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Copenhagen, July 2, N. S.

THE intended Augmentation of the Danish Forces (8 Men a Company in the Infantry, and 10 a Troop in the Cavalry) which was lately suspended, is again put forward by a new Order issued out about a Week ago, and the Officers are accordingly raising their necessary Recruits. The Court is expected here in eight or ten Days at farthest

Hanover, July 13. The King, who God be thanked, continues in perfect Health, came hither this Morning from Herenhausen to view the Apartments in the Castle; and at Noon his Majesty returned to Herenhausen. On the 9th Instant M. Adelebsen, President of the Council of the Court of Cassel, arrived here; and at the same time arrived M. Alt, Minister from the King of Sweden as Landgrave of Hesse. M. Guy Dickens, Secretary from the King of Great Britain to the King of Prussia, arrived here on the same Day from Berlin; as did also M. Kalbe, Councillor of the Chamber of Finances from the Court of Saxe-Gotha. On the 11th arrived here the Right Honourable the Earl of Holderness from Cassel; and Yesterday her Grace the Duchess of Dorset arrived from the same Place, whither she had accompanied her Royal Highness the Princess Mary from England.

Portsmouth, July 5.

Yesterday in the Afternoon his Royal Highness the Duke arrived here, and this Morning his Royal Highness went with the Right Honourable Sir John Norris, on board the Victory at Spithead, where he was received with the greatest Joy and Distinction imaginable.

War-Office, July 8, 1740.

It is the Lords Justices Directions, that all the Officers belonging to the several Regiments appointed for the Expedition under the Command of the Right Honourable Charles Lord Cathcart, do Repair to their Posts in the Camp in the Isle of Wight, on or before Saturday the 19th Instant, upon Pain of their Commissions being superseded.

By their Excellencies Command,

Will. Yonge.

The Home Circuit for the Summer Assizes is as follows, viz.

Lord Chief Baron Comyns,

Mr. Baron Carter.

Hertford, Monday July 14, at the Town of Hertford.

Essex, Wednesday July 16, at Chelmsford.

Kent, Tuesday July 22, at Rochester.

Surry, Wednesday July 30, at Kingston upon Thames.

Sussex, Monday August 4, at Horsham.

Navy Office, July 2, 1740.

These are to give Notice, That on Wednesday the 23d Instant, at Ten of the Clock in the Morning, this Board will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to serve in to his Majesty's Stores at Deptford, Woolwich, Chatham, Sheerness, Portsmouth and Plymouth, for the Use of his Majesty's Ships, Stone Ground Glass, upon a standing Contract, that they may attend with their Proposals at that Time.

Navy-Office, July 4, 1740.

These are to give Notice, that on Friday the 25th of July Instant, at Ten of the Clock in the Morning, this Board will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to serve his Majesty's Yard at Deptford with English Canvas, that they may attend with their Proposals at that Time.

General Post-Office, April 2, 1740.

Whereas the Post-Boy carrying the Bristol Mail from London to Hounslow, was attacked and set upon between Three and Four a Clock this Morning, a little beyond Knightsbridge, by a single Person on Foot, of a dark Complexion, and a middle Stature, having on a light-colour'd Horseman's Coat with the Cape button'd up, who led him into an adjacent Field, and there took from him the Bath and Bristol Bags, put them into a Green Bag, and rode off with them towards London on the Horse that carried the said Mail.

The Postmaster General thinks proper to advertise the Publick, that whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, besides the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if any Person, whether Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make a Discovery whereby the Person who committed the same may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of the Party, be intitled to the same Reward, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Postmaster General.

J. D. Barbutt, Secretary.

General Post-Office, London, June 16, 1740.

Whereas the Post-Boy carrying the North Mail from Royston to Ware, was attacked in the Highway, between One and Two of the Clock last Friday Morning, the 13th Instant, on the North Side of Hamill's Park, belonging to Ralph Freeman, Esq; about three Miles beyond Ware, by a single Highwayman, who was a short thick Man in his own Hair, with a brown great Coat, riding a black Horse, with a Star in his Forehead, having two white Heels behind, who took from him the Peterborough Mail, which contained the following Bags; viz. Peterborough, Boston, Louth, Horncastle, and Spalding.

The Postmaster General thinks proper to advertise the Publick, That whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person who committed this Robbery, will be entitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, besides the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if

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