

These Letters add, a Report of the King of Sweden's having privately withdrawn himself from Bender; but it is not yet known to what Place his Majesty is retired. It is said likewise, that Prince Ragotzki has put himself under his Czarish Majesty's Protection. The King of Prussia having notified, that he intended to be here this Day, the old Court has been prepared for his Reception, and the States General have appointed their Deputies to compliment him upon his first Arrival, his Majesty having declared that he would admit of no other Ceremonial on their part. So soon as the Prussian Minister was inform'd of his Master's Intentions, he ordered a Yacht to Utrecht, where his Majesty went on Board, and came hither about nine a-Clock this Evening. The Prince of Nassau is likewise speedily expected here, the States having sent an Express to him for that purpose.

*Kinsale, May 13.* Captain Paul, Commander of her Majesty's Ship the *Hallings*, arrived here on the 16th in the Evening from the Westward, and brought in with him a French Privateer belonging to St. Maloes of fourteen Guns and ninety five Men, Commanded by one Browne, and called the *Amiable*.

*Dublin, May 22.* The Lords Justices of this Kingdom had an Account late on Saturday Night, that the *Opie* Frigate, an East-India Ship, Captain Opie Commander, was put into Kleggin Bay within thirty Miles of Galway; and their Excellencies by that Post order'd fifty Men and Officers to be sent by Boat from Galway, to assist in bringing her into that Place till a Convoy can be sent for her thither, to bring her to Kinsale.

*Whitball, May 30.* They write from Edinburgh, that the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland was separated, having first dispatched with great Zeal the several Matters before them; and after they had made the most Loyal Professions of their Duty and Fidelity to Her Majesty, and their sincere Inclination to the Protestant Succession as by Law Established, they ordered, by an unanimous Vote, that the Princess Sophia, and the rest of the Illustrious House of Hanover, should be prayed for in all their Publick Congregations.

*London, May 30.* Letters from Jersey of the 24th Instant advise, that three Privateers belonging to that Island, and Commanded by Captain William Bouchel, Captain Edward du Marsq, and Captain John Shofmith, had lately brought in thither ten French Prizes laden with Wine, Brandy and Soap; and that Captain Bouchel had likewise taken an English-built Ship, formerly call'd the *Joseph* Galley of twenty Guns, having about one hundred and fifty Tuns of Salt on Board.

Notice is hereby given by the Directors of the Amicable Contributionship for Insuring Houses against Loss by Fire, that a General Meeting will be held at Stationers Hall near Ludgate on Thursday the 14th of June next, at 3 in the Afternoon, pursuant to the Deed of Settlements, when and where all Persons concerned are desired to be present.

*Advertisements.*

On Monday next will be Published, An Essay on the Nature, Extent and Authority of Private Judgment in Matters of Religion, shewing how far the same is consistent with the making of Creeds, and the Authority of Councils,

Synods, and other Ecclesiastical Assemblies. Highly necessary for the determining most of the Controversies now on foot concerning the present State of the Church. Written by the Author of the Dialogues between Timothy and Philatheus. Printed for Bernard Lintott at the Cross Keys between the two Temple Gates in Fleetstreet. Price 2s. 6d.

**I**n Pursuance of a Decretal Order made in the High Court of Chancery on the 1st Day of August last, in a Cause wherein the Right Honourable John Lord Somers and others are Plaintiffs, against the most Noble John Duke of Montagu and others Defendants. Notice is hereby given for the Creditors of the most Noble Ralph Duke of Montagu, lately Deceased, to come before Thomas Pitt, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Little Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, in order to prove and adjust their respective Debts.

**A** Freehold Estate, consisting of four well built Brick Houses and a Timber Houfe in Tooke's Court in Curfitors Alley near Chancery Lane, the Brick Houses now lett at 30 l. per Ann. each, and the Timber Houfe at 17 l. per Ann. are by a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, to be sold to the best Purchaser before Thomas Gery, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in New Court in Chancery Lane.

