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St. James's, May 22.

AN humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of the Borough of King's-Lynn, in the County of Norfolk, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable Robert Walpole, Esq; and Sir Charles Turner, Representatives in Parliament of the said Borough; being introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord Viscount Townshend, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

Madrid, May 12. The King and Queen, with the Prince of Asturias and the Infantes, continue at Aranjuez. The Marquess de Castellar, Secretary at War, has, upon a Representation laid before his Catholick Majesty of the State of the Forces which were employed in the Expeditions to Sicily and Africa, obtained an Order upon the Royal Treasury for the Payment of their Arrears, and for a Yearly Sum of 36000 Pieces of Eight to be distributed among the Widows of the Officers who died in those Expeditions. By the latest Advices from Ceuta we learn, that the Sickness which had for some time been among the Troops garrisoned there, and which was occasioned by bad Provisions, is now entirely ceased. The King had sent Orders to Cadiz for the Gallions to sail from thence for New Spain the beginning of this Month, but no Advice being yet come of their Departure, it is believed a Petition of the Merchants for longer time to lade Goods on board the Gallions, has been complied with by the Court.

Paris, May 24. An Arrêt was published on the 21st Instant, prolonging the Term for the Examination of all the Paper-Effects to the last Day of June, after which Time, and till the 15th of July next, such Effects as have not been produced are to lose a third Part of their Value, two Thirds from the 15th to the last Day of July, and after that they are to be entirely annull'd. The same Day the Turkish Ambassadour was entertained at Dinner at the Tuilleries by the Marshal de Villeroy; after which he was conducted by M. d'Asfeld to the Great Gallery of the Louvre, where he saw the Plans of all the Fortifications in the French Territories. The next Day that Ambassadour went to see the Invalids, where he was likewise very magnificently treated at Dinner, and afterwards entertained with a Consort of Musick, which was perform'd by the King's Musicians. The Duke of Orleans is said to intend to re-establish two great Employments in the Army, which have been extinct ever since that of Collonel-General of the Infantry, which the Duke of Chartres has had revived in his Favour. The Titles of them are Mestre de Camp

General and Commissary-General of the Infantry; but the Officers on whom they are to be conferred, are not yet fixed. These Employments have very great Honours and Privileges belonging to them. On the 23d Instant, M. Rigby one of the Directors of the India Company, was seiz'd and carried to the Bastile; he was very intimate with Mr. Law, the late Comptroller-General. A Council of Regency was held on the 25th, wherein the dismal State of Provence was consider'd, and several Means propos'd for its Relief: The Result was, that the General Receivers of the Finances should advance Three Millions, which they are authorized to borrow upon their own Obligations, at the Rate of 5 per Cent. payable in ten Months Time, which Sum is to be employed for the buying up Provisions and other Necessaries for the Inhabitants of that distressed Country. The Intendants of the neighbouring Provinces are also ordered to lay up Magazines, in Case the Contagion should spread further. According to the Advices the Court receiv'd two Days ago from the Canton of Rouvergue, the Report which was spread of the Plague's being got into a Village called Calorgue proves false, the Distemper being only a malignant Fever. However, all possible Precautions are used to hinder all Communication of the Inhabitants of that Village with those in the Neighbourhood. A Council of Health is established here, consisting of the Princes of the Blood, the Chancellor, the Marshal de Villeroy, the Comptroller General, the Secretaries of State, and the King's first Physician, before whom all the Letters relating to the infected or suspected Places are to be laid, and they are to give the necessary Directions upon them. That Council is to meet twice a Week at the Louvre. The Abbot de Mornay, who was nominated some time since to the Archbishoprick of Bezaçon, and was formerly the most Christian King's Ambassadour in Portugal, died lately at Bagnieres, whither he was come from Madrid to drink the Waters. The Earl of Portmore set out this Morning for England. An Express arriv'd the 25th Instant from Rome, with the News, that the Pope has made Cardinal Spinola Secretary of State, Cardinal Corradini Datary, Cardinal Olivieri Secretary of the Briefs, and Cardinal Paolucci Vicar of Rome; and that the Office of Great Penitentiary was reserved for the Pope's Brother, who is soon to be made a Cardinal.

Whitshall, May 22.

His Majesty has been pleased to grant to Robert Pringle, Esq; the Office of Register-General of all Trading Ships belonging to Great Britain.

His Majesty has been pleased to grant unto Robert Dale, Esq; Suffolk Herald, the Office of Richmond Herald of Arms.

St. James's, May 7.

