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*Whitehall, September 5.*

**A**N humble Address of the Assembly of Antigua, held at the Town of St. John's June the 26th 1721, having been transmitted hither, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable the Lord Carteret, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

*Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.*

*Stockholm, Aug. 16.* Notwithstanding the Weather is already grown very cold, the King of Sweden continues still at Wyksberg; and it is said the Waters he drinks there have had so good an Effect, that his Majesty has now got quite rid of his Ague and Fever. This Morning early the Queen went to visit the King. As the Weather is become pretty boisterous, Sir John Norris went down this Morning to Capel-Share, in order to remove the Fleet under his Command from thence to Elfnab.

*Berne, Sept. 3.* Letters from Schafhuysen of the 28th past advise, that the Peasants of Wilchingen are deaf to all Remonstrances and Exhortations of the four Deputies from the late General Dyet: Instead of asking Pardon and submitting to the Government of Schafhuysen, they pretend to an absolute Indemnity; and demand not only a Restitution of their Privileges, but several Reservations, and the Right of appealing to the Emperour in all their Affairs, declaring openly that they will never detach themselves from his Imperial Majesty; they even demand Satisfaction for the Damages they have sustained during this Dispute. The Deputation at Schafhuysen was consulting how to bring over these refractory People, but found it difficult to agree upon proper Measures. The General Dyet of the three Leagues of the Grisons is to assemble To-Morrow at Coire.

*Hambourg, Sept. 5.* The King and Queen of Denmark will come To-Morrow to Altena, where their Majesties will stay but two Days, and then go back to Sleswyck; where all the Nobility of that Dutchy did Homage Yesterday, and took an Oath of Fidelity to the King.

*Berlin, Sept. 6.* Major General Meyer, the Danish Envoy at this Court, having received Orders by a Courier on the 3d Instant to repair immediately to Holstein to wait on the King, had Audience of Leave of his Prussian Majesty the 4th, and began his Journey thither Yesterday. M. Scheuler the Danish Secretary received Yesterday a Letter of Notification of the Prince Royal's Marriage, for this Court.

*Paris, Sept. 10.* On the 8th Instant in the Afternoon the King took the Diversion of Hunting, and in the Evening his Majesty went to Vanure a Seat of the Duke of Bourbon, who entertained his Majesty with a magnificent Collation, and a Consort of Musick. The whole House, together with the Terrass-Walks, were illuminated, and there were fine Fire-Works which lasted till Nine of the Clock, when the King returned to the Tuilleries; the rest of the Company remained there at Supper. A Council of Regency was held on the 7th, but no Resolution was taken therein (as was expected) with Relation to the Paper-Effects that have been examined. It is said this Matter is referred to another Council of Regency, which is to meet on the 14th, and which probably will be the last till the Vacation is over. It has been agreed that during this Vacation the Chamber of Vacations established by the Parliament, shall not register any Edicts or Declarations relating to the present State of the Finances. Mr. William Law's Wife who went some Time ago to Venice, is returned lately from thence. It is said she has brought with her several Writings drawn up by Mr. John Law for the Justification of his Brother, who is still Prisoner in Fort l'Eveque. M. Brenner, a Canon of Presbourg in Hungary, who has resided here some Time as Agent to Prince Ragotski, was sent some Days ago to the Bastille, being accused of having converted to his own Use large Sums of Money which he had received for the Prince his Master. The Dutcheffs Dowager of Orleans has been out of Order for some Days, but is now much better. The Cardinal de Mailly is said to be dangerously ill in his Diocese of an Apoplexy. It is believed that in case of his Death the Abbot St. Albin will succeed him in his Archbishoprick of Rheims, According to Advices from  
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Marvejol in the Gevaudan of the 17th part, the Plague carries off there to the Number of 50 People a-Day. All the Troops that were in that Canton have been drawn out and posted upon the Frontiers of Languedoc, to prevent if possible all Communication with the infected Places. They write from Lyons, that the Apprehensions of the Approach of the Distemper increase daily, and that the Magistrates had resolved to draw a Line, in order to secure their City so much the better against the Communication with the Neighbouring Places that are infected, or suspected of Infection. Several Physicians and Surgeons were sent some Days ago from hence to the Gevaudan, to assist the poor Inhabitants there. An Ordinance of the King's is under the Press, regulating the Manner in which the Troops that guard the Passages of the infected Places are to behave themselves, and prohibiting all Persons whatsoever to stir out of the said Places on Pain of Death. The Cardinal de Rohan is expected back from Rome at his House at Saverne the 25th Instant, and the Cardinal de Bissy is likewise expected here within a few Days.

