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Naples, March 8, N. S.

BY Order from Court, a Person has been employed to go about among the Bankers and Merchants of this City, to dispose them to concur in the Collection of Money proposed towards the Expences of enlarging and repairing the Mole of this Port, for the better Security of Shipping, and Conveniencies of Commerce: Many Merchants have accordingly given their Subscription; but without a large Supply from the Government 'tis thought this Project cannot be put in Execution, by Reason of the great Expence that will attend it. On the 25th past, an Intimation from the Secretary of State was notified to all such Persons, Subjects of the King, that had Orders of Knight-hood or Titles of Honour conferred on them by the Emperor during his Reign in the two Sicilies, to produce their respective Patents at the Secretary of State's Office, where, upon the Payment of certain Sums of Money, the said Letters Patent are to be renewed as granted from his present Majesty. On the 28th M. Egmond van der Nyenburg, Envoy Extraordinary from the States General at this Court, had his first publick Audience of the King, to whom he presented his Credentials; he was introduced by the Marquess Acquaviva, Introducer of the Foreign Ministers, and afterwards had an Audience of the Queen.

Rome, March 12. On the 27th past a Courier arrived here from Vienna, who brought Credentials from that Court to the Prince of Santa Croce, as Ambassador Extraordinary from the Emperor to the Conclave. On the 3d Instant his Excellency sent accordingly to acquaint the College of Cardinals therewith. The same Day Sig. Erriguez, after having reestablished the Republick of San Marino in its ancient Freedom, repaired thence to his Government of Perugia. The Agent of the said Republick is lately returned to this City, to notify to the College of Cardinals the Republick's Thanks for the Liberty restored to them. On the 28th past died Cardinal Otoboni, in his 73d Year, of a violent Fever. By his Death became vacant the Vice Chancellorship of the See of Rome, the Deanry of the College of Cardinals, and the Protectorship of France. On the 29th, Cardinal John Baptist Altieri was seized with an Apopleckick Fit; the same Day Cardinal Lawrence Altieri his Brother was taken ill of a violent Fever, and both removed from the Conclave to their Palaces. On the 2d Instant Cardinal Lambertini, Archbishop of Bologna, and on the 3d Cardinal Spinola, Vice Legate of Bologna, arrived here to attend the Conclave. On the 7th Cardinal Belluga was taken ill of a Fever, occasioned by a Fit of the Strangury, and was removed from the Conclave to his Palace. This City never enjoyed so much Tranquillity in the Vacancy of the Papal See as at present; all the Precautions taken to prevent Tumults have prov'd so effectual, that every thing passes without the least Distur-

bance. Many Factions however prevail among the Cardinals, so that it is probable the Conclave may last some Time before they come to an Election of a new Pope. The Prince of Santa Croce having received some Days ago a Compliment of Congratulation from the College of Cardinals, upon his being appointed the Emperor's Ambassadour to the Conclave, will make his publick Entry Tomorrow.

Milan, March 16. Preparations are made here for the Reception of the Great Duke of Tuscany, who is expected from Vienna in the Spring. It is said his Royal Highness will pass some Weeks in this City, before he proceeds to Florence. The Rigours of the Winter Season in these Parts have occasioned Distempers, which have carried off a great Number of Persons, especially in the open Country. On the 6th Instant in the Night the fine Theatre at Reggio was by some Accident not yet known set on Fire, and in a few Hours burnt to the Ground. The Cardinals de Rohan and d'Auvergne, have passed through this Place in their Way from France to Rome.

Leghorn, March 18. On the 9th Instant anchored in this Port his Britannick Majesty's Ship, the Pembroke, Captain Lee Commander, with several Merchantmen under her Convoy. On the 13th and 14th Instant, several Skirmishes happened both in the City and at the Mole, between Parties of the Sailors of a Catalan Privateer, and some of the British Merchant Ships in this Port, and those of the Barge of his Majesty's Ship the Pembroke, in which several on both Sides were wounded; and a Catalan Sailor killed: However they were parted, and put into arrest by the Soldiers of this Garrison, and soon after delivered up to their respective Consuls; in Consequence of which the Posts to the Sea Side have been reinforced, and Precautions are taken to prevent farther Disorders.

Florence, March 20. On the 8th Instant two German Officers, Superintendants of the Emperor's Stable, arrived here from Naples in their Return to Vienna, having with Passports purchased in that Kingdom 16 large Houses for the Emperor's Stud. The same Day the Prince d'Elboeuf arrived here from Ambrogiana, whither, after having complimented the Electress Dowager Palatine, he return'd on the 11th. There is an Account from Barga in the Great Duke's Dominions, that an Earthquake, which on the 6th Instant was felt here but slightly, did at that Place ruin 12 Houses, yet only three Persons were killed. The Plan proposed and sent to Vienna by M. de Braitwitz, to establish the Militia on the same Foot as those of the King of Sardinia, is returned and approved by the Great Duke, and is soon to be put in Execution, for which purpose M. Braitwitz proposes shortly to make a Tour about the Country. On the 15th M. Franchini arrived here from Vienna, and on the 19th, after having paid his Duty to the Electress Dow-

ager Palatine, and visited the Ministers, proceeded to Rome in the Character of Minister from the Great Duke to the Conclave.

Whitehall, March 31.

