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Naples, December 20, N. S.

ON the 12th, a Train of 22 Pieces of large Brass Cannon were brought from the Fortrefs of Capua to this Arsenal, which immediately were added to the 25 Pieces lately cast here, and design'd for a Train of 47 Guns for Battery. For this Purpose a Number of Carpenters and Blacksmiths are set to Work, to make with great Expedition new Carriages for these Cannon and some Mortars. On the 13th the Prince Borghese took Place for the first Time before the King as Grandee of Spain of the first Rank, at which Function the Grandees of the Kingdom, Nobility, &c. attended. On the 14th arrived here from Paris the Family of the Duke di Castropignano, the King's Ambassador at that Court: He is soon expected, being recalled, 'tis said, in order to command the Body of 12000 Men prepared here for an Expedition. On account of the Price of Oil and Corn lately increased in this Kingdom, occasioned by the Exportation thereof granted to the French, some Murmurs have happened in this City on the Part of the Populace. The Government, to prevent greater Inconveniencies, has laid an Embargo on all Vessels in this Port and Coast.

Naples, Dec. 27, N. S. The Troops that this Court has ordered to be ready for a March, consist of seven Regiments of Foot and two of Cuirassiers and Dragoons, and are those which the King of Spain lent to the King of Naples. A Project has been proposed to the King to grant his Pardon to a very great Number of Persons, who for different Crimes have taken Refuge in the Churches and Convents of this Kingdom, on Condition that they should serve the King as Soldiers for a certain limited Time: This Project has been referred by the King to the Council of State, and it is thought that it will take Place. On the 21st M. Casoli was by Direction of the Court dispatched to Brescia to purchase 12000 Barrels for Muskets. In Consequence of the Treaty of Commerce lately stipulated between the King and the Porte, the respective Subjects have begun to enjoy the Benefit of it by the Trade which they have commenced from Brindisi to Ragusi, cross the Adriatick Sea.

Rome, Dec. 24. On the 19th the Pope held a private Consistory, in which he declared the Reconciliation with the Court of Portugal, and at which 12 Bishops of that Kingdom were acknowledged.

Florence, Jan. 8. On the 2d a Cabinet Courier was dispatched by the Regency to Vienna, it is said to inform the Great Duke

of Provisions lately seized by the Neapolitan Garrison of Orbitello in his Dominions, as well as the Motions which are making by the Court of Naples, in order to receive the necessary Instructions. On the 3d a Council of War was held, in Consequence of which, M. de la Tour, Major of the Lorrain Regiment of Foot Guards, and M. Warren, Colonel of the Artillery, were dispatched to Leghorn. A Detachment of 200 Soldiers out of the Tuscan Regiment of Foot Guards was ordered from Leghorn to reinforce the Garrison of Grosseto; and a Courier was sent to Marquis Salviati, the Tuscan Governour of the Fortrefs of Siena, to deliver it to the Commanding Officer of the German Troops there. Three Companies of German Cuirassiers are ordered from Pisa to Siena, whither the necessary Artillery, Ammunition, &c. are ordered, to put that Fortrefs into a Posture of Defence.

Brussels, Jan. 14, N. S. The Prince of Wolfembuttel set out from hence Yesterday for Charleroy to view the third Battallion of his Regiment, and will proceed from thence to take a Survey of the chief Towns of these Countries. M. de Dieu, Commissary from the States General of the United Provinces at the Congress at Antwerp, having obtained Leave from his Principals to return to Holland for a Month or two upon his own private Affairs, he intends to set out forthwith on his said Journey thither.

Whitehall, December 20, 1740.

Whereas it has been represented to his Majesty, that several Persons, with Arms, have lately come in the Night Time into the Pastures belonging to the Inhabitants of Paddington, in the County of Middlesex, and killed and carried away great Numbers of Sheep grazing there; and that particularly on Friday the 28th of November last, between the Hours of Nine and Eleven at Night, notwithstanding the said Inhabitants have been at a great and constant Expence in employing Men to watch their Sheep and other Cattle, four Persons in the Habits of Soldiers, armed with Muskets and Bayonets, entered the Grounds of Martin Geages, at Paddington aforesaid, seized his Servant who was watching there, and beat and wounded him in an inhuman Manner, and took a Fowling Piece from him, and having tied and left him for dead, caught two Sheep, which they skinned and carried away: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the Crimes aforesaid, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any of them, that shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices, so as he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, and also a Reward of Fifty Pounds to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid; payable upon the Conviction of such Offender or Offenders.

