

States of Holland came to a final Resolution for Prohibiting all manner of Commerce with France; the Town of Dort, which at first oppos'd it, having been prevail'd upon to consent thereto. This Prohibition is to commence at the Expiration of six Months; but does not extend to a Correspondence by Letters, as it was once thought it wou'd have done. We have Letters of the 18th from Hamburg, advising, That they have received no Confirmation of the Victory said to have been obtain'd over the Turks; for which Reason they began to doubt the Truth of that Report. The Swedes being apprehensive that the Danes have some Design upon Stralsund, have thrown up an Entrenchment near it, in which they have posted eight thousand Men, and seem resolv'd to defend it to the last Extremity, in case any Attempt shou'd be made upon it. We hear the Danish Fleet is riding off Carlsron, in order to prevent the Swedes from Transporting any Forces from thence into Pomerania.

*From on Board Sir Edw. Whittaker, off the Lizard, Aug. 10.* On the 8th Instant, in the Lat. of 49 deg. and 30 min. the Lizard, E. N. E. Distance about seventeen Leagues, the Wind Easterly, and a fresh Gale, we did, about Three in the Morning, fall in with six Sail of Ships. The Breda Haled them, but they immediately bore from us. We chased them till Ten, at which time we had laid their Hulls, they outrunning us to very much, that they spared us half their Sails. We suppose them to be the Dunkirk Squadron, four of them being pretty large Ships, and two small ones.

*Extract of an Act of the Faculty of Law of Edinburgh, July 18. 1711.*

**T**HE Dean and Faculty of Advocates understanding, that several malicious Reports have been rais'd, and industriously spread abroad concerning a Medal, said to have been lately sent to one of their Servants, in order to be kept among other Curiosities, belonging to that Society, met Yesterday extraordinarily upon that Occasion, and it appear'd to them, that a Medal was sent to one of their Servants, who being call'd, acknowledg'd his having the same, and justify'd that it never was put into the Faculties Collection of Medals, nor had ever been out of his Custody. The said Dean and Faculty did at the said Meeting of Yesterday, unanimously declare, That they reject'd the offer of the said Medal, and order'd the said Servant to deliver up the same into the Hands of the Lord Advocate, which was done in their Presence: And further, the said Dean and Faculty of Advocates, did unanimously appoint a Committee to bring in an Act of Faculty, containing a Narration of the Fact as above, and a declaration of their Duty and loyal Affection to Her Majesty's Person and Government, and the Protestant Succession as by Law establish'd; and their Detestation of all Practices, that directly or indirectly may contain the least Insinuation to the contrary, or any encouragement to the Pretender. The Committee having met, &c. made Report, The Faculty in a very frequent Meeting assembled this Day extraordinary, did unanimously agree to the Narration of the Matter of Fact as above, and for vindication of their Duty and Loyalty to Her Majesty's Person and Government, and the Protestant Succession, as by Law Establish'd in the Illustrious House of Hanover, Do declare their utter Detestation of all Practices that directly or indirectly may contain the least Insinuation to the contrary, or any encouragement for the Pretender or his Abettors, and for publishing these

their sincere and steadfast Resolutions, do ordain these Presents to be Sign'd in their Name, and in their Presence, by their Dean, to be Recorded in their Books, and an Extract thereof Sign'd by their Clerk, to be deliver'd to Her Majesty's Advocate, *Sic Subscribitur Robert Bennett, J. P. F. Extracted by me William Forbes, Cl. F. J.*

*Edinburgh, Aug. 8. 1711.*

*This Day was Published, by Special Order of the Dean of Faculty and his Council.*

**W**HEREAS the Author of the London Flying-Post hath in his Paper of the Date the 2d Instant, inserted Minutes (as he calls them) of the Faculty of Advocates at Edinburgh, 30th of June last, in relation to a Medal sent to the Faculty, which he says he had from a good Hand, of purpose to make the said Spurious Minutes pass as Genuin through Her Majesty's Dominions, to the great Dissatisfaction, Scandal, and Reproach of the said Faculty. Therefore the Dean of Faculty and his Council, thought it their Duty and Interest, to let the World know, that the foresaid Minutes contain a false Narration of what pass'd in the said Meeting of the Faculty, whereof a true Account hath been transmitted in an extracted Act of Faculty, dated the 18th of July last, by the Lord Advocate to the Secretaries of State; and consequently, that the Author of that News-Paper, hath with egregious Imprudence abused the Liberty of the Press, and most injuriously thrown Dirt upon our Society, by calumniating them, as disaffected to Her Majesty's Government; who having nothing so much at Heart as, upon all Occasions, to give ample Testimony and Assurances of their Duty, firm Loyalty, and Affection to Her Majesty's Person, rightful Title, and Government, and to the Protestant Succession as Establish'd by Law, and their utter Detestation of all Practices that directly or indirectly may afford the least insinuation to the contrary. And for farther vindicating the Faculty from all such injurious Aspersions, they are resolv'd to prosecute the said imposing Newsmonger, for publishing the foresaid false Paper, and such as he shall condiscend upon as his Informer, according to Law.

*The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, having order'd such of the Foremast Men belonging to Her Majesty's Ship the Triumph, as were lately in the Falkland, Norfolk and Southampton, to be remov'd on board the Kingsale, and the rest on board the Lenox, to serve in the said Ships, and to be paid their Wages there: Their Lordships are pleas'd to direct, that they do forthwith repair on board their respective Ships at Chatham, otherwise they will be taken up and prosecuted as Deserters.*

*The Commissioners for Visitualling Her Majesty's Navy, give Notice, that on the following days in the forenoons, they will be ready at their Office on Tower-Hill to receive Proposals, and treat with such Persons as are inclinable to furnish Hogs for the Service of Her Majesty's Navy, at the Ports hereafter mention'd, viz. On Wednesday the 5th of September next for Hogs at Harwich, and on Friday the 7th of September next for Hogs at London.*

*Advertisements.*

**T**his is to give Notice, that the Deer-Park, at Cobham in Kent, near Gravesend, 24 miles from London, 4 from the River of Thames, and 3 from the River of Medway, being disparted, containing about 700 Acres, and consisting of Arable, Pasture and Wood-land, not plow'd in the Memory of Man; to be let at Michaelmas next for any Term, to be plow'd or led, at a reasonable Rent, considering the freshness and goodness of the Ground, all well water'd with spring Ponds: Also several other very good and large Farms, newly re-built and fitted with new Houses, Barns, Stables, and all other Conveniences, all fresh Land and well water'd, to be Let at Michaelmas next for any Term, at reasonable Rents.

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