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St. James's, March 30.

HER Majesty having been pleased to Constitute the Right Honourable Richard Earl Rivers Constable of Her Majesty's Tower of London, his Lordship this Day, by Her Majesty's Command, took the accustomed Oath.

The Right Honourable Sir Thomas Parker, Knt. Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's-Bench, was this Day Sworn of Her Majesty's most Honourable Privy-Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

Moscow, February 28. N. S. The Dispute concerning the Affront offered to his Excellency Mr. Mattueof, the Russian Ambassador in Great Britain, is wholly concluded to his Czarish Majesty's Satisfaction. Some Debates about the Ceremonial retarded Mr. Whitworth, her British Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary's Publick Audience for two or three Days; but on the 15th Instant all things were settled. On the 16th about eight of the Clock in the Morning the British Consul, all the Merchants of that Nation, and several English Officers in the Czar's Service, being forty in number, waited on the Ambassador at his House. At nine a Gentleman of his Czarish Majesty's Bed-chamber, was sent to acquaint his Excellency, that Monsieur Czoltikeff, the first Carver, and Brother to the Empress Dowager, was on the way with the Czar's Coaches, to carry him to his Audience. About an Hour after Monsieur Czoltikeff came, and his Excellency brought him to his Chamber according to the Ceremonial, while his Excellency's Secretary, and the British Merchants, were taking their Places in the Coaches. The Procession began with twenty three Coaches, each drawn by six Horses. In the last belonging to Prince Menzikoff, was the Ambassador's Secretary with the Credentials, and also a Secretary of the Czars, which was followed by the Ambassador's own Coach carved and gilt, lined with Green, trimmed with Gold Galloons, the Foot cloth of the same, richly laced and embroidered. This was succeeded by a rich painted Chariot lined with Scarlet, drawn by six black Horses, and the Harness was embossed with Silver Plates. In the next Place proceeded a Chariot very richly gilt, lined with red Velvet, trimmed with Silver Lace, drawn by six black Horses, with their Harness finely adorned: Then came on twelve Footmen in red Liveries, who were followed by four Pages on Horseback, whose Coats were of fine Scarlet richly laced with Gold and Silver, their Waistcoats and Sleeves of green Brocade, embroidered with Gold and Silver Flowers. The Procession was closed by the Czar's Coach of State, wherein sat the Ambassador, accompanied by Monsieur Czoltikeff, and the Master of the Ceremonies. The March took up the space of an Hour and a half; and the Streets were every where thronged with Spectators. The Guards received his Excellency at the Castle with Drums beating, Colours flying, and the Officers with their Swords drawn, saluted him with their Hats at the Head of their Regiments. The Ambassador; upon his alighting out of the Coach, was complimented by Monsieur Naroskin, one of the Gentlemen of the Bed-chamber, and a Relation of his Czarish Majesty. The Grenadiers were ranged on both sides of the Stairs, at the Head of which he was received by Prince Sekerbatoff, who conducted him to the Anti-Chamber, where Monsieur Muffin Puskin, who is one of the Chief Officers of State, and hath the Inspection of all the Ecclesiastick Affairs and Revenues, waited to intro-

