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AT the Court at *Kensington*, the 6th Day of
September 1726.
P R E S E N T.

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

His Majesty in Council was this Day pleased to order, that the Parliament which stands prorogued to Thursday the 8th of this Instant, should be further prorogued to Thursday the 10th Day of November next.

Westminster, September 8.

This Day the Parliament was further prorogued to Thursday the 10th Day of November next.

Lisbon, Sept. 7, N. S. Sir John Jennings with His Britannick Majesty's Ships under his Command, sailed from hence the 1st Instant. The Evening before, his Portuguese Majesty went to perform his Devotions at the Convent of St. Joseph near Belem; in his Return he passed over the Strand near the Place where the English Ships lay at Anchor, and was saluted by the Admiral and his whole Squadron. Last Week a French Ship arrived here from Havre de Grace, having on board two magnificent Coaches and a Litter, Part of the Equipage of the Marquis de los Balbafes, who is shortly expected at this Court from Madrid. This Day, being the Birth-Day of her Portuguese Majesty, is observed at Court with great Solemnity: In the Morning her Majesty received the Compliments of all the Nobility upon the Occasion, and in the Evening there will be a Serenata at the Palace.

Portsmouth, Sept. 6. The Spence Sloop, Captain Berkeley Commander, arrived Yesterday at St. Helens from the Bastimentos off of Porto Bello, where she left Vice-Admiral Hofier with the Squadron of His Majesty's Ships under his Command, the 28th of June last. The Admiral arrived there the 6th of that Month; and was informed that the Royal George, a large Ship belonging to the South-Sea-Company, was in Porto Bello disposing of her Cargo that was very considerable; which being done, and all the Money paid for the same, amounting to a very large Sum, received on board, she joynd the Squadron; and was shortly to sail for England under a sufficient Convoy. By the Spence Sloop we have also an Account, that the Galleons have not had the like Success in the Sale of their Cargoes, having disposed of few or none of the Goods they carried to Porto Bello; that ten Days before the Arrival of His Majesty's Squadron there, a Packet-Boat from Old Spain had brought Orders, for the Money on board them to be put on Shore and carried back to Panama, which had accordingly been done; that the Fair at Porto Bello was over, and that there was no Probability that the Galleons could come away this Season, they and the Men of War that were to have convoyed them being actually unrigging in Porto Bello.

Whitehall, September 9.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Henry Viscount Lonsdale, to be Constable of the Tower of London, and Lord-Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

An humble Address of the Lieutenant Governour, Council, and Representatives of the Province of New-Hampshire in New-England, convened in General Assembly the 21st Day of May 1726, having been transmitted to his Grace the Duke of Newcastle one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been presented to His Majesty.

An humble Address of the Governour and Company of the English Colony of Rhode-Island and Providence Plantations in New-England, assembled at New-Port in Rhode-Island, the 4th of May 1726, having been transmitted to his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, has by him been presented to His Majesty.

An humble Address of the Council and Burgesses of Virginia, having been transmitted to his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, has by him been presented to His Majesty.

Which Addresses His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

Victualling Office, Sept. 9, 1726.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on the following Days in the Forenoons, they shall be ready to receive Proposals, and treat with such Persons as are inclineable to furnish Oxen and Hogs, at the Ports hereafter mentioned, for the Service of His Majesty's Navy.

Friday the 30th Instant, for London and Plymouth.
Monday the 3d of October, for Portsmouth.

This is to give Notice, that the County Troop of Middlesex will be Reviewed and Mustered on the 28th and 29th of this Instant September, at Hampstead.

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 15th Instant, at Twelve at Noon, to consider of a Dividend; which will be also one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter.

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 Let by Lease the Place or Office of one of the Fifteen Sea-Coal-Meeters of this City, vacant by the Death of Sir Samuel Qngly, Kt. and that the said Committee will sit in the Council-Chamber of the Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the 19th of October next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, to receive Proposals for the said Premises; of which more particular Information may be had at the Comptroller's Office in the Guildhall aforesaid.

Welch Copper-Office, London, Sept. 6, 1726.

The Governour of the Corporation of the Governour and Company of Copper-Miners in the Principality of Wales, do hereby give Notice, That the Yearly General Court of the said Company will be held, according to the Direction of their Charter, at their Office in Rhyddol-Lane, London, on Tuesday the 20th Instant, from Ten in the Morning till One in the Afternoon, for Election of a Governour, Deputy Governour, and Court of Assistants for the Year ensuing; and that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut for that Purpose from Thursday the 15th, to Thursday the 29th Instant.

By Order of the Governour of the said Company,
Richard Bell.