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Hanover, August 19.

THE King of Prussia set out from Hertenhausen Yesterday Morning, to return to his own Dominions; a triple Discharge of the Cannon on our Ramparts being made at his Departure. The King has been pleased to appoint the Earl Stanhope, the Lord Carteret, and Sir Robert Sutton, to be his Majesty's Ambassadors Extraordinary and Plenipotentiaries at the Congress at Cambray. His Majesty has been pleased to constitute the Lord Polwarth, who has for some Years resided at Copenhagen with the Character of his Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary, his Ambassador to the King of Denmark.

Paris, Sept. 4, N. S. On the 2d Instant at Night, the Duke Regent lay for the first time in his Apartments in the Palace of the Tuilleries, and was at the King's Levee Yesterday Morning; after which his Royal Highness held a Council of the Finances in his own Apartment, at which the Marshal de Villeroi assisted. The Parliament at Pontoise having put off the Examination of the King's Declaration touching the Agreement of the Disputes upon the Pope's Constitution, from one Day to another, assembled at length on Monday last, and appointed 10 Commissioners to examine the same, and make their Report thereupon to the Company. On that Occasion two Petitions or Protestations were presented, the one on the Part of the University of Paris, and the other from the four Bishops who first made their Appeal to the future General Council. 'Tis said the Faculty of Theology will put in a separate Petition. The Parliament had Yesterday this Affair under Consideration; but some Debates arising, they have put it off again till To-Morrow. 'Tis said, that the Abbot de St. Albin is named to carry the Accommodation to the Pope, in case the Parliament agrees to it. On the 31st past a solemn Service was celebrated in the Royal Chappel for the Repose of the Soul of the late King; and on the 2d Instant the same was performed at St. Denis, the Marshals Villeroy and Villars, who were conducted thither in one of the King's Coaches, assisting in his Majesty's Name at that Ceremony. Count Bielke, Envoy Extraordinary of Sweden, had Yesterday his first Audience of the King. M. Bouffquin, Chamberlain of the Czar, is arrived here with Letters from his Master to the King and the Duke Regent. An Arrêt is published for allowing 1500 Bales of Coffee, lately brought from Mocha on Account of private Traders at St. Malo, under the Privilege of the Old India Company, to be sold within the Kingdom (the present Company having an exclusive Privilege

for selling all Commodities from the Indies;) and at the same time it is forbidden to carry any Coffee out of the Kingdom, till the King shall order otherwise.

August 27, 1720.

His Majesty, in Pursuance of an Address of the House of Commons presented the last Session of Parliament, having commanded the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations to consider and propose some effectual Method for preventing the Exportation of Wool into foreign Parts, in order to be laid before his Majesty and both Houses of Parliament the next Session: The said Lords Commissioners having the same under Consideration, do hereby give Notice, That they have appointed every Thursday, during the Month of September, to receive Proposals from, and discourse with any Persons concerning the same, at their Office in the Cock-pit at Whitehall.

Wm. Popple.

Custom-house, London; Aug. 22, 1720.

Whereas by the Act to prevent Frauds, passed the 14th Year of Charles II it is enacted, That if any Goods, Wares, or Merchandizes, shall be shipped, or put on board to be carried forth to the open Sea from any one Port of this Kingdom, to be landed at any other Place of this Realm, without a Sufferance or Warrant first had and obtained from the Officers of his Majesty's Customs, all such Wares, and Merchandizes shall be forfeited and lost. And y another Act passed the 4th Year of His present Majesty, Entituled, An Act against clandestine Running of unaccustomed Goods, &c. it is enacted, That in Case any Foreign Goods, Wares, or Merchandizes, shall by any Collier, Fisher boat, or other coasting Vessel or Boat be taken in at Sea, or out of any Ship or Vessel whatsoever, in order to be landed, or put into any other Ship, Vessel, or Boat, within the Limits of any Port, without Payment of the Customs, and other Duties due and payable for the same, such Goods, Wares, and Merchandizes, shall be forfeited, and the Master of such Collier, Fisher boat, or other coasting Vessel or Boat, shall forfeit treble the Value of such Goods, unless in Case of Necessity, which such Master shall immediately give Notice of, and make Proof before the chief Officers of the Customs of the first Port of this Kingdom where he shall arrive; and the Master, Purser, or other Person taking Charge of the Ship or Vessel out of which such Goods shall be taken in at Sea, unless in Case of Necessity, as aforesaid, shall forfeit treble the Value of such Goods so unshipped, one Moiety of which Forfeiture to be for the use of his Majesty, his Heirs and Successors, and the other Moiety to him, her, or them, who will inform or sue for the same. The Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs finding that many Frauds are still carried on by Ships and Vessels trading Coastwise, to the Prejudice of the Revenue, and the said Traders, notwithstanding the Acts before-mentioned, they do hereby give publick Notice of the Penalties inflicted by the said Acts, that no Person may pretend Ignorance.

The Governour and Company of the Mine-Adventurers of England give Notice, That every Member of the Company is to Transfer one Moiety of his, her, or their Shares to Trustees, in order to make good an Agreement made with John Ward, Esq; for raising a Joint Stock to carry on their Undertaking to the best Advantage; and that in Default thereof, within the Space of 10 Days from the 27th of this Instant August, (on which Day the first Notice was given,) they will be excluded the Benefit thereof. N. B. That Attendance will be given every Day at the Company's House in St. Mildred Bread-Street Church.