**A**n Estate in Preston in Mercedshire, the present Rents 19 l. 13 s. the improved Rents 52 l. 10 s. is to be Sold before Sir Robert Legard, Kt. one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, where Particulars may be had.

**L**OST near the Royal Exchange, a Dutch Painted Box, wherein were two Exchequer Bills. No. 33289 and No. 35535 of 25 l. each, and the following Notes, viz. one drawn by Mr. Peter Meyer on Messrs Stone and Martin for 22 l. 8 s. one drawn by Mr. John Vandercall on Mr. Catwell and Company for 40 l. Also a Note of Mr. Howell for 30 l. payable to Mr. Benj. Bond, whereof 21 l. 10 s. is indented, with several Notes and Papers, of all which Notice is given to stop Payment; but if any Person shall stop the said Notes and Papers, or bring them to Mr. Israel Falgout at the Bank of England, they shall receive 5 Guineas reward for the whole, or proportionable for any part thereof without being questioned.

**S**TOLE the 28th Instant at the Golden Curtil near Whitechappel Bars, a Gold Medal. The right Owner desiring the same, and paying the Charges, may have it again.

**W**HEREAS Elizabeth the Wife of Robert Hodgson of Cawthayton in the Parish of Crosthwaite in the County of Cumberland, Yeoman, hath Eloped from her said Husband; these are to give Notice, that he will not pay any Debts she shall contract after the Publication hereof.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against Thomas Fitzer of Colchester in the County of Essex, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt; these are to give Notice to all Persons who have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, or owe him any Money, that they forthwith deliver and pay the same unto Jeremiah Daniel, Samuel Mortier and Benjamin Freeman, all of Colchester, Assignees, or otherwise they will be sued.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Woolley and Charles Cope, Merchants and Co-partners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners on the 12th, 13th and 30th of June next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-money, and chuse Assignees.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Ephraim Paine of Kinton in Lindsey in the County of Lincoln, Mercer, have certified to the Right Honourable Sir Simon Harcourt, Kt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conformed himself according to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is 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 21st of June next.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Harris of Fleetstreet, London, Silkman and Mower, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Sir Simon Harcourt, Kt. Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conformed himself according to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; this is 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 21st of June next.

**S**TOLE or strayed on the 22d Instant at Night, out of the Grounds of Susan Ruddle at Alcnings in the County of Wilts, a bay Brown Mare about 13 Hands high, middle aged, a plain Forehead, having a little stir at the top of the near Ear, a cat Tail, and no white. Whoever gives Notice of her, so as she may be had again, to Susan Ruddle aforesaid, or to Mr. Nathaniel Parfely at the Duke of Ormond's Head in Kennington, shall have a Guinea reward.

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**O**N the 15th sports were made at the Norris, in Catalonia. The Dutch Ambassadors are still in the city, they will both depart in a few days time. Mr. Marquis de Saxe will speedily arrive at his residence. They write from the East Indies, that fifteen thousand rix-dollars, that twelve cargoes, have been seized in the last month, and that two millions were seized belonging to the States of the Netherlands. Morning at the Superbe, having a very bad weather, put into the bay three or four Days. The Swallow's-Prince, the Island of Comoros, they will arrive in about three Days. The Captain of the *St. Mahon* fifteen Days had Carren'd his Ship for Barcelona. He last he met Sir John for Spain. The He last Week an Epilepsy was much alarm'd Ministers residing Great Duke, at which Dauphin. They were Sunday the 10th Instant belonging to the Poit landed at the Poit laces drawn, and an The Guard of the cock'd as they were desist, but so soon they retired to the making any manner French insulted all ing one Person into ther in the Back, d their Chief Design v Dutch that came in been made to the b but it is not yet l return'd to 'em, or ing in the French w Dresden, May 26 the Evening the R thing for his proceed invited the Chief of Supper at a Pleasure by in the great Gar