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Madrid, September 5.

WE have Advice from Cadiz, that the Intendant Sig. Varas having Information privately given him, that a considerable Sum in Pieces of Eight was concealed on board the Admiral of the Flota, and had not been registred, he caused strict Search to be made, and it was found and seized. This having alarmed several Persons who had unregistred Silver concealed on board the Flota, they went before the proper Officer at Cadiz, and declared the Value of what they had so concealed, desiring to be allowed to pay the same Indulto for it as for the registred Effects. There has been another Insurrection of the Populace at the Havana: The Occasion was this, The General of the Flota sent Order to the Bishop of that Place to imbark for Spain, to give an Account of his Behaviour in the Time of the Commotion raised there last Year, when the Farm of Tobacco was designed to be established for the King's Account. But the Council, as also the new Governour and the Officers, interceding that the Bishop might not be carried off till his Majesty's Pleasure were further known, he was allowed to stay, and the People returned to their Obedience. The President of the Crusada is put at the Head of the Tribunal of the Inquisition, to supply the Room of the Inquisitor-General Molines during his Confinement. 'Tis said the Marquess of Pozzobuono, who was Governour of Portolongone, is nominated by his Catholick Majesty to go to Sweden, as his Minister and Plenipotentiary.

Venice, Sept. 9. Sig. Diedo being chosen Dean of the Ducal Church of St. Mark, made his publick Entry on the 5th Instant, and took Possession of that Dignity: The same Day came in a Man of War, having on board General Sala and other Officers, who came from Corfu. On Wednesday arrived a Ship in 18 Days from Corfu, the Master of which reports, that the Day before his Departure one of the largest Spanish Men of War, and another of the third Rate, came into that Port. We have Advice from Zant, that the Fleet of this Republick was arriv'd there, and that some of the Ships were pretty much damaged in the Engagement with the Turks, in which about a Thousand Men were lost on our Side: The same Letters say, that the Turkish Fleet having been much shattered in that Engagement, had put into the Bay of Coron to refit. Sig. Ruzzini, who assisted in the Congress at Passarowitz, as Ambassadour Plenipotentiary of this State, is nominated by the Senate to go Ambassadour Extraordinary to the Ottoman Porte.

Vienna, Sept. 10. Sir Robert Sutton, the King of Great Britain's Ambassadour for the Mediation of the Peace concluded at Passarowitz, arrived here Yesterday: He came from Passarowitz on the 24th, having been present on the 21st at the Exchange of the Ratifications of the Treaties between the Emperour, the Republick of Venice, and the Grand Signior. Count Colliers, the Minister-Mediatour on the Part of the States General, who was also present at the exchanging of the said Ratifications, set
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out from Passarowitz on the 24th, in order to return to Constantinople, there to reside as Ambassadour from their High Mightinesses, M. Fleischman has brought hither the Treaty of Commerce with the Turks ratified. We have Advice, that the Barons Petrasch and Stein, who were made Prisoners by the Turks and confined in the Seven Towers at Constantinople, having been set at Liberty by Virtue of the Treaty, arrived the 26th of last Month at Hermandstadt; and that the next Day Prince Nicholas Mauro-Cordato, Hospodar of Walachia, was set at Liberty, and went from thence with a Guard of 40 Grenadiers: Count Steinvile, Governour of Transilvania, made a Present to that Prince at his Departure of six fine Horses. 'Tis reported, that Prince Eugene of Savoy, being well recovered of his late Indisposition, will shortly set out for the Austrian Netherlands.

Brussels, Sept. 22. Last Night the Prince de la Tour received Advice by an Express from Vienna, that on the 14th Instant the Empress was brought to Bed of an Archduchess.

Hague, Sept. 23. The States of the Province of Holland are to re-assemble next Week, by which Time 'tis believed the rest of the Provinces will be ready to enter into the Quadruple Alliance. This Morning the Marquess de Chateaufeuf set out on his Return to Paris. General Palmes, His Britannick Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary to the King of Poland, arrived here on the 15th, and on the 17th set out for Dresden. On the 15th the Prince of Portugal left this Place, and after he has seen some Towns of Holland, will proceed through the Austrian Netherlands to France.

Hampton-Court, Sept. 5, 1718.

Whereas Captain Lawrence Childs, of Spittle-Fields, Pewterer, went from his House on the 4th Day of July last in the Morning, and hath not since been seen or heard of by his Family, and is believed to have been murdered: His Majesty is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of the Persons concerned in the Fact (except the Person by whose Hand the Murder was

committed) who shall discover their Accomplices, so as they may be apprehended and convicted.

J. CRAGGS.

Mrs. Frances Childs promises to pay the Sum of Fifty Pounds for the Encouragement of the Person that shall make the said Discovery.

Office of Ordnance, Sept. 16, 1718.

Whereas John Rowley, aged 21 Years, 5 Foot 9 Inches high, a Carpenter and Slater by Trade, wears a very light Perriwig, of a pale Complexion, born at Chrouthon in Shropshire: And William Eastwood, aged 21 Years, 5 Foot 10 Inches and a Quarter high, a Cooper by Trade, wears his own short curl'd brown Hair, of a fresh Complexion, born at Newnart in Gloucestershire, both Matrosses, did desert the 4th Instant out of the Detachment of one of the Companies of the Royal Artillery at Chatham, commanded by Lieutenant Jonathan Lewis. Whoever shall secure one or both of the said Persons, and give Notice to the aforesaid Lieutenant at Chatham, the Commanding Officer of the Company at Woolwich, or at the Office of Ordnance in the Tower, shall receive 3 l. for each Man, as a Reward.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies, do hereby give Notice, that a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be holden at the East-India-House in Leadenhall-Street, London, on Friday the 19th of this Instant September, at Eleven in the Forenoon.

The Court of Directors of the South-Sea Company give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Broad-Street, London, on Wednesday the 24th Instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, being one of the Half-Yearly Courts appointed by the Charter, and to choose a Committee of Seven to inspect the By-Laws.

Advertisements.

THE Trustees appointed by an Act of Parliament to discharge Sir Alex. orer Rigby, out of his Imprisonment, and well his Estate and Effects, in Trust for his Creditors, intend to meet on the 28th of October next, at Four in the Afternoon, at Browne's Coffee-House, in Mitre-Court: At which Time they will receive Proposals for the Sale of the said Alexander's Estate, in the County of Baltinger and Lancaster. Particulars whereof may be had at Mr. Horspell's Chamber, No 8. against the lower Temple Garden: And the Creditors are then to come to prove their Debts and pay their Contribution-Money.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Arthur Strother, of Alnwick, in the County of Northumberland, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt; the Commissioners intend to meet on the 22d Instant, at Two in the Afternoon, at the Dwelling House of Mrs. Elizabeth Grey, Widow, situate in Alnwick, in the said County: And the Commissioners intend also to meet on the 20th of October next, at Two in the Afternoon, at the Dwelling House of Mr. Gilbert Macdalls, at the Wall-gate, in the said County, near Newcastle upon Tyne: At the second of which Meetings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts and pay their Contribution-Money, and shew Assignees: And all Persons that are indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or other Effects of his in their Hands, are not to pay or deliver the same to any but such whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but are forthwith to give Notice to Mr. Thomas Davison, Attorney at Law, in Newcastle upon Tyne.