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Dresden, December 14. N. S.

IT is uncertain whether the Hereditary Prince of Muscovy will return to Moscow, in order to assist at his Czarish Majesty's Triumphant Entrance into that City, or come to this Court; but his Arrival is still expected here, and they report that his Journey to Moscow will be deferred to another Opportunity. We receive frequent Accounts from Poland, that the Plague still rages in several Parts of that Kingdom; for which reason it is believed that the General Diet of the Nobility, which was to be assembled at Warsaw on the 4th of February next, will be adjourned; and that some Misunderstandings, which are not yet accommodated between the different Parties, will retard the Measures, that are taken for composing the Affairs of that Kingdom. These Advices add, that most of the Muscovite Troops are marching out of Poland into their own Country, the Muscovites being apprehensive that the Grand Signior will enter into a War against his Czarish Majesty. The Warlike Preparations which are carried on throughout the Turkish Dominions with great Application, are supposed to be for that Service.

Brussels, December 28. N. S. We are advised from Ghent, that the Garrison of that Place, consisting of British Troops, appeared lately on their Review in a very good Condition. Great numbers of Deserters come in daily to that, and the Neighbouring Garrisons. Letters from Paris say, that it is reported the French King will severely punish the chief of those Offenders who pillaged the Inhabitants of Arragon and Navarre, and committed other Disorders when the French Troops returned out of Spain; as well to give Satisfaction to the Inhabitants for the Injuries they have received, as to deter the Soldiers from offending in that kind for the future. These Letters add, that his Majesty hath taken a Resolution to add eight Men to every Company, and to augment his Cavalry in the like proportion. It is also reported, that a new Commander will be sent from France to Command the Duke of Anjou's Army on the Frontiers of Portugal the next Campaign; the Court of Madrid having resolved that the Marquis de Bay shall be at the Head of the Army which is designed to serve against Catalonia. Advices from Grenoble say, that the Count de Medavi had visited the new Fortifications which were building at Seiffel, and several other Places on the Frontiers of Savoy, but that the new Levies for recruiting the French Troops were carried on very slowly in those Parts, for want of Money. They write from Madrid, that the Court laboured under great Difficulties, in raising Money for the Payment of the Troops the ensuing Year; and are at a loss where to find Horses for mounting their Cavalry.

Hague, December 24. N. S. Count Maffei, Envoy-Extraordinary from the Duke of Savoy to the States-General, will speedily set out for England, where he is to succeed the late Count Briançon with the same Character. Their High Mightinesses have resolved to take a great number of Germans into their Pay, for the Service of the next Campaign. We are advised from Cologne, that the Officers of several Confederate Princes were recruiting their Regiments in that Neighbourhood. That several Parties of the Enemy did frequently appear on the other side of the Rhine, but had done very little Damage to the Country; but that a Detachment of the Allies had lately taken from the Enemy on the Frontier of Eyselt a considerable Number of Horses which were designed to remount the French Cavalry; and also surprised several Waggons laden with Corn, and other Provisions, which they were transporting into the Enemy's Country, notwithstanding the severe Prohibitions to the contrary.

Kinsale, December 18. On the 15th Instant arrived at this Port her Majesty's Ship the Saphir, Capt. Cockburne Commander, and the Newport, Capt. Poole Commander, and under their Convoy the Dursley Galley of Plimouth, the Dolphin Galley, Emperor, Thomas and Hannah, Elizabeth's Good-Luck, Thistleworth, and Ann Galley, all from Antegoa, laden with Sugar, and of and for London; and also the London Brigantine from Mountferrat, the St. Quintin from Nevis, the Sarah and Lydia from St. Christophers, all of and for London, and laden also with Sugar: At the same time arrived the Rebecca and Elizabeth from Antegoa, which was taken on Monday last by a French Privateer of 24 Guns, and retaken the same Day by the Newport. On the 16th arrived the Macclesfield Frigate, laden with Sugar and Cotton from Antegoa, and the two Friends from Nevis, laden with Sugar, both bound for London. Last Night we had Advice by Express, that a French Privateer of 32 Guns was cast away at Beerhaven, with 300 Men on Board, who got ashore, and fortified themselves with some of their Ordnance, and afterwards took a Sloop with Canary, in order to make off in her; but were still in Port when this Express came away.