Whereas Information hath this Day been given to His Majesty in Council, that Mr. Levermore, Supervisor of the Riding Officers at Lydd, together with some other Officers under his Inspection, did on the 17th of March last, apprehend one Jacob Walter a notorious Owlter and Smugler, who some time since broke out of the Fleet Prison, to which Place he had been committed by Mesne Process for transporting of Wooll to France, together with one Thomas Bigg, who is also a noted Smugler; and that with the Assistance of a Constable they secured the said Walter and Bigg at the George Inn in Lydd till the 19th, when the Officers were in a riotous Manner assaulted by several armed Men, who fired upon them, and by Violence rescued the said Walter and Bigg: These are therefore to give Notice, that whoever shall discover the said Jacob Walter, aged about 40 Years, a tall Man, longish Face, ruddy Complexion, stout, well made, wearing a light W.g, and Thomas Bigg about the same Age, a short little Man, round Visage, wearing a black Wig, or any of the following Persons, who were concerned in the rescuing the said Walter and Bigg, v.z Francis Norwood, Gib Jarvis, alias Tomkin who is said to be shot through the Arm in rescuing the said Walter and Bigg Edward Jarvis, alias Tomkin, Edward Gibbon, Thomas Stroker, Alexander Green, John Humphreys, or any other Person concerned in the said Rescue, or any of them, so as they may be apprehended and convicted, shall receive the Reward of 40 l. for each of them, to be paid upon such Conviction by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury; and in case any of the Offenders therein shall make such Discovery (other than the said Walter) that he, or they, will have His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

York-Buildings-Office, May 19, 1721.

Whereas several Persons have applied for Annuities, to the Governour and Company of the Undertakers for Raising the Thames-Water in York-Buildings, when the Committee have not been sitting; That for the future no Person may mistake the Times and Places of their Meeting, the said Governour and Company do hereby give Notice, that they have appointed a Committee for Granting Annuities on their Lands, pursuant to their Powers by Act of Parliament, to meet every Wednesday Morning, at their Office in Throgmorton-street, near the Royal Exchange; and every Friday Morning in the Court-Room at their Water-Works in York-Buildings, Villars-street, in the Strand, for the Conveniency of such Persons as live at that End of the Town, from Ten in the Morning till Twelve, at each Place.

Advertisements,

Lately published, Antiquitates Britannicæ, præcipue Romanæ. Figuris illustretur, etibus Vell. cum præterea quædam I. De Belgio-Britannico, II. De Geta Britanico, III. De Julii Vitalis Epitaphio. Quibus accedit Appendix, Auctore Guil. Mulgrave, Pelga, Reg. Societ. utriusque Sæculi, Iste Dunmoniorum. Prostant venales apud Johannem March, Bibliopolam Exoniensem, Jo. Sprint, & Guil. Taylor, Londinenses, 1719.

Alerted out of Lieutenant Colonel John Follitt's Company, in His Majesty's Coldstream Regiment of Foot-Guards, commanded by the Right Honourable William Earl Cadogan, Richard Jones, aged 20 Years, 5 Foot 10 Inches high, brown Complexion, a little mark'd with the Small-Pox, a blue Powder-Spot under his Left Eye, brown short Hair, a Broad-Cloth Weaver by Trade, born in Worcester. Robert Harrison, aged 30 Years, 5 Foot 10 Inches high, brown Complexion, black Hair, a Labouring Man, had formerly serv'd 3 Years in that Regiment that was Brigadier-General Godfrey's. Whoever shall take either of them, and bring them to Capt. Tho. Murphew's, in the Savoy, London, shall have 10 Guineas for each, provided they are brought any Time before the 10th of August

next: Or if any one will receive any one of them in any County, Goal in England, so that they may be had again, shall receive half the Reward above mentioned for each, besides what they are intitled to by Act of Parliament for taking Felonsters. Give Notice by a Letter directed to the said relief Captain Murphew. Or, if they will return to their Colours in 20 Days, they shall be pardoned.

Solen out of the Stable of William Osborn, at Wichester, by a young Man, about 20 Years of Age, dark brown Hair, wearing a black-colour'd Coat with black Buttons and Button Holes, a brown bay Gelding, about 14 Hands and a half high, six Years old, a little white on the Withers occasioned by a Collar, (supposed to be gone for London.) If any Person can give Information of the said Gelding, so as he may be had again, shall receive 20 s. as a Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by Wm. Osborn, at Winton; or Tho. Maynard, in Holbourn-bridge.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against William Welf, of the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Coachmaker, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 26th Instant, and on the 1st and 22d of June next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove 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 Alleyo, Attorney, in Berners-Lane, in Holbourn, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Peter Phillipps, late of Long Lane, near West Smithfield, London, Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 25th Instant, and on the 1st and 22d of June next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sitings 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. Felix Rickard, Attorney, in Bread Street, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Thomas Margrave, late of Wakefield, in the County of York, Wooll Stapler, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 30th Instant, and on the 7th and 22d of June next, at Two in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of Mr. John Uanke, at the Sign of the White Hart in Wakefield in the County of York; at the second of which Sitings the Creditors are to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

The Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Barlow, late of the City of New Sarum, in the County of Wilts, Clothier, intend to meet on the 10th of June next, at Three in the Afternoon, at the Sign of the Three Lions, in the City of New Sarum aforesaid; to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

The Commissioners in the renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Sheppard, and Joseph Bragg, and John Sheppard, late of London, Goldsmiths and Copartners, intend to meet on the 7th of June next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further Dividend of the said Bankrupts Estate; when and where the Creditors that have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

Whereas John Hitchcock, of London, Merchant, 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 June next, 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.

Whereas Daniel Webb, of London, Cornfactor, 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 June next, 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 assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Barle, of Liverpool, in the County of Lancaster, Merchant, have certified to the Right Honourable Thomas Lord Parker, Baron of Macclesfield, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Barle hath in all things conform'd himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 12th of June next.