duce him to the Czar. His Czarish Majesty stood uncovered under a Canopy of State. When the Ambassador approached him, he addressed himself to his Majesty in English, and declared her Britannick Majesty's just Concern for the Affront offered to his Majesty's Minister, and signified the several Proceedings in her Majesty's Courts of Justice towards a full Reparation for that Insult. His Secretary read the same Speech in High Dutch, and a Secretary of the Czar's read it afterwards in the Russian Language. His Czarish Majesty returned an Answer in the Russian Tongue, which was interpreted by Vice-Chancellor Schaphiroff; and contained in Substance, that his Majesty might very justly have expected that those People who had violated the Law of Nations in the Person of his Ambassador, should have been punished according to his Desires; but since the Laws of Great Britain did not admit of such a Procedure, and considering the Concern the Nation had shewn for this Accident by a late Act of Parliament, as well as the Honour the Queen of Great Britain had done him by this Embassy, was willing to accept this Satisfaction. His Excellency was then dismissed from his Audience with the same Ceremony as he was Conducted thither, and at his return found three Tables prepared by the Czar's Officers for him and his Attendants. General Hallard and Lieutenant-General Offen were appointed to accompany his Excellency at Dinner; and Monsieur Czoltikeff, in the Name of his Czarish Majesty, made pressing Instances to continue the same Entertainments two Days longer; but his Excellency, with great Difficulty, was excused from accepting those Civilities. An extraordinary Guard of one hundred Men, with their proper Officers, was commanded to attend the Ambassador at his House during his Dinner, who were to be relieved every Day with the like Number from the Town. On the 17th a Courier arrived here from Constantinople with Letters from the Russian Ambassador at the Ottoman Port, dated the 18th of January, with Advice, that he had a publick Audience of the Sultan on the 14th of that Month, wherein he received a Confirmation of the late Truce between the two Empires without any Alteration, except that it was prolonged for twenty Years. The Ambassador writes, that the Turks offered to Conduct the King of Sweden, and the Troops that were with him, in safety to the Frontiers of Poland by a Guard of Janisaries, and to request his Czarish Majesty to grant him a safe Passage from thence to his own Dominions. But if his Swedish Majesty rejected that offer, they would permit him to retire which way he pleased, but refused to grant him any Protection or Assistance. On the 18th Instant great Rejoycings were made here for this Intelligence. The Russian Minister adds, that the Turks continued their Warlike Preparations. All Apprehensions of a Rupture with the Grand Signior being now vanished, it is said the Force of the War this Summer will be directed against Livonia and Finland. On the 20th Instant Monsieur Grund, the late Danish Envoy, began his Journey to Copenhagen by the way of Kiow and Breslau. On the 26th the British Ambassador being at a new Entertainment with the Czar, Prince Menzikoff and Count Goloskin, they told his Excellency that they would Dine with him the next Day. His Excellency made Preparations accordingly, and had Yesterday the Honour to entertain his Majesty with great Magnificence.

Whitehaven, March 26. Yesterday the Whitehaven Galley arrived here, laden with Sugar from the West-Indies, Captain Lutwich Commander; and at the same time the Cumberland, Captain Milham Commander, set Sail for Virginia.

Falmouth, March 27. Yesterday failed the Success, Capt. Creamer Commander, with two Mails for Lisbon; and

and the Mercury Packet Boat, Capt. Green Commander, with four Mails bound for the same Place, having on Board several Officers, and sixty private Soldiers.

Plymouth, March 28. This Day arrived the Done of and for this Place, Robert Morehead Commander, with Birch, &c. and the Dorothy of Topsham for London, both from Boston. They parted about fourteen Days since from the Fleet. The same Day arrived the Benjamin of and for this Place from Viana.

Bristol, March 29. This Day came in the Beecher Galley of this Port, James Farthing Master, from Gallipoli; but last, in fourteen Days, from Gibraltar; which Garrison he left in good Health, and in Plenty of all sorts of Provisions. He came out from Gibraltar in Company of about forty sail, most of them bound for Lisbon, under Convoy of four Men of War. This Day her Majesty's Ships the Hastings and Speedwell, with thirty sail of Vessels bound to several Ports were under sail, but were forced to come to an Anchor again, the Wind beating to the Westward.

London, March 30. Richard Pic, Esq; is chosen Member of Parliament for the City of Derby, in the room of Sir Thomas Parker, Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's-Bench.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be holden at their House in Leadenhall street, London, on Tuesday the 18th of April Instant for the Election of 24 Directors for the Year ensuing, which will continue from nine in the Morning till six in the Afternoon of the said Day; after which time no Lists will be taken in. That the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered at the said House on Saturday the 8th of April Instant. That a General Court of the General Society, for Election of 24 Trustees for the Year ensuing, will be holden at the same Place on Monday the 24th of April Instant, from nine in the Forenoon till one in the Afternoon; after which time no Lists will be taken in. That the Transfer Books of the said Company will continue shut till the 25th of the said Month of April. And that the Annuity Warrants will be delivered out to the Adventurers on Monday the 1st of May next.