Plimouth, December 23. Yesterday sailed her Majesty's Ship the Assurance to the Westward to Cruise, and the Newark, Lancaster, Royal-Oak, Sunderland, Rose and Cruiser to the Eastward, and about sixteen Sail for Topsham, London, and Holland.

Dartmouth, December 23. Yesterday Morning sailed from Torbay her Majesty's Ship the Nonfuch, and under her Convoy several Ships from Topsham, with Serge and other Woollen Manufactures, bound for Holland; as also the Merchant-ships that went out hence on the 19th Instant, and joined her in Torbay. Last Night came into Torbay her Majesty's Ship the Monk's-Prize from Plimouth, being sent in from a Fleet of several Men of War and Merchant-ships from thence bound to the Eastward, to call out what Ships were in this Port, and sailed again this Morning; it is supposed the Fleet past along in the Night.

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awarded against Josias London, Merchants and Depts, are required to on the 29th Instant, at 4 in the Afternoon, at the first of which to prove their Debts, or Assignees.

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against John Browne, of he having surrendered s intend to meet on the noon, at the House of Norwich aforesaid, to ate; when and where their Debts, and paid red to do the same, or vidend. And likewise said, are to assist or

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a Commission of Bank- of London, Chapman, ord High-Chancellor of rm'd himself according ment made concerning his Certificate will be unless Cause be shewn ary next.

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Yarmouth, December 23. This Day failed out of our Road her Majesty's Ship the Advice's Prize, with several Ships under her Convoy bound for Harwich.

Deale, December 25. Here lye her Majesty's Ships the Yarmouth, Hampton-Court, Falkland, Scarborough, Medway's-Prize and Swan.

The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty having received a Letter sign'd T. S. by which there is an Offer made to discover irregular Practices in the Navy; their Lordships do hereby give Notice, that if the Person that wrote the said Letter will come to their Office, and discover what he knows, he shall have all fitting Encouragement and Protection.

If any Able bodied Men are willing to serve her Majesty in the Train of Artillery abroad, let them repair to the Gunners Guard in St. James's Park, where they will be kindly Entertained, and receive 7 Shillings a Week, and further Encouragement as they shall deserve.

The Court of Directors of the Bank of England give Notice, That by Order of the General Court the 15th Instant, 5l. per Cent. on the Capital Stock is called in, to be paid in Money or Exchequer Bills, at any time or times after the 25th Instant, and on or before the 25th of February next: That an Allowance at the rate of 6d. a Day for 100l. will be made for such Payments of the whole 5l. per Cent. or any part thereof, to be computed from the Days of Payment to the said 25th of February; which Monies being paid in on or before the said 25th of February by any Member or any others having a liberty of Payment assigned to them (for which blank Printed Forms may be had at the Bank) will thence become Capital Stock.

Notice is hereby given by the Agent to the Captors, That the Officers and Company of her Majesty's Ship the Hampshire, may, on Wednesday the 11th of January next, on Board the said Ship at Kinsale in Ireland, receive (according to her Majesty's most gracious Proclamation of the 20th of May, 1708.) their several and respective Shares of the Boone Foy, lately Condemn'd as Prize; and that the Shares of such as shall not then be received, may (as soon as the List is return'd) during the space of three Years, be every Thursday Morning received at Mr. Master's House on Tower-hill, London.

Notice is hereby given by the Agent to the Captors, That the Officers and Companies of her Majesty's Ships the Kent, Remney, Salisbury, Medway, Monk, Diamond, Plymouth and Sunderland, may, on Friday the 5th of January next, on Board the said Ships at Plymouth, receive (according to her Majesty's most gracious Proclamation of the 20th of May, 1708.) their several and respective Shares of the St. Francis, Diligence, and Duke of Brittain, lately Condemn'd as Prize. Also the Officers and Companies of her Majesty's Ships Litchfield and Chester, may, on the same day, at Mr. Master's House on Tower-hill, London, receive their several Shares of the above-mentioned Prizes; and that the Shares of such as shall not then be received, may (as soon as the List returns from Plymouth) during the space of three Years, be every Thursday Morning received at Mr. Master's aforesaid.

Advertisements.

LOST on the 22d Instant, a Mungrel Dog of a sort of a Mouse Colour, with a long Body, short Legs, a long Head, cut Ears, a long Curled Tail, three or four white Hairs upon one side of his Neck, and black about his Nose. Whoever takes him up, and brings him to the Sign of the Dog and Duck Alehouse over against Mountague-house, shall have a Guinea Reward. He was lost in Bloomsbury.

Whereas on the 6th Instant an Advertisement was inserted in the Gazette of that Day, for Samuel Dyke of Tiverton in the County of Devon, Merchant, to surrender himself to the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against him, since which time the Commissioners therein named, on the 26th Instant, have sat, and pursuant to such Advertisement, they and the Creditors then attending did nominate and chuse Assignees, but the said Dyke hath not surrendered; this is therefore to require him to be and appear before the said Commissioners on the 5th of January next, being the last Day appointed in the said Advertisement, at Guildhall, London, at 3 in the Afternoon; at which time the said Commissioners will be there present, in order to take the said Dyke's Surrender and Examination.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Samuel Hutchins of London, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 2d, 7th, and the 25th of January next, at 3 Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove Debts, pay Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Anthony Haultwell, late of London, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 3d, 10th, and the 26th of January next, at 3 Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove Debts, pay Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against Richard Burche, of Rotherhith in the County of Surrey, Shipwright, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 3d, 10th, and 26th of January next, at 4 in the Afternoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-mony, and assent to or dissent from the Assignment already made, or chuse other Assignee or Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Francis Linley of St. James's Clerkenwell in the County of Middlesex, Burcher, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 2d, 10th and 26th of January next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-mony, and chuse an Assignee or Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against James Hicks, of Stains in the County of Middlesex, Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 2d, the 9th, and 26th of January next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Francis Heilman, of London, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 3d, the 10th, and 26th of January next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Samuel Seddon, of London, Packer, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 31st Instant, and the 7th and 26th of January next, at 10 in the Forenoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Damer, late of London, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 31st Instant, and on the 13th and 23d of January next, at 3 Afternoon, at Dawcy's Coffee house in the Parish of St. Peter of Mancroft in the City of Norwich; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Richardson of Doncaster in the County of York, Linner-Draper, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 16th of January next, at one in the Afternoon, at the House of John Wragley at Brook-bottom within Sadleworth, in the said County, Inn-keeper, and also at the White Bear Inn in Wakefield in the same County on the 25th and 26th of the same Month; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas John Bullock, of the City of Litchfield, Mercer, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been examined; these are to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 7th of January next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove Debts, pay Contribution-mony, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Palmer of the City of Coventry, Apothecary, have certified to the Right Honourable the Lord High-Chancellor of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conform'd himself according to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made against Bankrupts: These are to give Notice, that his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 16th of January next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Stephen Goulding, of the Parish of St. Andrew's Holborne, Joiner, have certified to the Right Honourable the Lord High-Chancellor of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conform'd himself according to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made against Bankrupts: This is to give Notice, that his Certificate will be confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 16th of January next. And all Persons indebted to the said Goulding, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are forthwith to pay and deliver the same to Mr. Edward Goulding, of the Vidualling-Office on Tower-hill, Assignee, or they will be sued.

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