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St. James's, April 2.

HER Royal Highness the Princess of Wales lying in at the Time of Her Birth-Day the 1st of March, the Celebration of that Day at Court was then put off, and is appointed to be To-morrow the 3d Instant.

Cadix, March 16, N. S. Preparations are making here for transporting to Ceuta a considerable Body of Troops, with a Train of Artillery and Stores, to attack the Moors who besiege that Place, and to make new Works for the Defence of the Spanish Garrison. These Forces are to be transported in Sarcias and other small Boats, for there are no Ships hired for this Service. The Want of Rain in these Parts gives us Apprehensions of a bad Harvest: Corn is very scarce and dear all along this Coast of Andalusia.

Lisbon, March 18, N. S. On the 11th Instant the Fleet from the Rio de Janeiro, consisting of 15 Merchant Ships, under the Convoy of two Men of War, arrived in this Harbour. Their Cargoes are principally Sugar, Hides, and Elephants Teeth, besides Gold, which appears by the Register to amount to the Value of Eight Millions of Crusado's, or One Million Sterling; of which two hundred and nine thousand Pounds are for the King of Portugal, and the Remainder is on the Account of private Persons. There are besides on Board, two hundred and fifty thousand Pieces of Eight, and a considerable Quantity of unregistered Gold. The British Men of War now in this Port are the Colchester, the Leopard, the Falmouth, and the Lime Galley. The last Letters from Malaga advise, that besides the Troops and Ammunition already sent to Ceuta, which is very closely besieged by the Moors, the Spaniards intend to form an Army to be sent over into Africa, for the Relief of that Place; and for that Purpose were making Preparations in the Neighbourhood of Malaga, for Quartering the Troops designed for that Expedition, in which it was thought they would meet with great Difficulties, there being a very great Scarcity of Corn in those Parts.

Pisa, March 24, N. S. The Quarantine between Leghorn and Genoa is taken off, which will very much facilitate Commerce on the Coast of Italy, particularly with relation to British Ships. Three of the Great Duke's

Gallies are preparing to put to Sea next Month, and Captain Ricci is gone to Leghorn, to provide all the necessary Stores for that purpose. It is not yet known whether they will go directly to Malta, or whether they are only designed to cruise, to protect our Coasts from the Corsairs of Barbary.

Paris, April 2, N. S. The Count de St. Esteven Ambassadour Plenipotentiary of the King of Spain, arrived here on the 31st past, and is to return to Cambray as soon as he has made the King his Master's Compliments to his most Christian Majesty on his Coronation and Majority; for which purpose he expects an Audience in a Day or two.

Admiralty-Office, March 26, 1723.

The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are hereby pleased to direct, That all such Seamen, as are minded to be received into the Royal Hospital at Greenwich, do attend their Lordships at this Office on Wednesday the 1st of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon.

South-Sea-House, London, March 29, 1723.

The Court of Directors of the South-Sea Company give Notice, That in order to carry 6 l. 5 s. per Cent. in Stock to each Proprietors Account of Stock, out of the two Millions revived to the said Company by the late Act of Parliament, the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut from and after Thursday the 11th Day of April next; and the same will be opened again with all possible Expedition, of which publick Notice will in due Time be given.

By Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, on Thursday the 4th of April, at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon, will be exposed to Sale by Inch of Candle, in the Long Room at the Custom-House, London, a Parcel of Indian Damasks, Satins, China and Persian Taffaties, Pelongs, Gingham, Lustre, &c. and are to be seen at the King's Warehouse this Day and To-morrow, from Eight to Twelve in the Forenoon, and from Two till Five in the Afternoon, and all the Morning before the Sale.

Trustees-Office South-Sea-House, March 22, 1723.

The Trustees for raising Money upon the Estates of the late Directors of the South-Sea-Company and others, do hereby give Notice, That the Mannor of Saling Magna; with the Capital Messuage of Saling-Hall, in Saling Magna, in the County of Essex, with the Hop-Grounds, great Tythes and Woods; a Farm at Saling aforesaid, in the Occupation of Richard Pettit; a Farm called King's-Farm, in Barfield, in the said County; and also the Mannor, Messuage, and Farm called Nicholls, in the said County, all Freehold of Inheritance: And Part of the real Estate of Hugh Raymond, Esq; (one of the said late Directors) will be sold by Cont or Auction, to the best Bidder, in the Hall of the South-Sea-House, on Tuesday the 23d Day of April next, at Ten in the Morning.

Trustees-Office South-Sea-House, April 1, 1723.

The Trustees for raising Money upon the Estates of the late Directors of the South-Sea-Company and others, do hereby give Notice, that the Manor of Wimbleton, and all other the Real Estate of Sir Theodore Janssen, Bart. (one of the said late Directors) situate in and near Wimbleton, in the County of Surrey, together with the Tythes of Wimbleton, Mortlake, Putney and Rothampton. The real Estate of Thomas Reynolds, Esq; (one other of the said late Directors) situate in or near Kicks-End, or elsewhere, in the Parish of South-Mims, in the County of Middlesex. The real Estate of Francis Hawes, Esq; (one other of the said late Directors) situate in or near Beabam, Bucklebury, and Pangburne, in the County of Berks. The Leasehold Estate of John Gore, Esq; (one other of the said late Directors) in his Dwelling-house in Bishopsgate-street: And the Leasehold Estate of the said Sir Theodore Janssen, in his late Dwelling-house in Hanover-Square; will be exposed to Sale to the best Bidder, in the Hall of the South-Sea-House, on Tuesday the 9th of April Instant, at Ten in the Morning: At which said Time and Place, and in like Manner, will be also exposed to Sale several Messuages, Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments, (Part of the Estate late of the said Thomas Reynolds) situate in and near Manchester, in the County of Lancaster, for and during the natural Life of him the said Thomas Reynolds.

Trustees-Office South-Sea-House, April 1, 1723.

The Trustees for raising Money upon the Estates of the late Directors of the South-Sea-Company and others, do hereby give Notice, That the Manor of Rowd, and all other the Estate late of Francis Eyles, Esq; (one of the said late Directors) lying in or near the Parish of Rowd, in the County of Wilts, will be exposed to Sale to the best Bidder, in the Hall of the South-Sea-House, on Wednesday the 1st Day of May next, at Ten in the Morning. Particulars whereof will be ready to be delivered out at the Trustees said Office on Monday next.

Whereas in the Advertisement for giving Notice of a General Meeting of the Contributors to the Westminster Fire-Office mentioned in last Saturday's Gazette, the Day and Time appointed for the said Meeting, was by Mistake of the Press omitted: Notice is hereby given, that the same was appointed to be held at the said Office at Tom's Coffee-house in St. Martin's-Lane, on Thursday the 11th Day of April Instant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon.

Advertisements.

HIS Majesty's Plate of 100 Guineas will be run for on Merrow-Dowes, near Guilford, on Tuesday the 4th Day of June next, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, not exceeding Six Years old, as must be certified under the Hand of the Breeder, carrying 12 stone, three Heats round the Heats Course: To be shewn and entered at Searle's Coffee-house in Guilford, on Monday the 3d of June; and if any Difference arise in their Entering or Running, the same to be determined by the Right Honourable the Lord of Snow, or whom he shall appoint, according to such His Majesty's Orders as will be there produced. And on Wednesday the 5th of June, a Galloway Plate of 20 Guineas will be run for, give and take, nine Stone the highest. And on Thursday the 6th of June, the Contribution Plate of 50 l. will be run for by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that never won the like Value in Plate or Money at one Time before; to be shewn and entered as aforesaid, the Galloway's paying one Guinea, and the Horses for the Contribution Plate two Guineas at Entrance. N. B. There will be a Cook-Match all the Week.

TO be sold several Freehold Messuages and Tenements, with the Appurtenances, situate and being in Ball-Smithfield, Moule-Alley, and the Butcher-Row, at the yearly Value of 240 l. and upwards in the whole: Particulars whereof may be had at Mr. Hodgkins, Scrivener, in the Old Jury, and at Mr. Donegans, at the Crown in Ball-Smithfield aforesaid.

LOST a Bank Note N^o C. 130. payable to John Van Hatten, Esq; for 50 l. dated December 11, 1722. Whoever brings it to John Mucklow, in King-street, near Cheap-side, or William Cawthorne, Jun. at Bly, shall receive Four Guineas Reward. N. B. Payment at the Bank is stop.

SToken or Steady out of the Grounds of John Weston, Esq; at Sutton, near Guilford, in Surrey, a black Gelding, about 12 Hands high, and hath wth his Paces, and sit in both Bars about an Inch: He is Pot belly'd, and Tail cut short, and a little Saddle-Spot on the Near Side, no where White else. Whoever brings him to the aforesaid John Weston, Esq; or to Mr. Edward Pearkin, Goldsmith, in Fleet-street, London, shall have Two Guineas Reward, and no Questions asked.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against James Hart, late of Wolverley, in the County of Worcester, Taster, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 15th and 26th Instant, and on the 2d of May next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Golden-Lyon in Kidderminster, in the said County of Worcester; at all which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and at the last of the said Sittings to chuse new Assignees, or to consent to those already appointed. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Francis Blome, of Basinghall-street, London, Grocer, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 11th and 18th Instant, and on the 2d of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, 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. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Effects of his in their Hands, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice thereof to Mr. Hatfield, Attorney, in Freeman's-Yard, Corohill, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against William Haskins, of the City of Bristol, Glover, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 11th and 12th of April Instant, and on the 2d of May next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Dwelling House of Mary Ledbetter, Widow, commonly called the Elephant Coffee House, situate in All-Saints-Lane, in the said City of Bristol; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

PURSUANT to an Order made by the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt, awarded against William Bowden, of London, Woollen-Draper, intend to meet on the 26th Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to chuse a new Assignee or Assignees.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Andrew Perdy, late of Gosport, in the County of Southampton, Joiner and Victualler, intend to meet on the 11th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, at the House of William Shubolt, being the Sign of the Red Lion in Gosport aforesaid, to make a second 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.

WHEREAS Richard Messinger, of Long-Acre, in the Parish of St. Martin's in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Coach-maker, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 18th of April 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 signing his Certificate in order for his Discharge.

WHEREAS William Parker, of the Parish of St. Magnus the Martyr, near London-Bridge, London, Vintner, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 15th of April 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 signing his Certificate in order for his Discharge.

WHEREAS John Gibbs, of London, Coal Merchant, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 18th of April 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 signing his Certificate in order for his Discharge.

WHEREAS J seph Willford, of Bulolph-Lane, London, Drange Merchant, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 15th 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 assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHEREAS the aforesaid Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against James Hoskins, late of Walbrook, London, Merchant, have certified to the Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Macclesfield, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said James Hoskins 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 22d Instant.