The Royal Lustring Company will expose to Sale by Inch of Candle on Thursday the sixth of April 1710. at ten of the Clock in the Morning, a parcel of English Narrow and Broad Alamodes and Lustrings at their House in Aldermanbury, where Books of the said Sale may be had and the Goods seen three Days before the Sale.

A General Court of the Adventurers of the Royal African Company of England is appointed to be held at the African House in Leadenhall street, on Thursday the 6th of April 1710. at 11 in the Forenoon.

All Persons who have Claims in the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance-Office, by the Death of any Member in the Year 1709. are hereby required to bring in their Proofs to the said Office, between the two Temple-Gates in Fleet-street, on or before the 17th Day of April Instant, in order to receive their Dividends.

Advertisements.

☞ This Day is publish'd Christian Holiness. The Nature, Extent, and Policy of God's Kingdom on Earth. Sermons on several Occasions; being the 8th, 9th, and 10th last Volumes of Sermons of the Rt. Reverend Father in God William Beveridge, D. D. late Lord Bishop of St. Asaph. Price 5s. each Volume. Printed for R. Smith, at his Warehouse in Exeter-change in the Strand; where may be had the said Bishop's English Works in 13 Volumes. Price 2l. 17s. 6d.

☞ Just Published. A Sermon Preach'd before the Honourable House of Commons at St. Margaret's Westminster, on Wednesday March 15, 1709-10. being the Day appointed by her Majesty for a General Fast and Humiliation to be observ'd in a most Solemn and Devout manner for obtaining the Pardon of our Sins, and imploring Gods Blessing and Assistance on the Arms of her Majesty and her Allies engag'd in the present War, and for restoring and perpetuating Peace, &c. By Philip Bisse, D. D. Printed for Jonah Bowyer at the Rose in Ludgate-street.

++ A Treatise of Sacramental Covenanting with Christ; shewing the Ungodly their Contempt of Christ, in their Contempt of the Sacramental Covenant, and calling them, (not to a Profanation of this Holy Ordinance, but) to an Understanding, Serious, Entire Dedication of themselves to God in the Sacramental Covenant, and a believing Commemoration of the Death of Christ. Written by J. Rawley, B. D. Author of the Christian Monitor. The sixth Edition. Printed for Samuel Mansfield, at the Ship against the Royal Exchange in Cornhill.

☞ Mr. Madox's History of the Exchequer of the Kings of England is now in the Press, and will be Printed with all convenient Speed. All Persons who have not Subscribed for it, are desired to send in their Subscriptions to B. Took at the Temple-Gate, and R. Knappock at the Bishop's Head in St. Paul's Church-yard, before the end of next Easter Term. The Price to Subscribers for the large Paper is 35 s. and for the small Paper 20 s. whereof in hand 20 s. for the large, and 10 s. for the small.

☞ On Wednesday the 17th of May next, will be run for in Woodstock Park in Oxfordshire, a Gold Plate of 50 Guineas given by his Grace the Duke of Marlborough, by any Horse, &c. carrying 12 Stone, the best of 3 Heats. The next Day, at 10 in the Forenoon, will be run for a Brace of Bucks, by any Horse, &c. carrying 10 Stone, 3 Heats, the winning Horse, &c. to be sold for 15 l. And in the Afternoon a Plate of about 12 l. value, by any Horse, &c. carrying 10 Stone, 3 Heats; the winning Horse, &c. to be sold for 25 Guineas. And on Friday the 19th will be run for the Gentleman's Plate, of about 50 Guineas value, by any Horse, &c. carrying 11 Stone, 3 Heats; the winning Horse, &c. to be sold for 50 Guineas. Whatever Horse, &c. runs for any of these Places must be shown at the Market Place in Woodstock, and enter'd by the Clerk of the Race that Day sevennight before each of the Plates are run for.