Letters from Rear Admiral Ogle dated on board the Lancaster in Gibraltar Bay the 7th Instant, give an Account, that on the 11th of February Rear Admiral Haddock sailed from Gibraltar with Part of the Squadron for Port Mahon; and that Sir Chaloner Ogle proposed to sail very soon with another Part of the Squadron to join Rear Admiral Haddock at Port Mahon. His Majesty's Ships the Lichfield and the Assistance arrived at Gibraltar on the 4th Instant, which Ships and some others Sir Chaloner Ogle sent to cruize off Cadiz and on the Coast of Spain. Sir Chaloner Ogle adds, that it was confirm'd that an Avifo and a Tobacco Ship were arrived at Cadiz, and a Register Ship at Lagos from the Havanna. This latter was chased into that Bay by his Majesty's Ship the Assistance, Captain Russel, until the Captain fear'd he should lose Sight of the Merchant Ships under his Convoy, it being then Nine a-Clock at Nighr, and his Orders being positive on that Head.

Navy Office, March 28, 1740.

These are to give Notice, That the Two Months Wages in Six, due to his Majesty's Ships under mentioned, to the Times ago nst them expres'd, will be paid at the Pay Office in Broad Street on Thursday the 3d of April next, to the Seamens lawful Attorneys, in pursuance of an Act of Parliament on that Behalf, viz.

Strafford, 24 December, 1739.

Dublin Yacht, 31 Dec. 1739.

Vituallling Office, March 28, 1740.

The Commissioners for Vituallling his Majesty's Navy, give Notice, That on Wednesday the 16th of April next, in the Forenoon, they will be ready to receive Proposals and treat with such Persons as are inclinable to furnish Iron Hoops for the Service of his Majesty's Navy.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich, March 31, 1740.

Whereas by an Act of Parliament passed in the Eighth Year of the Reign of his Majesty, for the Application of the Rents and Profits of the Estates forfeited by the Attainers of James late Earl of Derwentwater, and Charles Radcliffe, it is enacted amongst other things, that the Commissioners or Governors of His Majesty's Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich, are to give six Months previous Notice in the London Gazette, of the Time and Place, when and where such Estates are intended to be Lett. Notice is therefore hereby given by us the Commissioners of the said Hospital, That on Wednesday the 1st of October next, at Salters Hall in London, will be Lett on Lease for 21 Years, a Farm at Netherholmes in Hexamsire, late in the Possession of Joseph Armstrong; Dilston Hall and Gardens, now in the Possession of James Thompson; Gray Mare Colliery within the Manor of Newlands, now in the Possession of Joseph Mc Kelly; Throckley Mill, in the Manor of Throckley near Newburn, now in the Possession of Robert Weldon; and Larbottle Tythes near Ratbury, in the Possession of William Storey; all in the County of Northumberland, belonging to the said Estates; and all Persons willing to take any Part of the said Farms, &c. are desired to give in their Proposals in Writing, directed to William Corbett, Esq; at the Pay Office in Broad Street, London, or to Mess. Walton and Baag, at Rowensworth Castle near Durham, of whom the Particulars of the said Farms, &c. may be had.

Advertisements.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Edward Toye, late of Kidderminster, in the County of Worcester, Gent. deceased, are hereby required to come in and prove their respective Debts before Samuel Bur-

roughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-lane, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

April 1, 1740.

Notice is hereby given to all Persons indebted to the Estate of Samuel Wilson, of Tower-street, London, Grocer, (against whom a Commission of Bankrupt was iss'd in the Month of December 1737,) or that have any of the Goods or Effects belonging to the said Bankrupt's Estate, that they are to pay the Debts from them respectively due, and deliver such Goods and Effects on or before the 15th Instant, to the Assignees Mr. John Raymond, at No 4 in the Paper Buildings, Inner Temple, and Mr. Stephen Cooper, of Gracechurch-street, London, Woollendrapers, in Default whereof they will be sued for the same by Mr. William Russell, of Grocers Alley in the Poultry, Attorney to the said Assignees. And such of the Creditors of the said Samuel Wilson who have duly proved their several Debts under the said Commission, are desired to meet the said Assignees on Thursday next, being the 3d of this Instant April, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at King's Coffe House in White Fryers near the Inner Temple Gate; when and where the Proceedings had under the said Commission will be laid before them, and some Discoveries made for the Benefit of the said Bankrupt's Estate; and on other special Affairs.

To be sold peremptorily, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery Lane, to the best Purchaser or Purchasers, on Thursday the 24th Instant, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve of the Clock in the Forenoon, Certain long Annuities, and Three and an Half per Cent. Annuities, being Part of the Estate of Samuel Wright, Esq; deceased. Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

To be peremptorily sold, together or in Parce, on Tuesday the 20th Day of May next, between the Hours of Four and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Knafston, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, A Freehold Estate of the yearly Value of 477 l. 15 s. situate in the Parishes of Treigelos, Landic, Lenger and Landinam, in the County of Montgomerie, the Estate of John Wilson, of Bwlchyllynne, in the said County. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Lancelott Green, late of Botolph Claydon, Chapman and Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 5th and 15th of April Instant, and on the 13th of May next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination; and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Rone Baudoioni, of Panton-street near Leicester-Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Distiller, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 9th and 22d of April Instant, and on the 13th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the First Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Westley, Attorney, in Elm Court in the Middle Temple.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Samuel Cotton and John Cotton, late of London, Merchants and Partners, intend to meet on the 14th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a second Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Swan, of Grantdown, in the County of Lincoln, Linnendrapers and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Swan hath in all things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 22d of April Instant.