

the Transports having on board the Detachment of Guards and Clayton's Regiment, and the Storeships, under their Care; and as the Weather has continued favourable ever since, there can be no doubt of their being long before this arrived at Gibraltar. When they first came off the Rock of Lisbon, the 26th past, the Earl of Portmore wrote a Letter to Brigadier Dormer the British Envoy here, in which his Lordship acquainted him that the Forces with him were all in a very good Condition. On the 1st Instant the Dursley Galley failed from hence for Gibraltar: At the same Time the Portuguese Fleet bound for the Bahia, consisting of 14 Merchant Ships, failed from hence under the Convoy of N. Senhora de Rosario a Man of War of 40 Guns.

St. James's, May 13.

His Majesty has been pleased to grant to the Honourable George Cholmondeley, Esq; commonly called Viscount Malpas, the Office of Gentleman and Master of His Majesty's Robes.

Admiralty-Office, May 4, 1727.

Whereas at the Time of sitting out His Majesty's Fleet, there were Protections granted from and after the 14th Day of February last, not only to ourward-bound Ships, but to Ships and Vessels trading Coastways, Fishing-Vessels, Peter-Boats, and others, several of which are now almost expired; The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty do hereby give Notice, That all such Protections as have been so granted by them, as aforesaid, or to any other Person or Persons whatsoever, shall, notwithstanding the respective Dates thereof, continue in Force for Three Months longer, from this Day, without Renewal; and their Lordships have strictly directed all Captains, Commanders, Lieutenants, and other Officers of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels who now are, or shall be employed in impressing Men, to have a particular Regard thereunto. By Command of their Lordships,

J. Burchett.

Stamp-Office, April 28, 1727.

The Commissioners for managing His Majesty's Stamp Revenues do hereby give Notice, That by a Clause in an Act of this Session of Parliament, intituled, An Act for continuing the Duties upon Malt, Mum, Cyder, and Perry, &c. it is (inter alia) enacted to the Effect following: That for the Relief of all Masters and Mistresses who have omitted to pay His Majesty's Duties of Six Pence in the Pound for every Sum of Fifty Pounds or under, and of Twelve Pence in the Pound for every Sum amounting to more than Fifty Pounds, given, paid, contracted, or agreed for, or any Part thereof, with Clerks, Apprentices or Servants, within the respective Times limited by the several Acts of Parliament in that Case made, or who have omitted to insert or write in Words as length in the Indentures or other Writings containing the Covenants and Agreements relating to such Clerk, Apprentice or Servant, the full Sum or Sums of Money, or any Part thereof, received or in any wise directly or indirectly given, paid, agreed or contracted for, with or in Relation to such Clerk, Apprentice or Servant, all such Masters and Mistresses are acquitted and discharged of and from all Penalties incurred by Reason of such Omissions, upon Payment of the said Rates and Duties on or before the 24th Day of June, 1727, and tendering the said Indentures or other Writings to be stamped at the same Time, or at any Time on or before the 29th Day of September, 1727.

African House, May 11, 1727.

The Court of Assistants of the Royal African Company of England do hereby give Notice, that on the 15th Day of June next, at Eleven a-Clock, will be peremptorily exposed to Sale by Court or Auction, as their House in Leadenhall-street, London, a Plantation in Antigua, called the Northsound Plantation, late belonging to Mr. Edward Chister of that Island; and that the Plan and Particulars thereof may be seen at the said Company's House any Day after the 18th of this Instant May.

By Order of the Court of Assistants,

Fra. Lyan.

Advertisements.

IN Pursuance of a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, all the Estates of his Grace the Duke of Wharton, lying in Swaledale, in the Parishes of Grinton and Mucal, in the County of York, and also all his said Grace's Estates in Westmoreland, are to be sold before Robert Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, where Particulars may be had.

IN Pursuance of a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the several Estates late of James Lawrence Churchey, deceased, lying in the Parishes of Charlton, Mugrave, Wincanton and South Brixham, in the County of Somerset, are to be sold before Robert Holford Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, where Particulars of the several Estates may be had.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Kinaston, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, the Estate late of William Fenwick, Esq; deceased, consisting of Freehold Houses in the Parishes of St. Dunstan in the West, St. Andrew Holbourn, and St. Giles in the Fields, of Houses of different Sizes, Medow Lands, and Ground Rents at Epsom in Surrey, for a Term of 47 Years now to come, and of an Equity of Redemption of Houses in French-Alley and Bell-Alley in Goswell-street, in the Parishes of St. James Clekenwell, and St. Giles Cripplegate. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's-Inn.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Kinaston, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, intire or in Parcels, the Estates of Thomas Edwards, late of Illeworth, in the County of Middlesex, Esq; deceased, containing divers Messuages, Lands and Hereditaments in Wisbech, in the Isle of Ely, and in the Parishes of Sutton and Tidd St. Giles's in the County of Lincoln, in Walpole, Walsoken and Walton, in the County of Norfolk, and in Backton and Cotton, in the County of Suffolk, the whole being of the yearly Value of 700 l. and upwards. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's-Inn.

TO be peremptorily sold to the best Bidder, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before John Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, on Thursday the 18th of this Instant May, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon; at the said Master's House in Chancery Lane, the Estate late of Sir John Wittewrong, Baronet, deceased, at Stanton Bury in the County of Bucks, lying near Newport Pagnell, being above 800 l. per Annum, and about 40 Miles from London. Particulars may be had at the said Master's House.

TO be sold peremptorily, to the best Bidder, before John Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, pursuant to a Decree of the said Court, the 13th Day of June next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, a Freehold Estate, consisting of the Cross-Keys Inn in Colebrook, in the County of Middlesex, and the Lands thereunto belonging, being 80 l. per Annum and upwards, and 15 Miles from London. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's House in Chancery-lane.

THE Creditors of the Right Honourable Thomas late Lord Howard of Effingham, deceased, are, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, to come in and prove their Debts before Robert Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-lane, before the first Day of the next Term, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

TO be sold, pursuant to several Orders of the High Court of Chancery, before James Lightboun, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, on the 2d Day of June next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, Thirty Six Borough Houses, at Richmond, in the County of York, being Part of the Trust Estates of the Right Honourable Thomas late Lord Marquess of Wharton, deceased. Particulars of which said Houses may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn.