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Naples, February 27. N. S.

THE Count de Thau, our Vice-Roy, has repair'd the Fortifications of all the Castles of this Place, and furnish'd them with great Stores of Ammunition and Provisions. Some Days ago the four Deputations of the City held an Assembly, to deliberate upon several Proposals that were made to them for the advantage of Commerce, and agreed to refer them to the Consideration of the most eminent Merchants, who are order'd to give their Opinions of them in Writing. The Emperor has conferr'd the Dignity of a Grandee of Spain upon the Duke de Sorreto and his Successors. Several Persons suspected of forming Designs against the Government, have lately been committed to Prison. We have received advice from Manfredonia, that the Spanish Troops design'd for Hungary were disembark'd at Fiume, and the Transport Ships were returned, having made a prosperous Voyage, except one Tartane that was cast away with Thirty Soldiers on board. They write from Palermo, that the King of Sicily had fix'd on the 30th of next Month for his Publick Entry into Messina. He had sent Orders to all the Governours of the Maritime Places, not to suffer any Ecclesiastical Persons to retire out of the Kingdom, without express Leave from his Majesty.

Turin, February 28. N. S. On the 24th an Express arrived here from the Count de Prevana, Minister of this Court at Vienna, with an Account, that he had received an Order from the Emperor to leave that City in three Days, and the Empire in fifteen. Whereupon this Government immediately sent to the Imperial Minister to be gone from hence in Twenty four Hours, and he is accordingly set out for Milan. All the Emperor's Subjects, who have no Settlement in this Country, are likewise order'd to retire out of his Majesty's Dominions in Fifteen Days. On the 26th a Courier was dispatch'd to Sicily, to give the King an Account of these Proceedings, which it is apprehended may occasion a Rupture between the two Courts. Letters from Palermo bring an Account, that Preparations were making for his Majesty's Journey to Messina, and Monsieur Fontana was already gone thither to give Orders for his Reception. The same Advices add, that an Assembly of the States of the Kingdom, consisting of the Nobility, Clergy, and Burgeses was conven'd at Palermo, and the King did not intend to return into Piedmont till after their Separation.

Stockholm, March 3. N. S. It has been propos'd in the Assembly of the States to enter into a Treaty with the Allies of the North during the King's Absence, since the time of his return is so very uncertain. But the Princess-Regent has declared, that she cannot consent to any Negotiations of Peace without Instructions from his Majesty,

which she has not yet received. The Committee for Secret Affairs have been in Conference with the Senate, and acquainted them with the Resolutions they are come to for raising a Supply for the Service of this Year. The States have unanimously agreed to send out a Squadron of Men of War early in the Spring, under the Command of Admiral Watrang, in order to encounter that of the Muscovites on the Coasts of Finland. They have likewise agreed to form three Armies, one of which is to be employ'd in Scania, another in Finland, and the third is to remain near this City. All Matters relating to the Defence of the Kingdom being now adjust'd, it is thought the States will finish their Session in a short time. The Senate has sent for General Ducker to take upon him the Command of the Army at this Place, and the Government of Stralsund is to be committed in his absence to Major-General Ekelbach. Some Days ago Monsieur Lewenheym, Secretary of Count Meyerfeld, arrived here from Turkey, and brought a List of several Promotions from the King.

Madrid, March 12. N. S. His Majesty continues still at the Palace of the Duke de Medina Celi, and the Ministers often go thither to give him an account of the Affairs of the Kingdom. On the 11th, Don Sancho de Velunza was consecrated Bishop of Ceuta by Cardinal Giudice, assisted by the Bishops of Cardona and Girona. Letters from Catalonia bring an account, that the Forces lately arrived from Sicily were disembark'd, and posted on the Left of the Camp. It was thought as soon as the Horse and Dragoons were mounted, they would be sent to relieve the Walloon Troops, and part of those under the command of the Count de Fiennes, which are to be employ'd in the Siege of Barcelona. The Inhabitants of that Place have sent the Duke de Popoli a Letter for the King, in which it is said they offer to lay down their Arms, and to pay his Majesty's Expences in preparing for the Siege, upon condition they may have their Privileges secured to them. We are informed that there have been great Divisions among their Leaders, and the Marquis de Villaroel, their General in Chief, is dismiss'd from his Command.

Deal, March 25. The following Ships are now in the Downs, viz. the Rochester, Thistleworth and the Catherine bound for the East Indies; the Union, London and the Tavistock for Jamaica; the Martha, Society, Globe, James and the Generous Jenny for Virginia; the Broughton and the Smith-Frigat for Guinea; the Sophia and the George for New-England; the Stratford and the Three Mariés for

Bar.

Barbadoes; the Welfare for Nevis; the John, Betty, Spring-Gally and the Union for Oporto; the Willing-Mind and the Unity for Lisbon; the Lancaster, Pearl and the Margaret for Madera; the Rebecca and Blessing for Gibraltar; the Elizabeth for Alicant, and the Francis Brigantine for Malaga.

This is to give notice, That it is Her Majesty's Royal Intention to Touch for the Evil, on Tuesday the 30th of this Instant March.

Ambrose Dickens,

Whereas a Letter signed W. R. Hampshire, dated the 11th of March, 1712. hath been sent to the Most Hon. the Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain, mentioning a Defect in the Charging the Duties payable for Windows: This is to give Notice, That if the Person who wrote the said Letter will come or send to the Commissioners for managing the said Duties, at their Office in St Martin's Lane, and make out what he proposes, he shall have all fitting Encouragement.

