in hand, and the rest of the Manor Estated upon Lives. Inquire of Mr. Edwards, at his Chambers in the Inner-Temple-Lane, or in his Absence of Mr. Parker, Stationer, in the same Lane, where Particulars may be seen thereof.

THE Title of the Manor of Hurley, and other the Estate of the late Lord Lovelace in the County of Berks, decreed by the High Court of Chancery, to be Sold for the Payment of his Debts, being approved by the Purchaser, and the Conveyances intended to be executed before the 25th Day of March Instant. All Persons that have any Incumbrances that charge the said Estate, are desired forthwith to give Notice thereof to Mr. Oakley, at his Chambers in Pump Court in the Middle Temple, or else they will be excluded all benefit of their Claims.

A Farm to be Let at Alconbury near Huntingdon, of about 300 Acres of Arable, Pasture and Meadow, either entire or divided. Enquire of Mr. Pullegn, or Mr. Oliver Biggs at St. Neots, or of Mr. Clark at Huntingdon, or of Mr. Inkersole at Spaldwick, or of Mr. Robert Hoar of Weston, and know further.

A Freehold Estate in the County of Essex, about 20 Miles from London, consisting of about 500 Acres of Arable and Pasture Land, leased to a good Tenant for 21 Years to come, at 120 l. per Annum Rent. And a Farm in the said County of 22 l. per Ann.

are, by Decree of the High Court of Chancery, to be sold to the best Purchaser, before Dr. Edisbury, at his Chamber in Symmond's-lane in Chancery-lane; where Particulars may be had.

MAJOR Bird having had great Encouragement in the Sale of true near French Brandy, clean and full Proof, and being desirous to maintain the Credit of selling the best at a moderate Profit, doth, according to his Promise, advertise, that the Market-price of good Brandy is lower than when he last advanced his Price; therefore he will now sell his best old Cogniac at 9 s. 6 d. and Bourdeaux at 9 s. 6 d. per Gallon, at his Warehouse in Pudding-Lane near the Monument. And since others in Print pretend to sell near Brandy, they call French at a cheaper Rate, to prevent the Abuse in fetching theirs for his, he gives a printed Receipt therewith of the Price, Quantity and Quality, but no less Quantity than a Gallon.

WHEREAS Hannah the Wife of William Williams, of North-Shields in the County of Northumberland, hath eloped from her Husband and run him in Debt; the said William Williams doth give Notice to all Persons, that they forbear further to Truit the said Hannah Williams his Wife, for he will not pay the same.

JOSEPH Porter, a Scotch-man, and Shopkeeper in Kidderminster, went away from the Swan with two Necks in Lad-lane, London, on the 19th of February last; having then about him (as is supposed) a considerable Sum of Money; He is about 29 Years of Age, near 6 Foot high, of a round visage, then wearing his own Hair, being of a dark brown colour and bushy; he had then on a new light coloured Drugg-Coat and Sute, and a large dark coloured Riding-Coat. If he will return to his own Habitation and Friends, he shall be kindly received; if not, he will be Prosecuted as a Bankrupt: If any one shall secure him, and give Notice thereof to Freeman's Coffee-house in Cheap-side, London, shall have 10 Guineas Reward.

THESE are to give Notice, that by an Order lately made in the High Court of Chancery, in a Cause there depending between Thomas Grawick, Esq; and others, Plaintiffs, and Thomas Forster, Esq; and others, Defendants; it is ordered, That all Persons who are or pretend to be Creditors to William Forster, Esq; deceased, do come in and prove their Debts before Sir Robert Legard, one of the Masters of the said Court, by the first Day of the next Term, and procure Reports thereof by the end of the same Term, or in default thereof they are to be excluded the benefit of the Decree made in that Cause.

THE Creditors of Mr. William White, lately deceased, and who dwell in the Old-Baily, London, are desired to bring to Mrs. Elizabeth White, his Widow and Executrix (still living there) on or before the 30th of March Instant a particular Account of their several Debts.

THIS is to give Notice to the Creditors of John King, lately living at the Seven Stars in Princess-street near Leicester fields, Soap-maker, that if they repair to Henry Broome, now living in the said House, Soap-maker, they may be informed when, where, and from whom they shall receive their just Debts.

WHEREAS several of the Creditors of Henry Johnson, late of London, Goldsmith, have paid their Contribution towards the Charge of a Commission of Bankrupt, which has been awarded against him; and although there have been several Distributions of the said Bankrupt's Estate, yet such Creditors have not yet proved their Debts to entitle them to a Share of the said Estate: There are therefore to give Notice, That unless such Creditors do on or before the 14th Day of September next ensuing, come in and prove their Debts before the said Commissioners in the said Commission named, the Estate of the said Henry Johnson will be divided amongst those Creditors who have already proved their Debts.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Samuel Clavis, late of the Strand in the Liberty of Westminster, Linnen-draper, these are to give Notice, that the Commissioners will meet on the 12th Instant, at 5 in the Afternoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London; where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-money, and chuse Assignees.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against Thomas Beal, late of Chalford in the Parish of Bisleigh in the County of Gloucester, Mercer, and he having surrendered himself and been examined; these are to give Notice, that the Commissioners will sit on 11th of April next, at 10 of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Sign of the Crown in Minchinhampton in the said County, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-money, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against George Carpenter, of Wellow in the County of Somerset, Butcher, intend to meet at the George-Inn in Norton St. Philip in the said County of Somerset, on the 28th day of this Instant March, at 10 in the Forenoon, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; where all his Creditors are desired to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-money, otherwise they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend.

THIS is to give Notice to all Persons that have any Jewels, Plate or Rings, or any other Goods in the Hands of Elizabeth Hamman of St. Mary White-chappel, Pawnbroker, Deceased, are desired to fetch them away in a Month's time, or they will be disposed of. Note, That Attendance will be given every Day at her late Dwelling-House in the Afternoon.

ALL Persons that have any Plate, Rings, Watches, wearing Cloaths or Linnen, or any other Goods at Samuel Burchett's, Broker, in Queen-street, in Winchester-Park, Southwark, are desired to fetch them away by the 14th of April next, or they will be disposed of.

STOLEN the 6th of February last, at Night, out of the Stable of John Partridge, of Durdley in Gloucestershire, a blood-bay Mare, fine coated, about 14 hands and half high, a snail Star in her Fore-head, Mane cut three parts close, some white on the outside a little above the far Neck, full mouth, and has all her Paces. Whoever can discover Man or Mare, so that she may be had again, let them give Notice to Mr. Thomas Weston, at the Ship and Anchor in Friday-street, and they shall have a Guinea Reward.

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