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And as a farther Encouragement for such Discovery as aforesaid, the Inhabitants of Paddington do promise the Sum of Ten Pounds to any Person or Persons making the



the same as the said Offenders, or any of them, may be apprehended and convicted. To be paid by
Wm. Godfrey, Church-Warden.

Advertisements.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt issued on the 14th Day of October last past, against Thomas Priddle, of Froome, in the County of Somerset, Clothier: This is to give Notice, that the said Commission hath been superseded by the Order of the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain.

THERE will be peremptorily Sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, on Monday the 9th Day of February next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chamber in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, A Messuage, Farm and Lands called the Burrough Farm, in the Parish of Martley, in the County of Worcester, now Lett by Lease at the Rent of 140l per Ann. and being the Estate late of George Bagne, Gentleman, deceased. Particulars may be had at the said Master's aforesaid Chamber.

THE Creditors of Antelme Frederick Pigou and Crommelin Pigou, late of London, Merchants and Partners, are desired to meet the Assignees on Thursday the 29th Instant, at Five in the Afternoon, at Garraway's Coffee house in Exchange Alley, to consider of Mess. Chauncey and Brown's Claim on the said Bankrupt's Estate.

NOTICE is hereby given (pursuant to an Act of Parliament made in the Eighth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George, intituled an Act for the Amendment of the Law relating to Actions on the Statute of Hue and Cry) that Elias Fletcher, of the Township of Ingleton, in the West Riding of the County of York, Woollen Weaver, on Monday the 5th Day of this Instant January, about Two of the Clock in the Afternoon of the same Day, was set upon and assaulted in the King's Highway, leading from Ingleton aforesaid to Askrigg in the North Riding of the said County, near a Guide Post, in the Parish of Horton, in Ribblesdale, in the Hundred of Ewrofs, in the said West Riding and County of York, by three lusty Men on Foot, having on their own Hair, two of whom had on brown Coats, the other a white Coat, which said Men were armed with Staves, and did feloniously rob and take from the said Elias Fletcher, Gold and Silver Coin of the Value of 19 l. 5 s. and then made off.

WHEREAS on or about the 28th of October last, a Commission of Bankrupt issued forth against Thomas Holloway, of Guildford, in the County of Surry, Timber Merchant: Notice is hereby given, that the said Commission of Bankrupt is under the Great Seal of Great Britain superseded.

THE Creditors of William Hubbard and John Balcombe, late of the Poultry, near Stock's Market, London, Linnendrapers and Partners, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate on Friday next, at Three in the Afternoon, at the Amsterdam Coffee-house behind the Royal Exchange, to assist or dissent to the Assignees commencing one or more Suits or Suits in Equity, for the Recovery of Part of the said Bankrupts Effects, and to submiting to Arbitration any Differences or Disputes relating thereto, and to their compounding any Debt or Debts, or otherwise agreeing the same.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Isaac Jemmett, late of the Park in Southwark, in the County of Surry, Weaver, 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 23d and 30th Days of January Instant, and on the 3d of March next, at Three o' 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 assist 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 Mess. Commeline and Athawes, Attorneys, in Tokenhouse yard.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Hatt, of Knightsbridge in the County of Middlesex, Als-man and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby requir'd to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 22d and 29th of January Instant, and on the 3d of March 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 second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last

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WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Webb, now or late of the Town of Northampton, in the County of Northampton, Currier and Chapman, 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 23d of January Instant, on the 18th of February next, and on the 3d of March following, at Eleven in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the White Swan Inn in the Town of Bedford, in the County of Bedford, 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 assist 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. Adey, at his Chambers No 11. in New Inn, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Hugh Pollett, of Thaxted in the County of Essex, Shopkeeper and Chapman, 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 28th of January Instant, on the 6th of February next, and on the 3d of March following, 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 assist 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. Wyfeman Clagett, Attorney, in Bartlett's Buildings, Holbourn.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Arthur Ball, of the Parish of St. Saviour Southwark, in the County of Surry, Richard Foxall, of the Parish of St. Olave Southwark, in the said County, and Seymour Stocker, of the Parish of St. Anne Limehouse, in the County of Middlesex, Dealers in Coals and Copartners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 29th of January Instant, on the 3d of February next, and on the 3d of March following, at Three in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their 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 Bankrupts are required to finish their Examination, and the Creditors are to assist to or dissent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Clare, Attorney, in Bursstreet, London.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Smith, late of the City of Bristol, Distiller, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Smith 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 10th of February next.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Nehemiah Harris, late of the City of Bristol, Clothier, have certified to the Right Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Nehemiah Harris 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 10th of February next.