The Commissioners for taking in the Tickets and delivering out standing Orders in lieu thereof, in the Queen's Lottery for 500,000 l. give notice, That they will begin the Work of taking in and entering the said Tickets for Orders, at their Office at Whitehall, on Thursday the 1st of April next, and continue the said Work on every Day (Sundays excepted) from 9 till 1 in the Forenoon; therefore the Persons bringing the said Tickets, are desired to make Lists thereof in a Numerical Order as near as may be, and in their said Lists to mark or denote the Number of Tickets they would have comprized in one and the same Order, with the Names and Additions of their Persons for whom the said Orders are to be made forth, the Tickets so to be comprized not to exceed 100 in any one Order, and to be in one and the same Course of Payment: And because it cannot be expected, that who in the Work of taking in the Tickets of this Lottery does begin, (which will be done at two different Seats, 25,000 Tickets at each Seat) that the Persons who have not yet brought their Tickets to be entered, nor called for their Orders in any of the former Lotteries, should meet with so easie Dispatch as they may do, in case they come before the Work of this Lottery does commence. All Persons having any Tickets remaining to be entered, or Orders to be called for in the former Lotteries, have this notice, to the End they may order their Affairs and govern themselves accordingly.

The Court of Directors of the South-Sea Company give notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held, at Merchant-Taylors Hall, in Threadneedle-street, London, on Wednesday the 31st Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, being one of the Half-Yearly Courts appointed by the Charter.

The Court of Directors of the Bank of England give notice to the Subscribers to two several Contracts for furnishing Moneys to the Bank, (the First for Fifteen hundred thousand Pounds, dated the Seventeenth Day of February, 1712. and the other for Ten hundred thousand Pounds, dated the Sixth Day of August last,) That they the said Subscribers and their Assigns, are from henceforth respectively discharged from the said two Contracts: And that the Bank are ready to pay the Principal and Interest due upon the Deposit-Receipts, together with the Premiums respectively payable on the said two Contracts: And Receipts for the Ten per Cent. deposited on the New Subscription, will be ready to be delivered at the Bank, on Thursday the first of April next.

Advertisements.

THe remaining part of a Term of Years unexpired, in a Lease of a Messuag: or Tenement lying in Little Lombard Street, near the Three Cranes, London, as so a good Stone Warehouse, and other Conveniences, fit for the Trade of a Fruiterer, late in the Occupation of one John Guater against whom a Commission of Bankrupt was lately awarded, is to be disposed of to the best Purposers by Mr. Thomas Brearcliff in Crown-Court, near the Feathers Tavern in Cheapside, Assignee of the said Bankrupt's Estate.

Lost on the 13th of October last, a green Pocket-book, with the Name of Randall Fearnley, Packer, in Cloak-lane, at the end of the Book; having in it 2 Notes of John Bailey's Hand, 1 for 30 l. and the other for 29 l. 5 s. dated the 9th of October last, to be paid in 3 Months to the said Randall Fearnley, and other Notes and Accounts, of no use to any but the Owner: Whoever brings the said Notes to Randall Fearnley aforesaid, shall have 20 s. reward.

THe Creditors of Robert Howard, Jun. late of Hoars-Croft in the County of Stafford, Esq: are pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, to prove their Debts before Sir Thomas Oery, one of the Masters of the said Court.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Thomas Adderley, of London Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby requir'd to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 1st, 8th and 26th of April next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the 1st of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Elizabeth Wren, of Bishopgate-Street, London, Widow and Vntner, and she being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 2d, 9th and 26th of April next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, at the 1st of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove Debts, pay Contribution-money, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas John Wood of Burton Smithies, in the Parish of Ropson, in the County of York, Chapman, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; this is to give notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 13th of April next; at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London to finish his Examination; where his Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-money, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas Thomas Williamson of the City of York, Merchant, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to notice) and been twice examined; this is to give notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 9th, 10th and 12th of April next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the House of Hannah Wood in Cattle-gate, in the City of York, to finish his Examination; where his Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees, and assent to or dissent from the allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas Joseph Whitehorn, of Portsmouth, in the County of Southampton, Ironmonger, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to notice) and been twice examined; This is to give notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 5th of April next, at 8 in the Forenoon, at the Rainbow Coffee-house in Portsmouth, to finish his Examination, where his Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution money, and assent to or dissent from the allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Benjamin Leonard, of St. James's Westminster, Vintner, have certify'd to the Right Honourable Simon Lord Harcourt, Baron of Stanton Harcourt, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conform'd himself to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give notice, that his Certificate will be allow'd and confirm'd as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 17th of April next.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Edward Westcombe, of London, Merchant, have certify'd to the Rt. Hon. Simon Lord Harcourt, Baron of Stanton Harcourt, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conform'd himself to the directions of the late Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give notice that his Certificate will be allow'd and confirm'd as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary, on or before the 17th of April next.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Adams, late of London, Scrivener, intend to meet on the 13th of April next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate: where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution on Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they'll be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Hall, of London, Cheesmonger, having made an Assignment of the said Bankrupt's Estate, to Mr. William Selleck of Basinghall-Street, London, Merchant; all Persons that are indebted to the said Bankrupt, or have any Goods or other Effects of his in their Hands, are forthwith to pay and deliver the same to the said Assignee, or they'll be immediately s'd.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Henry Butcher, of the City of Norwich, intend to meet on the 13th of April next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the Dove Tavern in Norwich, to make a second Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; where the Creditors that have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they'll be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend.