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Naples, March 1.

WE have had no News from Trapani since the 11th of February, N. S. But as the Winds have been, it is not doubted the Convoy from Melazzo with the Troops is got to Trapani. The Lenox and Grafton, British Men of War, sailed Yesterday for Port Mahon.

Berne, March 21. The Secretary which came hither lately from Zurich with a Project for regulating the Affair of Mulheim, and to which the said Canton desired the Concurrence of this State, is still here, notwithstanding the Answer he received several Days ago to his Request, and which tends to exhort the forenamed Canton to come to an Agreement with that of Glaris, which appeared to have an equal Right to the Nomination of a Curate at Mulheim. It seems this Secretary stays here for further Orders from his Masters. The Council established here some Time ago for Managing the Affairs of Trade and Commerce, and for Encouraging the Erections of several Sorts of Manufactures and Fabricks in this Canton, has sent lately for a Merchant from Coire, in the Country of the Grisons, who being said to be a Man well vers'd in those Matters of Trade, by reason of his Traffick in Italy and Germany, is expected will be able to give some Light to the Council, with regard to their Design, and they are in frequent Conference with him.

Paris, March 27, N. S. On the 19th Instant it was declared by an Arrêt, that the Louis d'Ors which were to be reduced the 20th one Eighth of their Value, according to the Arrêt of the 11th, are to continue to be received at the Mints till the End of this Month at the present Value, and are only reduced in Payments between Man and Man. Another Arrêt of the same Date prohibits the Importation of Gold and Silver either in Specie of this or any other Country, or in Ingots, into this Kingdom, upon Pain of Confiscation of the Gold and Silver, and the Ships, Waggon, Coaches, Horses, or other Carriages on which it shall be found, and a Penalty of 10000 Livres. This Arrêt is to have Effect till the End of December next. It directs likewise, that the Gold and Silver. which may be brought in by Ships which may be now returning from long Voyages, shall be deposited in order to be exported, unless the Owners shall chuse rather to sell it to the Company. The Company are excepted out of this Arrêt, and are permitted to export or import Gold and Silver either in Specie or in Ingots. Since the first Création of the Actions by the Company, which were called *Actions de la Compagnie d'Occident*, the East-India and China Companies having been united to them, and the Company stiled *La Compagnie des Indes*; and by the Arrêt of the 5th Instant the Submissions and Primes being called in, and Actions being to be delivered out instead of them, an Arrêt was published the 12th Instant for

for Printing Actions for 300 Millions of Livres, which are to be exchanged for the Actions already given out as well as for the Submissions and Primes, and are to be filed *Actions de la Compagnie des Indes*. On the 22d Instant an Ordinance was published which declares, that the Bank having opened a Bureau for buying and selling Actions at a fixed Price, which is not to be subject to any Variation, there shall for the future be no negotiating for Paper of any kind in the Rue Quinquampoix, nor any Meetings there, nor any Offices kept open by private Persons for doing Business relating to the Company's Stocks. An Arrêt was published Yesterday for taking off the Duty upon Paper, as well that upon the making of Paper, as that upon the Importation of it into this City. It having been always inserted in the Leases of the King's Farms, that the Nobility may be concerned with the Lessee in holding those Farms, without prejudicing their Quality; an Arrêt has been published lately which declares, in order to procure the same Advantages to the Princes of the Blood, which is of having responsible Persons who shall be able to pay to the full Value, that the Nobility of what Degree soever may farm Lands and Lordships belonging to the Princes of the Blood, without derogating from their Quality and Privileges.

Paris, March 28. On the 26th Instant the Earl Stanhope arrived here from England, and Yesterday had Audience of his Royal Highness the Duke Regent.

Notice is hereby given by the Agents to the Captors, That the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Mermaid, who were on Board at the Capture of the Pontchartrain, in the Time of the late War with France, &c. may, on Saturday the 9th of April next, receive, at the Green Posts near Tower-Dock, their several Shares of the Bounty for that Prize, according to the Directions of Her late Majesty's Proclamation of the 20th of May, 1708: And that the Shares of such as shall not be then paid may, during the Space of three Years, be received at the aforesaid Place, on the first Saturday of every Month.

Advertisements.

TO be sold, by Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Godfrey, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, all that the Site of the Mannor and Site of the Rectory of Whiteley, alias Whiteley St. Andrew, with all the Lands and Gardens thereto belonging, being the Estate late of Hugh Underwood, Esq; deceased, situate and being in the Isle of Ely, in the Counties of Cambridge and Huntingdon: Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Chancery-Lane.

TO be sold by Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before John Hicocks, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, on the 5th of May next, at Five in the Afternoon, a Messuage and Lands of the yearly Value of about 127 l. situate in Woolley, in the Parish of Bradford, in the County of Wilt, late the Estate of Robert Beach, Esq; deceased: Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Boucher, of St. Martin's in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 28th Instant, and on the 4th and 21st of April next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London: At the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are desired to give Notice thereof to Mr. Richard Arnold, Attorney, in Norfolk-Street in the Strand.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Smith, of Fenchurch-Street, London, Sadler, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 25th Instant, and on the 1st and 21st of April next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are desired to give Notice to Mr. Thomas Dowle, Attorney, in Newman's Court, Cornhill.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Sir Macheu Kirwood, of London, Goldsmith, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 28th Instant, and on the 6th and 21st of April next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are desired to give Notice thereof to Mr. Edward Clive, Attorney, in Ironmonger-Lane, London.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Cripps, of London, Leather-seller, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 28th Instant, and on the 4th and 21st of April next, at Three in the Afternoon of each Day, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

WHereas Robert Singer, of Littleton, in the County of Middlesex, Maltster, hath surrendered himself, (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 31st Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and to object, if they think fit, against the Commissioners making his Certificate in order for his Discharge.