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*Vienna, September 2, N. S.*

**C**OUNT Schonborn the Vice-Chancellor of the Empire sets out this Day for Wurtzbourg: His Election to that Bishoprick is looked upon here as certain. Count Wurmbrecht Vice-President of the Aulick Council, is appointed to go to Wurtzbourg, as Commissary from the Emperour. 'Tis said Cardinal Cienfuegos will be made President of the Council of Italy, and that the Count de Monte Santo, who has at present that Employment, will be appointed Viceroy of Sicily. We have had here for these three Weeks past, as violent hot Weather as has happened in the Memory of Man; and the Letters from Italy bring Accounts, that the Heats have been so excessive there, that divers Persons have run distracted and made away with themselves.

*Lisbon, Sept. 3, N. S.* His Britannick Majesty's Ship the *Dover*, Captain Cayley Commander, sailed hence the 24th past for England; as did the two Dutch Men of War belonging to Rear-Admiral Godin's Squadron the 30th following, in order to cruise three Weeks or a Month upon the Coast, and then proceed to Cadiz: What hastened the Departure of the latter, was an Algerine Cruiser's having taken a Fisher-Boat at the Mouth of the River a few Days before. A Portuguese Man of War, that returned the other Day from Madera with the late Governour of that Island on Board, is also ordered immediately to put to Sea to protect the Coast.

*Madrid, Sept. 4, N. S.* On the 28th past in the Evening, King Lewis was again attacked with a violent Fever, for which he was let

blood; but the Fever continuing the next Day, and the Small Pox returning into his Body, the Physicians despaired of his Life: Whereupon the several Orders of Fryars in Madrid carried all their Reliques, and the most noted Images of their respective Saints, into his Majesty's Bed Chamber, and made solemn Prayers for him; but his Majesty died the 31st past between Two and Three a-Clock in the Morning. His Corpse was laid upon a Bed of State (which was set up for that Purpose in one of the great Halls at the Buen-Retiro) the 1st Instant at Night, and the two Days following several Ceremonies of Devotion were performed in the said Hall, at which assisted the Great Officers of the Court and many of the Nobility. Last Night about Nine a-Clock, his Majesty's Corpse was carried upon a Sort of Litter to be interred at the Escorial, where is the Burial Place of the Kings of Spain: It was preceded by 100 of the Horse Guards, then came 12 Fryars of each Religious Order in Madrid with Wax Torches in their Hands, after them came a Priest with a Cross surrounded by several Grandees and others, and immediately after them the Litter (upon which the Corpse was laid) carried by two Mules covered with White, most of the Grandees and others of the Nobility accompanying it, and 200 Horse Guards closed the Procession. On the 1st Instant in the Evening, King Philip and his Queen came from St. Ildefonso to the Palace here in Madrid, that by his Presence he might prevent any Disorder. The same Day his Catholick Majesty died, the Marshal de Tessé went to St. Ildefonso to have an Audience of King Philip; the Marshal returned hither the Day following. The Queen (King Lewis's Widow) remains still at the Buen-Retiro. The 25th of last Month an Express from Cadiz

**Cadiz brought Advice of the Arrival there of the Flota from New Spain, commanded by Don Antonio Serrano, consisting of two Men of War and 12 Merchant Ships; which sailed from Vera Cruz the 21st of May last, put into the Havana the 6th of June, proceeded from thence the 28th of that Month, and on the 20th past came into the Bay of Cadiz, having met with no bad Weather in the Voyage.**

**Fontainebleau, Sept. 15, N. S.** The 5th of this Month Don Patricio Lawles, the Spanish Ambassadour, had a private Audience of the King, and introduced to him the Marquis de Monteleon Ambassadour Plenipotentiary from his Catholick Majesty to the Princes of Italy: To which Audience he was conducted by the Chevalier de Saintot. The 8th, the King had an Account by an extraordinary Courier dispatched from Madrid the 30th past at Night, that the King of Spain was past Hopes of Recovery. By a second Courier who left Madrid the 5th Instant at Night, his Majesty received Advice of that Prince's Death the Night between the 30th and 31st past. King Philip came to Madrid the 1st Instant; but it was not known the 5th at Night, whether his Majesty would comply with the earnest Request of the Council of Castile to resume the Government.

**Whitehall, Sept. 11.**

*Whereas a Letter signed A. B. Z. dated London Aug. 29, was sent to one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State: If the Person who wrote the said Letter, will attend the Secretary of that Secretary of State to whom he directed, at the Cockpit, and there make out what he proposes, he shall receive all fitting Encouragement.*

*The Court of Directors of the Bank of England give Notice, That a General Court will be held at the Bank on Thursday next, the 17th Instant, at Twelve at Noon, to consider of a Dividend; which will be also one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter.*

**Welch-Copper-Office, Sept. 8, 1724.**

*The Governour and Company of Copper Miners in the Principality of Wales give Notice, That their yearly General Court will be held at their Office in Philpot-Lane, on Friday the 25th Instant, from Ten in the Morning to One in the Afternoon, for Election of a Governour, Deputy-Governour, and Court of Assistants for the Year ensuing.*

**Ph. Peck, Secr.**

*The Committee for Letting the City's Lands in the Account of the Chamberlain of the City of London give Notice, That they intend to Lett for building by one or more Lease or Leases, a large Piece or Parcel of Ground, and several Messuages or Tenements erected on Part thereof, and several Yards and Gardens belonging to the said Messuages, which said Piece or Parcel of Ground is commonly called or known by the Name of Petty-France in Moorfields; together with five Messuages or Tenements in Wormwood-street, fronting Broad-street,*

*and Liberty of taking down all or any of the said five Messuages or Tenements, and Part of the City's Wall behind the same, to make a Way or Passage into Petty-France aforesaid: And that the said Committee will sit in the Council-Chamber of the Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the 21st Day of October next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, to receive Proposals for the same; of which more particular Information may be had, and a Plan of the Premises seen, at the Comptroller's Office in the Guildhall aforesaid.*

### *Advertisements.*

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Simpson, late of Skircoat-Green, within the Parish of Hildfax and County of York, Merchant, intend to meet on the 7th of October next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the House of Alice Shippard, Widow, Innholder, in Roshdale, in the County of Lancaster, in order 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Noah de la Fontaine late of Theobrook-street, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 13th of October next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall London, in order 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Andrew Dancy, of London, Warehouseman, intend to meet on the 7th of October next, at Three in the Afternoon, 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.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Smith, within the Precincts of the Cathedral Church of Norwich, Mercer, intend to meet on the 25th of September Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at the House of George Bissy, being the Three Sun Tavern in the City of Norwich, in order 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 the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Joseph Smith, late of the Parish of St. Margaret's Westminster, and now of the Parish of St. George's Southwark, in the County of Surrey; Mealman and Baker, have certified to the Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Macclesfield, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Joseph Smith hath in all Things conformed 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 21 of October next.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Hammond, late of Charing-Cross in the County of Middlesex, Vintner, have certified to the Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Macclesfield, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Hammond hath in all Things conformed 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 21 of October next.