M R. Vickers the Clergy-Man, who Cures the Kings-Evil, liveth in Sherburn-Lane, near Lombard-street, who hath cured great Numbers of People grievously afflicted therewith (as himself formerly was) in their Eyes and Joints. See the printed Account of his Specifick Remedy, Sold by S. Mansfield, at the Ship against the Royal-Exchange, and A. Collins, at the Black Boy against St. Dunstan's Church Fleet-street.

IN the Island of Grain in the County of Kent is a large Saltwork, with a good Dwelling-house, Store-houses, Wharf, and other Conveniences, to be sold, or lett; it stands where the Medway falls into the Thames, so advantageously, that the Salt made there may, in few hours, be conveyed to London, and all the Ports, Fords, and Fleets on those Rivers. Inquire of Mr. Richard Peirson, Goldsmith, at the Acorn in Fleet-street, London.

LOST on Saturday Night the 25th of March last from the Peacock Inn in Clare-Market, a large white Spanish Dog, his Head Liver-colour, with some white on his Face, tann'd Eyebrows, and one large Liver-colour Spot at the Root of his Stern: Whoever brings him to Mr. Collins, her Majesty's Iron-monger, in the Strand, near St. Martin's-Lane End, shall have two Guineas Reward, and no Questions shall be asked.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Samuel Pendleton of Manchester, in the County of Lancaster, Chapman, and he having surrendered himself to the Commissioners, and being declared a Bankrupt; these are to give Notice, that the Commissioners will sit again on the 4th of April Instant, at the Eagle and Child Coffee house in Manchester, at 10 in the Forenoon; at which time the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

WHEREAS Thomas Leigh of London, Merchant, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; these are to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 17th Instant, at 4 in the Afternoon, at the Rainbow Coffee-house at Fleet-bridge, London, to finish his Examination; when and where his Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-mony, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHEREAS John Curtis, of South Ferrit in the County of Dorset, Clothier, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; these are to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 19th and 20th of April Instant, at 10 in the Forenoon of the said Days, at the White Hart Inn in Beunifist in Dorset aforesaid; at the first of which Sittings he is to finish his Examination, and on the second his Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-mony, and assent or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

STOLN or stray'd from Pasture near Bromley in Kent, the 23rd or 24th of March last, a large bright Bay Gelding, about 15 Hands high, full aged, with a black Mane and Tail, large Ears, rough Coat thin behind, and gres very narrow, Ears flap up and upright and rides with his Head out, with some white Spots; Whoever can give Notice of the above said Gelding to Mr. William Dinsby at the Bell Inn near Doctor's-Common London, so that he may be taken, shall have a Guinea reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by the above said Dinsby.

STOLN or stray'd on the 8th of March last out of the Grounds called Hill, near Biggswade in Bedfordshire, a brown Bay Gelding, near 14 hands high, 5 Years old, a small Ear on his Head, a few white Saddle Spots on his Back, plain headed, short Ears, with a rough Coat, and a long Mane, having run out all the Winter, a cut Tail, but somewhat long for want of trimming; Whoever gives notice of him, so that he may be had again, to Mr. Thomas Shawemaker, in Bell-court, near G-ay's Inn; or to Mr. Thomas Bolle at Hill aforesaid, shall receive a Guinea Reward, and reasonable Charges; and whoever discovers the Person that stole him, so that he may be convicted, shall have 10l. Reward.

☞ ON the 23d of March last, betwixt 4 and 5 in the Morning, Thomas Blake, a Boy about 14 Years old, round Visage, with a fair smooth Face, and brown Hair, a little curl'd, wearing a dark grey Coat trimmed with black Buttons and Buckram, and with a pair of Slippers on, broke out of Peter's Goal in York; and this Morning is supposed to have robbed Captain Lambert, Esq; Master of a Silver netted Parke, with 30 Guineas and 5 Brodes in him, and took 15 s. in Silver out of his Pocket. Whoever secures him, and brings him to the said Capt. Lambert at his Lodgings in Little Blakestreet, York, shall have two Guineas reward and reasonable Charges, or to Capt. Deering in St. Margaret's Church-yard Westminster.