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THE Marquês de Monteleon, late Ambafadour from the Crown of Spain to the States General, has taken Leave of their High Mightinesses by a Memorial in Form, and they have ordered the usual Present to be made to him of a Chain and Medal worth 6000 Florins. The Count de Tarouca having caused all his Debts here to be discharged, is preparing to set out in a Day or two for Vienna. The States of the Province of Holland assembled on the 12th Instant, and will continue sitting some Days. Young Prince Kourakin is arrived here from Paris, and is forthwith to proceed for Muscovy. Letters from Constantinople have brought an Account, that a Fire had happened at Pera, which spreading into the Street where the British Ambassadour Mr. Stanyan had his Residence, his House with great Part of his Goods were consumed. The Time of Forbearance of levying the new Tarif or Customs in Zealand expired Yesterday, but an Accommodation of the Differences on that Account is in a fair Way of being speedily concluded.

Hanover, Dec. 3, O. S. Preparations are making for the King's Deparrure. The Baggage, which usually goes from hence six or seven Days before His Majesty sets out, is ordered to be going next Friday the 10th Instant.

By Order of the Commissioners of Excise.

Whereas there have been some Instances where private Persons having brewed Ale and Beer, which at the Times of brewing thereof were really intended to have been used in their own private Families, but they by Luffs and Misfortunes having been reduced to a Necessity of selling thereof, upon their Requests made before either selling or attempting to sell the same or any Part thereof, they, in Compassion to such unforeseen Accidents, have been indulged, and permitted to make Post-Entries thereof with the Officers of Excise, where such Accident has happened, and upon their first paying the Excise Duties thereof, have, in such unforeseen Cases, been permitted to sell such Drink.

Now, lest any who brew Drink with Design to sell the same when fine and fit for Use, should expect the like Indulgence; The Commissioners of Excise hereby give Notice, That every Person before he brews for Sale, is by Law obliged to give Notice and make Entries of their respective Places and Unfits of Brewing, and of every their Cellars and Storehouses, under a Penalty of 50 l. for every such Unfit, Cellar, and Storehouse used without such previous Notice and Entry, to the Intent that all Places of such Brewing may be duly surveyed by Excise-Officers, and that they may take Accounts and may make Charges of all which is so brewed, and that the Duties may be paid at the Times limited by Law, as well for such Part as is for the private Use of the Parties, as for such Part as is intended for Sale, as is done by common Brewers and others who brew for Sale.

For the Reasons before, and in Justice to common Brewers, and other fair Traders in Beer and Ale, the Commissioners have ordered their Officers not to admit such Post-Entries, or receive the Duties of such Beer, or to license such Persons to sell such Beer or Ale.

And that all such Practices being interfering in the Trade and Employment of common Brewers, and invading and undermining them in their lawful Employments, and directly contrary both to the Intent and Letter of the Laws now in Force; They the said Commissioners do hereby give Notice, that they will, by their Duty, be obliged to cause all such Persons to be prosecuted for the Penalties in such Cases created and provided, of which this Notice is hereby given to prevent and obviate all Pretence of Ignorance.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies do hereby give Notice, That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be holden at the East-India-House in Lead-nhall-street, London, on Wednesday the 22d of this Instant December, at Eleven a-Clock in the Forenoon. That the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut up from Thursday the 23d of this Instant December, to Thursday the 20th of January next. And that the Annuity and Dividend Warrants due at Christmas, will be ready to be delivered to the Adventurers on Friday the 28th of January next.

By Order of the Governours of the Bounty of Queen Anne for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy, Notice is hereby given That the Clergy are to pay their Tenths that will be, come due on Christmas-Day next, to John Eston, Esq; at his Office over-against the Garden-Gate in the Middle-Temple; where daily Attendance will be given for receiving the same, from the 7th Day of January next, to the last Day of April following, Holidays excepted.

The Governours of the Bounty of Queen Anne, for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy, do hereby give Notice, That they have lately agreed to augment the 69 Poor Livings following with the Sum of 200 l. each, 23 whereof do not exceed the yearly Value of 10 l. 6s were augmented in Conjunction with Benefactors, and 8 by Law, viz. the Cur. of Knottingley in the C. of York, and the Vic. of Blodworth in the C. of Nottingham, both in the D. of York. The R. of Llanvair juxta Harlech in the C. of Merioneth and D. of Bangor. The R. of Roborow, the V. of Kingsbrompton and Old Cleve, all in the C. of Somerset and D. of Bath and Wells. The R. of Candle Marsh in the C. of Dorset, and the Cur. of St. James in the City of Bristol, both in the D. of Bristol. The V. of Kirk Oswald in the C. of Cumberland and D. of Carlisle. The R. of St. Martin in Chester, the Cur. of Church Minshall in the C. of Chester, the Cur. of Holt in the C. of Denbigh, the V. of Bispham, the Cur. of Holcombe, Edenfield, Wiersdale, Tockholes, Rainsford, and St. Helens in the C. of Lancaster, the V. of Burton in Kendal in the C. of Westmorland, and the Cur. of Kirkby Ravensworth in the C. of York, all in the D. of Chester. The Cur. of Linchmore and Midhurst, both in the C. of Suffex and D. of Chichester. The V. of Crughoel in the C. of Brecon, and the Cur. of Slebech in the C. of Pembroke and D. of St. David's. The V. of Lower St. Colomb, and Padstow in the C. of Cornwall, the V. of Halberton and the Cur. of Slapton in the C. of Devon, all in the D. of Exon. The V. of Down Ampney and the R. of Welton Birt, both in the C. and D. of Gloucester. The R. of Bedpton in the C. of Salop and D. of Hereford. The Cur. of St. John Baptist in the C. of Glamorgan and D. of Landaff. The V. of St. Botolph in Lincoln, the V. of Redbourn, the Cur. of Welton in the C. of Lincoln, and the V. of Dorney in the C. of Bucks, all in the D. of Lincoln. The Cur. of Elton in the C. of Derby, the Vicarages of Waterfall, the Cur. of Ronton, Horton, Rushton, and Sharehill, the Cur. of Tamworth in the C. of Warwick and Stafford, and the V. of Offchurch in the C. of Warwick, all in the D. of Litchfield and Coventry. The V. of Winslowe in the C. of Bucks, the V. of Braintree, and the R. of Wyvenhoe in the C. of Essex, and the Cur. of Norwood in the C. of Middlesex, all in the D. of London. The R. of Carleton-orehoe in the C. of Norfolk and D. of Norwich. The R. of Ipfstone and V. of Minster Lovell, both in the C. and D. of Oxon. The Cur. of Little Harrowden in the C. of Northampton