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*Madrid, September 9, N. S.*

**T**HE Spanish Court is gone into Mourning for six Weeks, on Account of the Death of the late Dutchess of Orleans, signified by Letter to their Catholick Majesties from the young Queen Dowager of Spain, acquainting them with the Loss of her Sister the said Dutchess of Orleans; but no Notification has been made of it directly from the Court of France, their Catholick Majesties not being inclinable to receive any Letters in Form from that Court. His Catholick Majesty is pleased to allow the Duke of Bournonville, who is to go Ambassadour to Vienna, One Thousand Pistoles per Month, and Twelve Thousand Pistoles for the Expence of his Equipage. The said Duke is to set out very shortly for Vienna, intending to go by the Way of Flanders, to meet there the Widow of the late Marquess de Lede, with whom he has contracted a Marriage. It is said the Marquess de Monteleon has been appointed by his Catholick Majesty Ambassadour to the States General. The Marquess de Abrantes, who has been appointed by his Portuguesse Majesty Ambassadour Extraordinary to this Court to demand the Infanta of Spain for the

Prince of Brazil, is expected here in a short Time. The large House of the Countess de Salvatierra is hired for the said Ambassadour's Habitation, and Part of his Family and Equipage is already arrived. On the 6th Instant two Expresses arrived at St. Ildefonso, one from Port St. Mary's and the other from Cadiz, with Advice, that the British Squadron, commanded by Sir John Jennings, came on the 31st past in Sight of that Coast, which greatly alarmed all the People there. It is advised from Malaga, that on the 24th past Admiral Somersdyck came in Sight of that Place with the Dutch Squadron under his Command, consisting of seven Ships making for Algier, in order to treat of a Peace with that Government.

*Stockholm, Sept. 7.* The Election of a Land-Marshal came on Yesterday; The Candidates were Count Horn and Baron Stromfeldt; the first carried it by a great Majority, having 345 Votes, and the other but 223.

*Whitehall, Sept. 3, 1726.*

*Whereas on Friday the Eighth Day of July last; about Eleven a-Clock at Night, there came on Wakefield Lawn, in His Majesty's Forest of Whittlewood, in the County of Northampton, about Eighteen Men, most of them on Horseback, one of them on a grey Hunting-like Horse, with a very long switch Tail, many of them having Five-Arms and other Weapons of several*

several Sorts; with three or four Brace of Greyhounds or Hunting Dogs, one of which being a dark brindled Dog or Bitch with a cut Tail, was shot by the Keepers; and whereas the said Persons did kill and carry away several of His Majesty's Deer, and hunt two of the Keepers in a most barbarous and cruel Manner, His Majesty, for the better Discovery of the Persons guilty of so heinous a Crime, is pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any One or Two of the Offenders who shall discover his or their Accomplices, so as they or any of them be apprehended and convicted thereof.

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And as a further Encouragement for such Discovery, a Reward of One Hundred Pounds, (over and above any other Reward to which he or they may become Intitled) will be paid by his Grace the Duke of Grafton, Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household, and Ranger of the said Forest, to any Person or Persons whatsoever making such Discovery.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies do hereby give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be holden at the East-India House in Fenchurch-street, London, on Wednesday the 21st of this Instant September, at Eleven a-Clock in the Forenoon, the same being a Quarterly Court.

The Directors of the Union Society for Insuring Goods and Merchandize from Loss by Fire give Notice, That the Half Yearly General Meeting of the said Society will be held for the Choice of Directors, for the Year ensuing, by Balloting, at the Office in Gutter-lane, Cheapside, on Tuesday the 27th Instant, from Nine in the Morning till Six in the Evening; and that the said General Meeting is to be continued by Adjournment till Wednesday the Day following, at Four in the Afternoon, at the same Place; where all who are Insured in that Office are desired to be present.

Whitehall, Feb. 3, 1724.

Whereas His Majesty's Exchequer was broke open between Monday Noon and this Morning, and a considerable Sum of Money was taken out of the Office of the Right Honourable the Lord William Powlet; This is to give Notice, That if any Person concerned in the said Felony, or being any ways privy thereto, by advising or contriving the same, will surrender himself and make a free Discovery of his Accomplice or Accomplices, so as they or any one of them shall be apprehended and convicted for the same, such Person, whether concerned in the said Felony, or in advising, contriving or being privy thereto, shall have His Majesty's most gracious Pardon;

and as a further Encouragement shall have a Reward of One Thousand Pounds, to be paid by the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury. And if any other Person or Persons shall discover, apprehend, and convict any Person or Persons concerned in the said Felony, he or they shall receive the like Reward of One Thousand Pounds, to be paid in like Manner.

TOWNSHEND.

### Advertisements.

Whereas John Hart, of Fenchurch-street, London, Ho-fier, hath surrendered himself, (pursuant to Notice) and been examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 29th 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 object, if they think fit, against the Commissioners signing his Certificate in order for his Discharge.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Richard King, of Houndsditch, London, Salesman, intend to meet on the 27th Instant, 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Porter, of St. James's Market, in the Liberty of Westminster, Cheesemonger, intend to meet on the 17th of October next, at Three in the Afternoon, 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Francis White, of Lombard street, London, Ho-fier, intend to meet on the 26th of October next, at Three in the Afternoon, 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Brown, late of Barnwell, in the County of Cambridge, Chapman, intend to meet on the 11th 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.

