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Lisbon, April 6, N.S.

Noronha, Commendatary of the Order of Malta, presented his Portuguese Majesty with the annual Present of Hawks from the Grand Master of that Order. On the 28th his Majesty went to Massa, to see the Convent that is building there at his own Expence, and returned to this Place the next Day. On the 25th His Britannick Majesty's Ship the Colchester, the Honourable Captain George Clinton Commander, arrived here in four Days from Gibraltar: And on the 28th a Dutch Man of War put into this Port very much disabled by an Engagement with an Algerine at the Streights Mouth; the Captain and 36 of the Men are wounded. Another Dutch Man of War put into St. Ubes, being likewise disabled in the same Engagement. The Algerine had the good Fortune to escape, being favoured by a Calm. These are the two Men of War that convoyed the Dutch Fleet to St. Ubes, and had Orders to cruize off the Coast for three Weeks, and return hither in order to convoy the same Ships back again to Holland. The 10th Instant is the Day appointed for the sailing of the Pernambuco, under the Convoy of the St. Lourenço Man of War of Forty Guns, two for Paraiba, one for Angola, one for the Rio de Janeiro, and one for Nova Colonia, besides two large Ships for Goa.

Whitehall, April 11.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Richard Sutton, Esq; to be His Envoy Extraordinary to the King of Prussia.

Notice is hereby given, that a Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and Goal Delivery, for the Tryal of Ossences committed upon the High Seas within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Monday the 25th Day of April Instant, at Justice-Hall in the Old-Baily, London, at Seven of the Clock in the Morning.

Admiralty-Office, March 31, 1728. The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are hereby pleased to direct, That all such Seamen as are minuted to be received into the Royal Hospital at Greenwich, do attend their Lordships at this Office on Monday the 2d Day of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forencon.

The Paymaster of the seweral Lotteries hereby gives Notice, That he hath Money reserved in his Hands to pay off the Annuities on Benesit and Blank Tickets in the Lottery Anno 1710, which became due at Lady-Day 1726. The Principal upon the Lottery 1713, to No 15, in the 39th Course of Payment, with the Interest on the said Lottery to Lady-Day 1726. The whole Principal remaining undischarged upon the Lotterics 1914, and 1719.

Whereas a Letter dated the 21st of March last, signal ed C, and directed to Sir John Eyles, Bart, at the South-Sea House, Broad Street, was brought there by the Penny-Post on Friday April 1: The Hint given by the Party that wrote the said Letter has been kindly received, and he is desired to come to the said Sir John Eyles, and explain the Matters recommended by the said Letter to be examined into, and all due Care shall be taken thereof, with proper Encouragement, and Secrecy, if required.

STAMPOFFICE.

Mr. Robert Kingsbury, a Clergyman, in the County of Essex, having married many Persons without any Licence