*Chester, Sept. 4.* Last Night his Grace the Duke of Grafton, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, arrived here, and was complimented on his Entrance into this City by the Recorder in the Name of the Corporation: The other Compliments, of firing the Guns, ringing the Bells, and lining the Streets with the Soldiers quartered here, were likewise paid to his Grace on this Occasion. His Grace designs to proceed on his Journey towards Holyhead this Day at Noon.

*Whitehall, Sept. 5.* His Majesty has been pleased to order Letters Patents to be passed under the Great Seal of Ireland, for granting the Dignity of a Countess of that Kingdom to the Right Honourable Sophia Charlotte Countess Platen and Baroness of Kilmanssegge, by the Name Stile and Title of Countess of Leinster in the said Kingdom.

*Whitehall, Aug. 25, 1721.*

Whereas on the 27th of April last, James Herbert, of Kingsley, Esq; late Knight of the Shire for the County of Oxford, was by a Pond at Waldridge, in the Parish of Dynton, in the County of Bucks, found dead; and from many Circumstances lately discovered, was supposed to be strangled, and his Body brought and laid where the same was found; and whereas humble Application hath been made to His Majesty, by his Widow, to offer a Pardon to any one Person who shall first discover the Person or Persons guilty of the Murder of the said James Herbert, so as they, or any of them, may be brought to condign Punishment: His Majesty being desirous to have a Discovery of so horrid a Fact, doth promise a Pardon to the first Person who shall make Discovery of such Person or Persons who have been concerned in the said Murder, so as he or they may be convicted and brought to Punishment for the same.

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*I Sarah Herbert, Widow of the said James Herbert, Esq; do hereby promise to pay unto such Person who shall first discover those who were concerned in the Murder of the said James Herbert, the Sum of 1000 l. to be paid within one Month after any Person shall be by due Course of Law convicted of the said Crime: Witness my Hand the 23d Day of August 1721.*

Sarah Herbert.

Custom-House, London, Sept. 4, 1721.

The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having transmitted to the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, Copy of an anonymous Letter which their Lordships had received, dated from Bodinick, near Fowey, the 27th of July last, proposing to make discovery of several collusive Seizures, and other evil Practices carried on at the Port of Fowey; the said Commissioners do, in Obedience to their Lordships Commands, hereby give Notice, if the Person who wrote the said Letter will attend the said Commissioners, and make out his Allegations to their Satisfaction, he shall receive all fitting Encouragement and Protection.

#### Advertisements.

**L**OST or mislaid at Exon, a Bank Note for 105 l. payable to Samuel Prime, N<sup>o</sup> 8 dated July 21, 1721. Whoever brings the said Note to Mr. William Hayward, in Bishopsgate Street, London, or to Mr. Nicholas Munkley, Sea. in Exon, shall have five Guineas Reward, and no Questions ask'd; Payment being stop'd at the Bank.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Benjamin Freeman, of Southwark, in the County of Surry, Brewer, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 8th and 15th Instant, and on the 5th of October 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. 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. Vere Warner, Attorney, in Birch Lane, London.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Ramsay and James Corfan, of Ivinghoe, in the County of Bucks, Chapmen and Partners, and the said John Ramsay being declared a Bankrupt; he is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 12th and 26th Instant, and on the 5th of October next, at Nine in the Forenoon, at the Red Lion Inn, in New Thame, in the County of Oxon; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against George Wood, of Bungay, in the County of Suffolk, Linnen Draper, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 14th and 18th Instant, and on the 5th of October next, at the House of William Johnson, called the Dove Tavern in Norwich, at Three in the Afternoon on every of the said Days; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

**T**HE Commissioners of a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Pappet, late of Colchester, in the County of Essex, Mercer, intend to meet on the 28th Instant, at Nine in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, 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.

**W**HEREAS Joshua Green, of London, Woollen-Draper, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 18th of September 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.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Joshua Gearing, of London, Merchant, have certified to the Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Macclesfield, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Joshua Gearing 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 before the 25th Instant.

